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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

HOUSE FILE

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the use of certain property owned by the
2 department of transportation for green space purposes.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 314.25, Code 1999, is amended to read
2 as follows:

3 314.25 GREEN SPACE PROVIDED.

4 The department shall use the property owned by ~~it-in-the~~
5 ~~city-of-Council-Bluffs-which-is-bounded-by-Broadway-Seventh~~
6 ~~street-Kanesville-boulevard-and-Sixth-street~~, the department
7 and described in this section exclusively for green space,
8 and, if sold by the department, the department shall sell the
9 property with the restricted covenant that the property shall
10 be used exclusively for green space or else revert to the
11 department. This section applies to the following property:

12 1. Property located in the city of Council Bluffs which is
13 bounded by Broadway, Seventh street, Kanesville boulevard, and
14 Sixth street.

15 2. Property commonly known as the Eddyville dunes and
16 wetland complex. This property includes property purchased or
17 condemned by the department for right-of-way acquisition,
18 mitigation purposes, or in connection with right-of-way
19 acquisition for the 1990 alignment of the proposed Eddyville
20 bypass.

21 EXPLANATION

22 This bill requires the department of transportation to use
23 property owned by it and commonly known as the Eddyville dunes
24 and wetland complex exclusively for green space. This
25 property includes property purchased or condemned by the
26 department for the 1990 alignment of the proposed Eddyville
27 bypass. If the land is sold, the department shall sell the
28 property with the restricted covenant that the property shall
29 be used exclusively for green space or else revert to the
30 department.

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