

Senate File 510 - Introduced

SENATE FILE 510

BY COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 1195)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to and making appropriations and related
2 statutory changes involving state government entities
3 involved with agriculture, natural resources, and
4 environmental protection, and including effective date
5 provisions.

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

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31
32
33
34
35

DIVISION I
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP
GENERAL APPROPRIATION FOR FY 2017-2018

Section 1. GENERAL FUND — DEPARTMENT.

1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

For purposes of supporting the department, including its divisions, for administration, regulation, and programs; for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes; and for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
..... \$ 17,640,576
..... FTEs 372.00

2. Of the amount appropriated in subsection 1, the following amount is transferred to Iowa state university of science and technology, to be used for the university's midwest grape and wine industry institute:

..... \$ 288,000

3. The department shall submit a report each quarter of the fiscal year to the legislative services agency, the department of management, the members of the joint appropriations subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources, and the chairpersons and ranking members of the senate and house committees on appropriations. The report shall describe in detail the expenditure of moneys appropriated in this section to support the department's administration, regulation, and programs.

DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS
MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

Sec. 2. UNCLAIMED PARI-MUTUEL WAGERING WINNINGS — HORSE AND DOG RACING. There is appropriated from the moneys available under [section 99D.13](#) to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,

1 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following amount, or so
2 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
3 designated:

4 For purposes of supporting the department's administration
5 and enforcement of horse and dog racing law pursuant to section
6 99D.22, including for salaries, support, maintenance, and
7 miscellaneous purposes:

8 \$ 295,516

9 Sec. 3. RENEWABLE FUEL INFRASTRUCTURE FUND — MOTOR FUEL
10 INSPECTION.

11 1. There is appropriated from the renewable fuel
12 infrastructure fund created in [section 159A.16](#) to the
13 department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal
14 year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the
15 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
16 used for the purposes designated:

17 For purposes of the inspection of motor fuel, including
18 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:

19 \$ 500,000

20 2. The department shall establish and administer programs
21 for the auditing of motor fuel including biofuel processing
22 and production plants, for screening and testing motor fuel,
23 including renewable fuel, and for the inspection of motor fuel
24 sold by dealers including retail dealers who sell and dispense
25 motor fuel from motor fuel pumps.

26 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

27 GENERAL FUND

28 Sec. 4. DAIRY REGULATION.

29 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
30 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
31 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018,
32 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
33 used for the purposes designated:

34 For purposes of performing functions pursuant to section
35 192.109, including conducting a survey of grade "A" milk and

1 certifying the results to the secretary of agriculture:
2 \$ 189,196

3 2. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in
4 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
5 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
6 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
7 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

8 Sec. 5. LOCAL FOOD AND FARM PROGRAM.

9 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
10 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
11 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018,
12 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
13 used for the purposes designated:

14 For purposes of supporting the local food and farm program
15 pursuant to [chapter 267A](#):
16 \$ 75,000

17 2. The department shall enter into a cost-sharing agreement
18 with Iowa state university of science and technology to support
19 the local food and farm program coordinator position as part of
20 the university's cooperative extension service in agriculture
21 and home economics pursuant to [chapter 267A](#).

22 3. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in
23 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
24 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
25 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
26 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

27 Sec. 6. AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION.

28 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
29 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
30 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018,
31 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
32 used for the purposes designated:

33 For purposes of allocating moneys to an Iowa association
34 affiliated with a national organization which promotes
35 agricultural education providing for future farmers:

1 \$ 25,000

2 2. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
3 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
4 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
5 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
6 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

7 Sec. 7. FARMERS WITH DISABILITIES PROGRAM.

8 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
9 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
10 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018,
11 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
12 used for the purposes designated:

13 For purposes of supporting a program for farmers with
14 disabilities:

15 \$ 130,000

16 2. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used for
17 the public purpose of providing a grant to a national nonprofit
18 organization with over 80 years of experience in assisting
19 children and adults with disabilities and special needs. The
20 moneys shall be used to support a nationally recognized program
21 that began in 1986 and has been replicated in at least 30 other
22 states, but which is not available through any other entity
23 in this state, and that provides assistance to farmers with
24 disabilities in all 99 counties to allow the farmers to remain
25 in their own homes and be gainfully engaged in farming through
26 provision of agricultural worksite and home modification
27 consultations, peer support services, services to families,
28 information and referral, and equipment loan services.

29 3. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
30 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
31 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
32 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
33 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

34 DIVISION II
35 GENERAL FUND

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP
WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE
APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2017-2018

Sec. 8. WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE — GENERAL.

1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in section 466B.45, for purposes of supporting the water quality initiative administered by the division of soil conservation and water quality as provided in section 466B.42, including salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
..... \$ 3,000,000

2. a. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the division that are part of high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

b. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to support projects in watersheds generally, including regional watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

3. In supporting projects in subwatersheds and watersheds as provided in subsection 2, all of the following shall apply:

a. The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality practices as described in the latest revision of the document entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa state university of science and technology.

b. The division shall implement demonstration projects as provided in paragraph "a" by providing for participation by

1 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used in
2 farming. To every extent practical, the division shall provide
3 for collaborative participation by such persons who hold a
4 legal interest in agricultural land located within the same
5 subwatershed.

6 c. The division shall implement a demonstration project on
7 a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However,
8 except for edge-of-field practices, the state's share of the
9 amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of
10 establishing the practice as determined by the division or
11 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing the practice,
12 whichever is less.

13 d. The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other
14 persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar
15 water quality practices. The division shall promote field day
16 events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish
17 water quality practices on their agricultural land.

18 e. The division shall conduct water quality evaluations
19 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period
20 after accumulating information from such evaluations, the
21 division shall create an aggregated database of water quality
22 practices. Any information identifying a person holding a
23 legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural
24 land shall be a confidential record under [section 22.7](#).

25 4. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used
26 to support education and outreach in a manner that encourages
27 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used for
28 farming to implement water quality practices, including the
29 establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and
30 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

31 5. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used
32 to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of
33 efforts provided in this section.

34 6. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used by
35 the department to support urban soil and water conservation

1 efforts, which may include but are not limited to management
2 practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the use of
3 permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality restoration.
4 The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis as provided
5 in chapter 161A.

6 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the
7 contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in
8 subsection 1 to carry out the provisions of this section on a
9 cost-share basis in combination with other moneys available to
10 the department from a state or federal source.

11 8. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in
12 this section may be used to pay for the costs of administering
13 and implementing the water quality initiative by the
14 department's division of soil conservation and water quality as
15 provided in section 466B.42 and this section.

16 DIVISION III

17 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

18 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2017-2018

19 Sec. 9. GENERAL FUND — DEPARTMENT.

20 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
21 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year
22 beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following
23 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
24 purposes designated:

25 For purposes of supporting the department, including its
26 divisions, for administration, regulation, and programs; for
27 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes; and
28 for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
29 \$ 11,299,811
30 FTEs 1,145.95

31 2. Of the number of full-time equivalent positions
32 authorized to the department pursuant to subsection 1, 50
33 full-time equivalent positions shall be allocated by the
34 department for seasonal employees for purposes of providing
35 maintenance, upkeep, and sanitary services at state parks.

1 This subsection shall not impact park ranger or park manager
2 positions within the department.

3 3. The department shall submit a report each quarter of the
4 fiscal year to the legislative services agency, the department
5 of management, the members of the joint appropriations
6 subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources, and the
7 chairpersons and ranking members of the senate and house
8 committees on appropriations. The report shall describe in
9 detail the expenditure of moneys appropriated under this
10 section to support the department's administration, regulation,
11 and programs.

12 Sec. 10. STATE FISH AND GAME PROTECTION FUND — REGULATION
13 AND ADVANCEMENT OF OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES.

14 1. There is appropriated from the state fish and game
15 protection fund to the department of natural resources for the
16 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018,
17 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
18 used for the purposes designated:

19 For purposes of supporting the regulation or advancement of
20 hunting, fishing, or trapping, or the protection, propagation,
21 restoration, management, or harvest of fish or wildlife,
22 including for administration, regulation, law enforcement, and
23 programs; and for salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
24 and miscellaneous purposes:

25 \$ 43,147,993

26 2. Notwithstanding [section 455A.10](#), the department may use
27 the unappropriated balance remaining in the state fish and game
28 protection fund to provide for the funding of health and life
29 insurance premium payments from unused sick leave balances of
30 conservation peace officers employed in a protection occupation
31 who retire, pursuant to [section 97B.49B](#).

32 3. Notwithstanding [section 455A.10](#), the department of
33 natural resources may use the unappropriated balance remaining
34 in the state fish and game protection fund for the fiscal
35 year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, as is

1 necessary to fund salary adjustments for departmental employees
2 for which the general assembly has made an operating budget
3 appropriation in subsection 1.

4 Sec. 11. GROUNDWATER PROTECTION FUND — WATER
5 QUALITY. There is appropriated from the groundwater protection
6 fund created in [section 455E.11](#) to the department of natural
7 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017,
8 and ending June 30, 2018, from those moneys which are not
9 allocated pursuant to that section, the following amount, or
10 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
11 designated:

12 For purposes of supporting the department’s protection
13 of the state’s groundwater, including for administration,
14 regulation, and programs, and for salaries, support,
15 maintenance, equipment, and miscellaneous purposes:
16 \$ 3,455,832

DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS

MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

19 Sec. 12. SPECIAL SNOWMOBILE FUND — SNOWMOBILE
20 PROGRAM. There is appropriated from the special snowmobile
21 fund created under [section 321G.7](#) to the department of natural
22 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and
23 ending June 30, 2018, the following amount, or so much thereof
24 as is necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

25 For purposes of administering and enforcing the state
26 snowmobile programs:
27 \$ 100,000

28 Sec. 13. UNASSIGNED REVENUE FUND — UNDERGROUND STORAGE
29 TANKS SECTION EXPENSES. There is appropriated from the
30 unassigned revenue fund administered by the Iowa comprehensive
31 petroleum underground storage tank fund board established
32 pursuant to [section 455G.4](#) to the department of natural
33 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and
34 ending June 30, 2018, the following amount, or so much thereof
35 as is necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

1 For purposes of paying for administration expenses of the
2 department's underground storage tanks section:
3 \$ 200,000

4 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

5 GENERAL FUND

6 Sec. 14. FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT AND DAM SAFETY.

7 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
8 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year
9 beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following
10 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
11 purpose designated:

12 For purposes of supporting floodplain management and dam
13 safety:
14 \$ 1,885,000

15 2. Of the amount appropriated in subsection 1, up to
16 \$400,000 may be used by the department to acquire or install
17 stream gages for purposes of tracking and predicting flood
18 events and for compiling necessary data to improve flood
19 frequency analysis.

20 3. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in
21 subsection 1 that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
22 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
23 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
24 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

25 Sec. 15. FORESTRY HEALTH MANAGEMENT.

26 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
27 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year
28 beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following
29 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
30 purposes designated:

31 For purposes of providing for forestry health management
32 programs:
33 \$ 500,000

34 2. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in
35 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the

1 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
2 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
3 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

4 DIVISION IV

5 IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

6 SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2017-2018

7 VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY

8 Sec. 16. VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

9 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
10 to Iowa state university of science and technology for the
11 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018,
12 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
13 used for the purposes designated:

14 For purposes of supporting the college of veterinary
15 medicine for the operation of the veterinary diagnostic
16 laboratory and for not more than the following full-time
17 equivalent positions:

18	\$	4,000,000
19	FTEs	51.00

20 2. a. Iowa state university of science and technology
21 shall not reduce the amount that it allocates to support the
22 college of veterinary medicine from any other source due to the
23 appropriation made in this section.

24 b. Paragraph "a" does not apply to a reduction made to
25 support the college of veterinary medicine, if the same
26 percentage of reduction imposed on the college of veterinary
27 medicine is also imposed on all of Iowa state university of
28 science and technology's budget units.

29 3. If by June 30, 2018, Iowa state university of science and
30 technology fails to allocate the moneys appropriated in this
31 section to the college of veterinary medicine in accordance
32 with this section, the moneys appropriated in this section for
33 that fiscal year shall revert to the general fund of the state.

34 DIVISION V

35 ENVIRONMENT FIRST FUND

1 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2017-2018

2 Sec. 17. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND

3 STEWARDSHIP. There is appropriated from the environment first
4 fund created in section 8.57A to the department of agriculture
5 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
6 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following amounts, or so
7 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
8 designated:

9 1. CONSERVATION RESERVE ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM (CREP)

10 a. For the conservation reserve enhancement program to
11 restore and construct wetlands for the purposes of intercepting
12 tile line runoff, reducing nutrient loss, improving water
13 quality, and enhancing agricultural production practices:
14 \$ 1,000,000

15 b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated
16 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and
17 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

18 c. Notwithstanding any other provision in law, the
19 department may use moneys appropriated in this subsection,
20 in combination with other appropriate environment first
21 fund appropriations, for cost sharing to match United States
22 department of agriculture, natural resources conservation
23 service, wetlands reserve enhancement program (WREP) funding
24 available to Iowa.

25 2. WATERSHED PROTECTION

26 a. For continuation of a program that provides
27 multiobjective resource protections for flood control, water
28 quality, erosion control, and natural resource conservation:
29 \$ 900,000

30 b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated
31 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and
32 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

33 3. FARM MANAGEMENT DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM

34 a. For continuation of a statewide voluntary farm
35 management demonstration program to demonstrate the

1 effectiveness and adaptability of emerging practices in
2 agronomy that protect water resources and provide other
3 environmental benefits:

4 \$ 375,000

5 b. The amount appropriated in paragraph "a", shall be
6 allocated to an organization representing soybean growers to
7 provide for an agriculture and environment performance program.

8 4. SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION — ADMINISTRATION

9 a. For use by the department for costs of administration and
10 implementation of soil and water conservation practices:

11 \$ 3,800,000

12 b. Of the moneys appropriated in paragraph "a", \$150,000
13 is allocated to support field staff providing technical
14 assistance.

15 5. CONSERVATION RESERVE PROGRAM (CRP)

16 a. To encourage and assist farmers in enrolling in and the
17 implementation of the federal conservation reserve program and
18 to work with them to enhance their revegetation efforts to
19 improve water quality and habitat:

20 \$ 900,000

21 b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated
22 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and
23 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

24 6. SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION

25 a. For use by the department in providing for soil and water
26 conservation:

27 \$ 8,325,000

28 b. (1) Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "a", for
29 transfer to the hungry canyons account of the loess hills
30 development and conservation fund created in section 161D.2:

31 \$ 450,000

32 (2) Of the amount transferred to the hungry canyons account
33 pursuant to subparagraph (1), not more than 10 percent of the
34 moneys may be used for administrative costs.

35 c. Of the remaining amount appropriated in paragraph "a",

1 for use by the department in providing for soil and water
2 conservation administration, the conservation of soil and
3 water resources, or the support of soil and water conservation
4 districts:

5 \$ 7,875,000

6 d. Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "c" that the
7 department allocates to a soil and water conservation district,
8 the first \$15,000 may be expended by the district for the
9 purpose of providing financial incentives under section 161A.73
10 to establish management practices for the control of soil
11 erosion on land that is row-cropped, including but not limited
12 to nontill planting, ridge-till planting, and contouring
13 strip-cropping. Of any remaining amount of that appropriation
14 allocated by the department to a district, 30 percent may be
15 expended by the district for that same purpose.

16 e. Not more than 5 percent of the moneys appropriated in
17 paragraph "c" may be allocated for cost sharing to address
18 complaints filed under [section 161A.47](#).

19 f. Of the moneys appropriated in paragraph "c", 5 percent
20 shall be allocated for financial incentives to establish
21 practices to protect watersheds above publicly owned lakes of
22 the state from soil erosion and sediment as provided in section
23 161A.73.

24 g. The state soil conservation committee established by
25 section 161A.4 may allocate moneys appropriated in paragraph
26 "c" to conduct research and demonstration projects to promote
27 conservation tillage and nonpoint source pollution control
28 practices.

29 h. The allocation of moneys as financial incentives as
30 provided in [section 161A.73](#) may be used in combination with
31 moneys allocated by the department of natural resources.

32 i. Not more than 15 percent of the moneys appropriated
33 in paragraph "c" may be used for costs of administration and
34 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

35 j. In lieu of moneys appropriated in [section 466A.5](#), not

1 more than \$25,000 of the moneys appropriated in paragraph "c"
2 shall be used by the division of soil conservation and water
3 quality of the department of agriculture and land stewardship
4 to provide administrative support to the watershed improvement
5 review board established in [section 466A.3](#).

6 Sec. 18. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES. There is
7 appropriated from the environment first fund created in section
8 8.57A to the department of natural resources for the fiscal
9 year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the
10 following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
11 used for the purposes designated:

12 1. STATE PARKS MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS

13 a. For regular maintenance and operations of state parks and
14 staff time associated with these activities:

15 \$ 6,235,000

16 b. Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "a", up to
17 \$100,000 shall be allocated for statewide coordination of
18 volunteer efforts under the water quality and keepers of the
19 land programs.

20 2. GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (GIS)

21 To provide local watershed managers with geographic
22 information system data for their use in developing,
23 monitoring, and displaying results of their watershed work:

24 \$ 195,000

25 3. WATER QUALITY MONITORING

26 For continuing the establishment and operation of water
27 quality monitoring stations:

28 \$ 2,955,000

29 4. PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM ACCOUNT

30 For deposit in the public water supply system account of the
31 water quality protection fund created in [section 455B.183A](#):

32 \$ 500,000

33 5. REGULATION OF ANIMAL FEEDING OPERATIONS

34 For the regulation of animal feeding operations, including
35 as provided for in [chapters 459 through 459B](#):

1 \$ 1,320,000

2 6. AMBIENT AIR QUALITY

3 For the abatement, control, and prevention of ambient
4 air pollution in this state, including measures as necessary
5 to assure attainment and maintenance of ambient air quality
6 standards from particulate matter:

7 \$ 425,000

8 7. WATER QUANTITY REGULATION

9 For regulating water quantity from surface and subsurface
10 sources by providing for the allocation and use of water
11 resources, the protection and management of water resources,
12 and the preclusion of conflicts among users of water resources,
13 including as provided in chapter 455B, division III, part 4:

14 \$ 495,000

15 8. GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEY

16 For continuing the operations of the department's geological
17 and water survey including but not limited to providing
18 analysis, data collection, investigative programs, and
19 information for water supply development and protection:

20 \$ 200,000

21 Sec. 19. REVERSION.

22 1. a. Except as provided in paragraph "b", and
23 notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated for the
24 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, in this division of this
25 Act that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the
26 fiscal year shall not revert but instead shall remain available
27 to be used for the purposes designated until the close of the
28 succeeding fiscal year, or until the project for which the
29 appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.

30 b. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated for
31 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, in this division of
32 this Act to the department of agriculture and land stewardship
33 to provide financial assistance for the establishment of
34 permanent soil and water conservation practices that remain
35 unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year

1 shall not revert but instead shall remain available for
2 expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of the
3 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020.

4 2. Subsection 1 does not apply to moneys transferred
5 pursuant to this division to the hungry canyons account of
6 the loess hills development and conservation fund created in
7 section 161D.2 which shall not revert as provided in that
8 section.

9 DIVISION VI

10 ENVIRONMENT FIRST FUND

11 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2017-2018

12 Sec. 20. WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE — DEPARTMENT OF
13 AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP.

14 1. There is appropriated from the environment first fund
15 created in section 8.57A to the department of agriculture
16 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
17 2017, and ending June 30, 2018, the following amount, or so
18 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
19 designated:

20 For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in
21 section 466B.45, for purposes of supporting the water quality
22 initiative administered by the division of soil conservation
23 and water quality as provided in [section 466B.42](#), including
24 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
25 \$ 2,375,000

26 2. a. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be
27 used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the
28 division that are part of high-priority watersheds identified
29 by the water resources coordinating council established
30 pursuant to [section 466B.3](#).

31 b. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to
32 support projects in watersheds generally, including regional
33 watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority
34 watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating
35 council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

1 3. In supporting projects in subwatersheds and watersheds
2 as provided in subsection 2, all of the following shall apply:

3 a. The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality
4 practices as described in the latest revision of the document
5 entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented
6 in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land
7 stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa
8 state university of science and technology.

9 b. The division shall implement demonstration projects as
10 provided in paragraph "a" by providing for participation by
11 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used in
12 farming. To every extent practical, the division shall provide
13 for collaborative participation by such persons who hold a
14 legal interest in agricultural land located within the same
15 subwatershed.

16 c. The division shall implement a demonstration project on
17 a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However,
18 except for edge-of-field practices, the state's share of the
19 amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of
20 establishing the practice as determined by the division or
21 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing the practice,
22 whichever is less.

23 d. The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other
24 persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar
25 water quality practices. The division shall promote field day
26 events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish
27 water quality practices on their agricultural land.

28 e. The division shall conduct water quality evaluations
29 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period
30 after accumulating information from such evaluations, the
31 division shall create an aggregated database of water quality
32 practices. Any information identifying a person holding a
33 legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural
34 land shall be a confidential record under [section 22.7](#).

35 4. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used

1 to support education and outreach in a manner that encourages
2 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used for
3 farming to implement water quality practices, including the
4 establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and
5 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

6 5. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used
7 to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of
8 efforts provided in this section.

9 6. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used by
10 the department to support urban soil and water conservation
11 efforts, which may include but are not limited to management
12 practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the use of
13 permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality restoration.
14 The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis as provided
15 in chapter 161A.

16 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the
17 contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in
18 subsection 1 to carry out the provisions of this section on a
19 cost-share basis in combination with other moneys available to
20 the department from a state or federal source.

21 8. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in
22 this section may be used to pay for the costs of administering
23 and implementing the water quality initiative by the
24 department's division of soil conservation and water quality as
25 provided in section 466B.42 and this section.

26 Sec. 21. REAP — IN LIEU OF GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION.

27 Notwithstanding the standing appropriation in section 455A.18,
28 there is appropriated from the environment first fund created
29 in section 8.57A to the Iowa resources enhancement and
30 protection fund, in lieu of the appropriation made in section
31 455A.18, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and
32 ending June 30, 2018, the following amount, to be allocated as
33 provided in section 455A.19:

34 \$ 12,000,000

35 DIVISION VII

1 ELIMINATION OF WATERSHED IMPROVEMENT REVIEW BOARD
2 SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR FY 2017-2018
3 RELATED STATUTORY CHANGES

4 Sec. 22. MANAGEMENT OF MONEYS IN THE WATERSHED IMPROVEMENT
5 FUND — APPROPRIATION.

6 1. Notwithstanding section 466A.2, and the repeal of
7 chapter 466A as provided in this division of this Act, on and
8 after December 31, 2017, the department of agriculture and land
9 stewardship shall manage the watershed improvement fund in the
10 same manner as required in 2016 Acts, chapter 1134, section
11 35, including by making necessary payments to satisfy any
12 outstanding obligations incurred by the watershed improvement
13 review board prior to December 31, 2017.

14 2. Any unobligated and unencumbered moneys remaining in
15 the watershed improvement fund on December 31, 2017, are
16 appropriated to the department for use by the department in
17 providing for soil and water conservation administration, the
18 conservation of soil and water resources, or the support of
19 soil and water conservation districts in the same manner as
20 provided in the section of this Act appropriating moneys to the
21 department from the environment first fund created in section
22 8.57A.

23 Sec. 23. Section 461.33, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code
24 2017, is amended to read as follows:

25 a. Soil conservation and watershed protection, including by
26 supporting the division of soil conservation and water quality
27 within the department of agriculture and land stewardship
28 and soil and water conservation district commissioners. The
29 department may provide for the installation of conservation
30 practices and watershed protection improvements as provided in
31 chapters 161A, 161C, 461A, and 466, ~~and 466A.~~

32 Sec. 24. REPEAL. Chapter 466A, Code 2017, is repealed.

33 Sec. 25. EFFECTIVE DATES.

34 1. The section of this division of this Act repealing
35 chapter 466A takes effect January 1, 2018.

1 2. The remainder of the provisions in this division take
2 effect July 1, 2017.

3 DIVISION VIII

4 IOWA RESOURCES ENHANCEMENT AND PROTECTION FUND

5 SPECIAL USE OF MONEYS FOR FY 2017-2018

6 Sec. 26. OPEN SPACES ACCOUNT — PARK MAINTENANCE AND
7 REPAIR. Notwithstanding section 455A.19, subsection 1,
8 paragraph "a", subparagraph (1), of the moneys allocated to
9 the open spaces account of the Iowa resources enhancement and
10 protection fund, \$288,000 shall be used by the department of
11 natural resources for state park maintenance and repair for
12 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending on June 30,
13 2018.

14 DIVISION IX

15 LIVESTOCK HEALTH SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR FY 2017-2018

16 GENERAL FUND — RELATED STATUTORY CHANGES

17 Sec. 27. FOREIGN ANIMAL DISEASES AFFLICTING LIVESTOCK —
18 APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated from the general fund of
19 the state to the department of agriculture and land stewardship
20 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30,
21 2018, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
22 to be used for the purposes designated:

23 1. For deposit in the foreign animal disease preparedness
24 and response fund created in section 163.3B as enacted in this
25 division of this Act:

26 \$ 100,000

27 2. In developing a foreign animal disease preparedness and
28 response strategy as required in section 163.3C as enacted in
29 this division of this Act, the department shall prepare an
30 interim report to be submitted to the joint appropriations
31 subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources not later
32 than January 10, 2018. The interim report shall include
33 preliminary findings and recommendations together with plans
34 for completing the strategy. The department shall prepare
35 a final report to be submitted to the joint appropriations

1 subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources not later
2 than January 10, 2019. The report shall include final
3 findings and recommendations for establishing the strategy,
4 and may include any proposed notice of intended action for
5 consideration by the department or proposed legislation for
6 consideration by the general assembly.

7 Sec. 28. NEW SECTION. 163.3B Foreign animal disease
8 preparedness and response fund.

9 1. A foreign animal disease preparedness and response
10 fund is created in the state treasury under the control and
11 management of the department.

12 2. The fund shall include moneys appropriated by the general
13 assembly credited to the fund. The fund may include other
14 moneys available to and obtained or accepted by the department
15 as provided in section 159.6A, including but not limited to the
16 federal government, other public sources, or private sources.

17 3. Moneys in the fund are appropriated to the department and
18 shall be used exclusively to develop, establish, and implement
19 a foreign animal disease preparedness and response strategy
20 as described in section 163.3C, and shall not require further
21 special authorization by the general assembly.

22 4. *a.* Notwithstanding section 12C.7, interest or earnings
23 on moneys in the fund shall be credited to the fund.

24 *b.* Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys credited to the fund
25 that remain unexpended or unobligated at the end of a fiscal
26 year shall not revert to any other fund.

27 Sec. 29. NEW SECTION. 163.3C Foreign animal disease
28 preparedness and response strategy.

29 1. As used in this section, unless the context otherwise
30 requires:

31 *a.* "*Foreign animal disease*" means a disease introduced into
32 this state that negatively affects the health of livestock
33 and is transmittable between the same or different species of
34 livestock.

35 *b.* "*Livestock*" means an animal belonging to the bovine,

1 caprine, equine, ovine, or porcine species, ostriches, rheas,
2 emus; farm deer as defined in section 170.1; or turkeys,
3 chickens, or other poultry.

4 2. The department shall develop and establish a foreign
5 animal disease preparedness and response strategy for use by
6 the department in order to prevent, control, or eradicate the
7 transmission of foreign animal diseases among populations
8 of livestock. The strategy may be part of the department's
9 veterinary emergency preparedness and response services
10 as provided in section 163.3A. The strategy shall provide
11 additional expertise and resources to increase biosecurity
12 efforts that assist in the prevention of a foreign animal
13 disease outbreak in this state. In developing and establishing
14 the strategy, the department shall consult with interested
15 persons including but not limited to the following:

16 a. The Iowa cattlemen's association.

17 b. The Iowa state dairy association.

18 c. The Iowa pork producers association.

19 d. The Iowa sheep producers industry association.

20 e. The Iowa turkey federation.

21 f. The Iowa poultry association.

22 g. The college of veterinary medicine at Iowa state
23 university.

24 h. The livestock health advisory council created in section
25 267.2.

26 3. The department shall implement the foreign animal
27 disease preparedness and response strategy if necessary
28 to prevent, control, or eradicate the transmission and
29 incidence of foreign animal diseases that may threaten or
30 actually threaten livestock in this state. In implementing
31 the strategy, the department may utilize emergency response
32 measures as otherwise required under section 163.3A. The
33 department may but is not required to consult with interested
34 persons when implementing the strategy.

35

DIVISION X

1 APPROPRIATION AND STATUTORY CHANGES — ELIMINATION
2 OF LEOPOLD CENTER FOR SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

3 Sec. 30. Section 266.39A, Code 2017, is amended to read as
4 follows:

5 **266.39A Agricultural research.**

6 Iowa state university of science and technology shall
7 conduct continuing agricultural research to provide information
8 about environmental and social impacts of agricultural research
9 on the small or family farm and information about population
10 trends and impact of the trends on Iowa agriculture, ~~in~~
11 ~~addition to research that may include the categories specified~~
12 ~~in section 266.39B, subsection 2.~~ The research shall include
13 an agricultural land tenure study conducted every five years to
14 determine the ownership of farmland, and to analyze ownership
15 trends, using the categories of land ownership defined in
16 chapter 9H. The study shall be conducted on the basis of
17 regions established by the university. A region shall be
18 composed of not more than twenty-three contiguous counties.

19 Sec. 31. Section 455E.11, subsection 2, paragraph b,
20 subparagraph (3), subparagraph division (a), Code 2017, is
21 amended to read as follows:

22 (a) Thirty-five percent is appropriated annually ~~for~~
23 ~~the Leopold center for sustainable agriculture at Iowa state~~
24 ~~university of science and technology~~ to the Iowa nutrient
25 research fund created in section 466B.46.

26 Sec. 32. Section 466B.46, subsection 2, Code 2017, is
27 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

28 NEW PARAGRAPH. *Ob.* Moneys appropriated from the agriculture
29 management account of the groundwater protection fund pursuant
30 to section 455E.11, subsection 2, paragraph "b", subparagraph
31 (3), subparagraph division (a).

32 Sec. 33. ONGOING ACTIVITIES AND EXPENSES.

33 1. Until July 1, 2017, the Leopold center for sustainable
34 agriculture established in section 266.39 shall not initiate
35 any new activity that otherwise could be conducted under

1 section 266.39 or 266.39B, including but not limited to
2 research grants and projects. The Leopold center for
3 sustainable agriculture shall not incur any obligation or
4 expense unless approved by the college of agriculture and life
5 sciences at Iowa state university of science and technology.
6 The Leopold center for sustainable agriculture shall cancel
7 any existing grant or project that is not in the process of
8 being immediately completed. However, the Leopold center
9 for sustainable agriculture shall not cancel a grant or
10 project that would result in a default of a legal or equitable
11 obligation, including breach of contract.

12 2. On and after July 1, 2017, the college of agriculture
13 and life sciences at Iowa state university of science and
14 technology shall administer any ongoing activity that the
15 Leopold center for sustainable agriculture had administered
16 under section 266.39 or 266.39B prior to that date. The
17 college may expend moneys appropriated from the Iowa nutrient
18 research fund created in section 466B.46 in order to pay for
19 any necessary expenses associated with the Leopold center
20 for sustainable agriculture and for completing any ongoing
21 activity. The college shall cancel any existing grant
22 or project that is not in the process of being completed.
23 However, the college shall not cancel a grant or project that
24 would result in a default of a legal or equitable obligation,
25 including breach of contract. The college shall submit a
26 report to the general assembly by January 10, 2018, which
27 shall include a summary of the ongoing activities and expenses
28 described in this section and the expected completion date of
29 those activities and expenses.

30 Sec. 34. REPEAL. Sections 266.39 and 266.39B, Code 2017,
31 are repealed.

32 Sec. 35. EFFECTIVE DATES.

33 1. The section of this division of this Act providing for
34 ongoing activities and expenses, being deemed of immediate
35 importance, takes effect upon enactment.

1 2. The remaining sections of this division of this Act,
2 including the section of this division of this Act repealing
3 sections 266.39 and 266.39B take effect on July 1, 2017.

4 DIVISION XI

5 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP

6 GENERAL APPROPRIATION FOR FY 2018-2019

7 Sec. 36. GENERAL FUND — DEPARTMENT.

8 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
9 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
10 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
11 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
12 used for the purposes designated:

13 For purposes of supporting the department, including its
14 divisions, for administration, regulation, and programs; for
15 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes; and
16 for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
17 \$ 8,820,288
18 FTEs 372.00

19 2. Of the amount appropriated in subsection 1, the following
20 amount is transferred to Iowa state university of science and
21 technology, to be used for the university's midwest grape and
22 wine industry institute:

23 \$ 144,000

24 3. The department shall submit a report each quarter of the
25 fiscal year to the legislative services agency, the department
26 of management, the members of the joint appropriations
27 subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources, and the
28 chairpersons and ranking members of the senate and house
29 committees on appropriations. The report shall describe in
30 detail the expenditure of moneys appropriated in this section
31 to support the department's administration, regulation, and
32 programs.

33 DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS

34 MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

35 Sec. 37. UNCLAIMED PARI-MUTUEL WAGERING WINNINGS —

1 HORSE AND DOG RACING. There is appropriated from the moneys
2 available under [section 99D.13](#) to the department of agriculture
3 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
4 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the following amount, or so
5 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
6 designated:

7 For purposes of supporting the department's administration
8 and enforcement of horse and dog racing law pursuant to section
9 99D.22, including for salaries, support, maintenance, and
10 miscellaneous purposes:

11 \$ 147,758

12 Sec. 38. RENEWABLE FUEL INFRASTRUCTURE FUND — MOTOR FUEL
13 INSPECTION.

14 1. There is appropriated from the renewable fuel
15 infrastructure fund created in [section 159A.16](#) to the
16 department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal
17 year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the
18 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
19 used for the purposes designated:

20 For purposes of the inspection of motor fuel, including
21 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:

22 \$ 250,000

23 2. The department shall establish and administer programs
24 for the auditing of motor fuel including biofuel processing
25 and production plants, for screening and testing motor fuel,
26 including renewable fuel, and for the inspection of motor fuel
27 sold by dealers including retail dealers who sell and dispense
28 motor fuel from motor fuel pumps.

29 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

30 GENERAL FUND

31 Sec. 39. DAIRY REGULATION.

32 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
33 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
34 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
35 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be

1 used for the purposes designated:

2 For purposes of performing functions pursuant to section
3 192.109, including conducting a survey of grade "A" milk and
4 certifying the results to the secretary of agriculture:

5 \$ 94,598

6 2. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in
7 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
8 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
9 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
10 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

11 Sec. 40. LOCAL FOOD AND FARM PROGRAM.

12 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
13 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
14 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
15 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
16 used for the purposes designated:

17 For purposes of supporting the local food and farm program
18 pursuant to [chapter 267A](#):

19 \$ 37,500

20 2. The department shall enter into a cost-sharing agreement
21 with Iowa state university of science and technology to support
22 the local food and farm program coordinator position as part of
23 the university's cooperative extension service in agriculture
24 and home economics pursuant to [chapter 267A](#).

25 3. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in
26 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
27 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
28 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
29 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

30 Sec. 41. AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION.

31 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
32 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
33 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
34 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
35 used for the purposes designated:

1 For purposes of allocating moneys to an Iowa association
2 affiliated with a national organization which promotes
3 agricultural education providing for future farmers:

4 \$ 12,500

5 2. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
6 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
7 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
8 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
9 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

10 Sec. 42. FARMERS WITH DISABILITIES PROGRAM.

11 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
12 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
13 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
14 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
15 used for the purposes designated:

16 For purposes of supporting a program for farmers with
17 disabilities:

18 \$ 65,000

19 2. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used for
20 the public purpose of providing a grant to a national nonprofit
21 organization with over 80 years of experience in assisting
22 children and adults with disabilities and special needs. The
23 moneys shall be used to support a nationally recognized program
24 that began in 1986 and has been replicated in at least 30 other
25 states, but which is not available through any other entity
26 in this state, and that provides assistance to farmers with
27 disabilities in all 99 counties to allow the farmers to remain
28 in their own homes and be gainfully engaged in farming through
29 provision of agricultural worksite and home modification
30 consultations, peer support services, services to families,
31 information and referral, and equipment loan services.

32 3. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
33 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
34 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
35 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the

1 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

2 DIVISION XII

3 GENERAL FUND

4 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP

5 WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE

6 APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2018-2019

7 Sec. 43. WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE — GENERAL.

8 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
9 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the
10 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
11 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
12 used for the purposes designated:

13 For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in
14 section 466B.45, for purposes of supporting the water quality
15 initiative administered by the division of soil conservation
16 and water quality as provided in [section 466B.42](#), including
17 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
18 \$ 1,500,000

19 2. a. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be
20 used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the
21 division that are part of high-priority watersheds identified
22 by the water resources coordinating council established
23 pursuant to [section 466B.3](#).

24 b. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to
25 support projects in watersheds generally, including regional
26 watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority
27 watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating
28 council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

29 3. In supporting projects in subwatersheds and watersheds
30 as provided in subsection 2, all of the following shall apply:

31 a. The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality
32 practices as described in the latest revision of the document
33 entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented
34 in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land
35 stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa

1 state university of science and technology.

2 b. The division shall implement demonstration projects as
3 provided in paragraph "a" by providing for participation by
4 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used in
5 farming. To every extent practical, the division shall provide
6 for collaborative participation by such persons who hold a
7 legal interest in agricultural land located within the same
8 subwatershed.

9 c. The division shall implement a demonstration project on
10 a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However,
11 except for edge-of-field practices, the state's share of the
12 amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of
13 establishing the practice as determined by the division or
14 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing the practice,
15 whichever is less.

16 d. The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other
17 persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar
18 water quality practices. The division shall promote field day
19 events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish
20 water quality practices on their agricultural land.

21 e. The division shall conduct water quality evaluations
22 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period
23 after accumulating information from such evaluations, the
24 division shall create an aggregated database of water quality
25 practices. Any information identifying a person holding a
26 legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural
27 land shall be a confidential record under [section 22.7](#).

28 4. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used
29 to support education and outreach in a manner that encourages
30 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used for
31 farming to implement water quality practices, including the
32 establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and
33 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

34 5. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used
35 to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of

1 efforts provided in this section.

2 6. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used by
3 the department to support urban soil and water conservation
4 efforts, which may include but are not limited to management
5 practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the use of
6 permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality restoration.
7 The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis as provided
8 in chapter 161A.

9 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the
10 contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in
11 subsection 1 to carry out the provisions of this section on a
12 cost-share basis in combination with other moneys available to
13 the department from a state or federal source.

14 8. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in
15 this section may be used to pay for the costs of administering
16 and implementing the water quality initiative by the
17 department's division of soil conservation and water quality as
18 provided in section 466B.42 and this section.

19 DIVISION XIII

20 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

21 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2018-2019

22 Sec. 44. GENERAL FUND — DEPARTMENT.

23 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
24 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year
25 beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the following
26 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
27 purposes designated:

28 For purposes of supporting the department, including its
29 divisions, for administration, regulation, and programs; for
30 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes; and
31 for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
32 \$ 5,649,905.50
33 FTEs 1,145.95

34 2. Of the number of full-time equivalent positions
35 authorized to the department pursuant to subsection 1, 50

1 full-time equivalent positions shall be allocated by the
2 department for seasonal employees for purposes of providing
3 maintenance, upkeep, and sanitary services at state parks.
4 This subsection shall not impact park ranger or park manager
5 positions within the department.

6 3. The department shall submit a report each quarter of the
7 fiscal year to the legislative services agency, the department
8 of management, the members of the joint appropriations
9 subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources, and the
10 chairpersons and ranking members of the senate and house
11 committees on appropriations. The report shall describe in
12 detail the expenditure of moneys appropriated under this
13 section to support the department's administration, regulation,
14 and programs.

15 Sec. 45. STATE FISH AND GAME PROTECTION FUND — REGULATION
16 AND ADVANCEMENT OF OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES.

17 1. There is appropriated from the state fish and game
18 protection fund to the department of natural resources for the
19 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
20 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
21 used for the purposes designated:

22 For purposes of supporting the regulation or advancement of
23 hunting, fishing, or trapping, or the protection, propagation,
24 restoration, management, or harvest of fish or wildlife,
25 including for administration, regulation, law enforcement, and
26 programs; and for salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
27 and miscellaneous purposes:

28 \$ 21,573,996.50

29 2. Notwithstanding [section 455A.10](#), the department may use
30 the unappropriated balance remaining in the state fish and game
31 protection fund to provide for the funding of health and life
32 insurance premium payments from unused sick leave balances of
33 conservation peace officers employed in a protection occupation
34 who retire, pursuant to [section 97B.49B](#).

35 3. Notwithstanding [section 455A.10](#), the department of

1 natural resources may use the unappropriated balance remaining
2 in the state fish and game protection fund for the fiscal
3 year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, as is
4 necessary to fund salary adjustments for departmental employees
5 for which the general assembly has made an operating budget
6 appropriation in subsection 1.

7 Sec. 46. GROUNDWATER PROTECTION FUND — WATER
8 QUALITY. There is appropriated from the groundwater protection
9 fund created in [section 455E.11](#) to the department of natural
10 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018,
11 and ending June 30, 2019, from those moneys which are not
12 allocated pursuant to that section, the following amount, or
13 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
14 designated:

15 For purposes of supporting the department’s protection
16 of the state’s groundwater, including for administration,
17 regulation, and programs, and for salaries, support,
18 maintenance, equipment, and miscellaneous purposes:
19 \$ 1,727,916

20 DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS

21 MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

22 Sec. 47. SPECIAL SNOWMOBILE FUND — SNOWMOBILE
23 PROGRAM. There is appropriated from the special snowmobile
24 fund created under [section 321G.7](#) to the department of natural
25 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and
26 ending June 30, 2019, the following amount, or so much thereof
27 as is necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

28 For purposes of administering and enforcing the state
29 snowmobile programs:
30 \$ 50,000

31 Sec. 48. UNASSIGNED REVENUE FUND — UNDERGROUND STORAGE
32 TANKS SECTION EXPENSES. There is appropriated from the
33 unassigned revenue fund administered by the Iowa comprehensive
34 petroleum underground storage tank fund board established
35 pursuant to section 455G.4 to the department of natural

1 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and
2 ending June 30, 2019, the following amount, or so much thereof
3 as is necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

4 For purposes of paying for administration expenses of the
5 department's underground storage tanks section:

6 \$ 100,000

7 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

8 GENERAL FUND

9 Sec. 49. FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT AND DAM SAFETY.

10 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
11 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year
12 beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the following
13 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
14 purpose designated:

15 For purposes of supporting floodplain management and dam
16 safety:

17 \$ 942,500

18 2. Of the amount appropriated in subsection 1, up to
19 \$200,000 may be used by the department to acquire or install
20 stream gages for purposes of tracking and predicting flood
21 events and for compiling necessary data to improve flood
22 frequency analysis.

23 3. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in
24 subsection 1 that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
25 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
26 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
27 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

28 Sec. 50. FORESTRY HEALTH MANAGEMENT.

29 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
30 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year
31 beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the following
32 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
33 purposes designated:

34 For purposes of providing for forestry health management
35 programs:

1 \$ 250,000

2 2. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
3 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
4 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
5 available to be used for the purposes designated until the
6 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

7 DIVISION XIV

8 IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

9 SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2018-2019

10 VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY

11 Sec. 51. VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

12 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
13 to Iowa state university of science and technology for the
14 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019,
15 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
16 used for the purposes designated:

17 For purposes of supporting the college of veterinary
18 medicine for the operation of the veterinary diagnostic
19 laboratory and for not more than the following full-time
20 equivalent positions:

21 \$ 2,000,000

22 FTEs 51.00

23 2. a. Iowa state university of science and technology
24 shall not reduce the amount that it allocates to support the
25 college of veterinary medicine from any other source due to the
26 appropriation made in this section.

27 b. Paragraph "a" does not apply to a reduction made to
28 support the college of veterinary medicine, if the same
29 percentage of reduction imposed on the college of veterinary
30 medicine is also imposed on all of Iowa state university of
31 science and technology's budget units.

32 3. If by June 30, 2019, Iowa state university of science and
33 technology fails to allocate the moneys appropriated in this
34 section to the college of veterinary medicine in accordance
35 with this section, the moneys appropriated in this section for

1 that fiscal year shall revert to the general fund of the state.

2 DIVISION XV

3 ENVIRONMENT FIRST FUND

4 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2018-2019

5 Sec. 52. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND

6 STEWARDSHIP. There is appropriated from the environment first
7 fund created in section 8.57A to the department of agriculture
8 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
9 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the following amounts, or so
10 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
11 designated:

12 1. CONSERVATION RESERVE ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM (CREP)

13 a. For the conservation reserve enhancement program to
14 restore and construct wetlands for the purposes of intercepting
15 tile line runoff, reducing nutrient loss, improving water
16 quality, and enhancing agricultural production practices:
17 \$ 500,000

18 b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated
19 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and
20 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

21 c. Notwithstanding any other provision in law, the
22 department may use moneys appropriated in this subsection,
23 in combination with other appropriate environment first
24 fund appropriations, for cost sharing to match United States
25 department of agriculture, natural resources conservation
26 service, wetlands reserve enhancement program (WREP) funding
27 available to Iowa.

28 2. WATERSHED PROTECTION

29 a. For continuation of a program that provides
30 multiobjective resource protections for flood control, water
31 quality, erosion control, and natural resource conservation:
32 \$ 450,000

33 b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated
34 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and
35 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

1 3. FARM MANAGEMENT DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM

2 a. For continuation of a statewide voluntary farm
3 management demonstration program to demonstrate the
4 effectiveness and adaptability of emerging practices in
5 agronomy that protect water resources and provide other
6 environmental benefits:

7 \$ 187,500

8 b. The amount appropriated in paragraph "a" shall be
9 allocated to an organization representing soybean growers to
10 provide for an agriculture and environment performance program.

11 4. SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION — ADMINISTRATION

12 a. For use by the department for costs of administration and
13 implementation of soil and water conservation practices:

14 \$ 1,900,000

15 b. Of the moneys appropriated in paragraph "a", \$75,000
16 is allocated to support field staff providing technical
17 assistance.

18 5. CONSERVATION RESERVE PROGRAM (CRP)

19 a. To encourage and assist farmers in enrolling in and the
20 implementation of the federal conservation reserve program and
21 to work with them to enhance their revegetation efforts to
22 improve water quality and habitat:

23 \$ 450,000

24 b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated
25 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and
26 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

27 6. SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION

28 a. For use by the department in providing for soil and water
29 conservation:

30 \$ 4,162,500

31 b. (1) Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "a", for
32 transfer to the hungry canyons account of the loess hills
33 development and conservation fund created in section 161D.2:

34 \$ 225,000

35 (2) Of the amount transferred to the hungry canyons account

1 pursuant to subparagraph (1), not more than 10 percent of the
2 moneys may be used for administrative costs.

3 c. Of the remaining amount appropriated in paragraph "a",
4 for use by the department in providing for soil and water
5 conservation administration, the conservation of soil and
6 water resources, or the support of soil and water conservation
7 districts:

8 \$ 3,937,500

9 d. Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "c" that the
10 department allocates to a soil and water conservation district,
11 the first \$7,500 may be expended by the district for the
12 purpose of providing financial incentives under section 161A.73
13 to establish management practices for the control of soil
14 erosion on land that is row-cropped, including but not limited
15 to nontill planting, ridge-till planting, and contouring
16 strip-cropping. Of any remaining amount of that appropriation
17 allocated by the department to a district, 30 percent may be
18 expended by the district for that same purpose.

19 e. Not more than 5 percent of the moneys appropriated in
20 paragraph "c" may be allocated for cost sharing to address
21 complaints filed under [section 161A.47](#).

22 f. Of the moneys appropriated in paragraph "c", 5 percent
23 shall be allocated for financial incentives to establish
24 practices to protect watersheds above publicly owned lakes of
25 the state from soil erosion and sediment as provided in section
26 161A.73.

27 g. The state soil conservation committee established by
28 section 161A.4 may allocate moneys appropriated in paragraph
29 "c" to conduct research and demonstration projects to promote
30 conservation tillage and nonpoint source pollution control
31 practices.

32 h. The allocation of moneys as financial incentives as
33 provided in [section 161A.73](#) may be used in combination with
34 moneys allocated by the department of natural resources.

35 i. Not more than 15 percent of the moneys appropriated

1 in paragraph "c" may be used for costs of administration and
2 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

3 Sec. 53. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES. There is
4 appropriated from the environment first fund created in section
5 8.57A to the department of natural resources for the fiscal
6 year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the
7 following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
8 used for the purposes designated:

9 1. STATE PARKS MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS

10 a. For regular maintenance and operations of state parks and
11 staff time associated with these activities:

12 \$ 3,117,500

13 b. Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "a", up to
14 \$50,000 shall be allocated for statewide coordination of
15 volunteer efforts under the water quality and keepers of the
16 land programs.

17 2. GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (GIS)

18 To provide local watershed managers with geographic
19 information system data for their use in developing,
20 monitoring, and displaying results of their watershed work:

21 \$ 97,500

22 3. WATER QUALITY MONITORING

23 For continuing the establishment and operation of water
24 quality monitoring stations:

25 \$ 1,477,500

26 4. PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM ACCOUNT

27 For deposit in the public water supply system account of the
28 water quality protection fund created in [section 455B.183A](#):

29 \$ 250,000

30 5. REGULATION OF ANIMAL FEEDING OPERATIONS

31 For the regulation of animal feeding operations, including
32 as provided for in [chapters 459 through 459B](#):

33 \$ 660,000

34 6. AMBIENT AIR QUALITY

35 For the abatement, control, and prevention of ambient

1 air pollution in this state, including measures as necessary
2 to assure attainment and maintenance of ambient air quality
3 standards from particulate matter:

4 \$ 212,500

5 7. WATER QUANTITY REGULATION

6 For regulating water quantity from surface and subsurface
7 sources by providing for the allocation and use of water
8 resources, the protection and management of water resources,
9 and the preclusion of conflicts among users of water resources,
10 including as provided in chapter 455B, division III, part 4:

11 \$ 247,500

12 8. GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEY

13 For continuing the operations of the department's geological
14 and water survey including but not limited to providing
15 analysis, data collection, investigative programs, and
16 information for water supply development and protection:

17 \$ 100,000

18 Sec. 54. REVERSION.

19 1. a. Except as provided in paragraph "b", and
20 notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated for the
21 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, in this division of this
22 Act that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the
23 fiscal year shall not revert but instead shall remain available
24 to be used for the purposes designated until the close of the
25 succeeding fiscal year, or until the project for which the
26 appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.

27 b. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated for
28 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, in this division of
29 this Act to the department of agriculture and land stewardship
30 to provide financial assistance for the establishment of
31 permanent soil and water conservation practices that remain
32 unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year
33 shall not revert but instead shall remain available for
34 expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of the
35 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021.

1 2. Subsection 1 does not apply to moneys transferred
2 pursuant to this division to the hungry canyons account of
3 the loess hills development and conservation fund created in
4 section 161D.2 which shall not revert as provided in that
5 section.

6 DIVISION XVI

7 ENVIRONMENT FIRST FUND

8 SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR FY 2018-2019

9 Sec. 55. WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE — DEPARTMENT OF
10 AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP.

11 1. There is appropriated from the environment first fund
12 created in section 8.57A to the department of agriculture
13 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
14 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, the following amount, or so
15 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
16 designated:

17 For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in
18 section 466B.45, for purposes of supporting the water quality
19 initiative administered by the division of soil conservation
20 and water quality as provided in [section 466B.42](#), including
21 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
22 \$ 1,187,500

23 2. a. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be
24 used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the
25 division that are part of high-priority watersheds identified
26 by the water resources coordinating council established
27 pursuant to [section 466B.3](#).

28 b. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to
29 support projects in watersheds generally, including regional
30 watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority
31 watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating
32 council established pursuant to [section 466B.3](#).

33 3. In supporting projects in subwatersheds and watersheds
34 as provided in subsection 2, all of the following shall apply:

35 a. The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality

1 practices as described in the latest revision of the document
2 entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented
3 in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land
4 stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa
5 state university of science and technology.

6 b. The division shall implement demonstration projects as
7 provided in paragraph "a" by providing for participation by
8 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used in
9 farming. To every extent practical, the division shall provide
10 for collaborative participation by such persons who hold a
11 legal interest in agricultural land located within the same
12 subwatershed.

13 c. The division shall implement a demonstration project on
14 a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However,
15 except for edge-of-field practices, the state's share of the
16 amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of
17 establishing the practice as determined by the division or
18 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing the practice,
19 whichever is less.

20 d. The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other
21 persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar
22 water quality practices. The division shall promote field day
23 events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish
24 water quality practices on their agricultural land.

25 e. The division shall conduct water quality evaluations
26 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period
27 after accumulating information from such evaluations, the
28 division shall create an aggregated database of water quality
29 practices. Any information identifying a person holding a
30 legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural
31 land shall be a confidential record under [section 22.7](#).

32 4. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used
33 to support education and outreach in a manner that encourages
34 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used for
35 farming to implement water quality practices, including the

1 establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and
2 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

3 5. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used
4 to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of
5 efforts provided in this section.

6 6. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used by
7 the department to support urban soil and water conservation
8 efforts, which may include but are not limited to management
9 practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the use of
10 permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality restoration.
11 The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis as provided
12 in chapter 161A.

13 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the
14 contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in
15 subsection 1 to carry out the provisions of this section on a
16 cost-share basis in combination with other moneys available to
17 the department from a state or federal source.

18 8. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in
19 this section may be used to pay for the costs of administering
20 and implementing the water quality initiative by the
21 department's division of soil conservation and water quality as
22 provided in section 466B.42 and this section.

23

EXPLANATION

24 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
25 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

26 GENERAL. This bill relates to agriculture and natural
27 resources by making appropriations for the fiscal years
28 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 to support related entities, including
29 the department of agriculture and land stewardship (DALs),
30 the department of natural resources (DNR), and Iowa state
31 university (ISU).

32 The bill primarily appropriates moneys to DALs and DNR.
33 The appropriations are made to support those departments for
34 administration, regulation, and support of programs. The bill
35 requires the departments to submit quarterly reports to the

1 general assembly and department of management regarding the
 2 expenditure of appropriated moneys. The bill also provides
 3 moneys to support specific programs or projects administered by
 4 those departments. The bill appropriates moneys from a number
 5 of sources, including the general fund of the state (general
 6 fund), the state fish and game protection fund, the groundwater
 7 protection fund (Code section 455E.11), and the environment
 8 first fund (EFF) (Code section 8.57A). Special appropriations
 9 are made from the open spaces account of the Iowa resources
 10 enhancement and protection fund (REAP) (Code sections 455A.18
 11 and 455A.19). Appropriations are made from a number of sources
 12 to support the water quality initiative (WQI) (Code chapter
 13 466B). The bill is organized into divisions.

14 DALS — GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2017-2018. The
 15 bill appropriates moneys to DALS from the general fund for FY
 16 2017-2018 in order to support its administrative divisions,
 17 including consumer protection and industry services, soil
 18 conservation, and food safety and animal health. Moneys are
 19 transferred to ISU to support its midwest grape and wine
 20 institute.

21 DALS — MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS — DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS
 22 — FY 2017-2018. The bill appropriates moneys from several
 23 sources for FY 2017-2018 to support a number of designated
 24 purposes, including moneys derived from unclaimed winnings from
 25 horse and dog races, for administration and enforcement of
 26 racing regulations (Code section 99D.22); and moneys credited
 27 to the renewable fuel infrastructure fund (Code section
 28 159A.16), for purposes of motor fuel inspection and auditing
 29 biofuel processing and production (Code chapter 214A).

30 DALS — SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2017-2018.
 31 The bill also makes special appropriations from the general
 32 fund for FY 2017-2018 to DALS in order to support specific
 33 purposes including milk inspection (Code section 192.109),
 34 the local food and farm program (Code chapter 267A), an
 35 agricultural education organization, and assistance to farmers

1 with disabilities.

2 DALS — GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — WQI — FY 2017-2018.

3 The bill appropriates moneys from the general fund for FY
4 2017-2018 to DALS for deposit in the water quality initiative
5 fund (Code section 466B.45), to support the WQI including
6 high-priority watershed projects.

7 DNR — GENERAL FUND AND OTHER MAJOR FUNDS APPROPRIATIONS
8 — FY 2017-2018. The bill makes appropriations from a number
9 of funds for FY 2017-2018 to DNR in order to support its
10 administrative divisions involving natural resources and
11 environmental protection from the general fund, the state fish
12 and game protection fund, and the groundwater protection fund.

13 DNR — MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS — DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS —
14 FY 2017-2018. The bill appropriates moneys for FY 2017-2018 to
15 DNR from a number of sources to support designated purposes,
16 including moneys deposited in the special snowmobile fund
17 (Code section 321G.7) to provide for administering and
18 enforcing the state snowmobile programs; and moneys deposited
19 in the unassigned revenue fund for purposes of paying for
20 administration of DNR's underground storage tanks section.

21 DNR — SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2017-2018.
22 The bill also makes special appropriations from the general
23 fund for FY 2017-2018 to DNR in order to support specific
24 purposes including floodplain management and dam safety and
25 forestry health management programs.

26 ISU — SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2017-2018.
27 The bill appropriates moneys from the general fund for FY
28 2017-2018 to ISU to support the operation of its veterinary
29 diagnostic laboratory.

30 DALS AND DNR — EFF — GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS — FY
31 2017-2018. The bill appropriates moneys from the EFF for FY
32 2017-2018 to support a number of programs administered by DALS
33 and DNR. For DALS, the moneys are appropriated to support
34 programs involving soil conservation, watershed protection
35 and nutrient management, and the loess hills development and

1 conservation fund (Code section 161D.2). For DNR, moneys
2 are appropriated to support programs involving state parks,
3 geographic information systems, water quality monitoring,
4 public water supplies, regulation of animal feeding operations,
5 air quality, water quality regulation, and the geological and
6 water survey. The bill includes provisions that delay the
7 reversion of these moneys. The reversion of the appropriated
8 moneys is delayed.

9 EFF — SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR WQI AND REAP — FY
10 2018-2019. The bill appropriates moneys from the EFF for FY
11 2017-2018 to the water quality initiative fund subject to the
12 same conditions applicable to moneys appropriated to the fund
13 from the general fund. Moneys are appropriated to support REAP
14 from the EFF in lieu of the general fund.

15 DALs — WATERSHED IMPROVEMENT FUND — ADMINISTRATION
16 AND RELATED STATUTORY CHANGES TO ELIMINATE THE WATERSHED
17 IMPROVEMENT REVIEW BOARD. The bill eliminates powers, duties,
18 and funding for the watershed improvement review board. DALs
19 is required to manage the watershed improvement fund and make
20 necessary payments to satisfy outstanding obligations incurred
21 by the board prior to December 31, 2017. Any unobligated and
22 unencumbered moneys remaining in the fund are appropriated to
23 DALs to support soil conservation efforts.

24 DNR — OPEN SPACES ACCOUNT OF REAP — PARK MAINTENANCE AND
25 REPAIR — FY 2017-2018. A portion of moneys allocated to
26 REAP's open spaces account are to be used by DNR for state park
27 maintenance and repair.

28 DALs — GENERAL FUND — LIVESTOCK HEALTH AND RELATED
29 STATUTORY CHANGES — FY 2017-2018. The bill appropriates
30 moneys from the general fund for FY 2017-2018 to DALs for
31 purposes of developing a foreign animal disease preparedness
32 and response strategy and for the possible implementation of
33 that strategy. The bill makes a number of statutory changes
34 including the establishment of a foreign animal disease
35 preparedness and response fund.

1 ISU — ELIMINATION OF LEOPOLD CENTER FOR SUSTAINABLE
2 AGRICULTURE FY 2017-2018. The bill eliminates ISU's Leopold
3 center for sustainable agriculture. ISU's college of
4 agriculture and life sciences is to oversee the process
5 of winding up the center's affairs. Remaining moneys are
6 appropriated to the Iowa nutrient research fund (Code section
7 466B.46) administered by ISU. The bill appropriates the annual
8 standing limited appropriation from the groundwater protection
9 fund used to support the center for deposit in the Iowa
10 nutrient research fund.

11 DALs — GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2018-2019. For
12 DALs, the bill appropriates moneys from the general fund for
13 FY 2018-2019 in order to support its administrative divisions,
14 including consumer protection and industry services, soil
15 conservation, and food safety and animal health. Moneys are
16 transferred to ISU to support its midwest grape and wine
17 institute.

18 DALs — MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS — DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS
19 — FY 2018-2019. The bill appropriates moneys to DALs from
20 several sources for FY 2018-2019 in order to support a number
21 of designated purposes, including moneys derived from unclaimed
22 winnings from horse and dog races, for administration and
23 enforcement of racing regulations; and moneys credited to the
24 renewable fuel infrastructure fund for purposes of motor fuel
25 inspection and auditing biofuel processing and production.

26 DALs — SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2018-2019.
27 The bill makes special appropriations from the general fund
28 for FY 2018-2019 to DALs in order to support specific purposes
29 including milk inspection, the local food and farm program, an
30 agricultural education organization, and assistance to farmers
31 with disabilities.

32 DALs — GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — WQI — FY 2018-2019.
33 The bill appropriates moneys from the general fund for FY
34 2018-2019 to DALs for deposit in the water quality initiative
35 fund to support the WQI, including high-priority watershed

1 projects.

2 DNR — GENERAL FUND AND OTHER MAJOR FUNDS APPROPRIATIONS
3 — FY 2018-2019. The bill makes appropriations from a number
4 of funds for FY 2018-2019 to DNR in order to support its
5 administrative divisions involving natural resources and
6 environmental protection from the general fund, the state fish
7 and game protection fund, and the groundwater protection fund.

8 DNR — MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS — DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS —
9 FY 2018-2019. The bill appropriates moneys for FY 2018-2019 to
10 DNR from a number of sources to support designated purposes,
11 including moneys deposited in the special snowmobile fund to
12 provide for administering and enforcing the state snowmobile
13 programs; and moneys deposited in the unassigned revenue fund
14 for purposes of paying for administration of DNR's underground
15 storage tanks section.

16 DNR — SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2018-2019.
17 The bill also makes special appropriations from the general
18 fund for FY 2018-2019 to DNR in order to support specific
19 purposes including floodplain management and dam safety and
20 forestry health management programs.

21 ISU — SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2018-2019.
22 The bill appropriates moneys from the general fund for FY
23 2018-2019 to ISU to support the operation of its veterinary
24 diagnostic laboratory.

25 DALs AND DNR — EFF GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS — FY 2018-2019.
26 The bill appropriates moneys from the EFF for FY 2018-2019 to
27 support a number of programs administered by DALs and DNR.
28 For DALs, the moneys are appropriated to support programs
29 involving soil conservation, watershed protection and nutrient
30 management, and the loess hills development and conservation
31 fund; and for DNR, moneys are appropriated to support programs
32 involving state parks, geographic information systems, water
33 quality monitoring, public water supplies, regulation of animal
34 feeding operations, air quality, water quality regulation, and
35 the geological and water survey.

S.F. 510

1 DALS — EFF SPECIAL WQI APPROPRIATION — FY 2018-2019.
2 Additional moneys are appropriated to the water quality
3 initiative fund to support WQI efforts, subject to the same
4 conditions applicable to moneys appropriated to that fund from
5 the general fund.