

House File 511 - Introduced

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(COMPANION TO SF 227 BY
CHAPMAN)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for a monument to Martin Treptow on the
2 capitol complex grounds.

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

1 Section 1. MARTIN TREPTOW — CAPITOL COMPLEX MONUMENT.

2 1. The department of administrative services, in
3 consultation with the capitol planning commission, shall
4 authorize the placement of a monument to Martin Treptow on the
5 capitol complex grounds subject to the requirements of this
6 section.

7 2. The department of administrative services shall
8 solicit and approve an application for the construction of a
9 monument to Martin Treptow as an Iowa state capitol complex
10 site feature. An application for the construction of the
11 monument shall specify the design concept for the monument,
12 provide an estimated total cost for the site feature, identify
13 planned sources of funding, provide a proposed timeline for the
14 project, and such other information as the department requires.
15 Each proposed design concept shall include a plate, engraving,
16 or other method by which the poem "My Pledge" by Martin Treptow
17 shall appear on the monument. If more than one application is
18 submitted, the department, in consultation with the capitol
19 planning commission, shall approve the application that can
20 best meet the requirements for construction and maintenance of
21 the site feature.

22 EXPLANATION

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

25 This bill requires the department of administrative
26 services, in consultation with the capitol planning commission,
27 to authorize the placement of a monument to Martin Treptow on
28 the capitol complex grounds. The bill requires the department
29 to solicit and approve an application for the monument, which
30 shall include the poem "My Pledge" by Martin Treptow. If
31 more than one application is submitted, the department, in
32 consultation with the capitol planning commission, shall
33 approve the application that can best meet the requirements for
34 construction and maintenance of the monument.