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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 2941

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to natural resources; appropriating money for wildlife management
1.3 area and aquatic management area acquisition, development, and improvement;
1.4 authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. WMA/AMA ACQUISITION, DEVELOPMENT, AND
1.7 IMPROVEMENT; APPROPRIATION.

1.8 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$20,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds
1.9 fund to the commissioner of natural resources for wildlife management area and aquatic
1.10 management area acquisition, development, and improvement. This appropriation
1.11 includes money to implement the 2015 Minnesota Pheasant Summit Action Plan, to
1.12 increase and improve habitat for pheasants and opportunities for hunting.

1.13 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the
1.14 bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue
1.15 bonds of the state in an amount up to \$20,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with
1.16 the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the
1.17 Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

1.18 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.