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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for projects around the
1.3 Phalen Chain of Lakes; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

1.5 Section 1. **APPROPRIATION.**

1.6 \$900,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds fund to the Metropolitan Council
1.7 for a grant to Ramsey County for capital improvement projects around the Phalen Chain
1.8 of Lakes in Ramsey County. \$..... of this appropriation is to dredge both sides of the
1.9 channel between Kohlman Lake and Lake Gervais and to construct a fishing platform on
1.10 each side of the bridge. \$..... of this appropriation is for dredging, shoreline restoration,
1.11 and improvements to restore water quality of the creek running between Keller Lake and
1.12 Lake Phalen.

1.13 Sec. 2. **BOND SALE.**

1.14 To provide the money appropriated in section 1 from the bond proceeds fund,
1.15 the commissioner of finance shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to
1.16 \$900,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota
1.17 Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI,
1.18 sections 4 to 7.

1.19 Sec. 3. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

1.20 Sections 1 and 2 are effective the day following final enactment.