

HOUSE BILL NO. 8
INTRODUCED BY CONNELLY

IN THE HOUSE

DECEMBER 27, 1990 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
 ON APPROPRIATIONS.

JANUARY 7, 1991 FIRST READING.

MARCH 22, 1991 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL
 DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.

MARCH 23, 1991 PRINTING REPORT.

MARCH 27, 1991 SECOND READING, DO PASS AS AMENDED.

MARCH 28, 1991 ENGROSSING REPORT.

 THIRD READING, PASSED.
 AYES, 93; NOES, 4.

 TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.

IN THE SENATE

MARCH 28, 1991 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
 ON FINANCE & CLAIMS.

 FIRST READING.

APRIL 10, 1991 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE
 CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.

APRIL 11, 1991 SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN AS
 AMENDED.

APRIL 12, 1991 THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN.
 AYES, 49; NOES, 0.

 RETURNED TO HOUSE WITH AMENDMENTS.

IN THE HOUSE

APRIL 15, 1991 RECEIVED FROM SENATE.

 SECOND READING, AMENDMENTS
 CONCURRED IN.

APRIL 16, 1991 THIRD READING, AMENDMENTS

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SENATE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AMENDMENT

April 11, 1991 11:44 am

Mr. Chairman: I move to amend House Bill No. 8 (third reading copy -- blue) as follows:

1. Page 7.

Following: line 5

Insert: "NEW SECTION. Section 6. Reauthorization of grants.

The 50th Legislature, in house bill 6, laws of 1987, approved a grant from the reclamation and development grant account to the department of state lands for \$107,000 for Upper Blackfoot Streambank Reclamation. The 51st Legislature determined that additional funds were required for this project and, in house bill 776, laws of 1989, approved a grant from the reclamation and development grant account to the Lewis and Clark County Conservation District for \$300,000 for Blackfoot River Abandoned Mines. The engineering work for these projects has been completed and the reclamation is to begin during the summer of 1991. Because it has since been determined that there may be legal constraints on the use of this money by the department of state lands due to the existence of a potential responsible party, the two grants for \$407,000 for the above described projects are hereby transferred to department of health and environmental sciences. The department shall initiate cleanup, as authorized in the approved projects, under its existing legal authority and seek cost recovery from the responsible party."

Renumber: subsequent sections

ADOPT

REJECT

Signed: Ethel M. Harding
Senator Harding

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HOUSE BILL NO. 8
INTRODUCED BY CONNELLY

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT APPROPRIATING MONEY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR DESIGNATED PROJECTS UNDER THE RECLAMATION AND DEVELOPMENT GRANTS PROGRAM; PRIORITIZING GRANTS AND AMOUNTS; REAUTHORIZING CERTAIN PREVIOUS GRANTS; AND ESTABLISHING CONDITIONS FOR GRANTS."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Appropriations for reclamation and development grants. (1) There is appropriated to the department of natural resources and conservation from the reclamation and development grants special revenue account all funds allocated for appropriation from the interest income of the resource indemnity trust fund set forth in Title 15, chapter 38, with the exception of those allocations made in 15-38-202 and 75-1-1101.

(2) The funds appropriated in this section must be awarded by the department to the entities listed in [section 2] for the prescribed purposes and in the prescribed grant amounts, subject to the conditions provided in [sections 3 and 4].

NEW SECTION. Section 2. Approved grant projects. (1) The legislature approves the grants listed in subsection (2)(a), to be made in the order of priority as indicated within the following

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list of projects and activities. If conditions in [sections 3 and 4] are met, funds must be awarded up to the amounts approved in this section in order of priority until available funds are expended. Funds not accepted or used by higher ranked projects and activities must be provided for projects and activities lower on the priority list that would otherwise not receive funding. Descriptions of the various projects and activities and specific conditions established for each project and activity are contained within the department of natural resources and conservation's Montana reclamation and development grants program project evaluations and recommendations report for the 1992-93 biennium.

(2) The following are the grants program prioritized projects and activities:

<u>Applicant/Project</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>
BUTTE-SILVER BOW, GOVERNMENT OF Water, Air, Soils Testing and Evaluation Center (WASTECC)	\$296,113
CHINOOK IRRIGATION DISTRICT Milk River Water Supply Project, Rehabilitation and Betterment Element	300,000
JUDITH BASIN CONSERVATION DISTRICT Community-Led Rural Development in Montana	170,000
HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, DEPARTMENT OF, AND CENTRAL MONTANA HEALTH DISTRICT Arro Refinery Sludge Cleanup	300,000
MONTANA BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION	

52nd Legislature	HB 0008/04
1 Abandoned Well Plugging Project "A"	300,000
2 MONTANA BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION	
3 Abandoned Well Plugging Project "B"	295,000
4 MONTANA STATE LIBRARY	
5 Natural Resource Information System	
6 Program, Emphasis on the Natural Heritage	
7 Program and GIS	227,600
8 MONTANA SALINITY CONTROL ASSOCIATION	
9 Soil and Water Nonpoint Source Pollution	
10 Control and Management	137,500
11 MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY, RECLAMATION	
12 RESEARCH UNIT	
13 Effect of Sodium, Chlorine, and Total Salts	
14 from Treated Cyanide Solutions on Soils	82,885
15 CARBON COUNTY, STILLWATER COUNTY, AND THE CITY	
16 OF BIG TIMBER	
17 Integrated Waste Management in Southcentral	
18 Montana	45,437
19 HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, DEPARTMENT	
20 OF, WATER QUALITY BUREAU	
21 Nonpoint Pollution Control Project in	
22 Montana	146,620
23 MONTANA BUREAU OF MINES AND GEOLOGY	
24 Downhole Geophysical Logging Techniques	39,749
25 MONTANA BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION	
26 Abandoned Well Plugging Project "C"	144,000

52nd Legislature	HB 0008/04
1 TOOLE COUNTY	
2 North Toole County Reclamation Project	105,000
3 CARBON COUNTY, CHOUTEAU COUNTY, CUSTER COUNTY,	
4 DAWSON COUNTY, AND LAKE COUNTY	
5 Pesticide Contamination Cleanup	300,000
6 BUTTE-SILVER BOW, GOVERNMENT OF	
7 UPPER CLARK FORK RIVER BASIN COORDINATOR	60,000
8 STATE LANDS, DEPARTMENT OF	
9 Well Assessment and Abandonment	300,000
10 NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION,	
11 DEPARTMENT OF, WATER MANAGEMENT BUREAU	
12 Arsenic in Upper Missouri River Basin	179,330
13 STATE LANDS, DEPARTMENT OF	
14 WELL ASSESSMENT AND ABANDONMENT	300,000
15 STATE LANDS, DEPARTMENT OF	
16 Comet Mine Wetlands Development	250,700
17 GLACIER COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT	
18 Comprehensive Evaluation of Ground Water	
19 Contamination	197,453
20 HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, DEPARTMENT	
21 OF, WATER QUALITY BUREAU	
22 Hydrogeology, Land Use, and Chemical Quality	
23 of Water Resources in the Clark's Fork	
24 Yellowstone River Basin	218,250
25 FORT PECK ASSINIBOINE AND SIOUX TRIBES	
26 Extent, Magnitude, and Movement of	

1 ~~Contamination in Aquifers In and Near the~~
2 ~~East Poplar Oil Field~~ 290,400
3 SHERIDAN COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT
4 Extent of Oil Field Waste Contamination 134,736
5 YELLOWSTONE COUNTY
6 YELLOWSTONE CO. LIS/GIS PROJECT 50,000
7 MSU MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT
8 TROUT STREAM RESTORATION 45,500
9 MONTANA SALINITY CONTROL ASSOCIATION
10 SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING FOR SOIL AND WATER
11 NONPOINT SOURCE POLLUTION CONTROL AND
12 MANAGEMENT 62,500
13 (3) TO THE ENTITIES LISTED IN THIS SECTION, THIS
14 APPROPRIATION CONSTITUTES A VALID OBLIGATION OF THESE FUNDS FOR
15 PURPOSES OF ENCUMBERING THE FUNDS WITHIN THE 1993 BIENNIUM PURSUANT
16 TO 17-7-302.
17 NEW SECTION. Section 3. Coordination of fund sources for
18 grants program projects. A sponsor of a grants program project who
19 has applied for a grant for that project under both the reclamation
20 and development grants program and either the water development
21 program or the renewable resource development program may not
22 receive duplicative funding.
23 NEW SECTION. Section 4. Conditions of grants. Disbursement
24 of grant funds under [sections 1 through 6] is subject to the
25 following conditions that must be met by the project sponsor:

1 (1) A scope of work and budget for the project must be
2 approved by the department of natural resources and conservation.
3 Reduction in a scope of work or budget may not affect priority
4 activities or improvements.
5 (2) Other funds required for project completion must have
6 been committed, and the commitment must be documented.
7 (3) The project sponsor shall show satisfactory completion of
8 conditions described in the recommendations section of the project
9 narrative of the reclamation and development grants program report
10 for the 1992-93 biennium.
11 (4) An agreement between the department and the grant
12 applicant must be executed in a timely manner, taking into
13 consideration any changed conditions or circumstances that govern
14 the administration and disbursement of funds.
15 (5) THE RECIPIENT OF THE WATER, AIR, SOILS TESTING, AND
16 EVALUATION CENTER (WASTEC) GRANT SHALL CONSIDER THE PILOT PLANT
17 TREATMENT OF CONTAMINATED WATER FROM THE BERKELEY PIT PROJECT AND
18 THE DETOXIFICATION OF ACID MINE DRAINAGE FROM THE BERKELEY PIT
19 WATERS PROJECT THAT WERE SUBMITTED FOR CONSIDERATION AS RECLAMATION
20 AND DEVELOPMENT GRANTS PROJECTS DURING THE 52ND LEGISLATURE.
21 ~~(5)~~(6) Any other specific requirements considered necessary
22 by the department must be met to accomplish the purpose of the
23 grant as evidenced from the application to the department or as
24 defined by the legislature.
25 NEW SECTION. Section 5. Appropriations established. For

1 any entity of state government that receives a grant under
 2 [sections 1 through 6], an appropriation is established for the
 3 amount of the grant upon award of the grant by the department of
 4 natural resources and conservation. GRANTS TO STATE ENTITIES FROM
 5 PRIOR BIENNIUMS ARE REAUTHORIZED FOR COMPLETION OF CONTRACT WORK.

6 NEW SECTION. SECTION 6. REAUTHORIZATION OF GRANTS. THE
 7 50TH LEGISLATURE, IN HOUSE BILL NO. 6, LAWS OF 1987, APPROVED A
 8 GRANT FROM THE RECLAMATION AND DEVELOPMENT GRANT ACCOUNT TO THE
 9 DEPARTMENT OF STATE LANDS FOR \$107,000 FOR UPPER BLACKFOOT
 10 STREAMBANK RECLAMATION. THE 51ST LEGISLATURE DETERMINED THAT
 11 ADDITIONAL FUNDS WERE REQUIRED FOR THIS PROJECT AND, IN HOUSE BILL
 12 NO. 776, LAWS OF 1989, APPROVED A GRANT FROM THE RECLAMATION AND
 13 DEVELOPMENT GRANT ACCOUNT TO THE LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY
 14 CONSERVATION DISTRICT FOR \$300,000 FOR BLACKFOOT RIVER ABANDONED
 15 MINES. THE ENGINEERING WORK FOR THESE PROJECTS HAS BEEN COMPLETED,
 16 AND THE RECLAMATION IS TO BEGIN DURING THE SUMMER OF 1991. BECAUSE
 17 IT HAS SINCE BEEN DETERMINED THAT THERE MAY BE LEGAL CONSTRAINTS ON
 18 THE USE OF THIS MONEY BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE LANDS DUE TO THE
 19 EXISTENCE OF A POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY, THE TWO GRANTS FOR
 20 \$407,000 FOR THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED PROJECTS ARE HEREBY TRANSFERRED TO
 21 THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES. THE
 22 DEPARTMENT SHALL INITIATE CLEANUP, AS AUTHORIZED IN THE APPROVED
 23 PROJECTS, UNDER ITS EXISTING LEGAL AUTHORITY AND SEEK COST RECOVERY
 24 FROM THE RESPONSIBLE PARTY.

25 NEW SECTION. Section 7. Reversion of funds. All funds

1 allocated to the ~~grants~~ reclamation and development GRANTS special
 2 revenue account under [sections 1 through 6] that are unspent and
 3 unencumbered on June 30, 1993, revert to that account.

4 NEW SECTION. Section 8. FUNDS AVAILABLE. IT IS THE INTENT
 5 OF THE LEGISLATURE THAT THE FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR THE RECLAMATION AND
 6 DEVELOPMENT GRANTS PROGRAM FOR THE 1993 LEGISLATIVE SESSION BE A
 7 MINIMUM OF \$3 MILLION.

8 NEW SECTION. Section 9. Severability. If a part of [this
 9 act] is invalid, all valid parts that are severable from the
 10 invalid part remain in effect. If a part of [this act] is invalid
 11 in one or more of its applications, the part remains in effect in
 12 all valid applications that are severable from the invalid
 13 applications.

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