

HOUSE BILL NO. 54

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2 INTRODUCED BY KITSELMAN

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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO
5 THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE, AND PARKS FOR THE
6 ACQUISITION OF LAKE ELMO NEAR BILLINGS FOR USE AS A STATE
7 PARK; PROVIDING CONDITIONS AND METHODS OF PAYMENT; AND
8 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE."

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

11 Section 1. Appropriation. There is appropriated
12 \$_____ from the parks account established pursuant to
13 15-35-108 to the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks for
14 the purpose of purchasing Lake Elmo and approximately 100
15 acres of land adjacent to it near Billings for use as a
16 state park.

17 Section 2. Conditions and method of payment. This
18 appropriation is contingent upon the Department of Fish,
19 Wildlife, and Parks negotiating a purchase price with the
20 owner of the property. In addition to the appropriation
21 contained in section 1, the Department may also as a part of
22 the purchase price trade to the owner any land it holds and
23 may use any other lawful method of payment available to the
24 Department. The value of any Department land to be traded
25 shall be established by independent appraisal.

1 Section 3. Effective date. This act is effective on
2 passage and approval.

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