SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 4400

A bill to make appropriations for the department of natural resources for the fiscal years ending September 30, 2003 and September 30, 2004; to provide for the expenditure of those appropriations; to create funds and accounts; to require reports; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain state agencies and officials; to authorize certain transfers by certain state agencies; and to provide for the disposition of fees and other income received by the various state agencies.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 PART 1
- 2 LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2003-04
- 3 Sec. 101. Subject to the conditions set forth in this act, the
- 4 amounts listed in this part are appropriated for the department of
- 5 natural resources for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, from
- 6 the funds indicated in this part. The following is a summary of the

1 appropriations in this part:

2	DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES	
3	Full-time equated unclassified positions5.0	
4	Full-time equated classified positions2,095.5	
5	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	257,948,100
6	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
7	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
8	transfers\$	3,437,900
9	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	254,510,200
10	Federal revenues:	
11	Total federal revenues	33,706,600
12	Special revenue funds:	
13	Total local revenues	0
14	Total private revenues	1,871,400
15	Total other state restricted revenues	188,146,600
16	State general fund/general purpose\$	30,785,600
17	FUND SOURCE SUMMARY	
18	Full-time equated unclassified positions5.0	
19	Full-time equated classified positions2,095.5	
20	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	257,948,100
21	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
22	IDG, engineering services to work orders \$	1,472,800
23	IDG, MacMullan conference center revenue	1,300,600
24	IDG, land acquisition services to work orders	664,500
25	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
26	transfers	3,437,900
27	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	254,510,200

1	Federal revenues:	
2	DAG, federal	6,831,700
3	DOC, federal	60,900
4	DOD, federal	31,000
5	DOE, federal	1,000
6	DOI, federal	18,880,000
7	DOI, oil and gas royalty revenue	150,000
8	DOI, timber revenue	3,300,000
9	DOT, federal	4,203,300
10	EPA, federal	248,700
11	Total federal revenues	33,706,600
12	Special revenue funds:	
13	Private funds	1,371,400
14	Private - gift revenues	500,000
15	Total private revenues	1,871,400
16	Aircraft fees	219,900
17	Air photo - geographic information system	135,000
18	Automated license system revenue	429,300
19	Clean Michigan initiative fund	277,800
20	Delinquent property tax administration fund	1,065,900
21	Forest recreation fund	1,120,700
22	Forest resource revenue	25,555,800
23	Game and fish protection fund	60,578,300
24	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve	2,263,100
25	Game and fish protection fund - turkey permit fees	1,457,200
26	Game and fish protection fund - waterfowl fees	90,500
27	Game and fish - wildlife resource protection fund	1,344,100

1	Harbor development fund	245,900
2	Land exchange facilitation fund	5,503,100
3	Land sale revenue	2,640,200
4	Marine safety fund	4,623,300
5	Michigan civilian conservation corps endowment fund.	1,000,000
6	Michigan state waterways fund	14,980,200
7	Michigan natural resources trust fund	4,134,800
8	Michigan state parks endowment fund	11,576,600
9	Nongame wildlife fund	592,600
10	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	2,759,900
11	Park improvement fund	33,542,300
12	Publications revenue	58,700
13	Recreation improvement fund	1,414,500
14	Safety education fund	344,300
15	Shop fees	56,300
16	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	1,780,200
17	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	8,356,100
18	Total other state restricted revenues	188,146,600
19	State general fund/general purpose\$	30,785,600
20	Sec. 102. EXECUTIVE	
21	Full-time equated unclassified positions5.0	
22	Full-time equated classified positions42.6	
23	Commission (including travel expenseper diem) \$	90,000
24	Director1.0 FTE positions	125,400
25	Governor appointee1.0 FTE positions	58,000
26	Press secretary1.0 FTE positions	57,500
27	Legislative liaison1.0 FTE positions	67,000

1	Special appointee1.0 FTE positions	58,000
2	Education and outreach32.6 FTE positions	2,944,100
3	Executive direction10.0 FTE positions	1,672,400
4	Travel	86,900
5	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	5,159,300
6	Appropriated from:	
7	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
8	IDG, MacMullan conference center revenue	21,400
9	Special revenue funds:	
10	Aircraft fees	500
11	Air photo - geographic information system	10,500
12	Automated license system revenue	3,000
13	Delinquent property tax administration fund	9,000
14	Forest resource revenue	266,100
15	Game and fish protection fund	1,705,000
16	Harbor development fund	600
17	Land exchange facilitation fund	37,100
18	Land sale revenue	54,300
19	Marine safety fund	41,300
20	Michigan civilian conservation corps endowment fund.	500
21	Michigan natural resources trust fund	7,600
22	Michigan state parks endowment fund	28,800
23	Michigan state waterways fund	308,800
24	Nongame wildlife fund	4,800
25	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	2,700
26	Park improvement fund	1,856,900
27	Publications revenue	500

1	Recreation improvement fund	5,200
2	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	4,200
3	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	32,200
4	State general fund/general purpose\$	758,300
5	Sec. 103. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	
6	Full-time equated classified positions244.2	
7	Budget and support services10.0 FTE positions \$	775,200
8	Grants, contracts, and customer systems31.0 FTE	
9	positions	5,283,000
10	Human resources24.0 FTE positions	2,045,700
11	Office of financial services26.0 FTE positions	2,255,900
12	Office of land and facilities141.2 FTE positions	17,446,100
13	Program assistance and review12.0 FTE positions	734,900
14	Travel	360,100
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	28,900,900
16	Appropriated from:	
17	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
18	IDG, engineering services to work orders	1,472,800
19	IDG, land acquisition services to work orders	664,500
20	IDG, MacMullan conference center revenue	1,279,200
21	Federal revenues:	
22	DOI, federal	320,300
23	Special revenue funds:	
24	Aircraft fees	112,900
25	Air photo - geographic information system	700
26	Automated license system revenue	426,300
27	Clean Michigan initiative fund	277,800

1	Delinquent property tax administration fund	1,020,800
2	Forest resource revenue	1,659,300
3	Game and fish protection fund	8,543,100
4	Land exchange facilitation fund	5,424,400
5	Land sale revenue	1,825,300
6	Marine safety fund	368,600
7	Michigan civilian conservation corps endowment fund.	5,900
8	Michigan natural resources trust fund	756,500
9	Michigan state parks endowment fund	46,000
10	Michigan state waterways fund	883,700
11	Nongame wildlife fund	3,700
12	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	63,200
13	Park improvement fund	1,377,800
14	Publications revenue	58,200
15	Recreation improvement fund	5,300
16	Safety education fund	50,000
17	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	65,600
18	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	77,100
19	State general fund/general purpose \$	2,111,900
20	Sec. 104. DEPARTMENTAL OPERATION SUPPORT	
21	Building occupancy charges \$	2,000,100
22	Rent - privately owned property	335,700
23	Gifts and bequests	500,000
24	GROSS APPROPRIATION \$	2,835,800
25	Appropriated from:	
26	Special revenue funds:	
27	Private - gift revenues	500,000

1	Forest resource revenue	753,100
2	Game and fish protection fund	675,500
3	Land sale revenue	51,400
4	Marine safety fund	44,600
5	Michigan state parks endowment fund	211,200
6	Michigan state waterways fund	203,800
7	Michigan natural resources trust fund	62,700
8	Park improvement fund	304,800
9	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	20,800
10	State general fund/general purpose\$	7,900
11	Sec. 105. WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT	
12	Full-time equated classified positions191.0	
13	Wildlife administration14.5 FTE positions \$	1,431,400
14	Wildlife management167.5 FTE positions	21,320,900
15	Natural resources heritage9.0 FTE positions	1,124,300
16	State game and wildlife area maintenance	200,000
17	Travel	922,400
18	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	24,999,000
19	Appropriated from:	
20	Federal revenues:	
21	DOD, federal	31,000
22	DOI, federal	9,983,500
23	EPA, federal	1,000
24	Special revenue funds:	
25	Private funds	100,000
26	Game and fish protection fund	8,626,800
27	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve	2,020,100

1	Game and fish protection fund - turkey permit fees	1,457,200
2	Game and fish protection fund - waterfowl fees	90,500
3	Nongame wildlife fund	563,600
4	State general fund/general purpose \$	2,125,300
5	Sec. 106. FISHERIES MANAGEMENT	
6	Full-time equated classified positions225.0	
7	Fisheries administration8.5 FTE positions \$	942,600
8	Fish production57.4 FTE positions	7,094,400
9	Fisheries resource management159.1 FTE positions	14,846,600
10	Stream habitat improvement	1,269,300
11	Travel	1,220,500
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	25,373,400
13	Appropriated from:	
14	Federal revenues:	
15	DOE, federal	1,000
16	DOC, federal	45,900
17	DOI, federal	7,410,400
18	EPA, federal	142,100
19	Special revenue funds:	
20	Private funds	100,000
21	Game and fish protection fund	17,651,900
22	State general fund/general purpose\$	22,100
23	Sec. 107. PARKS AND RECREATION	
24	Full-time equated classified positions785.7	
25	State parks581.2 FTE positions\$	36,979,600
26	Recreational boating201.5 FTE positions	11,358,700
27	Michigan civilian conservation corps3.0 FTE	

1	positions	893,600
2	State parks improvement revenue bonds - debt service	1,081,900
3	Travel	2,354,100
4	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	52,667,900
5	Appropriated from:	
6	Federal revenues:	
7	EPA, federal	104,600
8	Special revenue funds:	
9	Private funds	316,600
10	Harbor development fund	245,300
11	Michigan civilian conservation corps endowment fund.	993,600
12	Michigan state parks endowment fund	10,753,700
13	Michigan state waterways fund	12,061,400
14	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	211,700
15	Park improvement fund	27,981,000
16	State general fund/general purpose\$	0
17	Sec. 108. FOREST, MINERAL, AND FIRE MANAGEMENT	
18	Full-time equated classified positions334.5	
19	Forest and timber treatments114.0 FTE positions \$	11,878,800
20	Forest management planning13.0 FTE positions	4,376,900
21	Forest recreation and trails33.0 FTE positions	4,093,000
22	Forest fire protection137.5 FTE positions	9,104,200
23	Forest management initiative9.2 FTE positions	1,009,000
24	Adopt-a-forest program	50,100
25	Minerals management17.3 FTE positions	1,962,700
26	Forest fire equipment	1,700,100
27	Cooperative resource programs10.5 FTE positions	3,078,100

1	Travel	1,439,800
2	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	38,692,700
3	Appropriated from:	
4	Federal revenues:	
5	DAG, federal	2,056,700
6	DOI, federal	2,000
7	EPA, federal	1,000
8	Special revenue funds:	
9	Private funds	804,800
10	Aircraft fees	106,500
11	Air photo - geographic information system	103,000
12	Forest recreation fund	1,120,700
13	Forest resource revenue	21,341,200
14	Game and fish protection fund	1,781,800
15	Michigan natural resources trust fund	1,106,400
16	Michigan state parks endowment fund	496,700
17	Michigan state waterways fund	340,500
18	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	363,700
19	Recreation improvement fund	284,900
20	Shop fees	56,300
21	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	1,745,900
22	State general fund/general purpose\$	6,980,600
23	Sec. 109. LAW ENFORCEMENT	
24	Full-time equated classified positions272.5	
25	Wildlife resource protection10.0 FTE positions \$	1,238,700
26	General law enforcement262.5 FTE positions	22,794,300
27	Travel	2,753,800

1	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 26,786,800
2	Appropriated from:	
3	Federal revenues:	
4	DOC, federal	15,000
5	DOI, federal	1,062,800
6	DOT, federal	2,403,300
7	Special revenue funds:	
8	Game and fish - wildlife resource protection fund	1,332,500
9	Game and fish protection fund	15,619,800
10	Marine safety fund	1,304,800
11	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	744,000
12	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	564,600
13	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 3,740,000
14	Sec. 110. PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES	
15	Payments for swamp and tax reverted lands	7,071,500
16	Payments for purchased lands	10,234,900
17	Payments for commercial forest reserves	2,691,700
18	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 19,998,100
19	Appropriated from:	
20	Special revenue funds:	
21	Game and fish protection fund	4,668,300
22	Michigan natural resources trust fund	1,214,700
23	Michigan state waterways fund	376,900
24	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 13,738,200
25	Sec. 111. GRANTS	
26	Grant to countiesmarine safety	\$ 2,840,100
27	Federal - land and water conservation fund payments.	1,000

1	Federal - forest stewardship grants	625,000
2	Federal - urban forestry grants	3,900,000
3	Federal - clean vessel act grants	100,000
4	Federal - rural community fire protection	250,000
5	Grants to communities - federal oil, gas, and timber	
6	payments	3,450,000
7	Recreation improvement fund grants	1,100,100
8	Sebewaing harbor commission flood control	50,000
9	Snowmobile local grants program	6,480,100
10	Snowmobile law enforcement grants	1,142,100
11	Off-road vehicle safety training grants	294,300
12	Off-road vehicle trail improvement grants	1,374,600
13	National recreational trails	1,850,000
14	Game and nongame wildlife fund grants	10,100
15	Inland fisheries resources grants	200,100
16	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 23,667,500
17	Appropriated from:	
18	Federal revenues:	
19	DAG, federal	4,775,000
20	DOI, federal	101,000
21	DOI, oil and gas royalty revenue	150,000
22	DOI, timber revenue	3,300,000
23	DOT, federal	1,800,000
24	Special revenue funds:	
25	Private funds	50,000
26	Game and fish protection fund	200,100
27	Marine safety fund	2,840,100

1	Michigan state waterways fund	50,000
2	Nongame wildlife fund	10,100
3	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	1,374,600
4	Recreation improvement fund	1,100,100
5	Safety education fund	294,300
6	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	1,142,100
7	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	6,480,100
8	State general fund/general purpose	5 0
9	Sec. 112. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
10	Information technology services and projects	8,866,700
11	GROSS APPROPRIATION	8,866,700
12	Appropriated from:	
13	Special revenue funds:	
14	Air photo - geographic information system	20,800
15	Delinquent property tax administration fund	36,100
16	Forest resource revenue	1,536,100
17	Game and fish protection fund	1,106,000
18	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve	243,000
19	Game and fish - wildlife resource protection fund	11,600
20	Land exchange facilitation fund	41,600
21	Land sale revenue	709,200
22	Marine safety fund	23,900
23	Michigan natural resources trust fund	986,900
24	Michigan state parks endowment fund	40,200
25	Michigan state waterways fund	755,100
26	Nongame wildlife fund	10,400
27	Park improvement fund	2,021,800

1	Recreation improvement fund	000
2	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	700
3	State general fund/general purpose\$ 1,301,3	300
4	Sec. 113. FEDERAL ADVISORY REPORT	
5	Game and fish protection fund\$ 200,0	000
6	Budgetary savings (200,0	00)
7	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	0
8	Appropriated from:	
9	State general fund/general purpose\$	0
10	PART 1A	
11	LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2002-03	
12	Sec. 151. Subject to the conditions set forth in this act, the	
13	amounts listed in this part are appropriated for the department of	
14	natural resources for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, from	
15	the funds indicated in this part. The following is a summary of the	
16	appropriations in this part:	
17	DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES	
18	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	0
19	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
20	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
21	transfers\$	0
22	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	0
23	Federal revenues:	
24	Total federal revenues	0
25	Special revenue funds:	

1	Total local revenues		
2	Total private revenues0		
3	Total other state restricted revenues		
4	State general fund/general purpose\$		
5	Sec. 152. FEDERAL ADVISORY REPORT		
6	Game and fish protection fund\$ 356,000		
7	Budgetary savings(356,000)		
8	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$ 0		
9	Appropriated from:		
10	State general fund/general purpose\$		
11	PART 2		
12	PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2003-04		
13	GENERAL SECTIONS		
14	Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state		
15	constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources under		
16	part 1 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004 is		
17	\$218,280,200.00 and state spending from state resources to be paid to		
18	local units of government for the fiscal year ending September 30,		
19	2004 is \$23,965,400.00. The itemized statement below identifies		
20	appropriations from which spending to units of local government will		
21	occur:		
22	DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES		
23	PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES		
24	Payments for swamp and tax reverted land		
25	Payments for purchased lands		

1	Payments for commercial forest reserves	2,691,700
2	GRANTS	
3	Grants to counties - marine safety	2,805,100
4	Snowmobile law enforcement	1,142,100
5	TOTAL\$	23,945,300
6	Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this a	act are
7	subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL	18.1101 to
8	18.1594.	

- 9 Sec. 203. As used in this act:
- 10 (a) "Commission" means the commission of natural resources.
- 11 (b) "DAG" means the United States department of agriculture.
- 12 (c) "Department" means the department of natural resources.
- (d) "DOC" means the United States department of commerce.
- 14 (e) "DOD" means the United States department of defense.
- 15 (f) "DOE" means the United States department of energy.
- 16 (g) "DOI" means the United States department of interior.
- 17 (h) "DOI-MMS" means DOI minerals management service.
- 18 (i) "DOT" means the United States department of transportation.
- 19 (j) "EPA" means the United States environmental protection agency.
- 20 (k) "FTE" means full-time equated.
- 21 (1) "IDG" means interdepartmental grant.
- Sec. 204. The department of civil service shall bill departments
- 23 and agencies at the end of the first fiscal quarter for the 1% charge
- 24 authorized by section 5 of article XI of the state constitution of
- 25 1963. Payments shall be made for the total amount of the billing by
- 26 the end of the second fiscal quarter.
- 27 Sec. 205. (1) Beginning October 1, a hiring freeze is imposed on

- 1 the state classified civil service. State departments and agencies
- 2 are prohibited from hiring any new full-time state classified civil
- 3 service employees and prohibited from filling any vacant state
- 4 classified civil service positions. This hiring freeze does not apply
- 5 to internal transfers of classified employees from 1 position to
- 6 another within a department.
- 7 (2) The state budget director shall grant exceptions to this
- 8 hiring freeze when the state budget director believes that the hiring
- 9 freeze will result in rendering a state department or agency unable to
- 10 deliver basic services, cause loss of revenue to the state, result in
- 11 the inability of the state to receive federal funds, or necessitate
- 12 additional expenditures that exceed any savings from maintaining a
- 13 vacancy. The state budget director shall report quarterly to the
- 14 chairpersons of the senate and house of representatives standing
- 15 committees on appropriations the number of exceptions to the hiring
- 16 freeze approved during the previous quarter and the reasons to justify
- 17 the exception.
- 18 Sec. 207. At least 60 days before beginning any effort to
- 19 privatize, the department shall submit a complete project plan to the
- 20 appropriate senate and house of representatives appropriations
- 21 subcommittees and the senate and house fiscal agencies. The plan
- 22 shall include the criteria under which the privatization initiative
- 23 will be evaluated. The evaluation shall be completed and submitted to
- 24 the appropriate senate and house of representatives appropriations
- 25 subcommittees and the senate and house fiscal agencies within 30
- 26 months.
- 27 Sec. 208. Unless otherwise specified in this act, the department

- 1 shall use the Internet to fulfill the reporting requirements of this
- 2 act. This may include transmission of reports via electronic mail to
- 3 the recipients identified for each reporting requirement or it may
- 4 include placement of reports on an Internet or Intranet site.
- 5 Sec. 209. Funds appropriated in part 1 should not be used for
- 6 the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if competitively
- 7 priced American goods or services, or both, of comparable quality are
- 8 available. Preference should be given to goods or services, or both,
- 9 manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses if they are
- 10 competitively priced and of comparable value.
- 11 Sec. 210. By February 15, the department shall provide the state
- 12 budget director, the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 13 natural resources, and the senate and house fiscal agencies with an
- 14 annual report on estimated restricted fund balances, projected
- 15 revenues, and expenditures for the fiscal year and the previous fiscal
- 16 years.
- 17 Sec. 211. The departments and state agencies receiving
- 18 appropriations under this act shall receive and retain copies of all
- 19 reports funded from appropriations in part 1. These departments and
- 20 state agencies shall follow federal and state guidelines for
- 21 short-term and long-term retention of these reports. To the extent
- 22 consistent with federal and state guidelines, the requirements of this
- 23 section are satisfied if the reports funded from appropriations in
- 24 part 1 are retained in electronic format.
- 25 Sec. 212. (1) From the funds appropriated under part 1, the
- 26 department shall prepare a report that lists all of the following
- 27 regarding grant, loan, or grant and loan programs administered by the

- 1 department for the fiscal year:
- 2 (a) The name of each program.
- 3 (b) The goals, criteria, filing fees, nominating procedures,
- 4 eligibility requirements, processes, and deadlines for each program.
- 5 (c) The maximum and minimum grant and loan available and whether
- 6 there is a match requirement for each program.
- 7 (d) The amount of any required match, and whether in-kind
- 8 contributions may be used as part or all of a required match.
- 9 (e) Information pertaining to the application process, timeline
- 10 for each program, and the contact people within the department.
- 11 (f) The source of funds for each program, including the citation
- 12 of pertinent authorizing acts.
- 13 (g) Information regarding plans for the next fiscal year for the
- 14 phaseout, expansion, or changes for each program.
- 15 (h) A listing of all recipients of grants or loans awarded by the
- 16 department by type and amount of grant or loan during the previous
- 17 fiscal year.
- 18 (2) The reports required under this section shall be submitted to
- 19 the state budget director, the senate and house appropriations
- 20 committees and the senate and house fiscal agencies by January 1.
- 21 Sec. 213. Appropriations of state restricted game and fish
- 22 protection funds have been made to the following departments and
- 23 agencies in their respective appropriation bills. The amounts
- 24 appropriated to these departments and agencies are limited to the
- 25 amounts listed below:
- **26** Department of civil service......\$ 293,200

1	Attorney general	640,800
2	Department of management and budget	320,500
3	Department of treasury	4,200
4	Sec. 214. (1) Before January 16, the department, in coope	eration
5	with the Michigan state waterways commission, shall report to t	he
6	executive budget office, the senate and house fiscal agencies,	and the

- senate and house of representatives appropriations subcommittees on
- natural resources detailing operations of the Michigan state waterways
- commission for the preceding 1-year period. 9
- 10 (2) The department, in cooperation with the Michigan state
- waterways commission, shall determine which projects should be 11
- 12 acquired or developed with money from the state waterways fund or
- harbor development fund and shall submit to the executive budget 13
- office, the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the senate and house
- of representatives appropriations subcommittees on natural resources
- in January a list of those projects, compiled in order of priority. 16
- The list shall be accompanied by estimates of total costs for the
- proposed projects. 18

- 19 (3) The department, in cooperation with the Michigan state
- waterways commission, shall supply with each list under subsection (2)
- a statement of the guidelines used in listing and assigning the 21
- priority of these projects.
- 23 The department shall develop a plan for allocating
- restricted funds among department administrative support and
- regulatory activities. This plan shall be submitted to the house and 25
- senate appropriations subcommittees on natural resources by January
- 27 30. This plan shall include a cost allocation plan for financial

- 1 services support, office space rent and building occupancy charges,
- 2 support division service for information systems and technology, and a
- 3 methodology to use information generated through activity reports that
- 4 identifies the percentage of employee time spent on restricted fund
- 5 activities.
- 6 Sec. 216. Pursuant to section 43703(3) of the natural resources
- 7 and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.43703, there is
- 8 appropriated from the game and fish protection trust fund to the game
- 9 and fish protection fund, \$6,000,000.00 for the fiscal year.
- 10 Sec. 217. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for information
- 11 technology, the department shall pay user fees to the department of
- 12 information technology for technology-related services and projects.
- 13 Such user fees shall be subject to provisions of an interagency
- 14 agreement between the department and the department of information
- 15 technology.
- 16 Sec. 218. Amounts appropriated in part 1 for information
- 17 technology may be designated as work projects and carried forward to
- 18 support technology projects under the direction of the department of
- 19 information technology. Funds designated in this manner are not
- 20 available for expenditure until approved as work projects under
- 21 section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- 22 MCL 18.1451a.

23 EXECUTIVE

- 24 Sec. 301. On June 15, the department shall submit to the house
- 25 and senate appropriations subcommittees on natural resources and the
- 26 house and senate fiscal agencies a report on fish, game, and nongame
- 27 habitat improvement and treatment projects completed or planned during

- 1 the current fiscal year and the previous fiscal year. This report
- 2 shall include a list of all habitat treatment and improvement projects
- 3 by management unit. This list shall be accompanied by all of the
- 4 following information:
- 5 (a) The target species of wildlife or fish to benefit from unit
- 6 projects.
- 7 (b) The number of acres or, for an inland lake, river, or stream,
- 8 the number of feet treated or improved, the county in which the
- 9 project is located, and the methods of treatment or improvement.
- 10 (c) The division with lead responsibility for the projects and all
- 11 organizations involved in the projects, including, but not limited to,
- 12 department personnel, contractors, or subcontractors.
- 13 (d) The total cost per acre and the funding sources supporting
- 14 management unit projects. The report shall identify the program line
- 15 item supporting project expenditures.
- (e) A separate summary, by fund or subfund, of all projects
- 17 completed in the fiscal year or the previous fiscal year.

18 ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

- 19 Sec. 401. The department may charge the appropriations contained
- 20 in part 1, including all special maintenance and capital projects
- 21 appropriated for the fiscal year, for engineering services provided, a
- 22 standard percentage fee to recover actual costs. The department may
- 23 use the revenue derived to support the engineering services charges
- 24 provided for in part 1.
- 25 Sec. 402. The department may charge land acquisition projects
- 26 appropriated for the fiscal year, and for prior fiscal years, a

- 1 standard percentage fee to recover actual costs, and may use the
- 2 revenue derived to support the land acquisition service charges
- 3 provided for in part 1.
- 4 Sec. 403. The department of natural resources may charge both
- 5 application fees and transaction fees related to the exchange or sale
- 6 of state-owned land or rights in land. The fees shall be set by the
- 7 director at a rate which allows the department to recover its costs
- 8 for providing these services.
- 9 Sec. 404. The department shall prominently display in a
- 10 prominent place in the fishing guide provided to each licensed fisher
- 11 and paid for from the funds appropriated in part 1, the website for
- 12 the department of community health. In addition, the fishing guide
- 13 shall include information on alternative sources where interested
- 14 parties without Internet access may find information on fish
- 15 advisories issued by the department of community health.
- 16 Sec. 405. The department shall report quarterly on all land
- 17 transactions completed by the department in the previous fiscal
- 18 quarter. For each land transaction, the report shall include, but not
- 19 be limited to, the size of the parcel, the county and municipality in
- 20 which the parcel is located, the dollar amount of the transaction, the
- 21 fund source used to purchase the parcel, and the type of transaction,
- 22 such as tax reversion, purchase, public auction, transfer, exchange,
- 23 or other type of transaction. The report shall be submitted to the
- 24 senate and house appropriation subcommittees on natural resources
- 25 within 21 days of the end of each fiscal quarter.
- 26 Sec. 406. The department shall offer to persons who are lessees
- 27 of private airport hangers at Roscommon airport as of the effective

- 1 date of this act the opportunity to enter new leases under reasonable
- 2 terms for any period, at the option of the lessee, not extending
- 3 beyond the life of the lessee.

4 WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT

- 5 Sec. 501. By April 1 and September 30, the department shall
- 6 report to the state budget director, the senate and house
- 7 appropriations subcommittees on natural resources, and the senate and
- 8 house fiscal agencies on spending from the amounts appropriated in
- 9 part 1 for bovine tuberculosis control efforts. The report shall
- 10 include, but not be limited to, information on activities at the
- 11 animal diagnostic laboratory at Michigan State University that are
- 12 funded with appropriations in part 1.
- 13 Sec. 502. Of the funds appropriated in part 1, the department
- 14 shall reimburse the department of agriculture for costs incurred for
- 15 indemnification payments for livestock losses caused by wolves or
- 16 coyotes under the animal industry act of 1987, 1988 PA 466, MCL
- **17** 287.701 to 287.745.

18 FISHERIES MANAGEMENT

- 19 Sec. 601. The department shall not impede the certification
- 20 process for water control structures on Michigan waterways. The
- 21 department shall fund from funds appropriated in part 1 all
- 22 non-water-quality studies or requirements that the department requests
- 23 of either of the following:
- 24 (a) The department of environmental quality as a condition for
- 25 issuance of a certification under section 401 of title IV of the
- 26 federal water pollution control act, chapter 758, 86 Stat. 877, 33

- 1 U.S.C. 1341.
- 2 (b) The federal energy regulatory commission as a condition of
- 3 licensing under the federal power act, chapter 285, 41 Stat. 1063, 16
- 4 U.S.C. 791a to 793, 796 to 797, 798 to 818, 820 to 824a, and 824b to
- **5** 825r.
- 6 Sec. 602. (1) From the appropriation in part 1 for stream
- 7 habitat improvement, not more than \$758,000.00 shall be allocated for
- 8 grants to watershed councils, resource development councils, soil
- 9 conservation districts, local governmental units, and other nonprofit
- 10 organizations for stream habitat stabilization and soil erosion
- 11 control.
- 12 (2) The fisheries division of the department shall develop
- 13 priority and cost estimates for all recommended projects.
- 14 Sec. 603. From the funds appropriated in part 1, \$22,100 is
- 15 provided to the Big Rapids area foundation for completion of the
- 16 riverwalk project.

17 PARKS AND RECREATION

- 18 Sec. 701. Pursuant to section 1902(2) of the natural resources
- 19 and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.1902, there is
- 20 appropriated from the Michigan natural resources trust fund to the
- 21 Michigan state parks endowment fund an amount not to exceed
- 22 \$10,000,000.00 for the fiscal year.
- 23 Sec. 703. (1) The department shall prepare detailed reports for
- 24 construction projects in state parks that will involve campsite or
- 25 campground closures. These reports shall include expected costs,
- 26 impacts on recreation opportunities, impacts on state park revenues,
- 27 and the expected impact on state park users. The department shall

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- 1 also prepare reports on average monthly campground occupancy rates for
- 2 every state park during the previous summer season. The department
- 3 shall provide reports described in this subsection to the house and
- 4 senate appropriations subcommittees on natural resources and
- 5 environmental quality and the house and senate fiscal agencies not
- 6 later than April 1.
- 7 (2) The department shall notify the house and senate
- 8 appropriations subcommittees on natural resources and environmental
- 9 quality and the house and senate fiscal agencies if it intends to
- 10 reduce operations or reduce recreation opportunities at any state park
- 11 or recreation area.
- 12 Sec. 704. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department
- 13 shall attempt to place an appropriate number of defibrillators in
- 14 state parks. State parks may accept donations of defibrillators.
- 15 Sec. 705. On September 30, the department shall submit a report
- 16 on the economic impact and financial status of the ski hill in
- 17 porcupine mountains wilderness state park to the legislature, the
- 18 state budget director, and the senate and house fiscal agencies. The
- 19 department shall not alter or halt operations of the ski hill or
- 20 demolish buildings related to the ski hill in porcupine mountains
- 21 wilderness state park until this report is received. The department
- 22 shall collaborate with travel Michigan for both the marketing and
- 23 promotion of the ski hill and in locating an operating partner through
- 24 a competitive bidding process.
 - <<Sec. 706. As a condition of expenditure of appropriations under
 part 1 for state parks, the department shall not enter into a lease,
 concession, or other agreement for the operation of a farm on state park
 property with a party that has an annual operating budget of less than
 \$100,000.00, that employs fewer than 2 full-time equated individuals, or
 that has been recognized by the United States government as a 501(c) taxexempt organization by issuance of an internal revenue service letter of
 final determination. The party must be licensed to solicit donations
 under the charitable organizations and solicitation act, 1975 PA 169, MCL
 400.271 to 400.294, and must provide a financial statement audited or</pre>

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<<Sec. 707. The department shall collaborate with the department of
history, arts, and libraries to begin implementation of the department of
natural resources' recommendations for a system of water trails in the
state as part of the statewide recreation plan.>>

25 FOREST, MINERAL, AND FIRE MANAGEMENT

Sec. 801. Of the funds appropriated in part 1, the department

- 1 shall prescribe appropriate treatment on 63,000 acres, plus or minus
- 2 10%, at the current average rate of 12.5 to 13 cords per acre provided
- 3 that the department shall take into consideration the impact of timber
- 4 harvesting on wildlife habitat and recreation uses. The department
- 5 shall endeavor to increase marking or treatment of hardwood timber by
- 6 10% over 2003 levels. In addition, the department shall take into
- 7 consideration silvicultural analysis and report annually to the
- 8 legislature on plans and efforts to address factors limiting
- 9 management of timber.
- 10 Sec. 802. The department shall spend amounts appropriated in
- 11 part 1 for forest-related activities to employ or contract for
- 12 additional foresters to mark timber, pursuant to section 801.
- Sec. 803. The appropriation for the adopt-a-forest program in
- 14 part 1 shall be used to cover the cost of disposing of waste material
- 15 collected from state forest lands.
- 16 Sec. 804. In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- 17 \$350,000.00 is appropriated to cover costs related to any declared
- 18 emergency involving the collapse of any abandoned mine shaft located
- 19 on state land. This appropriation shall not be expended unless the
- 20 state budget director recommends the expenditure and the department
- 21 notifies the house and senate committees on appropriations.
- 22 Sec. 805. As a condition of the expenditure of appropriations
- 23 under this act for forest recreation and trails, among the members of
- 24 the off-road vehicle trails advisory committee appointed after the
- 25 effective date of this act to represent off-road vehicle trail users
- 26 and dealers, there shall be at least 1 owner or operator of an
- 27 off-road vehicle dealership, consistent with section 81125 of the

- 1 natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL
- **2** 324.81125.
- 3 Sec. 806. Of the funds appropriated in part 1 for cooperative
- 4 resource programs, \$1,000,000.00 is provided as an interdepartmental
- 5 grant to the department of agriculture for the cooperative resources
- 6 management initiative program.

7 LAW ENFORCEMENT

- 8 Sec. 901. The appropriation in part 1 for snowmobile law
- 9 enforcement grants shall be used to provide grants to county law
- 10 enforcement agencies in counties with state snowmobile trails to
- 11 enforce part 821 of the natural resources and environmental protection
- 12 act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.82101 to 324.82160, including rules
- 13 promulgated under that part and ordinances enacted pursuant to that
- 14 part. The department shall consider the number of enforcement hours
- 15 and the number of miles of trails in each county in allocating these
- 16 grants. Any funds not distributed to counties revert back to the
- 17 local law enforcement fund. Counties shall provide semiannual reports
- 18 to the department.

19 GRANTS

- 20 Sec. 1101. The amount appropriated in part 1 for federal-rural
- 21 community fire protection shall be awarded as grants to local fire
- 22 protection departments. To be eligible, local fire protection
- 23 departments shall be located in governmental units or fire protection
- 24 districts with permanent populations of less than 10,000 and with
- 25 publicly owned forested land.

- 1 Sec. 1102. Federal pass-through funds to local institutions and
- 2 governments that are received in amounts in addition to those included
- 3 in part 1 for grants to communities federal oil, gas, and timber
- 4 payments and that do not require additional state matching funds are
- 5 appropriated for the purposes intended. By November 30, the
- 6 department shall report to the senate and house appropriations
- 7 subcommittees on natural resources, the senate and house fiscal
- 8 agencies, and the state budget office on all amounts appropriated
- 9 under this section during the previous fiscal year.
- 10 Sec. 1103. (1) The use of federal funding received by the state
- 11 from the land and water conservation fund and appropriated in part 1
- 12 shall be coordinated with state grants to local units of government
- 13 from the Michigan natural resources trust fund. The coordination of
- 14 the two funding sources shall be conducted in a manner that minimizes
- 15 the total matching funds required from local units of government for
- 16 local land acquisition or recreational development projects.
- 17 (2) The Michigan natural resources trust fund board shall report
- 18 on the final disposition of federal funding from the land and water
- 19 conservation fund in the board's annual report to the legislature.
- 20 Sec. 1104. Of the amount appropriated in part 1 for off-road
- 21 vehicle trail improvement grants, not less than \$25,000.00 shall be
- 22 available for a county that contains a state park off-road vehicle
- 23 area and applies for law enforcement assistance to regulate off-road
- 24 vehicle use.
- 25 Sec. 1105. Of the amount appropriated in part 1 for grants to
- 26 counties marine safety, \$35,000.00 shall be used by Michigan State
- 27 University to develop equipment and procedures that will accurately

- 1 measure and record distance to and sound levels of watercraft engines
- 2 if matching funds are provided by lake property associations.

3 FEDERAL ADVISORY REPORT

- 4 Sec. 1201. The amount appropriated in part 1 for the game and
- 5 fish protection fund is an appropriation from the general fund to the
- 6 game and fish protection fund in settlement of the advisory report
- 7 from the United States fish and wildlife service dated February 5,
- 8 2003.
- 9 Sec. 1202. Appropriation authorization adjustments required due
- 10 to negative appropriations for budgetary savings shall be made only
- 11 after the approval of transfers by the legislature pursuant to section
- 12 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 13 PART 2A
- 14 PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2002-03

15 GENERAL SECTIONS

- 16 Sec. 1301. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state
- 17 constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources under
- 18 part 1a for fiscal year 2002-03 is \$0.00, and state spending from
- 19 state resources to be paid to local units of government for fiscal
- **20** year 2002-03 is \$0.00.

21 FEDERAL ADVISORY REPORT

- 22 Sec. 1401. The amount appropriated in part la for the game and
- 23 fish protection fund is an appropriation from the general fund to the

- 1 game and fish protection fund in settlement of the advisory report
- 2 from the United States fish and wildlife service dated February 5,
- **3** 2003.
- 4 Sec. 1402. Appropriation authorization adjustments required due
- 5 to negative appropriations for budgetary savings shall be made only
- 6 after the approval of transfers by the legislature pursuant to section
- 7 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.