

**Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1024
(Appropriations Committee)**

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of various state departments and institutions; to provide a statement of legislative intent; and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the state departments and institutions of the state of North Dakota for the purpose of defraying their expenses for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act, and ending June 30, 2025, as follows:

Subdivision 1.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Salaries and wages	\$50,000
Operating expenses	<u>20,000</u>
Total general fund	\$70,000

Subdivision 2.

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

Operating expenses	<u>\$195,000</u>
Total special funds	\$195,000

Subdivision 3.

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Statewide litigation funding pool	\$3,000,000
Prosecution witness fees	<u>50,000</u>
Total general fund	\$3,050,000

Subdivision 4.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Grants - other grants	<u>\$30,000,000</u>
Total federal funds	\$30,000,000

Subdivision 5.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION

Adult services - excess population costs	<u>\$11,500,000</u>
Total general fund	\$11,500,000

Subdivision 6.

OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

Loan interest repayment - law enforcement costs	\$1,763,490
Loan repayment - disaster costs	<u>4,294,789</u>
Total general fund	\$6,058,279

Subdivision 7.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Line of credit repayment - water infrastructure revolving loan fund	\$10,000,000
Total resources trust fund	<u>\$10,000,000</u>

Subdivision 8.

TOTAL - SECTION 1

Grand total all funds	\$60,873,279
Less grand total other funds	<u>40,195,000</u>
Grand total general fund	\$20,678,279

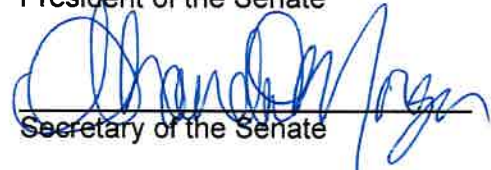
SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - COST REIMBURSEMENTS - LOAN REPAYMENTS. It is the intent of the sixty-ninth legislative assembly that the attorney general seek reimbursement from the federal government for the costs of responding to unlawful activity associated with the construction of the Dakota access pipeline. It is further the intent of the sixty-ninth legislative assembly that these reimbursements be used to repay the Bank of North Dakota loans authorized by the emergency commission and the legislative assembly which were obtained to provide the funding necessary to respond to the unlawful activity associated with the construction of the Dakota access pipeline. It is further the intent of the sixty-ninth legislative assembly that the provisions of section 54-16-13 apply to the loans, except that emergency commission approval does not apply.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.


Speaker of the House


Chief Clerk of the House


President of the Senate


Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1024 and that two-thirds of the members-elect of the House of Representatives voted in favor of said law.

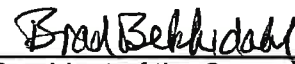
Vote: Yeas 75 Nays 16 Absent 3


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President of the Senate

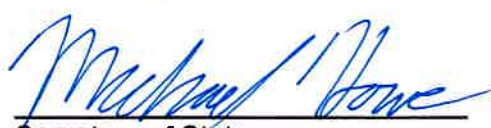

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at 10:15 A.M. on April 8th, 2025.

Approved at 4:30 P.M. on April 10th, 2025.


Governor

Filed in this office this 11th day of April, 2025,
at 12:07 o'clock P M.


Secretary of State