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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; authorizing the issuance of state bonds;  
1.3 appropriating money to construct the Northwestern Minnesota Regional Sports  
1.4 Center in Moorhead.

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

1.6 Section 1. **NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA REGIONAL SPORTS CENTER.**

1.7 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$4,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds  
1.8 fund to the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission for a grant to the city of Moorhead to  
1.9 design, construct, furnish, and equip the Northwestern Minnesota Regional Sports Center.

1.10 This appropriation is not available until the commissioner has determined that at least  
1.11 an equal amount has been committed to the project from nonstate sources. The match may  
1.12 include in-kind contributions, and may include contributions made since January 1, 2007.

1.13 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this act from the bond  
1.14 proceeds fund, the commissioner of finance shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an  
1.15 amount up to \$4,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by  
1.16 Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution,  
1.17 article XI, sections 4 to 7.

1.18 Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

1.19 This act is effective the day following final enactment.