

**Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota  
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 5, 2021**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1018  
(Appropriations Committee)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state historical society; to create and enact a new section to chapter 55-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to artifacts located at the Lewis and Clark interpretive center; to provide for a legislative management study; to provide for a report; 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, and from special funds derived from federal funds and other income, to the state historical society for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state historical society, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023, as follows:

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Salaries and wages	\$14,295,816	\$1,495,808	\$15,791,624
Operating expenses	3,941,585	557,078	4,498,663
Capital assets	1,225,542	4,225,473	5,451,015
Grants	600,000	0	600,000
Cultural heritage grants	<u>500,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>500,000</u>
Total all funds	\$20,562,943	\$6,278,359	\$26,841,302
Less estimated income	<u>3,194,252</u>	<u>4,235,700</u>	<u>7,429,952</u>
Total general fund	\$17,368,691	\$2,042,659	\$19,411,350
Full-time equivalent positions	75.00	3.75	78.75

**SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO THE SIXTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.** The following amounts reflect the one-time funding items approved by the sixty-sixth legislative assembly for the 2019-21 biennium and the 2021-23 biennium one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:

<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2019-21</u>	<u>2021-23</u>
Historical site and extraordinary repairs	\$1,000,000	\$4,200,000
Exhibit and collections care	372,000	0
Auditorium chairs	160,000	0
Pioneer village grant	150,000	0
State archives digital repository upgrade	<u>0</u>	<u>25,000</u>
Total all funds	\$1,682,000	\$4,225,000
Total special funds	<u>85,000</u>	<u>4,200,000</u>
Total general fund	\$1,597,000	\$25,000

The 2021-23 biennium one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget for the 2023-25 biennium. The state historical society shall report to the appropriations committees of the sixty-eighth legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023.

**SECTION 3. REVOLVING FUND - APPROPRIATION.** All fees collected by the state historical society and deposited in the revolving fund established pursuant to section 55-03-04 are appropriated to the state historical society for the purposes provided in chapter 55-03, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023.

**SECTION 4. GIFTS, GRANTS, AND BEQUESTS - APPROPRIATION.** All gifts, grants, devises, bequests, donations, and assignments received by the state historical society and deposited with the state treasurer pursuant to section 55-01-04 are appropriated to the state historical society for the purposes provided in section 55-01-04, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023.

**SECTION 5. ESTIMATED INCOME - FEDERAL CORONAVIRUS CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND - ONE-TIME FUNDING.** The estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes the sum of \$4,200,000 from federal funds derived from the federal coronavirus capital projects fund for the purpose of providing funding for capital project planning and historic site and extraordinary repairs. The federal funding provided under this section may be spent only to the extent the director of the office of management and budget, in consultation with the budget section, determines the use of the funding complies with federal guidance for the federal coronavirus capital projects fund.

**SECTION 6. ESTIMATED INCOME - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION GRANT.** The estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes \$100,000 of grant funding from the department of transportation for the purpose of defraying expenses for the Lewis and Clark interpretive center.

**SECTION 7.** A new section to chapter 55-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

**State historical society responsible for the Lewis and Clark interpretive center.**

The society shall display, maintain, and protect the Lewis and Clark artifacts included in the transfer of the Lewis and Clark interpretive center from the parks and recreation department to the society at the Lewis and Clark interpretive center. A climate-controlled environment must be maintained to protect the artifacts as necessary.

**SECTION 8. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - ADVISORY BOARDS.** During the 2021-22 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying the feasibility and desirability of creating local advisory boards to the state historical society. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation necessary to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-eighth legislative assembly.

**SECTION 9. EMERGENCY.** The \$4,200,000 from the federal coronavirus capital projects fund included in the capital assets line item in section 1 of this Act is declared to be an emergency measure.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1018 and that two-thirds of the members-elect of the House of Representatives voted in favor of said law.

Vote:        Yeas 83                      Nays 8                      Absent 3

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This certifies that two-thirds of the members-elect of the Senate voted in favor of said law.

Vote:        Yeas 42                      Nays 4                      Absent 1

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Governor

Filed in this office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021,  
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Secretary of State