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AMENDMENT MEMO



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2023 Assembly Bill 220 creates an unfunded appropriation and directs the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) to request that the Joint Committee on Finance (JCF) supplement this appropriation with sufficient funds from the environmental fund to provide grants to the Fenwood Creek pilot project in Marathon County to reduce watershed phosphorus and sediment levels. The bill specifies that JCF may supplement the appropriation in an amount up to \$607,000 in each year of the 2023-25 biennium.

The bill requires DATCP to submit to the appropriate legislative standing committees reports on how grant money provided to the Fenwood Creek pilot project has been spent and the pilot project's results in reducing watershed phosphorus and sediment levels. DATCP is further directed to include a request for funding for this pilot project in its 2025-27 agency budget request.

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Assembly Amendment 1 changes the authorized supplemental appropriation amount from \$607,000 to \$300,000 in each year of the 2023-25 biennium.

BILL HISTORY

Representative Rozar offered Assembly Amendment 1 on September 18, 2023. On October 5, 2023, the Assembly Committee on Environment recommended adoption of the amendment on a vote of Ayes, 8; Noes, 0, and recommended passage of the bill, as amended, on a vote of Ayes, 7; Noes, 1.

For a full history of the bill, visit the Legislature's [bill history page](#).

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