HOUSE BILL 0223

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STATE OF WYOMING

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Local sewer facility appropriation.

Sponsored by:

Representative(s) SORENSEN, SHREVE and WALLIS

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for

- 1 AN ACT relating to an appropriation of funds for financing 2 construction of local sewer facilities not meeting 3 requirements of the environmental protection agency; providing an appropriation; authorizing the farm loan board 4 5 to award grants and providing rulemaking authority; pro-6 viding for distribution of grants; providing for grant 7 application; exempting projects financed under a grant 8 from compliance with specified federal regulations; and providing for an effective date. 9
- 10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. Fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000.00) 1 appropriated from the general fund to the state farm 2 loan board for grants to political subdivisions of the 3 4 state to finance construction of sewer facilities not meeting requirements of permits issued under the national 5 pollution discharge elimination system. Funds appropri-6 7 ated under this section shall not lapse at the end of any 8 fiscal year.

9 Section 2. Grants authorized under this appropriation shall not exceed seventy-five percent (75%) of the 10 total project cost except under conditions specified in 11 W.S. 9-4-604(g)(ii)(A) through (C). Funds shall not be 12 distributed by the farm loan board until ninety percent 13 (90%) of federal funds available to the state for 14 15 fiscal year for sewer construction purposes under the federal environmental protection agency have been obligated. 16 The farm loan board may use the state priority list 17 adopted under 40 CFR 35.9.5 pursuant to the federal Clean 18 Water Act as a guideline for awarding grants and may adopt 19 regulations in accordance with the Wyoming Administrative 20 Procedure Act it considers necessary to implement the 21 22 grant program.

23 Section 3.

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- 1 (a) Application for grants authorized under Section 2 1 of this act shall be for two (2) steps, as follows:
- (i) Grant application under Step I includes
 funding for preparation of a sewer facilities plan. A
 Step I plan shall be approved by the farm loan board
 before application for a Step II grant under paragraph
 (a)(ii) of this section be considered. Any political subdivision with a facility plan prepared and approved under
 a grant from the federal environmental protection agency

is eligible for a Step II grant without Step I plan

(ii) Grant application under Step II includes
engineering design and construction of facilities approved
under a Step I plan.

approval under this paragraph; and

Section 4. Projects financed under this act are not required to comply with federal regulations established pursuant to Section 201 of the federal Clean Water Act.

Anticipated REVENUE to:	Fiscal Year 19	Fiscal Year 19
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE		
Anticipated COST to:	Fiscal Year 19 84	Fiscal Year 19
Anticipated COST to: General Fund	Fiscal Year 19 84 \$15,000,000.00	Fiscal Year 19
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^{1.} The bill carries a \$15,000,000 general fund appropriation.

^{2.} No apparent personnel impact.