97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB3379


SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

Makes appropriations to the Department of Agriculture for county fairs and fair and exposition authorities and for grants to soil and water conservation districts. Effective July 1, 2011.
AN ACT making appropriations.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Agriculture for County Fairs and Fair and Exposition Authorities:

Payable from the Agricultural Premium Fund:

For distribution to encourage and aid county fairs and other agricultural societies. $1,798,600

For premiums to agricultural extension or 4-H clubs to be distributed at a uniform rate 786,400

For rehabilitation of county fairgrounds 1,850,000

For agricultural education programs approved by the Department of Agriculture 329,300

Total $4,764,300

Payable from Fair and Exposition Fund:

For distribution to County Fairs and Fair and Exposition Authorities $900,900

Total $900,900
Section 10. The amount of $6,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Department of Agriculture from the General Revenue Fund for grants to soil and water conservation districts for clerical and other personnel, for education and promotional assistance, and for expenses of water conservation district boards and administrative expenses.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1, 2011.