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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2882

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 2882 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Department of Natural Resources
5 (Conservation) Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois
6 is amended by changing Section 805-40 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 805/805-40) (was 20 ILCS 805/63a41)

8 Sec. 805-40. Adopt-A-Park program. The Department shall
9 ~~may~~ establish and maintain Adopt-A-Park programs with
10 individual or group volunteers, if requested by an individual
11 or group volunteers, in an effort to reduce and remove litter
12 from parks and park lands and to provide services such as
13 mowing, trail maintenance, or repair projects. The Department
14 shall retain the ability to approve or deny an individual or
15 group volunteer's request; however, the Department must state
16 the reason for the request denial. These programs shall include

1 but not be limited to the following:

2 (1) Providing and coordinating services by volunteers
3 for mowing, trail maintenance, repair projects, or to
4 reduce the amount of litter, including providing trash bags
5 and trash bag pickup and, in designated areas where
6 volunteers may be in close proximity to moving vehicles,
7 providing safety briefings and reflective safety gear.

8 (2) Providing and installing signs identifying those
9 volunteers adopting particular parks and park lands. The
10 Department may request that the individual or group
11 volunteers pay for the sign.

12 The State and the Department and its employees are not
13 liable for any damages or injury suffered by any person
14 resulting from his or her participation in the program or from
15 the actions or activities of the volunteers.

16 (Source: P.A. 90-14, eff. 7-1-97; 91-239, eff. 1-1-00.)

17 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
18 becoming law."