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This bill concerns funds identified by the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) as owed by the city of Paynesville under MnDOT's aeronautics program due to land sold by the city for a highway project. A portion of the land had been previously acquired for a Paynesville airport using, in part, aeronautics aid from MnDOT.

In effect, the bill authorizes MnDOT to enter into an agreement with the city of Paynesville to allow for use of the funds owed from the land sale for aeronautics purposes in lieu of repayment and as an offset to aeronautics aid to the city. The reallocated funds must be spent by June 30, 2015, and any unspent portion is deposited in the state airports fund.