

Subject Grant to Wilderness Inquiry for K12 Credit Recovery Programs

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Overview

Wilderness Inquiry is a nonprofit organization that provides a variety of programming options designed to connect to individuals, including individuals with disabilities and individuals from underserved communities, with the outdoors.

H.F. 3948 appropriates \$494,000 in fiscal year 2023 to Wilderness Inquiry for credit recovery programs, capital expenses, and a fellowship program.

Summary

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| 1 | <p>Appropriation; Wilderness Inquiry credit recovery.</p> <p>Appropriates \$494,000 in fiscal year 2023 from the general fund to the commissioner of education for a grant to Wilderness Inquiry. Requires Wilderness Inquiry to use \$290,000 for credit recovery activities, \$15,000 for accessibility equipment for youth with disabilities, \$145,000 for transportation needs, and \$44,000 for a fellowship program. Authorizes the appropriation to remain available until June 30, 2025.</p> <p>Requires Wilderness Inquiry to form at least four partnerships with school district or charter school programs to deliver services through a model that enhances credit recovery program opportunities. Requires two partnerships in the 11-county metropolitan area and two partnerships with schools located in other counties.</p> <p>Requires Wilderness Inquiry to report to the legislature on the use of the grant funds and the outcomes of its program.</p> |
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