

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 1076, the delete everything amendment
1.2 (H1076DE2), as follows:

1.3 Page 218, after line 20, insert:

1.4 "Sec. 5. [103C.701] SOIL-HEALTHY FARMING GOALS.

1.5 (a) It is the goal of the state to encourage soil health, as defined in section 103C.101,
1.6 subdivision 10a, farming practices. This may be done by achieving the following objectives:

1.7 (1) preventing or minimizing soil erosion;

1.8 (2) retaining water quantity to provide for infiltration;

1.9 (3) improving surface and ground water quality;

1.10 (4) sustaining soil organic matter; and

1.11 (5) supporting soil life and pollinators.

1.12 (b) To achieve the objectives under paragraph (a), the state sets a goal of 30 percent of
1.13 Minnesota privately owned farmland using soil health practices including, but not limited
1.14 to, cover crops, perennial crops, no-till or reduced tillage, strip cropping, or managed
1.15 rotational grazing by 2030."

1.16 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references