. \_\_\_\_

1.5	"Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 97A.056, subdivision 12, is amended to read:
1.6	Subd. 12. Accomplishment plans. (a) It is a condition of acceptance of money
1.7	appropriated from the outdoor heritage fund that the agency or entity using the appropriation
1.8	submits an accomplishment plan and periodic accomplishment reports to the Lessard-Sams
1.9	Outdoor Heritage Council in the form determined by the council. The accomplishment plan
1.10	must identify the project manager responsible for expending the appropriation and the final
1.11	product. The accomplishment plan must account for the use of the appropriation and
1.12	outcomes of the expenditure in measures of wetlands, prairies, forests, and fish, game, and
1.13	wildlife habitat restored, protected, and enhanced. The plan must include an evaluation of
1.14	results. If lands are acquired by fee with money from the outdoor heritage fund, the
1.15	accomplishment plan must include a hunting and fishing management plan for the lands
1.16	acquired by fee. No money appropriated from the outdoor heritage fund may be expended
1.17	unless the council has approved the pertinent accomplishment plan.
1.18	(b) If an appropriation from the outdoor heritage fund will result in or contribute to
1.19	restoration or enhancement habitat work on land, it is a condition of acceptance of the money
1.20	that the recipient include the following in the accomplishment plan:
1.21	(1) an agreement that the recipient of the appropriation will notify all adjacent property
1.22	owners by certified mail of the work to be performed. The notice must include the name,
1.23	phone number, and email of the project manager or local contact so that adjacent property
1.24	owners can contact the person with questions about the project. A copy of the notification
1.25	letter must be attached to the accomplishment plan; and
1.26	(2) an explanation of how the recipient will seek approval from adjacent property owners if
1.27	access to adjacent land is required to perform the work.
1.28	EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2025, and applies to appropriations
1.29	from the outdoor heritage fund on or after that date."

\_ \_ \_

\_ \_

\_ \_\_\_ \_\_ \_