

[BUDGET (s) AFFECTED]

Section Under Consideration:

Section 024. STATE PARKS & CULTURAL RESOURCES
(St. Parks & Hist. Sites)

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1 Page 1-line 13 After "amendments;" insert "requiring
2 reports;".
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4 Page 23-line 19 After "Sites" insert "3."; under GENERAL FUND
5 increase amount by "6,500,000".
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7 Page 24-after line 18 Insert:
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9 "3. (a) Of this general fund appropriation, six million five
10 hundred thousand dollars (\$6,500,000.00) is appropriated for the
11 purposes provided by this footnote. The board of land commissioners
12 is authorized and directed to convey its right, title and interest
13 in the following described parcels of land to the department of
14 state parks and cultural resources for development as a state park
15 following the completion of the site criteria process pursuant to
16 W.S. 36-4-106 and 36-4-108: in Natrona county, that part of the
17 NE:E2SE Lots 3 and 4, N2SE:SWSE of Section 31, Township 33 North,
18 Range 79 West containing four hundred forty and fifteen hundredths
19 (440.15) acres; Section 36, Township 33 North, Range 80 West
20 containing six hundred forty (640.00) acres; that part of E2 of
21 section 30, Township 33 North, Range 79 West containing three
22 hundred twenty (320.00) acres; that part of S2 of Section 35,
23 Township 33 North, Range 80 West containing three hundred twenty
24 (320.00) acres; that part of S2 of Section 34, Township 33 North,
25 Range 80 West containing four hundred eighty (480.00) acres; that
26 part of E2NE:E2SE of Section 33, Township 33 North, Range 80 West
27 containing one hundred sixty (160.00) acres; that part of Lots 1
28 and 2 NESE:S2SE:E2SW:SENE of Section 2, Township 32 North, Range
29 80 West containing three hundred seventeen and eighty-two
30 hundredths (317.82) acres; and that part of Lots 2, 3 and 4
31 S2N2:SE:SESW:SWSW:NESE of Section 1, Township 32 North, Range 80
32 West containing five hundred fifty-three and thirty-four
33 hundredths (553.34) acres.
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35 (b) The board of land commissioners may use a portion of the
36 funds appropriated in subsection (a) of this footnote to negotiate

1 the disposition of any mineral leases currently encumbering the
2 property described in subsection (a) of this footnote as necessary
3 to effectuate the transfer of lands authorized in this footnote.
4 The transfer of lands authorized in this footnote shall be by sale
5 at fair market value as determined by an appraisal, and funds from
6 the sale shall be transferred into the common school account within
7 the permanent land fund.

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9 (c) The department of state parks and cultural resources shall
10 initiate the site criteria process as required by this footnote
11 not later than one (1) year following the transfer of land as
12 required by this footnote and provide a report on the site
13 criteria process for the lands described in subsection (a) of
14 this footnote to the joint travel, recreation, wildlife and
15 cultural resources interim committee not later than October 1,
16 2027."

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18 To the extent required by this amendment: adjust totals; and
19 renumber as necessary. HARSHMAN, CAMPBELL, E, JARVIS, RIGGINS

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