

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

Date

May 12, 2021

Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB21-1260 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, after line 21 insert:

2 "SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-60-106.3, amend
3 (6)(c) as follows:

4 **37-60-106.3. State water plan - legislative declaration - grant**
5 **program. (6) Water plan implementation grant program.** The board
6 may approve grants pursuant to the following requirements:

7 (c) ~~Grant money must amount to no more than fifty percent of the~~
8 ~~total cost of an individual project, and the total money from all board~~
9 ~~funding sources must not exceed seventy-five percent of the total cost of~~
10 ~~an individual project~~ THE BOARD SHALL ESTABLISH CRITERIA THAT
11 REQUIRE MATCHING FUNDS OF AT LEAST TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT; EXCEPT
12 THAT THE BOARD MAY AWARD GRANTS IN 2021 AND 2022 WITH REDUCED
13 MATCHING FUND REQUIREMENTS."

14 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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