## HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

April 22, 2022
Chair of Committee Date
Committee on Appropriations.
After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:
HB22-1379 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:
Amend printed bill, page 5, after line 25 insert:
"SECTION 3. Appropriation. For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, \$15,000,000 is appropriated to the department of natural resources for use by the Colorado water conservation board. This appropriation is from the Colorado water conservation board construction fund created in section 37-60-121 (1)(a), C.R.S. To implement this act, the board may use this appropriation for watershed restoration and flood mitigation project grants. Any money appropriated in this section not expended prior to July 1, 2023, is further appropriated to the board from July 1, 2023, through December 30, 2024, for the same purpose."
Renumber succeeding section accordingly.
Page 1, line 103, strike "RESOURCES." and substitute "RESOURCES, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.".

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