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House File 225

Passed on File. By COMMITTEE ON CONSERVATION, DRAINAGE and FLOOD CONTROL.

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A BILL FOR

An Act to amend sections four hundred fifty-five A point nineteen (455A.19), four hundred fifty-five A point twenty-two (455A.22), and four hundred fifty-five A point twenty-four (455A.24), Code 1950, relating to floodways and flood control.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Section four hundred fifty-five A point
2 nineteen (455A.19), Code 1950, is amended by striking from line
3 sixteen (16) the words "flood control" and by substituting in
4 lieu thereof the words "the efficiency of or unduly restricts
5 the capacity of a floodway."

1 Sec. 2. Section four hundred fifty-five A point nineteen
2 (455A.19), Code 1950, is further amended by striking from
3 lines twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five
4 (25), and twenty-six (26), the words "and it is uncertain as
5 to whether it will adversely affect the efficiency of or
6 unduly restrict the capacity of the floodway,".

1 Sec. 3. Section four hundred fifty-five A point nineteen
2 (455A.19), Code 1950, is further amended by striking from
3 line twenty-six (26) the word "may" and by substituting in

4 lieu thereof the word "shall".

1 Sec. 4. Section four hundred fifty-five A point twenty-
2 two (455A.22), Code 1950, is amended by striking from line one
3 (1) the words "for flood control" and by substituting in lieu
4 thereof the words "relating to or in any manner affecting
5 flood control".

1 Sec. 5. Section four hundred fifty-five A point twenty-
2 two (455A.22), Code 1950, is further amended by striking from
3 lines eight (8) and nine (9) the words "for flood control"
4 and by substituting in lieu thereof the words "relating to
5 or in any manner affecting flood control"

1 Sec. 6. Section four hundred fifty-five A point twenty-
2 two (455A.22), Code 1950, is further amended by striking all
3 of lines twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30),
4 thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-
5 four (34), and thirty-five (35), and by substituting in lieu
6 thereof the following: "The provisions of this section shall
7 apply to all projects relating to or in any manner affecting
8 flood control undertaken by all public agencies including
9 counties, cities, towns and all political subdivisions of the
10 State of Iowa and to all privately undertaken projects."

1 Sec. 7. Section four hundred fifty-five A point twenty-
2 four (455A.24), Code 1950, is amended by striking the period
3 (.) following the word "institutions" in line nine (9) and by
4 adding thereto the following: "and further provided than any
5 work of any of the other agencies or institutions, which

6 relates to or affects flood control shall be subject to the
7 approval of the Iowa natural resources council.”

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 225

The purpose of this bill is to amend various sections of Chapter 455A, Code 1950, to provide uniform phraseology; to clarify the requirements of submitting of all projects affecting the efficiency or the capacity of a floodway to the Iowa natural resources council for review; to clarify the category of projects by public agencies to be submitted to the resources council for review.