



2023 South Dakota Legislature

Senate Bill 12

Introduced by: The Senate Committee on Appropriations at the request of the Department of the Military

1 **An Act to authorize the construction of a National Guard vehicle maintenance shop**
 2 **in Watertown, to make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an**
 3 **emergency.**

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

5 **Section 1.** The Department of the Military may contract for the construction, completion,
 6 furnishing, equipping, and maintaining of, including heating, plumbing, water, sewer, electric
 7 facilities, architectural and engineering services, and such other services or actions as may
 8 be required to construct a vehicle maintenance shop in Watertown for an estimated cost of
 9 \$29,000,000, subject to permitted adjustments pursuant to section 3 of this Act.

10 **Section 2.** There is hereby appropriated \$29,000,000 in federal fund expenditure authority
 11 to the Department of the Military for purposes stated in section 1 of this Act.

12 **Section 3.** The Department of the Military may adjust the authorized cost estimate in section
 13 1 of this Act to reflect inflation as measured by the building cost index reported by the
 14 Engineering News Record, additional expenditures required to comply with regulations
 15 adopted after the effective date of this Act, or additional sums received pursuant to section 4
 16 of this Act. However, any adjustments to the construction cost estimate for the project may
 17 not exceed one hundred twenty-five percent of the appropriation stated in section 1 of this
 18 Act.

19 **Section 4.** In addition to the amount appropriated in section 2 of this Act, the Department of
 20 the Military may accept and expend for the purposes of this Act any funds obtained from gifts,
 21 contributions, or any other source if the acceptance and expenditure is approved in
 22 accordance with § 4-8B-10.

23 **Section 5.** The design and construction of this project shall be under the general charge and
 24 supervision of the Department of the Military. The adjutant general of the Department of the

1 Military or the state engineer shall approve vouchers and the state auditor shall draw warrants
2 to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.

3 **Section 6.** Any amounts appropriated in this Act not lawfully expended or obligated shall
4 revert in accordance with the procedures prescribed in chapter 4-8.

5 **Section 7.** Whereas, this Act is necessary for the support of the state government and its
6 existing public institutions, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act is in full
7 force and effect from and after its passage and approval.