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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

AN ACT

To amend chapter 644, RSMo, by adding thereto three new sections relating to the issuance of bonds for water pollution and stormwater control.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 644, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto three new sections, to be known as sections 644.566, 644.568 and 644.570, to read as follows:

644.566. In addition to those sums authorized prior to August 28, 1998, the board of fund commissioners of the state of Missouri, as authorized by section 37(e) of article III of the Constitution of the state of Missouri, may borrow on the credit of this state the sum of two and one-half million dollars in the manner and for the purpose of financing and constructing improvements as set out in chapter 640, RSMo, and this chapter.

644.568. In addition to those sums authorized prior to August 28, 1998, the board of fund commissioners of the state of Missouri, as authorized by section 37(g) of article III of the Constitution of the state of Missouri, may borrow on the credit of this state the sum of ten million dollars for the purposes of financing and constructing improvements as set out in chapter 640, RSMo, and this chapter. The department shall allocate these funds to counties, municipalities, sewer districts, water districts, or any combination of the same to provide grants and loans for rural water and sewer projects.

644.570. 1. The board of fund commissioners of the state of Missouri, as authorized by section 37(h) of article III of the Constitution of the state of Missouri, may borrow on the credit of this state the sum of twenty million dollars for the purposes of financing and constructing stormwater control plans, studies and projects as set out in chapter 640, RSMo, and this chapter. The department shall allocate these

funds through grants and loans to municipalities, sewer districts, sewer districts established pursuant to article VI, section 30(a) of the Missouri Constitution, water districts, or any combination of the same located in a county of the first classification or in any city not within a county or by any county of the first classification.

2. Of the funds allocated in subsection 1 of this section, fifty percent shall be allocated to grants and fifty percent shall be allocated to loans. Grant amounts so awarded shall be fifty percent of the cost of the plan, study or project.

3. Grants and loans awarded pursuant to this section shall be dispersed to eligible recipients in counties of the first classification and in a city not within a county in an amount equal to the percentage ratio that the recipient's population bears to the total population of all counties of the first classification and cities not within a county as determined by the last decennial census.

4. Grants and loans awarded pursuant to this section shall be dispersed directly to eligible recipients in any city with a population of at least twenty-five inhabitants located in a county of the first classification in an amount equal to the percentage ratio that the recipient's population bears to the total population of the county.

5. Other provisions of this section notwithstanding, in those cities or counties served by a sewer district established pursuant to article VI, section 30(a) of the Constitution of the state of Missouri, any grants or loans awarded shall be dispersed directly to such district.

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