GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2011

SENATE BILL 444 RATIFIED BILL

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

SECTION 1. The purpose of this act is to authorize (i) the planning or construction by certain constituent institutions of The University of North Carolina of the capital improvements projects listed in this act for the respective institutions, (ii) the financing of these projects with funds available to the institutions from gifts, grants, receipts, self-liquidating indebtedness, Medicare reimbursements for education costs, hospital receipts from patient care, or other funds, or any combination of these funds, but not including funds received for tuition or appropriated from the General Fund of the State unless previously authorized by General Statute, and (iii) other expenditures for improvements.

UNC CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

SECTION 2. The capital improvements projects, and their respective costs, authorized by this act to be constructed and financed as provided in Section 1 of this act, including by revenue bonds, by special obligation bonds as authorized in Section 5 of this act, or by both, are as follows:

Appalachian State University Winkler Residence Hall – Supplement Belk Residence Hall	\$ 3,000,000 9,765,000		
East Carolina University Belk Residence Hall Demolition and Reconstruction	40,000,000		
North Carolina State University Phytotron Energy Savings Performance Contract	6,200,000		
The University of North Carolina at Asheville Mountain Area Health Education Center (MAHEC) Facility Acquisition	4,750,000		
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Chilled Water Infrastructure Improvements Steam and Hot Water Infrastructure Improvements Craige Parking Deck – Supplement	11,700,000 12,000,000 8,000,000		
The University of North Carolina at Charlotte Campus Infrastructure Development Residence Hall Phase XII Cedar/Hickory/Sycamore (Phase IV-A) Renovation	49,500,000 38,407,410 10,000,000		
The University of North Carolina at Greensboro 1600 W. Lee Street Parking Lot Improvements	3,432,000		



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SECTION 3. The capital improvements projects, and their respective costs, authorized by this act to be planned and financed as provided in Section 1 of this act, including by revenue bonds, by special obligation bonds as authorized in Section 5 of this act, or by both, are as follows:

North Carolina A&T State University New Student Center Williams Dining Hall Kitchen Replacement	\$ 5,000,000 500,000
North Carolina Central University New – Student Health Services Center – Phase 1	700,000
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Athletic Facilities Master Plan and Phase 1 Improvements Odum Village Replacement	5,000,000 5,000,000
Winston-Salem State University Restore the Core – Phase II (Hauser, Pegram, Physical Plant)	1,500,000

SECTION 4. At the request of the Board of Governors of The University of North Carolina and upon determining that it is in the best interest of the State to do so, the Director of the Budget may authorize an increase or decrease in the cost of, or a change in the method of, funding the projects authorized by this act. In determining whether to authorize a change in cost or funding, the Director of the Budget may consult with the Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations.

SECTION 5. Pursuant to G.S. 116D-26, the Board of Governors may issue, subject to the approval of the Director of the Budget, at one time or from time to time, special obligation bonds of the Board of Governors for the purpose of paying all or any part of the cost of acquiring, constructing, or providing for the projects authorized by Section 2 and Section 3 of this act. The maximum principal amount of bonds to be issued shall not exceed the specified project costs in Section 2 and Section 3 of this act plus five percent (5%) of such amount to pay issuance expenses, fund reserve funds, pay capitalized interest, and pay other related additional costs, plus any increase in the specific project costs authorized by the Director of the Budget pursuant to Section 4 of this act.

SECTION 6. With respect to UNC-Chapel Hill's Chilled Water Infrastructure Improvements capital project, the institution may accomplish construction and financing notwithstanding the requirement in G.S. 116D-22(5) as to location at the institution and may accomplish the project either through (i) direct ownership of the project or (ii) an arrangement with Orange Water and Sewer Authority.

SECTION 7. With respect to Winston-Salem State University's New Student Housing Building 1 Acquisition project, the institution may accomplish construction, acquisition, and financing through arrangements to, from, and with Winston-Salem State University Foundation, Inc., and Winston-Salem State University Housing Foundation, LLC.

NON-GENERAL FUND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

SECTION 8. The General Assembly authorizes the following capital projects to be funded with receipts or from other non-General Fund sources available to the appropriate department:

Name of Project

Amount of Non-General Fund Funding Authorized for FY 2012-2013

Department of Public Safety Training Site Improvements

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Aviation Facilities Improvements Logistics Facilities Improvements Career Tech. Ed. Ctr. – Stonewall Jackson Y.D.C. Storage Sheds – Statewide Readiness Centers Improvements Track and Field Facility – Stonewall Jackson Y.D.C.	600,000 310,000 163,332 51,765 40,000 161,046
Department of Agriculture Parking Improvement/Expansion. – Raleigh Farmers Market Wholesale Dock Enclosure – Raleigh Farmers Market Phase II Greenhouse Exp. – Additional Funding – Tidewater RS Phase II – Calf Barn Construction – Piedmont RS Forest Road Construction HVAC Campus Improvements – State Fairgrounds Campus Infrastructure – State Fairgrounds Renovations to Existing Buildings – State Fairgrounds Hunt Horse Complex Site Rep & Improvements – State Fairgrounds Temperature Monitoring System – Constable Laboratory Cooler – Food Distribution Salisbury Warehouse Market Renovations – Raleigh Farmers Market Improvements/Renovations – Southeastern NC Agriculture Center Wholesale Dock Improvements – Western NC Farmers Market	$\begin{array}{c} 200,000\\ 750,000\\ 200,000\\ 150,000\\ 150,000\\ 3,000,000\\ 3,000,000\\ 3,000,000\\ 100,000\\ 100,000\\ 1,000,000\\ 1,000,000\\ 300,000\\ 300,000\end{array}$
Department of Cultural Resources NC Maritime Museum Gallants Channel Multi-Use Facility N.C. Museum of Art Trail Improvement Project Duke Homestead Picnic Shelter	1,115,000 370,000 175,000
Department of Environment and Natural Resources Sound Side Dock & Education Gazebo at Roanoke Is. Aquarium NC Zoo – Solar Pointe Restrooms	350,000 400,000
Wildlife Resources Commission Agency Land Purchase Table Rock Hatchery Building Replacement Watha Hatchery Building Replacement New Construction of Fishing Access Areas New Construction of Boating Access Areas Renovations of Existing Boating Access Areas ADA Initiative of Existing Boating Access Areas Infrastructure Repair and Renovation	3,750,000 75,000 300,000 240,000 800,000 800,000 280,000 1,500,000
Department of Administration Sandhills Cemetery – Committal Structure	200,000
TOTAL AMOUNT OF NON-GENERAL FUND CAPITAL	448 051 142

PROJECTS AUTHORIZED \$27,851,143

SECTION 9. The Division of Veterans Affairs of the Department of Administration shall report on or before January 1, 2013, to the Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Affairs on the status of the Committal Structure project located at the Sandhills Cemetery.

SECTION 10. This act is effective when it becomes law. In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 28th day of June,

2012.

s/ Walter H. Dalton President of the Senate

s/ Thom Tillis Speaker of the House of Representatives

Beverly E. Perdue Governor

Approved _____.m. this _____ day of _____, 2012