

LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO  
Sixty-fourth Legislature First Regular Session - 2017

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 296

BY APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 APPROPRIATING MONEYS TO THE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION FOR FIS-  
2 CAL YEAR 2018; LIMITING THE NUMBER OF AUTHORIZED FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT  
3 POSITIONS; AND PROVIDING LEGISLATIVE INTENT REGARDING DISTRIBUTIONS TO  
4 THE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.  
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6 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

7 SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Soil and Water Conser-  
8 vation Commission, the following amounts to be expended for the designated  
9 expense classes, from the listed funds for the period July 1, 2017, through  
10 June 30, 2018:

	FOR PERSONNEL COSTS	FOR OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FOR CAPITAL OUTLAY	FOR TRUSTEE AND BENEFIT PAYMENTS	TOTAL
11 FROM:					
12 General					
13 Fund	\$1,207,200	\$183,900	\$90,600	\$1,253,200	\$2,734,900
14 Administration and Accounting Services					
15 Fund		30,000			30,000
16 Resource Conservation and Rangeland Development					
17 Fund	167,100	146,400			313,500
18 Clean Water Revolving Loan (SCC)					
19 Fund		30,000			30,000
20 Federal Grant					
21 Fund	<u>17,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>17,500</u>
22 TOTAL	\$1,391,800	\$390,300	\$90,600	\$1,253,200	\$3,125,900

27 SECTION 2. FTP AUTHORIZATION. In accordance with Section 67-3519,  
28 Idaho Code, the Soil and Water Conservation Commission is authorized no more  
29 than seventeen and seventy-five hundredths (17.75) full-time equivalent  
30 positions at any point during the period July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018,  
31 unless specifically authorized by the Governor. The Joint Finance-Appro-  
32 priations Committee will be notified promptly of any increased positions so  
33 authorized.

34 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the Legislature that  
35 \$100,000 of the amount appropriated in Section 1 of this act for trustee and  
36 benefit payments is to be distributed equally between the fifty (50) soil

1 and water conservation districts in addition to the amounts authorized under  
2 Section 22-2727, Idaho Code.