## LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

## ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

## SECOND SESSION

## **LEGISLATIVE BILL 1229**

Introduced by Hilkemann, 4.

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Committee: Appropriations

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal
- funds to the Department of Economic Development; and to declare an
- 3 emergency.
- 4 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

- 1 Section 1. (1) There is hereby appropriated \$1,000,000 from Federal
- 2 Funds for FY2022-23 to the Department of Economic Development for the
- 3 purposes described in subsection (2) of this section. The Federal Funds
- 4 appropriated in this section are from the funds allocated to the State of
- 5 Nebraska from the federal Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund pursuant
- 6 to the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Public Law 117-2,
- 7 Subtitle M, Sec. 9901.
- 8 (2) The Department of Economic Development shall provide the funds
- 9 appropriated in this section to a Nebraska-based tax-exempt organization
- 10 <u>under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code for the following</u>
- 11 <u>purposes:</u>
- 12 <u>(a) Operation of free sports and fitness programs;</u>
- 13 (b) Stipends for event and marketing internships for Nebraska
- 14 college students; and
- (c) Facility rental costs for amateur sports and fitness events that
- 16 attract out-of-state visitors and generate economic benefit for Nebraska
- 17 communities.
- 18 Sec. 2. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when
- 19 passed and approved according to law.