

## S.F. No. 958 – Agriculture and Rural Development Policy, Article 2 (2<sup>nd</sup> Engrossment)

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**Section 1 [Wolf destruction of livestock compensation; report]** requires a report by the commissioner of agriculture for the compensation program for livestock that is destroyed by a wolf or is so crippled by a wolf that it must be destroyed.

**Section 2 [Good food access program; WIC]** eliminates the requirement to apply to receive WIC payments for the good food access program.

**Section 3 [Pesticide applicator; sanitizers and disinfectants]** eliminates the requirement to have a commercial pesticide applicator's license to apply general use sanitizers and disinfectants for hire.

**Section 4 [ACRRA reimbursement]** increases the agricultural chemical response and reimbursement account (ACRRA) reimbursement to \$600,000 per event from \$350,000.

**Section 5 [Cottage food pet treats]** allows a person who is registered with the commissioner of agriculture to prepare and sell home-processed pet treats for dogs and cats.

**Sections 6 and 11 [Seasonal processors of game meat]** exempt from the food licensing law the seasonal processing of game meat for up to 90 days each year.

**Sections 7 to 10 [Cottage foods]** modify the cottage food law to:

1. Allow a cottage food producer to list their registration number in place of a home address;
2. Provides a pH level for water activity;
3. Increases the gross receipts limitation to \$78,000/year from \$18,000;
4. Provides for an inflationary factor to be applied to the gross receipts limitation every five years, beginning in 2027;
5. Decrease the registration fee to \$25 from \$50; and
6. Provides for an inflationary factor to the exemption to pay the license fee for up to \$5,000/year in gross receipts, beginning in 2022 and every five years thereafter.

**Sections 12, 13, and 19 [Cervidae; CWD]** modify the Cervidae disease protection to restrict disease management or endemic zones to the farm where CWD is found and changes the timing for depopulation to be after the federal indemnification is completed.

**Sections 14 and 15 [Bioeconomy; biomass sourcing plans]** except corn kernel fiber and biogas from biomass sourcing plans for advanced biofuel and renewable chemical incentive payments.

**Sections 16 and 18 [Feedlots; manure application]** prohibits the PCA from including restrictions on applying solid manure in February, March, September, and October.

**Section 17 [Police dog treatment; EMTs]** allows a person certified by the Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board to treat wounded police dogs wounded in the line of duty.

Bills included in Article 2:

- SF 566, Weber – Manure application
- SF 876, Westrom – Seasonal game meat processors
- SF 952, Matthews – emergency medical care for police dogs
- SF1225, Westrom – ACRRA
- SF 1254, Matthews – Cottage foods modifications
- SF 1305, Weber – CWD
- SF 1460, Westrom – sanitizers and disinfectants
- SF1494 amendment, Johnson – Wolf depredation report
- SF1610, Matthews – Cottage foods pet treats
- SF 1795, Westrom -- Agriculture policy