

By Senator Gardiner

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1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the  
3           Federal Grants Trust Fund within the Department of  
4           Economic Opportunity without modification; repealing  
5           s. 20.181(3), F.S.; abrogating provisions relating to  
6           the termination of the trust fund to conform;  
7           providing an effective date.  
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9           WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of the  
10          Federal Grants Trust Fund within the Department of Economic  
11          Opportunity, which is otherwise scheduled to be terminated  
12          pursuant to constitutional mandate, and

13          WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund before  
14          its scheduled termination date and has found that it continues  
15          to meet an important public purpose, and

16          WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public  
17          policy concerning the trust fund sets adequate parameters for  
18          its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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20          Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:  
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22                 Section 1. The Federal Grants Trust Fund within the  
23                 Department of Economic Opportunity, FLAIR number 40-2-261, which  
24                 is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), Article III of  
25                 the State Constitution on July 1, 2014, is re-created.

26                 Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 20.181, Florida  
27                 Statutes, is repealed.

28                 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.