

Sixtieth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1265

Introduced by

Representatives Aarsvold, Hofstad, Nelson

Senator Lindaas

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 61-21 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to culverts for assessment drains.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 61-21 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 created and enacted as follows:

6 **Assessment drain culverts.** As part of the design and construction of a proposed  
7 assessment drain or the maintenance or reconstruction of an existing assessment drain, the  
8 board may locate, relocate, size, and install culverts through roads which are not on the routes  
9 of assessment drains but which are within the assessment area and which are necessary for  
10 surface water to reach the assessment drain. The design and installation of culverts under this  
11 section must be consistent with chapters 24-03 and 24-06 and the streamcrossing standards  
12 prepared by the department of transportation and the state engineer.