

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**House Bill No. 1603 - Funding Summary**

	Base Budget	Final Legislative Action	Comparison to Base Budget
State Historical Society			
Grave protection and repatriation		\$500,000	\$500,000
Total all funds	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bill total			
Total all funds	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00

House Bill No. 1603 - State Historical Society - House Action

This bill appropriates \$500,000 of ongoing funding from the general fund to the State Historical Society for costs associated with compliance with the federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act. The State Historical Society is required to use the funding to establish a compliance committee consisting of tribal historic preservation officers or their designees from each North Dakota tribe with an agreement under Chapter 54-40.2. Each tribe participating on the committee is required to provide matching funds of up to \$100,000 for committee efforts.

House Bill No. 1603 - State Historical Society - Senate Action

The Senate did not change the House version of this bill.