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1	HOUSE BILL NO. 12				
2	INTRODUCED BY M. HOPKINS				
3	BY REQUEST OF THE OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING				
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5	A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT APPROPRIATING MONEY FROM THE HISTORIC				
6	PRESERVATI	ON GRANT PROGRAM ACCOUNT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF	COMMERCE FOR HISTORIC		
7	PRESERVATIO	ON PROJECTS; AUTHORIZING GRANTS FROM THE HISTOR	IC PRESERVATION GRANT		
8	PROGRAM AC	CCOUNT; PLACING CONDITIONS ON GRANTS AND FUNDS;	PROVIDING AN		
9	APPROPRIAT	ION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE."			
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11	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:				
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13	13 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Section 1. Appropriation for Montana historic grant program. (1) There is				
14	14 appropriated to the department of commerce \$8,501,314 for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, from the				
15	5 historic preservation grant program account established in 22-3-1307 to finance projects authorized in				
16	6 subsection (2).				
17	(2) The following projects and applicants are authorized for grants in their order of priority:				
18	Rank	Project/Applicant	Grant Amount		
19	1	Harlowton Roundhouse			
20		Harlowton, City of	\$500,000		
21	2	Fort Peck Theatre			
22		Fort Peck Fine Arts Council	\$500,000		
23	3	Baker State Bank Building			
24		Southeastern Montana Area Revitalization Team (SMART)	\$160,000		
25	4	Petroleum County Courthouse			
26		Petroleum County	\$498,720		
27	5	Milligan Building			
28		Bighorn Valley Health Center, Inc. dba One Health	\$500,000		



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1	6	Ringling Church		
2		The Ringling Commons, LLC	\$141,773	
3	7	National Museum of Forest Service History		
4		National Museum of Forest Service History	\$300,000	
5	8	Historic Teslow Grain Elevator		
6	Project49 <u>\$392,277</u> \$486,102			
7	8	A.D. Whitcomb Garage		
8		Buses of Yellowstone Preservation Trust, Inc.	\$136,366	
9	10	Havre Beneath the Streets		
10		Havre Beneath the Streets	\$359,672	
11	11	Hockaday Museum of Art		
12		Hockaday Museum of Art	\$31,000	
13	11	Historical Museum at Fort Missoula		
14		Friends of the Historical Museum at Fort Missoula	<u>\$175,200</u> \$272,000	
15	13	Shelby Town Hall		
16	16 Shelby, City of \$5,600		\$5,600	
17	14 Coggswell-Taylor House			
18		Montana Heritage Commission – Coggswell/Taylor House	<u>\$141,250</u>	
19	19 15 Rocky Mountain Building			
20		Community Health Care Center, Inc. dba Alluvion Health	<u>\$400,000</u> \$500,000	
21	15	The History Museum		
22		Cascade County Historical Society dba The History Museum	\$340,000	
23	15	Copper Village Museum and Arts Center		
24		Copper Village Museum and Arts Center	\$235,000	
25	18	Historic Hotel Libby		
26		Friends of Historic Hotel Libby	\$173,659	
27	18	Roosevelt Center		
28		Red Lodge Area Community Foundation	\$367,578	



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1	20	20 Kelly Block Building			
2		75 Park Street LLC \$500,000			
3	20	Montana Club			
4		Original Montana Club Cooperative Association	\$90,040		
5	20	Charles Krug House			
6		Sonja Maxwell <u>\$116,000</u>			
7	23	Glendive Greenhouse at Bloom Coffeehouse and Eatery			
8		Bloom Coffeehouse and Eatery	\$250,000		
9	23	Edwards & McLellan Block			
10		SGS Properties, LLC	\$221,590		
11	11 25 Hickman House				
12Montana Heritage Commission – Hickman House\$161,201 \$166,073		<u>\$161,201 </u>			
13	13 25 Paris Gibson Square Museum of Art				
14	Paris Gibson Square Museum of Art \$300,979		\$300,979		
15	25 Billings Depot				
16		Billings Depot, Inc. \$414,400			
17	28	28 Babcock Theatre			
18	18Cine Billings dba Art House Cinema\$236,000		\$236,000		
19	29 Wheeler Cabin				
20	20 Glacier National Park Conservancy \$493,200		\$493,200		
21	30	Gilbert House			
22		Montana Heritage Commission – Gilbert House	\$297,000		
23	30	Stillwater County Courthouse			
24		Stillwater County	\$500,000		
25	30	30 Waite House			
26		Yogo Mansion LLC	<u>\$270,000 </u> \$390,000		
27	33	Moss Manion			
28		Billings Preservation Society	\$500,000		



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1	34	Ouellette Place			
2		Homeword, Inc. (Ouellette Place) <u>\$100,000</u> \$287,300			
3	34	Acme Building			
4		Homeword, Inc. (Acme Historic Hotel) <u>\$100,000</u> \$321,1			
5	36	Great Falls Civic Center			
6		Great Falls, City of	<u>\$250,000 </u> \$500,000		
7	37	Miles City Convent Keepers Community Center			
8		Miles City Convent Keepers	\$119,688		
9	38	Lenox Flats Building			
10		Homeword, Inc. (Lenox Flats)	<u>\$100,000 </u> \$288,330		
11	38	Miles City Elks Lodge #537			
12		Miles City Elks Lodge #537 \$200,000			
13	40	Daly Mansion			
14		Daly Mansion Preservation Trust	<u>\$100,000 </u> \$266,400		
15	40	Fountain Terrace Condominiums			
16		Fountain Terrace Condominiums Inc.	\$500,000		
17	40	Garfield County Museum			
18		Garfield County	<u>\$400,000 </u> \$500,000		
19	43	Deer Lodge City Hall			
20		Deer Lodge, City of \$283,500			
21	44	Pollard Hotel			
22		Spofford Hotel Company \$118,720			
23	45	Joliet Town Hall and Courthouse			
24		Joliet, Town of \$83,000			
25	46	Lakeside Distillery			
26		Lakeside Distillery	\$65,000		
27	47	Miracle of America Museum			
28		Miracle of America Museum	<u>\$70,351 \$92,623</u>		
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1	48	Legal Tender Bar an	d Hotel Building		
2		Mountana Consulting	g, LLC		\$255,938
3	(3)	Funding for the proje	ects in subsection (2) v	vill be provided in the	order of priority as long as
4	there are suffic	cient funds available fro	om the amount that wa	as deposited into the h	nistoric preservation grant
5	program accou	int during the biennium	beginning July 1, 202	23. The funds in this s	ubsection must be awarded for
6	the projects an	d in amounts not to ex	ceed the amounts set	out in subsection (2)	subject to the conditions set
7	forth in [sectior	n 3]. However, any of t	he projects listed in su	bsection (2) that have	e not completed the conditions
8	described in [s	ection 3(1)] by Septerr	iber 1, 2024, must be	reviewed by the next	regular legislature to determine
9	if the authorize	d grant should be with	drawn.		
10	(4)	If sufficient funds are	available, this section	n constitutes a valid ot	oligation of funds to the grant
11	projects listed	in subsection (2) for pu	irposes of encumberir	ng the funds in the hist	toric preservation grant
12	program accou	int established in 22-3	-1307 for the biennium	beginning July 1, 202	23, pursuant to 17-7-302. A
13	grant recipient'	s entitlement to receiv	e funds is dependent	on the grant recipient'	s compliance with the
14	conditions described in [section 3] and on the availability of funds.				
15	(5)	The legislature, purs	uant to 22-3-1305, au	thorizes the grants for	the projects listed in
16	subsection (2).				
17	(6)	Grant recipients mus	t complete all of the c	onditions described in	[section 3(1)] by September
18	30, 2026, or ar	ny obligation to the gra	nt recipient will cease		
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20	NEW S	SECTION. Section 2.	Approval of grants	completion of bier	nnial appropriation. (1) The
21	legislature, pur	suant to 22-3-1305, at	uthorizes grants for the	e projects identified in	[section 1(2)].
22	(2)	The authorization of	these grants complete	es a biennial appropria	tion from the historic
23	preservation g	rant program account o	established in 22-3-13	07.	
24	(3)	Grants to entities fro	m prior bienniums are	reauthorized for comp	pletion of contract work.
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26	NEW S	SECTION. Section 3.	Condition of grants	disbursement of	funds. (1) The disbursement of
27	grant funds for	the projects specified	in [section 1(2)] is sub	ject to completion of t	he following conditions:
28	(a)	The grant recipient s	hall document that oth	er matching funds rec	quired for the completion of the



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1 project are firmly committed.

2 (b) The grant recipient must have a project management plan that is approved by the department 3 of commerce.

4 (c) The grant recipient must be in compliance with the auditing and reporting requirements
5 provided for in 2-7-503 and have established a financial accounting system that the department can reasonably
6 ensure conforms to generally accepted accounting principles. Tribal governments shall comply with auditing
7 and reporting requirements provided for in 2 CFR 200.

8 (d) The grant recipient shall satisfactorily comply with any conditions described in the application 9 (project) summaries section of the Montana historic preservation grant program 2025 biennium report to the 10 68th legislature.

11 (e) The grant recipient shall satisfy other specific requirements considered necessary by the 12 department of commerce to accomplish the purpose of the project as evidenced by the application to the 13 department.

14 (f) The grant recipient shall execute a grant agreement with the department of commerce.

(2) Recipients of Montana historic preservation grant program funds are subject to the
 requirements of the department of commerce as described in the most recent edition of the Montana Historic
 Preservation Grant Program Project Administration Manual adopted by the department through the
 administrative rulemaking process.

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<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Section 4. Other powers and duties of the department of commerce. (1) The
 department of commerce must disburse grant funds on a reimbursement basis as grant recipients incur eligible
 project expenses.

(2) If actual project expenses are lower than the projected expense of the project, the department
 may, at its discretion, reduce the amount of grant funds provided to grant recipients in proportion to all other
 project funding sources.

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27 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Section 5. Notification to tribal governments. The secretary of state shall send a
 28 copy of [this act] to each federally recognized tribal government in Montana.



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2	NEW SECTION. Section 6.	Effective date. [This act] is effective July 1, 2023.
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