



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5706

LCO No. 1179



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:

REP. VARGAS, 6th Dist.

REP. HENNESSY, 127th Dist.

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MUNICIPAL GRANT PROGRAM FOR
MAINTAINING NATURAL GRASS PLAYING FIELDS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the sum of eight hundred thousand dollars be appropriated to
- 2 the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, from the
- 3 General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for the purpose
- 4 of establishing a municipal grant program that will provide grants to
- 5 towns in order to allay costs associated with maintaining natural grass
- 6 playing fields.

Statement of Purpose:

To enable municipalities to meet the costs associated with maintaining natural grass playing fields.