SENATE, No. 3599 **STATE OF NEW JERSEY** 219th LEGISLATURE

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Sponsored by: Senator TROY SINGLETON District 7 (Burlington) Senator CHRIS A. BROWN District 2 (Atlantic)

SYNOPSIS

Makes \$5 million in federal funds available to Stockton University to support North Athletic Complex project.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



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1 AN ACT making federal funds available to Stockton University for 2 necessary improvements to water and sewer infrastructure. 3 4 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State 5 of New Jersey: 6 7 1. Subject to the availability of federal funds provided or made 8 accessible to the State via federal block grant funds allocated to the 9 State from the federal "Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund" 10 established pursuant to the federal "American Rescue Plan Act of 11 2021," Pub.L.117-2, \$5,000,000 from such federal funds shall be 12 made available to Stockton University for necessary water and 13 sewer utility infrastructure improvements at the Stockton University 14 North Athletic Complex. 15 16 2. This act shall take effect immediately. 17 18 **STATEMENT** 19 20 This bill makes \$5 million in federal funds available for water and sewer utility construction at the Stockton University North 21 Athletic Complex. These funds will be utilized to connect Stockton 22 23 University athletic facilities to local sewer and water systems. 24 Stockton University is currently engaged in a multi-phase expansion 25 of its North Athletic Complex. This project includes the construction of a new field house and pavilion containing an 26 27 athletic training facility, public restrooms, locker rooms and 28 academic support space. 29 The funding provided by this bill would be allocated from 30 federal block grant funds awarded to New Jersey from the "Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund" established by the 31 "American Rescue Plan Act of 2021," Pub.L.117-2. According to 32 33 an estimate calculated by Federal Funds Information for States, New Jersey will receive a formula-based allocation of \$6.434 34 billion from the "Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund." Federal 35 law permits states to use these block grant funds to make necessary 36 37 investments in water, sewer, or broadband infrastructure, among 38 other purposes.