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## HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

Bill: House File 590 Committee: **Transportation** Floor Manager: Rep. Devon Wood

Date: May 9, 2023

Staff: Brad Trow (1-3471) House Committee: PASSED 21-0 (3/1/2023) House Floor: PASSED 96-0 (3/9/2023) Senate Floor: PASSED 49-0 (5/4/2023)

Governor:

## Directing Fees on Flying Our Colors Plates go to the Flood Mitigation Fund

- In the 2020 legislative session, the Flying Our Colors license plate was created by the Legislature.
- The initial special fee for the plate (\$35) and the annual \$10 fee would be transferred to the Flood Mitigation Fund. The transfer was limited to any payments made before July 1, 2023.
- House File 590 strikes the date from the Code and has the funds to be permanently transferred to the Flood Mitigation Fund.

## **Section by Section Analysis**

## Section 1 (Iowa Code section 321.34 (11D) (c) (2):

The section amends the lowa Code provision depositing the special fees paid for having a Flying Our Colors license plate to the Flood Mitigation Fund. The funds are \$35 for the plate and an additional \$10 charged annually. Currently, these funds are transferred to the Flood Mitigation Fund until July 1, 2023. The bill would strike the language ending the transfer on July 1, 2023, making the distribution to the Flood Mitigation Fund permanent.