

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0247

Buffalo Bill Cody historical papers.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Simpson, Berger and
Illoway and Senator(s) Coe and Peterson

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the department of state parks and
2 cultural resources; authorizing the collection, editing and
3 publishing of archival documents of William F. Cody;
4 providing for an appropriation; and providing for an
5 effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.**

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11 (a) The department of state parks and cultural
12 resources is authorized to enter into a contract to
13 facilitate the collection, editing and publishing of
14 archival documents of William F. Cody that have historical
15 significance. The contract shall have, at minimum,
16 provisions for consideration which include:

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2 (i) Providing copies of any volumes created to
3 the University of Wyoming and each community college
4 library within the state of Wyoming and the Wyoming state
5 library;

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7 (ii) Providing a minimum of five percent (5%) of
8 the royalties from the sale of volumes created to be paid
9 to the state of Wyoming; and

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11 (iii) That the state of Wyoming shall be
12 mentioned prominently in the acknowledgements in the
13 volumes created.

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15 (b) Funds shall only be expended by the department
16 pursuant to the contract to match an equal amount of funds
17 for the project provided by nonstate sources.

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19 (c) There is appropriated three hundred thousand
20 dollars (\$300,000.00) from the general fund for the fiscal
21 year commencing July 1, 2007 to the department of state
22 parks and cultural resources for purposes of this act.

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