

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA  
ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 654**

Introduced by Murman, 38.

Read first time January 22, 2025

Committee: Appropriations

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to the

2 Department of Agriculture; and to declare an emergency.

3 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           **Section 1.**   There is hereby appropriated (1) \$300,000 from the  
2 General Fund for FY2025-26 and (2) \$300,000 from the General Fund for  
3 FY2026-27 to the Department of Agriculture, for Program 78, for state  
4 aid.

5           There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program  
6 \$300,000 General Funds for FY2025-26 and \$300,000 General Funds for  
7 FY2026-27, for purposes of purchasing assistive technology and equipment  
8 for farmers and ranchers pursuant to the Nebraska AgrAbility program  
9 which does not otherwise qualify for funding by the United States  
10 Department of Agriculture.

11           **Sec. 2.**   Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when  
12 passed and approved according to law.