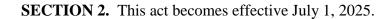
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2025

S SENATE BILL 682

Short Title:	Funds for Charlotte Nature Museum.	(Public)
Sponsors:	Senators Salvador, Bradley, and Waddell (Primary Sponsors).	
Referred to:	Rules and Operations of the Senate	
March 26, 2025		
A BILL TO BE ENTITLED		
AN ACT T	O APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DISCOVERY PLACE FOR C	APITAL
PROJECTS AT ITS CHARLOTTE NATURE MUSEUM.		
The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:		
SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Office of State		
Budget and Management the sum of six million five hundred thousand dollars (\$6,500,000) in		
nonrecurring	funds for the 2025-2026 fiscal year to provide a directed grant to Discove	ry Place,
Inc., to be used as follows:		
(1	One million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000) to be use	d at The
	Charlotte Nature Museum for the completion of sidewalks, parking	lots, and
	electric vehicle charging stations located throughout the property.	
(2	Pive million dollars (\$5,000,000) to be used for the completion of	the Tree
	Canopy Walk project, including the construction of the walk, safety	features,
	accessibility improvements, and interpretive educational exhibits	
	Charlotte Nature Museum.	
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