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HOUSE BILL 1030: 2016 Appropriations Act, Sec. 14.12: Clarify Aquatic Weed Control Funding Eligibility

Committee:		Date:	August 9, 2016
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Analysis of:	Sec. 14.12 of S.L. 2016-94		Research Assistant

OVERVIEW: *Sec. 14.12 of S.L. 2016-94 makes clarifying and conforming changes to the Shallow Draft Navigation Channel Dredging and Aquatic Weed Control Funding eligibility.*

This section became effective July 1, 2016.

BILL ANALYSIS: The provision does the following:

- Makes clarifying changes to aquatic weed control funding eligibility.
- Revises the cost-share requirements to allow for the dredging of the access canal around the Roanoke Island Festival Park to be paid from the Historic Roanoke Island Fund.
- Creates an annual reporting requirement to the Fiscal Research Division and the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources. The report is due no later than October 1 of each year. The report must include project type (dredging or weed control), project location, brief project description, entity receiving the funding, and amount of funding provided.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2016.

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