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Amendment# 115

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Tax Cut

Summary

Article VII, Section 10 of the state constitution allows the state to appropriate monies for the purpose of acquiring, preserving and developing the forests of the state through a tax on property not to exceed 0.2 mill (20 cents per \$1,000 of property value). This tax is frequently referred to as the forestry mill tax and is the only property tax levied by the state. For 1997-98, the tax generated \$46.6 million, which is 80 percent of the total revenue credited to the forestry account (other revenue sources include campsite fees, timber sales and nurseries).

This amendment would earmark \$100,000 from the forestry mill tax to the University of Wisconsin Madison Center for Cooperatives (UWCC) to award grants to a person or business proposing to form forestry cooperatives among private, non-industrial woodlands owners. ^{maintain} No more than 5 percent of the appropriation may be used by the UWCC to administer the award process. 50 percent of the project cost must be non-state funds and may be cash or in-kind. A forestry cooperative is an organization incorporated under WI STAT 185 with a membership comprised primarily of non-industrial private woodland owners.

*From the Conservation fund, units in + add schedule entry
20.285(1)(g)*

Fiscal Impact

none

CR; 36.11(39) Center for Cooperatives at UW Madison

CR; 36.56 Grants for Forestry cooperatives

Statement of Intent

Earmark \$100,000 funds from the state forestry account to the University of Wisconsin Madison Center for Cooperatives (UWCC).

Center shall award grants to a person to form a forestry cooperative. Grant recipient shall match provide match funds equal to 50% of grant amount awarded. The match may be in the form of money or in-kind services, but may not include moneys received from state government.

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TO 1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 133 AND 1999 SENATE BILL 45

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- 1 At the locations indicated, amend the substitute amendment as follows:
- 2 ✓ 1. Page 138, line 2: after that line insert:
- 3 “(qm) Grants to forestry cooperatives SEG A 50,000 50,000”.
- 4 ✓ 2. Page 310, line 14: after that line insert:
- 5 “SECTION 296m. 20.285 (1) (qm) ✓ of the statutes is created to read:
- 6 20.285 (1) (qm) *Grants to forestry cooperatives*. From the conservation fund,
- 7 the amounts in the schedule for grants to forest cooperatives under s. 36.56.” ✓
- 8 ✓ 3. Page 465, line 23: after that line insert:
- 9 “SECTION 702m. 25.29 (7) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
- 10 25.29 (7) (intro.) All of the proceeds of the tax which is levied under s. 70.58, and
- 11 all moneys paid into the state treasury as the counties’ share of compensation of

1 emergency fire wardens under s. 26.14 shall be used for acquiring, preserving and
 2 developing the forests of the state, including the acquisition of lands owned by
 3 counties by virtue of any tax deed and of other lands suitable for state forests, and
 4 for the development of lands so acquired and the conduct of forestry thereon,
 5 including the growing and planting of trees; for forest and marsh fire prevention and
 6 control; for grants to forestry cooperatives under s. 36.56; for compensation of
 7 emergency fire wardens; for maintenance, permanent property and forestry
 8 improvements; for other forestry purposes authorized by law and for the payment of
 9 aid for forests as authorized in s. 28.11 and subchs. I and VI of ch. 77.”

History: 1971 c. 125; 1973 c. 90; 1977 c. 29; 1977 c. 418 ss. 244, 245, 929 (37); 1979 c. 34 ss. 707v, 2102 (39) (a); 1979 c. 221; 1979 c. 361 s. 113; 1983 a. 27 ss. 636m, 637, 2202 (38); 1985 a. 29 ss. 638g, 3202 (39); 1985 a. 135; 1987 a. 27; 1987 a. 312 s. 17; 1989 a. 31; 1991 a. 39, 269; 1995 a. 27; 1995 a. 257 s. 3; 1997 a. 1, 27, 248.

10 ✓ 4. Page 503, line 14: after that line insert:

11 “SECTION 887t. 36.11 (40) of the statutes is created to read:

12 36.11 (40) CENTER FOR COOPERATIVES. The board shall maintain a center for
 13 cooperatives at the University of Wisconsin–Madison.”

14 ✓ 5. Page 508, line 8: after that line insert:

15 “SECTION 895s. 36.56 of the statutes is created to read:

16 **36.56 Grants for forestry cooperatives.** (1) From the appropriation under
 17 s. 20.285 (1) (qm), the center for cooperatives under s. 36.11 (40) may award grants
 18 to persons to form forestry cooperatives under ch. 185 that consist primarily of
 19 private, non^e industrial owners of woodland. A grant recipient shall provide
 20 matching funds equal to 50% of the grant amount awarded. The match may^{be} in the
 21 form of money or in-kind services or both, but may not include money received from
 22 the state.

23 (2) In each fiscal year, the center for cooperatives may not encumber funds from
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amounts encumbered in that fiscal year for administrative expenses exceed 5% of the total expenditures from the appropriation for the fiscal year.”.

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✓ 6. Page 812, line 2: after that line insert:

“SECTION 1660m. 70.58[✓] of the statutes is amended to read:

70.58 Forestation state tax. There is levied an annual tax of two-tenths of one mill for each dollar of the assessed valuation of the property of the state as determined by the department of revenue under s. 70.57, for the purpose of acquiring, preserving and developing the forests of the state and for the purpose of forest crop law and county forest law administration and aid payments, for grants to forestry cooperatives under s. 36.56[✓], and for the acquisition, purchase and development of forests described under s. 25.29 (7) (a) and (b), the proceeds of the tax to be paid into the conservation fund. The tax shall not be levied in any year in which general funds are appropriated for the purposes specified in this section, equal to or in excess of the amount which the tax would produce.”.

History: 1975 c. 39 s. 734; 1977 c. 29, 418; 1979 c. 34; 1983 a. 27; 1989 a. 359.

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CAUCUS AMENDMENT

TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,

TO 1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 133

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1 At the locations indicated, amend the substitute amendment as follows:

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2 ✓ 1. Page 130^{7 8}, line 2: after that line insert:
3 ^{kg} Grants to forestry cooperatives ~~SEC~~ ^{AR-5} A 50,000 50,000".

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2. Page 310^{308 2}, line 24: after that line insert:

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"SECTION 290²⁺⁶m. 20.285 (1) (^{kg} ~~qm~~) of the statutes is created to read:

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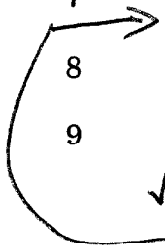
7 the amounts in the schedule for grants to forest cooperatives under s. 36.56."

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3. Page 465, line 23: after that line insert:

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"SECTION 702m. 25.29 (7) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:



✓ Item # Page 315, line 15: delete "appropriation account under s. 20.285 (1)(kf)" and substitute "appropriation accounts under s. 20.285(1)(kf) and (kg)".

1 25.29 (7) (intro.) All of the proceeds of the tax which is levied under s. 70.58, and
2 all moneys paid into the state treasury as the counties' share of compensation of
3 emergency fire wardens under s. 26.14 shall be used for acquiring, preserving and
4 developing the forests of the state, including the acquisition of lands owned by
5 counties by virtue of any tax deed and of other lands suitable for state forests, and
6 for the development of lands so acquired and the conduct of forestry thereon,
7 including the growing and planting of trees; for forest and marsh fire prevention and
8 control; for grants to forestry cooperatives under s. 36.56; for compensation of
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23 money or in-kind services or both, but may not include money received from the
24 state.

1 (2) In each fiscal year, the center for cooperatives may not encumber funds from
2 the appropriation under s. 20.285 (1) (^{K9}~~pm~~) for administrative expenses if the
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CAUCUS AMENDMENT
TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,
TO 1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 133

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1. Page 137, line 8: after that line insert:

"(kg) Grants to forestry cooperatives PR-S 50,000 50,000".

2. Page 308, line 24: after that line insert:

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