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description: Paper 1013. Modify the JFC action by funding all remaining museum integration activities from GPR in place of funding from the veterans trust fund (SEG).

**other notes**

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*SDC Lance Walter*

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**Re: Veterans Museum Budget Amendment**

**Date: June 16, 1999**

Fiscal Bureau Paper #1013

CN 4209

Fiscal Bureau Comparison Budget Summary, Page 887, #9

An informational memorandum is attached which outlines the original proposal.

The Governor's budget bill funded the entire integration of the Wisconsin Veterans Museum and the Wisconsin National Guard Museum at Volk Field project with veterans trust fund (SEG) money. Joint Finance modified the Governor's proposal and provided partial GPR funding for these activities.

Moen: modify the Joint Finance Committee action by funding all remaining museum integration activities from GPR in place of funding from the veterans trust fund (SEG).

Dave Worzala at Fiscal Bureau estimates this will cost \$238,800 GPR.



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Tommy G. Thompson, Governor  
Raymond G. Boland, Secretary

TO: Legislative Offices

FROM: John A. Scocos  
Executive Assistant

DATE: February 12, 1999

RE: Wisconsin's Citizen-Soldiers Museum

Representative John Gard, co-chairman of the Joint Finance Committee held a news conference on December 7, 1998 to pledge his support for a state budget initiative that will perpetuate the history and legacy of Wisconsin's citizen-soldiers who served in the National Guard.

The initiative will shift control of the Wisconsin National Guard museum and Library at Volk Field (near Camp Douglas in Juneau County) to the Wisconsin Veterans Museum.

In addition, the Guard museum's archives, manuscripts and photographic collections will be transferred to the veteran's museum and housed in a library and research center to be constructed on the third floor of 30 West Mifflin.

The National Guard's archives contain extensive research materials from the 32<sup>nd</sup> "Red Arrow" Infantry Division, which was one of the Army's premier fighting units in both world wars. During World I, the 32<sup>nd</sup> earned the nickname of the Red Arrow Division because it pierced every enemy line it encountered. During World War II, the soldiers of the 32<sup>nd</sup> logged more days in combat than any other division. In 1961, when the Soviet Union blockaded West Berlin, President John Kennedy mobilized the 32<sup>nd</sup>, which deployed for training at Fort Lewis, Washington. The Red Arrow's tradition of exemplary service is maintained today by Wisconsin National Guard in 34 communities throughout the state.

In our biennial budget proposal, the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs (WDVA) which operates the veterans museum, has requested \$347,500 in fiscal year 1999-2000 and \$259,9000 in fiscal year 2000-2001 to fund 3.5 full-time positions to operate the Guard museum and to develop the new library and research center. The Wisconsin Department of Military Affairs will transfer \$50,000 to WDVA for the maintenance of artifacts at the Guard museum.

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This initiative has the full support of the Wisconsin National Guard and the Department of Veterans Affairs. Locating the National Guard archives at WDVA will allow more researchers efficient access to these important historical documents. The Wisconsin Veterans Museum will provide the knowledge and expertise needed to increase public interest in the National Guard Museum at Volk Field.

This initiative will help ensure that the sacrifices and achievements of "Wisconsin 's citizen-soldiers, like the members of the Red Arrow Division, are not forgotten. Enclosed is background information on the project.

*It is my hope that this information has been helpful. Please contact me if I can be of further service (608) 266-3081.*



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SOON

SDC:.....Walter - Caucus #4209<sup>9</sup> Use GPR funding for integration of Volk  
field museum with Wisconsin veterans museum

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