

2019 Assembly Bill 119 (LRB -1227)

An Act to renumber and amend 16.308 (3m); and to create 16.308 (3m) (b) to (i) and 16.308 (3s) of the statutes; relating to: grants to homeless shelters, modifying administrative rules promulgated by the Department of Administration, and making an appropriation. (FE)

2019

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01-21.	S.	Senate Amendment 1 adopted	
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01-21.	S.	Ordered to a third reading	

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- 01-21. S. Rules suspended
- 01-21. S. Read a third time and **concurred in** as amended, Ayes 32, Noes 0
- 01-21. S. Ordered immediately messaged
- 01-21. A. Received from Senate amended and concurred in as amended (Senate amendment 1 adopted)
- 01-21. A. Senate Amendment 1 **concurred in**
- 01-21. A. Action ordered immediately messaged



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Adopted Documents

Original Engrossed Substitute Amdt 19-1227/1

Amendments: None or Listed below.

AA 1, AA 2, AA 3, SA 1

Corrections: None or Listed by date below.

6/4/19 - ecc to AA 1

1/23/20 - ecc to AA 3

1/23/20 ecc to SA 1

Topic: Same as relating clause or Indicated below.

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March 25, 2019 - Introduced by Representatives STEINEKE, RODRIGUEZ, SNYDER, PRONSCHINSKE, KURTZ, PLUMER, DITTRICH, JAMES, TITTL, MURSAU, FELZKOWSKI, ROHRKASTE, SPIROS, STEFFEN, ALLEN, DUCHOW, KULP, PETRYK, PETERSEN, THIESFELDT, KITCHENS, EDMING, SCHRAA, KRUG, MURPHY and SUBECK, cosponsored by Senators DARLING, CARPENTER and L. TAYLOR. Referred to Committee on Public Benefit Reform.

1 **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 16.308 (3m); and *to create* 16.308 (3m) (b) to
2 (i) and 16.308 (3s) of the statutes; **relating to:** grants to homeless shelters
3 modifying administrative rules promulgated by the Department of
4 Administration, and making an appropriation.

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Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill provides an additional \$500,000 in each fiscal year of the 2019-21 fiscal biennium for grants to supplement the operating budgets of homeless shelters. The bill also includes additional criteria the Department of Administration must consider in awarding that additional grant money and amends administrative rules of DOA concerning the grants so that DOA's rules are consistent with certain statutory requirements.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

5 **SECTION 1.** 16.308 (3m) of the statutes is renumbered 16.308 (3m) (intro.) and
6 amended to read:

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SECTION 1

1 16.308 (3m) GRANT ELIGIBILITY. (intro.) In awarding grants under this section,
2 the department shall consider ~~whether~~ all of the following:

3 (a) Whether the community in which an eligible applicant provides services has
4 a coordinated system of services for homeless individuals and families.

5 **SECTION 2.** 16.308 (3m) (b) to (i) of the statutes are created to read:

6 16.308 (3m) (b) The number of shelter days the eligible applicant intends to
7 provide during the year for which the grant application is submitted.

8 (c) The eligible applicant's history of successfully transitioning homeless
9 individuals or families to permanent housing.

10 (d) Whether the eligible applicant provides intensive case management
11 services.

12 (e) Whether the eligible applicant provides trauma-informed care.

13 (f) Whether the eligible applicant provides opportunities for shelter residents
14 to obtain employment, increase their income, or increase their hours worked.

15 (g) The utilization rate of each unit at each shelter facility operated by the
16 eligible applicant.

17 (h) The average length of stay of shelter residents at each shelter facility
18 operated by the eligible applicant.

19 (i) The percentage of shelter residents served by the eligible applicant that is
20 chronically homeless.

21 **SECTION 3.** 16.308 (3s) of the statutes is created to read:

22 16.308 (3s) IMPLEMENTATION OF ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA. (a) 1. The additional grant
23 funding provided under 2019 Wisconsin Act ... (this act), section 7 (1), may be
24 expended only for grants awarded after the department considers the eligibility
25 criteria specified in sub. (3m) (b) to (i).

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1 2. The department shall phase in over fiscal years 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22,
2 and 2022-23 the award of grants based on consideration of the eligibility criteria
3 specified in sub. (3m) (b) to (i). Beginning in fiscal year 2023-24, 100 percent of the
4 grants awarded under this section shall be awarded after the department considers
5 all of the eligibility criteria specified in sub. (3m) (a) to (i).

6 (b) Before the department awards a grant based on consideration of the
7 eligibility criteria specified in sub. (3m) (b) to (i), the department shall consider
8 whether an eligible applicant's rules, policies, or procedures for providing services
9 to homeless individuals and families have an impact on how one or more of those
10 criteria apply with respect to the eligible applicant and may adjust any grant award
11 accordingly.

12 **SECTION 4.** Adm 86.03 (1) of the administrative code is amended to read:

13 Adm 86.03 (1) The department shall solicit applications for grants under s.
14 16.308, Stats., and this chapter at least ~~once every 2~~ years.

15 **SECTION 5.** Adm 86.05 (2) (a) (intro.) of the administrative code is amended to
16 read:

17 Adm 86.05 (2) (a) (intro.) A lead agency located in Dane county or Milwaukee
18 county may receive, before July 1, 1987, a grant of not more than 35% and after June
19 30, 1987, a grant of not more than ~~25%~~ 50% of the total current or proposed operating
20 budgets of:

21 **SECTION 6.** Adm 86.05 (2) (b) of the administrative code is amended to read:

22 Adm 86.05 (2) (b) An eligible applicant which is not located in Dane county or
23 Milwaukee county may receive a grant ~~or~~ of not more than ~~25%~~ 50% of:

24 1. The current or proposed operating budget of one or more shelter facilities
25 operated by the applicant; or

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1 2. The portion of the applicant's current or proposed operating budget allocated
 2 for providing homeless persons with vouchers that may be exchanged for temporary
 3 shelter.

SECTION 7. Fiscal changes.

4 (1) GRANTS TO SUPPLEMENT THE OPERATING BUDGETS OF AGENCIES AND SHELTER
 5 FACILITIES. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the
 6 department of administration under s. 20.505 (7) (fm), the dollar amount for fiscal
 7 year 2019-20 is increased by \$500,000 for grants awarded under s. 16.308 (2) (a),
 8 subject to s. 16.308 (3s) (a) 1. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation
 9 to the department of administration under s. 20.505 (7) (fm), the dollar amount for
 10 fiscal year 2020-21 is increased by \$500,000 for grants awarded under s. 16.308 (2)
 11 (a), subject to s. 16.308 (3s) (a) 1.
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CORRECTIONS IN:

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 119**

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(June 4, 2019)

1. Page 1, line 2: delete “and” and substitute “shelters and”.

(END)

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Minor clerical corrections in legislation are authorized under s. 35.17, stats.; Senate Rule 31; Assembly Rule 36; and Joint Rule 56.



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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 119

May 30, 2019 - Offered by Representative STEINEKE.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

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2 **1.** Page 1, line 2: delete "shelters," and substitute "and".

3 **2.** Page 1, line 4: delete "Administration, and making an appropriation" and
4 substitute "Administration".

5 **3.** Page 2, line 22: delete lines 22 to 25 and substitute:

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6 "16.308 (3s) IMPLEMENTATION OF ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA. (a) 1. In each fiscal year
7 of the 2019-21 fiscal biennium, all amounts expended under this section that exceed
8 the amount shown in the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the 2018-19 fiscal year may
9 be expended only for grants awarded after the department considers the eligibility
10 criteria specified in sub. (3m) (b) to (i)".

11 **4.** Page 4, line 4: delete lines 4 to 12 and substitute:

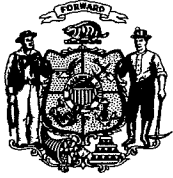
12 "SECTION 6m. Nonstatutory provisions.

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1 (1) In the 2019-21 fiscal biennium, if the department of administration
2 requests under s. 13.101 (3) that the joint committee on finance supplement the
3 appropriation under s. 20.505 (7) (fm) for the purpose of providing grants under s.
4 16.308 (2) (a), the committee may supplement that appropriation for that purpose
5 without finding that an emergency exists under s. 13.101 (3) (a) 1.”

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**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 2,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 119**

June 3, 2019 - Offered by Representative STEINEKE.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 3, line 11: after that line insert:

3 **"SECTION 3g. 16.308 (5) (c) of the statutes is repealed."**

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CORRECTIONS IN:

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 3,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 119**

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(January 23, 2020)

In enrolling, the following corrections were made:

1. Page 1, line 3: delete that line.
2. Page 1, line 4: delete "(1)" and substitute ""(1g)".

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**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 3,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 119**

June 14, 2019 - Offered by Representative STEINEKE.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 4, line 3: after that line insert:

3 **“SECTION 6r. Nonstatutory provisions.”**

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4 (1) MEDICAL ASSISTANCE WAIVER FOR ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING HOUSING. The
5 department of health services shall submit to the federal department of health and
6 human services a request for a waiver of federal Medicaid law or a state Medical
7 Assistance plan amendment that allows the department of health services to provide
8 under the Medical Assistance program intensive case management services to assist
9 Medical Assistance recipients who are homeless in obtaining permanent housing.
10 If the federal department of health and human services does not disapprove the
11 request under this subsection, the department of health services shall implement the
12 waiver or state plan amendment.”

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CORRECTIONS IN:

**SENATE AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 119**

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(January 23, 2020)

In enrolling, the following corrections were made:

1. Page 1, line 3: delete that line.
2. Page 1, line 4: delete "(1)" and substitute ""(1k)".

(END)

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Minor clerical corrections in legislation are authorized under s. 35.17, stats.; Senate Rule 31; Assembly Rule 36; and Joint Rule 56.



**SENATE AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 119**

January 21, 2020 - Offered by Senator NASS.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 4, line 3: after that line insert:

3 **"SECTION 6m. Nonstatutory provisions.**

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4 *TK* (1) PAYMENT TO THE GENERAL FUND. No later than June 30, 2020, the Wisconsin
5 Housing and Economic Development Authority shall pay \$1,000,000 from the
6 authority's surplus fund, as specified in s. 234.165 (1), to the secretary of
7 administration for deposit in the general fund. The payment under this subsection
8 is not subject to s. 234.165 (2) (c) and may, at the discretion of the Wisconsin Housing
9 and Economic Development Authority, include surplus amounts previously
10 approved for expenditure for another purpose under s. 234.165 (2) (b)."

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