



1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 802

February 25, 2000 - Introduced by Representatives SYKORA, PETTIS, PETROWSKI, AINSWORTH, SUDER, HUEBSCH, MONTGOMERY and GARD, cosponsored by Senators SHIBILSKI, BURKE, DRZEWIECKI, DECKER and CLAUSING. Referred to Joint committee on Finance.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 46.80 (5) (a); and **to create** 20.435 (7) (kn), 20.435 (7) (kp),
2 20.505 (8) (hm) 18dm. and 20.505 (8) (hm) 18dn. of the statutes; **relating to:**
3 supplemental funding for elderly nutrition programs and making
4 appropriations.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current federal law, this state receives federal moneys to maintain congregate nutrition projects that provide meals to person aged 60 and older. Under current state law, the department of health and family services (DHFS) must provide a state supplement of general purpose revenues to the federal congregate nutrition projects to enable expansion of these projects throughout this state. DHFS distributes these moneys to area agencies on aging in the state under formulas that DHFS has developed.

This bill increases the state supplement to federal moneys received for congregate nutrition projects for the elderly, by creating program revenue appropriations for fiscal year 2000-01 of \$450,000 and \$50,000, respectively, from tribal gaming receipts, and by decreasing by \$500,000 the general program supplementation general purpose revenues appropriation of the joint committee on finance of the legislature and increasing a general purpose revenue appropriation for programs for senior citizens by \$500,000 for fiscal year 2000-01 for congregate meals. Thus, the bill provides a state increased supplement in fiscal year 2000-01 to the federal congregate nutrition projects for the elderly of \$550,000 for congregate

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1 nutrition projects under s. 46.80 (5) (a). All moneys transferred from the
2 appropriation account under s. 20.505 (8) (hm) 18dn. shall be credited to this
3 appropriation.

4 **SECTION 4.** 20.505 (8) (hm) 18dm. of the statutes is created to read:

5 20.505 (8) (hm) 18dm. The amount transferred to s. 20.435 (7) (kn) shall be the
6 amount in the schedule under s. 20.435 (7) (kn).

7 **SECTION 5.** 20.505 (8) (hm) 18dn. of the statutes is created to read:

8 20.505 (8) (hm) 18dn. The amount transferred to s. 20.435 (7) (kp) shall be the
9 amount in the schedule under s. 20.435 (7) (kp).

10 **SECTION 6.** 46.80 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

11 46.80 (5) (a) From the ~~appropriation~~ appropriations under s. 20.435 (7) (dh),
12 (kn) and (kp) the department shall provide a state supplement to the federal
13 congregate nutrition projects under 42 USC 3030e, in effect on April 30, 1980, which
14 will promote expansion of projects throughout the state. Except as provided in par.
15 (b), the department shall allocate these funds based on the formulas developed by the
16 department under sub. (2m) (a) 2. A county that receives federal funds for congregate
17 nutrition projects on or after July 1, 1977, may not receive under this paragraph an
18 amount that is less than the 1976-77 allocation as a result of the program expansion.
19 This paragraph does not require that federal limitations on the use of federal
20 congregate nutrition funds for home delivered meals apply to the state supplement.

21 **SECTION 7. Appropriation changes.**

22 (1) SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING FOR ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAMS; CONGREGATE
23 MEALS. In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation
24 to the health and family services under section 20.435 (7) (dh) of the statutes, as
25 affected by the acts of 1999, the dollar amount is increased by \$500,000 for fiscal year

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SECTION 7

1 2000-01 to to increase funding for congregate meals under the state supplement to
2 the federal congregate nutrition projects under section 46.80 (5) (a) of the statutes.

3 **SECTION 8. Appropriation changes; joint committee on finance.**

4 (1) GENERAL PURPOSE REVENUE FUNDS GENERAL PROGRAM SUPPLEMENTATION. In the
5 schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the joint
6 committee on finance under section 20.865 (4) (a) of the statutes, as affected by the
7 acts of 1999, the dollar amount is decreased by \$500,000 for fiscal year 2000-01 to
8 decrease funding for the purposes for which the appropriation is made.

9 (END)