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Subject: Budget Draft
Statutory Language for the **Department of Tourism**

The Department of Tourism requests the following statutory change to the heritage tourism program (s. 41.19) as part of their budget request:

1. In the event that the Department makes fewer than two grants in a fiscal year, the Department can grant the unspent funds to an existing heritage tourism area or to another organization within an existing heritage tourism area
2. The new grants should be used to promote history.

I attach the Department's proposed draft.

I have the following comments on the Department's draft:

- The text proposed to be added to s. 41.19(2m)(d) is meant to make the one-grant-per-fiscal year requirement apply only during the first biennium in which an area receives a heritage tourism grant. This would allow an area to receive two awards in subsequent biennia.
- The proposed deletion in s. 41.19(2m)(d) allows areas to receive repeated awards. The proposed language for s. 41.19(2n) is broad regarding use of funds. The Department indicates they want that breadth.

DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM
1999-01 DECISION ITEM REQUEST

Appropriation No: 105

Bureau/Unit: Media & Industry Services

Heritage Tourism Program Modification

DI No: 4003

Request:

The Department is requesting a modification to the Heritage Tourism program, which would enable the Department to increase the number of awards from its current grant program. Statutory language would be needed in order to enact the proposed change, and could be presented in the following manner:

41.19 (2m) (d) is amended to read—41.19 (2m) (d) The Department may not award more than one grant per fiscal year to an applicant, during the fiscal biennium in which it was selected, on behalf of an area under par. (c) *and may not award grants to an applicant for more than 2 fiscal years*. Grants awarded to an applicant under par. (c) may not exceed \$25,000 in the first fiscal year, or \$15,000 in the second fiscal year in which the applicant receives a grant under this subsection.

41.19 (2n) is created to read—41.19 (2n) From the appropriation under s. 20.380 (1) (bm), the Department may award a grant each fiscal year of up to \$5,000 to any not for profit organization located in an area represented by an applicant that was a recipient of grants under sub. (2m) during any previous biennium. The grants may be for the promotion of historic and prehistoric attractions within the area. Grant funds received under this subsection may be used for, but are not limited to, interpretive and directional signage, website development, advertising and public relations.

Benefit:

The suggested language enables the Department to award a grant of up to \$5,000 each year, after the heritage tourism organization for the area has completed the two year period of its initial grant, to any not for profit organization located within a heritage tourism area. The new grants are for the promotion of history or prehistory of attractions within heritage tourism areas. Under this proposal, the department may still select up to two new heritage areas during each biennium. The new language would simply give the agency more flexibility with which to administer the current Heritage program budget; and, provide an opportunity for historic attractions located within one of the state's 12 existing heritage areas to receive promotional assistance from the Department.

Background:

*How open
to possibility
of 1 grant
in fiscal
biennium*

After designating 12 regions across the state as Heritage Tourism Project areas, Tourism decided to look at how we could continue to support those areas (and provide additional opportunities for related attractions), without additional funding. As well as designating new "areas", we thought it would be appropriate to nurture the existing areas and attractions within those areas by expanding the current grant program. Although the grants would not be as large, they would be more plentiful and still offer a significant amount of money for organizations to promote their events and activities. As the popularity of historic and cultural tourism continues to grow across the state and the nation, this proposal would ensure Wisconsin continues to offer value to customers and a variety of activities to encourage return visits.

Alternatives:

- A. Maintain current program operations
- B. Open grant program to all "heritage organizations" statewide

NOTE: In the amended section, the underlined language is added to the existing text and the italicized language is deleted from existing text.



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nonprofit organization is eligible for the new grants even if it previously received grants as the applicant on behalf of the area.

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

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8 History: 1989 a. 237; 1993 a. 16; 1995 a. 27 s. 6923; Stats. 1995 s. 41.19; 1997 a. 27.

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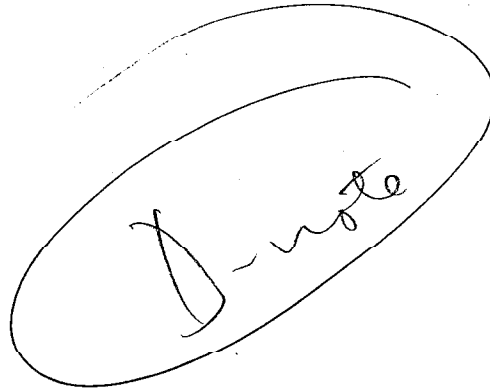
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From: Walker, William
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To: Kahler, Pam
Subject: LRB Draft: 01-0782/P1 Awarding grants to nonprofit organizations in areas for which heritage tourism grants were awarded after biennium in which heritage tourism grants were awarded

FYI: the Governor has approved the heritage tourism item. No need for additional drafting on it.

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