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# Budget Amendments 2001 - 2003

Prepared by the Assembly Republican Caucus

**Statement of Intent** Provide an additional \$1 million to the Wisconsin Manufacturing Extension Partnership.

<b>Legislator</b>	Fitzgerald	<b>Amendment</b>	48
<b>Legislator 2</b>		<b>Pass or Fail</b>	Pass
<b>Legislator 3</b>		<b>Spending Cut</b>	
<b>Legislator 4</b>		<b>Withdrawn</b>	
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**Agency** Commerce

**Summary** The Wisconsin Manufacturing Extension Partnership provides technical expertise and hands-on business assistance to help small and midsize manufacturers improve productivity and compete more effectively.

The Governor proposed providing \$2 million in additional funding for the Wisconsin Manufacturing Extension Partnership (WMEP). The Joint Committee on Finance modified the provision and added \$1 million, half of the governor's proposal.

This amendment would add an additional \$1 million to the JFC provision to allocate the full \$2 million the Governor's provision would have provided. The additional funds are drawn from the Tribal Gaming Revenue Allocations.

**Fiscal Impact** The funds would come from the WI development fund.

**Drafting Inst**

**ARC Analyst** Hartsough

PJK

**Request #** 270

Friday, June 22, 2001

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- PJK
- d) Forward Wisconsin (at the request of Sen. Welch)  
**\*Senate Republican Caucus Amendment #240\* (NUMBERS ARE DIFFERENT)**

Forward Wisconsin is a non-profit organization created to attract businesses to Wisconsin. It also markets the state as a destination for job seekers and to attract former residents to help address labor shortages. The Governor's budget recommended allocating \$200,000 from tribal gaming revenues to Forward Wisconsin in fiscal year 2002-2003. The Joint Finance Committee eliminated this allocation.

**Motion: Require the Commerce Department to provide \$100,000 in fiscal year 2002-2003 to Forward Wisconsin.  
(Fiscal Effect: \$100,000 PR)**

- PJK
- e) Legislative Departmental Review (at the request of Rep. Seratti)  
**\*Not Original Request of Caucus\***

The Commerce Department operates a variety of grant and loan programs. In many cases, private and non-profit entities are eligible for these funds. In certain instances, the funding is provided as either a biennial or annual continuing appropriations. For example, Forward Wisconsin is provided \$500,000 (GPR) in base funding from the Commerce Department.

**Motion: Require all private and non-profit entities that receive base level funding from the Commerce Department to report and appear before the appropriate legislative standing committee to justify their continuing appropriation.  
(No Fiscal Effect)**

- PJK
- f) Manufacturing Extension Grants (at request of Rep. Fitzgerald)  
**\*Request #270\* (FUNDING SOURCE IS DIFFERENT)**

The Wisconsin Manufacturing Extension Partnership (WMEP) provides process improvement and technology services to small and medium-sized manufacturers. WMEP is operated by an organization that includes the Commerce Department, UW System, WTCS, Marquette University, MSOE, labor and business. The Governor recommended \$1 million annually from tribal gaming revenues for Manufacturing Extension Grants. The Joint Finance Committee modified the request to \$1 million over the biennium.

**Motion: Provide the Wisconsin Manufacturing Extension Partnership \$500,000 annually from the tribal gaming revenues the repayments appropriation of the Wisconsin Development Fund. This is in addition to the appropriation from JFC; and furthermore, this requirement sunsets on June 30, 2003.  
(Fiscal Effect: \$1,000,000 PR)**

- GMM
- h) Prevailing Wage Rate – Contractor Records (at the request of Rep. Hundertmark)  
**\*Request #174\***

Under current law, DWD determines the prevailing wage rates for all types of state and local public works projects and investigates alleged violations of the prevailing wage



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FOR 2001-03 BUDGET — NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

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TO 2001 SENATE BILL 55

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History: 1999 a. 9

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11 *xy*  
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