## Fiscal Estimate - 2003 Session

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Subject										
Veterans facility in northern Wisconsin										
Fiscal E	Effect									
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Fund Sources Affected Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations  GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEGS 20.435(2)(gk)										
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## Fiscal Estimate Narratives DHFS 11/11/2003

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Subject									
Veterans facility in northern Wisconsin									

## **Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

This bill would give the Department of Veterans Affairs the authority to develop, construct, renovate, and operate residential treatment and nursing care facilities for veterans on land located at the Northern Wisconsin Center for the Developmentally Disabled in Chippewa Falls. The bill also requires the net proceeds of land sales at Northern Wisconsin Center be deposited in a newly created veterans northwestern facilities trust fund. The development and operation of the new facilities would be funded from the trust fund revenue.

2003 Wisconsin Act 33 gives the Department of Health and Family Services the authority to sell assets or real property at the Northern Wisconsin Center. Under Act 33, any proceeds from this sale were to be used to first pay any outstanding public debt used to finance the acquisition, construction, or improvement of any property that is sold. Any remaining funds are to be deposited in appropriation s. 20.435 (2)(gk). The Department of Health and Family Services may propose a plan for use of these funds for activities at Northern Wisconsin Center. The Department of Health and Family Services plan is subject to review and approval by the Joint Finance Committee. Act 33 provides that from appropriation 20.435 (2)(gk), the Joint Finance Committee may approve expenditures of funds from the land sale only to support any state activity conducted or performed on the property occupied or managed by the Department of Health and Family Services or the Department of Corrections.

The Department of Health and Family Services has identified 242 acres of surplus land at the Northern Wisconsin Center and is currently working with the Department of Administration to sell this land. Consistent with budget assumptions in Act 33, the Department will propose a plan to use proceeds from this land sale to fund the operations of the Northern Wisconsin Center as it implements a significant downsizing to ensure the needs of Northern Wisconsin Center residents are met either in the community or at Northern Center. The Department will use any remaining revenues to offer enhanced services to individuals in the community including vocational training, enhanced dental services for people with disabilities, and additional community capacity teams. Act 33 provided position authority for 33.20 FTE, to be funded annually by \$603,900 PR (land sale revenue)and \$670,900 FED, subject to the plan review process described above.

By requiring all of the Northern Wisconsin Center land sale revenues to be deposited in a veterans northwest facilities trust fund, this bill will reduce program revenue in the Department of Health and Family Services. In addition, the bill would make land sale revenues unavailable for expanding community services to people with disabilities and for operations costs associated with the downsizing of Northern Wisconsin Center.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

## Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2003 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

Original Updated	Corrected	Supplemental
LRB Number <b>03-2777/1</b>	Introduction Numb	per SB-205
Subject Veterans facility in northern Wisconsin		
I. One-time Costs or Revenue Impacts for annualized fiscal effect):	State and/or Local Governme	nt (do not include in
II. Annualized Costs:	Annualized Fisc	al Impact on funds from:
	Increased Costs	Decreased Costs
A. State Costs by Category		
State Operations - Salaries and Fringes	\$	
(FTE Position Changes)		
State Operations - Other Costs		
Local Assistance		
Aids to Individuals or Organizations		
TOTAL State Costs by Category	\$	\$
B. State Costs by Source of Funds		
GPR		
FED		
PRO/PRS		
SEG/SEG-S		
III. State Revenues - Complete this only w revenues (e.g., tax increase, decrease in I	hen proposal will increase or license fee, ets.)	decrease state
	Increased Rev	Decreased Rev
GPR Taxes	\$	\$
GPR Earned		
FED		-670,900
PRO/PRS		-603,900
SEG/SEG-S		
TOTAL State Revenues	\$	\$-1,274,800
NET ANNU/	ALIZED FISCAL IMPACT	
	<u>State</u>	Local
NET CHANGE IN COSTS	\$	\$
NET CHANGE IN REVENUE	\$-1,274,800	\$
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