

1           20.866 (2) (ti) *Natural resources; contaminated sediment removal.* From the  
2 capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of natural resources  
3 to fund removal of contaminated sediment under s. 281.87. The state may contract  
4 public debt in an amount not to exceed \$17,000,000 for this purpose.

5           **SECTION 591m.** 20.866 (2) (tk) of the statutes is amended to read:

6           20.866 (2) (tk) *Natural resources; environmental segregated fund supported*  
7 *administrative facilities.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for  
8 the department of natural resources to acquire, construct, develop, enlarge or  
9 improve natural resource administrative office, laboratory, equipment storage and  
10 maintenance facilities. The state may contract public debt in an amount not to  
11 exceed \$7,490,000 \$10,339,800 for this purpose.

12           **SECTION 591p.** 20.866 (2) (tu) of the statutes is amended to read:

13           20.866 (2) (tu) *Natural resources; segregated revenue supported facilities.* From  
14 the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of natural  
15 resources to acquire, construct, develop, enlarge or improve natural resource  
16 administrative office, laboratory, equipment storage or maintenance facilities and to  
17 acquire, construct, develop, enlarge or improve state recreation facilities and state  
18 fish hatcheries. The state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed  
19 \$55,078,100 \$73,277,700 for this purpose.

20           **SECTION 592.** 20.866 (2) (up) of the statutes is amended to read:

21           20.866 (2) (up) *Transportation; rail passenger route development.* From the  
22 capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of transportation to  
23 fund rail passenger route development under s. 85.061 (3). The state may contract  
24 public debt in an amount not to exceed ~~\$50,000,000~~ \$82,000,000 for this purpose. Of



1 this amount, not more than \$10,000,000 may be used to fund the purposes specified  
2 in s. 85.061 (3) (a) 2. and 3.

3 **SECTION 593.** 20.866 (2) (uup) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 20.866 (2) (uup) *Transportation; Marquette interchange and I 94 north-south*  
5 *corridor reconstruction project projects.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum  
6 sufficient for the department of transportation to fund the Marquette interchange  
7 reconstruction project under s. 84.014, as provided under s. 84.555, and the  
8 reconstruction of the I 94 north-south corridor, as provided under s. 84.555 (1m) (a).  
9 The state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed \$213,100,000  
10 \$303,300,000 for this purpose these purposes.

11 **SECTION 594.** 20.866 (2) (uv) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 20.866 (2) (uv) *Transportation, harbor improvements.* From the capital  
13 improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of transportation to provide  
14 grants for harbor improvements. The state may contract public debt in an amount  
15 not to exceed \$40,700,000 \$53,400,000 for this purpose.

16 **SECTION 595.** 20.866 (2) (uw) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 20.866 (2) (uw) *Transportation; rail acquisitions and improvements.* From the  
18 capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of transportation to  
19 acquire railroad property under ss. 85.08 (2) (L) and 85.09; and to provide grants and  
20 loans for rail property acquisitions and improvements under s. 85.08 (4m) (c) and (d).  
21 The state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed \$44,500,000  
22 \$66,500,000 for these purposes.

23 **SECTION 595g.** 20.866 (2) (ux) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 20.866 (2) (ux) *Corrections; correctional facilities.* From the capital  
25 improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of corrections to acquire,

1 construct, develop, enlarge or improve adult and juvenile correctional facilities. The  
2 state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed \$801,979,400  
3 \$812,235,900 for this purpose.

4 **SECTION 595r.** 20.866 (2) (v) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 20.866 (2) (v) *Health and family services; mental health and secure treatment*  
6 *facilities.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department  
7 of health and family services to acquire, construct, develop, enlarge or extend mental  
8 health and secure treatment facilities. The state may contract public debt in an  
9 amount not to exceed \$127,761,700 \$172,817,700 for this purpose.

10 **SECTION 596.** 20.866 (2) (we) of the statutes is amended to read:

11 20.866 (2) (we) *Agriculture; soil and water.* From the capital improvement  
12 fund, a sum sufficient for the department of agriculture, trade and consumer  
13 protection to provide for soil and water resource management under s. 92.14. The  
14 state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed \$26,075,000 \$33,075,000  
15 for this purpose.

16 **SECTION 596c.** 20.866 (2) (ws) of the statutes is created to read:

17 20.866 (2) (ws) *Administration; energy conservation projects; capital*  
18 *improvement fund.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the  
19 department of administration to provide funding to agencies, as defined in s. 16.70  
20 (1e), for energy conservation construction projects at state facilities under the  
21 jurisdiction of the agencies pursuant to s. 16.847 (2). The state may contract public  
22 debt in an amount not exceeding \$30,000,000 for this purpose.

23 **SECTION 596e.** 20.866 (2) (y) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 20.866 (2) (y) *Building commission; housing state departments and agencies.*  
25 From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient to the building commission for

1 the purpose of housing state departments and agencies. The state may contract  
2 public debt in an amount not to exceed \$485,015,400 \$554,279,900 for this purpose.

3 **SECTION 596g.** 20.866 (2) (z) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 20.866 (2) (z) *Building commission; other public purposes.* (intro.) From the  
5 capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient to the building commission for relocation  
6 assistance and capital improvements for other public purposes authorized by law but  
7 not otherwise specified in this chapter. The state may contract public debt in an  
8 amount not to exceed \$1,758,901,000 \$1,923,901,000 for this purpose. Of this  
9 amount:

10 **SECTION 596i.** 20.866 (2) (zbh) of the statutes is amended to read:

11 20.866 (2) (zbh) *Medical College of Wisconsin, Inc.; biomedical research and*  
12 *technology incubator.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient to  
13 provide a grant to the Medical College of Wisconsin, Inc., to aid in the construction  
14 of and installation of equipment at a biomedical research and technology incubator.  
15 The state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed \$25,000,000  
16 \$35,000,000 for this purpose.

17 **SECTION 596nd.** 20.866 (2) (zc) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 20.866 (2) (zc) *Administration; school educational technology infrastructure*  
19 *financial assistance.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the  
20 department of administration to provide educational technology infrastructure  
21 financial assistance to school districts under s. 16.995. The state may contract public  
22 debt in an amount not to exceed \$90,200,000 \$71,911,300 for this purpose.

23 **SECTION 596np.** 20.866 (2) (zcm) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 20.866 (2) (zcm) *Administration; public library educational technology*  
25 *infrastructure financial assistance.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum

1 sufficient for the department of administration to provide educational technology  
2 infrastructure financial assistance to public library boards under s. 16.995. The  
3 state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed ~~\$300,000~~ \$269,000 for this  
4 purpose.

5 **SECTION 596o.** 20.866 (2) (zd) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 20.866 (2) (zd) *Educational communications board; educational*  
7 *communications facilities.* From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for  
8 the educational communications board to acquire, construct, develop, enlarge or  
9 improve educational communications facilities. The state may contract public debt  
10 in an amount not to exceed \$16,658,100 for this purpose before July 1, 2003, and an  
11 amount not to exceed ~~\$22,858,100~~ \$23,981,500 for this purpose on and after July 1,  
12 2003.

13 **SECTION 596q.** 20.866 (2) (zem) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 20.866 (2) (zem) *Historical society; historic records.* From the capital  
15 improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the historical society to construct a storage  
16 facility and to acquire and install systems and equipment necessary to prepare  
17 historic records for transfer to new storage facilities. The state may contract public  
18 debt in an amount not to exceed ~~\$15,400,000~~ \$18,650,000 for this purpose.

19 **SECTION 596s.** 20.866 (2) (zj) of the statutes is amended to read:

20 20.866 (2) (zj) *Military affairs; armories and military facilities.* From the  
21 capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of military affairs to  
22 acquire, construct, develop, enlarge, or improve armories and other military  
23 facilities. The state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed ~~\$27,463,900~~  
24 \$32,772,500 for this purpose.

25 **SECTION 597.** 20.866 (2) (zn) of the statutes is amended to read:

1           20.866 (2) (zn) *Veterans affairs; self-amortizing mortgage loans.* From the  
2           capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of veterans affairs for  
3           loans to veterans under s. 45.37 (6) (a). The state may contract public debt in an  
4           amount not to exceed ~~\$2,120,840,000~~ \$2,205,840,000 for this purpose.

5           **SECTION 597e.** 20.866 (2) (zp) of the statutes is amended to read:

6           20.866 (2) (zp) *Veterans affairs; self-amortizing facilities.* From the capital  
7           improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of veterans affairs to acquire,  
8           construct, develop, enlarge or improve facilities at state veterans homes. The state  
9           may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed ~~\$34,912,600~~ \$38,051,600 for this  
10          purpose.

11          **SECTION 597s.** 20.866 (2) (zz) of the statutes is amended to read:

12          20.866 (2) (zz) *State fair park board; self-amortizing facilities.* From the  
13          capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient to the state fair park board to acquire,  
14          construct, develop, enlarge, or improve facilities at the state fair park in West Allis.  
15          The state may contract public debt not to exceed ~~\$56,787,100~~ \$52,987,100 for this  
16          purpose.

17          **SECTION 598.** 20.867 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

18          20.867 (1) (a) *Principal repayment and interest; housing of state agencies.* A  
19          sum sufficient to reimburse s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal and interest  
20          costs incurred in financing the housing of state agencies and to make payments  
21          under an agreement or ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06 (8) (a).

22          **SECTION 599.** 20.867 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

23          20.867 (1) (b) *Principal repayment and interest; capitol and executive residence.*  
24          A sum sufficient to reimburse s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal and  
25          interest costs incurred in financing building projects at the capitol and executive

1 residence and to make payments under an agreement or ancillary arrangement  
2 entered into under s. 18.06(8)(a).

3 **SECTION 600.** 20.867 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 20.867 (3) (a) *Principal repayment and interest.* A sum sufficient to pay all  
5 principal repayment and interest costs on tax-supported borrowing which is not  
6 initially allocable to the respective programs and to make payments under an  
7 agreement or ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06(8)(a).

8 **SECTION 601.** 20.867 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

9 20.867 (3) (b) *Principal repayment and interest.* A sum sufficient to reimburse  
10 s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal and interest costs incurred in financing  
11 capital improvements for other public purposes authorized by law but not otherwise  
12 specified in this chapter and to make payments under an agreement or ancillary  
13 arrangement entered into under s. 18.06(8)(a).

14 **SECTION 602.** 20.867 (3) (bm) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 20.867 (3) (bm) *Principal repayment, interest, and rebates; HR Academy, Inc.*  
16 A sum sufficient to reimburse s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal and  
17 interest costs incurred in financing the construction of a youth and family center for  
18 HR Academy, Inc., in the city of Milwaukee, and to make the payments determined  
19 by the building commission under s. 13.488 (1) (m) that are attributable to the  
20 proceeds of obligations incurred in financing the construction of a youth and family  
21 center for the HR Academy, Inc., and to make payments under an agreement or  
22 ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06(8)(a).

23 **SECTION 603.** 20.867 (3) (bp) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 20.867 (3) (bp) *Principal repayment, interest and rebates.* A sum sufficient to  
25 reimburse s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal and interest costs incurred

1 in financing the construction of a Swiss cultural center in the village of New Glarus,  
2 and to make the payments determined by the building commission under s. 13.488  
3 (1) (m) that are attributable to the proceeds of obligations incurred in financing the  
4 construction of a Swiss cultural center in the village of New Glarus, and to make  
5 payments under an agreement or ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06  
6 (8) (a).

7 **SECTION 604.** 20.867 (3) (bq) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 20.867 (3) (bq) *Principal repayment, interest and rebates; children's research*  
9 *institute.* A sum sufficient to reimburse s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal  
10 and interest costs incurred in financing the construction of a children's research  
11 institute in the city of Wauwatosa, to make the payments determined by the building  
12 commission under s. 13.488 (1) (m) that are attributable to the proceeds of  
13 obligations incurred in financing the construction of the institute, and to make  
14 payments under an agreement or ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06  
15 (8) (a).

16 **SECTION 605.** 20.867 (3) (br) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 20.867 (3) (br) *Principal repayment, interest and rebates.* A sum sufficient to  
18 reimburse s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal and interest costs incurred  
19 in financing the construction of the youth activities center specified in s. 13.48 (34),  
20 and to make the payments determined by the building commission under s. 13.488  
21 (1) (m) that are attributable to the proceeds of obligations incurred in financing the  
22 construction of that the youth activities center, and to make payments under an  
23 agreement or ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06 (8) (a).

24 **SECTION 606.** 20.867 (3) (bt) of the statutes is amended to read:



1           20.867 (3) (bt) *Principal repayment, interest, and rebates; Discovery Place*  
2           *museum.* A sum sufficient to reimburse s. 20.866 (1) (u) for the payment of principal  
3           and interest costs incurred in financing the construction grant under s. 13.48 (32r),  
4           and to make the payments determined by the building commission under s. 13.488  
5           (1) (m) that are attributable to the proceeds of obligations incurred in financing the  
6           construction grant under s. 13.48 (32r), and to make payments under an agreement  
7           or ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06 (8) (a).

8           **SECTION 607.** 20.867 (3) (g) of the statutes is amended to read:

9           20.867 (3) (g) *Principal repayment, interest and rebates; program revenues.*

10          From the appropriate program revenue accounts, a sum sufficient to pay all principal  
11          and interest costs on self-amortizing borrowing issued under s. 20.866 (2) which are  
12          not initially allocable to the respective programs and, to make any payments  
13          determined by the building commission under s. 13.488 (1) (m) on the proceeds of  
14          such borrowing, and to make payments under an agreement or ancillary  
15          arrangement entered into under s. 18.06 (8) (a).

16          **SECTION 608.** 20.867 (3) (h) of the statutes is amended to read:

17          20.867 (3) (h) *Principal repayment, interest, and rebates.* A sum sufficient to  
18          guarantee full payment of principal and interest costs for self-amortizing or  
19          partially self-amortizing facilities enumerated under ss. 20.190 (1) (j), 20.245 (1) (j),  
20          20.285 (1) (im), (je), (jq), (kd), (km), and (ko), 20.370 (7) (eq) and, 20.485 (1) (go), and  
21          20.505 (5) (kd) if moneys available in those appropriations are insufficient to make  
22          full payment, and to make full payment of the amounts determined by the building  
23          commission under s. 13.488 (1) (m) if the appropriation under s. 20.190 (1) (j), 20.245  
24          (1) (j), 20.285 (1) (im), (je), (jq), (kd), (km), or (ko), or 20.485 (1) (go), or 20.505 (5) (kd)  
25          is insufficient to make full payment of those amounts, and to make payments under

1 an agreement or ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06 (8) (a). All  
2 amounts advanced under the authority of this paragraph shall be repaid to the  
3 general fund whenever the balance of the appropriation for which the advance was  
4 made is sufficient to meet any portion of the amount advanced. The department of  
5 administration may take whatever action is deemed necessary including the making  
6 of transfers from program revenue appropriations and corresponding appropriations  
7 from program receipts in segregated funds and including actions to enforce  
8 contractual obligations that will result in additional program revenue for the state,  
9 to ensure recovery of the amounts advanced.

10 **SECTION 609.** 20.867 (3) (i) of the statutes is amended to read:

11 20.867 (3) (i) *Principal repayment, interest and rebates; capital equipment.* A  
12 sum sufficient to pay principal and interest on public debt contracted under s. 20.866  
13 (2) (ym) and, to make the payments determined by the building commission under  
14 s. 13.488 (1) (m) that are attributable to the proceeds of obligations contracted under  
15 s. 20.866 (2) (ym) for programs financed from program revenue or program  
16 revenue-service appropriations, and to make payments under an agreement or  
17 ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06 (8) (a). All payments under this  
18 paragraph shall be repaid to the general fund from the revenues of state agencies for  
19 which capital equipment is financed under s. 20.866 (2) (ym).

20 **SECTION 610.** 20.867 (3) (q) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 20.867 (3) (q) *Principal repayment and interest; segregated revenues.* From the  
22 appropriate segregated funds, a sum sufficient to pay all principal and interest costs  
23 on self-amortizing borrowing issued under s. 20.866 (2) which are not initially  
24 allocable to the respective programs and to make payments under an agreement or  
25 ancillary arrangement entered into under s. 18.06 (8) (a).

1           **SECTION 612.** 20.907 (5) (e) 6. of the statutes is amended to read:

2           20.907 (5) (e) 6. Advances from child-caring institutions residential care  
3           centers for children and youth and counties and moneys receivable from counties  
4           under s. 46.037 49.343.

5           **SECTION 614.** 20.921 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

6           20.921 (2) (a) Whenever it becomes necessary in pursuance of any federal or  
7           state law or court-ordered assignment of income under s. 46.10 (14) (e), 49.345 (14)  
8           (e), 301.12 (14) (e), 767.225 (1) (L), 767.513 (3), or 767.75 to make deductions from  
9           the salaries of state officers or employees or employees of the University of Wisconsin  
10          Hospitals and Clinics Authority, the state agency or authority by which the officers  
11          or employees are employed is responsible for making ~~such~~ those deductions and  
12          paying over the total ~~thereof~~ of those deductions for the purposes provided by the  
13          laws or orders under which they were made.

14          **SECTION 616.** 20.923 (4) (b) 7. of the statutes is amended to read:

15          20.923 (4) (b) 7. ~~Sentencing commission; executive~~ Bureau of criminal justice  
16          research; staff director.

17          **SECTION 617.** 20.923 (4) (d) 7. of the statutes is renumbered 20.923 (4) (f) 7t.

18          **SECTION 618.** 20.923 (4) (d) 10s. of the statutes is renumbered 20.923 (4) (f) 8m.

19          **SECTION 619.** 20.923 (4) (e) 5. of the statutes is renumbered 20.923 (4) (f) 7v.

20          **SECTION 619m.** 20.923 (4) (e) 6. of the statutes is repealed.

21          **SECTION 620.** 20.923 (4) (e) 7. of the statutes is renumbered 20.923 (4) (f) 8e.

22          **SECTION 621.** 20.923 (4) (e) 10. of the statutes is renumbered 20.923 (4) (f) 8h.

23          **SECTION 622.** 20.923 (4) (f) 2d. of the statutes is created to read:

24          20.923 (4) (f) 2d. Children and families, department of: secretary.

25          **SECTION 623.** 20.923 (4) (f) 2g. of the statutes is renumbered 20.923 (4) (h) 2g.

1           **SECTION 624.** 20.923 (4) (f) 4. of the statutes is renumbered 20.923 (4) (g) 6.

2           **SECTION 625.** 20.923 (4) (h) 5. of the statutes is created to read:

3           20.923 (4) (h) 5. Health and family services, department of: secretary.

4           **SECTION 626.** 20.923 (4) (i) of the statutes is repealed.

5           **SECTION 628.** 20.923 (6) (bd) of the statutes is amended to read:

6           20.923 (6) (bd) Health and family services Children and families, department  
7 of: director of the office of urban development.

8           **SECTION 628m.** 20.923 (6) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

9           20.923 (6) (d) Judicial council: attorney, technical and clerical help.

10          **SECTION 629.** 20.923 (6) (hr) of the statutes is amended to read:

11          20.923 (6) (hr) ~~Sentencing commission~~ Bureau of criminal justice research:  
12 deputy staff director.

13          **SECTION 630.** 20.923 (12) of the statutes is amended to read:

14          20.923 (12) OTHER DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION AND LICENSING POSITIONS. The  
15 salaries for division administrators and bureau directors appointed under s. 440.04  
16 (6) shall not exceed the maximum of the salary range for executive salary group 1 3.

17          **SECTION 631.** 20.927 (1m) of the statutes is amended to read:

18          20.927 (1m) Except as provided under subs. (2) and (3), no funds of this state  
19 or of any county, city, village, town or family long-term care district under s. 46.2895  
20 or of any subdivision or agency of this state or of any county, city, village or town and  
21 no federal funds passing through the state treasury shall be authorized for or paid  
22 to a physician or surgeon or a hospital, clinic or other medical facility for the  
23 performance of an abortion.

24          **SECTION 632.** 20.9275 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

1           20.9275 (1) (b) "Local governmental unit" means a city, village, town, county  
2           or family long-term care district under s. 46.2895 or an agency or subdivision of a  
3           city, village, town, or county.

4           **SECTION 633.** 20.9275 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

5           20.9275 (2) (intro.) No state agency or local governmental unit may authorize  
6           payment of funds of this state, of any local governmental unit or, subject to sub. (3m),  
7           of federal funds passing through the state treasury as a grant, subsidy or other  
8           funding that wholly or partially or directly or indirectly involves pregnancy  
9           programs, projects or services, that is a grant, subsidy or other funding under s.  
10          46.99, 46.995, 48.487, 48.545, 253.05, 253.07, 253.08, or 253.085 or 42 USC 701 to  
11          710, if any of the following applies:

12          **SECTION 635.** 20.931 of the statutes is created to read:

13          **20.931 False claims for medical assistance; actions by or on behalf of**  
14          **state. (1) In this section:**

15               (b) "Claim" includes any request or demand for medical assistance made to any  
16               officer, employee, or agent of this state.

17               (c) "Employer" includes all agencies and authorities.

18               (d) "Knowingly" means, with respect to information, having actual knowledge  
19               of the information, acting in deliberate ignorance of the truth or falsity of the  
20               information, or acting in reckless disregard of the truth or falsity of the information.

21               "Knowingly" does not mean specifically intending to defraud.

22               (dm) "Medical assistance" has the meaning given under s. 49.43 (8).

23               (e) "Proceeds" includes damages, civil penalties, surcharges, payments for costs  
24               of compliance, and any other economic benefit realized by this state as a result of an  
25               action or settlement of a claim.

1 (f) "State public official" has the meaning given in s. 19.42 (14).

2 (2) Except as provided in sub. (3), any person who does any of the following is  
3 liable to this state for 3 times the amount of the damages sustained by this state  
4 because of the actions of the person, and shall forfeit not less than \$5,000 nor more  
5 than \$10,000 for each violation:

6 (a) Knowingly presents or causes to be presented to any officer, employee, or  
7 agent of this state a false claim for medical assistance .

8 (b) Knowingly makes, uses, or causes to be made or used a false record or  
9 statement to obtain approval or payment of a false claim for medical assistance.

10 (c) Conspires to defraud this state by obtaining allowance or payment of a false  
11 claim for medical assistance, or by knowingly making or using, or causing to be made  
12 or used, a false record or statement to conceal, avoid, or decrease an obligation to pay  
13 or transmit money or property to the Medical Assistance program.

14 (g) Knowingly makes, uses, or causes to be made or used a false record or  
15 statement to conceal, avoid, or decrease any obligation to pay or transmit money or  
16 property to the Medical Assistance program.

17 (h) Is a beneficiary of the submission of a false claim for medical assistance to  
18 any officer, employee, or agent of this state, knows that the claim is false, and fails  
19 to disclose the false claim to this state within a reasonable time after the person  
20 becomes aware that the claim is false.

21 (3) The court may assess against a person who violates sub. (2) not less than  
22 2 nor more than 3 times the amount of the damages sustained by the state because  
23 of the acts of the person, and shall not assess any forfeiture, if the court finds all of  
24 the following:

1 (a) The person who commits the acts furnished the attorney general with all  
2 information known to the person about the acts within 30 days after the date on  
3 which the person obtained the information.

4 (b) The person fully cooperated with any investigation of the acts by this state.

5 (c) At the time that the person furnished the attorney general with information  
6 concerning the acts, no criminal prosecution or civil or administrative enforcement  
7 action had been commenced with respect to any such act, and the person did not have  
8 actual knowledge of the existence of any investigation into any such act.

9 (5) (a) Except as provided in subs. (10) and (12), any person may bring a civil  
10 action as a qui tam plaintiff against a person who commits an act in violation of sub.  
11 (2) for the person and the state in the name of the state.

12 (b) The plaintiff shall serve upon the attorney general a copy of the complaint  
13 and documents disclosing substantially all material evidence and information that  
14 the person possesses. The plaintiff shall file a copy of the complaint with the court  
15 for inspection in camera. Except as provided in par. (c), the complaint shall remain  
16 under seal for a period of 60 days from the date of filing, and shall not be served upon  
17 the defendant until the court so orders. Within 60 days from the date of service upon  
18 the attorney general of the complaint, evidence, and information under this  
19 paragraph, the attorney general may intervene in the action.

20 (c) The attorney general may, for good cause shown, move the court for one or  
21 more extensions of the period during which a complaint in an action under this  
22 subsection remains under seal.

23 (d) Before the expiration of the period during which the complaint remains  
24 under seal, the attorney general shall do one of the following:

1 1. Proceed with the action or an alternate remedy under sub. (10), in which case  
2 the action or proceeding under sub. (10) shall be prosecuted by the state.

3 2. Notify the court that he or she declines to proceed with the action, in which  
4 case the person bringing the action may proceed with the action.

5 (e) If a person brings a valid action under this subsection, no person other than  
6 the state may intervene or bring a related action while the original action is pending  
7 based upon the same facts underlying the pending action.

8 (f) In any action or other proceeding under sub. (10) brought under this  
9 subsection, the plaintiff is required to prove all essential elements of the cause of  
10 action or complaint, including damages, by a preponderance of the evidence.

11 (6) If the state proceeds with an action under sub. (5) or an alternate remedy  
12 under sub. (10), the state has primary responsibility for prosecuting the action or  
13 proceeding under sub. (10). The state is not bound by any act of the person bringing  
14 the action, but that person has the right to continue as a party to the action, subject  
15 to the limitations under sub. (7).

16 (7) (a) The state may move to dismiss an action under sub. (5) or an  
17 administrative proceeding under sub. (10) to which the state is a party for good cause  
18 shown, notwithstanding objection of the person bringing the action, if that person is  
19 served with a copy of the state's motion and is provided with an opportunity to oppose  
20 the motion before the court or the administrative agency before which the proceeding  
21 is conducted.

22 (b) With the approval of the governor, the attorney general may compromise  
23 and settle an action under sub. (5) or an administrative proceeding under sub. (10)  
24 to which the state is a party, notwithstanding objection of the person bringing the  
25 action, if the court determines, after affording to the person bringing the action the



1 right to a hearing at which the person is afforded the opportunity to present evidence  
2 in opposition to the proposed settlement, that the proposed settlement is fair,  
3 adequate, and reasonable considering the relevant circumstances pertaining to the  
4 violation.

5 (c) Upon a showing by the state that unrestricted participation in the  
6 prosecution of an action under sub. (5) or an alternate proceeding to which the state  
7 is a party by the person bringing the action would interfere with or unduly delay the  
8 prosecution of the action or proceeding, or would result in consideration of  
9 repetitious or irrelevant evidence or evidence presented for purposes of harassment,  
10 the court may limit the person's participation in the prosecution, such as:

- 11 1. Limiting the number of witnesses that the person may call.
- 12 2. Limiting the length of the testimony of the witnesses.
- 13 3. Limiting the cross-examination of witnesses by the person.
- 14 4. Otherwise limiting the participation by the person in the prosecution of the  
15 action or proceeding.

16 (d) Upon showing by a defendant that unrestricted participation in the  
17 prosecution of an action under sub. (5) or alternate proceeding under sub. (10) to  
18 which the state is a party by the person bringing the action would result in  
19 harassment or would cause the defendant undue burden or unnecessary expense, the  
20 court may limit the person's participation in the prosecution.

21 (8) Except as provided in sub. (7), if the state elects not to participate in an  
22 action filed under sub. (5), the person bringing the action may prosecute the action.  
23 If the attorney general so requests, the attorney general shall, at the state's expense,  
24 be served with copies of all pleadings and deposition transcripts in the action. If the  
25 person bringing the action initiates prosecution of the action, the court, without

1 limiting the status and rights of that person, may permit the state to intervene at a  
2 later date upon showing by the state of good cause for the proposed intervention.

3 (9) Whether or not the state participates in an action under sub. (5), upon  
4 showing in camera by the attorney general that discovery by the person bringing the  
5 action would interfere with the state's ongoing investigation or prosecution of a  
6 criminal or civil matter arising out of the same facts as the facts upon which the  
7 action is based, the court may stay such discovery in whole or in part for a period of  
8 not more than 60 days. The court may extend the period of any such stay upon  
9 further showing in camera by the attorney general that the state has pursued the  
10 criminal or civil investigation of the matter with reasonable diligence and the  
11 proposed discovery in the action brought under sub. (5) will interfere with the  
12 ongoing criminal or civil investigation or prosecution.

13 (10) The attorney general may pursue a claim relating to an alleged violation  
14 of sub. (2) through an alternate remedy available to the state or any state agency,  
15 including an administrative proceeding to assess a civil forfeiture. If the attorney  
16 general elects any such alternate remedy, the attorney general shall serve timely  
17 notice of his or her election upon the person bringing the action under sub. (5), and  
18 that person has the same rights in the alternate venue as the person would have had  
19 if the action had continued under sub. (5). Any finding of fact or conclusion of law  
20 made by a court or by a state agency in the alternate venue that has become final is  
21 conclusive upon all parties named in an action under sub. (5). For purposes of this  
22 subsection, a finding or conclusion is final if it has been finally determined on appeal,  
23 if all time for filing an appeal or petition for review with respect to the finding or  
24 conclusion has expired, or if the finding or conclusion is not subject to judicial review.

1 (11) (a) Except as provided in pars. (b) and (e), if the state proceeds with an  
2 action brought by a person under sub. (5) or the state pursues an alternate remedy  
3 relating to the same acts under sub. (10), the person who brings the action shall  
4 receive at least 15 percent but not more than 25 percent of the proceeds of the action  
5 or settlement of the claim, depending upon the extent to which the person  
6 contributed to the prosecution of the action or claim.

7 (b) Except as provided in par. (e), if an action or claim is one in which the court  
8 or other adjudicator finds to be based primarily upon disclosures of specific  
9 information not provided by the person who brings an action under sub. (5) relating  
10 to allegations or transactions specifically in a criminal, civil, or administrative  
11 hearing, or in a legislative or administrative report, hearing, audit, or investigation,  
12 or report made by the news media, the court or other adjudicator may award such  
13 amount as it considers appropriate, but not more than 10 percent of the proceeds of  
14 the action or settlement of the claim, depending upon the significance of the  
15 information and the role of the person bringing the action in advancing the  
16 prosecution of the action or claim.

17 (c) Except as provided in par. (e), in addition to any amount received under par.  
18 (a) or (b), a person bringing an action under sub. (5) shall be awarded his or her  
19 reasonable expenses necessarily incurred in bringing the action together with the  
20 person's costs and reasonable actual attorney fees. The court or other adjudicator  
21 shall assess any award under this paragraph against the defendant.

22 (d) Except as provided in par. (e), if the state does not proceed with an action  
23 or an alternate proceeding under sub. (10), the person bringing the action shall  
24 receive an amount that the court decides is reasonable for collection of the civil  
25 penalty and damages. The amount shall be not less than 25 percent and not more

1 than 30 percent of the proceeds of the action and shall be paid from the proceeds. In  
2 addition, the person shall be paid his or her expenses, costs, and fees under par. (c).

3 (e) Whether or not the state proceeds with the action or an alternate proceeding  
4 under sub. (10), if the court or other adjudicator finds that an action under sub. (5)  
5 was brought by a person who planned or initiated the violation upon which the action  
6 or proceeding is based, then the court may, to the extent that the court considers  
7 appropriate, reduce the share of the proceeds of the action that the person would  
8 otherwise receive under par. (a), (b), or (d), taking into account the role of that person  
9 in advancing the prosecution of the action or claim and any other relevant  
10 circumstance pertaining to the violation, except that if the person bringing the action  
11 is convicted of criminal conduct arising from his or her role in a violation of sub. (2),  
12 the court or other adjudicator shall dismiss the person as a party and the person shall  
13 not receive any share of the proceeds of the action or claim or any expenses, costs, and  
14 fees under par. (c).

15 (12) (a) No court has jurisdiction over an action brought by a private person  
16 under sub. (5) against a state public official if the action is based upon information  
17 known to the attorney general at the time that the action is brought.

18 (b) No person may bring an action under sub. (5) that is based upon allegations  
19 or transactions that are the subject of a civil action or an administrative proceeding  
20 to assess a civil forfeiture in which the state is a party if that action or proceeding  
21 was commenced prior to the date that the action is filed.

22 (13) The state is not liable for any expenses incurred by a private person in  
23 bringing an action under sub. (5).

24 (14) Any employee who is discharged, demoted, suspended, threatened,  
25 harassed, or in any other manner discriminated against by his or her employer

1 because of lawful actions taken by the employee, on behalf of the employee, or by  
2 others in furtherance of an action or claim filed under this section, including  
3 investigation for, initiation of, testimony for, or assistance in an action or claim filed  
4 or to be filed under sub. (5) is entitled to all necessary relief to make the employee  
5 whole. Such relief shall in each case include reinstatement with the same seniority  
6 status that the employee would have had but for the discrimination, 2 times the  
7 amount of back pay, interest on the back pay at the legal rate, and compensation for  
8 any special damages sustained as a result of the discrimination, including costs and  
9 reasonable actual attorney fees. An employee may bring an action to obtain the relief  
10 to which the employee is entitled under this subsection.

11 (15) A civil action may be brought based upon acts occurring prior to the  
12 effective date of this subsection ... [revisor inserts date], if the action is brought  
13 within the period specified in s. 893.981.

14 (16) A judgment of guilty entered against a defendant in a criminal action in  
15 which the defendant is charged with fraud or making false statements estops the  
16 defendant from denying the essential elements of the offense in any action under sub.  
17 (5) that involves the same elements as in the criminal action.

18 (17) The remedies provided for under this section are in addition to any other  
19 remedies provided for under any other law or available under the common law.

20 (18) This section shall be liberally construed and applied to promote the public  
21 interest and to effect the congressional intent in enacting 31 USC 3279 to 3733, as  
22 reflected in the act and the legislative history of the act.

23 **SECTION 635m.** 21.37 of the statutes is amended to read:

24 **21.37 The Wisconsin code of military justice.** The Wisconsin code of  
25 military justice as created by chapter 20, laws of 1969, shall govern the conduct of

1 all members of the national guard and any other military force organized under the  
2 laws of this state. The ~~revisor of statutes~~ legislative reference bureau shall not print  
3 the Wisconsin code of military justice in the statutes.

4 **SECTION 636.** 23.09 (19) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 23.09 (19) (d) Grants Except as provided in s. 23.096 (2m), grants under this  
6 subsection shall be for up to 50% of the acquisition costs of the land or the rights in  
7 land for the urban green space. The governmental unit is responsible for the  
8 remainder of the acquisition costs.

9 **SECTION 637.** 23.09 (20) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

10 23.09 (20) (b) State Except as provided in s. 23.096 (2m), state aid under this  
11 subsection is limited to no more than 50% of the acquisition costs and the  
12 development costs of recreation lands and other outdoor recreation facilities. Costs  
13 associated with operation and maintenance of parks and other outdoor recreational  
14 facilities established under this subsection are not eligible for state aid.  
15 Administrative costs of acquiring lands or land rights are not included in the  
16 acquisition costs eligible for state aid under this subsection. Title to lands or rights  
17 in lands acquired by a municipality under this subsection shall vest in the  
18 municipality, but such land shall not be converted to uses inconsistent with this  
19 subsection without prior approval of the state and proceeds from the sale or other  
20 disposal of such lands shall be used to promote the objectives of this subsection.

21 **SECTION 638.** 23.09 (20m) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 23.09 (20m) (b) The department shall establish a program to award grants  
23 from the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2) (ta) to governmental units and nonprofit  
24 conservation organizations to acquire development rights in land for nature-based

1 outdoor recreation. ~~The~~ Except as provided s. 23.096 (2m), the grants shall be limited  
2 to no more than 50% of the acquisition costs of the development rights.

3 **SECTION 638m.** 23.0912 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **23.0912 Contracts for land management; reports.** (1) The department  
5 may contract with nonprofit conservation organizations, as defined in s. 23.0955 (1),  
6 and with private companies to perform land management activities on department  
7 land, as defined in s. 23.0917 (1) (c).

8 (2) The department shall prepare, for the joint committee on finance, an annual  
9 report concerning any contracts into which the department enters under sub. (1)  
10 during each fiscal year. For each contract entered, the report shall include  
11 information concerning the cost of the contract, the activities performed under the  
12 contract, and an assessment of the cost-effectiveness of the contract. The  
13 department shall submit the report to the committee no later than November 15 for  
14 the preceding fiscal year, and shall submit the first report no later than November  
15 15, 2008.

16 **SECTION 639.** 23.0917 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 23.0917 (3) (a) Beginning with fiscal year 2000-01 and ending with fiscal year  
18 2009-10 ~~2019-20~~, the department may obligate moneys under the subprogram for  
19 land acquisition to acquire land for the purposes specified in s. 23.09 (2) (d) and  
20 grants for these purposes under s. 23.096, except as provided under ss. 23.197 (2m),  
21 (3m) (b), (7m), and (8) and 23.198 (1) (a).

22 **SECTION 640.** 23.0917 (3) (bm) of the statutes is amended to read:

23 23.0917 (3) (bm) During the period beginning with fiscal year 2001-02 and  
24 ending with fiscal year 2009-10 ~~2019-20~~, in obligating money under the subprogram  
25 for land acquisition, the department shall set aside not less than a total of \$ 2,000,000

1 that may be obligated only to provide matching funds for grants awarded to the  
2 department for the purchase of land or easements under 16 USC 2103c.

3 **SECTION 641.** 23.0917 (3) (br) of the statutes is created to read:

4 23.0917 (3) (br) Beginning with fiscal year 2010–11 and ending with fiscal year  
5 2019–20, in obligating moneys under the subprogram for land acquisition, the  
6 department shall set aside in each fiscal year not less than \$14,500,000 that may be  
7 obligated only to provide for grants awarded to nonprofit conservation organizations  
8 under s. 23.096.

9 **SECTION 642.** 23.0917 (3) (dm) 3. of the statutes is created to read:

10 23.0917 (3) (dm) 3. For each fiscal year beginning with 2010–11 and ending  
11 with fiscal year 2019–20, \$79,000,000.

12 **SECTION 643.** 23.0917 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 23.0917 (4) (a) Beginning with fiscal year 2000–01 and ending with fiscal year  
14 ~~2009–10~~ 2019–20, the department may obligate moneys under the subprogram for  
15 property development and local assistance. Moneys obligated under this  
16 subprogram may be only used for nature–based outdoor recreation, except as  
17 provided under par. (cm).

18 **SECTION 644.** 23.0917 (4) (d) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

19 23.0917 (4) (d) 1. The department may obligate not more than \$11,500,000 in  
20 fiscal year 2000–01 and not more than \$11,500,000 in fiscal year 2001–02 under the  
21 subprogram except as provided in sub. (5). For each fiscal year beginning with  
22 2002–03 and ending with fiscal year 2009–10, the department may obligate not more  
23 than \$15,000,000 under the subprogram except as provided in sub. (5). For each  
24 fiscal year beginning with 2010–11 and ending with fiscal year 2019–20, the



1 department may obligate not more than \$26,000,000 under the subprogram except  
2 as provided in sub. (5).

3 **SECTION 645.** 23.0917 (4) (d) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

4 23.0917 (4) (d) 2. The Beginning with fiscal year 2000-01 and ending with  
5 fiscal year 2009-10, the department may obligate not more than \$8,000,000 in each  
6 fiscal year for local assistance.

7 **SECTION 646.** 23.0917 (4) (d) 2m. of the statutes is created to read:

8 23.0917 (4) (d) 2m. Beginning with fiscal year 2010-11 and ending with fiscal  
9 year 2019-20, the department may not obligate more than \$14,000,000 in each fiscal  
10 year for local assistance.

11 **SECTION 647.** 23.0917 (7) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 23.0917 (7) (a) Except as provided in pars. (b) and (c), for purposes of  
13 calculating the acquisition costs for acquisition of land under ss. 23.09 (19), (20) and  
14 (20m), 23.092 (4), 23.094 (3g), 23.0953, 23.096, 30.24 (4) and 30.277 from the  
15 appropriation under s. 20.866 (2) (ta), the acquisition costs shall equal the sum of the  
16 land's current fair market value and other acquisition costs, as determined by rule  
17 by the department.

18 **SECTION 647m.** 23.0917 (9) of the statutes is created to read:

19 23.0917 (9) **REPORTING REQUIREMENT.** The department shall prepare an annual  
20 report that identifies each stewardship grant awarded for the acquisition of  
21 development rights in land during each fiscal year. For each grant, the report shall  
22 name each county and each city, village, or town in which the land subject to the  
23 development rights is located; shall specify the location and number of acres subject  
24 to the development rights; and shall give a summary of the terms of agreement  
25 conveying the development rights. The department shall submit the report to the

1 joint committee on finance and to the appropriate standing committees of the  
2 legislature in the manner provided under s. 13.172 (3). The department shall submit  
3 the report no later than November 15 for the preceding fiscal year, and shall submit  
4 the first report no later than November 15, 2008.

5 **SECTION 648.** 23.0917 (12) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 23.0917 (12) EXPENDITURES AFTER JUNE 30, ~~2010~~ 2020. If the remaining bonding  
7 authority for a subprogram under sub. (3) or (4) on June 30, ~~2010~~ 2020, is an amount  
8 greater than zero, the department may expend any portion of this remaining bonding  
9 authority for that subprogram in one or more subsequent fiscal years.

10 **SECTION 649.** 23.092 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 23.092 (1m).

11 **SECTION 650.** 23.092 (1b) of the statutes is created to read:

12 23.092 (1b) In this section, “nonprofit conservation organization” has the  
13 meaning given in s. 23.0955 (1).

14 **SECTION 651.** 23.092 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 23.092 (2) For each area designated under sub. (1) (1m), the department shall  
16 prepare a plan, based upon the specific qualities of the area designated, that is  
17 designed to protect, enhance or restore the habitat in the designated area. After  
18 preparation of a plan for a designated area, the department shall encourage  
19 landowners to use specific management practices that are designed to implement the  
20 plan.

21 **SECTION 652.** 23.092 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 23.092 (4) The department may share the costs of implementing land  
23 management practices with landowners, or with nonprofit conservation  
24 organizations that are qualified to enhance wildlife-based recreation if these  
25 organizations have the landowner’s permission to implement the practices. The

1 department may share the costs of acquiring easements for habitat areas with  
2 landowners or with these nonprofit conservation organizations. If the funding for  
3 cost-sharing under this subsection will be expended from the appropriation under  
4 s. 20.866 (2) (ta), the amount expended for the cost-sharing may not exceed 50% of  
5 the cost of the management practices or of the acquisition costs for the easement  
6 except as provided in s. 23.096 (2m).

7 **SECTION 653.** 23.094 (3m) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 **23.094 (3m) LIMITS.** A Except as provided in s. 23.096 (2m), a grant under sub.  
9 (3g) may not exceed 50% of the acquisition costs for the land or the easement.

10 **SECTION 654.** 23.0953 of the statutes is created to read:

11 **23.0953 Grants to counties for land acquisition.** (1) In this section,  
12 “nature-based outdoor recreation” has the meaning given by the department by rule  
13 under s. 23.0917 (4) (f).

14 (2) Beginning with fiscal year 2010–11 and ending with fiscal year 2019–20,  
15 the department shall establish a program from the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2)  
16 (ta) to make grants to counties to acquire land for nature-based outdoor recreation.  
17 For purposes of s. 23.0917, moneys provided from the appropriation under s. 20.866  
18 (2) (ta) shall be treated as moneys obligated from the subprogram under s. 23.0917  
19 (3).

20 (3) Each county receiving a grant under this section shall provide matching  
21 funds that equal at least 50 percent of the acquisition costs.

22 (4) A county unit may not convert the land or the rights in the land acquired  
23 using grant moneys awarded under this subsection to a use that is inconsistent with  
24 the type of nature-based outdoor recreation for which the grant was awarded  
25 without the approval of the natural resources board.

1           **SECTION 655.** 23.096 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

2           23.096 (2) (b) ~~A~~ Except as provided in sub. (2m), a grant awarded under this  
3 section may not exceed 50% of the acquisition costs of the property.

4           **SECTION 656.** 23.096 (2m) of the statutes is created to read:

5           23.096 (2m) Notwithstanding sub. (2) (b), in each fiscal year beginning with  
6 fiscal year 2010–11 and ending with fiscal year 2019–20, the department may award  
7 grants under this section that equal up to 75 percent of the acquisition costs of the  
8 property if the natural resources board determines that all of the following apply:

9           (a) That the property is uniquely valuable in conserving the natural resources  
10 of the state.

11           (b) That delaying or deferring the acquisition until 50 percent of the acquisition  
12 costs are procured by the nonprofit conservation organization is not reasonably  
13 possible.

14           (c) That sufficient bonding authority remains in the amount set aside under s.  
15 23.0917 (3) (br) for that fiscal year after awarding grants to nonprofit conservation  
16 organizations that meet the matching requirement under sub. (2) (b).

17           **SECTION 657.** 23.15 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

18           23.15 (1) The natural resources board may sell, at public or private sale, lands  
19 and structures owned by the state under the jurisdiction of the department of natural  
20 resources, except central or district office facilities, when the natural resources board  
21 determines that said lands are no longer necessary for the state's use for  
22 conservation purposes and, if real property, the real property is not the subject of a  
23 petition under s. 560.9810 (2).

24           **SECTION 658.** 23.197 (10) of the statutes is created to read:

1           23.197 (10) MIRROR LAKE; BOATING ACCESS. From the appropriation under s.  
2           20.866 (2) (ta), the department shall provide funding in an amount not to exceed  
3           \$1,000,000 to improve navigability for recreational boating in Mirror Lake in Sauk  
4           County and in the streams flowing into the lake. For the purposes of s. 23.0917,  
5           moneys provided under this subsection from the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2)  
6           (ta) shall be treated as moneys obligated under either or both of the subprograms  
7           under s. 23.0917 (3) and (4).

8           **SECTION 658g.** 23.197 (11) of the statutes is created to read:

9           23.197 (11) JERSEY VALLEY LAKE. From the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2)  
10          (ta), the department shall provide funding in an amount not to exceed \$500,000 to  
11          Vernon County to restore Jersey Valley Lake. The funding authorized under this  
12          subsection shall be in a manner that, for every \$1 expended by Vernon County for the  
13          repairs and installation, the department shall provide \$3. For purposes of s. 23.0917,  
14          moneys provided from the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2) (ta) shall be treated as  
15          moneys obligated from either or both of the subprograms under s. 23.0917 (3) and (4).

16          **SECTION 658m.** 23.197 (12) of the statutes is created to read:

17          23.197 (12) MILWAUKEE METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE DISTRICT; FLOOD MANAGEMENT.  
18          From the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2) (ta), the department shall provide  
19          funding in an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000 to a nationwide nonprofit  
20          conservation organization dedicated to land and water resource preservation to  
21          acquire land for a flood management program conducted by the Milwaukee  
22          Metropolitan Sewerage District and for habitat restoration on the acquired land.  
23          The funding authorized under this subsection shall be in a manner that, for every  
24          \$1 expended by the nationwide nonprofit conservation organization for the land  
25          acquisition, the department shall provide \$3. For purposes of s. 23.0917, moneys

1 provided from the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2) (ta) shall be treated as moneys  
2 obligated from either or both of the subprograms under s. 23.0917 (3) and (4).

3 **SECTION 658r.** 23.197 (13) of the statutes is created to read:

4 **23.197 (13) GREEN BAY RECREATIONAL TRAIL.** From the appropriation under s.  
5 20.866 (2) (ta), the department shall provide funding in an amount not to exceed  
6 \$875,800 to the city of Green Bay to acquire land for a bicycle and pedestrian trail.  
7 The funding authorized under this subsection shall be in a manner that, for every  
8 \$1 expended by the city of Green Bay for the land acquisition, the department shall  
9 provide \$3. For purposes of s. 23.0917, moneys provided from the appropriation  
10 under s. 20.866 (2) (ta) shall be treated as moneys obligated from either or both of the  
11 subprograms under s. 23.0917 (3) and (4).

12 **SECTION 659.** 23.1985 of the statutes is amended to read:

13 **23.1985 Acquisition of certain public lands.** Beginning in fiscal year  
14 2006–07 and ending in fiscal year 2009–10 ~~2019–20~~, from the appropriation under  
15 s. 20.866 (2) (ta), the department shall set aside \$2,000,000 in each fiscal year that  
16 may be obligated only to acquire land from the board of commissioners of public lands  
17 under s. 24.59 (1). If the department sets aside, but does not obligate moneys in a  
18 fiscal year under this section, the department may obligate those nonobligated  
19 moneys in a subsequent fiscal year under this section in addition to the amounts the  
20 department is required to set aside for that subsequent fiscal year. For purposes of  
21 s. 23.0917, moneys provided from the appropriation under s. 20.866 (2) (ta) shall be  
22 treated as moneys obligated under the subprogram under s. 23.0917 (3).

23 **SECTION 660.** 23.22 (2) (b) 6. of the statutes is amended to read:

24 **23.22 (2) (b) 6.** Promulgate rules to identify, classify, and control invasive  
25 species for purposes of the program. In promulgating these rules, the department

1 shall consider the recommendations of the council under sub. (3) (a). As part of these  
2 rules, the department may establish procedures and requirements for issuing  
3 permits to control invasive species.

4 **SECTION 661.** 23.22 (2) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 23.22 (2) (c) Under the program established under par. (a), the department  
6 shall promulgate rules to establish a procedure to award cost-sharing grants to  
7 public and private entities for up to ~~50%~~ 75 percent of the costs of projects to control  
8 invasive species. The rules promulgated under this paragraph shall establish  
9 criteria for determining eligible projects and eligible grant recipients. Eligible  
10 projects shall include education and inspection activities at boat landings. The rules  
11 shall allow cost-share contributions to be in the form of money or in-kind goods or  
12 services or any combination thereof. In promulgating these rules, the department  
13 shall consider the recommendations of the council under sub. (3) (c). ~~From the~~  
14 ~~appropriation under s. 20.370 (6) (ar), the department shall make available for~~  
15 ~~cost-sharing grants to be awarded to local governmental units for the control of~~  
16 ~~invasive species that are aquatic species \$1,000,000 in fiscal year 2005-06 and~~  
17 ~~\$1,500,000 in fiscal year 2006-07 and each fiscal year thereafter.~~

18 **SECTION 662.** 23.22 (8) of the statutes is created to read:

19 23.22 (8) PENALTIES. (a) Except as provided in pars. (b) and (c), any person who  
20 violates a rule promulgated under sub. (2) (b) 6., or any permit issued under those  
21 rules, shall forfeit not more than \$200.

22 (b) Any person who intentionally violates any rule promulgated under sub. (2)  
23 (b) 6: or any permit issued under those rules shall be fined not less than \$1,000 nor  
24 more than \$5,000, or shall be imprisoned for not less than 6 months nor more than  
25 9 months or both.

1 (c) A person who violates a rule promulgated under sub. (2) (b) 6. or any permit  
2 issued under those rules and who, within 5 years before the arrest of the current  
3 conviction, was previously convicted of a violation of a rule promulgated under sub.  
4 (2) (b) 6. or any permit issued under those rules shall be fined not less than \$700 nor  
5 more than \$2,000 or shall be imprisoned for not less than 6 months nor more than  
6 9 months or both.

7 (d) The court may order a person who is convicted under par. (a), (b), or (c) to  
8 abate any nuisance caused by the violation, restore any natural resource damaged  
9 by the violation, or take other appropriate action to eliminate or minimize any  
10 environmental damage caused by the violation.

11 **SECTION 663.** 23.22 (9) of the statutes is created to read:

12 23.22 (9) ENFORCEMENT. (a) If the department of natural resources finds that  
13 any person is violating a rule promulgated under sub. (2) (b) 6. or a permit issued  
14 under those rules for which the person is subject to a forfeiture under sub. (8) (a), the  
15 department of natural resources may do one or more of the following:

- 16 1. Issue a citation pursuant to s. 23.50 to 23.99.
- 17 2. Refer the matter to the department of justice for enforcement under par. (b).
- 18 3. Revoke a permit issued under the rules promulgated under sub. (2) (b) 6.,  
19 after notice and opportunity for hearing.

20 (b) The department of justice shall initiate an enforcement action requested by  
21 the department under par. (a) 2. The enforcement action may include a request for  
22 injunctive relief. In any action initiated by it under this paragraph, the department  
23 of justice shall, prior to stipulation, consent order, judgment, or other final  
24 disposition of the case, consult with the department of natural resources for the  
25 purpose of determining the department's views on final disposition. The department



1 of justice shall not enter into a final disposition different than that previously  
2 discussed without first informing the department of natural resources.

3 (c) In an action initiated pursuant to a citation or initiated under par. (b), the  
4 court may award, as an additional penalty, an amount equal to all or a portion of the  
5 costs of investigation, including any monitoring, incurred by the department of  
6 natural resources or the department of justice, which led to the establishment of the  
7 violation. The court may also award the department of justice the reasonable and  
8 necessary expenses of the prosecution, including attorney fees. The department of  
9 justice shall deposit in the state treasury for deposit into the general fund all moneys  
10 that the court awards to the department of justice under this paragraph. These  
11 moneys shall be credited to the appropriation account under s. 20.455 (1) (gh).

12 **SECTION 664.** 23.24 (6) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 23.24 (6) (b) A person who violates sub. (3) and who, within 5 years before the  
14 arrest of the current conviction, was previously convicted of a violation of sub. (3)  
15 shall ~~forfeit~~ be fined not less than \$700 nor more than \$2,000 or shall be imprisoned  
16 for not less than 6 months nor more than 9 months or both.

17 **SECTION 665.** 23.33 (5) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 23.33 (5) (d) *Safety certification program established.* The department shall  
19 establish or supervise the establishment of a program of instruction on all-terrain  
20 vehicle laws, including the intoxicated operation of an all-terrain vehicle law,  
21 regulations, safety and related subjects. The department shall establish by rule an  
22 instruction fee for this program. The department shall issue certificates to persons  
23 successfully completing the program. An instructor conducting the program of  
24 instruction under this paragraph shall collect the fee from each person who receives  
25 instruction. The department may determine the portion of this fee, which may not

1 exceed 50%, that the instructor may retain to defray expenses incurred by the  
2 instructor in conducting the program. The instructor shall remit the remainder of  
3 the fee or, if nothing is retained, the entire fee to the department. The department  
4 shall issue a duplicate certificate of accomplishment to a person who is entitled to a  
5 duplicate certificate of accomplishment and who pays a fee of \$2.75.

6 **SECTION 674d.** 24.61 (3) (a) 12. of the statutes is created to read:

7 24.61 (3) (a) 12. A drainage district created under ch. 88.

8 **SECTION 674g.** 24.61 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

9 24.61 (3) (b) *Terms; conditions.* A municipality, cooperative educational service  
10 agency, drainage district created under ch. 88, or federated public library system  
11 may obtain a state trust fund loan for the sum of money, for the time and upon the  
12 conditions as may be agreed upon between the board and the borrower, subject to the  
13 limitations, restrictions, and conditions set forth in this subchapter.

14 **SECTION 674k.** 24.66 (3r) of the statutes is created to read:

15 24.66 (3r) FOR A DRAINAGE DISTRICT. An application for a loan by a drainage  
16 district created under ch. 88 shall be accompanied by a certified copy of a resolution  
17 of the board of the drainage district approving the loan.

18 **SECTION 674p.** 24.67 (1) (n) of the statutes is created to read:

19 24.67 (1) (n) For a drainage district created under ch. 88, by the president of  
20 the drainage district board.

21 **SECTION 674s.** 24.67 (2) (i) of the statutes is created to read:

22 24.67 (2) (i) For a drainage district created under ch. 88, by the secretary of the  
23 drainage district board.

24 **SECTION 674v.** 24.67 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

1           24.67 (3) If a municipality has acted under subs. (1) and (2), it shall certify that  
2           fact to the department of administration. Upon receiving a certification from a  
3           municipality, or upon direction of the board if a loan is made to a cooperative  
4           educational service agency, drainage district created under ch. 88, or a federated  
5           public library system, the secretary of administration shall draw a warrant for the  
6           amount of the loan, payable to the treasurer of the municipality, cooperative  
7           educational service agency, drainage district, or federated public library system  
8           making the loan or as the treasurer of the municipality, cooperative educational  
9           service agency, drainage district, or federated public library system directs. The  
10          certificate of indebtedness shall then be conclusive evidence of the validity of the  
11          indebtedness and that all the requirements of law concerning the application for the  
12          making and acceptance of the loan have been complied with.

13          **SECTION 674vm.** 24.70 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

14          **24.70 (1) APPLICABILITY.** This section applies to all outstanding state trust fund  
15          loans to borrowers other than school districts, drainage districts created under ch.  
16          88, and federated public library systems.

17          **SECTION 674w.** 24.716 of the statutes is created to read:

18          **24.716 Collections from drainage districts. (1) APPLICABILITY.** This section  
19          applies to all outstanding trust fund loans to drainage districts created under ch. 88.

20          **(2) CERTIFIED STATEMENT.** If a drainage district has a state trust fund loan, the  
21          board shall transmit to the district board a certified statement of the amount due on  
22          or before October 1 of each year until the loan is paid. The board shall furnish a copy  
23          of each certified statement to the department of administration.

24          **(3) PAYMENT TO SECRETARY OF ADMINISTRATION.** The district board shall transmit  
25          to the secretary of administration on its own order the full amount levied for state

1 trust fund loans within 15 days after March 15. The secretary of administration shall  
2 notify the board when he or she receives payment. Any payment not made by March  
3 30 is delinquent and is subject to a penalty of 1 percent per month or fraction thereof,  
4 to be paid to the secretary of administration with the delinquent payment.

5 **(4) FAILURE TO MAKE PAYMENT.** If the district board fails to remit the amounts  
6 due under sub. (3), the secretary of administration, upon certification of delinquency  
7 by the board of commissioners of public lands, shall deduct the amount due,  
8 including any penalty, from any state aid payments due the district, shall remit such  
9 amount to the secretary of administration, and, no later than June 15, shall notify  
10 the district board and the board to that effect.

11 **SECTION 675.** 25.14 (1) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 25.14 (1) (a) (intro.) There is created a state investment fund under the  
13 jurisdiction and management of the board to be operated as an investment trust for  
14 the purpose of managing the securities of all funds that are required by law to be  
15 invested in the state investment fund and all of the state's funds consisting of the  
16 funds specified in s. 25.17 (1), except all of the following:

17 **SECTION 677.** 25.17 (1) (bw) of the statutes is created to read:

18 25.17 (1) (bw) County aid fund (s. 25.51).

19 **SECTION 678.** 25.17 (1) (gd) of the statutes is created to read:

20 25.17 (1) (gd) Health care quality fund (s. 25.772);

21 **SECTION 678t.** 25.17 (1) (yn) of the statutes is created to read:

22 25.17 (1) (yn) Wholesale drug distributor bonding fund (s. 25.315);

23 **SECTION 679.** 25.17 (63) of the statutes is created to read:

1           25.17 (63) If requested by the Health Insurance Risk-Sharing Plan Authority,  
2       invest funds of the Health Insurance Risk-Sharing Plan Authority in the state  
3       investment fund.

4           **SECTION 683.** 25.187 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

5           25.187 (2) (a) Subject to ~~pars. (b) and par. (c)~~, on July 1 and January September  
6       1 of each year, the investment board shall ~~estimate the amounts required for its~~  
7       operating expenditures for the next 6-month period and shall assess each fund for  
8       which the board has management responsibility for its share of the estimated board's  
9       operating expenditures for the current fiscal year in an equitable manner. The board  
10      shall pay the assessment from the current income of each fund, unless an  
11      appropriation is made for payment of the assessment, in which case the assessment  
12      shall be paid from that appropriation account.

13          **SECTION 684.** 25.187 (2) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

14          **SECTION 685.** 25.187 (2) (c) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

15          25.187 (2) (c) 1. Except as provided in subd. 2., the total amount that the board  
16      may assess the funds for which the board has management responsibility for any  
17      fiscal year may not exceed the greater of \$20,352,800 or 0.0275% the amount that the  
18      board could have assessed the funds in the 2nd year of the prior fiscal biennium or  
19      0.0325% of the average market value of the assets of the funds at the end of each  
20      month between November 30 and April 30 of the preceding fiscal year.

21          **SECTION 686.** 25.187 (2) (c) 3. c. of the statutes is created to read:

22          25.187 (2) (c) 3. c. Annually, no later than June 15, certify to the department  
23      of administration and to the joint committee on finance the maximum amount that  
24      the board may assess the funds for which the board has management responsibility  
25      in the next fiscal year.

1           **SECTION 686r.** 25.315 of the statutes is created to read:

2           **25.315 Wholesale drug distributor bonding fund.** There is established a  
3           separate nonlapsible trust fund designated as the wholesale drug distributor  
4           bonding fund to consist of moneys paid to the state under s. 450.071 (5) to secure  
5           payment of fees or costs that relate to the issuance of a license to engage in the  
6           wholesale distribution of prescription drugs.

7           **SECTION 687.** 25.40 (1) (bd) of the statutes is created to read:

8           **25.40 (1) (bd)** Oil company assessments under subch. XIV of ch. 77.

9           **SECTION 689.** 25.46 (1m) of the statutes is amended to read:

10           **25.46 (1m)** The moneys transferred under s. 20.855 (4) (~~£~~) (rm) for nonpoint  
11           source water pollution abatement.

12           **SECTION 690.** 25.46 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:

13           **25.46 (7)** The fees imposed under s. 289.67 (1) for environmental management,  
14           except that for each ton of waste for which the fee is \$1.60 per ton, 75 cents is for  
15           nonpoint source water pollution abatement.

16           **SECTION 692.** 25.50 (1) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

17           **25.50 (1) (d)** "Local government" means any county, town, village, city, power  
18           district, sewerage district, drainage district, town sanitary district, public inland  
19           lake protection and rehabilitation district, local professional baseball park district  
20           created under subch. III of ch. 229, family long-term care district under s. 46.2895,  
21           local professional football stadium district created under subch. IV of ch. 229, local  
22           cultural arts district created under subch. V of ch. 229, public library system, school  
23           district or technical college district in this state, any commission, committee, board  
24           or officer of any governmental subdivision of this state, any court of this state, other

1 than the court of appeals or the supreme court, or any authority created under s.  
2 114.61, 149.41, 231.02, 233.02 or 234.02.

3 **SECTION 693.** 25.51 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **25.51 County aid fund.** There is established a separate nonlapsible trust  
5 fund designated as the county aid fund consisting of the moneys the state receives  
6 under s. 77.24.

7 **SECTION 694.** 25.60 of the statutes is amended to read:

8 **25.60 Budget stabilization fund.** There is created a separate nonlapsible  
9 trust fund designated as the budget stabilization fund, consisting of moneys  
10 transferred to the fund from the general fund under ss. 13.48 (14) (c), 16.518 (3), and  
11 16.72 (4) (b), ~~and 16.848.~~

12 **SECTION 695.** 25.68 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 **25.68 (1)** All moneys received by the department of workforce development  
14 children and families under s. 49.854, except for moneys received under s. 49.854 (11)  
15 (b).

16 **SECTION 696.** 25.68 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 **25.68 (3)** All moneys not specified under sub. (2) that are received under a  
18 judgment or order in an action affecting the family, as defined in s. 767.001 (1), by  
19 the department of workforce development children and families or its designee.

20 **SECTION 697.** 25.69 of the statutes is amended to read:

21 **25.69 Permanent endowment fund.** There is established a separate  
22 nonlapsible trust fund designated as the permanent endowment fund, consisting of  
23 all of the proceeds from the sale of the state's right to receive payments under the  
24 Attorneys General Master Tobacco Settlement Agreement of November 23, 1998,  
25 and all investment earnings on the proceeds. There is transferred from the

1 permanent endowment fund to the health care quality fund \$50,000,000 in each  
2 fiscal year.

3 SECTION 697m. 25.77 (8) of the statutes is created to read:

4 25.77 (8) All moneys transferred from the appropriation under s. 20.285 (1) (iz).

5 SECTION 698. 25.772 of the statutes is created to read:

6 **25.772 Health care quality fund.** There is established a separate  
7 nonlapsible trust fund designated as the health care quality fund, to consist of all of  
8 the following:

9 (1) The amount of the taxes collected under subchs. II and III of ch. 139 as  
10 determined under ss. 139.455 and 139.865.

11 (2) All moneys received under s. 50.375 from assessments on hospitals.

12 (3) All moneys transferred from the permanent endowment fund.

13 (4) All moneys transferred under 2007 Wisconsin Act (this act), section 9225

14 (6).

15 SECTION 699. 25.96 of the statutes is amended to read:

16 **25.96 Utility public benefits fund.** There is established a separate  
17 nonlapsible trust fund designated as the utility public benefits fund, consisting of  
18 low-income assistance fees received under s. 16.957 (4) (a) and (5) (b) 2. and all  
19 moneys received under s. 196.374 (3) (b) 4.

20 SECTION 699c. 26.38 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 **26.38 (title) Private forest grants Forest grant program.**

22 SECTION 699g. 26.38 (2m) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

23 26.38 (2m) (a) The department shall establish a program to award grants for  
24 developing and implementing forest stewardship management plans by owners of  
25 nonindustrial private forest land and to award grants to groups of interested parties



1 for projects to control invasive plants in weed management areas. The department  
2 shall award the grants only to persons owning 500 acres or less of nonindustrial  
3 private forest land in this state or to groups in which each person participating owns  
4 500 acres or less of nonindustrial private forest land in this state.

5 **SECTION 699m.** 26.38 (2m) (am) of the statutes is created to read:

6 26.38 (2m) (am) Beginning with fiscal year 2008-09, from the appropriation  
7 under s. 20.370 (5) (av), the department shall allocate for each fiscal year at least  
8 \$60,000 for grants for projects to control invasive plants in weed management areas.  
9 From the amount allocated, the department shall award grants to all eligible  
10 applicants for grants for such projects before awarding any balance of the allocated  
11 amount for grants for stewardship management plans.

12 **SECTION 699r.** 26.38 (2m) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 26.38 (2m) (b) Each owner-receiving recipient of a grant under this section  
14 shall provide a matching contribution in an amount to be determined by the  
15 department for that particular grant based on criteria promulgated by rule under  
16 sub. (3). The matching contribution may be in the form of money or in-kind goods or  
17 services or both.

18 **SECTION 699v.** 26.38 (3) of the statutes is renumbered 26.38 (3) (intro.) and  
19 amended to read:

20 26.38 (3) (intro.) The department shall promulgate rules to implement and  
21 administer this program, including the all of the following:

22 (a) The criteria for determining the amount of a matching contribution under  
23 sub. (2m) (b) and the

24 (b) The minimum standards required under sub. (2m) (c).

25 **SECTION 699x.** 26.38 (3) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

1 26.38 (3) (c) Eligibility requirements for groups receiving grants for weed  
2 management areas, requirements for the grants, and requirements for establishing  
3 weed management areas.

4 SECTION 700. 26.385 of the statutes is repealed.

5 SECTION 700e. 27.01 (7) (c) 10. of the statutes is amended to read:

6 27.01 (7) (c) 10. Any motor vehicle operated for the purpose of transporting  
7 pupils to or from curricular or extracurricular activities of a public or private school  
8 or home-based private educational program under s. 118.15 (4) or for the purpose of  
9 transporting students to or from an outdoor academic class given by an accredited  
10 college or university in this state. The operator of a motor vehicle transporting pupils  
11 or students under this subdivision shall possess and exhibit for inspection a written  
12 authorization from an administrator of the school or, home-based private  
13 educational program, or college or university indicating that admission to the vehicle  
14 admission area is part of an official school or, home-based private educational  
15 program, or college or university function and indicating the date for which the  
16 authorization is applicable. A separate authorization is required for each date on  
17 which the motor vehicle is admitted to the vehicle admission area under this  
18 subdivision.

19 SECTION 700g. 27.01 (7) (f) 1. to 4. of the statutes are amended to read:

20 27.01 (7) (f) 1. Except as provided in par. (gm), the fee for an annual vehicle  
21 admission receipt is \$24.50 for each vehicle that has a Wisconsin registration plates  
22 plate, except that no fee is charged for a receipt issued under s. 29.235 (6).

23 2. Except as provided in subds. 3. and 4. and par. (gm) 4., the fee for a daily  
24 vehicle admission receipt is \$6.85 for any vehicle which has a Wisconsin registration  
25 plates plate.

1           3. The fee for a daily vehicle admission receipt for a motor bus that has a  
2 Wisconsin registration plates plate is \$9.85.

3           4. Notwithstanding subd. 3., the fee for a daily vehicle admission receipt for a  
4 motor bus which primarily transports residents from nursing homes located in this  
5 state is \$3.35, for any motor bus which has a Wisconsin registration plates plate.

6           **SECTION 700m.** 27.01 (7) (gm) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

7           27.01 (7) (gm) 3. Notwithstanding par. (f) 1., the fee for an annual vehicle  
8 admission receipt for a vehicle that has a Wisconsin registration plates plate and that  
9 is owned by a resident senior citizen, as defined in s. 29.001 (72), is \$9.50.

10           **SECTION 700s.** 27.01 (7) (gm) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

11           27.01 (7) (gm) 4. Notwithstanding par. (f) 2., the fee for a daily vehicle  
12 admission receipt for a vehicle that has a Wisconsin registration plates plate and that  
13 is owned by a resident senior citizen, as defined in s. 29.001 (72), is \$2.85.

14           **SECTION 701.** 28.05 (3) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

15           28.05 (3) (c) Of the amount received by the department from each timber sale  
16 for which the department used the services of a cooperating forester under this  
17 subsection, the department shall credit to the appropriation account under s. 20.370  
18 (1) (cy) an amount equal to the portion of the sale proceeds that the department is  
19 required to pay to the cooperating forester.

20           **SECTION 702.** 28.085 of the statutes is amended to read:

21           **28.085 Timber.** The department shall allocate for ~~private forest grants under~~  
22 s. 26.38, ~~for forestry research and development grants under s. 26.385~~, for the  
23 forestry education grant program under s. 26.40, for school forest transportation  
24 funding under s. 26.39 (5), for transfer to the appropriation under s. 20.292 (1) (km)

1 for master logger apprenticeship grants under s. 38.04 (29), or for forestry  
2 internships under s. 26.39.

3 **SECTION 702d.** 28.11 (5m) (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 28.11 (5m) (title) ~~GRANTS FOR COUNTY~~ COUNTY FOREST ADMINISTRATORS  
5 ADMINISTRATION GRANTS.

6 **SECTION 702e.** 28.11 (5m) (am) of the statutes is created to read:

7 28.11 (5m) (am) The department may make grants, from the appropriation  
8 under s. 20.370 (5) (bw), to counties having lands entered under sub. (4) to fund up  
9 to 50 percent of the costs of a county's annual dues to a nonprofit organization that  
10 provides leadership and counsel to that county's forest administrator and that  
11 functions as an organizational liaison to the department. The total amount that the  
12 department may award in grants under this paragraph in any fiscal year may not  
13 exceed \$50,000.

14 **SECTION 703.** 29.024 (2g) (am) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 29.024 (2g) (am) *Social security numbers exceptions.* If an applicant who is an  
16 individual does not have a social security number, the applicant, as a condition of  
17 applying for, or applying to renew, an approval specified in par. (a) 1. to 3., shall  
18 submit a statement made or subscribed under oath or affirmation to the department  
19 that the applicant does not have a social security number. The form of the statement  
20 shall be prescribed by the department of workforce development children and  
21 families. An approval issued by the department of natural resources in reliance on  
22 a false statement submitted by an applicant under this paragraph is invalid.

23 **SECTION 704.** 29.024 (2g) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 29.024 (2g) (c) *Disclosure of social security numbers.* The department of  
25 natural resources may not disclose any social security numbers received under par.

1 (a) to any person except to the department of workforce development children and  
2 families for the sole purpose of administering s. 49.22.

3 **SECTION 705.** 29.024 (2g) (d) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

4 29.024 (2g) (d) 1. As provided in the memorandum of understanding required  
5 under s. 49.857 (2), the department shall deny an application to issue or renew,  
6 suspend if already issued or otherwise withhold or restrict an approval specified in  
7 par. (a) 1. to 3. if the applicant for or the holder of the approval is delinquent in  
8 making court-ordered payments of child or family support, maintenance, birth  
9 expenses, medical expenses or other expenses related to the support of a child or  
10 former spouse or if the applicant or holder fails to comply with a subpoena or warrant  
11 issued by the department of workforce development children and families or a county  
12 child support agency under s. 59.53 (5) and relating to paternity or child support  
13 proceedings.

14 **SECTION 706.** 29.024 (2r) (am) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 29.024 (2r) (am) *Social security and identification numbers exceptions.* If an  
16 applicant who is an individual does not have a social security number, the applicant,  
17 as a condition of applying for, or applying to renew, any of the approvals specified in  
18 par. (a) 1. to 16., shall submit a statement made or subscribed under oath or  
19 affirmation to the department that the applicant does not have a social security  
20 number. The form of the statement shall be prescribed by the department of  
21 workforce development children and families. An approval issued by the department  
22 of natural resources in reliance on a false statement submitted by an applicant under  
23 this paragraph is invalid.

24 **SECTION 707.** 29.024 (6) (ag) of the statutes is created to read:

1       29.024 (6) (ag) Under a contract issued under par. (a) 4., the department may  
2 deduct a portion of each fee collected for a license issued pursuant to the statewide  
3 automated system. The department shall credit all of the amounts deducted to the  
4 appropriation account under s. 20.370 (9) (hv).

5       **SECTION 707d.** 29.063 (1m) of the statutes is created to read:

6       29.063 (1m) The department may not expend more than \$2,360,000 from  
7 nonfederal funds in the conservation fund in any fiscal year for the management of,  
8 and testing for, chronic wasting disease.

9       **SECTION 707g.** 29.184 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

10       29.184 (1) (b) "Minor" means a person who is at least 12 years of age, or the age  
11 specified by the department by rule under s. 29.592 (5), whichever age is lower, but  
12 under 18 years of age.

13       **SECTION 707r.** 29.184 (6) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

14       29.184 (6) (b) 1. The applicant is at least 12 years old, or the age specified by  
15 the department by rule under s. 29.592 (5), whichever age is lower.

16       **SECTION 708.** 29.229 (2) (hm) of the statutes is created to read:

17       29.229 (2) (hm) Two-day inland lake trout fishing licenses.

18       **SECTION 709.** 29.229 (5m) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

19       29.229 (5m) (a) The band is requested to enter into a memorandum of  
20 understanding with the department of workforce development children and families  
21 under s. 49.857.

22       **SECTION 710.** 29.229 (5m) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

23       29.229 (5m) (b) The band is requested to enact tribal laws or ordinances that  
24 require each person who has a social security number, as a condition of being issued  
25 an approval under this section, to provide to the band his or her social security

1 number, tribal laws or ordinances that require each person who does not have a social  
2 security number, as a condition of being issued an approval under this section, to  
3 provide to the band a statement made or subscribed under oath or affirmation on a  
4 form prescribed by the department of workforce development children and families  
5 that the person does not have a social security number, and tribal laws or ordinances  
6 that prohibit the disclosure of that number by the band to any other person except  
7 to the department of workforce development children and families for the purpose  
8 of administering s. 49.22.

9 **SECTION 711.** 29.229 (5m) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

10 **29.229 (5m) (c)** The band is requested to enact tribal laws or ordinances that  
11 deny an application to issue or renew, suspend if already issued or otherwise  
12 withhold or restrict an approval issued under this section if the applicant for or the  
13 holder of the approval fails to provide the information required under tribal laws or  
14 ordinances enacted under par. (b) or fails to comply, after appropriate notice, with a  
15 subpoena or warrant issued by the department of workforce development children  
16 and families or a county child support agency under s. 59.53 (5) and related to  
17 paternity or child support proceedings or if the department of workforce  
18 development children and families certifies that the applicant for or the holder of the  
19 approval has failed to pay court-ordered payments of child or family support,  
20 maintenance, birth expenses, medical expenses or other expenses related to the  
21 support of a child or former spouse. The band is also requested to enact tribal laws  
22 or ordinances that invalidate an approval issued under this subsection if issued in  
23 reliance upon a statement made or subscribed under oath or affirmation under tribal  
24 laws or ordinances enacted under par. (b) that is false.

25 **SECTION 712.** 29.2295 (2) (hm) of the statutes is created to read:

1 29.2295 (2) (hm) Two-day inland lake trout fishing licenses.

2 SECTION 712c. 29.235 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

3 29.235 (1) ISSUANCE. A resident conservation patron license shall be issued  
4 subject to ss. 29.024 and 54.25 (2) (c) 1. d. by the department to any resident 12 years  
5 old or older, or the age specified by the department by rule under s. 29.592 (5),  
6 whichever age is lower, and who applies for the license. A nonresident conservation  
7 patron license shall be issued subject to s. 29.024 by the department to any person  
8 12 years old or older, or the age specified by the department by rule under s. 29.592  
9 (5), whichever age is lower, who is not a resident, and who applies for the license.

10 SECTION 712k. 29.304 (4m) of the statutes is created to read:

11 29.304 (4m) HUNTING MENTORSHIP PROGRAM. The prohibition specified in sub.  
12 (1) (a) and the restrictions specified in subs. (1) (b) to (d), (2), and (3) do not apply to  
13 a person who is hunting with a mentor and who complies with the requirements  
14 specified under s. 29.592.

15 SECTION 712m. 29.426 of the statutes is created to read:

16 29.426 Catch and release bass fishing. No person may use any hook, bait,  
17 or lure, other than an artificial lure that has a barbless hook, while fishing during  
18 a catch and release bass fishing season established by the department.

19 SECTION 712r. 29.428 of the statutes is created to read:

20 29.428 Catch and release muskellunge fishing. (1) The department shall  
21 establish a fishing season that authorizes catch and release muskellunge fishing on  
22 inland waters north of USH 10 other than the boundary waters between this state  
23 and the state of Michigan. The catch and release muskellunge fishing season  
24 established under this section shall begin on the first day of the general fishing



1 season established by the department and shall end on the day before the first day  
2 of the regular muskellunge fishing season established by the department.

3 (2) No person may use any hook, bait, or lure, other than an artificial lure that  
4 has a barbless hook, while fishing during the catch and release muskellunge fishing  
5 season established by the department under sub. (1).

6 **SECTION 713.** 29.535 of the statutes is created to read:

7 **29.535 Shovelnose sturgeon permit.** (1) The department shall issue,  
8 subject to s. 29.024, an annual shovelnose sturgeon permit to any resident who  
9 applies for the permit and who holds at least one of the following licenses:

10 (a) A net license issued under s. 29.523.

11 (b) A trammel net license issued under s. 29.529.

12 (c) A set or bank pole license issued under s. 29.531.

13 (d) A setline license issued under s. 29.533.

14 (2) An annual shovelnose sturgeon permit authorizes the permit holder to  
15 harvest shovelnose sturgeon and their eggs.

16 (3) A person who holds an annual shovelnose sturgeon permit shall report to  
17 the department, on forms provided by the department, on or before the 10th day of  
18 each month, the number of pounds of shovelnose sturgeon eggs harvested during the  
19 preceding calendar month.

20 (4) The department shall deposit receipts from the sale of permits under this  
21 section in the conservation fund.

22 **SECTION 713g.** 29.563 (2) (a) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

23 29.563 (2) (a) 4. Small game issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds persons  
24 who are younger than 18 years of age: \$6.25.

25 **SECTION 713m.** 29.563 (2) (a) 5g. of the statutes is amended to read:

1           29.563 (2) (a) 5g. Deer issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds persons who are  
2           younger than 18 years of age: \$17.25.

3           **SECTION 714m.** 29.563 (2) (a) 8m. of the statutes is amended to read:

4           29.563 (2) (a) 8m. Archer issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds persons who  
5           are younger than 18 years of age: \$17.25.

6           **SECTION 715d.** 29.563 (2m) of the statutes is amended to read:

7           29.563 (2m) HUNTING APPROVALS FOR CERTAIN NONRESIDENTS. The fees for  
8           hunting approvals for a 12 to 17 year-old person who is younger than 18 years of age,  
9           who is not a resident, and who exhibits proof that his or her parent is a resident shall  
10           be the same as the fees for hunting approvals for residents under sub. (2) (a) and (c).

11           **SECTION 715h.** 29.563 (4) (a) 1m. of the statutes is amended to read:

12           29.563 (4) (a) 1m. Sports issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds persons who  
13           are younger than 18 years of age: \$32.25 or a greater amount at the applicant's  
14           option.

15           **SECTION 715m.** 29.563 (4) (a) 2m. of the statutes is amended to read:

16           29.563 (4) (a) 2m. Conservation patron issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds  
17           persons who are younger than 18 years of age: \$70.25 or a greater amount at the  
18           applicant's option.

19           **SECTION 715p.** 29.563 (4) (b) 1m. of the statutes is amended to read:

20           29.563 (4) (b) 1m. Sports issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds persons who  
21           are younger than 18 years of age: \$33.25 or a greater amount at the applicant's  
22           option.

23           **SECTION 715t.** 29.563 (4) (b) 2m. of the statutes is amended to read: