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Gibson-Glass, Mary

From: Ruby, Erin
Sent: Monday, September 12, 2011 2:10 PM
To: Gibson-Glass, Mary; Kite, Robin
Subject: Drafting Request

Attachments: Bill Draft Request - Niagara Escarpment-Stewardship.doc; AJR-1.pdf

Mary and Robin,

Since you are both listed as drafting for Stewardship, I thought I'd go ahead and send the attached drafting request to you both.



Bill Draft Request AJR-1.pdf (13 KB)
- Niagara E...

Please feel free to let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you!
Erin

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Bill Draft Request

Date: 9-12-11

Legislator Requesting Draft: Rep. Al Ott

Person Submitting Request: Erin Ruby – Research Assistant

Person to Contact with Questions: Erin Ruby (6-5831)

Drafting Request:

Representative Ott would like a bill drafted to make “Niagara Escarpment Protection” an enumerated purpose for land acquisition under Chapter 23 of the Wisconsin State Statutes.

The Niagara Escarpment is a unique geologic feature that reaches across Wisconsin, Michigan, Ontario and New York. In Wisconsin, the Niagara Escarpment extends for a distance of over 230 miles, running through Door, Kewaunee, Brown, Manitowoc, Calumet, Fond du Lac, Dodge, and Waukesha counties.

2010 was declared the Year of the Niagara Escarpment by 2009 AJR 1 (copy attached), in recognition of this unique, sensitive and historically and culturally significant feature of northeastern Wisconsin’s landscape.

As a next step in raising the profile of the Niagara Escarpment, and for the protection and preservation of key portions of the Escarpment in Wisconsin, Representative Ott would like the Niagara Escarpment to be given individual consideration [similar to that of bluffs under s. 23.09 (2)(d)16] when the Department of Natural Resources utilizes the Warren Knowles – Gaylord Nelson Stewardship Program for land acquisition.

If appropriate from a drafting perspective, Representative Ott would like to see item 17 added to s. 23.09 (2)(d)...

17. For the protection and preservation of land along the portion of the Niagara Escarpment located in Wisconsin.

Feel free to call or send an email with any questions or concerns.

Thank you!

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PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

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AN ACT ...; relating to: acquisition of land in the Niagara Escarpment

corridor

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law authorizes the state to incur public debt for certain conservation activities under the Warren Knowles-Gaylord Nelson stewardship 2000 program, which is administered by the Department of Natural Resources. The state may incur this debt to acquire land for the state for conservation activities and may award grants to certain ~~local governmental units and~~ nonprofit conservation organizations to acquire lands for these activities.

Under current law, priority is given to certain types of land acquisitions. These ~~include acquisitions along the shores of the Great Lakes, land for~~ ^{habitat} ~~habit~~ and natural areas, and land in middle Kettle Moraine. This bill adds land located in the Niagara Escarpment corridor to these priorities. The Niagara Escarpment ~~corridor~~ ^{is a} geologic feature that runs through various counties in the eastern part of the state.

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

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

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SECTION 1. 23.0917 (3) (c) 7. of the statutes is created to read:

23.0917 (3) (c) 7. Acquisition of land in the Niagara Escarpment corridor.

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Basford, Sarah

From: Ruby, Erin
Sent: Thursday, November 10, 2011 7:40 AM
To: LRB.Legal
Subject: Draft Review: LRB 11-2873/1 Topic: Stewardship acquisition; Niagara Escarpment

Please Jacket LRB 11-2873/1 for the ASSEMBLY.