



State of Wisconsin  
2015 - 2016 LEGISLATURE

LRB-1057/P2  
EHS;jld:jf

DOA:.....Byrnes, BB0378 – Relocation of Division of Forestry headquarters

**FOR 2015-2017 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

**AN ACT ...; relating to:** the budget.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

**NATURAL RESOURCES**

**FORESTRY**

This bill requires DNR to develop a plan to move the headquarters of the Division of Forestry from the city of Madison to a northern Wisconsin location. The bill requires DNR to include in the plan the costs of relocating the headquarters, a timeline for implementing the relocation, and a list of options for northern Wisconsin locations. The bill requires DNR to complete the plan in time for the plan to be included in DNR's 2017-19 biennial budget request.

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

**SECTION 9132. Nonstatutory provisions; Natural Resources.**

(1) RELOCATION OF DIVISION OF FORESTRY HEADQUARTERS. The department of natural resources shall develop a plan to move the headquarters of the division of forestry from the city of Madison to a northern location in this state. In the plan, the

department of natural resources shall provide in detail the costs of relocating the headquarters, a timeline for implementing the relocation, and a list of options for northern locations in this state. The department of natural resources shall complete the plan in time for the plan to be included in the department of natural resources' 2017-19 biennial budget request.

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