2015 ASSEMBLY BILL 422

October 19, 2015 – Introduced by Representatives SWEARINGEN and MURSAU, cosponsored by Senator TIFFANY. Referred to Committee on Environment and Forestry.

1 AN ACT to renumber and amend 20.370 (5) (ad) of the statutes; relating to:

funding for the Florence Wild Rivers Interpretive Center.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill provides grant funding for the Florence Wild Rivers Interpretive Center.

Current law requires the Department of Natural Resources to provide a grant in the amount of $27,000 in each fiscal year to the Florence Wild Rivers Interpretive Center to be used for park and recreation uses, forestry education, and tourist information provided by the center and for its operational costs. However, no money is appropriated for the purpose of providing this grant under current law. This bill appropriates $27,000 in each fiscal year of the 2015–17 biennium for this purpose.

For further information see the state 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:

3 SECTION 1. 20.370 (5) (ad) of the statutes is renumbered 20.370 (5) (cz) and amended to read:
20.370 (5) (cz) Resource aids — interpretive center. From the general fund, the
amounts in the schedule for a grant to the Florence Wild Rivers Interpretive
Center under s. 30.255.

SECTION 2. Fiscal changes.

(1) Resource aids - interpretive center. In the schedule under section 20.005
(3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the department of natural resources under
section 20.370 (5) (cz) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 2015, the dollar
amount for fiscal year 2015–16 is increased by $27,000 to increase funding for a grant
to the Florence Wild Rivers Interpretive Center under section 30.255 of the statutes.

In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the
department of natural resources under section 20.370 (5) (cz) of the statutes, as
affected by the acts of 2015, the dollar amount for fiscal year 2016–17 is increased
by $27,000 to increase funding for a grant to the Florence Wild Rivers Interpretive
Center under section 30.255 of the statutes.

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