

**2019 DRAFTING REQUEST**

**Bill**

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**Topic:**

Interagency Council on Homelessness Recommendations--Grants to defray housing costs and for diversion programming

**Instructions:**

See attached

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**PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

grants to defray housing costs and  
for diversion programming

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1 **AN ACT to renumber 16.303 (1); to renumber and amend 16.308 (4) (a); to**  
 2 **amend 16.303 (2) (intro.), 16.303 (3) (a), 16.303 (3) (b) and 16.304 (1) (a); and**  
 3 **to create 16.303 (1g), 16.303 (1r) (am) and 16.308 (4) (a) 1. to 5. of the statutes;**  
 4 **relating to:** housing and homelessness programs administered by the  
 5 Department of Administration, modifying administrative rules promulgated  
 6 by the department, and making an appropriation.

**Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau**

This bill includes all of the following changes to housing and homelessness assistance programs administered by the Department of Administration:

1. Provides an additional \$900,000 in each fiscal year of the 2019-21 fiscal biennium for grants to provide housing and associated supportive services to homeless individuals and families.

2. Provides an additional \$500,000 in each fiscal year of the 2019-21 fiscal biennium for grants or loans to persons or families of low or moderate income to defray housing costs.

3. Provides an additional \$500,000 in each fiscal year of the 2019-21 fiscal biennium for grants to supplement the operating budgets of homeless shelters. The bill also includes additional criteria DOA must consider in awarding the homeless shelter grants and amends administrative rules of DOA concerning the grants so that DOA's rules are consistent with certain statutory requirements.

This bill

2.  
The bill also

④ Provides \$300,000 for grants or loans to eligible organizations to assist persons or families of low or moderate income to obtain and participate in diversion programming. The bill defines "diversion programming" as short-term intervention that supports persons or families of low or moderate income in identifying immediate, safe housing arrangements, other than temporary shelters, including by utilizing conflict resolution and mediation skills to reconnect the individuals or families to their support systems.

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:*

1 SECTION 1. 16.303 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 16.303 (1r).

2 SECTION 2. 16.303 (1g) of the statutes is created to read:

3 16.303 (1g) In this section, "diversion programming" means short-term  
4 intervention that supports persons or families of low or moderate income in  
5 identifying immediate, safe housing arrangements, other than a temporary shelter,  
6 including by utilizing conflict resolution and mediation skills to reconnect the  
7 individuals or families to their support systems.

8 SECTION 3. 16.303 (1r) (am) of the statutes is created to read:

9 16.303 (1r) (am) From the appropriation under s. 20.505 (7) (b), subject to sub.  
10 (2), make grants or loans to agents designated under s. 16.304 to assist persons or  
11 families of low or moderate income in obtaining and participating in diversion  
12 programming. The department shall ensure that the funds for the grants or loans  
13 are reasonably balanced among geographic areas of the state that correspond to the  
14 geographic areas served by each continuum of care organization designated by the  
15 federal department of housing and urban development, consistent with the quality  
16 of applications submitted.

17 SECTION 4. 16.303 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

1           16.303 (2) (intro.) In connection with grants and loans under sub. (1) (1r), the  
2 department shall do all of the following:

3           **SECTION 5.** 16.303 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

4           16.303 (3) (a) The department may make grants or loans under sub. (1) (1r) (a)  
5 directly or through agents designated under s. 16.304.

6           **SECTION 6.** 16.303 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

7           16.303 (3) (b) The department may administer and disburse funds from a grant  
8 or loan under sub. (1) (1r) (a) or (am) on behalf of the recipient of the grant or loan.

9           **SECTION 7.** 16.304 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

10          16.304 (1) (a) Award grants and loans under s. 16.303 (1) (1r) and (2) subject  
11 to the approval of the department.

12          **SECTION 8.** 16.308 (4) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 16.308 (4) (a) (intro.)  
13 and amended to read:

14          16.308 (4) (a) (intro.) Criteria for awarding grants, including all of the  
15 following:

16          **SECTION 9.** 16.308 (4) (a) 1. to 5. of the statutes are created to read:

17          16.308 (4) (a) 1. The number of shelter days the eligible applicant intends to  
18 provide during the year for which the grant application is submitted.

19          2. The eligible applicant's history of successfully transitioning homeless  
20 individuals or families to permanent housing.

21          3. Whether the eligible applicant provides intensive case management  
22 services.

23          4. Whether the eligible applicant provides trauma-informed care.

24          5. Whether the eligible applicant provides opportunities for shelter residents  
25 to obtain employment or increase their hours worked.

1           **SECTION 10.** Adm 86.03 (1) of the administrative code is amended to read:

2           Adm 86.03 (1) The department shall solicit applications for grants under s.  
3           16.308, Stats., and this chapter ~~at least once every 2 years.~~

4           **SECTION 11.** Adm 86.05 (2) (a) (intro.) of the administrative code is amended  
5           to read:

6           Adm 86.05 (2) (a) (intro.) A lead agency located in Dane county or Milwaukee  
7           county may receive, before July 1, 1987, a grant of not more than 35% and after June  
8           30, 1987, a grant of not more than ~~25%~~ 50% of the total current or proposed operating  
9           budgets of:

10          **SECTION 12.** Adm 86.05 (2) (b) of the administrative code is amended to read:

11          Adm 86.05 (2) (b) An eligible applicant which is not located in Dane county or  
12          Milwaukee county may receive a grant ~~or of~~ not more than ~~25%~~ 50% of:

13           1. The current or proposed operating budget of one or more shelter facilities  
14           operated by the applicant; or

15           2. The portion of the applicant's current or proposed operating budget allocated  
16           for providing homeless persons with vouchers that may be exchanged for temporary  
17           shelter.

18          **SECTION 13. Fiscal changes.**

19           (1) GRANTS OR LOANS TO DEFRAY HOUSING COSTS. In the schedule under s. 20.005  
20           (3) for the appropriation to the department of administration under s. 20.505 (7) (b),  
21           the dollar amount for fiscal year 2019-20 is increased by \$500,000 for grants or loans  
22           under s. 16.303 (1r) (a) to persons or families of low or moderate income to defray  
23           housing costs. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the  
24           department of administration under s. 20.505 (7) (b), the dollar amount for fiscal year

1 2020-21 is increased by \$500,000 for grants or loans under s. 16.303 (1r) (a) to  
2 persons or families of low or moderate income to defray housing costs.

3 (2) GRANTS OR LOANS FOR DIVERSION PROGRAMMING. In the schedule under s.  
4 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of administration under s. 20.505  
5 (7) (b), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2019-20 is increased by \$300,000 for grants  
6 or loans under s. 16.303 (1r) (am) for diversion programming. In the schedule under  
7 s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of administration under s.  
8 20.505 (7) (b), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2020-21 is increased by \$300,000 for  
9 grants or loans under s. 16.303 (1r) (am) for diversion programming.

10 (3) GRANTS TO SUPPLEMENT THE OPERATING BUDGETS OF AGENCIES AND SHELTER  
11 FACILITIES. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the  
12 department of administration under s. 20.505 (7) (fm), the dollar amount for fiscal  
13 year 2019-20 is increased by \$500,000 for grants under s. 16.308 (2) (a) for the  
14 purpose of supplementing the operating budgets of agencies and shelter facilities  
15 providing shelter to the homeless. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the  
16 appropriation to the department of administration under s. 20.505 (7) (fm), the dollar  
17 amount for fiscal year 2020-21 is increased by \$500,000 for grants under s. 16.308  
18 (2) (a) for the purpose of supplementing the operating budgets of agencies and shelter  
19 facilities providing shelter to the homeless.

20 (4) GRANTS FOR SERVICES TO HOMELESS INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES. In the schedule  
21 under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of administration under  
22 s. 20.505 (7) (fm), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2019-20 is increased by \$900,000  
23 for grants to provide housing and associated supportive services to homeless  
24 individuals and families under s. 16.306 (2) (a). In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3)  
25 for the appropriation to the department of administration under s. 20.505 (7) (fm),

1 the dollar amount for fiscal year 2020-21 is increased by \$900,000 for grants to  
2 provide housing and associated supportive services to homeless individuals and  
3 families under s. 16.306 (2) (a).

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**Walker, Dan**

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**From:** Gallagher, Michael  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 28, 2019 10:58 AM  
**To:** LRB.Legal  
**Subject:** FW: Bill Jackets for Homelessness Bills

See the below request to jacket eight Steineke drafts. Thanks!

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**From:** Clark, Tyler <Tyler.Clark@legis.wisconsin.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 28, 2019 10:53 AM  
**To:** Gallagher, Michael <Michael.Gallagher@legis.wisconsin.gov>  
**Subject:** Bill Jackets for Homelessness Bills

Mike,

**Could we get all these jacketed? They won't all be submitted from the Steineke office, but we would like the jackets.**

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LRB-1227/1  
LRB-1853/1  
LRB-1316/1  
LRB-1331/1  
LRB-1851/1  
LRB-1332/1  
LRB-1852/1

Thanks,

Tyler