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2019 Wisconsin Act 141
[2019 Assembly Bill 692]

**Funding for County Snowmobile
Trails and Areas**

BACKGROUND

State law authorizes the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to distribute aid to participating counties for snowmobile trails and areas, for purposes including purchasing land for trails, developing and maintaining trails, enforcing laws in or on trails, and undertaking reconstruction projects to improve bridges on existing trails. In each year of the 2019-21 biennium, \$2,475,000 is appropriated to DNR from the conservation fund for these purposes.

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2019 Wisconsin Act 141 increases the amount appropriated to DNR from the conservation fund for county snowmobile trails and areas by \$3,000,000 in each fiscal year of the 2019-21 biennium. This increase results in a total appropriation of \$5,475,000 in each fiscal year of the 2019-21 biennium.

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