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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill requires the governor to allocate \$750,000 of federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding for repairs to the observation tower in Potawatomi State Park in Door County.

I. Assumptions

A. The Department assumes that the Department of Administration will approve yet to be developed engineering and design plans that comply with state statutes and federal codes including but not limited to engineering, design, bidding, procurement, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and public access laws. Stakeholder consultation, including the Department's Disability Advisory Council (DAC), would also need to occur.

B. The availability and eligibility of ARPA funds for the project would need to be validated.

II. Fiscal Effect

The overall fiscal effect to the Department is indeterminate. It is likely to cost more to repair or replace the tower than the \$750,000 provided in the bill, and it is unknown at this time where the additional funding would come from to complete the project.

Longer term, reopening the tower to public access would result in indeterminate annual maintenance costs, dependent on the finalized engineering and design plans.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications