

**Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session**

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<b>LRB Number</b> 21-4182/2	<b>Introduction Number</b> SB-481	
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<b>Fiscal Effect</b>		
<p><b>State:</b></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget</p> <p style="margin-left: 150px;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs</p> </div>		
<p><b>Local:</b></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 55%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory</p> </div> </div> </div> <div style="width: 40%;"> <p>5. Types of Local Government</p> <p>Units Affected</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Towns</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Counties</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> School Districts</p> </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Village</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Others</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts</p> </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Cities</p> </div> </div> </div> </div>		
<p><b>Fund Sources Affected</b>      <b>Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations</b></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> GPR   <input type="checkbox"/> FED   <input type="checkbox"/> PRO   <input type="checkbox"/> PRS   <input type="checkbox"/> SEG   <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS</p> </div> </div>		
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**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**

**WEDC 8/6/2021**

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**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

This bill requires the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) to award a loan of up to \$50 million to the Timber Professionals Cooperative or other eligible buyer for the purchase of the Verso Paper Mill in the city of Wisconsin Rapids and \$15,000,000 to the Park Falls Mill Multi-Stakeholder Cooperative or other eligible buyer for the purchase of the Park Falls Pulp and Paper Mill in the city of Park Falls out of existing appropriations.

The loans, if made at the full amount proscribed, would utilize 80% of WEDCs FY21-23 biennial appropriations and thus would effect WEDC's operations and programs.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**