October 29, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives DALLMAN, ALLEN, BORN, CABRAL-GUEVARA, CALLAHAN, DITTRICH, EDMING, HORLACHER, JAMES, KNODL, MACCO, MAGNAFICI, MILROY, MURSAU, NOVAK, SUMMERFIELD, SWEARINGEN and WICHGERS, cosponsored by Senators MARKLEIN, BALLWEG, FELZKOWSKI, FEYEN, JAGLER, STAFSHOLT, STROEBEL, WANGGAARD and KOOYENGA. Referred to Committee on Sporting Heritage.

AN ACT relating to: report on reducing the number of hunting, fishing, and trapping approvals required by the Department of Natural Resources.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill requires the Department of Natural Resources to prepare a report that identifies ways to consolidate or eliminate hunting, fishing, and trapping approvals to reduce the total number of types of approvals DNR is required to issue. DNR must submit its report to the legislature no later than July 1, 2022.

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:

SECTION 1. Nonstatutory provisions.

(1) REPORT ON REDUCING APPROVAL TYPES. The department of natural resources shall prepare a report identifying ways to consolidate or eliminate hunting, fishing, and trapping approvals, as defined under s. 29.001 (12), to reduce the total number of types of approvals the department is required to issue. The department shall
submit the report to the joint committee on finance and to the senate and assembly standing committees having jurisdiction over natural resources no later than July 1, 2022.