

**PETITION OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
REPEALING AN UNAUTHORIZED RULE**

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources proposes the following permanent rule to **repeal** NR 186, relating to the solid waste management grant program.

**EXR-2**

**Analysis Prepared by the Department of Natural Resources**

**1. Statute Interpreted:**

- Section 287.25, Stats.
- 2011 Wis. Act 32.

**2. Statutory Authority:**

- Section 227.26(4)(b), Stats.
- Section 227.29(1)(a), Stats.
- Section 287.03, Stats.
- Chapter 377, laws of 1977, consistent with the intent of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (Public Law 94-580)

**3. Explanation of Agency Authority:**

Statutory authority for ch. NR 186, Wis. Adm. Code, was repealed by 2011 Wis. Act 32.

**4. Related Statutes or Rules:**

Chapter NR 185, Wis. Adm. Code, is obsolete and will be addressed by a future rulemaking effort. It references an outdated statute requiring area-side solid waste management plans.

**5. Plain Language Analysis:**

Chapter NR 186, Wis. Adm. Code, establishes grant procedures for financial assistance in developing area-wide solid waste management plans by local units of government. The statutory requirement for area-wide solid waste management plans and associated grant funding was repealed by 2011 Wis. Act 32.

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TEXT OF RULE

**SECTION 1. NR 186 is repealed.**

**SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This rule takes effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin Administrative Register as provided in s. 227.22 (2) (intro.), Stats.

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