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AN ACT to create 44.12 of the statutes, relating to the development of the educational facilities at Nelson Dewey state park.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

44.12 of the statutes is created to read:

44.12 EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES AT NELSON DEWEY STATE PARK. (1) The state farm and craft museum, located at Nelson Dewey state park, shall be developed

by co-operation of the conservation commission, the society, and such other agencies as may be interested therein in accordance with such arrangements as the commission and society shall from time to time agree upon.

(2) The purpose of this museum as an educational facility shall be to portray graphically the farm and craft practices of by-gone days, so that the difficulties of pioneer farming, the great changes in the productivity of farm labor and the rise in rural income and standards of living over the years may be made vivid to this and future generations.

(3) In operating this museum, the society may charge an admission fee to defray in part the costs of operation in accordance with the provisions of s. 44.02 (5), and may from time to time and at its discretion loan objects or materials from this central collection for special occasions and for such special exhibits as it may desire to develop at its main building, at other historic sites within the state, with other historical societies or other state agencies.

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