



State of Wisconsin  
2025 - 2026 LEGISLATURE

LRB-1926/P1

MCP:amn

DOA:.....Potts, BB0521 - Town of Bloom well comp earmark

**FOR 2025-2027 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

**AN ACT ...; relating to:** the budget.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

**ENVIRONMENT**

**WATER QUALITY**

***Well compensation earmark for the town of Bloom***

Under current law, an individual owner or renter of a contaminated private well may apply for a grant from DNR to cover a portion of the costs to treat the water, reconstruct the well, construct a new well, connect to a public water supply, or fill and seal the well. Under current law, a city, village, town, county, or special purpose district is not eligible for such a grant. This bill provides that the town of Bloom in Richland County may apply for this type of grant, not to exceed \$16,000.

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

**SECTION 9132. Nonstatutory provisions; Department of Natural Resources.**

(1) WELL COMPENSATION EARMARK FOR THE TOWN OF BLOOM.  
Notwithstanding s. 281.75 (4) (b) 4., the town of Bloom in Richland County is eligible for a claim under s. 281.75, not to exceed \$16,000.

(END)