

STATE DOCUMENT

The State of Wisconsin



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #97

Relating to creation of Governor's Special  
Task Force on Fort McCoy

WHEREAS, Fort McCoy is an important military facility in this state; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Government is considering a number of improvements to Fort McCoy which will expand the mission of the facility; and

WHEREAS, the cooperation of the legislative and executive branches of Wisconsin Government is essential to successful, long-term planning for Fort McCoy;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TOMMY G. THOMPSON, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of this State, and specifically by Wisconsin Statute section 14.019, do hereby:

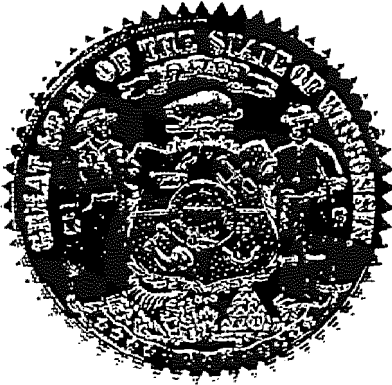
1. Establish the Governor's Special Task Force on Fort McCoy .
2. Provide that the Task Force shall consist of not more than twelve (12) members, appointed by the Governor to serve at his pleasure. Of this number, at least six (6) shall be members of the Legislature.
3. The Chairperson of the Task Force shall be selected by the Governor from among the membership of the Task Force, and shall serve at the Governor's pleasure.
4. Direct the Task Force to:
  - a. Coordinate state organizations and local governments in support of the development of Fort McCoy.
  - b. Provide information to federal officials who are in the decision making process on the selection of Fort McCoy for increased missions, units and personnel.
  - c. Work within the legislative process, and with state agencies, to develop and support initiatives that would enhance the mission of Fort McCoy as well as benefit the Wisconsin National Guard.
  - d. Assist in the presentation and resolution of issues which would benefit Fort McCoy.

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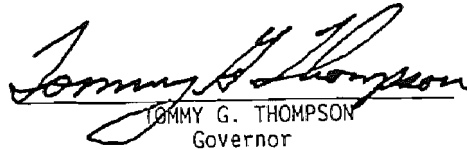
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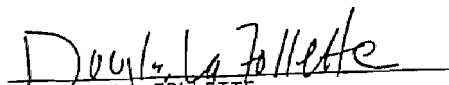
5. Provide that staff support for the Task Force shall be provided by the Department of Military Affairs.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this Twenty-seventh day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and ninety.

  
TOMMY G. THOMPSON  
Governor

By the Governor:

  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State