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Fiscal Effect				
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Permissive Mandatory Permi	5.Types of Local Units Affected Indicate Towns Counties	Government Village Cities Others O WTCS Districts		
Fund Sources Affected Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEGS 20.255(2)(b)				
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creating the Wisconsin Climate Corps program, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill creates the Wisconsin Climate Corps (WCC) program to provide workers to assist with the restoration and rebuilding of natural lands, climate resiliency projects, and weatherization and energy efficiency projects in homes and to provide employment training and career pathways for underserved communities.

This bill provides additional funding for special education.

This bill transfers a total of \$15,800,000 to s. 20.255 (2) (b) to increase the annual GPR appropriation aids for special education under s. 115.88 in fiscal year 2021-22. This would increase the appropriation from \$468,091,800 to \$483,891,800 in FY22. An increase of \$15,800,000 for the 2022-23 fiscal year is included. This would increase the appropriation from \$517,890,000 to \$533,690,000 in FY23.

This would increase the payments paid under the appropriation by the Department of Public Instruction to school districts, independent charter schools, cooperative educational service agencies, and county children with disabilities education boards distributed by the funding formulas.

State: Direct impact

Increase to appropriation s. 20.255 (2) (b) Aids for special education and school age parents program by \$15,800,000 in FY2021-22 and by \$15,800,000 in FY2022-23.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

This would have long-range fiscal implications as the increase of \$15,800,000 in FY2022-23 would raise the base appropriation for the following fiscal years.