

NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Willow River OWLs will donate up to \$20,000 to pay the salary of a limited term environmental educator for 2011.

FOR: FEBRUARY 2011 BOARD MEETING

TO BE PRESENTED BY:

Cathy Stepp

SUMMARY:

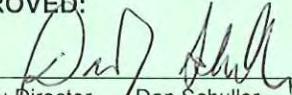
Willow River State Park's Organization for Wildlife Learning (OWLs) will donate up to \$20,000 to pay the salary of the park's limited term environmental educator position for 2011. This position greatly enhances the services that the park offers its visitors to make their stay more enjoyable. This Friends group has funded the position for fourteen years with over \$180,000 in donations.

RECOMMENDATION:

LIST OF ATTACHED MATERIALS:

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| No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Fiscal Estimate Required | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | Attached |
| No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Environmental Assessment or Impact Statement Required | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | Attached |
| No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Background Memo | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | Attached |

APPROVED:



Bureau Director, Dan Schuller

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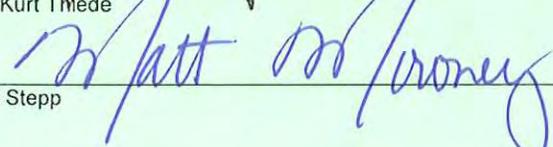
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Administrator, Kurt Thiede

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Secretary, Cathy Stepp

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Acknowledgment of Gift

This is to certify that at its February 2010 meeting, the Natural Resources Board gratefully accepted a gift of \$20,000 from

The Willow River OWLs

Our expression of appreciation on behalf of Wisconsin's citizens is hereby recorded in the official records of the Natural Resources Board. We acknowledge this generous contribution.

Natural Resources Board

Jonathan P. Ela, CHAIR