Report From Agency

STATE OF WISCONSIN CEMETERY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF RULEMAKING : REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE : CR 19-149

CEMETERY BOARD :

I. THE PROPOSED RULE:

The proposed rule, including the analysis and text, is attached.

II. REFERENCE TO APPLICABLE FORMS:

N/A.

III. FISCAL ESTIMATE AND EIA:

The Fiscal Estimate and EIA is attached.

IV. DETAILED STATEMENT EXPLAINING THE BASIS AND PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSED RULE, INCLUDING HOW THE PROPOSED RULE ADVANCES RELEVANT STATUTORY GOALS OR PURPOSES:

This rule project amends CB 4.05 relating to the verification of deposit that must be submitted to the Cemetery Board following a change of trustee. The rule project clarifies that the cemetery authority must submit the verification notice to the Cemetery Board within 30 days of the transfer and must ask that the new trustee also submit a verification notice to the Cemetery Board. The rule project also creates a definition for "Preneed trust fund" within ch. CB 1, and moves the definitions for "Care fund," "Financial institution," and "Cemetery authority" into to ch. CB 1, so that these definitions apply throughout the CB suite.

V. SUMMARY OF PUBLIC COMMENTS AND THE BOARD'S RESPONSES, EXPLANATION OF MODIFICATIONS TO PROPOSED RULES PROMPTED BY PUBLIC COMMENTS:

The Cemetery Board held a public hearing on January 21, 2020. No comments were received.

VI. RESPONSE TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

All of the recommendations suggested in the Clearinghouse Report have been accepted in whole.

VII. REPORT FROM THE SBRRB AND FINAL REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS:

N/A.