

## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

## 2005 Wisconsin Act 94 [2005 Assembly Bill 684]

## Procedure for Altering Perrot State Park Entrance

2005 Wisconsin Act 94 prohibits the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) from altering any entrance to Perrot State Park that would change the access to or egress from that park, unless the DNR receives approval from the town that has jurisdiction over the road on which the entrance is located. The Act requires DNR to request the town's approval for its proposed alteration by filing a written notice with the clerk of the town that includes the reasons for the proposed alteration. Within 60 days after receipt of the DNR's notice and before taking action on the DNR's request, the town board must hold a properly noticed public hearing in accordance with requirements specified in the Act. The DNR and other interested parties may testify at the hearing. The town board must provide the DNR with written notification of the board's decision regarding the alteration within 30 days after the hearing.

Effective Date: The prohibition is effective beginning the day after January 1, 2005.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: http://www.legis.state.wi.us/.