

NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Retirement Resolution - David Brum

FOR: OCTOBER 2008 BOARD MEETING

TO BE PRESENTED BY: Matt Frank

SUMMARY:

David Brum will retire after 32 years of service to the citizens of the State of Wisconsin

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Retirement Resolution for David Brum

LIST OF ATTACHED MATERIALS:

- No Fiscal Estimate Required
- No Environmental Assessment or Impact Statement Required
- No Background Memo

- Yes Attached
- Yes Attached
- Yes Attached

APPROVED:

 Regional Director

09-16-2008

 Date

Administrator,

 Secretary Matt Frank

 Date
10/6/08

 Date

cc: Laurie J. Ross - AD/8
 NOR-Spooner/Susan Krantz

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Retirement Resolution

David L. Brum, Advanced Fisheries Technician in Woodruff, retired from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources on September 29th, 2008, after 32+ years of dedicated service to the citizens of the State of Wisconsin.

Dave began his career with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources on August 26th, 1975 as a seasonal Natural Resources Assistant 1 at Langlade State Fish Hatchery. His starting salary was \$3.59 per hour.

During September of 1977 he promoted to a Fisheries Technician position at Black River Falls, and shortly thereafter came back to Langlade Hatchery as a seasonal Natural Resources Assistant. In February of 1978 he was reclassified to seasonal Natural Resources Assistant 2. Several months later his position was changed from seasonal to permanent year-around.

Dave was again promoted in July of 1981 with a change to his job title of Natural Resources Technician-Fish 2. He worked in this capacity for nearly three years until he transferred to Woodruff in February of 1984. There was a position reallocation in April of 1992 and Dave's position was changed to Fisheries Management Technician 4. He worked in the Woodruff area the remainder of his career.

Dave was well respected as a Department employee, not only by his fellow co-workers, but by many partners that he worked with including Trout Unlimited, APHIS, Town, and County Governments. As a result he was nominated for the Quillback Award in 2000, nominated for Fisheries Technician of the Year in 2008, and received the Outstanding Service Award for Water Division – Northern Region in 2008. He worked well with the public and served his area of responsibility with a sense of ownership and dedication. He will be greatly missed by his co-workers at Woodruff.

WHEREAS, David Brum has served the people of the State of Wisconsin faithfully and well in the performance of duties and has thus earned the commendation due an exemplary public employee;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Natural Resources Board at its October 2008 meeting at Eagle River, Wisconsin, recognizes such faithful service with due respect and gratitude, and hereby makes this commendation a part of its official records.

Natural Resources Board

Christine Thomas, CHAIR