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NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD AGENDA ITEM

Item No. 8.B.1

SUBJECT: 2008-2013 Wisconsin State Park System Strategic Plan

FOR: SEPTEMBER, 2008 **BOARD MEETING**

TO BE PRESENTED BY: Dan Schuller

SUMMARY:

The Wisconsin State Park System has crafted a five year strategic plan that will serve as the template for all development, restoration, and management activities of the park system until the year 2013. The eight goals and associated actions within the plan are the foundation for policy and development decisions that will be presented to the Board for action over the next five years. These goals, centered on the state park mission "to protect and enhance the natural and cultural resources of our Wisconsin State Park System....." are based on the three core elements of the system: recreation, resource protection, and education. From these goals, action strategies were created to improve recreational opportunities on state park properties, preserve and restore the natural resource base of these properties, and educate visitors on important ecological and cultural issues within the state and state park properties. The 2008-2013 strategic plan is not intended to list all activities to be undertaken by state parks, but rather to identify the goals and objectives of the highest priority to the system.

The Wisconsin State Park System
STRATEGIC PLAN 2008 can be located at:

http://dnr.wi.gov/org/land/parks/reports/sp/index.htm

RECOMMENDATION: Information Item

LIST OF ATTACHED MATERIALS:

No	☑	Fiscal Estimate Required	Yes	☐	Attached
No	☑	Environmental Assessment or Impact Statement Required	Yes	☐	Attached
No	☑	Background Memo	Yes	☐	Attached

APPROVED:

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