



# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Assembly Journal

## One-Hundred and Sixth Regular Session

10:24 A.M.

THURSDAY, June 15, 2023

The Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber located in the State Capitol.

Representative Goeben in the chair.

The Assembly dispensed with the call of the roll.

### INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### Assembly Joint Resolution 59

Relating to: recognizing June 19, 2023, as Juneteenth Day in Wisconsin.

By Representatives Drake, Emerson, Neubauer, Ratcliff, Ohnstad, Subeck, Vining, Bare, Ortiz-Velez, Shelton, Goyke, Doyle, C. Anderson, Shankland, Joers, Considine, Brandtjen, Andraca, Dittrich, Palmeri, Riemer, Allen, Hong, Sinicki, Cabrera, J. Anderson, Conley, Schraa and Clancy; cosponsored by Senators L. Johnson, Bradley, Carpenter, Larson, Spreitzer, Pfaff, Roys, Hesselbein and Jacque.

To committee on **Rules**.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on **Local Government** reports and recommends:

#### Assembly Bill 161

Relating to: ambulance assessment program supplemental reimbursements, payment of administrative costs, and making an appropriation.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Novak, Donovan, S. Johnson, Krug, Maxey, Michalski, Pronschinske, Baldeh, Conley, C. Anderson and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Novak, Donovan, S. Johnson, Krug, Maxey, Michalski, Pronschinske, Baldeh, Conley, C. Anderson and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### Assembly Bill 233

Relating to: allowing a school board member to serve as a volunteer school bus driver.

Passage:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Novak, Donovan, S. Johnson, Krug, Maxey, Michalski, Pronschinske, Baldeh, Conley, C. Anderson and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### Assembly Bill 320

Relating to: permits for constructing or enlarging artificial water bodies for the purpose of nonmetallic mining reclamation and modifying administrative rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

Passage:

Ayes: 7 - Representatives Novak, Donovan, S. Johnson, Krug, Maxey, Michalski and Pronschinske.

Noes: 4 - Representatives Baldeh, Conley, C. Anderson and Ratcliff.

To committee on **Rules**.

*TODD NOVAK*

Chairperson

Committee on Local Government

The committee on **State Affairs** reports and recommends:

#### Assembly Bill 304

Relating to: creating the Division of Alcohol Beverages attached to the Department of Revenue; the regulation of alcohol beverages and enforcement of alcohol beverage laws; interest restrictions relating to, and authorized activities of, brewers, brewpubs, wineries, manufacturers, rectifiers, wholesalers, and retailers; shipping alcohol beverages by means of fulfillment houses and common carriers; the consumption of alcohol beverages in a public place; creating a no-sale event venue permit; creating an operator's permit; liquor licenses transferred from one municipality to another; retailers' authorized activities; liquor license quotas; the safe ride program; the presence of underage persons and conduct of other business on licensed premises; the occupational tax on alcohol beverages; repealing a rule promulgated by the Department of Revenue; granting rule-making authority; and providing a penalty.

Passage:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Swearingen, Green, Brooks, Callahan, Gustafson, Moses, Schraa, Spiros, Summerfield, Sinicki, Ohnstad, Baldeh and Hong.

Noes: 1 - Representative Cabrera.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 321**

Relating to: reading instruction in public schools and private schools participating in parental choice programs, an early literacy assessment and intervention program, providing an exemption from rule-making procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Swearingen, Green, Brooks, Callahan, Gustafson, Moses, Schraa, Spiros and Summerfield.

Noes: 5 - Representatives Sinicki, Ohnstad, Baldeh, Hong and Cabrera.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Swearingen, Green, Brooks, Callahan, Gustafson, Moses, Schraa, Spiros and Summerfield.

Noes: 5 - Representatives Sinicki, Ohnstad, Baldeh, Hong and Cabrera.

To committee on **Rules**.

*ROB SWEARINGEN*  
Chairperson  
Committee on State Affairs

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The committee on **Transportation** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 74**

Relating to: seasonal period for farm service license endorsement.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 12 - Representatives VanderMeer, Hurd, Edming, S. Johnson, Maxey, Plumer, Schmidt, Schutt, Considine, Moore Omokunde, Haywood and Drake.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 12 - Representatives VanderMeer, Hurd, Edming, S. Johnson, Maxey, Plumer, Schmidt, Schutt, Considine, Moore Omokunde, Haywood and Drake.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*NANCY VANDERMEER*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Transportation

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The committee on **Ways and Means** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 2**

Relating to: eliminating the personal property tax.

Assembly Substitute Amendment 2 adoption:

Ayes: 7 - Representatives Macco, Brooks, Armstrong, Binsfeld, Dittrich, Gustafson and Snyder.

Noes: 3 - Representatives Conley, Ohnstad and Baldeh.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 7 - Representatives Macco, Brooks, Armstrong, Binsfeld, Dittrich, Gustafson and Snyder.

Noes: 3 - Representatives Conley, Ohnstad and Baldeh.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 302**

Relating to: a sales and use tax exemption for data center equipment or software.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 - Representatives Macco, Brooks, Armstrong, Binsfeld, Dittrich, Gustafson, Snyder, Conley, Ohnstad and Baldeh.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*JOHN MACCO*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Ways and Means

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**ACTION ON THE SENATE MESSAGE**

**Senate Bill 66**

Relating to: seasonal period for farm service license endorsement.

By Senators Tomczyk, Ballweg, Cowles, Felzkowski, James, Marklein, Nass, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel and Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Plumer, Brooks, Edming, Gundrum, S. Johnson, Kitchens, Krug, Mursau, Novak, Oldenburg, Shankland, Spiros, Tranel, VanderMeer and Wittke.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 302**

Relating to: a sales and use tax exemption for data center equipment or software.

By Representatives Zimmerman, Wittke, Allen, Armstrong, Binsfeld, Green, Murphy, Nedweski, O'Connor, Petryk, Pronschinske and Rettinger; cosponsored by Senators Quinn, Bradley, Cowles, Feyen, Nass and Wanggaard.

To joint survey committee on **Tax Exemptions**.

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**ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

The following Assembly proposals, which have been approved by both the Assembly and Senate, have been enrolled by the Legislative Reference Bureau:

**Assembly Bill 200**

**Assembly Bill 201**

**Assembly Bill 203**

**Assembly Bill 245**

**Assembly Bill 264**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 39**

*EDWARD A. BLAZEL*  
Assembly Chief Clerk

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**CHIEF CLERK REPORTS**

The Chief Clerk records:

**Assembly Bill 245**

Presented to the Governor on Thursday, June 15, pursuant to Assembly Rule 23 (4).

*EDWARD A. BLAZEL*  
Assembly Chief Clerk

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**REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS**

**Engrossed Assembly Bill 245**

In enrolling, the following correction was made:

1. Page 29, line 10: before ‘board’ insert ‘The’.

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**Assembly Bill 264**

In enrolling, the following corrections were made:

1. Page 4, line 1: delete the material beginning with ‘city,’ and ending with ‘this state’ on line 2 and substitute ‘governmental unit’.
2. Page 4, line 8: delete ‘(e)’ and substitute ‘(dd)’.
3. Page 5, line 9: delete ‘authority.’ and substitute ‘authority:’.

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Assembly Amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 266**

1. Page 3, line 4: delete ‘line 3’ and substitute ‘line 1’.

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**SPEAKER’S COMMUNICATIONS**

June 15, 2023

Representative Tyler August  
State Capitol Room 115 West  
Madison, WI 53708

Senator Patrick Testin  
State Capitol Room 8 South  
Madison, WI 53707

Dear Co-Chairmen August and Testin:

Please have the Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions prepare a report for Assembly Bill 302. In the report please set forth an opinion on the legality of the proposal, the fiscal effect upon the state and its subdivisions and its desirability as a matter of public policy.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,  
*ROBIN J. VOS*  
Assembly Speaker

June 15, 2023

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Per Assembly Rule 9, I am temporarily appointing the following individuals for the Assembly Rules Committee on Thursday, June 15, 2023. These temporary appointments apply only to the meeting on the listed date.

- Representative Dallman for Representative Born
- Representative Swearingen for Representative Tittl
- Representative Andraca for Representative Subeck

Sincerely,  
*ROBIN J. VOS*  
Assembly Speaker

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**COMMUNICATIONS**

June 14, 2023

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Senate Bill 158, relating to preliminary health care credentials granted to previously unlicensed individuals.

I respectfully ask that my name be withdrawn as a cosponsor of Assembly Bill 305, relating to increasing the per pupil payments in parental choice programs and the Special Needs Scholarship program and the per pupil payments made to independent charter schools and increasing the revenue ceiling for school districts.

Sincerely,  
*ROB HUTTON*  
State Senator  
5th Senate District

June 15, 2023

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 176, relating to permitting pharmacists to prescribe certain contraceptives, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

Sincerely,  
*JENNA JACOBSON*  
State Representative  
43rd Assembly District

June 15, 2023

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 264, relating to residential housing infrastructure revolving loan fund and revolving loan program.

Sincerely,  
*JOEL KITCHENS*  
State Representative  
1st Assembly District

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June 15, 2023

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 12, relating to tuition and fee remission or grants for certain veterans and their dependents enrolled in the University of Wisconsin System, a technical college, or a private nonprofit institution of higher education; and the University of Wisconsin System nonresident tuition exemption for certain veterans.

I respectfully ask that my name be withdrawn as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 112, relating to the establishment of November 11 as a day on which the offices of the agencies of state government are closed.

Sincerely,  
*JERRY O'CONNOR*  
State Representative  
52nd Assembly District

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June 15, 2023

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 12, relating to tuition and fee remission or grants for certain veterans and their dependents enrolled in the University of

Wisconsin System, a technical college, or a private nonprofit institution of higher education; and the University of Wisconsin System nonresident tuition exemption for certain veterans.

Sincerely,  
*SCOTT JOHNSON*  
State Representative  
33rd Assembly District

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June 15, 2023

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 264, relating to residential housing infrastructure revolving loan fund and revolving loan program.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 265, relating to a main street housing rehabilitation revolving loan fund and loan program.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 266, relating to judicial review of local governmental decisions related to certain land development, local approval of residential housing development, and amendment of zoning ordinances.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 267, relating to housing rehabilitation loans awarded by the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 268, relating to commercial-to-housing conversion revolving loan fund and loan program.

Sincerely,  
*LISA SUBECK*  
State Representative  
78th Assembly District

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## ADJOURNMENT

Representative August moved that the Assembly stand adjourned until 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday, June 20.

The question was: Shall the Assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The Assembly stood adjourned.

10:25 A.M.