



# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Assembly Journal

## One-Hundred and Sixth Regular Session

WEDNESDAY, October 11, 2023

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

### INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### Assembly Joint Resolution 81

Relating to: proclaiming October 2023 as Manufacturing Month.

By Representatives Petryk, Armstrong, Behnke, Binsfeld, Conley, Dittrich, Drake, Duchow, Edming, Gundrum, S. Johnson, Kitchens, Melotik, Michalski, Murphy, Mursau, Nedweski, Novak, O'Connor, Penterman, Pronschinske, Rettinger, Rozar, Schutt, Snyder, Spiros, Steffen, Tranel, Wittke, Shankland and Ohnstad; cosponsored by Senators Feyen, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Knodl, Marklein and L. Johnson.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### Assembly Bill 471

Relating to: increasing the earned income tax credit for claimants with fewer than three children.

By Representatives Bare, Riemer, C. Anderson, J. Anderson, Baldeh, Cabrera, Conley, Considine, Jacobson, Joers, Moore Omokunde, Myers, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Palmeri, Shankland, Sinicki, Haywood and Clancy; cosponsored by Senators Roys, L. Johnson, Agard, Hesselbein, Larson, Pfaff, Spreitzer and Wirch.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

#### Assembly Bill 472

Relating to: construction contractor registration and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Sinicki, C. Anderson, J. Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Bare, Billings, Cabrera, Clancy, Conley, Considine, Doyle, Drake, Emerson, Goyke, Haywood, Hong, Jacobson, Joers, Madison, McGuire, Moore Omokunde, Myers, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Palmeri, Ratcliff, Riemer, Shankland, Shelton, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck and Vining; cosponsored by Senators Wirch, Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor.

To committee on **Housing and Real Estate**.

#### Assembly Bill 473

Relating to: investigation and audit of worker misclassification and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Sinicki, C. Anderson, J. Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Bare, Billings, Cabrera, Clancy, Conley, Considine, Doyle, Drake, Emerson, Goyke, Haywood, Hong,

Jacobson, Joers, Madison, McGuire, Moore Omokunde, Myers, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Palmeri, Ratcliff, Riemer, Shankland, Shelton, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck and Vining; cosponsored by Senators Wirch, Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor.

To committee on **Labor and Integrated Employment**.

#### Assembly Bill 474

Relating to: employee misclassification and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Sinicki, C. Anderson, J. Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Bare, Billings, Cabrera, Clancy, Conley, Considine, Doyle, Drake, Emerson, Goyke, Haywood, Hong, Jacobson, Joers, Madison, McGuire, Moore Omokunde, Myers, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Palmeri, Ratcliff, Riemer, Shankland, Shelton, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck and Vining; cosponsored by Senators Wirch, Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor.

To committee on **Labor and Integrated Employment**.

#### Assembly Bill 475

Relating to: worker misclassification and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Sinicki, C. Anderson, J. Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Bare, Billings, Cabrera, Clancy, Conley, Considine, Doyle, Drake, Emerson, Goyke, Haywood, Hong, Jacobson, Joers, Madison, McGuire, Moore Omokunde, Myers, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Palmeri, Ratcliff, Riemer, Shankland, Shelton, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck and Vining; cosponsored by Senators Wirch, Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor.

To committee on **Labor and Integrated Employment**.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

The joint committee on **Finance** reports and recommends:

#### Assembly Bill 66

Relating to: fees for certain motor vehicle certificate of title transfers.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 15 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Ballweg, Testin, Wimberger, L. Johnson and Roys; Representatives Katsma, Zimmerman, Rodriguez, Dallman, McGuire and Andraca.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 15 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Ballweg, Testin, Wimberger, L. Johnson and Roys; Representatives Katsma, Zimmerman, Rodriguez, Dallman, McGuire and Andraca.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Senate Bill 60**

Relating to: fees for certain motor vehicle certificate of title transfers.

Concurrence:

Ayes: 15 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Ballweg, Testin, Wimberger, L. Johnson and Roys; Representatives Katsma, Zimmerman, Rodriguez, Dallman, McGuire and Andraca.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*MARK BORN*  
Assembly Co-Chairperson  
Joint Committee on Finance

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

**Assembly Bill 120**

Relating to: the design of health care coverage plans for public safety employees.

Passage:

Ayes: 14 - Representatives Swearingen, Green, Brooks, Callahan, Gustafson, Moses, Schraa, Spiros, Summerfield, Sinicki, Ohnstad, Baldeh, Hong and Cabrera.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 294**

Relating to: third-party food delivery services and providing a penalty.

Passage:

Ayes: 14 - Representatives Swearingen, Green, Brooks, Callahan, Gustafson, Moses, Schraa, Spiros, Summerfield, Sinicki, Ohnstad, Baldeh, Hong and Cabrera.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*ROB SWEARINGEN*  
Chairperson  
Committee on State Affairs

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

**Assembly Bill 122**

Relating to: issuance of temporary motor vehicle operation plates and permits to dealers and providing a penalty.

Passage:

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

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 123**

Relating to: exemptions from the requirement that an original driver's license be a probationary license.

Passage:

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 **Veterans and Military Affairs** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 177**

Relating to: punitive articles in the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice prohibiting certain activities; procedures applicable to courts-martial cases under the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; treatment of victims of an offense under the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; defining military offenses under the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; punishments for violations of the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; and the removal of gender-specific language from the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice.

Passage:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Edming, VanderMeer, Michalski, Petryk, Snyder, Summerfield, Riemer, Sinicki, Andraca, Ortiz-Velez and Ratcliff.

Noes: 2 - Representatives Sortwell and Tittl.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 178**

Relating to: annual reporting to the legislature of sexual harassment and assault that occurs in the Wisconsin National Guard and of changes to the Uniform Code of Military Justice.

Passage:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Edming, VanderMeer, Michalski, Petryk, Snyder, Sortwell, Summerfield, Tittl, Riemer, Sinicki, Andraca, Ortiz-Velez and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 179**

Relating to: a case management system for tracking misconduct within the Wisconsin national guard.

Passage:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Edming, VanderMeer, Michalski, Petryk, Snyder, Sortwell, Summerfield, Tittl, Riemer, Sinicki, Andraca, Ortiz-Velez and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Assembly Bill 231**

Relating to: members of the Council on Veterans Programs.

Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Edming, VanderMeer, Michalski, Petryk, Snyder, Sortwell, Summerfield, Tittl, Riemer, Sinicki, Andraca, Ortiz-Velez and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Edming, VanderMeer, Michalski, Petryk, Snyder, Sortwell, Summerfield, Tittl, Riemer, Sinicki, Andraca, Ortiz-Velez and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Edming, VanderMeer, Michalski, Petryk, Snyder, Sortwell, Summerfield, Tittl, Riemer, Sinicki, Andraca, Ortiz-Velez and Ratcliff.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*JAMES EDMING*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs

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### **ACTION ON THE SENATE MESSAGE**

#### **Senate Bill 120**

Relating to: the design of health care coverage plans for public safety employees.

By Senators Wanggaard, Wirsch, Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Hutton, Jacque, James, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer and Testin; cosponsored by Representatives Donovan, McGuire, Andraca, Baldeh, C. Anderson, J. Anderson, Callahan, Duchow, Edming, Emerson, Goeben, Gundrum, Joers, Kurtz, Nedweski, Novak, Ohnstad, Palmeri, Rettinger, Rodriguez, Rozar, Schmidt, Schutt, Sinicki, Sortwell, Spiros, Subeck, Tusler, Wichgers, Wittke, Shankland, Steffen and Mursau.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Senate Bill 123**

Relating to: exemptions from the requirement that an original driver's license be a probationary license.

By Senators Cowles, Pfaff, Carpenter, Jacque, Marklein, Spreitzer and Tomczyk; cosponsored by Representatives Snyder, Armstrong, Behnke, Boddien, Brandtjen, Donovan, Joers, Murphy, Mursau, O'Connor, Ohnstad, Penterman, Rodriguez, Rozar, Sinicki, Spiros and Subeck.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Senate Bill 124**

Relating to: issuance of temporary motor vehicle operation plates and permits to dealers and providing a penalty.

By Senators Cowles, Pfaff, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Spreitzer, Taylor and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Snyder, O'Connor, Spiros and Subeck.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Senate Bill 166**

Relating to: punitive articles in the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice prohibiting certain activities; procedures applicable to courts-martial cases under the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; treatment of victims of an offense under the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; defining military offenses under the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; punishments for violations of the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice; and the removal of gender-specific language from the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Senate Bill 167**

Relating to: annual reporting to the legislature of sexual harassment and assault that occurs in the Wisconsin National Guard and of changes to the Uniform Code of Military Justice.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Senate Bill 168**

Relating to: a case management system for tracking misconduct within the Wisconsin national guard.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Senate Bill 251**

Relating to: members of the Council on Veterans Programs.

By Senators Quinn, Hesselbein, Cowles, James and Marklein; cosponsored by Representatives Kurtz, Penterman, Jacobson, C. Anderson, Bare, Conley, Considine, Edming, Green, Joers, Novak, O'Connor, Ohnstad, Rozar, Sinicki, Spiros and Stubbs.

To committee on **Rules**.

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### **REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS**

#### **Assembly Bill 414**

1. Page 3, line 16: delete "s. 11.1401 (1) (a)" and substitute "ss. 11.1400 (1) and 11.1401 (1) (c) 1.".

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### **SPEAKER'S COMMUNICATIONS**

October 11, 2023

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

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Pursuant to Wisconsin State Statute 13.52, I am referring Assembly Bill 438 jointly and concurrently with its current referral to the Assembly Committee on State Affairs to the Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

Sincerely,  
*ROBIN J. VOS*  
Assembly Speaker

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**COMMUNICATIONS**

October 11, 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 Joint Resolution 70, relating to recognizing September 2023 as Family Meals Month.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Joint Resolution 79, relating to recognizing October 17, 2023, as First Responders Appreciation Day in Wisconsin.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Joint Resolution 80, relating to proclaiming the month of October 2023 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 416, relating to repair of complex rehabilitation technology under the Medical Assistance program.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 426, relating to eligibility for appointment as a law enforcement or correctional officer.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 458, relating to expanding the homestead income tax credit.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 461, relating to allowing certain municipalities to increase the rate of the premier resort area tax.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 463, relating to traffic violations when railroad workers are present and providing a penalty.

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

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October 11, 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 Joint Resolution 80, relating to proclaiming the month of October 2023 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Sincerely,  
*LORI PALMERI*  
State Representative  
54th Assembly District

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October 11, 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 Joint Resolution 73, relating to recognizing Employment Choice First as a means to preserve the dignity, self-esteem, and pride of individuals with disabilities in Wisconsin.

Sincerely,  
*NIK RETTINGER*  
State Representative  
83rd Assembly District

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October 11, 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 Joint Resolution 79, relating to recognizing October 17, 2023, as First Responders Appreciation Day in Wisconsin.

Sincerely,  
*KATRINA SHANKLAND*  
State Representative  
71st Assembly District

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October 11, 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 409, relating to designating a bridge in Pierce County as the Eisenhower Bridge of Valor.

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

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October 11, 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 173, relating to grants to prevent suicide by firearm and making an appropriation.

Sincerely,  
*FRANCESCA HONG*  
State Representative  
76th Assembly District

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October 11, 2023

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

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

I respectfully ask that my name be withdrawn as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 470, relating to an incumbent transmission facility owner's right to construct, own, and maintain certain transmission facilities and Public Service Commission procedures if the transmission facility is a regionally cost-shared transmission line.

Sincerely,  
*JON PLUMER*  
State Representative  
42nd Assembly District

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October 11, 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 cosponsor of Assembly Joint Resolution 80, relating to proclaiming the month of October 2023 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Sincerely,  
*JOAN BALLWEG*  
State Senator  
14th Senate District

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October 11, 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 cosponsor of Assembly Joint Resolution 80, relating to proclaiming the month of October 2023 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Please add my name as a cosponsor of Assembly Joint Resolution 79, relating to recognizing October 17, 2023, as First Responders Appreciation Day in Wisconsin.

Sincerely,  
*LATONYA JOHNSON*  
State Senator  
6th Senate District

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October 11, 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 cosponsor of Assembly Joint Resolution 80, relating to proclaiming the month of October 2023 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Sincerely,  
*HOWARD MARKLEIN*  
State Senator  
17th Senate District

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October 11, 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 cosponsor of Assembly Joint Resolution 80, relating to proclaiming the month of October 2023 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Sincerely,  
*DIANNE HESSELBEIN*  
State Senator  
27th Senate District