



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundred and Sixth Regular Session

8:08 A.M.

TUESDAY, November 14, 2023

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senate President Kapenga.

CALL OF ROLL

The roll was called, disclosing the presence of a quorum.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 15, the official attendance for session was:

Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 33.

Absent with leave - None - 0.

The Senate stood for the prayer which was offered by Senator Wanggaard.

The Senate remained standing and Senator Smith led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate recess.

8:13 A.M.

RECESS

9:23 A.M.

The Senate reconvened.

Senate President Kapenga in the chair.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (6), the Chief Clerk made the following entries under the above date.

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** offered by Senators Hutton and Spreitzer.

Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** offered by Senators Hutton and Spreitzer.

Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** offered by Senator LeMahieu.

Senate Amendment 3 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** offered by Senators Hutton and Spreitzer.

Senate Amendment 4 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** offered by Senator Spreitzer.

Senate Amendment 5 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** offered by Senator Spreitzer.

Senate Amendment 6 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** offered by Senator Spreitzer.

Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Substitute Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 312** offered by Senators Pfaff, Wirch, Hesselbein, Agard, Carpenter, L. Johnson, Larson, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor.

Senate Substitute Amendment 3 to **Senate Bill 312** offered by Senators Pfaff, Wirch, Hesselbein, Agard, Carpenter, L. Johnson, Larson, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor.

Senate Amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 438** offered by Senator Nass.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 438** offered by Senator Feyen.

Senate Amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 439** offered by Senator Feyen.

Senate Amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 439** offered by Senators Larson, Carpenter and Taylor.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 439** offered by Senators Larson, Carpenter and Taylor.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representatives Cabrera and O'Connor added as cosponsors of **Senate Bill 133**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative O'Connor added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 253**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative O'Connor added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 267**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative C. Anderson withdrawn as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 268**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Cowles withdrawn as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 268**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Carpenter added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 271**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senators Carpenter and Hesselbein added as coauthors of **Senate Bill 462**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative O'Connor added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 491**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative O'Connor added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 524**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Carpenter added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 527**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Gustafson added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 527**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Madison added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 528**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Subeck added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 539**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representatives O'Connor, Cabrera and Subeck added as cosponsors of **Senate Bill 610**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representatives Palmeri, McGuire, Rettinger, Schutt, Cabrera and Subeck added as cosponsors of **Senate Bill 621**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative O'Connor added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 635**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representatives Cabrera and Drake added as cosponsors of **Senate Bill 642**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Ballweg added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 676**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Gustafson added as a cosponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 79**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Gustafson added as a cosponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 87**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Larson added as a coauthor of **Senate Joint Resolution 87**.

State of Wisconsin

Offices of Senator Carpenter and Senator Larson

November 14, 2023

The Honorable, the Senate:

The Brewers stadium funding deal was negotiated behind closed doors, including only a small group of people. Senators were given mere minutes to evaluate the proposed substitute amendment and have our ideas drafted as amendments to it.

By moving the bill beyond the amendable stage, the Majority Leader purposefully acted to prohibit us and other

Senators from introducing additional amendments to Assembly Bill 438. Senators from both sides of the aisle came prepared with ideas to make this deal more fair to the people, but had that opportunity taken from them through procedural tricks which prevented the Senate from doing its job: debating legislation and taking input from across the state into consideration before voting on a deal that will cost state and local taxpayers over half a billion dollars.

Assembly Bill 438 required significant changes to meet the needs of the people of the state of Wisconsin, and particularly the residents of the City of Milwaukee and Milwaukee County. The proposal that was ultimately approved by the Senate only minimally reduces the burden on taxpayers, and doesn't require an audit and program evaluation before hundreds of millions of taxpayer dollars are spent. This was not enough to earn our votes. At the very least, the Senate should have considered the ideas of its members to make improvements to the deal.

After seeking the input of the people of the 3rd and 7th Senate Districts, we prepared the following amendments to Assembly Bill 438 to right-size this deal and make it fair to the taxpayers of Wisconsin. Because our opportunity to bring these ideas forward for consideration was cut short, we provide them here in an effort to illustrate a few of the ways that this deal could have been improved.

To reduce the public contributions and ensure adequate oversight of the lease negotiations, we brought the following amendments:

LRBa0745 would require that the Legislative Audit Bureau perform a program evaluation and financial audit of the Stadium District and a financial audit of the Brewers organization prior to the ratification of a new lease.

LRBa0737 would require the lease negotiated between the public stadium district authority and the team to come back to the legislature for ratification, ensuring public oversight of successive negotiations.

LRBa0739 would have instituted a 10% ticket surcharge on admission to all events at the stadium, including Brewers games and other Brewers events. This would have brought in an estimated \$10.84 million in annual revenue, reducing the overall deal by nearly \$300 million over the 27 year timeframe, while only adding \$3.28 to the average ticket price, and adding only \$0.60 to the most affordable tickets.

LRBa0744 would retain revenue from non-Brewers events at the stadium such as conventions, concerts, corporate outings, motorcycle classes that take place in the parking lots, to name a few. These revenues would be used to offset the taxpayer contribution.

LRBa0770 would require that revenue generated from advertising on infrastructure financed with public money would be split equally between the Brewers and the state.

LRBa0736 would require the Brewers organization to cover any difference between income tax collections and state payments for maintenance of the stadium. Currently, the state's portion of the public contribution is set to match

estimated income taxes from player salaries. If the state income tax is adjusted to reduce the higher brackets, the Brewers would be responsible to make up the difference.

LRBa0767 would require that funds generated by the sale of naming rights of the stadium be used to reduce the taxpayer contribution.

LRBa0738 would require a 5% sales tax on all non-ticket purchases made within the stadium and associated property, funds would be used to offset the taxpayer contribution.

LRBa0747 would protect against relocation of the team by requiring the return of all public funds paid for stadium maintenance as of the date of relocation.

LRBa0771 would require a study of potential voluntary contribution opportunities such as the sale of commemorative installations or artifacts like used equipment to offset the public contribution.

LRBa0773 would require a study of the cost to winterize the facility and estimated revenue generated by winterization. No money could be spent on winterization before completion of the study.

To ensure that a deal to publicly fund the baseball park is at least as beneficial as the deal to fund the construction of the professional basketball arena, we brought the following amendments:

LRBa0741 and LRBa0752 would require that public funds for maintenance of the stadium be matched dollar-for-dollar by the Brewers organization.

LRBa0746 would require a \$20 wage floor for all team and contract workers, with annual cost of living raises, a labor neutrality agreement from the team, and a commitment to a Community Benefits Agreement. These provisions are similar to the arrangement negotiated between the Milwaukee Area Service and Hospitality Workers and the Milwaukee Bucks.

LRBa0742 would add 4 seats to the stadium district board, one would be chosen by the Mayor of Milwaukee, one by the Milwaukee Common Council President, one by the Milwaukee County Executive, and one by the Milwaukee County Board Chair.

LRBa0748 would require the team to return at least 20% of the parking lot acreage to the City of Milwaukee for a taxable use request for proposal process. This would create the opportunity for a district similar to the Deer District with Fiserv Forum or Titledown near Lambeau Field

In order to give back to the fans who make the team so successful, we offered the following amendments:

LRBa0753 would require the Brewers to fund the operation of public transit routes terminating at the stadium to provide greater access to the facility.

LRBa0768 would ensure that attendees continue to be able to carry in food and non-alcoholic beverages for personal consumption.

LRBa0772 would require the Brewers to ensure statewide broadcast television access to games.

Alternatively, to relinquish state obligations to maintenance of the stadium, we offered the following amendments:

LRBs0178 would transfer ownership of the stadium and district to the Brewers, and repeal the property tax exemption granted to that land. There would be no public responsibility for maintenance of the infrastructure.

LRBs0177 would transfer ownership of the stadium and district to the Brewers, and require the team to cover the cost of demolition and relinquish rights to the property if the team should relocate.

These amendments were developed through countless conversations with the residents of the 3rd and 7th Senate Districts, as well as colleagues in the legislature, who brought their ideas and expectations for any deal to provide public funds for maintenance of the baseball park to our attention. The Senate relies on the consideration and debate of ideas from all across Wisconsin to achieve public policy providing the greatest benefit to the people of our state. Motions to limit senators' ability to propose and debate amendments today prevented the Senate from achieving the best possible deal for Wisconsin.

Respectfully,

TIM CARPENTER
Senator - 3rd District

CHRIS LARSON
Senator - 7th District

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Edward A. Blazel, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Assembly has

Passed and asks concurrence in:
Assembly Bill 133

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY CONSIDERED

Assembly Bill 133

Relating to: farmland preservation agreements and tax credits.

By Representatives Oldenburg, Novak, Shankland, Tranel, C. Anderson, Considine, Hurd, Jacobson, Mursau, Schmidt, VanderMeer, Bare, Joers, Nedweski, Penterman, Subeck, Myers and Pronschinske; cosponsored by Senators Testin, Taylor, Pfaff, Spreitzer, Ballweg, Hesselbein, Marklein, Quinn, Smith, Tomczyk, Carpenter, Roys, Wanggaard and Cowles.

Read first time and referred to the committee on **Senate Organization**.

ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the appointments be moved to the foot of the 14th order of business on today's calendar.

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

Senate Bill 85

Relating to: authorizing email for notice of public inland lake protection and rehabilitation district board business.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 85** be concurred in?

Concurred in.

Senate Bill 380

Relating to: Wisconsin grants and other financial aid for higher education.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 380** be concurred in?

Concurred in.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENTS OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS AND SENATE BILLS

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that all Senate Bills on the 10th order of business be moved to the foot of the 14th order of business ahead of the appointments on today's calendar.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENTS OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTIONS AND ASSEMBLY BILLS

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that **Assembly Bills 271, 335, 396, 494 and 566** be moved to the foot of the 14th order of business ahead of the appointments on today's calendar.

Assembly Bill 438

Relating to: baseball park district administration and funding for improvement of professional baseball park facilities.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 438**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 25; noes, 8; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, L.

Johnson, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 25.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, Kapenga, Larson, Nass and Testin - 8.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senator Nass objected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and **Assembly Bill 438** be read a third time?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 26; noes, 7; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 26.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Jacque, Kapenga, Larson and Nass - 7.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rules suspended and the bill given its third reading.

Read a third time.

Senator Carpenter asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and the record be expunged to return **Assembly Bill 438** to the amendable state.

Senator Feyen objected.

Senator Carpenter moved that the rules be suspended and the record be expunged to return **Assembly Bill 438** to the amendable state.

The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and the record be expunged to return **Assembly Bill 438** to the amendable stage?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 15; noes, 18; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Larson, Nass, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor - 15.

Noes - Senators Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Jagler, James, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 18.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Refused to suspend the rules and return to amendable stage.

The question was: Concurrence as amended of **Assembly Bill 438**?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stroebel, Tomczyk, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Quinn, Stafsholt, Taylor, Testin and Wanggaard - 14.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Concurred in as amended.

Assembly Bill 439

Relating to: funding for improvement of baseball park facilities and making an appropriation.

Read a second time.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 439** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 439**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 30; noes, 3; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 30.

Noes - Senators Carpenter, Larson and Taylor - 3.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rejected.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 439**?

Adopted.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 439**?

Adopted.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 439** be rejected.

IN THE CHAIR

President Pro Tempore Testin in the chair.

10:55 A.M.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 439**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 22; noes, 10; absent or not voting, 1; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff,

Quinn, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 22.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Larson, Nass, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt and Taylor - 10.

Absent or not voting - Senator Kapenga - 1.

Rejected.

Senator Kapenga, with unanimous consent, asked to be recorded as voting “No “ on the question of rejection of Senate Amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 439**.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senator Nass objected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and **Assembly Bill 439** be read a third time?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 25; noes, 7; absent or not voting, 1; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 25.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Jacque, Larson, Nass and Taylor - 7.

Absent or not voting - Senator Kapenga - 1.

Rules suspended to give the bill its third reading.

Senator Kapenga, with unanimous consent, asked to be recorded as voting “No” on the question of suspending the rules and giving **Assembly Bill 439** its third reading.

Assembly Bill 439

Read a third time.

The question was: Concurrence as amended of **Assembly Bill 439**?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stroebel, Tomczyk, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Quinn, Stafsholt, Taylor, Testin and Wanggaard - 14.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Concurred in as amended.

Senator LeMahieu asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bills 438** and **439** be immediately messaged to the Assembly.

Senator Nass objected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that the rules be suspended and **Assembly Bills 438** and **439** be immediately messaged to the Assembly.

The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and **Assembly Bills 438** and **439** be immediately messaged to the Assembly?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 26; noes, 7; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 26.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Jacque, Larson, Nass and Taylor - 7.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Assembly Bill 438

Assembly Bill 439

Messaged.

IN THE CHAIR

Senate President Kapenga in the chair.

11:06 A.M.

**CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS AND
JOINT RESOLUTIONS NOT REQUIRING A
THIRD READING**

Senate Joint Resolution 83

Relating to: declaring November 2023 as Veterans' Mental Health and Suicide Awareness Month in Wisconsin.

The question was: Adoption of **Senate Joint Resolution 83**?

Adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution 87

Relating to: proclaiming November 13 to 19, 2023 as Wisconsin Apprenticeship Week.

The question was: Adoption of **Senate Joint Resolution 87**?

Adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution 89

Relating to: proclaiming November 2023 to be Diabetes Awareness Month in Wisconsin.

The question was: Adoption of **Senate Joint Resolution 89**?

Adopted.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that **Senate Joint Resolutions 83, 87, and 89** be immediately messaged to the Assembly:

Senate Bill 67

Relating to: changing the phase-out of utility aid payments for decommissioned power plants.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 67

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 241

Relating to: a school psychologist loan program, and making an appropriation.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 241**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 241

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 261

Relating to: regulation of tanning facilities.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 261

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 267

Relating to: a grant program for recovery high schools and making an appropriation.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 267**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 267

Read a third time and passed.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately messaged to the Assembly:

Senate Bill 85

Senate Bill 380

Action messaged.

Senate Bill 67
Senate Bill 241
Senate Bill 261
Senate Bill 267

Messaged.

Senate Bill 268

Relating to: Department of Revenue enforcement and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

Senator Nass, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate recess.

11:15 A.M.

RECESS

12:15 P.M.

The Senate reconvened.

Senate President Kapenga in the chair.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 268**?

Adopted.

Senator Nass raised the point of order that Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** was not germane, pursuant to Senate Rule 50 (6)(b)4.

Senator Kapenga, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate stand informal.

The Chair ruled the point of order well taken.

Senator LeMahieu appealed the ruling of the Chair.

The question was: Shall the Decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 14; noes, 19; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stroebel and Taylor - 14

Noes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Decision of the Chair does not stand as the judgment of the Senate.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 18; noes, 15; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 18.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel and Taylor - 15.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rejected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stroebel and Taylor - 14.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rejected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Amendment 3 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 3 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 17; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 17.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor and Tomczyk - 16.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rejected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Amendment 4 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 4 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, Knodl,

LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stroebel, Taylor and Tomczyk - 14.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rejected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Amendment 5 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 5 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stroebel, Taylor and Tomczyk - 14.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rejected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that Senate Amendment 6 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 6 to Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stroebel and Taylor - 14.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rejected.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 19.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Carpenter, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stroebel and Taylor - 14.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senator Nass objected.

Senator LeMahieu moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and **Senate Bill 268** be read a third time?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 25; noes, 8; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 25.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, Knodl, Larson, Nass and Spreitzer - 8.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Rules suspend and bill gives its third reading.

Read a third time.

Senator Spreitzer moved that **Senate Bill 268** be referred to the committee on **Universities and Revenue**.

The question was: Shall **Senate Bill 268** be referred to the committee on **Universities and Revenue**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 20; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Bradley, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, Nass, Roys, Spreitzer, Stroebel and Taylor - 13.

Noes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 20.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Referral refused.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Senator Agard, with unanimous consent, asked that Senator Roys be granted a leave of absence for part of today's session.

The question was: Passage of **Senate Bill 268**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 21; noes, 11; absent or not voting, 1; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jagler, James, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 21.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Cowles, Hutton, Jacque, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Nass, Spreitzer, Stroebel and Taylor - 11.

Absent or not voting - Senator Roys - 1.

Passed.

Senator Roys, with unanimous consent, asked to be recorded as voting “Aye” on the question of passage of **Senate Bill 268**.

Senate Bill 271

Relating to: a commercial driver training grant program and making an appropriation.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 271**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Feyen, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 271

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 312

Relating to: programs and requirements to address perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Substitute Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 312**?

Adopted.

Senator Wimberger moved that Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Substitute Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 312** be rejected.

The question was: Rejection of Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Substitute Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 312**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 21; noes, 10; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Jacque, Jagler, James, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Quinn, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard and Wimberger - 21.

Noes - Senators Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer, Taylor and Wirch - 10.

Absent or not voting - Senators Hutton and Roys - 2.

Rejected.

Senator Roys, with unanimous consent, asked to be recorded as voting “No” on the question of rejection of Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Substitute Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 312**.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Substitute Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 312**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Read a third time.

IN THE CHAIR

President Pro Tempore Testin in the chair.

2:40 P.M.

The question was: Passage of **Senate Bill 312**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 22; noes, 11; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Quinn, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard and Wimberger - 22.

Noes - Senators Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Taylor and Wirch - 11.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Passed.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately messaged to the Assembly:

Senate Bill 268

Senate Bill 271

Senate Bill 312

Messaged.

Senate Bill 363

Relating to: permits for the overweight transport of pig iron.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 363**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 363

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 404

Relating to: penalties for operating a motor vehicle without a license or after license suspension or revocation and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 404

Read a third time.

The question was: Passage of **Senate Bill 404**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 20; noes, 13; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard and Wimberger - 20.

Noes - Senators Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Taylor and Wirch - 13.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Passed.

Senate Bill 408

Relating to: public funds for substantially identical materials distributed by state senators and representatives to the assembly prior to a general election and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 408**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 408

Read a third time.

The question was: Passage of **Senate Bill 408**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 27; noes, 6; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Pfaff, Quinn, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard and Wimberger - 27.

Noes - Senators Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Roys and Wirch - 6.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Passed.

Senate Bill 431

Relating to: permits for the overweight transport of certain fluid milk products.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 431**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 431

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 451

Relating to: allowing certain municipalities to increase the rate of the premier resort area tax.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 451**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 451

Read a third time.

The question was: Passage of **Senate Bill 451**?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Felzkowski - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Passed.

Senate Bill 460

Relating to: traffic violations when railroad workers are present and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 460

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 462

Relating to: crisis urgent care and observation facilities and granting rule-making authority.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 462**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 462

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 520

Relating to: inclusion of like-kin as an option for with whom children may be placed out of their home under certain circumstances and who may receive kinship care payments.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 520**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 520

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 527

Relating to: grants for suicide prevention programming.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 527

Read a third time and passed.

Senate Bill 558

Relating to: damage or graffiti to certain historical property and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Senate Bill 558

Read a third time.

The question was: Passage of **Senate Bill 558**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 23; noes, 10; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Quinn, Smith, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard and Wimberger - 23.

Noes - Senators Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Roys, Spreitzer, Taylor and Wirch - 10.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Passed.

Assembly Bill 335

Relating to: judgments concerning a candidate's felony violation of certain campaign finance or election fraud laws.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Assembly Bill 335

Read a third time and concurred in.

Assembly Bill 396

Relating to: fees for obtaining the official voter registration list.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Assembly Bill 396

Read a third time.

The question was: Concurrence of **Assembly Bill 396**?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 22; noes, 11; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Quinn, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard and Wimberger - 22.

Noes - Senators Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Taylor and Wirch - 11.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Concurred in.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately messaged to the Assembly:

Senate Bill 527

Senate Bill 363

Senate Bill 404

Senate Bill 408

Senate Bill 431

Senate Bill 451

Senate Bill 460

Senate Bill 462

Senate Bill 520

Senate Bill 558

Assembly Bill 335

Assembly Bill 396

Messaged.

Assembly Bill 494

Relating to: status as an indefinitely confined voter for purposes of automatically receiving absentee ballots and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Feyen, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Assembly Bill 494

Read a third time.

The question was: Concurrence of **Assembly Bill 494**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 22; noes, 11; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, Kapenga, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Quinn, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard and Wimberger - 22.

Noes - Senators Agard, Carpenter, Hesselbein, L. Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Taylor and Wirch - 11.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Concurred in.

ADAMS, ANGELA

Of Mequon, as a Congressional District 6 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2029.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

BRAUNSCHWEIG, LEAH

Of La Crosse, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein,

Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

BRENKUS, EVAN

Of Oneida, as a Traditional Student Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 26; noes, 6; absent or not voting, 1; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 26.

Noes - Senators Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Hutton, Nass, Stroebel and Tomczyk - 6.

Absent or not voting - Senator Taylor - 1.

Confirmed.

Senator Taylor, with unanimous consent, asked to be recorded as voting "Aye" on the question of confirmation of Evan Brenkus.

BUENO, SYDNEY

Of Stevens Point, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

CHAPMAN, ANNE

Of Whitefish Bay, as a Public Representative on the Educational Communications Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Nass and Tomczyk - 2.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

COLÓN, HÉCTOR

Of New Berlin, as a Congressional District 5 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Nass and Tomczyk - 2.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

DETERT, TRISHA

Of Merrill, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 9, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

DIMMITT, ERIC

Of Milwaukee, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

FULCOMER, DR. ERIC

Of Oregon, as the Private Schools Representative on the Educational Communications Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

HERZOG, BARBARA

Of Oshkosh, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

HORVATH, JULIE

Of Beloit, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

KENNEY, ALYSSA

Of Madison, as a Public Representative on the Educational Communications Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2023.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

KENNEY, ALYSSA

Of Madison, as a Public Representative on the Educational Communications Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

KREUSER, JIM

Of Kenosha, as a Congressional District 1 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2030.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Nass and Tomczyk - 2.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

MEANS, ANTOINETTE

Of Milwaukee, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

MONTERREY, SARAH

Of Waukesha, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending December 1, 2025.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Tomczyk, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 32.

Noes - Senator Nass - 1.

Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

PRINCE, JOAN M

Of Milwaukee, as a Congressional District 4 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2023.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Nass and Tomczyk - 2.
Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

PRINCE, DR. JOAN

Of Milwaukee, as a Congressional District 4 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2030.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Nass and Tomczyk - 2.
Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

STATON, JENNIFER

Of Kenosha, as a Non-Traditional Student Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2024.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Nass and Tomczyk - 2.
Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

WEATHERLY, KYLE M.

Of Milwaukee, as a Congressional District 4 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Read.

The question was: Confirmation?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Kapenga, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Nass and Tomczyk - 2.
Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Confirmed.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that **Assembly Bill 133** be withdrawn from the committee on **Senate Organization** and taken up at this time.

Senator Testin, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate stand informal.

Assembly Bill 133

Relating to: farmland preservation agreements and tax credits.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the rules be suspended and the bill be given its third reading.

Assembly Bill 133

Read a third time.

The question was: Concurrence of **Assembly Bill 133**?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Agard, Ballweg, Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, Carpenter, Cowles, Felzkowski, Feyen, Hesselbein, Hutton, Jacque, Jagler, James, L. Johnson, Knodl, Larson, LeMahieu, Marklein, Nass, Pfaff, Quinn, Roys, Smith, Spreitzer, Stafsholt, Stroebel, Taylor, Testin, Wanggaard, Wimberger and Wirch - 31.

Noes - Senators Kapenga and Tomczyk - 2.
Absent or not voting - None - 0.

Concurred in.

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately messaged to the Assembly:

Assembly Bill 494

Assembly Bill 133

Messaged.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS, ADJOURNMENT
HONORS, AND REMARKS UNDER
SPECIAL PRIVILEGE**

Senator Carpenter, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of Acting Chief Clerk, Rick Champagne, on the wonderful job he has done.

Senator Knodl, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of his daughter Taylir, who had a baby, Harper Ann Gottschlich, this morning during the floor session at 11:42am.

Senator Taylor, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of a state and national faith leader, Bishop Sedgwick Daniels of Holy Redeemer institutional church of god in Christ. Bishop Daniels, with comprised the best of the secular and non-secular worlds, merged his faith and love of God with his drive to see the people of their community succeed and was a General Board Member and Prelate, Wisconsin First Jurisdiction. Bishop Daniels was a visionary who sought to create a space of opportunity and empowerment for marginalized communities and residents. Members of all political parties recognized the value of working with Bishop Daniels as he created senior housing, spearheaded the opening of a boys and girls club, established both a middle and high school, opened a medical clinic inside Holy Redeemer Church, and founded the first institute for the preservation of African-American art and music. Most importantly, he was a man who led by example, embraced all, offered counsel, support, and served as a moral compass on issues simple and complex.

Senator Johnson, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of Prince Rashon McCree and Krause Funeral Home and Cremation Services in Milwaukee.

Senator Marklein, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of the Wonewoc-Center Girls Volleyball Team on winning the Division 4 State Championship. In both the semifinals and championship games Wonewoc-Center was down 2 sets, but rallied to win the final 3 sets. Never give up!

Senator Marklein, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of the Lancaster Girls Cross Country Team on winning the Division 3 State Championship. This is Lancaster's third state championship!

Senator Pfaff, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of the student athletes from the University of Wisconsin – La Crosse. The University of Wisconsin – La Crosse men's football team had an undefeated conference season. They are 9-1 overall. They

won their 35th conference title in the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. They host their first home NCAA football playoff game this Saturday. The first home game since 2006.

Senator Pfaff, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of University of Wisconsin – La Crosse women's soccer team. They have advanced to the sweet sixteen.

Senator Pfaff, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of the La Crosse Aquinas Blugolds who are playing in the state football championship this Thursday. They are trying to win their third straight Division 5 football championship.

Senator Hutton, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of Brookfield East High School Principal Andrew Farley, who was just named the 2024 National Principal of the Year for the entire country.

Senator Hesselbein, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of Senator Larson, who celebrated a birthday last week, and Senator Wirch, who is celebrating a birthday this week.

Senator Bradley, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of Afa, the wild Samoan, who turns 80 next week.

Senator Ballweg, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn in honor of the Lodi High School Football Team who will be playing in the Division 4 State Championship on Thursday, November 16, 2023. She wishes them luck at their game and congratulates the team on their very successful 2023 season.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator LeMahieu, with unanimous consent, asked that the 2023 Regular Session of the Senate stand adjourned until Thursday, November 16, 2023.

Adjourned.

4:22 P.M.