Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Environment

Assembly Bill 446

Relating to: designating the monarch butterfly as the state butterfly.

By Representatives Tittl, C. Anderson, Behnke, Billings, Goeben, Gustafson, Jacobson, Joers, Kitchens, Melotik, Michalski, Ortiz-Velez, Ratcliff, Sapik, Shankland, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck, Tusler, VanderMeer, Cabrera, Sinicki, Drake and Palmeri; cosponsored by Senators Cabral-Guevara, Ballweg and Taylor.

September 28, 2023 Referred to Committee on Environment

November 30, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (7) Representative Oldenburg; Representatives

Behnke, Bodden, Schmidt, Shankland, J.

Anderson and Palmeri.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Kitchens and Novak.

Appearances For

- Rep. Paul Tittl 25th Assembly District
- Jack Voight Friends of Butterfly Gardens
- Steve Arnold

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

None.

Registrations For

- Sen. Rachael Cabral-Guevara 19th Senate District
- Gary Goyke Scenic Wisconsin

Registrations Against

None.

Registrations for Information Only

None.

January 11, 2024 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (8) Representative Oldenburg; Representatives Novak, Behnke, Bodden, Schmidt, Shankland, J. Anderson and Palmeri.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Kitchens.

Moved by Representative Novak, seconded by Representative Shankland that **Assembly Bill 446** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (8) Representative Oldenburg; Representatives Novak, Behnke, Bodden, Schmidt, Shankland, J. Anderson and Palmeri.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

Mathew Jansen Committee Clerk