

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Transportation**

##### **Assembly Bill 678**

Relating to: designating and marking the Ho-Chunk World War II Code Talkers Memorial Highway.

By Representatives VanderMeer, Considine, Kurtz, Allen, C. Anderson, Armstrong, Bare, Billings, Conley, Dallman, Dittrich, Doyle, Edming, Emerson, Joers, Krug, Magnafici, Maxey, Melotik, Moore Omokunde, Mursau, O'Connor, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Oldenburg, Penterman, Rozar, Spiros, Tittl and Shankland; cosponsored by Senators Testin, James, Smith and Pfaff.

November 27, 2023 Referred to Committee on Transportation

January 30, 2024 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (13) Representative VanderMeer; Representatives Hurd, Plumer, Spiros, Edming, S. Johnson, Schmidt, Maxey, Schutt, Considine, Ortiz-Velez, Moore Omokunde and Drake.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Haywood.

##### Appearances For

- Representative Nancy VanderMeer - 70th Assembly District
- Donald Greengrass
- Sandy Winneshiek
- Kristin WhiteEagle - Ho-Chunk Nation
- Shelby Visintin - Ho-Chunk Nation Legislature

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Senator Patrick Testin - 24th Senate District
- Joseph Hoey - WI Dept of Veterans Affairs
- Mike Furgal - Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

##### Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 06, 2024

**Executive Session Held**

Present: (12) Representative VanderMeer; Representatives Hurd, Plumer, Spiros, S. Johnson, Schmidt, Maxey, Schutt, Considine, Haywood, Moore Omokunde and Drake.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Edming and Ortiz-Velez.

Moved by Representative VanderMeer, seconded by Representative Spiros that **Assembly Bill 678** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (12) Representative VanderMeer; Representatives Hurd, Plumer, Spiros, S. Johnson, Schmidt, Maxey, Schutt, Considine, Haywood, Moore Omokunde and Drake.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 12, Noes 0

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Jesse Johnson  
Committee Clerk