

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Agriculture and Tourism**

##### **Senate Bill 147**

Relating to: membership in county land conservation committees.

By Senators Ballweg, Cowles, Marklein, Nass, Pfaff, Spreitzer, Testin and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Schutt, Armstrong, C. Anderson, Behnke, Bodden, Edming, Kurtz, Moses, Mursau, Novak, Oldenburg, Penterman, Rozar and Tranel.

April 03, 2023

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Tourism

April 20, 2023

##### **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (8) Senator Ballweg; Senators Tomczyk, Marklein, Quinn, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer and Hesselbein.  
Absent: (0) None.  
Excused: (1) Senator Testin.

##### Appearances For

- Dan Bahr - Wisconsin Counties Association
- Tim Fiocchi - Wisconsin Farm Bureau Federation
- Matt Krueger - WI Land and Water Conservation Assn
- Senator Joan Ballweg - 14th Senate District

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Association Of Professional Agricultural Consultants
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Cattlemens Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Farm Credit Services
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Pork Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Potato And Vegetable Growers Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Soybean Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin State Cranberry Growers Association
- Representative Ellen Schutt - SB 147

- Policy Coordinator Michelle Ramirez-White - Wisconsin Farmers Union
- Tom Bressner - WI Agri Business Assn
- Chad Zuleger - Dairy Business Assn

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

May 08, 2023

**Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot**

Present: (9) Senator Ballweg; Senators Tomczyk, Marklein, Testin, Quinn, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer and Hesselbein.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by that **Senate Bill 147** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (9) Senator Ballweg; Senators Tomczyk, Marklein, Testin, Quinn, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer and Hesselbein.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

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David Specht-Boardman  
Committee Clerk