

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Government Operations

Assembly Bill 438

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

By Representatives Brooks, Duchow, Binsfeld, Rozar, O'Connor, Plumer, Melotik, Schmidt, Michalski and Swearingen; cosponsored by Senator Feyen.

October 18, 2023 Referred to Committee on Government Operations

October 25, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator Stroebel; Senators Bradley, Feyen, Roys and Hesselbein.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Senator Dan Feyen - 18th Senate District
- Representative Rob Brooks - 60th Assembly District
- Rick Schlesinger - Milwaukee Brewers
- Cecelia Gore - Brewers Community Foundation
- Bob Starkey - Major League Baseball
- Tim Sheehy - Southeast Wisconsin Professional Baseball Park District Board
- Craig Dickman - Wisconsin Timber Rattlers
- Rob Jergar - Wisconsin Timber Rattlers
- Dan Kapanke - Home Crew Coalition & LaCrosse Loggers
- Omar Shaikh - Home Crew Coalition
- Joel Brennan - Greater Milwaukee Committee
- Jim Villa - NAIOP

Appearances Against

- Robert Kraig - Citizen Action of Wisconsin

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Claire Koenig - Visit Milwaukee
- Katina Shaw - Milwaukee Brewers

- Jeff Knight - Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors Association of Milwaukee
- Eric Knight - Association of Wisconsin Tourism Attractions
- Jonathan Kowalski - Plumbing & Mechanical Contractors Association of Milwaukee and Southeastern Wisconsin
- Jeff Gaecke - Mechanical Contractors of Wisconsin
- Kathi Kilgore - Wisconsin Hotel & Lodging Association
- Tom Diehl - Wisconsin Dells Visitors and Convention Bureau
- Corey Gall - Wisconsin Pipe Trades Association
- Andrew Davis - MMAC

Registrations Against

- Megan Novak - Americans for Prosperity - Wisconsin

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

November 08, 2023 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (5) Senator Stroebel; Senators Bradley, Feyen, Roys and Hesselbein.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Feyen, seconded by Senator Stroebel that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senator Stroebel; Senators Bradley, Feyen, Roys and Hesselbein.

Noes: (0) None.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Feyen, seconded by Senator Stroebel that **Assembly Bill 438** be recommended for concurrence as amended.

Ayes: (3) Senator Stroebel; Senators Feyen and Hesselbein.

Noes: (2) Senators Bradley and Roys.

CONCURRENCE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3,
Noes 2

Mark Radcliffe
Committee Clerk