

### HIGHLIGHTS OF HISTORY IN WISCONSIN

**History** — On May 29, 1848, Wisconsin became the 30th state in the Union, but the state's written history dates back more than 300 years to the time when the French first encountered the diverse Native Americans who lived here. In 1634, the French explorer Jean Nicolet landed at Green Bay, reportedly becoming the first European to visit Wisconsin. The French ceded the area to Great Britain in 1763, and it became part of the United States in 1783. First organized under the Northwest Ordinance, the area was part of various territories until creation of the Wisconsin Territory in 1836.

Since statehood, Wisconsin has been a wheat farming area, a lumbering frontier, and a preeminent dairy state. Tourism has grown in importance, and industry has concentrated in the eastern and southeastern part of the state.

Politically, the state has enjoyed a reputation for honest, efficient government. It is known as the birthplace of the Republican Party and the home of Robert M. La Follette, Sr., founder of the progressive movement.

**Political Balance** — After being primarily a one-party state for most of its existence, with the Republican and Progressive Parties dominating during portions of the state's first century, Wisconsin has become a politically competitive state in recent decades. The Republicans gained majority control in both houses in the 1995 Legislature, an advantage they last held during the 1969 session. Since then, control of the senate has changed several times. In 2009, the Democrats gained control of both houses for the first time since 1993; both houses returned to Republican control in 2011.

Scott Walker's victory in the 2010 gubernatorial race placed the governor's office in Republican hands after the 8-year tenure of Democrat Jim Doyle. Since 1958, a year that marked an end to GOP dominance in state politics, the Republicans have won the governor's office 10 times, and the Democrats 8 times. In the last 50 years, Wisconsin's two main urban areas – Milwaukee and Madison – have provided over half of the state's constitutional officers. During this period, 11 women have served as constitutional officers: three as lieutenant governor, one as attorney general, two as secretary of state, three as state treasurer, and two as superintendent of public instruction.

**National Office** — Although the Democratic candidate has carried Wisconsin six times in a row, presidential elections in the state tend to be close. In fact, in 2008 Barack Obama became the first candidate to win a majority (56%) of the presidential vote since 1988; he duplicated that feat in 2012 with just under 53%. This has resulted in Wisconsin being regarded as a hotly contested "swing state" in many recent presidential elections.

Wisconsin voters tend to retain their U.S. Senators in office for long periods of time. Since 1900, seven senators have served three terms or more, topped by Senator William Proxmire's 32 years in office. Democrats have usually held both of Wisconsin's U.S. Senate seats over the past 50 years, but currently each party holds one seat.

Currently, five Republicans and three Democrats represent Wisconsin in the U.S. House of Representatives. Only one of the current members has been elected more than 10 times in regular elections. Democrats held the majority of seats from 1973 to 1991. The Republicans held the majority from 1991 to 1997, but lost it to the Democrats again in 1997. The Congressional delegation was evenly divided from 2003 to 2007. Democrats regained the majority in 2007, but Republicans won it back in the 2010 election and have held it since. Certain congressional districts have traditionally been represented by one party or the other with little relationship to statewide politics.

**Voter Turnout** — Turnout in presidential and gubernatorial elections may vary as much as a half million votes from election to election. Although individual elections have been up and down, the trend has been upward. Over 3 million votes were cast in the last presidential election.

**Supreme Court** — Although justices of the Wisconsin Supreme Court are elected officials, they sometimes are first named to the court by gubernatorial appointment to fill a vacancy. Subsequently, the appointees must be elected to the office if they wish to stay on the court; most have been successful. Among the current seven justices, two came to the court by the appointment route. The first woman justice to serve on the court, Shirley S. Abrahamson, was appointed in 1976. Today, women constitute a majority of the court.

## SIGNIFICANT EVENTS IN WISCONSIN HISTORY

### Under the Flag of France

Although American Indians lived in the area of present-day Wisconsin for several thousand years before the arrival of the French – numbering about 20,000 when the French arrived – the written history of the state began with the accounts of French explorers. The French explored the area, named places and established trading posts, but left relatively little mark on it. They were interested in the fur trade, rather than agricultural settlement, and were never present in large numbers.

- 1634 — Jean Nicolet: First known European to reach Wisconsin. Sought Northwest Passage.
- 1654-59 — Pierre Esprit Radisson and Medart Chouart des Groseilliers: First of the fur traders in Wisconsin.
- 1661 — Father Rene Menard: First missionary to Wisconsin Indians.
- 1665 — Father Claude Allouez founded mission at La Pointe.
- 1666 — Nicholas Perrot opened fur trade with Wisconsin Indians.
- 1672 — Father Allouez and Father Louis Andre built St. Francois Xavier mission at De Pere.
- 1673 — Louis Jolliet and Father Jacques Marquette discovered Mississippi River.
- 1678 — Daniel Greysolon Sieur du Lhut (Duluth) explored western end of Lake Superior.
- 1685 — Perrot made Commandant of the West.
- 1690 — Perrot discovered lead mines in Wisconsin and Iowa.
- 1701-38 — Fox Indian Wars.
- 1755 — Wisconsin Indians, under Charles Langlade, helped defeat British General Braddock.
- 1763 — Treaty of Paris. Wisconsin became part of British colonial territory.

### Under the Flag of England

Wisconsin experienced few changes under British control. It remained the western edge of European penetration into the American continent, important only because of the fur trade. French traders plied their trade and British and colonial traders began to appear, but Europeans continued to be visitors rather than settlers.

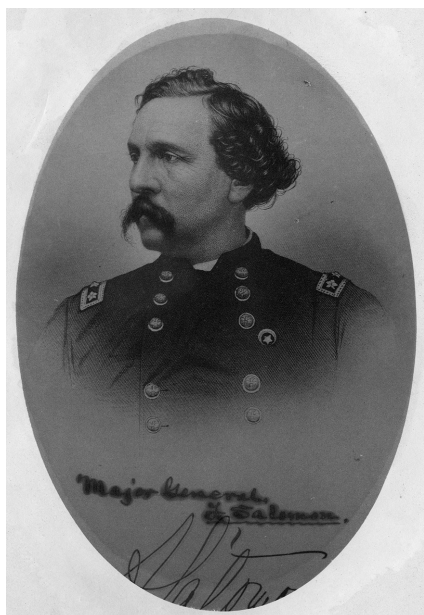
- 1761 — Fort at Green Bay accepted by English.
- 1763 — Conspiracy of Pontiac. Two Englishmen killed by Indians at Muscoda.
- 1764 — Charles Langlade settled at Green Bay. First permanent settlement.
- 1766 — Jonathan Carver visited Wisconsin seeking Northwest Passage.
- 1774 — Quebec Act made Wisconsin a part of Province of Quebec.
- 1781 — Traditional date of settlement at Prairie du Chien.
- 1783 — Second Treaty of Paris. Wisconsin became United States territory.

### Achieving Territorial Status

In spite of the Treaty of Paris, Wisconsin remained British in all but title until after the War of 1812. In 1815, the American army established control. Gradually, Indian title to the southeastern half of the state was extinguished. Lead mining brought the first heavy influx of settlers and ended the dominance of the fur trade in the economy of the area. The lead mining period ran from about 1824 to 1861. Almost half of the 11,683 people who lived in the territory in 1836 were residents of the lead mining district in the southwestern corner of the state.

- 1787 — Under the Northwest Ordinance of 1787, Wisconsin was made part of the Northwest Territory. The governing units for the Wisconsin area prior to statehood were:
  - 1787-1800 — Northwest Territory.
  - 1800-1809 — Indiana Territory.
  - 1809-1818 — Illinois Territory.
  - 1818-1836 — Michigan Territory.
  - 1836-1848 — Wisconsin Territory.
- 1795 — Jacques Vieau established trading posts at Kewaunee, Manitowoc, and Sheboygan. Made headquarters at Milwaukee.
- 1804 — William Henry Harrison's treaty with Indians at St. Louis. United States extinguished Indian title to lead region (a cause of Black Hawk War).
- 1814 — Fort Shelby built at Prairie du Chien. Captured by English and name changed to Fort McKay.
- 1815 — War with England concluded. Fort McKay abandoned by British.
- 1816 — Fort Shelby rebuilt at Prairie du

- Chien (renamed Fort Crawford). Astor's American Fur Company began operations in Wisconsin.
- 1818 — Solomon Juneau bought trading post of Jacques Vieau at Milwaukee.
- 1820 — Rev. Jedediah Morse preached first Protestant sermon in Wisconsin at Fort Howard (Green Bay) July 9. Henry Schoolcraft, James Duane Doty, Lewis Cass made exploration trip through Wisconsin.
- 1822 — New York Indians (Oneida, Stockbridge, Munsee, and Brothertown) moved to Wisconsin. First mining leases in southwest Wisconsin.
- 1825 — Indian Treaty established tribal boundaries.
- 1826-27 — Winnebago Indian War. Surrender of Chief Red Bird.
- 1828 — Fort Winnebago begun at Portage.
- 1832 — Black Hawk War.
- 1833 — Land treaty with Indians cleared southern Wisconsin land titles. First newspaper, *Green Bay Intelligencer*, established.



General Frederick Salomon. (Wisconsin Veterans Museum)

- 1834 — Land offices established at Green Bay and Mineral Point. First public road laid out.
- 1835 — First steamboat arrived at Milwaukee. First bank in Wisconsin opened at Green Bay.
- 1836 — Act creating Territory of Wisconsin signed April 20 by President Andrew Jackson. (Provisions of Ordinance of 1787 made part of the act.)

#### Wisconsin Territory

Wisconsin's population reached 305,000 by 1850. About half of the new immigrants were from New York and New England. The rest were principally from England, Scotland, Ireland, Germany, and Scandinavia. New York's Erie Canal gave Wisconsin a water outlet to the Atlantic Ocean and a route for new settlers. Wheat was the primary cash crop for most of the newcomers.

State politics revolved around factions headed by James Doty and Henry Dodge. As political parties developed, the Democrats proved dominant throughout the period.

- 1836 — Capital located at Belmont — Henry Dodge appointed governor, July 4, by President Andrew Jackson. First session of legislature. Madison chosen as permanent capital.
- 1837 — Madison surveyed and platted. First Capitol begun. Panic of 1837 — all territorial banks failed. Winnebago Indians ceded all claims to land in Wisconsin. Imprisonment for debt abolished.
- 1838 — Territorial legislature met in Madison. Milwaukee and Rock River Canal Company chartered.
- 1840 — First school taxes authorized and levied.
- 1841 — James D. Doty appointed governor by President John Tyler.
- 1842 — C.C. Arndt shot and killed in legislature by James R. Vineyard.
- 1844 — Nathaniel P. Tallmadge appointed governor. Wisconsin Phalanx (a utopian colony) established at Ceresco (Ripon).
- 1845 — Dodge reappointed governor. Mormon settlement at Voree (Burlington). Swiss colony came to New Glarus.
- 1846 — Congress passed enabling act for admission of Wisconsin as state. First Constitutional Convention met in Madison.
- 1847 — Census population 210,546. First

Constitution rejected by people. Second Constitutional Convention.

1848 — Second Constitution adopted. President James K. Polk signed bill on May 29 making Wisconsin a state.

#### Early Statehood

Heavy immigration continued after statehood. The state remained largely agricultural with wheat the primary crop. Slavery, banking laws, and temperance were the major issues of the period. Despite the number of for-



*The silent sentries have stood guard at the Camp Randall arch for over a century. (Sarah Girkin)*

eign immigrants and a shift from Democratic control to Republican control, most political leaders continued to have ties to the northeastern United States. New York state laws and institutions provided models for much of the activity of the early legislative sessions.

1848 — Legislature met June 5. Governor Nelson Dewey inaugurated June 7. State university incorporated. First telegram reached Milwaukee. Large scale German immigration began.

1849 — School code adopted. First free, tax-supported, graded school with high school at Kenosha.

1850 — Bond Law for controlling sale of liquor passed. State opened the Wisconsin Institute for Education of the Blind at Janesville.

1851 — First railroad train – Milwaukee to Waukesha. First state fair at Janesville.

1852 — School for deaf opened at Delavan. Prison construction begun at Waupun.

1853 — Impeachment of Judge Levi Hubbell. Capital punishment abolished (third state to take action).

1854 — Republican Party named at a meeting in Ripon. First class graduated at state university. Joshua Glover, fugitive slave, arrested in Racine, and the Wisconsin Supreme Court, in related matter, declared Fugitive Slave Law of 1850 unconstitutional. Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroad reached Madison.

1856 — Bashford-Barstow election scandal. Legislative report on maladministration of school funds.

1857 — Railroad completed to Prairie du Chien. First high school class graduated at Racine. Industrial School for Boys opened at Waukesha.

1858 — Legislative investigation of bribery in 1856 Legislature.

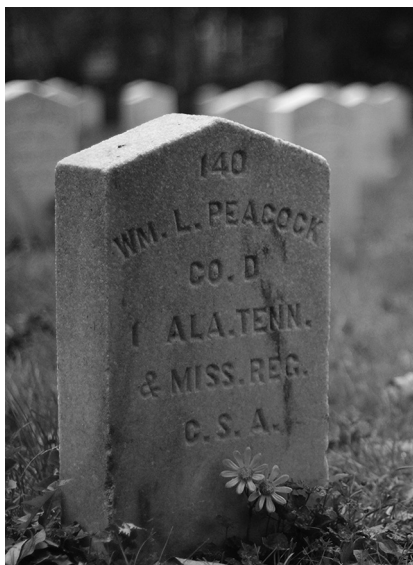
1859 — Abraham Lincoln spoke at state fair in Milwaukee.

1861 — Beginning of Civil War. Governor called for volunteers for military service. Bank riot in Milwaukee. Office of county superintendent of schools created.

1862 — Governor Louis P. Harvey drowned. Draft riots. Edward G. Ryan's address at Democratic Convention criticized Lincoln's conduct of war.

1864 — Cheese factory started at Ladoga, Fond du Lac County, by Chester Hazen.

1865 — 96,000 Wisconsin soldiers served in Civil War; losses were 12,216.



*A large percentage of Civil War deaths were not battle related; 140 Confederate soldiers who died at the prisoner of war camp at Camp Randall are buried at Forest Hill Cemetery. (Sarah Girkin)*

### The Maturing Commonwealth

After the Civil War Wisconsin matured into a modern political and economic entity. Heavy immigration continued throughout the period. The mix of immigrants remained similar to that prior to the Civil War until the end of the century, when Poles began to appear in large numbers.

The Republican Party remained in control of state government throughout the period, but was challenged by Grangers, Populists, Socialists, and Temperance candidates in addition to the Democratic Party and dissidents within the Republican Party. Temperance, the use of foreign languages in schools, railroad regulation, and currency reform were major issues in the state throughout the period.

Wheat culture gradually declined in importance in Wisconsin as more fertile wheatlands were opened to cultivation in the north and west. In the 1880s and 1890s, dairying gradually became the primary agricultural pursuit in the state. The agricultural school at the

university developed into a national leader in the field of dairy science. From the 1870s through the 1890s, lumbering prospered in the northern half of the state. At its peak from 1888 to 1893, it accounted for one-fourth of all wages paid in the state. By the end of the period, Milwaukee and the southeastern half of the state had developed a thriving heavy machinery industry. The paper industry was established in the Fox River Valley by the end of the century. The tanning and the brewing industries were also prominent.

1866 — First state normal school opened at Platteville. Agricultural College at university reorganized under Morrill Act.

1871 — Peshtigo fire burned over much of 6 counties in northeast Wisconsin, resulting in over 1,000 deaths.

1872 — Wisconsin Dairymen's Association organized at Watertown.

1873 — Invention of typewriter by C. Latham Sholes. The Patrons of Husbandry, an agricultural organization nicknamed the Grangers, elected Governor William R. Taylor.

1874 — Potter Law limiting railroad rates passed.

1875 — Free high school law passed; women eligible for election to school boards. State Industrial School for Girls established at Milwaukee. Republicans defeated Grangers. Oshkosh almost destroyed by fire.

1876 — Potter Law repealed. Hazel Green cyclone.

1877 — John T. Appleby patented knottor for twine binders.

1882 — Constitution amended to make legislative sessions biennial. First hydroelectric plant established at Appleton.

1883 — Major hotel fire at the Newhall House in Milwaukee killed 71. South wing of Capitol extension collapsed; 7 killed. Agricultural Experiment Station established at university.

1885 — Gogebic iron range discoveries made Ashland a major shipping port.

1886 — Strikes related to the 8-hour work day movement at Milwaukee culminate in confrontation with militia at Bay View; 5 killed. Agricultural Short Course established at university.

1887 — Marshfield almost destroyed by fire.

1889 — Bennett Law, requiring classroom



- instruction in English, passed. Wisconsin Supreme Court in the “Edgerton Bible case”, prohibited reading and prayers from the King James Bible in public schools. Arbor Day authorized. Former Governor Jeremiah Rusk became first U.S. Secretary of Agriculture.
- 1890 — Stephen M. Babcock invented quick, easy, accurate test for milk butterfat content.
- 1891 — Bennett Law repealed after bitter opposition from German Protestants and Catholics.
- 1893 — Wisconsin Supreme Court ordered state treasurer to refund to the state interest on state deposits, which had customarily been retained by treasurers.
- 1894 — Forest fires in northern and central Wisconsin.
- 1897 — Corrupt practice act passed.
- 1898 — Wisconsin sent 5,469 men to fight in Spanish-American War; losses were 134.
- 1899 — Antipass law prohibited railroads from giving public officials free rides. Tax commission created. New Richmond tornado.
- The Progressive Era**
- The state’s prominent role in the reform movements which swept the country at the beginning of the century gave Wisconsin national fame and its first presidential candidate. Republicans dominated the state legislature, but Progressive and Stalwart factions fought continually for control of the party. Milwaukee consistently returned a strong Socialist contingent to the legislature.
- Large-scale European immigration ended during this period, but ethnic groups retained strong individual identities and remained a significant force in the politics and culture of the state. Important social issues were reflected in the calendar of progressive legislation enacted during the period. The 2 world wars caused great stress because of the large German population of the state.
- Heavy machinery manufacturing, paper products and dairying consolidated their position as the leading economic activities. As the last virgin forests in the northern half of the state were cut over, lumbering faded in importance. Brewing temporarily disappeared with the advent of Prohibition.
- 1900 — Wisconsin’s first state park, Interstate near St. Croix Falls, established.
- 1901 — First Wisconsin-born Governor, Robert M. La Follette, inaugurated. Teaching of agriculture introduced into rural schools. Legislative Reference Library, which served as a model for other states and the Library of Congress, established – later renamed the Legislative Reference Bureau.
- 1904 — Primary election law approved by referendum vote. State Capitol burned.
- 1905 — State civil service established; auto license law passed; tuberculosis sanatoria authorized. Forestry Board created. Railroad Commission, regulating railroads and subsequently utilities, created.
- 1907 — Current Capitol begun.
- 1908 — Income tax amendment adopted.
- 1910 — Milwaukee elected Emil Seidel first Socialist mayor. Eau Claire first Wisconsin city to adopt commission form of government.
- 1911 — First income tax law; teachers’ pension act; vocational schools authorized; Industrial and Highway Commissions created; workmen’s compensation act enacted.
- 1913 — Direct election of Wisconsin’s U.S. senators approved.
- 1915 — Conservation Commission, State Board of Agriculture, and State Board of Education created.
- 1917 — Capitol completed, cost \$7,258,763. 120,000 Wisconsin soldiers served in World War I; losses were 3,932. Wisconsin first state to meet draft requirements; 584,559 registrations.
- 1919 — Eighteenth Amendment (Prohibition) ratified.
- 1920 — Nineteenth Amendment (women’s suffrage) ratified; first state to deliver ratification to Washington.
- 1921 — Equal rights for women and prohibition laws enacted.
- 1923 — Military training made optional at university.
- 1924 — La Follette won Wisconsin’s vote for president as Progressive Party candidate. Reforestation amendment to state constitution adopted.
- 1925 — Senator La Follette died on June 18.
- 1929 — Professor Harry Steenbock of University of Wisconsin patented radiation of Vitamin D. Legislature repealed all Wisconsin laws for state enforcement of

- Prohibition.
- 1932 — Forest Products Laboratory erected at Madison.
- 1933 — Dairy farmers undertook milk strike to protest low prices. Wisconsin voted for repeal of 18th Amendment (Prohibition) to U.S. Constitution.
- 1934 — Wisconsin Progressive Party formed.
- 1942 — Governor-elect Loomis died; Supreme Court decided Lieutenant Governor Goodland to serve as acting governor.
- 1941-45 — Wisconsin enrolled 375,000 for World War II; casualties 7,980.
- 1946 — Wisconsin Progressive Party dissolved and rejoined Republican Party.

#### The Middle Years of the Twentieth Century

After the demise of the Progressives, the Democratic Party began a gradual resurgence and, by the late 1950s, became strongly competitive for the first time in over a century. With the decline in foreign immigration, the traditional ethnic differences became muted, but significant numbers of blacks appeared in the urban areas of the state for the first time. Discrimination in housing and employment

became matters of concern. Other important issues included the growth in the size of state government, radicalism on the university campuses, welfare programs and environmental questions. Tourism emerged as a major industry during this period.

- 1948 — Centennial Year.
- 1949 — Legislature enacted new formula for distribution of state educational aids and classified school districts for this purpose.
- 1950 — Wisconsin enrolled 132,000 for the Korean Conflict; 800 casualties.
- 1951 — First major legislative reapportionment since 1892.
- 1957 — Legislation prohibited lobbyists from giving anything of value to a state employee.
- 1958 — Professor Joshua Lederberg, UW geneticist, Nobel prize winner in medicine.
- 1959 — Gaylord Nelson, first Democratic governor since 1933, inaugurated. Circus World Museum established at Baraboo. Frank Lloyd Wright, architect, died.
- 1960 — Mrs. Dena Smith elected state treasurer, first woman elected to statewide office in Wisconsin.



*The badger, known for its fierce tenacity, has been an emblem of Wisconsin from the earliest days of settlement. (Sarah Girkin)*

- 1961 — Legislation enacted to initiate long-range program of acquisition and improvement of state recreation facilities (ORAP program). Federal supervision of Menominee Indian tribe terminated on April 29; reservation became 72nd county.
- 1962 — Selective sales tax and income tax withholding enacted. Kohler Company strike, which began in 1954, settled.
- 1963 — John Gronouski, state tax commissioner, appointed U.S. Postmaster General. State expenditures from all funds for 1963-64 fiscal year top \$1 billion for first time.
- 1964 — Wisconsin Supreme Court redistricted legislature after legislature and governor failed to agree on a plan. Two National Farmers Organization members killed in demonstration at Bonduel stockyard. Legislature enacted property tax relief for aged. The office of county superintendent of schools abolished, but Cooperative Educational Service Agencies (CESAs) created to provide regional services.
- 1965 — School compulsory attendance age raised to 18. All parts of state placed into vocational school districts. County boards reapportioned on population basis. State law prevented discrimination in housing. The State Capitol, in use since 1917, officially dedicated, after extensive remodeling and cleaning.
- 1966 — 1965 Legislature held first full even-year regular session since 1882. Governor Warren P. Knowles called out National Guard to keep order during civil rights demonstrations in Wauwatosa. Wisconsin Supreme Court upheld Milwaukee Braves baseball team move to Atlanta. Grand jury investigation of illegal lobbying activities in the legislature resulted in 13 indictments.
- 1967 — Executive branch reorganized along functional lines. Ban on colored oleomargarine repealed. Racial rioting in Milwaukee in July-August. Marathon marches demonstrate for Milwaukee open housing ordinance. Antiwar protests at the University of Wisconsin in Madison



*GAR Memorial Hall, Madison. (Wisconsin Veterans Museum)*



- culminate in riot with injuries.
- 1968 — Constitutional amendment permitted the legislature to meet as provided by law rather than once a biennium, resulting in annual sessions. Ninety black students expelled from Wisconsin State University-Oshkosh when December demonstration damaged the administration building. Wisconsin's first heart transplant performed at St. Luke's Hospital in Milwaukee; first successful bone marrow transplant performed by team of scientists and surgeons at the University of Wisconsin in Madison.
- 1969 — Selective sales tax became general sales tax. On opening day of special legislative session on welfare and urban aids, welfare mothers and UW-Madison students, led by Father James Groppi, took over the Assembly Chamber; National Guard called to protect Capitol. Groppi cited for contempt and jailed; contempt charge upheld by Wisconsin Supreme Court. Student strikes at UW in Madison demanded Black studies department; National Guard activated to restore order. Congressman Melvin R. Laird appointed U.S. Secretary of Defense. Wisconsin's portion of Interstate Highway System completed.
- 1970 — Army Mathematics Research Building at the UW in Madison bombed by antiwar protestors, resulting in one death. "Old Main" at Wisconsin State University-Whitewater burned down in apparent arson. First elections to 4-year terms in Wisconsin history for all constitutional officers, based on constitutional amendment ratified in 1967. UW scientists, headed by Dr. Har Gobind Khorana, succeeded in the first total synthesis of a gene.
- 1971 — The legislature, now meeting in regular session throughout the biennium, enacted major shared tax redistribution, merger of University of Wisconsin and State University systems, revision of municipal employee relations laws.
- 1972 — Legislature enacted comprehensive consumer protection act, lowered the age of majority from 21 to 18, required environmental impact statement for all legislation affecting the environment, repealed railroad full crew law, and ratified the unsuccessful "equal rights" amendment to U.S. Constitution. Record highway death toll, 1,168.
- 1973 — State constitutional amendment permitting bingo adopted. Barbara Thompson first woman to hold the elective office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction. The 1954 Menominee Termination Act repealed by Congress. Legislature enacted state ethics code, repealed oleomargarine tax, funded programs for the education of all handicapped children, and established procedures for informal probate of simple estates.
- 1974 — Legislature enacted comprehensive campaign finance act and strengthened open meetings law. Democrats swept all constitutional offices and gained control of both houses of the 1975 Legislature for first time since 1893. Kathryn Morrison first woman elected to the state senate. Striking teachers fired in Hortonville.
- 1964-1975 — 165,400 Wisconsinites served in Vietnam; 1,239 were killed.

#### The Late Twentieth Century

Democrats lost control of the senate in 1993 for the first time since 1974, and in 1995 they lost control of the assembly for the first time since 1970. Control of the senate has changed several times since then. Women began to be widely represented in the legislature for the first time in the 90s.

Health care reform, restructuring welfare, the business climate in the state, taxation, education, and prisons were the chief concerns of policymakers in the 90s.

California challenged Wisconsin's dominance of the dairy industry. After an economic downturn in the 80s, the 90s saw a robust economy throughout most of the state with Madison leading the entire country in employment for several months. The farm sector and brewing industry continued to experience difficulties, however.

Litigation and demonstrations over off-reservation resource rights of the Chippewa Indians continued throughout the 80s to be replaced by controversy over Indian gaming in the 90s and into the new century.

1975 — Menominee Indians occupied Alexian Brothers Novitiate. Legislature made voter registration easier, established property tax levy limits on local governments, and eliminated statutory distinctions based on sex. UW-Madison scientist, Dr. Howard Temin, shared 1975 Nobel Prize in

- physiology-medicine.
- 1976 — U.S. District Court ordered integration of Milwaukee public schools. Ice storm damage reached \$50.4 million. Wisconsin Legislature established a system for compensating crime victims. Exxon discovered sulfide zinc and copper deposits in Forest County. Shirley S. Abrahamson was appointed first woman on the Wisconsin Supreme Court. Wisconsin Supreme Court declared negative school aids law unconstitutional.
- 1977 — Governor Patrick J. Lucey appointed Ambassador to Mexico, and Lieutenant Governor Martin Schreiber became “acting governor”. First state employees union strike lasted 15 days; National Guard ran prisons. Constitutional amendments authorized raffle games and revised the structure of the court system by creating a Court of Appeals. Legislation enacted included public support of elections campaigns, no-fault divorce, and implied consent law for drunk driving.
- 1978 — Wisconsin Supreme Court allowed cameras in state courtrooms. Vel Phillips elected secretary of state, first black constitutional officer. Laws enacted included a hazardous waste management program.
- 1979 — Constitutional amendment removed lieutenant governor from serving as president of the senate. Moratorium on tax collections gave state taxpayers a 3-month “vacation” from taxes. Shirley S. Abrahamson, became the first woman elected to Wisconsin Supreme Court after serving by appointment for 3 years. Legislature established school of veterinary medicine at the UW-Madison.
- 1980 — Eric Heiden of Madison won five Olympic gold medals for ice speed skating, named winner of the Sullivan Award as best amateur athlete in the country. 15,000 Cuban refugees housed for the summer at Fort McCoy. Former Governor Lucey ran as independent candidate for U.S. Vice President. State revenue shortfall led to 4.4 percent cuts in state spending.
- 1981 — U.S. Supreme Court ruled against Wisconsin’s historic open primary. Laws enacted included stronger penalties for drunk driving and changes in mining taxes.
- 1982 — State unemployment hit highest levels since the Great Depression. Voters endorsed first statewide referendum in nation calling for a freeze on nuclear weapons. Jos. Schlitz Brewing Co. acquired by Stroh Brewing Co. of Detroit, all Milwaukee operations closed.
- 1983 — Continued recession forced adoption of budget including a 10 percent tax surcharge and a pay freeze for state employees. Law raising minimum drinking age to 19 passed (effective 7/1/85). In one-day uprising, inmates at Waupun State Prison took 15 hostages, but released them uninjured. Laws enacted included a “lemon law” on motor vehicle warranties, changes in child support collection procedures and levels. UW-Madison School of Veterinary Medicine enrolled its first class.
- 1984 — Most powerful U.S. tornado of 1984 destroyed Barneveld; 9 dead. Democratic party chose presidential convention delegates in caucuses rather than by presidential preference primary as a result of the Democratic National Committee rules changes. Indian treaty rights to fish and hunt caused controversy. Economic conditions began to improve from the low-point of the previous 2 years.
- 1985 — Milwaukee air crash killed 31. Major consolidation of state banks by large holding companies. First state tax amnesty program.
- 1986 — Farm land values dropped across the state. Exxon dropped plans to develop copper mine near Crandon. Laws enacted raised the drinking age to 21, and limited damages payable in malpractice actions.
- 1987 — Voters approved constitutional amendments allowing pari-mutuel betting and a state lottery. Laws enacted included a mandatory seatbelt law, antitakeover legislation, gradual end to the inheritance and gift taxes, and a “learnfare” program designed to keep in school the children of families receiving Aid to Families With Dependent Children (AFDC). G. Heileman Brewing Company taken over by Alan Bond.
- 1988 — Driest summer since the 1930s. The first state lottery games began. Chrysler Corporation’s automobile assembly plant in Kenosha, the nation’s oldest car plant, closed. Laws enacted included mandatory family leave for employees.
- 1989 — Laws enacted included creation of Department of Corrections, the Lower Wisconsin State Riverway, and a statewide

- land stewardship program.
- 1990 — More than 1,400 Wisconsin National Guard and Reserve soldiers were called to active duty in Persian Gulf crisis, 11 casualties. The number of Milwaukee murders set a new record, raising demands for crime and drug controls. Laws enacted included a major recycling law and Milwaukee Parental Choice voucher program for public and nonsectarian private schools.
- 1991 — The price of raw milk hit lowest point since 1978. First Indian gambling compacts signed. Governor Tommy G. Thompson vetoed a record 457 items in the state budget.
- 1992 — Train derailment caused major spill of toxic chemicals and evacuation of over 22,000 people in Superior. Thousands of opponents, including children, staged protests at 6 abortion clinics in Milwaukee throughout the summer. Laws enacted included parental consent for abortion, health care reform, and creation of a 3-member Gaming Commission.
- 1993 — Wisconsin Congressman Les Aspin and UW-Madison President Donna Shalala named President Bill Clinton's Secretary of Defense and Secretary of Health and Human Services, respectively. Thousands in Milwaukee became ill as a result of cryptosporidium in the water supply. California passed Wisconsin in milk production. Republicans won control of state senate for the first time since 1974. Laws enacted included a 1999 sunset for traditional welfare programs, a cap on school spending, and permission to organize limited liability companies.
- 1994 — Laws enacted included removal of about \$1 billion in public school operating taxes from property tax by 1997, a new regulatory framework for Public Service Commission regulation of telecommunication utilities, and granting towns most of the same powers exercised by cities and villages.
- 1995 — Republicans won control of state assembly for the first time since 1970. Elk reintroduced in northern Wisconsin. July heat wave contributed to 172 deaths.
- 1996 — Governor Thompson's new welfare reform plan, known as Wisconsin Works (W-2), received national attention. Train derailment forced evacuation of Weyauwega. Pabst Brewing closed 152-year-old brewery in Milwaukee. Senator George Petak was removed from office in the first successful legislative recall election in state history.
- 1997 — Groundbreaking for controversial new Miller Park, future home of the Milwaukee Brewers baseball team.
- 1998 — Tammy Baldwin became first Wisconsin woman elected to the U.S. Congress. U.S. Supreme Court upheld constitutionality of extension of Milwaukee Parental Choice school vouchers to religious schools. Second state tax amnesty program. Laws enacted included a mining moratorium, new penalties for failure to pay child support, truth-in-sentencing, and protection of fetuses.
- 1999 — Governor Tommy Thompson began record fourth term. Laws enacted included "smart growth", graduated drivers licensing, a sales tax rebate. Supermax, the state's high security prison, opened at Boscobel. Record low unemployment.
- 2000 — Legislature approved a local sales tax and revenue bonds for renovation of Lambeau Field, home of the Green Bay Packers.

### Recent Years

- 2001 — Governor Thompson ended a record 14 years in office and assumed post of U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services. Lt. Governor Scott McCallum became governor and appointed State Senator Margaret Farrow as the first woman to serve as lieutenant governor. Chronic Wasting Disease discovered in the state's deer herd. Extensive Mississippi River flooding. Miller Park opened. Laws enacted included telemarketing "no call" list, wetland protection, and the "senior care" prescription drug assistance plan.
- 2002 — Barbara Lawton became the first woman elected lieutenant governor and Peggy A. Lautenschlager became first woman elected attorney general. Deadliest single traffic accident in state history killed 10 and injured 40 near Sheboygan. Investigation into legislative caucus staffs resulted in criminal charges against five legislators. Seven Milwaukee County board members recalled over pension scandal.
- 2003 — Jim Doyle became first Democratic governor in 16 years. The Crandon mine issue was apparently resolved when local

- Indian tribes purchased the ore deposits. The renovated Lambeau Field opened. Senator Gary George became the second legislator in Wisconsin history to be recalled. A number of Wisconsin Guard and Reserve units were activated for service in the Iraq war. Wisconsin held its first mourning dove hunt.
- 2004 — Louis Butler, Jr., became the first black member of the Wisconsin Supreme Court. State government began to reduce its automobile fleet after allegations of misuse. Significant legislation included a livestock facility siting law and revision to clean air and water laws intended to spur job creation. Voter turnout in the fall election was 73%, the highest in many years.
- 2005 — The state minimum wage was increased. Wisconsin experienced a record 62 tornadoes during the year, including a record 27 in one day – August 18, when tornadoes hit Viola, Stoughton, and other communities resulting in one death, 27 injuries, and \$40 million in damage. Several current and former members of the legislature were convicted of illegal campaign activities.
- 2006 — Continued participation in the Iraq War by Wisconsin National Guard and Reserve units was a potent issue, as was immigration reform. The legislature limited the use of condemnation power for the benefit of private individuals. Voters approved a constitutional amendment limiting marriage to persons of the opposite sex in November. An advisory referendum in favor of the death penalty was also approved by the voters.
- 2007 — Ethics laws and elections regulation procedures were modified. Milwaukee-based Miller Brewing merged with Denver's Coors brewery. The state budget did not pass until late October, one of the latest budgets in state history.
- 2008 — Louis Butler became the first sitting Supreme Court justice to be defeated at the polls in 40 years, losing to Michael Gableman. Severe flooding hit southern Wisconsin in June. Failure of an embankment caused Lake Delton to drain, destroying three homes. The Great Lakes Compact received state and federal approval, regulating the use of Great Lakes water outside their watershed. A sharp downturn in the economy caused a rise in unemployment and the closing of the General Motors plant in Janesville, ending a chapter in Wisconsin's 100-year involvement in auto assembly.
- 2009 — Democrats opened the 99th Legislature with control of the governor's office and both houses of the legislature for the first time since the 1985 session. The ongoing economic crisis resulted in a projected budget deficit of \$6 billion for the next biennium. In the largest activation since the Berlin Crisis of 1961, 3,000 soldiers of the Wisconsin National Guard prepared for mobilization to Iraq. A severe influenza outbreak resulted in 47 deaths.
- 2010 — A number of powerful tornadoes hit southern Wisconsin on June 21. Among the areas sustaining severe damage was the Old World Wisconsin historic site. The Republican Party swept the November elections, capturing the governor's office and both houses of the legislature. It was the first time in over 70 years that partisan control of all three switched in the same election. Governor-Elect Walker declined to accept \$810 million in federal funds to build a high speed rail line between Madison and Milwaukee.
- 2011 — Governor Walker's proposal to curtail collective bargaining rights for public workers led 14 Democrats to leave the state in order to deny the senate a quorum. Thousands of protesters surrounded the Capitol to oppose the legislation, which was delayed for weeks before being enacted. Wisconsin remained in a state of political agitation into the summer as nine senators were the subject of recall elections; two were defeated. The legislature enacted a legislative redistricting plan for the first time in three decades; revamped the state's economic development efforts and expanded the parental school choice program.
- 2012 — Governor Walker, Lt. Gov. Kleefisch, and four senators were the subject of recall elections in ongoing ill-feeling over the 2011 collective bargaining law. Walker, Kleefisch, and two senators were retained; one senator resigned and one was defeated giving the Democrats control of the senate. A period of severe heat and drought afflicted the state during June and July. Republican Paul Ryan became the first Wisconsinite to be nominated for national office (vice



president) by a major political party. Democrat Tammy Baldwin was elected Wisconsin's first female U.S. Senator in the fall election, but Republicans regained control of the state senate.

2013 — The legislature enacted revised regulations for the mining of metallic ferrous minerals, easing the way for construction of an iron mine in northern Wisconsin's Gogebic Range. Wisconsin's role as a major source of sand used in the "fracking" method of natural gas extraction presented questions for state and local quarry regulators. The winter of 2013-14 was the most severe in many years.

2014 — The voters passed a constitutional amendment requiring that Transportation Fund resources be used only for

transportation. Court rulings legalized same-sex marriage in Wisconsin. The deer harvest was the lowest in 30 years. The governor denied the Menominee Nation permission to operate a casino in Kenosha.

2015 — Senator Mary Lazich was elected President of the Senate, the first woman to be elected presiding officer of either house of the legislature. Efforts to open an iron mine in the Gogebic Range were abandoned. The legislature enacted "Right to Work" legislation. The voters approved a constitutional amendment requiring the supreme court to elect its chief justice by majority vote. The legislature raised the speed limit to 70 mph on certain highways.



*Senator Mary Lazich, President of the Senate, the first woman to be elected presiding officer in either house of the legislature. (Jay Salvo, Legislative Photographer)*

Sources: State Historical Society, *The Thirtieth Star*, 1948; *The 1958 Compton Yearbook* and succeeding editions; *The Americana Annual – 1967*; Robert C. Nesbit, *Wisconsin, A History*; Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau, *Clippings: Wisconsin History*.

**HISTORIC SITES IN WISCONSIN**

Site	Location	Paid Attendance				Revenue 2014
		2011	2012	2013	2014	
Bennett Studios	Wisconsin Dells	33,316	31,494	26,726	26,966	\$46,337
Black Point Estate*	Lake Geneva	—	—	5,936	6,176	82,209
Circus World Museum	Baraboo	65,560	71,076	63,788	55,367	918,899
Madeline Island	La Pointe	12,831	12,068	11,308	11,587	97,492
Old World Wisconsin	Eagle	58,703	56,660	68,694	73,252	1,084,938
Pendarvis	Mineral Point	6,796	6,133	7,247	8,502	51,456
Stonefield	Cassville	8,907	8,348	8,125	5,858	41,543
Villa Louis	Prairie du Chien	13,084	14,589	14,844	19,965	138,462
Wade House	Greenbush	17,494	15,950	24,388	21,908	222,067
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>216,691</b>	<b>216,318</b>	<b>231,056</b>	<b>229,581</b>	<b>\$2,683,433</b>

Note: Sites are generally open from May to October. For current information: [www.wisconsinhistory.org/sitesmuseum.asp](http://www.wisconsinhistory.org/sitesmuseum.asp).  
Revenues from admissions, rentals, and inside sales (such as museum stores, restaurants, and rides).

\*Black Point Estate began operation under the State Historical Society on January 1, 2013.

Source: Wisconsin Historical Society, departmental data, June, 2015.

**OFFICIAL HISTORICAL MARKERS IN WISCONSIN**

**May 2015**

County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Adams	At the Park, Hwy 13, 3 miles north of Friendship	Roche-a-Cri State Park
Adams	S. Arkdale Cemetery, 1801 Cypress Ave., Town of Strong's Prairie	Site of First Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran Church of Roche-a-Cri
Ashland	Bay View Park, Hwy 2, Ashland	Fleet Admiral William D. Leahy
Ashland	Northland College campus, Ellis Avenue, Ashland	Northland College
Ashland	In park on Hwy 2 at western limits of Ashland	Radisson-Groeselliers Fort
Ashland	La Pointe, Madeline Island	Madeline Island
Ashland	Hwy 13, 10 miles south of Mellen	Great Divide
Ashland	Hwy 2, Odanah	The Bad River
Barron	Rest Area #34, westbound Hwy 53, 2 mi. south of Chetek	Pine Was King (Pineries)
Barron	2411-23 Street, Rice Lake	Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church
Bayfield	Herbster Community Center, STH 13, one block south of Lenawee Rd., Herbster	"The Gym"
Bayfield	Hwy 13, 0.5 mile east of Cornucopia	Tragedy of the Siskiwit
Bayfield	Hwy 13, Port Wing	School Consolidation
Bayfield	Hwy 13, 2.3 miles north of Washburn	Madeline Island
Brown	Denmark War Memorial Pk., Wisconsin Ave. (CTH KB)	Denmark
Brown	In park at corner of Broadway and George Sts., De Pere	Marquette-Jolliet Expedition
Brown	In Voyageur Park, De Pere	Rapides des Peres – Voyageur Park
Brown	403 North Broadway, De Pere	White Pillars
Brown	222 South Baird Street, Green Bay	Cnesses Israel Synagogue
Brown	2640 South Webster Avenue, Green Bay	Cotton House – Baird Law Office
Brown	Outside Packer Hall of Fame, Green Bay	Green Bay Packers
Brown	1008 South Monroe Avenue, Green Bay	Hazelwood
Brown	2630 South Webster Avenue, Green Bay	Heritage Hill State Park
Brown	Fox River Trail near Main Street Bridge, U.S. 141 Green Bay	Historic Green Bay Road
Brown	Hwy 57, 5 miles northeast of Green Bay	Red Banks
Brown	2630 South Webster Avenue, Green Bay	Roi-Portier-Tank Cottage
Brown	Holy Apostles Church Cemetery, 2937 Freedom Rd., Oneida	Revolutionary War Veteran (Powlis)
Buffalo	Hwy 35, 0.5 mile north of Alma	Beef Slough
Burnett	Crex Meadows Wildlife Area, off Hwy F, N. of Grantsburg	Crex Meadows
Calumet	Wayside #4, intersection of Hwys 55 and 151, Brothertown	Brothertown Indians of Wisconsin
Calumet	City Hall, 2110 Washington Street, New Holstein	New Holstein
Calumet	Junction of CTH T and Church Rd., New Holstein	St. Martins Church
Calumet	Stockbridge Harbor, CTH E, Village of Stockbridge	Stockbridge Harbor
Chippewa	Hwy 124, 3 miles north of Chippewa Falls	Nation's First Cooperative Generating Station
Chippewa	2820 East Park Avenue, Chippewa Falls	Northern WI Center for the Developmentally Disabled
Chippewa	Fairgrounds, 308 Jefferson Ave., Chippewa Falls	Northern Wisconsin State Fair
Chippewa	Cornell Mill Yard Park and Bridge St., Cornell	Cornell Pulpwood Stack
Chippewa	West side of Hwy 178, near Hwy 1	Cobban Bridge
Chippewa	Hwy 178, 0.5 mile north of Jim Falls	Old Abe, the War Eagle
Clark	2 blocks west of Hwy 13, Colby	Colby Cheese
Clark	St. Hedwig's Church, CTH-X at Gorman Avenue Near Thorp	St. Hedwig's/Poznan Colony
Columbia	Rest Area #12, westbound 190-94, E. of WI River	The Circus
Columbia	711 West James Street, Columbus	Governor James Taylor Lewis
Columbia	Hwy 113 at Wisconsin River crossing	Merrimac Ferry
Columbia	120 N. Main Street, Pardeeville	Historic Pardeeville
Columbia	Hwy 33, 0.5 mile east of Portage	Fort Winnebago
Columbia	West Wisconsin and Crook Streets, Portage	Frederick Jackson Turner
Columbia	Across from sheriff's office, Cook Street, Portage	Ketchum's Point
Columbia	Hwy 33, 0.5 mile east of Portage	Marquette

## OFFICIAL HISTORICAL MARKERS IN WISCONSIN May 2015–Continued

County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Columbia	Hwy CM, 5 miles northeast of Portage	Potters' Emigration Society
Columbia	Museum at The Portage, 804 MacFarlane Rd., Portage	Society Hill Historic District
Columbia	Commerce Plaza Park, 301 West Wisconsin St., Portage	Zona Gale
Columbia	Rest Area #11, eastbound I90-94, 0.5 mi. E. of WI River	Rest Areas on the I-Roads
Columbia	Hwy 51, 0.5 mile south of Poynette	John Muir View
Columbia	Old Settlers Park, near intersection of Thomas and John Street, Poynette	Wallis Rowan and His Cabin
Columbia	Hwy 16, 4 miles east of Wisconsin Dells	Kingsley Bend Indian Mounds
Columbia	314 Broadway, Wisconsin Dells	Stroud Bank
Columbia	Village Park, 150 Lovers Lane, Wycocena	Major Elbert Dickason/Dickason's "Hotel"
Columbia	Wyona Park, CTH-GG, Wycocena	Rifle Pit Legend/Wyona Park
Crawford	US-35, near River View Park, 0.3 miles north of CTH C, Ferryville	Patrick Joseph Lucey
Crawford	Hwy 171, 0.5 mile east of Gays Mills	Gays Mills Apple Orchards
Crawford	Hwy 35, 1.2 miles south of Lynxville	Rafting on the Mississippi
Crawford	Cornelius Family Park, 211 S. Main St., Prairie du Chien	Black Hawk's Surrender
Crawford	Fort Crawford Museum, 717 S. Beaumont Rd., Prairie du Chien	Fort Crawford
Crawford	Mississippi River Bridge, Prairie du Chien	Pere Marquette and Sieur Jolliet
Crawford	Beaumont and Rice Streets, Prairie du Chien	Museum of Medical Progress
Crawford	Mississippi River Bridge, Prairie du Chien	Prairie du Chien
Crawford	At entrance, Villa Louis Road, Prairie du Chien	Villa Louis
Crawford	521 N. Villa Road, Prairie du Chien	Villa Louis
Crawford	In lawn west of the Villa, Villa Louis, Prairie du Chien	War of 1812
Crawford	Hwy 61, 0.5 mile south of Soldiers Grove	James Davidson
Crawford	Soldiers Grove Park, Mill and Main Sts., Soldiers Grove	Soldiers Grove Origin
Dane	In park off Hwy A, Albion	Albion Academy
Dane	8770 Ridge Drive, Belleville	Primrose Lutheran Church
Dane	1 mile northeast of Blue Mounds, Hwy F	Brigham Park
Dane	Quivey's Grove, 6261 Nesbitt Road, Fitchburg	Mann House
Dane	2915 Syene Rd., Fitchburg	McCoy House
Dane	Camp Randall Memorial Park, UW-Madison campus	Camp Randall
Dane	8-12 N. Blount St., Madison	Ceramic Art Studio of Madison
Dane	4718 Monona Dr., Madison	Nathaniel Dean, Dean House
Dane	Vilas Communication Hall, UW-Madison campus	9XM-WHA
Dane	Bascom Hill, UW-Madison campus	North Hall
Dane	GEF III, 125 S. Webster St., Madison	Peck Cabin
Dane	Resurrection Cemetery, 2705 Regent St., Madison	Site of Former Greenbush Cemetery Burials
Dane	Olbrich Park, 3330 Atwood Ave., Madison	Third Lake Passage
Dane	415 E. Wilson St., Madison	Tragedy of War
Dane	816 State Street, Madison	State Historical Society
Dane	501 South Thornton Avenue, Madison	Yahara River Parkway
Dane	Indian Lake County Park, Hwy 19, 1 mi. E. of Marxville	Indian Lake Passage
Dane	Village Park, 39 Brodhead Street, Mazomanie	Historic Mazomanie
Dane	Branch Creek Conservancy Pk, Pleasant Branch Rd., Middleton	Pheasant Branch Encampment
Dane	Indian Mound Pk., 6200 Bl. of Ridgewood Ave., Monona	Outlet Mound
Dane	2455 West Broadway, Monona	Royal Airport/Charles Lindbergh
Dane	Entrance to Prairie Mound Cemetery, CTH M, Vil. of Oregon	Revolutionary War Veteran
Dane	Hwy 51, east shore of Lake Waubesa	Stephen Moulton Babcock (1843-1931)
Dane	Yahara River Bridge, W. Main St., 381 E. Main St., Stoughton	Main Street Historic District
Dane	La Follette County Park, 3 miles north of Stoughton	Robert Marion La Follette, Sr. (1855-1925)
Dane	300 E. Main Street, Sun Prairie	Georgia O'Keeffe
Dodge	214-216 Front St., Beaver Dam	Frederick Douglass
Dodge	Adams Spring Park, Spring Street, Fox Lake	Bernard "Bunny" Berigan (1908-1942)
Dodge	Addie Joss Park, Juneau	Adrian "Addie" Joss
Dodge	105 N. River St., Lowell	Lowell Women Firefighters
Dodge	Rest Area #64, northbound Hwy 41	World War II
Dodge	Hwys 28 and 67, on Main Street, Mayville	Wisconsin's First Iron Smelter
Dodge	Hwy 175, Theresa	Solomon Juneau House
Dodge	Jct. Hwys 26 and 67, Waupun	Auto Race - Green Bay to Madison
Door	12171 Garrett Bay Rd., Ellison Bay	The Clearing
Door	Zion Lutheran Church, 6710 CTH T, Egg Harbor	Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church
Door	Noble Square, 4167 Main Street, Fish Creek	The Alexander Noble House
Door	Namur, Hwy 57	Belgian Settlement in Wisconsin
Door	6145 Cave Point Drive, Town of Jacksonport	Jacksonport United Methodist Church
Door	Olde Stone Quarry Park, CTH B, Town of Sevastopol	Leatham and Smith Quarry
Door	3434 CTH V, Sturgeon Bay	The Episcopal Church of the Holy Nativity
Door	Hwy 42, 0.5 mile north of junction with Hwy 57	The Orchards of Door County
Douglas	Hwy 2, Brule	Brule River
Douglas	Hwys F and B, Lake Nebagamon	Evergreen Park Cottage Sanatorium
Douglas	Hwy 2, Poplar	Major "Dick" Bong
Douglas	Hwy 53, 1.5 miles south of Solon Springs	Brule-St. Croix Portage
Douglas	Allouez (Superior), along Hwys 2, 13, and 53	Burlington Northern Ore Docks
Douglas	Rest Area #23, Hwys 2 & 53, southern limits of Superior	Northwest Portland of Wisconsin
Douglas	Memorial Park, Superior	Old Stockade Site
Douglas	Whaleback Museum, Barker's Island, Superior	S. S. Meteor, last of the Whalebacks

## OFFICIAL HISTORICAL MARKERS IN WISCONSIN May 2015–Continued

County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Douglas	Superior Central High School, 1015 Belknap St., Superior	Summer White House – 1928
Douglas	Harbor Entry, Wisconsin Point Road, Superior	The Superior Entry
Douglas	Between McCaskill and Holden Bldgs., UW-Superior	University of Wisconsin-Superior
Douglas	Tourist Information Center, City Park, Hwy 2, Superior	Wartime Shipbuilding
Dunn	Caddie Woodlawn Park, Hwy 25, Menomonie	Caddie Woodlawn
Dunn	Rest Area #61, eastbound 194, Menomonie	Chippewa Valley White Pine
Dunn	Evergreen Cemetery, Menomonie	Dr. Stephen Tainter – Revolutionary War Veteran
Dunn	Evergreen Cemetery, north end of Shorewood Dr., Menomonie	Earliest Evergreen Burials/Evergreen Cemetery
Dunn	205 Main Street, Menomonie	Mabel Tainter Memorial
Dunn	Rest Area #62, 194	World War I
Eau Claire	Dells Mills Museum, N. of Augusta on STH 27, Augusta	Dells Mills
Eau Claire	Wayside #4, Hwy 85, 0.5 mi. west of Hwy 37, Eau Claire	Silver Mine Ski Jump
Fond du Lac	Fond du Lac Co. Park, W11413 CTH TC, Brandon	The Raube Road Site
Fond du Lac	Kettle Moraine Scenic Drive (CTH-GGG), just north of Campbellsport	Haskell Noyes Memorial Woods
Fond du Lac	Hwy 151, 6 miles north of Fond du Lac	Edward S. Bragg
Fond du Lac	Rolling Meadows Golf Course, 560 W. Rolling Meadows Dr., Fond du Lac	County Home Cemetery Fond du Lac
Fond du Lac	Main Street and Forest Avenue, Fond du Lac	Military Road
Fond du Lac	30 East 2nd Street, Fond du Lac	Wisconsin Progressive Party
Fond du Lac	St. John the Baptist Church, Hwy W, Johnsburg	Father Caspar Rehrl
Fond du Lac	Southeast corner of Blackburn and Blossom Sts., Ripon	Birthplace of Republican Party
Fond du Lac	Pedrick Wayside, Hwy 23, Ripon	Carrie Chapman Catt
Fond du Lac	In park on Union Street, 1 block south of Hwy 23, Ripon	Ceresco
Fond du Lac	Ripon College campus, Ripon	Ripon College
Fond du Lac	Taycheedah Correctional Institution, Tn. of Taycheedah	Home of Governor James Duane Doty
Fond du Lac	Hwy 49, 4 miles east of Waupun	Horicon Marsh
Forest	Hwy 8, 1.8 miles east of Crandon	Northern Highland
Forest	Hwy 32, 1 mile south of Laona	Laona School Forest
Forest	Hwy 55, 0.5 mile north of Mole Lake	Battle of Mole Lake
Grant	Hwy 61, 0.3 miles south of Boscobel	The Gideons
Grant	Cassville	Village of Cassville
Grant	117 East Front Street, Cassville	Old Dennison House
Grant	620 Lincoln Avenue, Fennimore	The “Dinky”
Grant	Hwy 80 at the WI-IL state line, south of Hazel Green	Point of Beginning (Survey Point)
Grant	Cemetery, 1 block west of Hwys 61, 35, and 81, Lancaster	Nelson Dewey
Grant	Highway 35 and Slattown Rd., 5 miles west of Lancaster	Pleasant Ridge
Grant	Rountree Hall, UW-Platteville	First State Normal School
Grant	114-108 South Main St., Potosi	Village of Potosi
Green	English Settlement Cemetery, 300 North Main St., Albany	English Settlement Cemetery
Green	Monroe Arts Center, 1315 11th St., Monroe	First Methodist Episcopal Church
Green	Monticello Monument Wayside, Hwy 69, Monticello	Nikolaus Gerber
Green	Village Park, 300 Blk. of 2nd St., Hwy O, New Glarus	Herbert Kubly
Green	Hwy 69, New Glarus	New Glarus
Green Lake	Nathan Strong Park, East Huron St. (Hwy 116), Berlin	Lucy Smith Morris
Green Lake	Riverside Park, Berlin	Upper Fox River
Iowa	Hwy 14, 3 miles east of Arena	Village of Dover
Iowa	CTH Y, 3 mi. S. of Dodgeville	Dodge’s Grove and Fort Union
Iowa	Courthouse lawn, Hwy 151, Dodgeville	Iowa County Courthouse
Iowa	Hwy YZ, 4 miles east of Dodgeville	Old Military Road
Iowa	Water Tower Park, Hwy 151, Mineral Point	Historic Mineral Point
Iowa	Iowa Co. Fairgrounds, 900 Fair St., Mineral Point	Laurence F. Graber, “Mr. Alfalfa”
Iowa	114 Shake Rag Street, Mineral Point	Shake Rag
Iowa	Library Park, Mineral Point	Wisconsin Territory
Iowa	9 Fountain St., Mineral Point	Site of Fort Jackson
Iowa	Frank Lloyd Wright Visitor Ctr., CTH C, Spring Green	Military River Crossing
Iowa	Hwy 14, east of Wisconsin River, near Spring Green	Frank Lloyd Wright
Iowa	Tower Hill State Park, Hwy C, south of Hwy 14	Shot Tower
Iron	Hwy 2, 10 miles west of Hurley	Gogebic Iron Range
Iron	Wayside WI Info. Ctr., Hwy 51, 1 mile north of Hurley	Iron Mining in Wisconsin
Jackson	Hwys 121 and 95, 1.5 mile west of Alma Center	Silver Mound
Jackson	Bell Mound Scenic Overlook, 5 mi. S. of Black River Falls	Black River Valley Scenic Outlook
Jackson	Hwy 34, 5 miles east of Black River Falls	Mitchell Red Cloud, Jr. (1925-1950)
Jackson	Rest Area #8, westbound 194, 15 mi. SE Black River Falls	The Passenger Pigeon
Jackson	Rest Area #7, eastbound 194, 15 mi. SE Black River Falls	Sphagnum Moss
Jackson	Rest Area #6, westbound 194	Highground Veterans Memorial
Jackson	Hwy 27, 6 miles south of Black River Falls	Martin W. Torkelson
Jefferson	Aztalan Museum, N6284 Hwy Q, Tn. of Aztalan	Princess Burial Mound
Jefferson	In park, north off Hwy 12, just east of Cambridge	Lake Ripley – Ole Evinrude
Jefferson	Burnt Village Co. Park, Hwy N, 2 mi. SE of Ft. Atkinson	Black Hawk War Encampment “Burnt Village”
Jefferson	400 block of Milwaukee Avenue East, Fort Atkinson	Fort Koshkonong
Jefferson	Koshkonong Mounds Road, near Fort Atkinson	Lake Koshkonong Effigy Mounds
Jefferson	Blackhawk Island Road, Town of Summer	Lorine Niedecker
Jefferson	Hwy 106, western city limits of Fort Atkinson	Panther Intaglio
Jefferson	Iola Mills, 300 North Main St., Iola	Iola Mills
Jefferson	Rest Area #14, westbound 194	In Service to Their Country



## OFFICIAL HISTORICAL MARKERS IN WISCONSIN May 2015–Continued

County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Jefferson	3 miles east of Lake Mills on Hwy B, south on Hwy O	Aztalan State Park
Jefferson	Rest Area #13, eastbound 194, 1 mile east of Lake Mills	Drumlins
Jefferson	Bald Bluff Overlook, CTH H, 1 1/2 mi. S. of Palmyra	Black Hawk War Encampment
Jefferson	919 Charles St., Watertown	First Kindergarten
Jefferson	7 miles southeast of Watertown, Hwy 16	Highway Marking
Jefferson	Milwaukee Street at the Rock River, Watertown	Milwaukee Street Bridge
Jefferson	919 Charles Street, Watertown	Octagon House
Jefferson	One Main St. (at bridge), Watertown	Trail Discovery
Juneau	Hwy C, 0.5 mile east of Camp Douglas	Castle Rock
Juneau	Camp Williams, off 194	Wisconsin Military Reservation
Juneau	On the trail at the western edge of Elroy	Elroy-Sparta State Trail
Juneau	In village park, Hwy HH, Lyndon Station	Hop Raising
Juneau	Rest Area #10, westbound 190-94	The Sand Counties – Aldo Leopold Territory
Juneau	Rest Area #9, eastbound 190-94, near Mauston	The Wisconsin River
Juneau	Rest Area #9, eastbound 190-94, near Mauston	The Iron Brigade
Kenosha	Rest Area #126, 194	Cordelia A.P. Harvey
Kenosha	24th Ave. & 56th St., Kenosha	Auto Production in Kenosha
Kenosha	Hwy 31 eastbound at 95th St., Kenosha	Green Bay Ethnic Trail
Kenosha	Green Ridge Cemetery, 6604 Seventh Ave., Kenosha	John McCaffery Burial Site
Kenosha	6501 3rd Avenue, Kenosha	Kemper Hall
Kenosha	5117 – 4th Ave., Kenosha	Kenosha (Southport) Lighthouse
Kenosha	Library Park, Kenosha	Reuben Deming
Kenosha	Green Ridge Cemetery, 6604 Seventh Avenue, Kenosha	Revolutionary War Veterans
Kenosha	15620 12th St., Kenosha	Schaefer Mammoth Site
Kenosha	Hwy 32 at the southern edge of Kenosha	32nd Division Memorial Highway
Kenosha	Rest Area-Tourist Info. Ctr. #26, westbound 194, N of I11	The Name “Wisconsin”
Kenosha	SE corner of STHs 50, 75, and 83, Town of Salem	Brass Ball Corners
Kewaunee	Ferry yard, Kewaunee	Car-Ferry Service
La Crosse	Rest Area #15, eastbound 190	The Driftless Area
La Crosse	McGilvray Rd. Access, Van Loon State Wildlife Area	The McGilvray “Seven Bridges Road”
La Crosse	Halfway Creek Lutheran Church, 2.5 mi. E. of Holmen	Luther College
La Crosse	Bishop’s View Overlook, Hwy 33, 5 mi. E. of La Crosse	The Coulee Region
La Crosse	Rest Area #31, 194, French Island, La Crosse	Major General C.C. Washburn
La Crosse	La Crosse	Red Cloud Park
La Crosse	Corner of Front and State Streets, La Crosse	Spence Park
La Crosse	Rest Area-Tourist Info. Ctr. #31, 190, La Crosse	Upper Mississippi
La Crosse	Hwy 16 Valley View Mall entrance, just N. of Medary	Valley View Site
La Crosse	Neshonoc Cemetery, West Salem	Hamlin Garland
La Crosse	Swarthout Lakeside Park, Hwy 16, West Salem	Village of Neshonoc
Lafayette	First Capitol State Park, Hwy G, 4 mi. northwest of Belmont	Belmont-Wisconsin Territory 1836
Lafayette	First Capitol State Park, Hwy G, 4 mi. northwest of Belmont	Gov. Tommy G. Thompson’s 1998 Address at Wisconsin’s First Capitol
Lafayette	First Capitol State Park, Hwy G, 4 mi. northwest of Belmont	1998 Wisconsin Assembly (Sesquicentennial Marker)
Lafayette	Hwy 11, 1 mile west of Benton	Father Samuel Mazzuchelli
Lafayette	Intersection of Hwys F, 78, & Madison St., Blanchardville	Zarahemia – Predecessor of Blanchardville
Lafayette	101 S. Main St., Blanchardville	Zenas Gurley
Lafayette	Hwy 23, 5 miles south of Mineral Point	Fort Defiance
Lafayette	Hwy 11, 1 mile west of Shullsburg	Wisconsin Lead Region
Lafayette	Black Hawk Memorial Park, 2995 CTH-Y, Town of Wiota	Battle of Pecatonica
Langlade	Hwy 52, near junction with Hwy 64	Antigo Silt Loam, State Soil of Wisconsin
Langlade	Wayside, Hwy 45, 3 miles south of Antigo	Langlade County Forest, Wisconsin’s First County Forest
Langlade	Junction of Hwys 55 and 64, Langlade	De Langlade
Langlade	Hwy 55, 3.5 miles north of Lily at Wolf River	Old Military Road
Lincoln	715 E. 2nd St., Merrill	Merrill City Hall
Lincoln	Hwy 64 over the Prairie River – 200 W. First St., Merrill	Three Arch Stone Bridge
Manitowoc	CTH R, 1/2 mile N. of Schley Rd.	Rock Mill
Manitowoc	Rest Area #51, southbound I43, S. of Brown County line	Wisconsin’s Dairy Industry
Manitowoc	Rest Area #52, northbound I43, S. of Brown County line	Wisconsin’s Maritime Industries
Manitowoc	Lake Michigan Carferry Dock, 700 S. Lakeview Dr., Manitowoc	S. S. Badger/Manitowoc and the Car Ferries
Manitowoc	Mariner’s Park, S. 8th St., at the Manitowoc River	Manitowoc’s Maritime Heritage
Manitowoc	Manitowoc Maritime Museum, 75 Maritime Drive	Manitowoc Submarines
Manitowoc	Silver Lake Park, Hwy 151, west of Manitowoc	Winnebago Trail
Manitowoc	924 Pinecrest Lane, Manitowoc Rapids	Collins Road Bridge Span
Manitowoc	Pioneer Rd. and CTH XX, Meeme	Mceme Poll House
Manitowoc	St. Nazianz Village Hall, 228 W. Main St., St. Nazianz	George Washington School
Manitowoc	108 W. Birch, St. Nazianz	St. Nazianz
Manitowoc	Central Park, Two Rivers	Ice Cream Sundae
Manitowoc	Point Beach State Park, N. of Two Rivers on County O	Rawley Point Lighthouse
Manitowoc	Valders Memorial Park, Hwy J, Valders	Thorstein Veblen
Marathon	11248 Berlin Lane, Berlin Town Hall, Town of Berlin	Pomeranian Settlement in Marathon County
Marathon	Rothschild Pk., Grand Ave., Park & Kort Sts., Rothschild	Wisconsin’s 1st Home-Built Flying Machine
Marathon	UW-Marathon County campus, Wausau	The First Teachers’ Training School in Wisconsin
Marathon	Wayside, northbound Hwy 51, 1 mile south of Hwy 153	First Workers Compensation Policy
Marinette	Peshigo Cemetery, Oconto Avenue, Peshigo	Peshigo Fire Cemetery
Marinette	N2155 USH 141, Town of Pound	Lenora Road Schoolhouse

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County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Marinette	W2349 County JJ, Wausaukee	McAllister State Graded School
Marquette	Hwy 22, 8 miles south of Montello	John Muir Country
Marquette	Rest Area #82, Hwy 51, 4 miles north of Westfield	Korean War
Marquette	Westfield Town Hall, W 7703 Ember Ave. at 4th	Russell Flats
Menominee	Hwys 47 and 55, 5 miles north of Shawano	Menominee Reservation
Menominee	Hwy, 55, 2.5 miles north of Keshena	Spirit Rock
Milwaukee	8801 West Grange Avenue, Greendale	Wisconsin's Lime Industry
Milwaukee	8685 West Grange Avenue, Greendale	Jeremiah Curtin House
Milwaukee	6500 Northway, Greendale	Village of Greendale
Milwaukee	Junction of 108th St. and Cold Spring Rd., Greenfield	Cold Spring Road
Milwaukee	North of 11000 W. Beloit Rd., Root River Pky., Greenfield	Historic Root River/Root River Parkway
Milwaukee	92nd and Forest Home Ave., Greenfield	Janesville Plank Road
Milwaukee	7325 W. Forest Home Ave., Greenfield	Town of Greenfield
Milwaukee	Zillman Park, S. Kinnickinnic Ave., Milwaukee	Bay View's Immigrants
Milwaukee	South Superior Street and East Russell Ave., Milwaukee	Bay View's Rolling Mill
Milwaukee	Salem Lutheran Church, 6814 N. 107th St., Milwaukee	Birthplace of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod
Milwaukee	2000 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee	Captain Frederick Pabst
Milwaukee	Zeidler Park, 300 block of West Michigan St., Milwaukee	Carl Frederick Zeidler
Milwaukee	East Hartford & North Maryland Aves., UW-Milwaukee	Carl Sandburg Hall
Milwaukee	1756 North Prospect Avenue, Milwaukee	Civil War Camp
Milwaukee	Lobby, 700 West Virginia Street, Milwaukee	The Cream City
Milwaukee	Grounds of VA Hospital, Wood (Milwaukee)	Erastus B. Wolcott, M.D.
Milwaukee	Fourth Street and Kilbourn Avenue, Milwaukee	First African-American Church Built in Wisconsin
Milwaukee	Foot of East Michigan Street, Milwaukee	First Milwaukee Cargo Pier
Milwaukee	Layton Avenue, Milwaukee	General Mitchell Field
Milwaukee	Golda Meir Library on UW-Milwaukee campus	Golda Meir
Milwaukee	4th and State Streets, Milwaukee	Invention of the Typewriter
Milwaukee	Marquette Law School, 1103 W. WI Ave., Milwaukee	Mabel Wanda Raimey
Milwaukee	Civic Center, Milwaukee	MacArthur Square
Milwaukee	Merrill Park, 461 North 35th St., Milwaukee	Merrill Park
Milwaukee	Currie Park, Wauwatosa	Milwaukee County's First Airport
Milwaukee	East Hartford and North Downer Avenues, Milwaukee	Milwaukee-Downer College
Milwaukee	231 West Michigan Street, Milwaukee	Milwaukee Interurban Terminal, 1905-1951
Milwaukee	Zablocki VA Medical Center, Hwy 59	National Soldiers Home
Milwaukee	At the lighthouse in Lake Park, Milwaukee	North Point Lighthouse
Milwaukee	East North Avenue, Milwaukee	Old North Point Water Tower
Milwaukee	Wells and Edison Streets, Milwaukee	Oneida Street Station, T.M.E.R. and L. Co.
Milwaukee	144 East Wells Street, Milwaukee	Pabst Theater
Milwaukee	Cathedral Square Park, northeast corner, Milwaukee	Rescue of Joshua Glover
Milwaukee	North Avenue and Lake Drive, Milwaukee	Saint John's Infirmary
Milwaukee	North Lake Drive, Milwaukee	St. Mary's School of Nursing
Milwaukee	North Water and East Erie Streets, Milwaukee	Sinking of the <i>Lady Elgin</i>
Milwaukee	200 North Broadway, Milwaukee	Third Ward Fire
Milwaukee	Mitchell Hall, UW-Milwaukee, North Downer Avenue	The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Milwaukee	Miller Brewing Company, Milwaukee	Watertown Plank Road
Milwaukee	731 North Plankinton Ave., Milwaukee	Wisconsin Soldiers' Home 1864-1867
Milwaukee	100 East Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee	Wisconsin's Oldest Newspaper: <i>The Milwaukee Sentinel</i>
Milwaukee	3500 block on N. Oakland Ave., Shorewood	Lueddeman's On-the-River
Milwaukee	4145 N. Oakland Ave., Shorewood	Shorewood Armory
Milwaukee	1701 E. Capitol Drive, Shorewood	Shorewood High School
Milwaukee	3930 N. Murray Ave., Shorewood	Shorewood Village Hall
Milwaukee	909 Menomonee Ave., South Milwaukee	Lawson Airplane Company
Milwaukee	Wauwatosa Cemetery, 2405-2485 Wauwatosa Ave., Wauwatosa	Revolutionary War Veteran (Morgan)
Milwaukee	State Fair Park, Main Gate, West Allis	Camp Harvey
Milwaukee	In triangle at 57th, Hayes, and Fillmore, West Allis	Meadowmere
Milwaukee	State Fair Park, Main Gate, West Allis	Wisconsin State Fair Park
Monroe	Hwy 12, 4 miles west of Camp Douglas	Mesas and Buttes
Monroe	Rest Area #16, westbound 190, 5 miles east of Bangor	Coulee Country
Monroe	At the Kendall Depot, North Railroad Street, Kendall	Elroy-Sparta State Trail
Monroe	Old Leon School, 20638 Jameson Rd., Sparta	Donald "Deke" Slayton
Monroe	200 West Main Street, Sparta	Masonic Lodge
Monroe	112 South Court Street, Sparta	Monroe County Courthouse
Monroe	124 West Main Street, Sparta	Sparta Free Library
Monroe	123 West Main Street, Sparta	U.S. Post Office
Monroe	In park on Hwy 12, Tomah	Tomah
Oconto	Hwy F, 1.5 miles east of Lakewood	The Holt and Balcom Logging Camp No. 1
Oconto	Chicago and Main Streets, Oconto	First Church of Christ Scientist
Oconto	On Oconto River at Brazeau Avenue, Oconto	Mission of St. Francois Xavier
Oconto	Copper Culture State Park, Oconto	Old Copper Culture Cemetery
Oconto	1301 Main Street, Oconto	Stanley Toy Company
Oneida	Junction of CTH-B and CTH-Z, Pelican Lake	Mecikalski Stovedwood Building
Oneida	Oneida County Courthouse grounds, Rhinelander	First Rural Zoning Ordinance
Oneida	Hodag Park, Rhinelander	The Hodag
Oneida	W. edge of National Forest, off Hwy 32 E. of Three Lakes	Nicolet National Forest
Outagamie	807 South Oneida Street, Appleton	First Electric Street Railway

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County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Outagamie	700 Block of E. College Ave., Lawrence Univ., Appleton	The Merging of Milwaukee Downer and Lawrence Colleges
Outagamie	600 Vulcan Street, Appleton	World's First Hydroelectric Central Station
Outagamie	North of jct. Hwys BB and 45, 4 miles west of Appleton	South Greenville Grange No. 225
Outagamie	100 Vulcan Street, Appleton	Vulcan Street Plant Replica
Outagamie	Thelen Park, Kaukauna	Revolutionary War Veterans
Outagamie	Hwy 96, 0.1 mile west of Little Chute	Treaty of the Cedars
Outagamie	Beacon Avenue and Division Street, New London	Birthplace of the American Water Spaniel
Ozaukee	Intersection of CTHs R & C, Belgium	Wisconsin's Luxembourgers
Ozaukee	Columbia Rd. and Mequon Ave., Cedarburg	Cedar Creek
Ozaukee	City Hall, Washington Avenue, Cedarburg	Historic Cedarburg
Ozaukee	W62 N646 Washington Ave., Cedarburg	Interurban Bridge
Ozaukee	Doctor's Park, Washington Ave. and Mill St., Cedarburg	Washington Avenue Historic District
Ozaukee	Covered Bridge Road, 1 mile north of Five Corners	Last Covered Bridge
Ozaukee	Mequon City Hall, 11333 North Cedarburg Rd., Mequon	Wisconsin's German Settlers
Ozaukee	Leland Stanford Plaza (formerly 120 East Main Street), Port Washington	Leland Stanford
Ozaukee	Ozaukee County Courthouse, 121 West Main Street, Port Washington	Port Washington Civil War Draft Riots
Ozaukee	102 East Pier Street, Port Washington	Port Washington Fire Engine House
Ozaukee	108 N. Lake St., Port Washington	The Wisconsin Chair Company Fire
Ozaukee	Triangle Park and Green Bay Rd., Saukville	The Saukville Trails
Ozaukee	Entrance Wall, 250 S. Main St., Thiensville	Historic Thiensville
Ozaukee	Junction of Hwys F and M, 3 miles west of Thiensville	The Oldest Lutheran Church in Wisconsin
Ozaukee	Hwy 1, 0.5 mile east of Waubeka	Birthplace of Flag Day
Pepin	Washington Square, Durand	Pepin County Courthouse
Pepin	Hwy 35, 1 mile north of Stockholm	Maiden Rock
Pepin	Hwy 35, Pepin Park	Laura Ingalls Wilder
Pepin	Hwy 35, 3 miles northwest of Pepin	Site of Fort St. Antoine
Pierce	Hwy 35, 1 mile south of Hwy 63, southeast of Hager City	"Bow and Arrow"
Pierce	Hwy 35, 3 miles west of Maiden Rock	Lake Pepin
Pierce	Spring Pond Park, East Mill Rd., Plum City	Historic Plum City
Pierce	Hwy 65, 3 miles south of I94	Edgar Wilson Nye
Polk	Hwy 35, Luck	Danish Cooperative Company
Polk	City Park, St. Croix Falls	The Battle of St. Croix Falls
Polk	Interstate Park, St. Croix Falls	Gaylord Nelson
Polk	Interstate Park, Hwy 8, St. Croix Falls	State Park Movement in Wisconsin
Polk	Overlook Park, N. Washington (Main) St., St. Croix Falls	Where Are the Falls of the St. Croix?
Portage	County W, Buena Vista Marsh Wildlife Area	Wisconsin's Greater Prairie Chicken
Portage	Portage County Park, Hwy E, 3 miles south of Knowlton	Du Bay Trading Post
Portage	1700 block of Monroe St., Stevens Point	The Historic Southside Railroad Complex of Stevens Point
Price	Movrich Park, Willow Avenue, Town of Fifield	Historic Fifield
Price	Hwy 13, Phillips City Park, Phillips	Phillips Fire
Racine	Weimhoff-Jucker Park, Burlington	Mormons in Early Wisconsin
Racine	Hwy 31 at 5 Mile Rd., Town of Caledonia	Bohemian School House
Racine	936 South Main Street, Racine	The Blake House/Lucius Blake
Racine	Zoological Gardens, 2131 N. Main St., Racine	Northside Historic District of Cream Brick Cottages
Racine	Graceland and Mound Cemeteries, 1147 West Blvd., Racine	Soldiers of the American Revolution
Racine	Simonsen Park, Main & Fourteenth Sts., Racine	Southside Historic District
Racine	Hwy 11, western limits of Racine	The Spark
Racine	Racine Village Park, 4725 Lighthouse Dr., Racine	The Wind Point Lighthouse
Racine	1407 71st Drive, Union Grove	Revolutionary War Veteran
Racine	Heg Park Road, Waterford	Old Muskego
Richland	Boaz Park, Hwy 171, Boaz	Ocooch Mountains
Richland	Boaz Park, Hwy 171, Boaz	Richard M. Brewer
Richland	Wayside, Hwy 14, 1 mi. E. Gotham, Town of Buena Vista	The Pursuit West
Richland	Krouskop Park, 400 W. 6th St. (Hwy 14), Richland Center	Ada James
Richland	Krouskop Park, 400 W. 6th St. (Hwy 14), Richland Center	Birthplace of General Telephone and Electronics Corporation (GTE)
Richland	Hwy 14, 5 miles west of Richland Center	Boaz Mastodon
Richland	Pier County Park, Hwy 80, Rockbridge	Rockbridge
Richland	5 miles west of Richland Center on Hwy 14	Rural Electrification
Richland	Pier Co. Park, Hwy 80, Rockbridge	Troop Encampment
Rock	Beloit College campus, Beloit	Beloit College
Rock	Rock River Heritage Wky., Public Ave. & State St., Beloit	Black Hawk at Turtle Village
Rock	Tourist Info. Ctr. #22, westbound 190, south of Beloit	Black Hawk War
Rock	Rest Area-Tourist Information Center, westbound 190	Medal of Honor
Rock	Turtle Island, Riverside Park, Beloit	Roy Chapman Andrews
Rock	143 at 190, Beloit	Wisconsin's First Aviator
Rock	Hwy 140, 4 miles south of Clinton	Jefferson Prairie Settlement
Rock	11204 N. Church St., Cooksville	Historic Cooksville/Historic Waucoma
Rock	Mt. Philip Cemetery, west of Darien	Soldier of the American Revolution
Rock	Hwy 51, 0.5 miles south of Edgerton	Wisconsin's Tobacco Land
Rock	Black Allen Creek Bridge, 100 E. Main St., Evansville	CCC Veterans Memorial Bridge
Rock	Blackhawk Golf Course Clubhouse, 2100 Palmer, Janesville	The Black Hawk War/Black Hawk's Grove
Rock	NW corner of Delavan Dr. and Beloit Ave., Janesville	Burr Robins Circus
Rock	In Courthouse Park on S. Atwood Ave., Janesville	First State Fair, October 1-2, 1851

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County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Rock	Rock County Historical Society, 10 S. High St., Janesville	Janesville Tank Company
Rock	Rest Area #17, eastbound 190	Rock River Industry
Rock	Hwy 51, 3.8 miles south of Janesville	Route of Abraham Lincoln 1832 and 1859
Rock	18 South Janesville Street, Hwy 26, Milton	Milton House
Rock	On southwest bank of Storr's Lake, off Hwy 26, Milton	Storr's Lake, Milton
Rock	Beckman Mill Co. Park, Co. Rd. H, Town of Newark	How-Beckman Mill
Rock	Hwy J, Shopiere	Home of Governor Harvey
Rusk	Appolonia Cong. Church, Hwy 8 & Cemetery Rd., Bruce	Appolonia
Rusk	Hwy 8, Weyerhaeuser	Chippewa River and Menomonic Railway
St. Croix	Rest Area-Tourist Info. Ctr. #25, 194 east of Hudson	Brule-St. Croix Waterway
St. Croix	Hwy 35, 4.7 miles north of Hudson	St. Croix River
St. Croix	Campus Drive, Outlot #3, New Richmond	New Richmond Cyclone
Sauk	Devil's Lake State Park, S5975 Park Rd., Baraboo	Civilian Conservation Corps
Sauk	Hwy 33 at County U, 5 miles east of Baraboo	Lower Narrows
Sauk	Hwy 12, 1.5 miles south of Baraboo	Ringling Brothers Circus
Sauk	CTH A, near junction of Old County Hwy A and Dam Rd., Lake Delton	Lake Delton Catastrophe
Sauk	E8948 Diamond Hill Rd., North Freedom	Mid-Continent Railway Historical Society
Sauk	Reedsburg Area Historical Park, 3 mi. E. of Reedsburg	Clare A. Briggs, Cartoonist
Sauk	State Hwy 136, 0.75 mi. N of STH 154, Rock Springs	Van Hise Rock
Sauk	Derleth Park, Water Street, Sauk City	August W. Derleth
Sauk	Hwy 12, 5 miles northwest of Sauk City	The Baraboo Range
Sauk	Lower WI Riverway, Hwy 78, 2 mi. N. of Sauk City	Battle of Wisconsin Heights
Sauk	Lower WI Riverway, Hwy 60, 2 mi. E. of Spring Green	Western Escape
Sauk	Hwy A, 1.5 miles south of Wisconsin Dells	Dawn Manor – Site of Lost City of Newport
Sauk	Hwy 16, 0.1 mile west of Wisconsin Dells	Wisconsin Dells
Sawyer	Hwys 70 and 27, Couderay	Court Oreilles
Sawyer	Hwys 27 and 70, 7 miles west of Couderay	Radisson-Groseilliers
Sawyer	Hermans Landing, Cty Rd CC, at bridge, Hayward	The Chippewa Flowage
Sawyer	Lac Courte Oreilles Reservation, 13891 W. Mission Rd.	St. Francis Solanus Indian Mission
Sawyer	Hwy 27, 5.5 miles south of Hayward	Nomeagouan-Court Oreilles Portage
Sawyer	Hwy W, 6.75 miles southeast of Winter	John Deitz, "Battle of Cameron Dam"
Shawano	Hwy 22, 3.5 miles east of Shawano	Shawano
Shawano	Hwy 45 at city limits of Wittenberg	Homme Homes
Sheboygan	50 South Main Street, Cedar Grove	Early Dutch Settlers in Wisconsin
Sheboygan	Lake Street Café Beer Garden, N. of Vil. of Elkhart Lake	Elkhart Lake – Road Race Circuits
Sheboygan	Hwy 23, in the Park at Greenbush, 6 mi. W. of Plymouth	Old Wade House State Park
Sheboygan	Memorial Park, Cedar Grove, 3 miles south of Oostburg	Dutch Settlement
Sheboygan	Heritage House Triangle Pk., Ctr. & N. 10th Sts., Oostburg	Historic Oostburg
Sheboygan	Greenleaf Historic Park, 900 Short Street, Random Lake	Nowack House
Sheboygan	Sheboygan North Point Park, North Point Dr., Sheboygan	The <i>Phoenix</i> Tragedy
Sheboygan	Wildwood Cemetery, 2026 New Jersey Ave., Sheboygan	Revolutionary War Veteran (David Waldo)
Sheboygan	Center Avenue and North Water Street, Sheboygan	Seils-Sterling Circus
Sheboygan	9th Street and Panther Avenue, Sheboygan	Sheboygan Indian Mound Park
Sheboygan	1138 Union Ave., Sheboygan	Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1230
Sheboygan	Rochester Inn, 504 Water St., Sheboygan Falls	Cole Historic District
Sheboygan	Sheboygan River Dam, Broadway St., Sheboygan Falls	Downtown Sheboygan Falls Historic District
Taylor	Hwy 102, Rib Lake	Rib Lake Lumber Company
Taylor	Hwy 102, 5 miles northeast of Rib Lake	Rustic Road
Trempealeau	Hwy 53, 1.5 miles southeast of Galesville	Decorah Peak
Trempealeau	Junction of East Gale Avenue and Main Street, Galesville	Downtown Galesville Historic District
Trempealeau	STH 53 over Beaver Creek, Galesville	Galesville Bridge
Trempealeau	North of Main Hall, College Ave., Galesville	Galesville College
Trempealeau	Junction of West Ridge Ave. and Sixth St. near Cance Park, Galesville	Ridge Avenue Historic District
Trempealeau	Rest Area #5, eastbound 194, 2 miles southeast of Osseo	Winnebago Indians
Trempealeau	Great River State Tr., Hwy 35, 0.5 mi. E. of Trempealeau	The Mississippi River Parkway: First Project
Trempealeau	Perrot State Park	Brady's Bluff
Trempealeau	Perrot State Park, off Hwy 93	Perrot's Post
Vernon	Hwy 14, 0.5 mile west of Coon Valley	Nation's First Watershed Project
Vernon	Hwy 35, 2.5 miles north of De Soto	Battle of Bad Axe
Vernon	Hwy 35, 2 miles north of De Soto	Chief Win-no-shik, the Elder
Vernon	Hwy 35, Genoa	Dams on the Mississippi
Vernon	In power plant parking lot, west side of Hwy 35, Genoa	Wisconsin's First Nuclear-Fueled Generating Station
Vernon	Hwy 33, 0.1 mile west of Hillsboro	Admiral Marc A. Mitscher
Vernon	Hillsboro Lake Park, 300 Water Ave. at Hwys 80, 82, 33, Hillsboro	Admiral American Settlers of the Cheyenne Valley
Vernon	Hwy 14, 0.5 mile north of Viroqua	Governor Rusk
Vernon	City Hall, 202 N. Main St., Viroqua	Viroqua's First Settler
Vilas	Hwy M, 6 miles south of Boulder Junction	First Forest Patrol Flight
Vilas	Trout Lake Nursery, Hwy M	Forest Restoration – The Beginning
Vilas	Hwy 47, Flambeau Lake	Lac du Flambeau
Vilas	Lac Vieux Desert Park, West Shore Dr. near Land O'Lakes	Lac Vieux Desert
Vilas	Hwys 32 and 45, 0.5 mile south of Land O'Lakes	32nd Division Memorial Highway
Vilas	Hwy 45, 1.5 miles south of Land O'Lakes	Wisconsin River Headwaters
Vilas	Sayner Park, Sayner	Snowmobile
Walworth	Village Park, Allen Grove, on Hwy X, 3 mi. SW of Darien	Allen Family
Walworth	City of Delavan Parking Lot, 218 South 7th St., Delavan	Birthplace of "The Greatest Show on Earth"



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County	Location/Nearest Community	Subject
Walworth	Horton Park, Hwy 11 in Delavan	Delavan's Circus Colony
Walworth	Tower Park, Walworth Ave., Delavan	Delavan's Historic Brick Street
Walworth	Grounds of State School for the Deaf, Hwy 11, Delavan	Wisconsin's First School for Deaf
Walworth	300 Church Street, East Troy	East Troy Railroad
Walworth	Veterans Memorial Park, Hwy 12, Genoa City	First Swedish Settlers in Wisconsin
Walworth	Hwy BB, 3.5 miles south of Lake Geneva	Wisconsin's First 4-H Club
Walworth	Oak Grove Cemetery, East Main Street, Whitewater	Revolutionary War Veterans
Walworth	Hwy 67 Industrial Park, N3440 STH 67 Williams Bay	755 Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron
Washburn	Hwy 70, 0.5 mile east of Spooner	Yellow River
Washburn	Junction of Hwys 53 and 63, Trego	Namekagon River
Washington	Dheinsville Park, Holy Hill Rd., Germantown	Dheinsville Settlement
Washington	Chandelier Ballroom, 700 South Main Street, Hartford	The Schwartz Ballroom
Washington	Hwy 83, Hartford	"Kissel"
Washington	South side of Hwy 33, 550 feet west of jct. with Hwy 144	Great Divide
Washington	At the park, Hwy A, E. of Hwy 144, NW of West Bend	Lizard Mound County Park
Washington	Riverside Park, West Bend	The West Bend Aluminum Company
Waukesha	408 Main St., Delafield	Delafield Fish Hatchery
Waukesha	Southern Kettle Moraine State Forest, County C, Delafield	Lapham Peak
Waukesha	Mission Road at Mill Road, west of Delafield	Nashotah Mission
Waukesha	1101 North Genesee Street, Delafield	St. John's Northwestern Military Academy
Waukesha	Hwy 18, near Dousman	Masonic Home
Waukesha	Main Street, Lannon	Lannon Stone
Waukesha	N51 W34922 Wisconsin Ave., Okauchee	Historic Okauchee
Waukesha	Carroll College campus, Waukesha	Carroll College
Waupaca	Municipal Airport, Clintonville	Birthplace of an Airline
Waupaca	Walter Olen Park, Clintonville	Four-Wheel Drive
Waupaca	Marden Memorial Center, WI Veterans Home, King	General Charles King
Waupaca	Marden Memorial Center, WI Veterans Home, King	Grand Army Home
Waupaca	Triangle Park, Jct. of Hwy 22 with 110 and Hwy B, Manawa	Melvin O. Handrich – Medal of Honor Recipient
Waupaca	Hwy 110, 3.5 miles south of Marion	Chief Waupaca
Waushara	County J, 2 miles south of Almond	Sir Henry Wellcome
Waushara	State Hwy 49, Auroraville	The Auroraville Fountain
Waushara	6th Ave., Town of Hancock	Whistler Mound Group and Enclosure
Winnebago	9088 Clayton Avenue, Town of Menasha	Fox-Irish Cemetery
Winnebago	Menasha Hotel, Main and Mills Streets, Menasha	Wisconsin Central Railroad
Winnebago	Fritsie Park, Menasha	Butte des Morts
Winnebago	Interior walkway, 135 W. Wisconsin Ave., Neenah	Wisconsin Avenue Commercial Historic District
Winnebago	Scott Park, 515 E. Main St., Omro	Historic Omro
Winnebago	1619 Oshkosh Avenue, Oshkosh	Coles Bashford House
Winnebago	Oshkosh Public Museum, 1331 Algoma Blvd., Oshkosh	Edgar Sawyer House
Winnebago	Rainbow Park, Oshkosh	Knaggs Ferry
Winnebago	Wittman Field Airport, 20th Street Road, Oshkosh	S.J. Wittman
Winnebago	UW-Oshkosh campus, Oshkosh	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh
Winnebago	Town of Winchester Cemetery, 1 mi. SW of Winchester	Samuel N. Rogers, Sr., American Revolutionary Soldier
Winnebago	Hwy B, west of Winneconne	Poygan Paygrounds
Wood	Wayside #4, junction of Hwys 10 and 13	Prisoners of War
Wood	West 100 Block of North Central Ave., Marshfield	Founder's Square
Wood	Riverside Park, Hwys 54 and 73, Nekoosa	Point Basse
Wood	Hwy 54, 5 miles west of Port Edwards	Cranberry Culture
Wood	Hwys 54 and 73, southern city limits of Wisconsin Rapids	Centralia Pulp and Paper Mill
Wood	South Wood County Historical Museum, 540 3rd Street S, Wisconsin Rapids	Myron "Grim" Natwick

Sources: State Historical Society of Wisconsin, Historical Markers Council, *A Guide to Wisconsin Historical Markers*, 1982; Division of Historic Preservation, departmental data, June 2015.

## WISCONSIN VOTE IN PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS 1848 – 2012

**Key:**

A – American (Know Nothing)	LR – Liberal Republican	Soc – Socialist
AFC – America First Coalition	NA – New Alliance	SocUSA – Socialist Party USA
Cit – Citizens	Nat – National	SoD – Southern Democrat
Com – Communist	ND – National Democrat	SPW – Socialist Party of Wis.
Con – Constitution	NER – National Economic Recovery	SW – Socialist Worker
CU – Constitutional Union	NL – Natural Law	Tax – U.S. Taxpayers
D – Democrat	Pop – Populist	TBL – The Better Life
ER – Independents for Economic Recovery	PP – People’s (Populist)	3rd – Third Party
FS – Free Soil	Prog – People’s Progressive	U – Union
G – Greenback	R – Republican	UL – Union Labor
Gr – Grassroots	Rfm – Reform	USL – U.S. Labor
Gm – Green	SD – Social Democrat	W – Whig
Ind – Independent	SE – Socialist Equality	WG – Wisconsin Greens
IP – Ind. Progressive	SL – Socialist Labor	WIA – Wis. Independent Alliance
IS – Ind. Socialist	S&L – Party for Socialism and Liberation	Workers – Workers
ISL – Ind. Socialist Labor		WtP – We, the People
ISW – Ind. Socialist Worker		WW – Worker’s World
LF – Labor-Farm/Laborista-Agrario		
Lib – Libertarian		

Note: The party designation listed for a candidate is taken from the Congressional Quarterly *Guide to U.S. Elections*. A candidate whose party did not receive 1% of the vote for a statewide office in the previous election or who failed to meet the alternative requirement of Section 5.62, Wisconsin Statutes, must be listed on the Wisconsin ballot as “independent”. In this listing, candidates whose party affiliations appear as “Ind”, followed by a party designation, were identified on the ballot simply as “independent” although they also provided a party designation or statement of principle.

Under the Electoral College system, each state is entitled to electoral votes equal in number to its total congressional delegation of U.S. Senators and U.S. Representatives.

<b>1848 (4 electoral votes)</b>			
Lewis Cass (D)	15,001		
Zachary Taylor (W)	13,747		
Martin Van Buren (FS)	10,418		
TOTAL	39,166		
<b>1852 (5 electoral votes)</b>			
Franklin Pierce (D)	33,658		
Winfield Scott (W)	22,210		
John P. Hale (FS)	8,814		
TOTAL	64,682		
<b>1856 (5 electoral votes)</b>			
John C. Fremont (R)	66,090		
James Buchanan (D)	52,843		
Millard Fillmore (A)	579		
TOTAL	119,512		
<b>1860 (5 electoral votes)</b>			
Abraham Lincoln (R)	86,113		
Stephen A. Douglas (D)	65,021		
John C. Breckinridge (SoD)	888		
John Bell (CU)	161		
TOTAL	152,183		
<b>1864 (8 electoral votes)</b>			
Abraham Lincoln (R)	83,458		
George B. McClellan (D)	65,884		
TOTAL	149,342		
<b>1868 (8 electoral votes)</b>			
Ulysses S. Grant (R)	108,857		
Horatio Seymour (D)	84,707		
TOTAL	193,564		
<b>1872 (10 electoral votes)</b>			
Ulysses S. Grant (R)	104,994		
Horace Greeley (D & LR)	86,477		
Charles O’Conor (D)	834		
TOTAL	192,305		
<b>1876 (10 electoral votes)</b>			
Rutherford B. Hayes (R)	130,668		
Samuel J. Tilden (D)	123,927		
Peter Cooper (G)	1,509		
Green Clay Smith (Proh)	27		
TOTAL	256,131		
<b>1880 (10 electoral votes)</b>			
James A. Garfield (R)	144,398		
Winfield S. Hancock (D)	114,644		
James B. Weaver (G)	7,986		
John W. Phelps (A)	91		
Neal Dow (Proh)	68		
TOTAL	267,187		
<b>1884 (11 electoral votes)</b>			
James G. Blaine (R)	161,157		
Grover Cleveland (D)	146,477		
John P. St. John (Proh)	7,656		
Benjamin F. Butler (G)	4,598		
TOTAL	319,888		
<b>1888 (11 electoral votes)</b>			
Benjamin Harrison (R)	176,553		
Grover Cleveland (D)	155,232		
Clinton B. Fisk (UL)	14,277		
Alson J. Streeter (Proh)	8,552		
TOTAL	354,614		
<b>1892 (12 electoral votes)</b>			
Grover Cleveland (D)	177,325		
Benjamin Harrison (R)	171,101		
John Bidwell (Proh)	13,136		
James B. Weaver (People’s)	10,019		
TOTAL	371,581		
<b>1896 (12 electoral votes)</b>			
William McKinley (R)	268,135		
William J. Bryan (D)	165,523		
Joshua Levering (Proh)	7,507		
John M. Palmer (ND)	4,584		
Charles H. Matchett (SL)	1,314		
Charles E. Bentley (Nat)	346		
TOTAL	447,409		
<b>1900 (12 electoral votes)</b>			
William McKinley (R)	265,760		
William J. Bryan (D)	159,163		
John G. Woolley (Proh)	10,027		
Eugene V. Debs (SD)	7,048		
Joseph F. Malloney (SL)	503		
TOTAL	442,501		
<b>1904 (13 electoral votes)</b>			
Theodore Roosevelt (R)	280,164		
Alton B. Parker (D)	124,107		
Eugene V. Debs (SD)	28,220		
Silas C. Swallow (Proh)	9,770		
Thomas E. Watson (People’s)	530		
Charles H. Corregan (SL)	223		
TOTAL	443,014		
<b>1908 (13 electoral votes)</b>			
William H. Taft (R)	247,747		
William J. Bryan (D)	166,632		
Eugene V. Debs (SD)	28,164		
Eugene W. Chafin (Proh)	11,564		
August Gillhaus (SL)	314		
TOTAL	454,421		

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<b>1912</b> (13 electoral votes)		<b>1948</b> (12 electoral votes)	
Woodrow Wilson (D)	164,230	Harry S Truman (D)	647,310
William H. Taft (R)	130,596	Thomas Dewey (R)	590,959
Theodore Roosevelt (Prog)	62,448	Henry Wallace (PP)	25,282
Eugene V. Debs (SD)	33,476	Norman Thomas (Soc.)	12,547
Eugene W. Chafin (Proh)	8,584	Edward Teichert (Ind)	399
Arthur E. Reimer (SL)	632	Farrell Dobbs (ISW)	303
TOTAL	399,966	TOTAL	1,276,800
<b>1916</b> (13 electoral votes)		<b>1952</b> (12 electoral votes)	
Charles E. Hughes (R)	220,822	Dwight D. Eisenhower (R)	979,744
Woodrow Wilson (D)	191,363	Adlai E. Stevenson (D)	622,175
Allan Benson (Soc)	27,631	Vincent Hallinan (IP)	2,174
J. Frank Hanly (Proh)	7,318	Farrell Dobbs (ISW)	1,350
TOTAL	447,134	Darlington Hoopes (IS)	1,157
<b>1920</b> (13 electoral votes)		<b>1956</b> (12 electoral votes)	
Warren G. Harding (R)	498,576	Dwight D. Eisenhower (R)	954,844
James M. Cox (D)	113,422	Adlai E. Stevenson (D)	586,768
Eugene V. Debs (Soc)	80,635	T. Coleman Andrews (Ind Con)	6,918
Aaron S. Watkins (Proh)	8,647	Darlington Hoopes (Ind Soc)	754
TOTAL	701,280	Eric Hass (Ind SL)	710
<b>1924</b> (13 electoral votes)		<b>1960</b> (12 electoral votes)	
Robert M. La Follette (Prog)	453,678	Richard M. Nixon (R)	895,175
Calvin Coolidge (R)	311,614	John F. Kennedy (D)	830,805
John W. Davis (D)	68,096	Farrell Dobbs (Ind SW)	1,792
William Z. Foster (Workers)	3,834	Eric Hass (Ind SL)	1,310
Herman P. Faris (Proh)	2,918	TOTAL	1,729,082
TOTAL	840,140	<b>1964</b> (12 electoral votes)	
<b>1928</b> (13 electoral votes)		Lyndon B. Johnson (D)	
Herbert Hoover (R)	544,205	1,050,424	
Alfred E. Smith (D)	450,259	Barry M. Goldwater (R)	
Norman Thomas (Soc)	18,213	638,495	
William F. Varney (Proh)	2,245	Clifton DeBerry (Ind SW)	
William Z. Foster (Workers)	1,528	1,692	
Verne L. Reynolds (SL)	381	Eric Hass (Ind SL)	
TOTAL	1,016,831	1,204	
<b>1932</b> (12 electoral votes)		<b>1968</b> (12 electoral votes)	
Franklin D. Roosevelt (D)	707,410	Richard M. Nixon (R)	
Herbert Hoover (R)	347,741	809,997	
Norman Thomas (Soc)	53,379	Hubert H. Humphrey (D)	
William Z. Foster (Com)	3,112	748,804	
William D. Uphaw (Proh)	2,672	George C. Wallace (Ind A)	
Verne L. Reynolds (SL)	494	127,835	
TOTAL	1,114,808	Henning A. Blomen (Ind SL)	
<b>1936</b> (12 electoral votes)		1,338	
Franklin D. Roosevelt (D)	802,984	Frederick W. Halstead (Ind SW)	
Alfred M. Landon (R)	380,828	1,222	
William Lemke (U)	60,297	TOTAL	
Norman Thomas (Soc)	10,626	1,689,196	
Earl Browder (Com)	2,197	<b>1972</b> (11 electoral votes)	
David L. Calvin (Proh)	1,071	Richard M. Nixon (R)	
John W. Aiken (SL)	557	898,430	
TOTAL	1,258,560	George S. McGovern (D)	
<b>1940</b> (12 electoral votes)		810,174	
Franklin D. Roosevelt (D)	704,821	John G. Schmitz (A)	
Wendell Willkie (R)	679,206	47,525	
Norman Thomas (Soc)	15,071	Benjamin M. Spock (Ind Pop)	
Earl Browder (Com)	2,394	2,701	
Roger Babson (Proh)	2,148	Louis Fisher (Ind SL)	
John W. Aiken (SL)	1,882	998	
TOTAL	1,405,522	Gus Hall (Ind Com)	
<b>1944</b> (12 electoral votes)		663	
Thomas Dewey (R)	674,532	Evelyn Reed (Ind SW)	
Franklin D. Roosevelt (D)	650,413	506	
Norman Thomas (Soc)	13,205	TOTAL	
Edward Teichert (Ind)	1,002	1,851,997	
TOTAL	1,339,152	<b>1976</b> (11 electoral votes)	
		Jimmy Carter (D)	
		1,040,232	
		Gerald R. Ford (R)	
		1,004,987	
		Eugene J. McCarthy (Ind)	
		34,943	
		Lester Maddox (A)	
		8,552	
		Frank P. Zeidler (Ind Soc)	
		4,298	
		Roger L. MacBride (Ind Lib)	
		3,814	
		Peter Camejo (Ind SW)	
		1,691	
		Margaret Wright (Ind Pop)	
		943	
		Gus Hall (Ind Com)	
		749	
		Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. (Ind USL)	
		738	
		Jules Levin (Ind SL)	
		389	
		TOTAL	
		2,104,175	

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<b>1980 (11 electoral votes)</b>		<b>1996 (11 electoral votes)</b>	
Ronald Reagan (R)	1,088,845	Bill Clinton (D)	1,071,971
Jimmy Carter (D)	981,584	Bob Dole (R)	845,029
John Anderson (Ind)	160,657	Ross Perot (Rfm)	227,339
Ed Clark (Ind Lib)	29,135	Ralph Nader (Ind WG)	28,723
Barry Commoner (Ind Cit)	7,767	Howard Phillips (Tax)	8,811
John Rarick (Ind Con)	1,519	Harry Browne (Lib)	7,929
David McReynolds (Ind Soc)	808	John Hagelin (Ind NL)	1,379
Gus Hall (Ind Com)	772	Monica Mooerhead (Ind WW)	1,333
Deidre Griswold (Ind WW)	414	Mary Cal Hollis (Ind Soc)	848
Clifton DeBerry (Ind SW)	383	James E. Harris (Ind SW)	483
TOTAL	2,273,221	TOTAL	2,196,169
<b>1984 (11 electoral votes)</b>		<b>2000 (11 electoral votes)</b>	
Ronald Reagan (R)	1,198,800	Al Gore (D)	1,242,987
Walter F. Mondale (D)	995,847	George W. Bush (R)	1,237,279
David Bergland (Lib)	4,884	Ralph Nader (WG)	94,070
Bob Richards (Con)	3,864	Pat Buchanan (Ind Rfm)	11,446
Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. (Ind)	3,791	Harry Browne (Lib)	6,640
Sonia Johnson (Ind Cit)	1,456	Howard Phillips (Con)	2,042
Dennis L. Serrette (Ind WIA)	1,007	Monica G. Moorehead (Ind WW)	1,063
Larry Holmes (Ind WW)	619	John Hagelin (Ind Rfm)	878
Gus Hall (Ind Com)	597	James Harris (Ind SW)	306
Melvin T. Mason (Ind SW)	445	TOTAL	2,598,607
TOTAL	2,212,018	<b>2004 (10 electoral votes)</b>	
<b>1988 (11 electoral votes)</b>		John F. Kerry (D)	1,489,504
Michael S. Dukakis (D)	1,126,794	George W. Bush (R)	1,478,120
George Bush (R)	1,047,499	Ralph Nader (Ind TBL)	16,390
Ronald Paul (Ind Lib)	5,157	Michael Badnarik (Lib)	6,464
David E. Duke (Ind Pop)	3,056	David Cobb (WG)	2,661
James Warren (Ind SW)	2,574	Walter F. Brown (Ind SPW)	471
Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. (Ind NER)	2,302	James Harris (Ind SW)	411
Lenora B. Fulani (Ind NA)	1,953	TOTAL	2,997,007
TOTAL	2,191,612	<b>2008 (10 electoral votes)</b>	
<b>1992 (11 electoral votes)</b>		Barack Obama (D)	1,677,211
Bill Clinton (D)	1,041,066	John McCain (R)	1,262,393
George Bush (R)	930,855	Ralph Nader (Ind)	17,605
Ross Perot (Ind)	544,479	Bob Barr (Lib)	8,858
Andre Marrou (Lib)	2,877	Chuck Baldwin (Ind Con)	5,072
James Gritz (Ind AFC)	2,311	Cynthia McKinney (WG)	4,216
Ron Daniels (LF)	1,883	Jeffrey J. Wamboldt (Ind WtP)	764
Howard Phillips (Ind Tax)	1,772	Brian Moore (Ind Soc USA)	540
J. Quinn Brisben (Ind Soc)	1,211	Gloria La Riva (Ind S&L)	237
John Hagelin (NL)	1,070	TOTAL	2,983,417
Lenora B. Fulani (Ind NA)	654	<b>2012 (10 electoral votes)</b>	
Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. (Ind ER)	633	Barack Obama (D)	1,620,985
Jack Herer (Ind Gr)	547	Mitt Romney (R)	1,407,966
Eugene A. Hem (3rd)	405	Gary Johnson (Ind Lib)	20,439
James Warren (Ind SW)	390	Jill Stein (Ind Grn)	7,665
TOTAL	2,531,114	Virgil Goode (Con)	4,930
		Jerry White (Ind SE)	553
		Gloria La Riva (Ind S&L)	526
		TOTAL	3,068,434

Note: Some totals include scattered votes for other candidates.

Sources: Official records of the Government Accountability Board, Elections Division and Congressional Quarterly, *Guide to U.S. Elections*, 1994.



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Key:

A – American	ISL – Independent Socialist Labor	Proh – Prohibition
C – Conservative	ISW – Independent Socialist Worker	R – Republican
Com – Communist	IW – Independent Worker	Soc – Socialist
Con – Constitution	L – Labor	SD – Social Democrat
D – Democrat	LF – Labor-Farm/Laborista-Agrario	SDA – Social Democrat of America
DS – Democratic Socialist	Lib – Libertarian	SL – Socialist Labor
G – Greenback	Nat – National	SW – Socialist Worker
Ind – Independent	NR – National Republic	Tax – U.S. Taxpayers
IC – Independent Communist	Peop – People's	U – Union
ID – Independent Democrat	Peop's – People's (Populist)	UL – Union Labor
IL – Independent Labor	PLS – Progressive Labor Socialist	W – Whig
IP – Independent Prohibition	PP – People's Progressive	WG – Wisconsin Green
IPR – Independent Prohibition Republic	Prog – Progressive	

Note: A candidate whose party did not receive 1% of the vote for a statewide office in the previous election or who failed to meet the alternative requirement of Section 5.62, Wisconsin Statutes, is listed on the Wisconsin ballot as "independent".

When a candidate's party affiliation is listed as "independent" and a party designation is shown in italics, "independent" was the official ballot listing, but a party designation was found by the Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau in newspaper reports.

<b>1848</b>	
Nelson Dewey (D) <sup>1</sup>	19,875
John Hubbard Tweedy (W) <sup>2</sup>	14,621
Charles Durkee (Ind) <sup>1</sup>	1,134
TOTAL	35,309
<b>1849</b>	
Nelson Dewey (D)	16,649
Alexander L. Collins (W)	11,317
Warren Chase (Ind)	3,761
TOTAL	31,759
<b>1851</b>	
Leonard James Farwell (W)	22,319
Don Alonzo Joshua Upham (D)	21,812
TOTAL	44,190
<b>1853</b>	
William Augustus Barstow (D)	30,405
Edward Dwight Holton (R)	21,886
Henry Samuel Baird (W)	3,304
TOTAL	55,683
<b>1855</b>	
William Augustus Barstow (D) <sup>2</sup>	36,355
Coles Bashford (R)	36,198
TOTAL	72,598
<b>1857</b>	
Alexander William Randall (R)	44,693
James B. Cross (D)	44,239
TOTAL	90,058
<b>1859</b>	
Alexander William Randall (R)	59,999
Harrison Carroll Hobart (D)	52,539
TOTAL	112,755
<b>1861</b>	
Louis Powell Harvey (R)	53,777
Benjamin Ferguson (D)	45,456
TOTAL	99,258
<b>1863</b>	
James Taylor Lewis (R)	72,717
Henry L. Palmer (D)	49,053
TOTAL	122,029
<b>1865</b>	
Lucius Fairchild (R)	58,332
Harrison Carroll Hobart (D)	48,330
TOTAL	106,674
<b>1867</b>	
Lucius Fairchild (R)	73,637
John J. Tallmadge (D)	68,873
TOTAL	142,522
<b>1869</b>	
Lucius Fairchild (R)	69,502
Charles D. Robinson (D)	61,239
TOTAL	130,781
<b>1871</b>	
Cadwallader Colden Washburn (R)	78,301
James Rood Doolittle (D)	68,910
TOTAL	147,274
<b>1873</b>	
William Robert Taylor (D)	81,599
Cadwallader Colden Washburn (R)	66,224
TOTAL	147,856

<b>1875</b>	
Harrison Ludington (R)	85,155
William Robert Taylor (D)	84,314
TOTAL	170,070
<b>1877</b>	
William E. Smith (R)	78,759
James A. Mallory (D)	70,486
Edward Phelps Allis (G)	26,216
Collin M. Campbell (Soc)	2,176
TOTAL	178,122
<b>1879</b>	
William E. Smith (R)	100,535
James G. Jenkins (D)	75,030
Reuben May (G)	12,996
TOTAL	189,005
<b>1881</b>	
Jeremiah McLain Rusk (R)	81,754
N.D. Fratt (D)	69,797
T.D. Kanouse (Proh)	13,225
Edward Phelps Allis (G)	7,002
TOTAL	171,856
<b>1884</b>	
Jeremiah McLain Rusk (R)	163,214
N.D. Fratt (D)	143,945
Samuel Dexter Hastings (Proh)	8,545
William L. Utley (G)	4,274
TOTAL	319,997
<b>1886</b>	
Jeremiah McLain Rusk (R)	133,247
Gilbert Motier Woodward (D)	114,529
John Cochrane (People's)	21,467
John Myers Olin (Proh)	17,089
TOTAL	286,368
<b>1888</b>	
William Dempster Hoard (R)	175,696
James Morgan (D)	155,423
E.G. Durant (Proh)	14,373
D. Frank Powell (L)	9,196
TOTAL	354,714
<b>1890</b>	
George Wilbur Peck (D)	160,388
William Dempster Hoard (R)	132,068
Charles Alexander (Proh)	11,246
Reuben May (UL)	5,447
TOTAL	309,254
<b>1892</b>	
George Wilbur Peck (D)	178,095
John Coit Spooner (R)	170,497
Thomas C. Richmond (Proh)	13,185
C.M. Butt (People's)	9,638
TOTAL	371,559
<b>1894</b>	
William H. Upham (R)	196,150
George Wilbur Peck (D)	142,250
D. Frank Powell (People's)	25,604
John F. Cleghorn (Proh)	11,240
TOTAL	375,449

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<b>1896</b>			<b>1918</b>	
Edward Scofield (R)	264,981	Emanuel Lorenz Philipp (R)	155,799	
Willis C. Silverthorn (D)	169,257	Henry A. Moehlenpach (D)	112,576	
Joshua H. Berkey (Proh)	8,140	Emil Seidel (SD)	57,523	
Christ Tutthrop (SL)	1,306	William C. Dean (Proh)	5,296	
Robert Henderson (Nat)	407	TOTAL	331,582	
TOTAL	444,110	<b>1920</b>		
<b>1898</b>		John James Blaine (R)	366,247	
Edward Scofield (R)	173,137	Robert McCoy (D)	247,746	
Hiram Wilson Sawyer (D)	135,353	William Coleman (Soc)	71,126	
Albinus A. Worsley (People's)	8,518	Henry H. Tubbs (Proh)	6,047	
Eugene Wilder Chafin (Proh)	8,078	TOTAL	691,294	
Howard Tuttle (SDA)	2,544	<b>1922</b>		
Henry Riiese (SL)	1,473	John James Blaine (R)	367,929	
TOTAL	329,430	Arthur A. Bentley (ID)	51,061	
<b>1900</b>		Louis A. Arnold (Soc)	39,570	
Robert Marion La Follette (R)	264,419	M.L. Welles (Proh)	21,438	
Louis G. Bomrich (D)	160,674	Arthur A. Dietrich (ISL)	1,444	
J. Burritt Smith (Proh)	9,707	TOTAL	481,828	
Howard Tuttle (SD)	6,590	<b>1924</b>		
Frank R. Wilke (SL)	509	John James Blaine (R)	412,255	
TOTAL	441,900	Martin L. Lueck (D)	317,550	
<b>1902</b>		William F. Quick (Soc)	45,268	
Robert Marion La Follette (R)	193,417	Adolph R. Bucknam (Proh)	11,516	
David Stuart Rose (D)	145,818	Severi Alanne (IW)	4,107	
Emil Seidel (SD)	15,970	Farrand K. Shuttleworth (IPR)	4,079	
Edwin W. Drake (Proh)	9,647	Jose Snover (SL)	1,452	
Henry E.D. Puck (SL)	791	TOTAL	796,432	
TOTAL	365,676	<b>1926</b>		
<b>1904</b>		Fred R. Zimmerman (R)	350,927	
Robert Marion La Follette (R)	227,253	Charles Perry (Ind)	76,507	
George Wilbur Peck (D)	176,301	Virgil H. Cady (D)	72,627	
William A. Arnold (SD)	24,857	Herman O. Kent (Soc)	40,293	
Edward Scofield (NR)	12,136	David W. Emerson (Proh)	7,333	
William H. Clark (Proh)	8,764	Alex Gorden (SL)	4,593	
Charles M. Minkley (SL)	249	TOTAL	552,912	
TOTAL	449,570	<b>1928</b>		
<b>1906</b>		Walter Jodok Kohler, Sr. (R)	547,738	
James O. Davidson (R)	183,558	Albert George Schmedeman (D)	394,368	
John A. Aylward (D)	103,311	Otto R. Hauser (Soc)	36,924	
Winfield R. Gaylord (SD)	24,437	Adolph R. Bucknam (Proh)	6,477	
Ephraim L. Eaton (Proh)	8,211	Joseph Ehrhardt (IL)	1,938	
Ole T. Rosaas (SL)	455	Alvar J. Hayes (IW)	1,420	
TOTAL	320,003	TOTAL	989,143	
<b>1908</b>		<b>1930</b>		
James O. Davidson (R)	242,935	Philip Fox La Follette (R)	392,958	
John A. Aylward (D)	165,977	Charles E. Hammersley (D)	170,020	
H.D. Brown (SD)	28,583	Frank B. Metcalfe (Soc)	25,607	
Winfred D. Cox (Proh)	11,760	Alfred B. Tainton (Proh)	14,818	
Herman Bottema (SL)	393	Fred Bassett Blair (IC)	2,998	
TOTAL	449,656	TOTAL	606,825	
<b>1910</b>		<b>1932</b>		
Francis Edward McGovern (R)	161,619	Albert George Schmedeman (D)	590,114	
Adolph H. Schmitz (D)	110,442	Walter Jodok Kohler, Sr. (R)	470,805	
William A. Jacobs (SD)	39,547	Frank B. Metcalfe (Soc)	56,965	
Byron E. Van Keuren (Proh)	7,450	William C. Dean (Proh)	3,148	
Fred G. Kremer (SL)	430	Fred Bassett Blair (Com)	2,926	
TOTAL	319,522	Joe Ehrhardt (SL)	398	
<b>1912</b>		TOTAL	1,124,502	
Francis Edward McGovern (R)	179,360	<b>1934</b>		
John C. Karel (D)	167,316	Philip Fox La Follette (Prog)	373,093	
Carl D. Thompson (SD)	34,468	Albert George Schmedeman (D)	359,467	
Charles Lewis Hill (Proh)	9,433	Howard Greene (R)	172,980	
William H. Curtis (SL)	3,253	George A. Nelson (Soc)	44,589	
TOTAL	393,849	Morris Childs (IC)	2,454	
<b>1914</b>		Thomas W. North (PR)	857	
Emanuel Lorenz Philipp (R)	140,787	Joe Ehrhardt (ISL)	332	
John C. Karel (D)	119,509	TOTAL	953,797	
John James Blaine (Ind)	32,560	<b>1936</b>		
Oscar Ameringer (SD)	25,917	Philip Fox La Follette (Prog)	573,724	
David W. Emerson (Proh)	6,279	Alexander Wiley (R)	363,973	
John Vierthaler (Ind)	352	Arthur W. Lueck (D)	268,530	
TOTAL	325,430	Joseph F. Walsh (U)	27,934	
<b>1916</b>		Joseph Ehrhardt (SL)	1,738	
Emanuel Lorenz Philipp (R)	229,889	August F. Fehlandt (Proh)	1,008	
Burt Williams (D)	164,555	TOTAL	1,237,095	
Rae Weaver (Soc)	30,649			
George McKerrow (Proh)	9,193			
TOTAL	434,340			

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<b>1938</b>			<b>1964</b>	
Julius Peter Heil (R)	543,675	Warren P. Knowles (R)	856,779	
Philip Fox La Follette (Prog)	353,381	John W. Reynolds (D)	837,901	
Harry Wilbur Bolens (D)	78,446	TOTAL	1,694,887	
Frank W. Smith (U)	4,564	<b>1966</b>		
John Schleier, Jr. (ISL)	1,459	Warren P. Knowles (R)	626,041	
TOTAL	981,560	Patrick J. Lucey (D)	539,258	
<b>1940</b>		Adolf Wiggert (Ind)	4,745	
Julius Peter Heil (R)	558,678	TOTAL	1,170,173	
Orland Steen Loomis (Prog)	546,436	<b>1968</b>		
Francis Edward McGovern (D)	264,985	Warren P. Knowles (R)	893,463	
Fred Bassett Blair (Com)	2,340	Bronson C. La Follette (D)	791,100	
Louis Fisher (SL)	1,158	Adolf Wiggert (Ind)	3,225	
TOTAL	1,373,754	Robert Wilkinson (Ind)	1,813	
<b>1942</b>		TOTAL	1,689,738	
Orland Steen Loomis (Prog)	397,664	<b>1970</b>		
Julius Peter Heil (R)	291,945	Patrick J. Lucey (D)	728,403	
William C. Sullivan (D)	98,153	Jack B. Olson (R)	602,617	
Frank P. Zeidler (Soc)	11,295	Leo James McDonald (A)	9,035	
Fred Bassett Blair (IC)	1,092	Georgia Cozzini (Ind-SL)	1,287	
Georgia Cozzini (ISL)	490	Samuel K. Hunt (Ind-SL)	888	
TOTAL	800,985	Myrtle Kastner (Ind-PLS)	628	
<b>1944</b>		TOTAL	1,343,160	
Walter Samuel Goodland (R)	697,740	<b>1974</b>		
Daniel W. Hoan (D)	536,357	Patrick J. Lucey (D)	628,639	
Alexander O. Benz (Prog)	76,028	William D. Dyke (R)	497,189	
George A. Nelson (Soc)	9,183	William H. Upham (A)	33,528	
Georgia Cozzini (Ind-ISL)	1,122	Crazy Jim <sup>3</sup> (Ind)	12,107	
TOTAL	1,320,483	William Hart (Ind-DS)	5,113	
<b>1946</b>		Fred Blair (Ind-C)	3,617	
Walter Samuel Goodland (R)	621,970	Georgia Cozzini (Ind-SL)	1,492	
Daniel W. Hoan (D)	406,499	TOTAL	1,181,685	
Walter H. Uphoff (Soc)	8,996	<b>1978</b>		
Sigmund G. Eizenscher (IC)	1,857	Lee Sherman Dreyfus (R)	816,056	
Jerry R. Kenyon (ISL)	959	Martin J. Schreiber (D)	673,813	
TOTAL	1,040,444	Eugene R. Zimmerman (C)	6,355	
<b>1948</b>		John C. Doherty (Ind)	2,183	
Oscar Rennebohm (R)	684,839	Adrienne Kaplan (Ind-SW)	1,548	
Carl W. Thompson (D)	558,497	Henry A. Ochsnr (Ind-SL)	849	
Henry J. Berquist (PP)	12,928	TOTAL	1,500,996	
Walter H. Uphoff (Soc)	9,149	<b>1982</b>		
James E. Boulton (ISW)	356	Anthony S. Earl (D)	896,872	
Georgia Cozzini (ISL)	328	Terry J. Kohler (R)	662,738	
TOTAL	1,266,139	Larry Smiley (Lib)	9,734	
<b>1950</b>		James P. Wickstrom (Con)	7,721	
Walter Jodok Kohler, Jr. (R)	605,649	Peter Seidman (Ind-SW)	3,025	
Carl W. Thompson (D)	525,319	TOTAL	1,580,344	
M. Michael Essin (PP)	3,735	<b>1986</b>		
William O. Hart (Soc)	3,384	Tommy G. Thompson (R)	805,090	
TOTAL	1,138,148	Anthony S. Earl (D)	705,578	
<b>1952</b>		Kathryn A. Christensen (LF)	10,323	
Walter Jodok Kohler, Jr. (R)	1,009,171	Darold E. Wall (Ind)	3,913	
William Proxmire (D)	601,844	Sanford Knapp (Ind)	1,668	
M. Michael Essin (Ind)	3,706	TOTAL	1,526,573	
TOTAL	1,615,214	<b>1990</b>		
<b>1954</b>		Tommy G. Thompson (R)	802,321	
Walter Jodok Kohler, Jr. (R)	596,158	Thomas A. Loftus (D)	576,280	
William Proxmire (D)	560,747	TOTAL	1,379,727	
Arthur Wepfer (Ind)	1,722	<b>1994</b>		
TOTAL	1,158,666	Tommy G. Thompson (R)	1,051,326	
<b>1956</b>		Charles J. Chvala (D)	482,850	
Vernon W. Thomson (R)	808,273	David S. Harmon (Lib)	11,639	
William Proxmire (D)	749,421	Edward J. Frami (Tax)	9,188	
TOTAL	1,557,788	Michael J. Mangan (Ind)	8,150	
<b>1958</b>		TOTAL	1,563,835	
Gaylord Anton Nelson (D)	644,296	<b>1998</b>		
Vernon W. Thomson (R)	556,391	Tommy G. Thompson (R)	1,047,716	
Wayne Leverenz (Ind)	1,485	Ed Garvey (D)	679,553	
TOTAL	1,202,219	Jim Mueller (Lib)	11,071	
<b>1960</b>		Edward J. Frami (Tax)	10,269	
Gaylord Anton Nelson (D)	890,868	Mike Mangan (Ind)	4,985	
Philip G. Kuehn (R)	837,123	A-Ja-mu Muhammad (Ind)	1,604	
TOTAL	1,728,009	Jeffrey L. Smith (WG)	14	
<b>1962</b>		TOTAL	1,756,014	
John W. Reynolds (D)	637,491			
Philip G. Kuehn (R)	625,536			
Adolf Wiggert (Ind)	2,477			
TOTAL	1,265,900			

**VOTE FOR GOVERNOR IN GENERAL ELECTIONS  
1848 – 2014—Continued**

<b>2002</b>			<b>June 5, 2012 Recall Election</b>	
Jim Doyle (D)	800,515	Scott Walker (R)	1,335,585	
Scott McCallum (R)	734,779	Tom Barrett (D)	1,164,480	
Ed Thompson (Lib)	185,455	Hari Trivedi (Ind)	14,463	
Jim Young (WG)	44,111	TOTAL	2,516,065	
Alan D. Eisenberg (Ind)	2,847			
Ty A. Bollerud (Ind)	2,637	<b>2014</b>		
Mike Mangan (Ind)	1,710	Scott Walker (R)	1,259,706	
Aneb Jah Rasta Sensas-Utcha Nefer-1 (Ind)	929	Mary Burke (D)	1,122,913	
TOTAL	1,775,349	Robert Burke (Ind–Lib)	18,720	
		Dennis Fehr (Ind–Peop)	7,530	
		TOTAL	2,410,314	
<b>2006</b>				
Jim Doyle (D)	1,139,115			
Mark Green (R)	979,427			
Nelson Eisman (WG)	40,709			
TOTAL	2,161,700			
<b>2010</b>				
Scott Walker (R)	1,128,941			
Tom Barrett (D)	1,004,303			
Jim Langer (Ind)	10,608			
James James (Ind)	8,273			
TOTAL <sup>4</sup>	2,160,832			

<sup>1</sup>Votes for Dewey and Tweedy are from *1874 Blue Book*; Durkee vote is based on county returns, as filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, but returns from Manitowoc and Winnebago Counties were missing. Without these 2 counties, Dewey had 19,605 votes and Tweedy had 14,514 votes.

<sup>2</sup>Barstow's plurality was set aside in *Atty. Gen. ex rel. Bashford v. Barstow*, 4 Wis. 567 (1855) because of irregularities in the election returns.

<sup>3</sup>Legal name. <sup>4</sup>Total includes 6,780 votes for the Libertarian ticket, which had a candidate for lieutenant governor, but no candidate for governor.

Source: Canvass reports and Government Accountability Board records. Totals include scattered votes for other candidates.

WISCONSIN GOVERNORS SINCE 1848

Governor <sup>1</sup>	Political Party	Residence <sup>2</sup>	Service As Governor <sup>3</sup>		Born	Birthplace	Died	Burial Place
			Began	Ended				
1 Nelson Dewey	Democrat	Lancaster	6-7-1848	1-5-1852	12-19-1813	Lithonia, Conn.	7-21-1889	Lancaster, Wis.
2 Leonard James Fanwell	Whig	Madison	1-5-1852	1-2-1854	1-5-1819	Watertown, N.Y.	4-11-1889	Grand City, Mo.
3 William Augustus Barstow	Democrat	Waukesha	1-2-1854	3-21-1856	9-13-1813	Plainfield, Conn.	12-13-1865	Cleveland, Ohio
4 Arthur MacArthur	Democrat	Milwaukee	3-21-1856	3-25-1856	1-26-1815	Glasgow, Scotland	8-26-1896	Washington, D.C.
5 Charles Bashford	Republican	Oshkosh	3-25-1856	1-4-1858	1-24-1816	Putnam Co., N.Y.	4-25-1878	Oakland, Cal.
6 Alexander William Randall	Republican	Waukesha	1-4-1858	1-6-1862	10-31-1819	Ames, N.Y.	7-26-1872	Elmira, N.Y.
7 Louis Powell Harvey	Republican	Shopshire	1-6-1862	4-19-1862	7-22-1822	East Haddam, Conn.	4-19-1862	Madison, Wis.
8 Edward Salomon <sup>4</sup>	Republican	Milwaukee	4-19-1862	1-4-1864	8-11-1828	Strobecke, Prussia	4-21-1904	Frankfurt, Germany
9 James Taylor Lewis	Republican	Madison	1-4-1864	1-1-1866	12-27-1831	Staten Island, N.Y.	5-21-1899	Columbus, Wis.
10 William Henry Upham	Republican	La Crosse	1-1-1866	1-1-1866	12-27-1831	Staten Island, N.Y.	5-21-1899	Columbus, Wis.
11 Curtis J. Golden	Republican	La Crosse	1-1-1872	1-5-1874	4-22-1818	Livermore, Me.	5-14-1882	La Crosse, Wis.
12 William Robert Taylor	Democrat	Coitage Grove	1-5-1874	3-1-876	7-10-1820	Woodbury, Conn.	3-17-1909	Madison, Wis.
13 Harrison E. Luddington	Republican	Milwaukee	3-1-1876	1-7-1878	7-30-1812	Ludingtonville, N.Y.	6-17-1891	Madison, Wis.
14 William E. Smith	Republican	Milwaukee	1-7-1878	1-2-1882	6-18-1824	North Inverness, Scotland	2-13-1883	Milwaukee, Wis.
15 Jeremiah McClain Rusk	Republican	Viroqua	1-2-1882	1-7-1889	6-17-1830	Morgan Co., Ohio	11-21-1893	Viroqua, Wis.
16 Jeremiah Dempster Hoard	Republican	Fort Atkinson	1-7-1889	1-5-1891	10-10-1836	Stockbridge, N.Y.	11-22-1918	St. Atkinson, Wis.
17 George Wilbur Peck	Democrat	Milwaukee	1-5-1891	1-7-1895	9-28-1840	Henderson, N.Y.	4-16-1916	Milwaukee, Wis.
18 William Henry Upham	Republican	Oarsfield	1-7-1895	1-7-1901	3-28-1841	Westminster, Mass.	7-2-1924	Oarsfield, Wis.
19 Edward Salomon <sup>4</sup>	Republican	Madison	1-7-1901	1-1-1906	6-14-1852	Primrose, Dane Co., Wis.	6-18-1925	Madison, Wis.
20 Robert Marion La Follette, Sr. <sup>6</sup>	Republican	Soldiers Grove	1-1-1906	1-2-1911	2-10-1854	Segen, Norway	12-16-1922	Madison, Wis.
21 James O. Davidson <sup>6</sup>	Republican	Milwaukee	1-2-1911	1-4-1915	1-21-1866	Elkhart Lake, Wis.	5-16-1946	Madison, Wis.
22 Francis Edward McGovern	Republican	Milwaukee	1-4-1915	3-3-1921	3-25-1861	Honey Creek, Sauk Co., Wis.	6-15-1925	Milwaukee, Wis.
23 Emanuel Lorenz Philipp	Republican	Boscobel	3-3-1921	1-3-1927	11-20-1880	Wingville, Grant Co., Wis.	4-18-1934	Boscobel, Wis.
24 John James Blaine	Republican	Milwaukee	1-3-1927	1-7-1929	3-23-1827	Milwaukee, Wis.	12-14-1954	Milwaukee, Wis.
25 Fred R. Zimmerman	Republican	Kohler	1-7-1929	1-5-1931	3-3-1875	Sheboygan, Wis.	4-21-1940	Kohler, Wis.
26 Walter Jodok Kohler, Sr.	Republican	Madison	1-5-1931	1-2-1933	11-28-1897	Madison, Wis.	8-30-1945	Madison, Wis.
27 Philip Fox La Follette	Republican	Madison	1-2-1933	1-2-1933	5-28-1897	Madison, Wis.	8-18-1965	Madison, Wis.
28 Philip Fox La Follette	Progressive	Madison	1-2-1933	1-2-1933	5-28-1897	Madison, Wis.	8-18-1965	Madison, Wis.
29 Julius Peter Heil	Republican	Milwaukee	1-2-1939	1-4-1943	7-24-1876	Duesmond, Germany	11-30-1949	Milwaukee, Wis.
30 Orland Steen Loomis <sup>7</sup>	Progressive	Mauston	Died prior to inauguration		11-22-1893	Mauston, Wis.	12-7-1942	Mauston, Wis.
31 Walter Samuel Goodland <sup>8</sup>	Republican	Racine	1-4-1943	3-12-1947	12-22-1862	Sharon, Wis.	3-12-1947	Racine, Wis.
32 Oscar Rennebohm <sup>9</sup>	Republican	Madison	3-12-1947	1-1-1951	5-25-1889	Leeds, Columbia Co., Wis.	10-15-1968	Madison, Wis.
33 Walter Jodok Kohler, Jr.	Republican	Kohler	1-1-1951	1-7-1957	4-4-1904	Sheboygan, Wis.	3-10-1976	Kohler, Wis.
34 Vernon Wallace Thomson	Republican	Richland Center	1-7-1957	1-5-1959	11-5-1905	Richland Center, Wis.	4-2-1988	Richland Center, Wis.
35 Gayton Nelson	Democrat	Madison	1-7-1959	1-7-1963	6-4-1916	Clear Lake, Wis.	1-5-2005	Clear Lake, Wis.
36 Warren Perley Knowles	Republican	New Richmond	1-7-1959	1-4-1963	8-19-1908	4-1-1993	Green Falls, Wis.	
37 Warren Perley Knowles	Republican	New Richmond	1-4-1963	1-4-1971	8-19-1908	Green Falls, Wis.	4-1-1993	Green Falls, Wis.
38 Martin Joseph Lucey <sup>9</sup>	Democrat	Madison	1-4-1971	7-6-1977	3-21-1918	La Crosse, Wis.	5-10-2014	Milwaukee, Wis.
39 Lee Sherman Dreyfus <sup>9</sup>	Democrat	Milwaukee	7-6-1977	1-1-1979	4-8-1939	Milwaukee, Wis.	1-2-2008	Waukesha, Wis.
40 Larry James Schreiber <sup>9</sup>	Republican	Stevens Point	1-1-1979	1-3-1983	6-20-1926	Lansing, Mich.		
41 Tommy George Thompson <sup>10</sup>	Democrat	Elroy	1-3-1983	1-5-1987	11-19-1941	Elroy, Wis.		
42 Anthony Scully Earl	Democrat	Fond du Lac	1-5-1987	2-1-2001	11-23-1950	Fond du Lac, Wis.		
43 Scott McCallum <sup>10</sup>	Republican	Madison	2-1-2001	1-6-2003	11-23-1950	Washington, D.C.		
44 James Edward Doyle, Jr.	Democrat	Watwaat	1-6-2003	1-3-2011	11-23-1967	Colorado Springs, Colo.		
45 Scott Kevin Walker	Republican	Watwaat	1-3-2011					

<sup>1</sup>Includes those serving as acting governor when office is vacated. Administrations are numbered. <sup>2</sup>Residence at the time of election. <sup>3</sup>Article XIII, Section 1 of the Wisconsin Constitution was amended in November 1882 so that the term of office of all state and county officers began in January of odd-numbered years, rather than January of even-numbered years. <sup>4</sup>Served as acting governor during dispute over who won gubernatorial election. <sup>5</sup>Salomon became acting governor on death of Harvey on 4/19/62. <sup>6</sup>Davidson served as acting governor from La Follette's resignation until beginning the terms to which he was elected on 1/7/07. <sup>7</sup>Goodland became acting governor on death of Governor-elect Loomis and served election 1943-44 term. <sup>8</sup>Rennebohm became acting governor on the death of Goodland on 3/12/47. <sup>9</sup>Schreiber became acting governor when Lucey resigned to become U.S. ambassador to Mexico. <sup>10</sup>McCallum became governor when Thompson resigned to become U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Sources: "Wisconsin's Former Governors", 1960 *Wisconsin Blue Book*, pp. 69-206; Blue Book biographies.



## WISCONSIN CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS, 1848 – 2015

Name	Term <sup>1</sup>	Residence
<b>Governor</b>		
(See separate table)		
<b>Lieutenant Governors</b>		
John E. Holmes (D)	1848-1850	Jefferson
Samuel W. Beall (D)	1850-1852	Taycheedah
Timothy Burns (D)	1852-1854	La Crosse
James T. Lewis (R)	1854-1856	Columbus
Arthur McArthur (D) <sup>2</sup>	1856-1858	Milwaukee
Erasmus D. Campbell (D)	1858-1860	La Crosse
Butler G. Noble (R)	1860-1862	Whitewater
Edward Salomon (R) <sup>3</sup>	1862-1864	Milwaukee
Wymen Spooner (R)	1864-1870	Elkhorn
Thaddeus C. Pound (R)	1870-1872	Chippewa Falls
Milton H. Pettit (R) <sup>4</sup>	1872-3/23/73	Kenosha
Charles D. Parker (D)	1874-1878	Pleasant Valley
James M. Bingham (R)	1878-1882	Chippewa Falls
Sam S. Fifield (R)	1882-1887	Ashland
George W. Ryland (R)	1887-1891	Lancaster
Charles Jonas (D)	1891-1895	Racine
Emil Baensch (R)	1895-1899	Manitowoc
Jesse Stone (R)	1899-1903	Watertown
James O. Davidson (R) <sup>5</sup>	1903-1907	Soldiers Grove
William D. Connor (R)	1907-1909	Marshfield
John Strange (R)	1909-1911	Oshkosh
Thomas Morris (R)	1911-1915	La Crosse
Edward F. Dithmar (R)	1915-1921	Baraboo
George F. Comings (R)	1921-1925	Eau Claire
Henry A. Huber (R)	1925-1933	Stoughton
Thomas J. O'Malley (D)	1933-1937	Milwaukee
Henry A. Gunderson (Prog) <sup>6</sup>	1937-10/16/37	Portage
Herman L. Ekern (Prog) <sup>6</sup>	5/16/1938-1939	Madison
Walter S. Goodland (R) <sup>7</sup>	1939-1945	Racine
Oscar Rennebohm (R) <sup>8</sup>	1945-1949	Madison
George M. Smith (R)	1949-1955	Milwaukee
Warren P. Knowles (R)	1955-1959	New Richmond
Philleo Nash (D)	1959-1961	Wisconsin Rapids
Warren P. Knowles (R)	1961-1963	New Richmond
Jack Olson (R)	1963-1965	Wisconsin Dells
Patrick J. Lucey (D)	1965-1967	Madison
Jack Olson (R)	1967-1971	Wisconsin Dells
Martin J. Schreiber (D) <sup>9</sup>	1971-1979	Milwaukee
Russell A. Olson (R)	1979-1983	Randall
James T. Flynn (D)	1983-1987	West Allis
Scott McCallum (R) <sup>10</sup>	1987-2001	Fond du Lac
Margaret A. Farrow (R) <sup>10</sup>	2001-2003	Pewaukee
Barbara Lawton (D)	2003-2011	Green Bay
Rebecca Klecfisch (R)	2011-	Oconomowoc
<b>Secretaries of State</b>		
Thomas McHugh (D)	1848-1850	Delavan
William A. Barstow (D)	1850-1852	Waukesha
Charles D. Robinson (D)	1852-1854	Green Bay
Alexander T. Gray (D)	1854-1856	Janesville
David W. Jones (D)	1856-1860	Belmont
Lewis P. Harvey (R)	1860-1862	Shopiere
James T. Lewis (R)	1862-1864	Columbus
Lucius Fairchild (R)	1864-1866	Madison
Thomas S. Allen (R)	1866-1870	Mineral Point
Llywelyn Breeze (R)	1870-1874	Portage
Peter Doyle (D)	1874-1878	Prairie du Chien
Hans B. Warner (R)	1878-1882	Ellsworth
Ernst G. Timme (R)	1882-1891	Kenosha
Thomas J. Cunningham (D)	1891-1895	Chippewa Falls
Henry Casson (R)	1895-1899	Viroqua
William H. Froehlich (R)	1899-1903	Jackson
Walter L. Houser (R)	1903-1907	Mondovi
James A. Frear (R)	1907-1913	Hudson
John S. Donald (R)	1913-1917	Mt. Horeb
Merlin Hull (R)	1917-1921	Black River Falls
Elmer S. Hall (R)	1921-1923	Green Bay
Fred R. Zimmerman (R)	1923-1927	Milwaukee
Theodore Dammann (R)	1927-1935	Milwaukee
Theodore Dammann (Prog)	1935-1939	Milwaukee
Fred R. Zimmerman (R) <sup>11</sup>	1939-12/14/54	Milwaukee
Louis Allis (R) <sup>11</sup>	12/16/54-1/3/55	Milwaukee
Mrs. Glenn M. Wise (R) <sup>11</sup>	1/3/55-1957	Madison
Robert C. Zimmerman (R)	1957-1975	Madison
Douglas J. La Follette (D)	1975-1979	Kenosha
Mrs. Vel R. Phillips (D)	1979-1983	Milwaukee

**WISCONSIN CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS, 1848 – 2015–Continued**

Name	Term <sup>1</sup>	Residence
Douglas J. La Follette (D)	1983-	Madison
<b>State Treasurers</b>		
Jarius C. Fairchild (D)	1848-1852	Madison
Edward H. Janssen (D)	1852-1856	Cedarburg
Charles Kuehn (D)	1856-1858	Manitowoc
Samuel D. Hastings (R)	1858-1866	Trempealeau
William E. Smith (R)	1866-1870	Fox Lake
Henry Baetz (R)	1870-1874	Manitowoc
Ferdinand Kuehn (D)	1874-1878	Milwaukee
Richard Guenther (R)	1878-1882	Oshkosh
Edward C. McFetridge (R)	1882-1887	Beaver Dam
Henry B. Harshaw (R)	1887-1891	Oshkosh
John Hunner (D)	1891-1895	Eau Claire
Sewell A. Peterson (R)	1895-1899	Rice Lake
James O. Davidson (R)	1899-1903	Soldiers Grove
John J. Kempf (R) <sup>12</sup>	1903-7/30/04	Milwaukee
Thomas M. Purtell (R) <sup>12</sup>	7/30/04-1905	Cumberland
John J. Kempf (R)	1905-1907	Milwaukee
Andrew H. Dahl (R)	1907-1913	Westby
Henry Johnson (R)	1913-1923	Suring
Solomon Levitan (R)	1923-1933	Madison
Robert K. Henry (D)	1933-1937	Jefferson
Solomon Levitan (Prog)	1937-1939	Madison
John M. Smith (R) <sup>4</sup>	1939-8/17/47	Shell Lake
John L. Sonderegger (R) <sup>13</sup>	8/19/47-9/30/48	Madison
Clyde M. Johnston (appointed from staff) <sup>13</sup>	10/1/48-1949	Madison
Warren R. Smith (R) <sup>4</sup>	1949-12/4/57	Milwaukee
Mrs. Dena A. Smith (R) <sup>13</sup>	12/5/57-1959	Milwaukee
Eugene M. Lamb (D)	1959-1961	Milwaukee
Mrs. Dena A. Smith (R) <sup>4</sup>	1961-2/20/68	Milwaukee
Harold W. Clemens (R) <sup>13</sup>	2/21/68-1971	Oconomowoc
Charles P. Smith (D)	1971-1991	Madison
Cathy S. Zeuske (R)	1991-1995	Shawano
Jack C. Voight (R)	1995-2007	Appleton
Dawn Marie Sass (D)	2007-2011	Milwaukee
Kurt W. Schuller (R)	2011-2015	Eden
Matt Adamczyk (R)	2015-	Wauwatosa
<b>Attorneys General</b>		
James S. Brown (D)	1848-1850	Milwaukee
S. Park Coon (D)	1850-1852	Milwaukee
Experience Estabrook (D)	1852-1854	Geneva
George B. Smith (D)	1854-1856	Madison
William R. Smith (D)	1856-1858	Mineral Point
Gabriel Bouck (D)	1858-1860	Oshkosh
James H. Howe (R) <sup>14</sup>	1860-1862	Green Bay
Winfield Smith (R) <sup>14</sup>	1862-1866	Milwaukee
Charles R. Gill (R)	1866-1870	Watertown
Stephen Steele Barlow (R)	1870-1874	Dellona
Andrew Scott Sloan (R)	1874-1878	Beaver Dam
Alexander Wilson (R)	1878-1882	Mineral Point
Leander F. Frisby (R)	1882-1887	West Bend
Charles E. Estabrook (R)	1887-1891	Manitowoc
James L. O'Connor (D)	1891-1895	Madison
William H. Mylrea (R)	1895-1899	Wausau
Emmett R. Hicks (R)	1899-1903	Oshkosh
Lafayette M. Sturdevant (R)	1903-1907	Neillsville
Frank L. Gilbert (R)	1907-1911	Madison
Levi H. Bancroft (R)	1911-1913	Richland Center
Walter C. Owen (R) <sup>15</sup>	1913-1918	Maiden Rock
Spencer Haven (R) <sup>15</sup>	1918-1919	Hudson
John J. Blaine (R)	1919-1921	Boscobel
William J. Morgan (R)	1921-1923	Milwaukee
Herman L. Ekern (R)	1923-1927	Madison
John W. Reynolds (R)	1927-1933	Green Bay
James E. Finnegan (D)	1933-1937	Milwaukee
Orlando S. Loomis (Prog)	1937-1939	Mauston
John E. Martin (R) <sup>16</sup>	1939-6/1/48	Madison
Grover L. Broadfoot (R) <sup>16</sup>	6/5/48-11/12/48	Mondovi
Thomas E. Fairchild (D) <sup>16</sup>	11/12/48-1951	Verona
Vernon W. Thomson (R)	1951-1957	Richland Center
Stewart G. Honeck (R)	1957-1959	Madison
John W. Reynolds (D)	1959-1963	Green Bay
George Thompson (R)	1963-1965	Madison
Bronson C. La Follette (D)	1965-1969	Madison
Robert W. Warren (R) <sup>17</sup>	1969-10/8/74	Green Bay
Victor A. Miller (D) <sup>17</sup>	10/8/74-11/25/74	St. Nazianz
Bronson C. La Follette (D) <sup>17</sup>	11/25/74-1987	Madison
Donald J. Hanaway (R)	1987-1991	Green Bay
James E. Doyle (D)	1991-2003	Madison

## WISCONSIN CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS, 1848 – 2015–Continued

Name	Term <sup>1</sup>	Residence
Peggy A. Lautenschlager (D)	2003-2007	Fond du Lac
J.B. Van Hollen (R)	2007-2015	Waunakee
Brad D. Schimel (R)	2015-	Waukesha
<b>Superintendents of Public Instruction<sup>18</sup></b>		
Eleazer Root	1849-1852	Waukesha
Azel P. Ladd	1852-1854	Shullsburg
Hiram A. Wright	1854-1855	Prairie du Chien
A. Constantine Barry	1855-1858	Racine
Lyman C. Draper	1858-1860	Madison
Josiah L. Pickard	1860-1864	Platteville
John G. McMynn	1864-1868	Racine
Alexander J. Craig	1868-1870	Madison
Samuel Fallows	1870-1874	Milwaukee
Edward Searing	1874-1878	Milton
William Clarke Whitford	1878-1882	Milton
Robert Graham	1882-1887	Oshkosh
Jesse B. Thayer	1887-1891	River Falls
Oliver Elwin Wells	1891-1895	Appleton
John Q. Emery	1895-1899	Albion
Lorenzo D. Harvey	1899-1903	Milwaukee
Charles P. Cary	1903-1921	Delavan
John Callahan	1921-1949	Madison
George Earl Watson	1949-1961	Wauwatosa
Angus B. Rothwell <sup>19</sup>	1961-7/1/66	Manitowoc
William C. Kahl <sup>19</sup>	7/1/66-1973	Madison
Barbara Thompson	1973-1981	Madison
Herbert J. Grover <sup>20</sup>	1981-4/9/93	Cottage Grove
John T. Benson	1993-2001	Marshall
Elizabeth Burmaster	2001-2009	Madison
Tony Evers	2009-	Madison

<sup>1</sup>Article XIII, Section 1 of the Wisconsin Constitution was amended in 1882, to provide the terms for all partisan state officers would begin in odd-numbered, rather than even-numbered, years. The section was further amended in 1968 to change the term from 2-years to 4-years, effective with the November 1970 elections.

<sup>2</sup>Served as acting governor 3/21/1856 to 3/25/1856 during dispute over outcome of gubernatorial election.

<sup>3</sup>Became acting governor on the death of Governor Louis P. Harvey on 4/19/1862.

<sup>4</sup>Died in office.

<sup>5</sup>Became acting governor on 1/1/1906 when Robert M. La Follette, Sr., resigned to become U.S. Senator.

<sup>6</sup>Resigned to accept appointment to the State Tax Commission. Ekern appointed by Governor Philip La Follette to fill the unexpired term. Appointment ruled valid in *State ex rel. Martin v. Ekern*, 228 Wis. 645 (1937).

<sup>7</sup>Goodland reelected lieutenant governor, November 1942; became acting governor on 1/1/1943 for the term of deceased Governor-elect Orlando Loomis.

<sup>8</sup>Became acting governor on the death of Goodland on 3/12/1947.

<sup>9</sup>Became acting governor when Lucey resigned on 7/6/1977 to accept appointment as U.S. ambassador to Mexico.

<sup>10</sup>McCallum became governor on 2/1/2001 when Governor Tommy Thompson resigned to become U.S. Secretary of Health and Social Services. Farrow was appointed lieutenant governor on 5/9/2001.

<sup>11</sup>Died 12/14/1954 after being elected to a new 2-year term. Allis was appointed to fill the unexpired term. Wise was appointed to fill the full 2-year term.

<sup>12</sup>Appointed 7/30/1904 to fill a vacancy caused by the failure of Kempf to give the required bond.

<sup>13</sup>Appointed.

<sup>14</sup>Resigned in October 1862 to join the Union Army. Smith was appointed 10/7/1862 to replace him.

<sup>15</sup>Resigned 1/7/1918 after being elected to the Wisconsin Supreme Court. Haven was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

<sup>16</sup>Resigned to accept appointment to the Wisconsin Supreme Court. Broadfoot was appointed to fill the unexpired term. Broadfoot resigned to accept appointment to the Wisconsin Supreme Court, and Attorney General-elect Fairchild was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

<sup>17</sup>Resigned to accept appointment as U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Wisconsin. Miller appointed to fill the unexpired term. Bronson La Follette was elected to a full term and Miller resigned so that La Follette could be appointed to fill the rest of Warren's unexpired term.

<sup>18</sup>Prior to 1902, the state superintendent was elected on a partisan ballot in November, and the term began the first Monday in January. A constitutional amendment moved the election to the nonpartisan April ballot and the beginning of the term to the first Monday in July beginning in July 1905.

<sup>19</sup>Resigned to accept appointment to the Coordinating Committee for Higher Education. Kahl was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

<sup>20</sup>Resigned 4/9/1993. Lee Sherman Dreyfus was appointed to serve as "interim superintendent" for remainder of the unexpired term but did not officially become superintendent.

Source: Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau, *Wisconsin Blue Books*, various editions, and bureau records.

## JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT 1836 – 2015

Name	Term	Residence <sup>1</sup>
<b>Judges During the Territorial Period</b>		
Charles Dunn (Chief Justice) <sup>2</sup>	1836-1848	
William C. Frazier	1836-1838	
David Irvin	1836-1838	
Andrew G. Miller	1836-1848	
<b>Circuit Judges Who Served as Justices 1848-53<sup>3</sup></b>		
Alexander W. Stow	1848-1851 (C.J.)	Fond du Lac
Levi Hubbell	1848-1853 (C.J. 1851)	Milwaukee
Edward V. Whiton	1848-1853 (C.J. 1852-53)	Janesville
Charles H. Larrabee	1848-1853	Horicon
Mortimer M. Jackson	1848-1853	Mineral Point
Wiram Knowlton	1850-1853	Prairie du Chien
Timothy O. Howe	1851-1853	Green Bay
<b>Justices Since 1853</b>		
Edward V. Whiton	1853-1859 (C.J.)	Janesville
Samuel Crawford	1853-1855	New Diggings
Abram D. Smith	1853-1859	Milwaukee
Orsamus Cole	1855-1892 (C.J. 1880-92)	Potosi
Luther S. Dixon <sup>4</sup>	1859-1874 (C.J.)	Portage
Byron Paine <sup>4</sup>	1859-1864, 1867-71	Milwaukee
Jason Downer <sup>4</sup>	1864-1867	Milwaukee
William P. Lyon <sup>4</sup>	1871-1894 (C.J. 1892-94)	Racine
Edward G. Ryan <sup>4</sup>	1874-1880 (C.J.)	Racine
David Taylor	1878-1891	Sheboygan
Harlow S. Orton	1878-1895 (C.J. 1894-95)	Madison
John B. Cassoday <sup>4</sup>	1880-1907 (C.J. 1895-07)	Janesville
John B. Winslow <sup>4</sup>	1891-1920 (C.J. 1907-20)	Racine
Silas U. Pinney	1892-1898	Madison
Alfred W. Newman	1894-1898	Trempealeau
Roujet D. Marshall <sup>4</sup>	1895-1918	Chippewa Falls
Charles V. Bardeen <sup>4</sup>	1898-1903	Wausau
Joshua Eric Dodge <sup>4</sup>	1898-1910	Milwaukee
Robert G. Siebecker <sup>5</sup>	1903-1922 (C.J. 1920-22)	Madison
James C. Kerwin	1905-1921	Neenah
William H. Timlin	1907-1916	Milwaukee
Robert M. Bashford <sup>4</sup>	Jan.-June 1908	Madison
John Barnes	1908-1916	Rhineland
Aad J. Vinje <sup>4</sup>	1910-1929 (C.J. 1922-29)	Superior
Marvin B. Rosenberry <sup>4</sup>	1916-1950 (C.J. 1929-50)	Wausau
Franz C. Eschweiler <sup>4</sup>	1916-1929	Milwaukee
Walter C. Owen	1918-1934	Maiden Rock
Burr W. Jones <sup>4</sup>	1920-1926	Madison
Christian Doerfler <sup>4</sup>	1921-1929	Milwaukee
Charles H. Crownhart <sup>4</sup>	1922-1930	Madison
E. Ray Stevens	1926-1930	Madison
Chester A. Fowler <sup>4</sup>	1929-1948	Fond du Lac
Oscar M. Fritz <sup>2</sup>	1929-1954 (C.J. 1950-54)	Milwaukee
Edward T. Fairchild <sup>4</sup>	1929-1957 (C.J. 1954-57)	Milwaukee
John D. Wickham <sup>4</sup>	1930-1949	Madison
George B. Nelson <sup>4</sup>	1930-1942	Stevens Point
Theodore G. Lewis <sup>4</sup>	Nov. 15-Dec. 5, 1934	Madison
Joseph Martin <sup>4</sup>	1934-1946	Green Bay
Elmer E. Barlow <sup>4</sup>	1942-1948	Arcadia
James Ward Rector <sup>4</sup>	1946-1947	Madison
Henry P. Hughes	1948-1951	Oshkosh
John E. Martin <sup>4</sup>	1948-1962 (C.J. 1957-62)	Green Bay
Grover L. Broadfoot <sup>4</sup>	1948-1962 (C.J. Jan.-May 1962)	Mondovi
Timothy Brown <sup>4</sup>	1949-1964 (C.J. 1962-64)	Madison
Edward J. Gehl	1950-1956	Hartford
George R. Currie <sup>4</sup>	1951-1968 (C.J. 1964-68)	Sheboygan
Roland J. Steidle <sup>4</sup>	1954-1958	Milwaukee
Emmert L. Wingert <sup>4</sup>	1956-1959	Madison
Thomas E. Fairchild	1957-1966	Verona
E. Harold Hallows <sup>4</sup>	1958-1974 (C.J. 1968-74)	Milwaukee
William H. Dieterich	1959-1964	Milwaukee
Myron L. Gordon	1962-1967	Milwaukee
Horace W. Wilkie <sup>4</sup>	1962-1976 (C.J. 1974-76)	Madison
Bruce F. Beilfuss	1964-1983 (C.J. 1976-83)	Neillsville
Nathan S. Heffernan <sup>4</sup>	1964-1995 (C.J. 1983-95)	Sheboygan
Leo B. Hanley <sup>4</sup>	1966-1978	Milwaukee
Connor T. Hansen <sup>4</sup>	1967-1980	Eau Claire
Robert W. Hansen	1968-1978	Milwaukee
Roland B. Day <sup>4</sup>	1974-1996 (C.J. 1995-96)	Madison

## JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT 1836 – 2015–Continued

Name	Term	Residence <sup>1</sup>
Shirley S. Abrahamson <sup>4</sup>	1976- (C.J. 1996-2015)	Madison
William G. Callow	1978-1992	Waukesha
John L. Coffey	1978-1982	Milwaukee
Donald W. Steinmetz	1980-1999	Milwaukee
Louis J. Ceci <sup>4</sup>	1982-1993	Milwaukee
William A. Bablitch	1983-2003	Stevens Point
Jon P. Wilcox <sup>4</sup>	1992-2007	Wautoma
Janine P. Geske <sup>4</sup>	1993-1998	Milwaukee
Ann Walsh Bradley	1995-	Wausau
N. Patrick Crooks	1996-	Green Bay
David T. Prosser, Jr. <sup>4</sup>	1998-	Appleton
Diane S. Sykes <sup>4</sup>	1999-2004	Milwaukee
Patience D. Roggensack	2003- (C.J. 2015-)	Madison
Louis B. Butler, Jr. <sup>4</sup>	2004-2008	Milwaukee
Annette K. Ziegler	2007-	West Bend
Michael J. Gableman	2008-	Webster

Note: The structure of the Wisconsin Supreme Court has varied. There were 3 justices during the territorial period. From 1848 to 1853, circuit judges acted as supreme court judges (5 from 1848 to 1850 and 6 from 1850 to 1853). From 1853 to 1877, there were 3 elected justices. The number was increased to 5 by constitutional amendment in 1877. In 1903 the constitution was amended to raise the number to 7.

<sup>1</sup>Home address is the municipality from which the justice was originally appointed or elected.

<sup>2</sup>As a result of a constitutional amendment adopted in April 1889, the most senior justice served as chief justice from 1889-2015. Originally, the chief justice was elected or appointed to that position. A constitutional amendment adopted in April 2015 requires the court to elect the chief justice for a term of 2 years by majority vote of the justices.

<sup>3</sup>Circuit judges acted as Supreme Court justices 1848-1853.

<sup>4</sup>Initially appointed to the court.

<sup>5</sup>Siebeck was elected April 7, 1903, but prior to inauguration for his elected term was appointed April 9, 1903, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Bardeen.

Sources: Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau, *Wisconsin Blue Books*, 1935, 1944, 1977; Government Accountability Board, Elections Division records; Wisconsin Supreme Court, *Wisconsin Reports*, various volumes.



## SENATE PRESIDENTS PRO TEMPORE, SENATE PRESIDENTS AND ASSEMBLY SPEAKERS, 1848 – 2015

Legislative Session	Senate Presidents Pro Tempore or Presidents <sup>1</sup>	Residence	Assembly Speakers	Residence
1848 . . . .	.No permanent president pro tempore	—	Ninian E. Whiteside (D)	Lafayette County
1849 . . . .	.No permanent president pro tempore	—	Harrison C. Hobart (D)	Sheboygan
1850 . . . .	.No record	—	Moses M. Strong (D)	Mineral Point
1851 . . . .	.No record	—	Frederick W. Horn (D)	Cedarburg
1852 . . . .	.E.B. Dean, Jr. (D)	Madison	James M. Shafter (W)	Sheboygan
1853 . . . .	.Duncan C. Reed (D)	Milwaukee	Henry L. Palmer (D)	Milwaukee
1854 . . . .	.Benjamin Allen (D)	Hudson	Frederick W. Horn (D)	Cedarburg
1855 . . . .	.Elezor Wakeley (D)	Whitewater	Charles C. Sholes (R)	Kenosha
1856 . . . .	.Louis Powell Harvey (R)	Shopiere	William Hull (D)	Grant County
1857 . . . .	.No permanent president pro tempore	—	Wyman Spooner (R)	Elkhorn
1858 . . . .	.Hiram H. Giles (R)	Stoughton	Frederick S. Lovell (R)	Kenosha County
1859 . . . .	.Dennison Worthington (R)	Summit	William P. Lyon (R)	Racine
1860 . . . .	.Moses M. Davis (R)	Portage	William P. Lyon (R)	Racine
1861 . . . .	.Alden I. Bennett (R)	Beloit	Amasa Cobb (R)	Mineral Point
1862 . . . .	.Frederick O. Thorp (D)	West Bend	James W. Beardsley (UD)	Prescott
1863 . . . .	.Wyman Spooner (R)	Elkhorn	J. Allen Barber (R)	Lancaster
1864 . . . .	.Smith S. Wilkinson (R)	Prairie du Sac	William W. Field (U)	Fennimore
1865 . . . .	.Willard H. Chandler (U)	Windsor	William W. Field (U)	Fennimore
1866 . . . .	.Willard H. Chandler (U)	Windsor	Henry D. Barron (U)	St. Croix Falls
1867 . . . .	.George F. Wheeler (R)	Nanuapa	Angus Cameron (U)	La Crosse
1868 . . . .	.Newton M. Littlejohn (R)	Whitewater	Alexander M. Thomson (R)	Janesville
1869 . . . .	.George C. Hazelton (R)	Boscobel	Alexander M. Thomson (R)	Janesville
1870 . . . .	.David Taylor (R)	Sheboygan	James M. Bingham (R)	Palmyra
1871 . . . .	.Charles G. Williams (R)	Janesville	William E. Smith (R)	Fox Lake
1872 . . . .	.Charles G. Williams (R)	Janesville	Daniel Hall (R)	Watertown
1873 . . . .	.Henry L. Eaton (R)	Lone Rock	Henry D. Barron (R)	St. Croix Falls
1874 . . . .	.John C. Holloway (R)	Lancaster	Gabriel Bouck (D)	Oshkosh
1875 . . . .	.Henry D. Barron (R)	St. Croix Falls	Frederick W. Horn (R)	Cedarburg
1876 . . . .	.Robert L.D. Potter (R)	Wautoma	Sam S. Fifield (R)	Ashland
1877 . . . .	.William H. Hiner (R)	Fond du Lac	John B. Cassoday (R)	Janesville
1878 . . . .	.Levi W. Barden (R)	Portage	Augustus R. Barrows (GB)	Chippewa Falls
1879 . . . .	.William T. Price (R)	Black River Falls	David M. Kelly (R)	Green Bay
1880 . . . .	.Thomas B. Scott (R)	Grand Rapids	Alexander A. Arnold (R)	Galesville
1881 . . . .	.Thomas B. Scott (R)	Grand Rapids	Ira B. Bradford (R)	Augusta
1882 . . . .	.George B. Burrows (R)	Madison	Franklin L. Gilson (R)	Ellsworth
1883 . . . .	.George W. Ryland (R)	Lancaster	Earl P. Finch (D)	Oshkosh
1885 . . . .	.Edward S. Minor (R)	Sturgeon Bay	Hiram O. Fairchild (R)	Marinette
1887 . . . .	.Charles K. Erwin (R)	Tomah	Thomas B. Mills (R)	Millston
1889 . . . .	.Thomas A. Dyson (R)	La Crosse	Thomas B. Mills (R)	Millston
1891 . . . .	.Frederick W. Horn (D)	Cedarburg	James J. Hogan (D)	La Crosse
1893 . . . .	.Robert J. MacBride (D)	Neillsville	Edward Keogh (D)	Milwaukee
1895 . . . .	.Thompson D. Weeks (R)	Whitewater	George B. Burrows (R)	Madison
1897 . . . .	.Lyman W. Thayer (R)	Ripon	George A. Buckstaff (R)	Oshkosh
1899 . . . .	.Lyman W. Thayer (R)	Ripon	George H. Ray (R)	La Crosse
1901 . . . .	.James J. McGillivray (R)	Black River Falls	George H. Ray (R)	La Crosse
1903-05 . . . .	.James J. McGillivray (R)	Black River Falls	Irvine L. Lenroot (R)	West Superior
1907 . . . .	.James H. Stout (R)	Menomonie	Herman L. Ekern (R)	Whitehall
1909 . . . .	.James H. Stout (R)	Menomonie	Levi H. Bancroft (R)	Richland Center
1911 . . . .	.Harry C. Martin (R)	Darlington	C.A. Ingram (R)	Durand
1913 . . . .	.Harry C. Martin (R)	Darlington	Merlin Hull (R)	Black River Falls
1915 . . . .	.Edward T. Fairchild (R)	Milwaukee	Lawrence C. Whittet (R)	Edgerton
1917 . . . .	.Timothy Burke (R)	Green Bay	Lawrence C. Whittet (R)	Edgerton
1919 . . . .	.Willard T. Stevens (R)	Rhineland	Riley S. Young (R)	Darien
1921 . . . .	.Timothy Burke (R)	Green Bay	Riley S. Young (R)	Darien
1923 . . . .	.Henry A. Huber (R)	Stoughton	John L. Dahl (R)	Rice Lake
1925 . . . .	.Howard Teasdale (R)	Sparta	Herman Sachtjen (R) <sup>2</sup>	Madison
	.Howard Teasdale (R)	Sparta	George A. Nelson (R) <sup>2</sup>	Milltown
1927 . . . .	.William L. Smith (R)	Neillsville	John W. Eber (R)	Milwaukee
1929 . . . .	.Oscar H. Morris (R)	Milwaukee	Charles B. Perry (R)	Wauwatosa
1931 . . . .	.Herman J. Severson (P)	Iola	Charles B. Perry (R)	Wauwatosa
1933 . . . .	.Orland S. Loomis (R)	Mauston	Cornelius T. Young (D)	Milwaukee
1935 . . . .	.Harry W. Bolens (D)	Port Washington	Jorge W. Carow (P)	Ladysmith
1937 . . . .	.Walter J. Rush (P)	Neillsville	Paul R. Alfonsi (P)	Pence
1939 . . . .	.Edward J. Roethel (R)	Fennimore	Vernon W. Thomson (R)	Richland Center
1941-43 . . . .	.Conrad Shearer (R)	Kenosha	Vernon W. Thomson (R)	Richland Center
1945 . . . .	.Conrad Shearer (R)	Kenosha	Donald C. McDowell (R)	Soldiers Grove

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AND ASSEMBLY SPEAKERS, 1848 – 2015–Continued**

Legislative Session	Senate Presidents Pro Tempore or Presidents <sup>1</sup>	Residence	Assembly Speakers	Residence
1947 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	Donald C. McDowell (R)	Soldiers Grove
1949 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	Alex L. Nicol (R)	Sparta
1951-53 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	Ora R. Rice (R)	Delavan
1955 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	Mark Catlin, Jr. (R)	Appleton
1957 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	Robert G. Marotz (R)	Shawano
1959 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	George Molinaro (D)	Kenosha
1961 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	David J. Blanchard (R)	Edgerton
1963 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	Robert D. Haase (R)	Marinette
1965 . . . .	.Frank E. Panzer (R)	Brownsville	Robert T. Huber (D)	West Allis
1967-69 . . . .	.Robert P. Knowles (R)	New Richmond	Harold V. Froehlich (R)	Appleton
1971 . . . .	.Robert P. Knowles (R)	New Richmond	Robert T. Prosser (D) <sup>3</sup>	West Allis
	.Robert P. Knowles (R)	New Richmond	Norman C. Anderson (D) <sup>3</sup>	Madison
1973 . . . .	.Robert P. Knowles (R)	New Richmond	Norman C. Anderson (D)	Madison
1975 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D)	Madison	Norman C. Anderson (D)	Madison
1977-81 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D) <sup>4</sup>	Madison	Edward G. Jackamonis (D)	Waukesha
1983-89 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D)	Madison	Thomas A. Loftus (D)	Sun Prairie
1991 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D)	Madison	Walter J. Kunicki (D)	Milwaukee
1993 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D) <sup>4</sup>	Madison	Walter J. Kunicki (D)	Milwaukee
	.Brian D. Rude (R) <sup>4</sup>	Coon Valley	Walter J. Kunicki (D)	Milwaukee
1995 . . . .	.Brian D. Rude (R) <sup>5</sup>	Coon Valley	David T. Prosser, Jr. (R)	Appleton
	.Fred A. Risser (D) <sup>6</sup>	Madison	David T. Prosser, Jr. (R)	Appleton
1997 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D) <sup>6</sup>	Madison	Ben Brancel (R) <sup>7</sup>	Endeavor
	.Brian D. Rude (R) <sup>6</sup>	Coon Valley	Scott R. Jensen (R) <sup>7</sup>	Waukesha
1999 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D)	Madison	Scott R. Jensen (R)	Waukesha
2001 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D)	Madison	Scott R. Jensen (R)	Waukesha
2003-05 . . . .	.Alan J. Lasee (R)	De Pere	John Gard (R)	Peshigo
2007 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D)	Madison	Michael D. Huebsch (R)	West Salem
2009 . . . .	.Fred A. Risser (D)	Madison	Michael J. Sheridan (D)	Janesville
2011 . . . .	.Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>8</sup>	Neenah	Jeff Fitzgerald (R)	Horicon
	.Fred A. Risser (D) <sup>8</sup>	Madison	Jeff Fitzgerald (R)	Horicon
2013 . . . .	.Michael G. Ellis (R)	Neenah	Robin J. Vos (R)	Burlington
2015 . . . .	.Mary A. Lazich (R)	New Berlin	Robin J. Vos (R)	Burlington

Note: Political party indicated is for session elected and is obtained from newspaper accounts for some early legislators.

Key: D-Democrat; GB-Greenback; P-Progressive; R-Republican; U-Union; UD-Union Democrat; W-Whig.

<sup>1</sup>Table lists the ranking legislator in each house, not the presiding officer. The “president pro tempore” is listed until May 1, 1979; “president of the senate” is listed after that date when the lieutenant governor’s function as president was eliminated by a constitutional amendment adopted in April 1979. See separate table for a list of lieutenant governors.

<sup>2</sup>George A. Nelson (R), Polk County, was elected to serve at special session, 4/15/26 to 4/16/26, following the resignation of Herman Sachtjen after the regular session to accept circuit judge appointment.

<sup>3</sup>Anderson was elected speaker 1/18/72 to succeed Huber who resigned 12/13/71 to accept appointment as chairman of the Highway Commission.

<sup>4</sup>A new president was elected on 4/20/93 after a change in party control following two special elections.

<sup>5</sup>A new president was elected on 7/9/96 after a change in party control following a recall election.

<sup>6</sup>A new president was elected on 4/21/98 after a change in party control following a special election.

<sup>7</sup>Jensen was elected speaker 11/4/97 to succeed Brancel who resigned to become Wisconsin Secretary of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

<sup>8</sup>A new president was elected on 7/17/12 after a change in party control following a recall election.

Sources: Senate and Assembly Journals; Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau records.

## MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS OF THE WISCONSIN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, 1937 – 2015

Session	Senate		Assembly	
	Majority	Minority	Majority	Minority
1937 . . . .	.Maurice P. Coakley (R)	NA	NA	NA
1939 . . . .	.Maurice P. Coakley (R)	Philip E. Nelson (P)	NA	Paul R. Alfonsi (P)
1941 . . . .	.Maurice P. Coakley (R)	Cornelius T. Young (D)	Mark S. Catlin, Jr. (R)	Andrew J. Biemiller (P) Robert E. Tehan (D)
1943 . . . .	.Warren P. Knowles (R) <sup>1</sup> John W. Byrnes (R) <sup>1</sup>	NA	Mark S. Catlin, Jr. (R)	Elmer L. Genzmer (D) Lyall T. Beggs (P)
1945 . . . .	.Warren P. Knowles (R)	Anthony P. Gawronski (D)	Vernon W. Thomson (R)	Lyall T. Beggs (P) Leland S. McParland (D)
1947 . . . .	.Warren P. Knowles (R)	Robert E. Tehan (D)	Vernon W. Thomson (R)	Leland S. McParland (D)
1949 . . . .	.Warren P. Knowles (R)	NA	Vernon W. Thomson (R)	Leland S. McParland (D)
1951 . . . .	.Warren P. Knowles (R)	Gaylord Nelson (D)	Arthur O. Mockrud (R)	George Molinaro (D)
1953 . . . .	.Warren P. Knowles (R)	Henry W. Maier (D)	Mark S. Catlin, Jr. (R)	George Molinaro (D)
1955 . . . .	.Paul J. Rogan (R) <sup>2</sup>	Henry W. Maier (D)	Robert G. Marotz (R)	Robert T. Huber (D)
1957 . . . .	.Robert Travis (R)	Henry W. Maier (D)	Warren A. Grady (D)	Robert T. Huber (D)
1959 . . . .	.Robert Travis (R)	Henry W. Maier (D)	Keith Hardie (D)	David J. Blanchard (R)
1961 . . . .	.Robert Travis (R)	William R. Moser (D) <sup>3</sup>	Robert D. Haase (R)	Robert T. Huber (D)
1963 . . . .	.Robert P. Knowles (R)	Richard J. Zaborski (D)	Paul R. Alfonsi (R)	Robert T. Huber (D)
1965 . . . .	.Robert P. Knowles (R)	Richard J. Zaborski (D)	Frank L. Nikolay (D)	Robert D. Haase (R) <sup>4</sup> Paul J. Alfonsi (R) <sup>4</sup>
1967 . . . .	.Jerris Leonard (R)	Fred A. Risser (D)	J. Curtis McKay (R)	Robert T. Huber (D)
1969 . . . .	.Ernest C. Keppler (R)	Fred A. Risser (D)	Paul R. Alfonsi (R)	Robert T. Huber (D)
1971 . . . .	.Ernest C. Keppler (R)	Fred A. Risser (D)	Norman C. Anderson (D) <sup>5</sup> Anthony S. Earl (D) <sup>5</sup>	Harold V. Froehlich (R)
1973 . . . .	.Raymond C. Johnson (R)	Fred A. Risser (D)	Anthony S. Earl (D)	John C. Shabaz (R)
1975 . . . .	.Wayne F. Whittow (D) <sup>6</sup> William A. Bablitch (D) <sup>6</sup>	Clifford W. Krueger (R)	Terry A. Willkom (D)	John C. Shabaz (R)
1977 . . . .	.William A. Bablitch (D)	Clifford W. Krueger (R)	James W. Wahner (D)	John C. Shabaz (R)
1979 . . . .	.William A. Bablitch (D)	Clifford W. Krueger (R)	James W. Wahner (D) <sup>7</sup> Gary K. Johnson (D) <sup>7</sup>	John C. Shabaz (R)
1981 . . . .	.William A. Bablitch (D) <sup>9</sup> Timothy F. Cullen (D) <sup>9</sup>	Walter J. Chilsen (R)	Thomas A. Loftus (D)	John C. Shabaz (R) <sup>8</sup> Tommy G. Thompson (R) <sup>8</sup>
1983 . . . .	.Timothy F. Cullen (D)	James E. Harsdorf (R)	Gary K. Johnson (D)	Tommy G. Thompson (R)
1985 . . . .	.Timothy F. Cullen (D)	Susan S. Engelleiter (R)	Dismas Becker (D)	Tommy G. Thompson (R)
1987 . . . .	.Joseph A. Strohl (D)	Susan S. Engelleiter (R)	Thomas A. Hauke (D)	Betty Jo Nelsen (R)
1989 . . . .	.Joseph A. Strohl (D)	Michael G. Ellis (R)	Thomas A. Hauke (D)	David T. Prosser (R)
1991 . . . .	.David W. Helbach (D)	Michael G. Ellis (R)	David M. Travis (D)	David T. Prosser (R)
1993 . . . .	.David W. Helbach (D) <sup>10</sup> Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>10</sup>	Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>10</sup> David W. Helbach (D) <sup>10,11</sup>	David M. Travis (D)	David T. Prosser (R)
1995 . . . .	.Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>13</sup>	Robert Jauch (D) <sup>11</sup> Robert Jauch (D) <sup>12</sup> Charles Chvala (D) <sup>12,13</sup>	Scott R. Jensen (R)	Walter J. Kunicki (D)
1997 . . . .	.Charles Chvala (D) <sup>13</sup> .Charles Chvala (D) <sup>14</sup> Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>14</sup>	Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>13</sup> Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>14</sup> Charles Chvala (D) <sup>14</sup>	Steven M. Foti (R)	Walter J. Kunicki (D) <sup>15</sup> Shirley Krug (D) <sup>15</sup>
1999 . . . .	.Charles Chvala (D)	Michael G. Ellis (R) <sup>16</sup> Mary E. Panzer (R) <sup>16</sup>	Steven M. Foti (R)	Shirley Krug (D)
2001 . . . .	.Charles Chvala (D) Russell S. Decker (D) <sup>17</sup> Fred A. Risser (D) <sup>17</sup> Jon B. Erpenbach (D) <sup>17</sup>	Mary E. Panzer (R)	Steven M. Foti (R)	Shirley Krug (D) Spencer Black (D) <sup>18</sup>
2003 . . . .	.Mary E. Panzer (R) <sup>19</sup> Scott L. Fitzgerald (R) <sup>19</sup> Dale W. Schultz (R) <sup>20</sup>	Jon B. Erpenbach (D)	Steven M. Foti (R)	James E. Kreuser (D)
2005 . . . .	.Dale W. Schultz (R)	Judith Biros Robson (D) <sup>20</sup>	Michael D. Huebsch (R)	James E. Kreuser (D)
2007 . . . .	.Judith Biros Robson (D) Russell S. Decker (D) <sup>21</sup>	Judith Biros Robson (D) Scott L. Fitzgerald (R)	Jeff Fitzgerald (R)	James E. Kreuser (D)
2009 . . . .	.Russell S. Decker (D) <sup>22</sup> Dave Hansen (D) <sup>22</sup>	Scott L. Fitzgerald (R)	Thomas M. Nelson (D)	Jeff Fitzgerald (R)
2011 . . . .	.Scott L. Fitzgerald (R) Mark Miller (D) <sup>23</sup>	Mark Miller (D) Scott L. Fitzgerald (R) <sup>23</sup>	Scott Suder (R)	Peter W. Barca (D)

**MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS OF THE  
WISCONSIN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, 1937 – 2015–Continued**

Session	Senate		Assembly	
	Majority	Minority	Majority	Minority
2013 . . .	Scott L. Fitzgerald (R)	Chris Larson (D)	Scott Suder (R) <sup>24</sup> Bill Kramer (R) <sup>25</sup> Pat Strachota (R)	Peter W. Barca (D)
2015 . . .	Scott L. Fitzgerald (R)	Jennifer Shilling (D)	Jim Steineke (R)	Peter W. Barca (D)

Note: Majority and minority leaders, who are chosen by the party caucuses in each house, were first recognized officially in the senate and assembly rules in 1963. Prior to the 1977 session, these positions were also referred to as “floor leader”.

Key: (D) – Democrat; (P) – Progressive; (R) – Republican.

NA – Not available.

<sup>1</sup>Knowles granted leave of absence to return to active duty in U.S. Navy; Byrnes chosen to succeed him on 4/30/1943.

<sup>2</sup>Resigned after sine die adjournment.

<sup>3</sup>Resigned 1/30/1962.

<sup>4</sup>Haase resigned 9/15/1965; Alfonsi elected 10/4/1965.

<sup>5</sup>Earl elected 1/18/1972 to succeed Anderson who became Assembly Speaker.

<sup>6</sup>Whittow resigned 4/30/1976; Bablitch elected 5/17/1976.

<sup>7</sup>Wahner resigned 1/28/1980; Johnson elected 1/28/1980.

<sup>8</sup>Shabaz resigned 12/18/1981; Thompson elected 12/21/1981.

<sup>9</sup>Bablitch resigned 5/26/1982; Cullen elected 5/26/1982.

<sup>10</sup>Democrats controlled senate from 1/4/1993 to 4/20/1993 when Republicans assumed control after a special election.

<sup>11</sup>Helbach resigned 5/12/1993; Jauch elected 5/12/1993.

<sup>12</sup>Jauch resigned 10/17/1995; Chvala elected 10/24/1995.

<sup>13</sup>Republicans controlled senate from 1/5/1995 to 6/13/1996 when Democrats assumed control after a recall election.

<sup>14</sup>Democrats controlled the senate from 1/6/1997 to 4/21/1998 when Republicans assumed control after a special election.

<sup>15</sup>Kunicki resigned 6/3/1998; Krug elected 6/3/1998.

<sup>16</sup>Ellis resigned 1/25/2000; Panzer elected 1/25/2000.

<sup>17</sup>Decker and Risser elected co-leaders 10/22/2002. Erpenbach elected leader 12/4/2002.

<sup>18</sup>Black elected 5/1/2001.

<sup>19</sup>Panzer resigned 9/17/2004; Fitzgerald elected 9/17/2004.

<sup>20</sup>Schultz elected 11/9/2004; Robson elected 11/9/2004.

<sup>21</sup>Decker elected 10/24/2007.

<sup>22</sup>Hansen replaced Decker as leader, 12/15/2010.

<sup>23</sup>After a resignation on 3/16/12 resulted in a 16-16 split, Fitzgerald and Miller served as co-leaders. A recall election gave Democrats control of the senate as of 7/17/12.

<sup>24</sup>Suder resigned 9/3/13; Kramer elected 9/4/13.

<sup>25</sup>Kramer removed 3/4/14; Strachota elected 3/4/14.

Sources: *Wisconsin Blue Book*, various editions; Senate and Assembly Journals; newspaper accounts.

## SENATE AND ASSEMBLY CHIEF CLERKS AND SERGEANTS AT ARMS, 1848 – 2015

Legislative	Senate		Assembly	
Session	Chief Clerk	Sergeant at Arms	Chief Clerk	Sergeant at Arms
1848	.Henry G. Abbey	Lyman H. Seaver	Daniel N. Johnson	John Mullanphy
1849	.William R. Smith	F. W. Shollner	Robert L. Ream	Felix McLinden
1850	.William R. Smith	James Hanrahan	Alex T. Gray	E. R. Hugunin
1851	.William Hull	E. D. Masters	Alex T. Gray	C. M. Kingsbury
1852	.John K. Williams	Patrick Cosgrove	Alex T. Gray	Elisha Starr
1853	.John K. Williams	Thomas Hood	Thomas McHugh	Richard F. Wilson
1854	.Samuel G. Bugh	J. M. Sherwood	Thomas McHugh	William H. Gleason
1855	.Samuel G. Bugh	William H. Gleason	David Atwood	William Blake
1856	.Byron Paine	Joseph Baker	James Armstrong	Egbert Mosely
1857	.William Henry Brisbane	Alanson Filer	William C. Webb	William C. Rogers
1858	.John L. V. Thomas	Nathaniel L. Stout	L. H. D. Crane	Francis Massing
1859	.Hiram Bowen	Asa Kinney	L. H. D. Crane	Emmanuel Munk
1860	.J. H. Warren	Asa Kinney	L. H. D. Crane	Joseph Gates
1861	.J. H. Warren	J. A. Hadley	L. H. D. Crane	Craig B. Peebe
1862	.J. H. Warren	B. U. Caswell	John S. Dean	A. A. Huntington
1863	.Frank M. Stewart	Luther Bashford	John S. Dean	A. M. Thompson
1864	.Frank M. Stewart	Nelson Williams	John S. Dean	A. M. Thompson
1865	.Frank M. Stewart	Nelson Williams	John S. Dean	Alonzo Wilcox
1866	.Frank M. Stewart	Nelson Williams	E. W. Young	L. M. Hammond
1867	.Leander B. Hills	Asa Kinney	E. W. Young	Daniel Webster
1868	.Leander B. Hills	W. H. Hamilton	E. W. Young	C. L. Harris
1869	.Leander B. Hills	W. H. Hamilton	E. W. Young	Rolin C. Kelly
1870	.Leander B. Hills	E. M. Rogers	E. W. Young	Ole C. Johnson
1871	.O. R. Smith	W. W. Baker	E. W. Young	Sam S. Fifield
1872	.J. H. Waggoner	W. D. Hoard	E. W. Young	Sam S. Fifield
1873	.J. H. Waggoner	Albert Emonson	E. W. Young	O. C. Bissel
1874	.J. H. Waggoner	O. U. Aiken	George W. Peck	Joseph Deuster
1875	.Fred A. Dennett	O. U. Aiken	R. M. Strong	J. W. Brackett
1876	.A. J. Turner	E. T. Gardner	R. M. Strong	Elisha Starr
1877	.A. J. Turner	C. E. Bullard	W. A. Nowell	Thomas B. Reid
1878	.A. J. Turner <sup>1</sup>	L. J. Brayton	Jabez R. Hunter	Anton Klaus
	Charles E. Bross <sup>1</sup>			
1879	.Charles E. Bross	Chalmers Ingersoll	John E. Eldred	Miletus Knight
1880	.Charles E. Bross	Chalmers Ingersoll	John E. Eldred	D. H. Pulcifer
1881	.Charles E. Bross	W. W. Baker	John E. Eldred	G. W. Church
1882	.Charles E. Bross	A. T. Glaze	E. D. Coe	D. E. Welch
1883	.Charles E. Bross	A. D. Thorp	I. T. Carr	Thomas Kennedy
1885	.Charles E. Bross	Hubert Wolcott	E. D. Coe	John M. Ewing
1887	.Charles E. Bross	T. J. George	E. D. Coe	William A. Adamson
1889	.Charles E. Bross	T. J. George	E. D. Coe	F. E. Parsons
1891	.J. P. Hume	John A. Barney	George W. Porth	Patrick Whelan
1893	.Sam J. Shafer	John B. Becker	George W. Porth	Theodore Knapstein
1895	.Walter L. Houser	Charles Pettibone	W. A. Nowell	B. F. Millard
1897	.Walter L. Houser	Charles Pettibone	W. A. Nowell	C. M. Hambricht
1899	.Walter L. Houser	Charles Pettibone	W. A. Nowell	James H. Agen
1901	.Walter L. Houser	Charles Pettibone	W. A. Nowell	A. M. Anderson
1903	.Theodore W. Goldin	Sanfield McDonald	C. O. Marsh	A. M. Anderson
1905	.L. K. Eaton	R. C. Falconer	C. O. Marsh	Nicholas Streveler
1907	.A. R. Emerson	R. C. Falconer	C. E. Shaffer	W. S. Irvine
1909	.F. E. Andrews	R. C. Falconer	C. E. Shaffer	W. S. Irvine
1911-13	.F. M. Wylie	C. A. Leicht	C. E. Shaffer	W. S. Irvine
1915	.O. G. Munson	F. E. Andrews	C. E. Shaffer	W. S. Irvine
1917	.O. G. Munson	F. E. Andrews	C. E. Shaffer	T. G. Cretney
1919	.O. G. Munson	John Turner	C. E. Shaffer	T. G. Cretney
1921	.O. G. Munson	Vincent Kielpinski	C. E. Shaffer	T. G. Cretney
1923	.F. W. Schoenfeld	C. A. Leicht	C. E. Shaffer	T. W. Bartingale
1925	.F. W. Schoenfeld	C. A. Leicht	C. E. Shaffer	C. E. Hanson
1927-29	.O. G. Munson	George W. Rickeman	C. E. Shaffer	C. F. Moulton
1931	.R. A. Cobban	Emil A. Hartman	C. E. Shaffer	Gustave Rheingans
1933	.R. A. Cobban	Emil A. Hartman	John J. Slocum	George C. Faust
1935-37	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Emil A. Hartman	Lester R. Johnson	Gustave Rheingans
1939	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Emil A. Hartman	John J. Slocum	Robert A. Merrill
1941-43	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Emil A. Hartman	Arthur L. May	Norris J. Kellman
1945	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Harold E. Damon	Arthur L. May	Norris J. Kellman
1947-53	.Thomas M. Donahue	Harold E. Damon	Arthur L. May	Norris J. Kellman
1955-57	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Harold E. Damon	Arthur L. May	Norris J. Kellman



**SENATE AND ASSEMBLY CHIEF CLERKS  
AND SERGEANTS AT ARMS, 1848 – 2015–Continued**

Legislative Session	Senate		Assembly	
	Chief Clerk	Sergeant at Arms	Chief Clerk	Sergeant at Arms
1959 . . . . .	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Harold E. Damon	Norman C. Anderson	Thomas H. Browne
1961 . . . . .	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Harold E. Damon	Robert G. Marotz	Norris J. Kellman
1963 . . . . .	.Lawrence R. Larsen	Harold E. Damon	Kenneth E. Priebe	Norris J. Kellman
1965 . . . . .	.Lawrence R. Larsen <sup>2</sup>	Harold E. Damon	James P. Buckley	Thomas H. Browne
	William P. Nugent <sup>2</sup>			
1967 . . . . .	.William P. Nugent	Harry O. Levander	Arnold W. F. Langner <sup>3</sup>	Louis C. Romell
			Wilmer H. Struebing <sup>3</sup>	
1969 . . . . .	.William P. Nugent	Kenneth Nicholson	Wilmer H. Struebing	Louis C. Romell
1971 . . . . .	.William P. Nugent	Kenneth Nicholson	Thomas P. Fox	William F. Quick
1973 . . . . .	.William P. Nugent	Kenneth Nicholson	Thomas S. Hanson	William F. Quick
1975 . . . . .	.Glenn E. Bultman	Robert M. Thompson	Everett E. Bolle	Raymond J. Tobiasz
1977 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Robert M. Thompson	Everett E. Bolle	Joseph E. Jones
1979 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Daniel B. Fields	Marcel Dandeneau	Joseph E. Jones
1981 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Daniel B. Fields	David R. Kedrowski	Lewis T. Mittness
1983 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Daniel B. Fields	Joanne M. Duren	Lewis T. Mittness
1985 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Daniel B. Fields	Joanne M. Duren	Patrick Essie
1987 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Daniel B. Fields	Thomas T. Melvin	Patrick Essie
1989-91 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Daniel B. Fields	Thomas T. Melvin	Robert G. Johnston
1993 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Daniel B. Fields <sup>4</sup>	Thomas T. Melvin	Robert G. Johnston
		Jon H. Hochkammer <sup>4</sup>		
1995 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Jon H. Hochkammer	Thomas T. Melvin <sup>5</sup>	John A. Scocos
			Charles R. Sanders <sup>5</sup>	
1997 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Jon H. Hochkammer	Charles R. Sanders	John A. Scocos <sup>6</sup>
				Denise L. Solie <sup>6</sup>
1999 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Jon H. Hochkammer	Charles R. Sanders	Denise L. Solie
2001 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider	Jon H. Hochkammer <sup>7</sup>	John A. Scocos <sup>7</sup>	Denise L. Solie
2003 . . . . .	.Donald J. Schneider <sup>8</sup>	Edward A. Blazel	Patrick E. Fuller	Richard A. Skindrud
	Robert J. Marchant <sup>8</sup>			
2005-07 . . . . .	.Robert J. Marchant	Edward A. Blazel	Patrick E. Fuller	Richard A. Skindrud
2009 . . . . .	.Robert J. Marchant	Edward A. Blazel	Patrick E. Fuller	William M. Nagy
2011 . . . . .	.Robert J. Marchant <sup>9</sup>	Edward A. Blazel	Patrick E. Fuller	Anne Tonnon Byers
2013-15 . . . . .	.Jeffrey Renk	Edward A. Blazel	Patrick E. Fuller	Anne Tonnon Byers

<sup>1</sup>Bross elected 2/6/78; Turner resigned 2/7/78.

<sup>2</sup>Larsen died 3/2/65; Nugent elected 3/31/65.

<sup>3</sup>Langner resigned 5/2/67; Struebing elected 5/16/67.

<sup>4</sup>Fields served until 8/2/93. Randall Radtke served as Acting Sergeant from 8/3/93 to 11/3/93. Hochkammer was elected 1/25/94.

<sup>5</sup>Melvin retired 1/31/95; Sanders elected 5/24/95.

<sup>6</sup>Scocos resigned 9/25/97; Solie elected 1/15/98.

<sup>7</sup>Scocos resigned 2/25/02. Hochkammer resigned 9/2/02. No replacement was elected for either.

<sup>8</sup>Schneider resigned 7/4/03; Marchant elected 1/20/04.

<sup>9</sup>Marchant resigned 1/2/12.

Sources: Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau, *Wisconsin Blue Book*, various editions; journals and organizing resolutions of each house.

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## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS, 1848 – 2013

Session	Opening and Adjournment Dates	Length of Session			Measures Introduced			Vetoed <sup>1</sup>		Laws Enacted
		Calendar Days <sup>2</sup>	Meeting Days <sup>3</sup>		Bills	Jt. Res.	Res.	Bills Vetoed	Over- ridden	
			(S)	(A)						
1848	6/5-8/21	78	58	59	217	0	0	0	0	155
1849	1/10-4/2	83	69	65	428	0	0	1	1	220
1850	1/9-2/11	34	29	29	438	0	0	1	0	284
1851	1/8-3/17	69	59	59	707	0	0	9	0	407
1852	1/14-4/19	97	78	78	813	0	0	2	1	504
1853	1/12-4/4; 6/6-7/13	153	100	104	1,145	0	0	3	0	521
1854	1/11-4/3	83	66	66	880	0	0	2	0	437
1855	1/10-4/2	83	79	79	955	0	0	6	0	500
1856	1/9-3/31; 9/3-10/14	125	94	103	1,242	0	0	1	0	688
1857	1/14-3/9	55	46	46	895	0	0	0	0	517
1858	1/13-3/31; 4/10-5/17	116	95	97	1,364	157	342	28	0	436
1859	1/12-3/21	69	58	57	986	113	143	9	0	680
1860	1/11-4/2	83	66	67	1,024	69	246	2	0	489
1861	1/9-4/17	99	81	80	857	100	235	2	0	387
1861SS <sup>4</sup>	5/15-5/27	13	11	11	28	24	34	0	0	15
1862	1/8-4/7; 6/3-6/17	105	86	88	1,008	125	207	27	8	514
1862SS	9/10-9/26	17	15	15	43	25	37	0	0	17
1863	1/14-4/2	79	65	67	895	101	157	7	1	383
1864	1/13-4/4	83	68	69	835	66	141	0	0	509
1865	1/11-4/10	90	73	72	1,132	82	190	2	0	565
1866	1/10-4/2	83	75	74	1,107	64	208	5	0	733
1867	1/9-4/11	93	71	72	1,161	97	161	2	0	790
1868	1/8-3/6	59	46	45	987	73	119	2	0	692
1869	1/13-3/11	58	40	43	887	52	81	12	1	657
1870	1/12-3/17	65	51	51	1,043	54	89	2	0	666
1871	1/11-3/25	74	58	60	1,066	55	82	4	0	671
1872	1/10-3/26	77	61	60	709	79	124	2	0	322
1873	1/8-3/20	72	49	55	611	62	122	4	0	308
1874	1/14-3/12	58	50	49	688	91	111	2	0	349
1875	1/13-3/6	53	44	42	637	39	93	2	0	344
1876	1/12-3/14	63	50	50	715	57	115	2	0	415
1877	1/10-3/8	58	41	41	720	59	95	4	0	384
1878	1/9-3/21	72	55	55	735	79	134	2	0	342
1878SS	6/4-6/7	4	4	4	6	14	10	0	0	5
1879	1/8-3/5	57	43	43	610	49	105	0	0	256
1880	1/14-3/17	64	50	49	669	58	93	3	0	323
1881	1/12-4/14	93	63	64	780	104	100	3	0	334
1882	1/11-3/31	80	57	57	728	57	90	6	0	330
1883	1/10-4/4	85	57	67	705	75	100	2	0	360
1885	1/14-4/13	90	65	66	963	97	108	8	0	471
1887	1/12-4/15	94	69	68	1,293	114	60	10	0	553
1889	1/9-4/19	101	64	64	1,355	136	82	5	1	529
1891	1/14-4/25	102	68	69	1,216	137	91	8	1	483
1892SS	6/28-7/1	4	4	4	4	7	16	0	0	1
1892SS	10/17-10/27	11	9	9	8	6	14	0	0	2
1893	1/11-4/21	101	62	62	1,124	135	86	6	0	312
1895	1/9-4/20	102	70	70	1,154	139	88	0	0	387
1896SS	2/18-2/28	11	8	8	3	11	15	0	0	1
1897	1/13-4-21; 8/17-8/20	103	75	76	1,077	155	39	11	0	381
1899	1/11-5/4	114	78	77	910	113	40	4	0	357
1901	1/9-5/15	127	89	89	1,091	81	39	22	0	470
1903	1/14-5/23	130	87	89	1,115	65	81	23	0	451
1905	1/11-6/21	162	114	117	1,357	134	101	19	0	523
1905SS	12/4-12/19	16	12	14	24	15	26	0	0	17
1907	1/9-7/16	189	114	123	1,685	205	84	26	1	677
1909	1/13-6/18	157	100	101	1,567	213	49	24	0	550
1911	1/11-7/15	186	137	138	1,710	267	37	15	0	665
1912SS	4/30-5/6	7	6	6	41	7	6	0	0	22
1913	1/8-8/9	214	138	147	1,847	175	79	23	0	778
1915	1/13-8/24	224	147	148	1,560	220	79	15	0	637
1916SS	10/10-10/11	2	2	2	2	8	4	0	0	2
1917	1/10-7/16	188	130	133	1,439	229	115	18	0	679
1918SS	2/19-3/9	19	14	14	27	22	28	2	0	16
1918SS	9/24-9/25	2	2	2	2	6	9	0	0	2
1919	1/8-7/30	204	107	106	1,350	268	100	40	0	703
1919SS	9/4-9/8	5	4	3	7	4	6	0	0	7
1920SS	5/25-6/4	11	7	7	46	10	22	2	0	32
1921	1/12-7/14	184	116	116	1,199	207	93	41	1	591
1922SS	3/22-3/28	7	4	4	10	7	12	1	0	4
1923	1/10-7/14	186	114	120	1,247	215	93	52	0	449
1925	1/14-6/29	167	103	107	1,144	200	115	73	0	454
1926SS	4/15-4/16	2	2	2	1	8	12	0	0	1
1927	1/12-8/13	214	121	128	1,341	235	167	88	2	542
1928SS	1/24-2/4	12	9	8	20	35	23	0	0	5
1928SS	3/6-3/13	8	6	6	13	9	17	0	0	2
1929	1/9-9/20	255	137	135	1,366	278	185	44	0	530
1931	1/14-6/27	165	98	104	1,429	291	160	36	0	487

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			(S)	(A)						
1931SS	11/24/31-2/5/32	74	48	42	99	93	83	2	0	31
1933	1/11-7/25	196	111	121	1,411	324	157	15	0	496
1933SS	12/11/33-2/3/34	55	30	34	45	160	53	0	0	20
1935	1/9-9/27	262	153	156	1,662	346	190	27	0	556
1937	1/13-7/2	171	97	114	1,404	228	127	10	0	432
1937SS	9/15-10/16	32	23	23	28	18	23	0	0	15
1939	1/11-10/6	269	154	154	1,559	268	133	22	0	535
1941	1/8-6/6	150	90	93	1,368	160	109	17	0	333
1943	1/13-8/3; (1944: 1/12-1/22)	375	105	104	1,153	202	136	39	20	577
1945	1/10-6/20; 9/5-9/6	240	97	93	1,156	208	109	31	5	590
1946SS	7/29-7/30	2	2	2	2	6	14	0	0	2
1947	1/8-7/19; 9/9-9/11	247	114	114	1,220	195	97	10	1	615
1948SS	7/19-7/20	2	2	2	0	7	11	0	0	0
1949	1/12-7/9; 9/12-9/13	245	105	106	1,432	188	86	17	2	643
1951	1/10-6/14	156	91	90	1,559	157	73	18	0	735
1953	1/14-6/12; 10/26-11/6	297	97	98	1,593	175	70	31	3	687
1955	1/12-6/24; 10/3-10/21	283	111	114	1,503	256	74	38	0	696
1957	1/9-6/28; 9/23-9/27	262	107	108	1,512	246	71	39	1	706
1958SS	6/11-6/13	3	3	3	3	7	13	0	0	3
1959	1/14-5/27/60 (1959: 1/14-7/25, 11/3-12/23; 1960: 1/6-1/22, 5/16-5/27)	500	159	163	1,769	272	84	36	4	696
1961	1/11-6/1/9/63 (1961: 1/11-8/12, 10/30-12/22; 1962: 1/8-1/12, 6/18-7/31, 12/27-12/29; 1963: 1/9)	729	184	185	1,592	295	68	73	2	689
1963	1/9-6/1/13/65 (1963: 1/9-8/6, 11/4-11/21; 1964: 4/13-4/29, 11/9-11/11; 1965: 1/13)	736	140	142	1,619	241	110	72	4	580
1963SS	12/10-12/12	3	3	3	8	10	10	0	0	3
1965 <sup>2</sup>	1/13/65-1/2/67 (1965: 1/13-7/30, 10/4-11/4; 1966: 5/2-6/10; 1967: 1/2)	720	163	160	1,818	293	86	24	1	666
1967	1/11-6/7-1/6/69 (1967: 1/11-3/9, 4/4-7/28, 10/17-11/16, 12/5-12/16; 1968: none; 1969: 1/6)	727	122	126	1,700	215	61	18	0	355
1969	1/6-6/9-1/4/71 (1969: 1/6, 1/21-11/15; 1970: 1/5-1/16; 1971: 1/4)	729	165	165	2,014	232	101	34	1	501
1969SS	9/29/69-1/17/70	111	28	18	5	5	8	0	0	1
1970SS	12/22/70	1	1	1	0	1	5	0	0	0
1971	1/4-1/11-7/3 (1971: 1/4, 1/19-10/28; 1972: 1/18-3/10, 7/13-7/15; 1973: 1/1)	729	179	180	2,568	291	121	32	3	336
1972SS	4/19-4/28	10	5	6	9	4	4	0	0	6
1973	1/1-1/7-1/6/75 (1973: 1/1, 1/16-2/15, 3/13-7/26, 10/2-10/26; 1974: 1/29-3/29, 11/19-11/20; 1975: 1/6)	736	147	150	2,501	277	126	13	0	332
1973SS	12/17-12/21	5	5	5	3	2	6	0	0	2
1974SS	4/29-6/13	46	17	20	12	1	4	0	0	6
1974SS <sup>7</sup>	11/19-11/20	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	1
1975	1/6-1/14-2/20, 4/1-7/16, 9/2-9/26; 1976: 1/28-3/26, 6/15-6/17; 1977: 1/3)	729	125	129	2,325	169	88	36	6	414
1975SS	12/9-12/11	3	3	3	13	1	2	1	0	6
1976SS	5/18	1	1	1	2	2	3	0	0	1
1976SS <sup>7</sup>	6/15-6/17	3	3	3	13	4	3	0	0	9
1976SS	9/8	1	1	1	4	1	4	0	0	2
1977	1/3-1/7-1/1/79 (1977: 1/3, 1/11-2/17, 3/29-7/1, 9/6-9/30; 1978: 1/24, 1/31-3/31, 6/13-6/15; 1979: 1/3)	730	86	112	2,053	182	48	21	4	442
1977SS	6/30	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
1977SS	11/7-11/11	5	5	5	6	4	2	0	0	5
1978SS <sup>7</sup>	6/13-6/15	3	3	3	2	5	2	0	0	2
1978SS	12/20	1	1	1	2	4	2	0	0	2

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			(S)	(A)						
1979	1/3-1/9, 1/23-3/2, 4/17-6/29, 10/2-11/2; 1980: 1/29-4/2, 5/28-5/30; 1981: 1/5)	734	85	99	1,920	203	40	19	3	350
1979SS	9/5	1	1	1	10	3	2	0	0	5
1980SS <sup>8</sup>	1/22-1/25	4	2	4	8	3	2	0	0	0
1980SS	6/3-7/3	31	13	12	20	14	2	0	0	7
1981	1/5/81-1/3/83 (1981: 1/5, 1/13, 1/27-2/20, 4/7-7/17, 9/30-10/30, 12/15-12/17; 1982: 1/20-6/14; 1983: 1/3)	729	121	130	1,987	176	70	10	2	381
1981SS <sup>9</sup>	11/4-11/17	14	8	7	6	3	2	0	0	3
1982SS <sup>9</sup>	4/6-4/30, 5/5-5/20	45	18	21	4	2	2	1	0	1
1982SS <sup>10</sup>	5/26-5/28	3	3	3	13	7	2	0	0	9
1983	1/3/83-1/7/85 (1983: 1/3, 1/25-1/27, 2/8-2/17, 4/12-6/30, 10/4-10/28; 1984: 1/31-4/6, 5/22-5/24; 1985: 1/7)	736	75	80	1,902	173	50	3	0	521
1983SS	1/4-1/6	3	3	2	2	2	1	0	0	2
1983SS	4/12-4/14	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	1
1983SS	7/11-7/14	4	2	4	5	3	1	0	0	4
1983SS	10/18-10/28	11	8	7	12	1	0	0	0	11
1984SS	2/2-4/4	63	19	13	2	1	0	0	0	0
1984SS	5/22-5/24	3	3	2	12	5	1	0	0	11
1985	1/7/85-1/5/87 (1985: 1/7, 1/15, 1/29-2/7, 3/19-3/21, 4/23-6/29, 9/24-10/18; 1986: 1/28-3/26, 5/20-5/22; 1987: 1/5)	729	68	67	1,624	171	41	7	0	293
1985SS	3/19-3/21	3	2	2	6	1	0	0	0	3
1985SS	9/24-10/19	26	11	7	22	1	0	0	0	17
1985SS	10/31	1	1	1	1	3	0	0	0	1
1985SS	11/20	1	1	1	24	2	0	0	0	12
1986SS	1/27-5/30	124	34	27	1	4	0	0	0	1
1986SS	3/24-3/26	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	1
1986SS	5/20-5/29	10	6	4	44	3	0	0	0	12
1986SS	7/15	1	1	1	3	1	0	0	0	2
1987 <sup>10</sup>	1/5/87-1/3/89 (1987: 1/5, 1/13, 1/27-2/5, 2/12, 3/17-3/19, 4/21-7/2, 10/6-10/29; 1988: 1/26-3/25, 4/19-4/20, 5/17-5/19, 6/30; 1989: 1/3)	730	75	87	1,631	196	21	35	0	413
1987SS	9/15-9/16	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	2
1987SS	11/18/87-6/7/88	203	44	42	19	3	0	3	0	5
1988SS	6/30	1	1	1	4	1	3	0	0	2
1989	1/3/89-1/7/91 (1989: 1/3, 1/4-1/9, 1/10, 1/11-1/23, 1/24-2/3, 2/6-3/13, 3/14-3/16, 3/17-4/24, 4/25-4/27, 4/28-5/15, 5/16-6/30, 10/3-11/10, 11/13-12/31; 1990: 1/1-1/22, 1/23-3/23, 3/26-5/14, 5/15-5/17, 5/18-12/31; 1991: 1/1-1/4, 1/7)	735	68	70	1,557	244	45	35	0	361
1989SS	10/10/89-3/22/90	164	52	49	52	6	0	0	0	7
1990SS	5/15/90	1	1	1	7	1	0	0	0	0
1991	1/7/91-1/4/93 (1991: 1/7, 1/15, 1/29-3/14, 4/16-5/16, 6/4-7/3, 10/1-11/8; 1992: 1/28-3/27, 5/19-5/21; 1993: 1/4)	729	102	100	1,676	244	32	33	0	318
1991SS	1/29-7/4	157	49	52	16	1	0	0	0	2
1991SS	10/15/91-5/21/92	220	50	47	9	2	0	0	0	1
1992SS <sup>8</sup>	4/14-6/4	52	20	17	7	1	2	0	0	2
1992SS	6/1	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
1992SS	8/25-9/15	22	7	7	1	1	2	0	0	1
1993	1/4/93-1/3/95 (1993: 1/4, 1/26-3/11, 4/20-7/16, 10/5-10/28; 1994: 1/25-3/25, 5/17; 1995: 1/3)	730	91	86	2,147	207	47	8	0	491
1994SS	5/18-5/19	2	2	2	6	1	0	0	0	3
1994SS <sup>11</sup>	6/7-6/23	17	8	8	3	4	0	0	0	3

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			(S)	(A)						
1995	1/3/95-1/6/97 (1995: 1/3-1/5, 1/17-2/2, 2/14-3/9, 4/4-4/6, 5/16-6/29, 9/19-10/12; 11/7-11/16; 1996: 1/9-2/1, 3/5-3/28, 5/7-5/14, 7/9; 1997: 1/6)	735	78	90	1,780	163	38	4	0	467
1995SS	1/4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	
1995SS	9/5-10/12	36	12	13	1	1	0	0	0	1
1997	1/6/97-1/4/99 (1997: 1/6, 1/14, 1/28-1/30, 2/12, 2/25-2/26, 3/4-3/20, 5/13-5/29, 6/10-9/30, 11/4-11/6, 11/18-11/20; 1998: 1/13-1/22, 2/3-2/12, 3/10-3/26, 4/21-5/13; 1999: 1/4)	729	87	92	1,508	183	30	3	0	333
1998SS	4/21-5/21	31	13	12	13	2	2	0	0	5
1999 <sup>4</sup>	1/4/99-1/3/01 (1999: 1/4, 1/14, 1/26-1/28, 2/16-2/18, 3/2-3/4, 3/16-3/25, 5/11-10/6, 10/26-11/11; 2000: 1/25-2/10, 3/7-3/30, 5/2-5/4, 5/23-5/24; 2001: 1/3)	731	97	101	1,498	168	52	5	0	196
1999SS	10/27-11/11	16	7	8	3	1	0	0	0	1
2000SS	5/4-5/9	8	3	3	2	2	1	0	0	1
2001	1/3/01-1/6/03 (2001: 1/3, 1/30-2/1, 2/13-2/15, 3/6-3/22, 5/1-5/10, 6/5-7/26, 10/2-10/4, 10/16-11/8; 2002: 1/22-2/7, 2/26-3/14, 4/30-5/2, 5/14-5/15; 2003: 1/6)	734	62	63	1,436	174	75	0	0	106
2001SS	5/1-5/3	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1
2002SS	1/22-7/8	168	59	52	1	2	7	0	0	1
2002SS	5/13-5/15	3	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	1
2003 <sup>4a</sup>	1/6/03-1/3/05 (2003: 1/6-1/7, 1/28-1/30, 2/18-2/20, 3/3-3/20, 4/29-5/8, 5/28-6/25, 9/23-10/2, 10/28-11/13; 2004: 1/20-2/5, 2/24-3/11, 4/27, 5/11-5/19; 2005: 1/3)	729	104	94	1,567	164	78	54	0	326
2003SS	1/30-2/20	22	7	7	1	0	0	0	0	1
2005 <sup>5</sup>	1/3/05-1/3/07 (2005: 1/3, 1/11-1/27, 2/8, 2/15-2/24, 3/8-3/16, 4/5-4/12, 5/3-5/12, 5/31-6/30, 7/5, 7/20, 9/20-9/28, 10/25-11/9, 12/6-12/15; 2006: 1/17-2/2, 2/21-3/9, 4/25-5/17, 5/30-5/31, 7/12; 2007: 1/3)	731	69	72	1,967	196	76	47	0	489
2005SS	1/12-1/20	9	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	1
2006SS	2/14-3/7	22	7	6	2	0	0	0	0	1
2007	1/3/07-1/5/09 (2007: 1/3, 1/9, 1/30-2/1, 2/13, 2/20-3/1, 3/13-3/15, 4/17-4/26, 5/8-5/16, 5/29-11/8, 12/11; 2008: 1/15-1/31, 2/19-3/13, 5/6-5/8, 5/27-5/28; 2009: 1/5)	733	91	89	1,574	230	50	1	0	239
2007SS	1/11-2/1	22	7	6	2	1	0	0	0	1
2007SS	10/15-10/23	9	5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
2007SS	12/11/07, 1/15-5/14/08	156	38	39	1	1	0	0	0	0
2008SS	3/12-4/15	65	22	22	1	4	2	0	0	1
2008SS	4/17-5/15	29	11	11	1	4	2	0	0	1
2009 <sup>6</sup>	1/5/09-1/3/11 (2009: 1/5, 1/13, 1/27-2/26, 3/24-3/26, 4/21-4/30, 5/12-5/21, 6/9-6/30, 9/15-9/24, 10/20-11/5; 2010: 1/19-1/28, 2/16-3/4, 4/13-4/22, 5/4-5/6, 5/25-5/26, 12/15-12/16; 2011: 1/3)	729	59	60	1,720	221	44	6	0	406
2009SS	6/24-6/27	4	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
2009SS	12/16-3/4/10	79	23	24	2	0	0	0	0	0



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			(S)	(A)						
2011 <sup>17</sup>	1/3-11/17/13	735	69	64	1,325	211	48	0	0	267
(2011:	1/3, 1/11, 1/25-2/10, 2/22-3/10, 4/5-4/14, 5/10-5/19, 6/7-6/28, 7/19-8/2, 9/13-9/22, 10/18-11/3; 2012: 1/17-1/26, 2/14-2/23, 3/6-3/15, 4/24, 5/22, 7/17; 2013: 1/7)									
2011SS:	1/4-9/27	267	84	80	27	1	3	0	0	12
2011SS:	9/29-12/8	71	22	22	48	0	0	0	0	7
2013:	1/7/13-1/5/15	730	55	53	1,627	214	37	1	0	373
(2013:	1/7, 1/9-1/10, 1/15, 1/17, 1/29-1/31, 2/12-2/13, 2/20, 2/26-3/7, 4/9-4/17, 5/7-5/14, 6/4-6/21, 9/17, 10/8-10/15, 11/5-11/14 2014: 1/14-1/22, 2/11-2/20, 3/11-3/20, 4/1-4/2, 4/29, 5/20 2015: 1/5)									
2013SS:	10/10-11/12	34	10	10	8	0	0	0	0	4
2013SS:	12/2-12/19	18	6	7	2	0	0	0	0	1
2014SS:	1/23-3/20	57	17	16	4	0	0	0	0	2

Note: For 1836-1847 territorial sessions, see *1873 Blue Book*, p. 205.

<sup>1</sup>Partial vetoes not included. See Executive Vetoes table. <sup>2</sup>Number of calendar days from session opening date to final adjournment. <sup>3</sup>Number of days senate or assembly met, including "skeleton sessions" (those days on which the senate or assembly leadership calls the house in session *in absentia* to fulfill a procedural requirement). <sup>4</sup>SS denotes special session. Regular and special sessions may run concurrently with meetings held on the same day. Each is counted as a separate meeting day. <sup>5</sup>Although 1965 Legislature adjourned to 1/11/67, terms automatically expired on 1/2/67. <sup>6</sup>Senate adjourned the special session 11/15/69; assembly, 1/17/70. <sup>7</sup>Special session met concurrently with regular session. <sup>8</sup>1979 Legislature met concurrently in extraordinary and special session, 1/22/80 – 1/25/80. <sup>9</sup>Legislature met concurrently in special session and extended floorperiod. <sup>10</sup>Extraordinary sessions held in February, September, and November 1987, and April, May, and June 1988. May 1988 extraordinary session ran concurrently with May 1988 veto review period and also with June 1988 extraordinary session. <sup>11</sup>Extraordinary session held, 6/15/94 – 6/23/94. <sup>12</sup>Extraordinary session held in April 1998. <sup>13</sup>Extraordinary session held in April and May 2000. <sup>14</sup>Extraordinary sessions held in February, July, and August 2003; December 2003-February 2004; March 2004; May 2004; and July 2004. <sup>15</sup>Extraordinary sessions were held in July 2005 and April 2006. <sup>16</sup>Extraordinary sessions held in February, May, June, and December 2009 and in December 2010. <sup>17</sup>Extraordinary sessions were held in June and July 2011.

Sources: *Bulletin of the Proceedings of the Wisconsin Legislature*, various editions; and senate and assembly journals.

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Name	Party	Residence	District	Term
Adams, Henry C . . . . .	Rep.	Madison	2	1903-1906
Amlie, Thomas R . . . . .	Rep., Prog.	Elkhorn	1	1931-1933; 1935-1939
Aspin, Les . . . . .	Dem.	East Troy	1	1971-1993
Atwood, David . . . . .	Rep.	Madison	2	1870-1871
Babbitt, Clinton . . . . .	Dem.	Beloit	1	1891-1893
Babcock, Joseph W . . . . .	Rep.	Necedah	3	1893-1907
Baldus, Alvin . . . . .	Dem.	Menomonie	3	1975-1981
Baldwin, Tammy . . . . .	Dem.	Madison	2	1999-2013
Barber, J. Allen . . . . .	Rep.	Lancaster	3	1871-1875
Barca, Peter W . . . . .	Dem.	Kenosha	1	1993-1995
Barnes, Lyman E . . . . .	Dem.	Appleton	8	1893-1895
Barney, Samuel S . . . . .	Rep.	West Bend	5	1895-1903
Barrett, Thomas M . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	5	1993-2003
Barwig, Charles . . . . .	Dem.	Mayville	2	1889-1895
Beck, Joseph D . . . . .	Rep.	Viroqua	7	1921-1929
Berger, Victor L . . . . .	Soc.	Milwaukee	5	1911-1913; 1919; 1923-1929
Biemiller, Andrew J . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	5	1945-1947; 1949-1951
Billinghurst, Charles . . . . .	Rep.	Juneau	3	1855-1859
Blanchard, George W . . . . .	Rep.	Edgerton	1	1933-1935
Boileau, Gerald J . . . . .	Rep., Prog.	Wausau	8,7	1931-1939
Bolles, Stephen . . . . .	Rep.	Janesville	1	1939-1941
Bouck, Gabriel . . . . .	Dem.	Oshkosh	6	1877-1881
Bragg, Edward S . . . . .	Dem.	Fond du Lac	5,2	1877-1883; 1885-1887
Brickner, George H . . . . .	Dem.	Sheboygan Falls	5	1889-1895
Brophy, John C . . . . .	Rep.	Milwaukee	4	1947-1949
Brown, James S . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	1	1863-1865
Brown, Webster E . . . . .	Rep.	Rhineland	9,10	1901-1907
Browne, Edward E . . . . .	Rep.	Waupaca	8	1913-1931
Burchard, Samuel D . . . . .	Dem.	Beaver Dam	5	1875-1877
Burke, Michael E . . . . .	Dem.	Beaver Dam	6,2	1911-1917
Bushnell, Allen R . . . . .	Dem.	Madison	3	1891-1893
Byrnes, John W . . . . .	Rep.	Green Bay	8	1945-1973
Cannon, Raymond J . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	1933-1939
Cary, William J . . . . .	Rep.	Milwaukee	4	1907-1919
Caswell, Lucien B . . . . .	Rep.	Fort Atkinson	2,1	1875-1883; 1885-1891
Cate, George W . . . . .	Reform	Stevens Point	8	1875-1877
Clark, Charles B . . . . .	Rep.	Neenah	6	1887-1891
Classon, David G . . . . .	Rep.	Oconto	9	1917-1923
Cobb, Amasa . . . . .	Rep.	Mineral Point	3	1863-1871
Coburn, Frank P . . . . .	Dem.	West Salem	7	1891-1893
Cole, Oramus . . . . .	Whig	Potosi	2	1849-1851
Cook, Samuel A . . . . .	Rep.	Neenah	6	1895-1897
Cooper, Henry Allen . . . . .	Rep.	Racine	1	1893-1919; 1921-1931
Cornell, Robert J . . . . .	Dem.	De Pere	8	1975-1979
Dahle, Herman B . . . . .	Rep.	Mount Horeb	2	1899-1903
Darling, Mason C . . . . .	Dem.	Fond du Lac	2	1848-1849
Davidson, James H . . . . .	Rep.	Oshkosh	6,8	1897-1913; 1917-1918
Davis, Glenn R . . . . .	Rep.	Waukesha	2,9	1947-1957; 1965-1975
Deuster, Peter V . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	1879-1885
Dilweg, La Vern R . . . . .	Dem.	Green Bay	8	1943-1945
Doty, James D . . . . .	Dem.	Neenah	3	1849-1853
Duffy, Sean P . . . . .	Rep.	Ashland	7	2011-
Durkee, Charles . . . . .	Free Soil	Kenosha	1	1849-1853
Eastman, Ben C . . . . .	Dem.	Platteville	2	1851-1855
Eldredge, Charles A . . . . .	Dem.	Fond du Lac	4,5	1863-1875
Esch, John Jacob . . . . .	Rep.	La Crosse	7	1899-1921
Flynn, Gerald T . . . . .	Dem.	Racine	1	1959-1961
Frear, James A . . . . .	Rep.	Hudson	10,9	1913-1935
Froehlich, Harold V . . . . .	Rep.	Appleton	8	1973-1975
Gehrmann, Bernard J . . . . .	Prog.	Mellen	10	1935-1943
Green, Mark A . . . . .	Rep.	Green Bay	8	1999-2007
Griffin, Michael . . . . .	Rep.	Eau Claire	7	1894-1899
Griswold, Harry W . . . . .	Rep.	West Salem	3	1939-1941
Grothman, Glenn . . . . .	Rep.	Glenbeulah	6	2015-
Guenther, Richard W . . . . .	Rep.	Oshkosh	6,2	1881-1889
Gunderson, Steven . . . . .	Rep.	Osseo	3	1981-1997
Hanchett, Luther . . . . .	Rep.	Plover	2	1861-1862
Haugen, Nils P . . . . .	Rep.	Black River Falls	8,10	1887-1895
Hawkes, Charles, Jr . . . . .	Rep.	Horicon	2	1939-1941
Hazelton, George C . . . . .	Rep.	Boscobel	3	1877-1883
Hazelton, Gerry W . . . . .	Rep.	Columbus	2	1871-1875
Henney, Charles W . . . . .	Dem.	Portage	2	1933-1935
Henry, Robert K . . . . .	Rep.	Jefferson	2	1945-1947
Hopkins, Benjamin F . . . . .	Rep.	Madison	2	1867-1870

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Name	Party	Residence	District	Term
Hudd, Thomas R.	Dem.	Green Bay	5	1886-1889
Hughes, James	Dem.	De Pere	8	1933-1935
Hull, Merlin	Prog.	Black River Falls	7,9	1929-1931; 1935-1953
Humphrey, Herman L.	Rep.	Hudson	7,9	1877-1883
Jenkins, John J.	Rep.	Chippewa Falls	10,11	1895-1909
Johns, Joshua L.	Rep.	Appleton	8	1939-1943
Johnson, Jay	Dem.	New Franken	8	1997-1999
Johnson, Lester R.	Dem.	Black River Falls	9	1953-1965
Jones, Burr W.	Dem.	Madison	3	1883-1885
Kading, Charles A.	Rep.	Watertown	2	1927-1933
Kagen, Steve	Dem.	Appleton	8	2007-2011
Kasten, Robert W., Jr.	Rep.	Waukesha	9	1975-1979
Kastenmeier, Robert W.	Dem.	Sun Prairie	2	1959-1991
Keefe, Frank B.	Rep.	Oshkosh	6	1939-1951
Kersten, Charles J.	Rep.	Whitefish Bay	5	1947-1949; 1951-1955
Kimball, Alanson M.	Rep.	Wausara	6	1875-1877
Kind, Ron	Dem.	La Crosse	3	1997-
Klecza, Gerald D.	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	1984-2005
Klecza, John C.	Rep.	Milwaukee	4	1919-1923
Klug, Scott L.	Rep.	Madison	2	1991-1999
Konop, Thomas F.	Dem.	Kewaunee	9	1911-1917
Kopp, Arthur W.	Rep.	Platteville	3	1909-1913
Kustermann, Gustav	Rep.	Green Bay	9	1907-1911
La Follette, Robert M., Sr.	Rep.	Madison	3	1885-1891
Laird, Melvin R.	Rep.	Marshfield	7	1953-1969
Lampert, Florian	Rep.	Oshkosh	6	1918-1930
Larrabee, Charles H.	Dem.	Horicon	3	1859-1861
Lenroot, Irvine L.	Rep.	Superior	11	1909-1918
Lynch, Thomas	Dem.	Antigo	9	1891-1895
Lynde, William Pitt	Dem.	Milwaukee	1,4	1848-1849; 1875-1879
Macy, John B.	Dem.	Fond du Lac	3	1853-1855
Magoon, Henry S.	Rep.	Darlington	3	1875-1877
McCord, Myron H.	Rep.	Merrill	9	1889-1891
McDill, Alexander S.	Rep.	Plover	8	1873-1875
McIndoe, Walter D.	Rep.	Wausau	6	1863-1867
McMurray, Howard J.	Dem.	Milwaukee	5	1943-1945
Miller, Lucas M.	Dem.	Oshkosh	6	1891-1893
Minor, Edward S.	Rep.	Sturgeon Bay	8,9	1895-1907
Mitchell, Alexander	Dem.	Milwaukee	1,4	1871-1875
Mitchell, John L.	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	1891-1893
Monahan, James G.	Rep.	Darlington	3	1919-1921
Moody, James P.	Dem.	Milwaukee	5	1983-1993
Moore, Gwen	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	2005-
Morse, Elmer A.	Rep.	Antigo	10	1907-1913
Murphy, James W.	Dem.	Platteville	3	1907-1909
Murray, Reid F.	Rep.	Ogdensburg	7	1939-1953
Nelson, Adolphus P.	Rep.	Grantsburg	11	1918-1923
Nelson, John Mandt	Rep.	Madison	2,3	1906-1919; 1921-1933
Neumann, Mark W.	Rep.	Janesville	1	1995-1999
Obey, David R.	Dem.	Wausau	7	1969-2011
O'Konski, Alvin E.	Rep.	Mercer	10	1943-1973
O'Malley, Thomas D. P.	Dem.	Milwaukee	5	1933-1939
Otjen, Theobald	Rep.	Milwaukee	4	1895-1907
Paine, Halbert E.	Rep.	Milwaukee	1	1865-1871
Peavey, Hubert H.	Rep.	Washburn	11,10	1923-1935
Petri, Thomas E.	Rep.	Fond du Lac	6	1979-2015
Pocan, Mark	Dem.	Madison	2	2013-
Potter, John F.	Rep.	East Troy	1	1857-1863
Pound, Thaddeus C.	Rep.	Chippewa Falls	8	1877-1883
Price, Hugh H.	Rep.	Black River Falls	8	1887
Price, William T.	Rep.	Black River Falls	8	1883-1886
Race, John A.	Dem.	Fond du Lac	6	1965-1967
Randall, Clifford E.	Rep.	Kenosha	1	1919-1921
Rankin, Joseph	Dem.	Manitowoc	5	1883-1886
Reilly, Michael K.	Dem.	Fond du Lac	6	1913-1917; 1930-1939
Reuss, Henry S.	Dem.	Milwaukee	5	1955-1983
Ribble, Reid J.	Rep.	Appleton	8	2011-
Roth, Toby	Rep.	Appleton	8	1979-1997
Rusk, Jeremiah M.	Rep.	Viroqua	6,7	1871-1877
Ryan, Paul	Rep.	Janesville	1	1999-
Sauerhering, Edward	Rep.	Mayville	2	1895-1899
Sauthoff, Harry	Prog.	Madison	2	1935-1939; 1941-1945
Sawyer, Philetus	Rep.	Oshkosh	5,6	1865-1875
Schadeberg, Henry C.	Rep.	Burlington	1	1961-1965; 1967-1971
Schafer, John C.	Rep.	Milwaukee	4	1923-1933; 1939-1941

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Name	Party	Residence	District	Term
Schneider, George J . . . . .	Rep., Prog.	Appleton	9,8	1923-1933; 1935-1939
Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr . . . . .	Rep.	Menomonee Falls	9,5	1979-
Shaw, George B . . . . .	Rep.	Eau Claire	7	1893-1894
Sloan, A. Scott . . . . .	Rep.	Beaver Dam	3	1861-1863
Sloan, Ithamar C . . . . .	Rep.	Janesville	2	1863-1867
Smith, Henry . . . . .	Union Labor	Milwaukee	4	1887-1889
Smith, Lawrence H . . . . .	Rep.	Racine	1	1941-1959
Somers, Peter J . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	1893-1895
Stafford, William H . . . . .	Rep.	Milwaukee	5	1903-1911; 1913-1919; 1921-1923; 1929-1933
Stalbaum, Lynn E . . . . .	Dem.	Racine	1	1965-1967
Steiger, William A . . . . .	Rep.	Oshkosh	6	1967-1978
Stephenson, Isaac . . . . .	Rep.	Marinette	9	1883-1889
Stevenson, William H . . . . .	Rep.	La Crosse	3	1941-1949
Stewart, Alexander . . . . .	Rep.	Wausau	9	1895-1901
Sumner, Daniel H . . . . .	Dem.	Waukesha	2	1883-1885
Tewes, Donald E . . . . .	Rep.	Waukesha	2	1957-1959
Thill, Lewis D . . . . .	Rep.	Milwaukee	5	1939-1943
Thomas, Ormsby B . . . . .	Rep.	Prairie du Chien	7	1885-1891
Thomson, Vernon W . . . . .	Rep.	Richland Center	3	1961-1975
Van Pelt, William K . . . . .	Rep.	Fond du Lac	6	1951-1963
Van Schaick, Isaac W . . . . .	Rep.	Milwaukee	4	1885-1887; 1889-1891
Voigt, Edward . . . . .	Rep.	Sheboygan	2	1917-1927
Washburn, Cadwallader C . . . . .	Rep.	Mineral Point, La Crosse	2 6	1855-1861; 1867-1871
Wasielewski, Thaddeus F . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	1941-1947
Weisse, Charles H . . . . .	Dem.	Sheboygan Falls	6	1903-1911
Wells, Daniel, Jr . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	1	1853-1857
Wells, Owen A . . . . .	Dem.	Fond du Lac	6	1893-1895
Wheeler, Ezra . . . . .	Dem.	Berlin	5	1863-1865
Williams, Charles G . . . . .	Rep.	Janesville	1	1873-1883
Winans, John . . . . .	Dem.	Janesville	1	1883-1885
Withrow, Gardner R . . . . .	Rep., Prog.	La Crosse	7,3	1931-1939; 1949-1961
Woodward, Gilbert M . . . . .	Dem.	La Crosse	7	1883-1885
Zablocki, Clement J . . . . .	Dem.	Milwaukee	4	1949-1983

Sources: Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau, *Wisconsin Blue Book*, various editions; Congressional Quarterly, *Guide to U.S. Elections*, 1985; and official election records.

## WISCONSIN MEMBERS, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES By District, 1943 – 2015

District	Name	Service	Party	Residence	Alphabetical Listing
1st	Lawrence H. Smith	1941-59	Rep.	Racine	Aspin 1st
	Gerald T. Flynn	1959-61	Dem.	Racine	Baldus 3rd
	Henry C. Schadeberg	1961-65; 1967-71	Rep.	Burlington	Baldwin 2nd
	Lynn E. Stalbaum	1965-67	Dem.	Racine	Barca 1st
	Les Aspin <sup>1</sup>	1971-93	Dem.	East Troy	Barrett 5th
	Peter W. Barca <sup>1</sup>	1993-95	Dem.	Kenosha	Biemiller 5th
	Mark W. Neumann	1995-99	Rep.	Janesville	Brophy 4th
	Paul Ryan	1999-	Rep.	Janesville	Byrnes 8th
					Cornell 8th
					Davis 2nd, 9th
2nd	Harry Sauthoff	1941-45	Prog.	Madison	Dilweg 8th
	Robert K. Henry	1945-47	Rep.	Jefferson	Duffy 7th
	Glenn R. Davis	1947-57	Rep.	Waukesha	Flynn 1st
	Donald E. Tewes	1957-59	Rep.	Waukesha	Froehlich 8th
	Robert W. Kastenmeier	1959-91	Dem.	Sun Prairie	Green 8th
	Scott L. Klug	1991-99	Rep.	Madison	Grothman 6th
	Tammy Baldwin	1999-2013	Dem.	Madison	Gunderson 3rd
	Mark Pocan	2013-	Dem.	Madison	Henry 2nd
					Hull 9th
					Johnson, J. 8th
3rd	William H. Stevenson	1941-49	Rep.	La Crosse	Johnson, L. 9th
	Gardner R. Withrow	1949-61	Rep.	La Crosse	Kagen 8th
	Vernon W. Thomson	1961-75	Rep.	Richland Center	Kasten 9th
	Alvin Baldus	1975-81	Dem.	Menomonie	Kastenmeier 2nd
	Steven Gunderson	1981-97	Rep.	Osseo	Keefe 6th
	Ron Kind	1997-	Dem.	La Crosse	Kersten 5th
					Kind 3rd
					Klecзка 4th
					Klug 2nd
					Laird 7th
4th	Thaddeus F. Wasielewski	1941-47	Dem.	Milwaukee	McMurray 5th
	John C. Brophy	1947-49	Rep.	Milwaukee	Moody 5th
	Clement J. Zablocki <sup>2</sup>	1949-83	Dem.	Milwaukee	Moore 4th
	Gerald D. Klecзка <sup>2</sup>	1984-2005	Rep.	Milwaukee	Murray 7th
	Gwen Moore	2005-	Dem.	Milwaukee	Neumann 1st
					Obey 7th
					O'Konski 10th
					Petri 6th
					Pocan 2nd
					Race 6th
5th <sup>3</sup>	Howard J. McMurray	1943-45	Dem.	Milwaukee	Reuss 5th
	Andrew J. Biemiller	1945-47; 1949-51	Dem.	Milwaukee	Ribble 8th
	Charles J. Kersten	1947-49; 1951-55	Rep.	Whitefish Bay	Roth 8th
	Henry S. Reuss	1955-83	Dem.	Milwaukee	Ryan 1st
	James P. Moody	1983-93	Dem.	Milwaukee	Sauthoff 2nd
	Thomas M. Barrett	1993-2003	Dem.	Milwaukee	Schadeberg 1st
	F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr.	2003-	Rep.	Menomonee Falls	Sensenbrenner 9th, 5th
					Smith 1st
					Stalbaum 1st
					Steiger 6th
6th	Frank B. Keefe	1939-51	Rep.	Oshkosh	Stevenson 3rd
	William K. Van Pelt	1951-65	Rep.	Fond du Lac	Tewes 2nd
	John A. Race	1965-67	Dem.	Fond du Lac	Thomson 3rd
	William A. Steiger <sup>4</sup>	1967-78	Rep.	Oshkosh	Van Pelt 6th
	Thomas E. Petri <sup>4</sup>	1979-2015	Rep.	Fond du Lac	Wasielewski 4th
	Glenn Grothman	2015-	Rep.	Glenbeulah	Withrow 3rd
					Zablocki 4th
7th	Reid F. Murray	1939-53	Rep.	Ogdensburg	
	Melvin R. Laird <sup>5</sup>	1953-69	Rep.	Marshfield	
	David R. Obey <sup>5</sup>	1969-2011	Dem.	Wausau	
	Sean P. Duffy	2011-	Rep.	Ashland	
8th	La Vern R. Dilweg	1943-45	Dem.	Green Bay	
	John R. Byrnes	1945-73	Rep.	Green Bay	
	Harold V. Froehlich	1973-75	Rep.	Appleton	
	Robert J. Cornell	1975-79	Dem.	De Pere	
	Toby Roth	1979-97	Rep.	Appleton	
	Jay Johnson	1997-99	Dem.	New Franken	
	Mark A. Green	1999-2007	Rep.	Green Bay	
	Steve Kagen	2007-2011	Dem.	Appleton	
	Reid J. Ribble	2011-	Rep.	Appleton	
9th <sup>1,6</sup>	Merlin Hull	1935-53	Prog.	Black River Falls	
	Lester R. Johnson	1953-65	Dem.	Black River Falls	
	Glenn R. Davis	1965-75	Rep.	Waukesha	
	Robert W. Kasten	1975-79	Rep.	Thiensville	
	F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr.	1979-2003	Rep.	Menomonee Falls	
10th <sup>7</sup>	Alvin E. O'Konski	1943-73	Rep.	Rhineland	

<sup>1</sup>Aspin resigned 1/20/1993, to become U.S. Secretary of Defense. Barca was elected in a special election, 5/4/1993.

<sup>2</sup>Zablocki died 12/3/1983. Klecзка was elected in a special election, 4/3/1984.

<sup>3</sup>In the congressional reapportionment following the 2000 Census, Wisconsin's delegation was reduced from 9 to 8 members.

The previous 4th, 5th, and 9th were reconfigured into the new 4th and 5th.

<sup>4</sup>Steiger died 12/4/1978, following his November 1978 election. Petri was elected in a special election, 4/3/1979.

<sup>5</sup>Laird resigned 1/21/1969, to become U.S. Secretary of Defense. Obey was elected in a special election, 4/1/1969.

<sup>6</sup>In the congressional redistricting based on the results of the 1960 Census of Population, the previous 9th District in western

Wisconsin ceased to exist and a new 9th District was created in the Waukesha-Milwaukee metropolitan area.

<sup>7</sup>In the congressional reapportionment based on the results of the 1970 Census of Population, Wisconsin's delegation was reduced from 10 members to 9 members.

Sources: 1944 *Wisconsin Blue Book* and Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau data.

## U.S. SENATORS FROM WISCONSIN, 1848 – 2015

Class 1		Class 3	
Name	Service	Name	Service
Henry Dodge (D)	1848-1857	Isaac P. Walker (D)	1848-1855
James R. Doolittle (R)	1857-1869	Charles Durkee (UR)	1855-1861
Matthew H. Carpenter (R)	1869-1875	Timothy O. Howe (UR)	1861-1879
Angus Cameron (R) <sup>1</sup>	1875-1881	Matthew H. Carpenter (R)	1879-1881
Philetus Sawyer (R)	1881-1893	Angus Cameron (R) <sup>1</sup>	1881-1885
John Lendrum Mitchell (D)	1893-1899	John C. Spooner (R)	1885-1891
Joseph Very Quarles (R)	1899-1905	William F. Vilas (D)	1891-1897
Robert M. La Follette, Sr. (R) <sup>2</sup>	1906-1925	John C. Spooner (R)	1897-1907
Robert M. La Follette, Jr. (R) <sup>3</sup>	1925-1935	Isaac Stephenson (R) <sup>3</sup>	1907-1915
Robert M. La Follette, Jr. (P)	1935-1947	Paul O. Hustung (D)	1915-1917
Joseph R. McCarthy (R)	1947-1957	Irvine L. Lenroot (R) <sup>6</sup>	1918-1927
William Proxmire (D) <sup>4</sup>	1957-1989	John J. Blaine (R)	1927-1933
Herbert H. Kohl (D)	1989-2013	F. Ryan Duffy (D)	1933-1939
Tammy Baldwin (D)	2013-	Alexander Wiley (R)	1939-1963
		Gaylord A. Nelson (D)	1963-1981
		Robert W. Kasten, Jr. (R)	1981-1993
		Russell D. Feingold (D)	1993-2011
		Ron Johnson (R)	2011-

Note: Each state has two U.S. Senators, and each serves a 6-year term. They were elected by their respective state legislatures until passage of the 17th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution on April 8, 1913, which provided for popular election. Article I, Section 3, Clause 2, of the U.S. Constitution divides senators into three classes so that one-third of the senate is elected every two years. Wisconsin's seats were assigned to Class 1 and Class 3 at statehood.

Key: Democrat (D); Progressive (P); Republican (R); Union Republican (UR)

<sup>1</sup>Not a candidate for reelection to Class 1 seat, but elected 3/10/1881 to fill vacancy caused by death of Class 3 Senator Carpenter on 2/24/1881.

<sup>2</sup>Elected 1/25/1905 but continued to serve as governor until 1/1/1906.

<sup>3</sup>Elected 9/29/1925 to fill vacancy caused by death of Robert La Follette, Sr., on 6/18/1925.

<sup>4</sup>Elected 8/27/1957 to fill vacancy caused by death of McCarthy on 5/2/1957.

<sup>5</sup>Elected 5/17/1907 to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Spooner on 4/30/1907.

<sup>6</sup>Elected 5/2/1918 to fill vacancy caused by death of Hustung on 10/21/1917.

Source: Wisconsin Legislative Reference Bureau records.