



1995 ASSEMBLY BILL 221

March 17, 1995 - Introduced by Representatives WALKER, JENSEN, TRAVIS, FREESE, DUFF, HANSON, MUSSER, JOHNSRUD, LADWIG, KREIBICH, HOVEN, OTT, OLSEN, BOYLE, WARD, HAHN, VRAKAS, SCHNEIDERS, AINSWORTH, PORTER, SERATTI, OURADA, GUNDERSON and LAZICH, cosponsored by Senators DRZEWIECKI, COWLES, SCHULTZ, DARLING, FARROW, FITZGERALD and PANZER. Referred to Committee on Elections and Constitutional Law.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 59.997 (7) of the statutes; **relating to:** adjustment of the date
2 of the 1996 spring primary and election and presidential preference primary
3 and certain other dates for election procedures.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill changes the date of the 1996 spring primary from the 3rd Tuesday in February to the first Tuesday in February, and the date of the 1996 spring election and presidential preference primary from the first Tuesday in April to the 3rd Tuesday in March. The bill also changes certain other related dates for the performance of acts related to the 1996 spring primary and election or established to coordinate with the dates of the 1996 spring primary and election.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 59.997 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:
5 59.997 (7) When the publication of the said consolidation agreement in each of
6 the said counties is completed, of which the certificate to the judge of the circuit court
7 of the said counties from the owner-editor or manager of each newspaper publishing
8 the same shall be proof, the judge or judges of the circuit courts of the said counties
9 shall, by order entered of record in each of such counties, require the several county
10 clerks of the counties included in the consolidation agreement to submit such

1 question to a vote of the qualified electors of such counties at the next election to be
 2 held on the first Tuesday in April, or the next regular election, or at a special election
 3 to be held on the day fixed in said order, which day shall be the same in each of the
 4 counties proposing to consolidate. A copy of said order shall be filed with the county
 5 clerk of each of such counties. If such question is submitted at a special election, it
 6 shall be held not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days from the completion
 7 of the consolidation agreement, but not within sixty days of any ~~April~~ spring or
 8 general election.

9 **SECTION 2. Nonstatutory provisions; 1996 spring primary and election**
 10 **and related events.**

11 (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of the statutes shown in Column A, for the
 12 period beginning on September 15, 1995, and ending on May 15, 1996, the dates for
 13 acts to be performed specified in Column B are the dates specified in Column C:

A Statute Section	B Date Specified in Statute	C Revised Date
14 5.02 (21)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
15 5.02 (22)	3rd Tuesday in February	first Tuesday in February
16 5.58 (1g) (c)	17 2nd Tuesday in January, or 18 the next day if the first Tuesday is a holiday	2nd Tuesday in December
19 5.60 (1) (b)	20 2nd Tuesday in January, or 21 the next day if the first Tuesday is a holiday	2nd Tuesday in December

1	5.60 (4) (c)	2nd Tuesday in January, or	2nd Tuesday in December
2		the next day if the first	
3		Tuesday is a holiday	
4	7.08 (2) (c)	first Tuesday in March	3rd Tuesday in February
5	7.30 (4) (a)	December	November
6	7.30 (4) (a)	December 31	November 30
7	7.30 (4) (b) 1.	November 30	November 1
8	7.30 (4) (b) 1.	December 31	November 30
9	7.30 (4) (c)	November 30	November 1
10	7.53 (2) (d)	2nd Tuesday in April	4th Tuesday in March
11	7.70 (3) (a)	15th day of May following a	6th Tuesday following a
12		spring election	spring election
13	8.05 (1) (a)	December 1	November 1
14	8.05 (1) (a)	January 1	December 1
15	8.05 (1) (a)	first Tuesday in January	2nd Tuesday in December
16	8.05 (1) (a)	last Tuesday in January	2nd Tuesday in January
17	8.05 (3) (a)	December 1	November 1
18	8.05 (3) (a)	first Tuesday in January, or	first Tuesday in December
19		the next day if Tuesday is	
20		a holiday	
21	8.05 (3) (e)	last Tuesday in February	first Tuesday in February
22	8.05 (4) (a)	December 1	November 1

1	8.05 (4) (b)	December 1	November 1
2	8.05 (4) (b)	first Tuesday in January, or	first Tuesday in December
3		the next day if Tuesday is	
4		a holiday	
5	8.10 (2) (a)	December 1	November 1
6	8.10 (2) (a)	first Tuesday in January	first Tuesday in December
7		preceding the election, or	
8		the next day if Tuesday is	
9		a holiday	
10	8.12 (1) (a)	first Tuesday in January, or	2nd Tuesday in December
11		the next day if Tuesday is	
12		a holiday	
13	8.12 (1) (b)	last Tuesday in January	first Tuesday in January
14	8.12 (1) (c)	3rd Tuesday in February	last Tuesday in January
15	8.12 (1) (c)	the last Tuesday in January	January 1
16	8.12 (1) (d)	3rd Tuesday in February	last Tuesday in January
17	8.12 (3)	May 15 following the	6th Tuesday following the
18		presidential preference	presidential preference
19		vote	vote
20	8.50 (intro.)	February 1	January 1
21	8.50 (4) (f) 1.	December 1	November 1
22	8.50 (4) (f) 2.	December 1	November 1

1	8.50 (4) (fm)	December 1	November 1
2	10.06 (1) (a)	November 15	October 15
3	10.06 (1) (c)	2nd Tuesday in January	2nd Tuesday in December
4	10.06 (1) (e)	first Tuesday in March	3rd Tuesday in February
5	10.06 (2) (a)	4th Tuesday in November	4th Tuesday in October
6	10.06 (3) (a)	4th Tuesday in November	4th Tuesday in October
7	10.06 (4) (a)	4th Tuesday in November	4th Tuesday in October
8	11.06 (7) (b)	January 31	January 20
9	11.06 (12) (a) 1.	December 1	November 1
10	11.20 (4)	January 31	January 20
11	11.20 (8) (b)	January 31	January 20
12	17.21 (5)	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March
13	17.21 (5)	December 1	November 1
14	17.21 (5)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
15	17.23 (1) (a)	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March
16	17.23 (1) (a)	December 1	November 1
17	17.23 (1) (a)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
18	17.23 (1) (b)	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March
19	17.23 (1) (b)	December 1	November 1
20	17.23 (1) (b)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
21	17.23 (2) (a) 4.	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March
22	17.24 (2)	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March

1	17.24 (2)	December 1	November 1
2	17.24 (2)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
3	17.245	December 1	November 1
4	17.26 (1)	last Tuesday in November	November 1
5	59.03 (1) (b)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
6	59.03 (2) (b)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
7	59.03 (3) (d)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
8	59.031 (1) (a)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
9	59.031 (7)	October 31	September 30
10	59.997 (7)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
11	61.19	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March
12	61.19	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
13	64.04 (1)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
14	64.28 (1)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
15	64.39 (4)	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday of March
16	64.40 (2)	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday of March
17	66.012 (9)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
18	66.019 (4) (b)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
19	120.06 (6) (a)	last Tuesday in November	last Tuesday in October
20	120.06 (6) (b)	first Tuesday in December	first Tuesday in November

1	120.06 (6) (b)	first Tuesday in January	first Tuesday in December
2		prior to the spring election,	prior to the spring election
3		or the next day if Tuesday	
4		is a holiday	
5	120.06 (7) (a)	2nd Tuesday in January	2nd Tuesday in December
6	120.06 (8) (b)	2nd Tuesday in January, or	2nd Tuesday in December
7		the next day if the first	
8		Tuesday is a holiday	
9	125.05 (1) (intro.)	first Tuesday in April	3rd Tuesday in March
10	125.05 (1) (b) 5.	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March
11	125.05 (1) (b) 8.	first Tuesday of April	3rd Tuesday in March
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