

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

**Committee on Senate Organization**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 74**

Relating to: the death of ironworkers Jerome Starr, Jeffrey Wischer, and William DeGrave while building Miller Park.

By Representatives Bock, Meyerhofer, M. Lehman, Sherman, Huber, Schooff, Black, Kreuser, Wasserman, Young, Musser, Travis, Boyle, Riley, Sinicki, Duff, Krug, Sykora, La Fave, Pocan, Goetsch, Grothman, Rhoades, Ward, Richards, Miller, Ladwig, Cogg, Albers, Walker, Kestell, Klusman, Jeskewitz, Townsend, Plouff, Jensen, J. Lehman, Gronemus, Spillner, Staskunas, Porter, Schneider, Handrick, Kelso, Turner, Kreibich, Ryba, Lassa, Reynolds, Hasenohrl and Vrakas; cosponsored by Senators Burke, Darling, Erpenbach, Jauch, Moen, Farrow, Lazich, Moore, Grobschmidt, Roessler, Rosenzweig, Huelsman, Clausing, A. Lasee and Robson.

September 23, 1999 Referred to committee on Senate Organization.

September 23, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**


Moved by Senator Chvala, that **Assembly Joint Resolution 74** be recommended for concurrence.

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

  
Sue Meinholz  
Committee Clerk

Senate

## Committee Report

AJR-74

The committee on Senate Organization, reports and recommends:

### Assembly Joint Resolution 56

Relating to: the life and public service of Robert E. Behnke.

By Representatives La Fave, Schneider, Sherman, Walker, J. Lehman, Ryba, Hasenohrl, Miller, Plouff, Albers, Goetsch and Hahn; cosponsored by Senator Robson.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

### Assembly Joint Resolution 67

Relating to: the life and public service of former Representative Robert M. Thompson.

By Representatives Schneider, Hahn, Boyle, Travis, Young, Klusman, Underheim, Miller, Kreuser, Brandemuehl, Urban, Porter, Spillner, Owens, Musser, Plouff, Goetsch and Jensen; cosponsored by Senators Grobschmidt, Risser, Cowles and George.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

### Assembly Joint Resolution 68

Relating to: the life and public service of Delmar E. DeLong.

By Representative Kedzie; cosponsored by Senator Robson.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 69**

Relating to: the life and public service of Lynn E. Stalbaum.

By Representatives Gunderson, Bock, Goetsch, Hahn, Hundertmark, Jensen, Kedzie, Kelso, Kestell, Huebsch, Ladwig, La Fave, J. Lehman, Miller, Montgomery, Musser, Nass, Owens, Porter, Plouff, Rhoades, Schneider, Spillner, Stone, Sykora, Ryba, Walker, Wood and Vrakas; cosponsored by Senators Plache, Farrow, George, Risser, Schultz and Welch.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 73**

Relating to: the life and public service of Lawrence P. Kelly.

By Representatives Sinicki, Plale, Walker, Bock, Owens, Plouff, Travis, Boyle, Porter, Staskunas, Turner, Hasenohrl, Seratti and Kelso; cosponsored by Senators Grobschmidt and Wirch.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

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Coggs, Albers, Walker, Kestell, Klusman, Jeskewitz, Townsend, Plouff, Jensen, J. Lehman, Gronemus, Spillner, Staskunas, Porter, Schneider, Handrick, Kelso, Turner, Kreibich, Ryba, Lassa, Reynolds, Hasenohrl and Vrakas; cosponsored by Senators Burke, Darling, Erpenbach, Jauch, Moen, Farrow, Lazich, Moore, Grobschmidt, Roessler, Rosenzweig, Huelsman, Clausing, A. Lasee and Robson.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 75**

Relating to: the life and public service of Merrill E. Stalbaum.

By Representatives Gunderson, Ladwig, Hahn, Hundertmark, Kestell, J. Lehman, Miller, Musser, Plouff, Ryba, Schneider, Spillner, Ziegelbauer and Stone; cosponsored by Senators Plache, Jauch and Welch.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.



Senator Charles Chvala  
Chair



State Senator  
**Chuck Chvala**  
SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER

TO: Members of the Committee on Senate Organization

FROM: Senator Chuck Chvala  
Chair

Date: September 23, 1999

SUBJECT: **Assembly Joint Resolution 74**

**Relating to: the death of ironworkers Jerome Starr, Jeffrey Wischer,  
and William DeGrave while building Miller Park.**

I am recommending concurrence of the attached joint resolution. Please review and indicate your approval by signing below. Please forward this ballot to the next office listed. Thank you.

*Chuck Chvala*  
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Senator Chuck Chvala

*9/23/99*  
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(Date)

*Fred A. Risser*  
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Senator Fred Risser

*9/23/99*  
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(Date)

*Rodney Moen*  
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Senator Rodney Moen

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*Michael Ellis*  
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Senator Michael Ellis

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*Brian Rude*  
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Senator Brian Rude

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## 1999 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION

74

1       **Relating to:** the death of ironworkers Jerome Starr, Jeffrey Wischer, and William  
2           DeGrave while building Miller Park.

3       Whereas, construction workers play a vital role in our state that is often taken  
4       for granted; and

5       Whereas, the particularly dangerous tasks performed by ironworkers make  
6       possible the grandeur of city skylines and the majesty of modern buildings; and

7       Whereas, ironworkers Jerome Starr, Jeffrey Wischer, and William DeGrave  
8       lost their lives working on one of the notable public works projects of our time, Miller  
9       Park in Milwaukee; and

10       Whereas, the 3 were loyal members of Iron Workers Local 8 in Milwaukee; and

11       Whereas, Jerome Starr of Milwaukee was a highly skilled, long time  
12       ironworker and well respected member of the Ojibwa Nation; and

13       Whereas, Jeffrey Wischer of Waukesha, a devoted father, was the son and  
14       brother of ironworkers; and

