

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Ambs, Todd**, of Madison, as a member of the Great Lakes Protection Fund, to serve for the term ending October 11, 2005.

February 13, 2004 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

March 1, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Zien.

#### Appearances For

- Todd Ambs, Madison

#### Appearances Against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations For

- None.

#### Registrations Against

- None.

March 1, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Wirch, seconded by Senator Risser that **Ambs, Todd** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

**CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Brown, Ritchie J.**, of Black River Falls, as a member of the Lower Wisconsin State Riverway Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2006.

September 24, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Ritchie Brown, Black River Falls

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Brown, Ritchie J.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Committee Clerk

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#### Committee on Environment and Natural Resources

**Brown, Senn R.**, of Madison, as a member of the Kickapoo Reserve Management Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2006.

July 09, 2003        Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004        **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)     Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent:    (1)     Senator Stepp.

#### Appearances For

- Senn Brown, Madison

#### Appearances Against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations For

- None.

#### Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004        **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:    (5)     Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Absent:    (0)     None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Brown, Senn R.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5)     Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes:    (0)     None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Caneff, Dennis M.**, of Verona, as a member of the Land and Water Conservation Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2006.

July 09, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

March 1, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Zien.

Appearances For

- Dennis Caneff, Madison

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

March 2, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Risser, seconded by Senator Wirch that **Caneff, Dennis M.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Cihlar, Sandi M.**, of Mosinee, as a member of the Land and Water Conservation Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2007.

July 09, 2003            Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004    **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)    Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent:    (1)    Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Sandi Cihlar, Mosinee

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004    **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:    (5)    Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.  
Absent:    (0)    None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Cihlar, Sandi M.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5)    Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.  
Noes:    (0)    None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Donohue, Stephen V.**, of De Pere, as a member of the Examining Board of Professional Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2006.

January 10, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

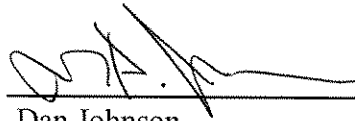
January 21, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Stephen Donohue** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
                Wirch.

Noes:    (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0



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#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Ela, Jonathan**, of Madison, as a member of the Natural Resources Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2005.

January 22, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

April 24, 2003      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)      Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent:    (1)      Senator Zien.

Appearances For

- Jonathan Ela, Madison, WI
- State Senator Fred Risser, 26th Senate District

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- Gunnar Bergensen, Lake States Lumber/Timber Producers Association

March 8, 2004      **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:    (5)      Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Absent:    (0)      None.

Moved by Senator Risser, seconded by Senator Wirch that **Ela, Jonathan** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (2)      Senators Risser and Wirch.

Noes:    (3)      Senators Kedzie, Stepp and Zien.

CONFIRMATION NOT RECOMMENDED, Ayes 2, Noes 3

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#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Erickson, Larry D.**, of Hurley, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreational Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2006.

December 17, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

#### Appearances For

- Larry Erickson, Hurley

#### Appearances Against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations For

- State Senator Bob Jauch, 25th Senate District

#### Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Erickson, Larry D.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Committee Clerk



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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Evans, Dr. Thomas J.**, of Madison, as a member of the Examining Board of Professional Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2006.

January 10, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

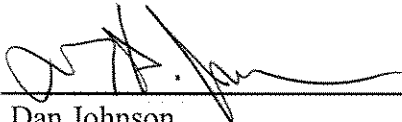
January 21, 2003 **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Dr. Thomas J. Evans** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

  
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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Fish, Alan**, of Madison, as a member of the Great Lakes Protection Fund, to serve for the term ending October 11, 2006.

February 13, 2004 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Alan Fish, Madison

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Fish, Alan** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Green, Jerry D.**, of Black River Falls, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreational Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2005.

December 10, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Jerry Green, Black River Falls

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Green, Jerry D.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Committee Clerk



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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Gumtow, Jon H.**, of Random Lake, as a member of the Examining Board of Professional Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2006.

January 10, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

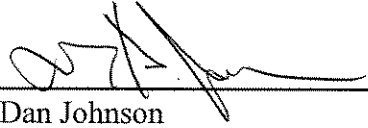
January 21, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Jon H. Gumtow** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5)    Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Noes:    (0)    None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

  
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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Hassett, Scott**, of Madison, as Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

January 10, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

January 8, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Secretary Scott Hassett, WI Department of Natural Resources
- Jeff Schoepke, WI Manufacturers and Commerce

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Jerry Deschane, WI Builders Association

Registrations Against

- None.

March 8, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Kedzie, seconded by Senator Zien that **Hassett, Scott** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Helm, Arlyn J.**, of Springbrook, as a member of the Waste Facility Siting Board, to serve for the interim term ending May 1, 2004.

January 10, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

January 21, 2003      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)    Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent:    (1)    Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Arlyn Helm, Springbrook, WI

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

January 21, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Arlyn J. Helm** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5)    Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes:    (0)    None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0



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Dan Johnson  
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#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Johnson, Ruth G.**, of Madison, as a member of the Examining Board of Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2006.

March 18, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

April 24, 2003      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)    Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent:    (1)    Senator Zien.

Appearances For

- Ruth G. Johnson, Madison, WI
- State Senator Fred Risser, 26th Senate District

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

May 28, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:    (5)    Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.  
Absent:    (0)    None.

Moved by Senator Risser, seconded by Senator Stepp that  
**Johnson, Ruth G.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5)    Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes:    (0)    None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

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### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Landes, Samuel J.**, of Dane, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreational Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2005.

November 26, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Sam Landes, Dane

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Landes, Samuel J.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Malecki, Andrew F.**, of Green Bay, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreational Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2005.

November 19, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Andrew Malecki, Green Bay

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Malecki, Andrew F.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Nelson, Elwyn (Jack)**, of Oshkosh, as a member of the Fox River Navigational System Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2004.

January 10, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

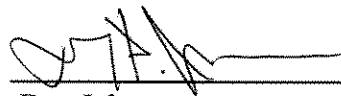
January 21, 2003 **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Elwyn (Jack) Nelson** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0



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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Onsager, Catherine**, of West Salem, as a member of the Kickapoo Reserve Management Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2004.

January 10, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

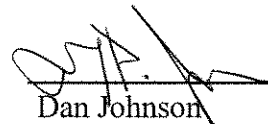
January 21, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Catherine Onsager**, be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:   (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes:   (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

  
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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Quackenbush, William L.**, of Black River Falls, as a member of the Kickapoo Reserve Management Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2005.

September 24, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- William Quackenbush, Black River Falls

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **Quackenbush, William L.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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### Committee on Environment and Natural Resources

**Thomas, Christine**, of Plover, as a member of the Natural Resources Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2010.

May 14, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

January 8, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Dr. Christine Thomas, Plover

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Gene Francisco, WI Professional Loggers Association
- George Meyer, WI Wildlife Federation
- Al Phelan, WI Conservation Congress, Madison

Registrations Against

- None.

March 8, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Risser, seconded by Senator Zien that **Thomas, Christine** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Van De Hey, Ron**, of Kaukauna, as a member of the Fox River Navigational System Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2004.

January 10, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

January 21, 2003 **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Ron Van De Hey** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0



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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Wendt, Dr. Robert**, of Marshall, as a member of the Examining Board of Professional Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, to serve for the interim term ending July 1, 2004.

January 10, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

January 21, 2003      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)      Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent:    (1)      Senator Stepp.

Appearances For

- Dr. Robert Wendt, Madison, WI

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

January 21, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Dr. Robert Wendt** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5)      Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes:    (0)      None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0



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Committee Clerk

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#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**White, Donna Jean**, of Cambria, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreational Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2006.

November 11, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 23, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kedzie, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (1) Senator Stepp.

#### Appearances For

- Donna White, Association of Wisconsin Snowmobile Clubs, Cambria

#### Appearances Against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations For

- None.

#### Registrations Against

- None.

February 23, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Risser that **White, Donna Jean** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Willis, Billy R.**, of Green Bay, as a member of the Fox River Navigational System Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2005.

January 10, 2003     Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

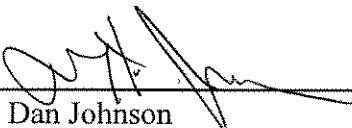
January 21, 2003     **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Billy R. Willis** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes:    (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
                Wirch.

Noes:    (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

  
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#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

##### **Clearinghouse Rule 01-081**

Relating to the control of mercury emissions to address the atmospheric deposition of mercury.

Department of Natural Resources

July 02, 2003

Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

August 13, 2003

##### **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and Wirch.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances For

- Secretary Scott Hassett, WI Department of Natural Resources
- Lloyd Eagen, WI Department of Natural Resources
- Jeanne Hewitt, UW-Milwaukee College of Nursing, Milwaukee
- Diane Lochner, Madison
- Emily Kordus, Menasha
- Dr. Henry Anderson, WI Department of Health and Family Services
- Lynda Knobeloch, WI Department of Health and Family Services
- Mark Looze, Clean Wisconsin - WI Stewardship Network, Madison
- Dr. Peggy Scallon, UW Dept. of Children and Adolescent Psychiatry, Madison
- Caryl Terrell, Sierra Club-John Muir Chapter, Madison
- Robert Miller, WI Wildlife Federation, Sparta
- Bill McClenahan, Forest County Potawatomi, Madison
- Anne Sayers, WI League of Conservation Voters, Waunakee
- Doug Wadsworth, Trout Unlimited, Madison
- John Coleman, Great Lakes Indian, Fish and Wildlife Commission, Madison
- Richard Bogovich, WI Interfaith Climate and Energy Campaign - River Alliance of WI, Madison
- Don Hammes, Dane Co. Conservation League - Yahara Fishing Club, Middleton

#### Appearances Against

- David Jenkins, WI Federation of Cooperatives, Madison
- David Hoopman, WI Federation of Cooperatives, Madison
- Harold Frank, Dairyland Power Cooperative, Stoddard
- Brian Rude, Dairyland Power Cooperative, LaCrosse
- Bob Fassbender, WI Manufacturers and Commerce, Madison
- Nick George, WI Manufacturers and Commerce, Madison
- Kenyon Kies, WI Utility Investors, Inc, Madison
- State Representative Frank Lasee, 2nd Assembly District

#### Appearances for Information Only

- Bert Garvin, Madison
- Edward Newman, WI Public Service Corp., Green Bay
- Michael Ricciardi, Madison Gas and Electric, Madison
- Bill Skewes, WI Utilities Association, Madison
- Michele Pluta, WI Power and Light/Alliant Energy, Madison
- Kathleen Standen, WE Energies, Madison

#### Registrations For

- Alison Ruch, Madison
- Doug Cieslak, Driftless Area Land Conservancy, Dodgeville
- Jeffrey Potter, WI Wetlands Association, Madison
- Todd Hanson, Madison
- Kent Hinze, Sun Prairie
- Joanne Herfel, Madison Audubon Society, Madison
- Derek Scheer, Clean Wisconsin, Madison
- Mike Pyne, IBEW 965, Madison
- Liz Wessel, Madison
- Paul Mongin, Trout Unlimited - Green Bay Chapter, Green Bay
- Jon Heinrich, WI Department of Natural Resources
- Secretary Jim Holperin, WI Department of Tourism
- Pete Petrouske, Brown County Conservation Alliance, Green Bay
- Ron Vander Loop, Green Bay

#### Registrations Against

- Larry Kopf, Waunakee
- Charles Branton, Madison
- Ken Petersen, Barron Electric Cooperative, Barron
- Kenric Scheevel, Dairyland Power Cooperative, Preston
- Mike Baber, Barron Electric Cooperative, Sarona
- George Strom, Barron Electric Cooperative, Cumberland
- Beverly Buckner, Barron Electric Cooperative, Cameron

- Harold Flater, Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative, Holcombe
- Bernard Furyk, Hurley
- Deone Goettl, Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative, Cornell
- Norman Busse, Barron Electric Cooperative, Barron
- Clyde Shipman, Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative, New Auburn
- Arlyn Helm, Springbrook
- Robert Kretzschmar, Bayfield Electric Cooperative, Mellen
- Steven Healy, Pierce Pepin Cooperative, River Falls
- John Bilderback, Eau Claire Energy Cooperative, Mondovi
- John Luehrsen, Eau Claire Energy Cooperative, Eau Claire
- Martin Hillert, Adams Columbia Electric Cooperative, Friendship
- Beata Kalies, WI Federation of Cooperatives, Madison
- Shane Larson, Rock County Electric Cooperative, Janesville
- Edwin Shie, Oakdale Cooperative, Tomah
- Ed Lund, Richland Electric Cooperative, Gays Mills
- Lawrence Powell, Oakdale Electric Cooperative, Tomah
- Shannon Clark, Soldiers Grove
- Alvin Liske, Taylor Electric Cooperative, Medford
- Mike Schaefer, Taylor Electric Cooperative, Medford
- Merton Vaughn, Taylor Electric Cooperative, Medford
- James Smola, Taylor Electric Cooperative, Rib Lake
- Carolyn Moon, Adams Columbia Electric, Baraboo
- Tim Werner, Price Electric Cooperative, Phillips
- Paul Rose, Price Electric Cooperative, Butternut
- Dan Smrekar, Jackson Electric, Millston
- Roger Hansen, Jackson Electric, Black River Falls
- Brian Kulas, Taylor Electric Cooperative, Medford
- Robert Semnow, Adams Columbia Electric Cooperative, Coloma
- Cheri Gibeaut, Adams Columbia Electric Cooperative, Endeavor
- Mike Anders, Black River Falls
- Karl Wencel, Adams Columbia Rural Electric, Pardeeville
- William Hoffman, St. Croix Electric, Glenwood City
- Vernon Kowalewsku, Clark Electric, Owen
- Ron Schmidt, Clark Electric, Spencer
- Anthony Jarocki, Clark Electric Cooperative, Withee
- Rick Kolb, Scenic Rivers Energy Cooperative, Lancaster
- Bruce Ardelt, Oakdale Electric Cooperative, Tomah
- Scott Meske, MEUW, Sun Prairie
- Greg Blum, Central Wisconsin Electric Cooperative, Iola
- Shauna Cook, Madison

August 22, 2003

**EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that **Clearinghouse Rule 01-081** be recommended for modifications requested.

Ayes: (3) Senators Kedzie, Stepp and Zien.

Noes: (2) Senators Risser and Wirch.

**MODIFICATIONS REQUESTED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3,  
Noes 2**

June 28, 2004

**MODIFICATIONS RECEIVED FROM THE AGENCY, Pursuant  
to s. 227.19(4)(b)2., Wis. Stats.**

July 13, 2004

**NO ACTION TAKEN**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 01-104**

Relating to the control of underground injection wells.

Department of Natural Resources

January 10, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

August 18, 2004 Modifications received from agency per ss. 227.19(4)(b)2

September 1, 2004 **NO ACTION TAKEN**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-048**

Relating to the small and abandoned dam removal grant program.  
Department of Natural Resources

July 02, 2003            Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

August 4, 2003        **NO ACTION TAKEN.**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-060**

Relating to recycling efficiency incentive grant.

Submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

January 24, 2003      Agency modifications referred to committee

February 6, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present:    (5)      Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Wirch and Risser

Absent:    (0)      None.

Moved by Senator Kedzie, seconded by Senator Zien, to object to s. NR 549.08 (3) (a) 2.and (4) (a) 4.and 5 of **Clearinghouse Rule 02-060**.

Ayes:    (3)      Senators Kedzie, Zien and Stepp

Noes:    (2)      Senators Risser and Wirch

Absent: (0)      None.

MOTION TO OBJECT TO s. NR 549.08 (3) (a) 2.  
and (4) (a) 4.and 5 OF CLEARINGHOUSE RULE  
02-060 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2,  
Absent 0

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

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### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

##### **Clearinghouse Rule 02-061**

Relating to aquatic plant management.  
Department of Natural Resources

January 15, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

March 13, 2003      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)      Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Risser and Wirch.  
Absent:    (1)      Senator Zien.

##### Appearances For

- Jeff Bode, WI Department of Natural Resources
- Donna Sefton, WI Lakes Association

##### Appearances Against

- State Senator Mary Lazich, 28th Senate District
- Gunnar Bergensen, Lake Restoration Company
- Kevin Kretch, Lake Restoration Company
- Jay Erdman, Little Muskego Lake District

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- None.

##### Registrations Against

- State Senator Ted Kanavas, 33rd Senate District

March 14, 2003      **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Kedzie that modifications be requested for  
**Clearinghouse Rule 02-061.**

Ayes:    (5)      Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.  
Noes:    (0)      None.



MODIFICATIONS REQUESTED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5,  
Noes 0

March 27, 2003      Modifications received from agency.

April 10, 2003      **NO ACTION TAKEN**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-064**

Relating to citation authority for asbestos program violations.  
Department of Natural Resources

January 29, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

March 27, 2003 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Patrick Kirsop, WI Department of Natural Resources
- Mike Scott, WI Department of Natural Resources

Appearances Against

- William Scott, Center for Equitable Environmental Regulation

Appearances for Information Only

- Steve Herbst, S.A. Herbst and Associates, LLC, New Berlin, WI
- Shawn Christen, S.A. Herbst and Associates, LLC, New Berlin

Registrations For

- Jay Hochmuth, WI Department of Natural Resources
- John Mathews, Laborer Local 464, Verona, WI
- Karl Markgraf, Laborers Local 464, Dane, WI

Registrations Against

- Jeff Schoepke, WI Manufacturers and Commerce

March 27, 2003 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Stepp, seconded by Senator Zien that  
**Clearinghouse Rule 02-064** be recommended for modifications  
requested.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

MODIFICATIONS REQUESTED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5,  
Noes 0

June 30, 2003

Modifications received from the agency

July 17, 2003

No action taken.

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Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-096**

Relating to commercial fishing in Lake Superior.

Department of Natural Resources

January 15, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 12, 2003      **NO ACTION TAKEN**

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Committee Clerk



Registrations Against

- Senator Joe Leibham, 9th Senate District
- Rep. Glenn Grothman, 58th Assembly District
- Steve Olson, Cummins Power, LLC, Oak Creek

May 28, 2003

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Zien, seconded by Senator Stepp that  
**Clearinghouse Rule 02-097** be recommended for modifications  
requested.

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Zien, Risser and  
Wirch.

Noes: (0) None.

MODIFICATIONS REQUESTED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5,  
Noes 0

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-114**

Relating to the reimbursement of response action costs for response actions taken at eligible dry cleaning facilities.

Department of Natural Resources

January 29, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 28, 2003      **NO ACTION TAKEN.**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-122**

Relating to lake protection and classification grants.

Department of Natural Resources

January 29, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 28, 2003      **NO ACTION TAKEN.**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk



**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-129**

Relating to private onsite wastewater treatment systems and sanitation.  
Department of Commerce

October 08, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

November 10, 2003 **NO ACTION TAKEN**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-134**

Relating to groundwater quality standards and the development of an aquifer storage recovery well or the operation of an ASR system by a municipal water utility.

Department of Natural Resources

January 29, 2003 Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 28, 2003 **NO ACTION TAKEN.**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Environment and Natural Resources**

**Clearinghouse Rule 02-142**

Relating to fishing for walleye and sauger in Escanaba Lake, Vilas County.  
[Covered in Report on Clearinghouse Rule 02-014.]

Department of Natural Resources

January 10, 2003      Referred to Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

February 11, 2003      **NO ACTION TAKEN**

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Dan Johnson  
Committee Clerk