## **Assembly**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Committee on Elections and Constitutional Law**

#### **Assembly Bill 549**

Relating to: an optional identification requirement for voting in elections.

By Representatives Kramer, Kerkman, LeMahieu, Gunderson and Tauchen; cosponsored by Senators Kanavas, Leibham, Olsen, Darling and A. Lasee.

October 18, 2007 Referred to Committee on Elections and Constitutional Law.

January 10, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD** 

Present: (5) Representatives Albers, Kramer, J. Ott, A.

Williams and Molepske.

Absent: (3) Representatives Gundrum, Montgomery and

Kessler.

### Appearances For

• Bill Kramer — Rep., Author

#### **Appearances Against**

• None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

• None.

#### **Registrations For**

• None.

#### Registrations Against

- Mary Diehl, Madison Self
- George Penn, Madison Self
- Paul Malischke, Madison Self
- Bill Adamski, Madison Fair Elections WI
- Stacy Harbaugh, Madison ACLU of WI
- Andrea Kaminski League of Women Voters of WI
- Shirley Haidinger, Madison Self

#### Registrations for Information Only

• None.

January 15, 2008 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD** 

Present: (8) Representatives Albers, Vos, Montgomery, Kramer, J. Ott, Kessler, A. Williams and Molepske.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Kramer, seconded by Representative Vos that **Assembly Bill 549** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (5) Representatives Albers, Vos, Montgomery, Kramer and J. Ott.

Noes: (3) Representatives Kessler, A. Williams and Molepske.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 3

Terri Griffiths Committee Clerk