

State of Wisconsin



SENATE CALENDAR

Ninety-Ninth Regular Session

Thursday, April 23, 2009 11:00 A.M.

First Order. Call of Roll.

Second Order. Chief clerk's entries.

Third Order. Introduction, first reading and reference of proposals.

Fourth Order. Report of committees.

Fifth Order. Petitions and communications.

Sixth Order. Referrals and receipt of committee reports concerning proposed

administrative rules.

Seventh Order. Advice and consent of the Senate.

QUESTION: Shall the appointment be confirmed?

Axtell, Roger, of Janesville, as a member of the UW Hospitals and Clinics Authority and Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 4, Noes 3)

Bicha, Reggie, of Eau Claire, as Secretary of the Department of Children and Families, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor. (**Report confirmation recommended by committee on Children and Families and Workforce Development, Ayes 5, Noes 0)**

Canter, Richard, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Wisconsin Health and Educational Facilities Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2015. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)

Davis, Stan, of Sun Prairie, as a member of the Wisconsin Technical College System Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2009. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Technical Colleges, and Consumer Protection, Ayes 5, Noes 0)

Erickson, Terrance, of La Crosse, as a member of the Wisconsin Technical College System Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2011. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Technical Colleges, and Consumer Protection, Ayes 5, Noes 0)

- Flaherty, Kevin, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Wisconsin Health and Educational Facilities Authority, to serve for the term ending on July 1, 2010. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- Geenen, Jon, of Kaukauna, as a member of the Wisconsin Technical College System Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2009. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Technical Colleges, and Consumer Protection, Ayes 5, Noes 0)
- Johnson, Ruth, of Madison, as a member of the Examining Board of Architects, Landscape Architects, Professional Engineers, Designers and Land Surveyors, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2011. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Economic Development, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- Le Grand, Roger, of La Crosse, as a member of the Tax Appeals Commission, to serve for the term ending March 1, 2015. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- Munro, Ian, of Green Bay, as a member of the Medical Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2011. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- Neuenfeldt, Phillip, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Wisconsin Technical College System Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2013. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Technical Colleges, and Consumer Protection, Ayes 5, Noes 0)
- Sanchez, Pablo, of Madison, as a member of the UW Hospitals and Clinics Authority and Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2012. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- Schneider, Kathleen, of Minocqua, as a member of the Chiropractic Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2012. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- Underbakke, Gail, of Madison, as a member of the Dietitians Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2011. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- Wasserman, Sheldon, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Medical Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2009. (Report confirmation recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 7, Noes 0)
- **Weiden, Mike**, of Madison, as a member of the UW Hospitals and Clinics Authority Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2011. (**Report confirmation**

recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 4, Noes 3)

Eighth Order. Messages from the Assembly.

QUESTION: Shall the Assembly amendment be concurred in?

Senate Bill 12. Relating to: the operation of motorboats, other than personal watercraft, at slow-no-wake speed within a given distance of the shoreline of a lake. (FE) By Senators Jauch, Holperin, Lehman, Miller, and Risser; cosponsored by Representatives Sherman, Berceau, Black, Clark, Hilgenberg, Knodl, Milroy, Molepske Jr., Pasch, Richards, Roys, and Turner. (Received from Assembly amended and concurred in as amended, Assembly amendment 1 adopted)

Assembly Amendment 1 pending

Senate Bill 37. Relating to: payment of judgments in traffic courts and municipal courts by installments and the suspension of operating privileges. (FE) By Senators Taylor, Lehman, and Plale; cosponsored by Representatives Grigsby, Kessler, Berceau, Colon, Fields, Mason, Roys, Sinicki, Toles, Turner, A. Williams, Young, and A. Ott. (Received from Assembly amended and concurred in as amended, Assembly amendment 1 adopted)

Assembly Amendment 1 pending

Ninth Order. Special Orders.

Tenth Order. Consideration of motions, resolutions, and joint resolutions not

requiring a third reading.

QUESTION: Shall the joint resolution be adopted?

Senate Joint Resolution 24. Relating to: proclaiming May as American Stroke Month. By Senators Taylor, Darling, Schultz, Erpenbach, Lehman, Risser, Olsen, and Plale; cosponsored by Representatives Benedict, Hebl, Townsend, Steinbrink, Berceau, Bies, Spanbauer, A. Williams, Staskunas, Turner, Pope-Roberts, Hintz, Strachota, Seidel, Grigsby, Pasch, and Jorgensen.

Senate Joint Resolution 25. Relating to: the commemoration of The Progressive magazine's 100th anniversary. By Senators Risser, Taylor, Lehman, Plale, and Miller; cosponsored by Representatives Pocan, Black, Sinicki, Young, Berceau, Seidel, Jorgensen, Pope-Roberts, Roys, Vruwink, and Molepske Jr..

Senate Joint Resolution 28. Relating to: proclaiming April 22, 2009, as Undergraduate Research Day and commending University of Wisconsin System students, faculty, and staff. By Senators Kapanke, Cowles, Erpenbach, Hansen, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Olsen, Risser, Taylor, Vinehout, and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Shilling, Berceau, Bies, Dexter, Gunderson, Hebl, Hintz, Hixson, Hraychuck, Huebsch, Mason, Pasch, Petrowski, Pope-Roberts, Seidel, Smith, Soletski, Townsend, and Turner.

QUESTION: Shall the joint resolution be concurred in?

Assembly Joint Resolution 28. Relating to: commemorating the 20th anniversary of the Lower Wisconsin State Riverway. By Representatives Black, Garthwaite, Hilgenberg, Nerison, and Clark; cosponsored by Senators Schultz, Miller, and Kapanke.

Assembly Joint Resolution 34. Relating to: the life and public service of James A. McCann. By Representatives Kessler, Bies, Fields, Hebl, Pope-Roberts, Richards, Staskunas, Townsend, and A. Williams; cosponsored by Senators Taylor, Coggs, Lehman, and Plale.

Assembly Joint Resolution 35. Relating to: commending the Gundersen Lutheran Health System on being recognized as the first medical facility in the nation to achieve a top rating from the National Quality Measures for Breast Centers. By Representatives Shilling, Huebsch, Benedict, Berceau, Bies, Brooks, Cullen, Kessler, Nerison, Petrowski, Pope-Roberts, Radcliffe, Richards, Seidel, Townsend, Vruwink, M. Williams, Young, and Bernard Schaber; cosponsored by Senators Kapanke, Cowles, Darling, Lassa, Lazich, Miller, Olsen, Plale, Taylor, and Vinehout.

Eleventh Order. Second reading and amendments of senate joint resolutions and senate bills.

QUESTION: Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?

Senate Bill 27. Relating to: requiring health insurance coverage of hearing aids and cochlear implants for persons under 18 years of age. (FE) By Senators Lassa, Hansen, Lehman, Risser, Taylor, Erpenbach, Vinehout, Darling, S. Fitzgerald, Coggs, and Kapanke; cosponsored by Representatives Cullen, Bernard Schaber, Schneider, Sheridan, Berceau, Hilgenberg, Hraychuck, Vruwink, Mason, Black, Pasch, Sherman, Pocan, Jorgensen, Sinicki, Stone, Krusick, Smith, Seidel, Montgomery, Parisi, Turner, Grigsby, Richards, Zigmunt, A. Williams, Soletski, Hixson, and Dexter. (Report adoption of Senate Amendment 1, Ayes 7, Noes 0, adoption of Senate Amendment 2, Ayes 7, Noes 0, passage as amended recommended by committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, Ayes 6, Noes 1)

Senate Amendments 1 and 2 pending

Senate Bill 49. Relating to: changing the procedures for filling vacant civil service positions in the city of Milwaukee. (FE) By Senators Taylor and Plale; cosponsored by Representatives Sinicki, Richards, Toles, Fields, A. Williams, Young, Zepnick, Turner, Grigsby, and Kessler. (Report passage recommended by committee on Labor, Elections and Urban Affairs, Ayes 4, Noes 1)

Senate Bill 94. Relating to: the licensing and regulation of thermal system insulation mechanics; creating a thermal system insulation council; requiring the employment of a state inspector; establishing standards for installing and maintaining thermal system insulation; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority; making an appropriation; and providing a penalty. (FE) By Senators Coggs, Wirch, Lehman, Hansen, Carpenter, Plale, Lassa, Darling, Olsen, and Erpenbach; cosponsored by Representatives Sinicki, Berceau, Newcomer, Grigsby, Mason, Richards, Turner, Pasch, Fields, Parisi, A. Williams, Benedict, A. Ott, and Van Roy. (Report adoption of Senate Amendment 1, Ayes 5, Noes 0, passage as amended recommended by committee on Labor, Elections and Urban Affairs, Ayes 4, Noes 1)

Senate Amendments 1 and 2 pending

Twelfth Order. Second reading and amendments of assembly joint resolutions and assembly bills.

QUESTION: Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?

Assembly Bill 43. Relating to: designating portions of the Totogatic River as a wild river. (FE) By Representatives Milroy, Hraychuck, Hubler, Black, Sherman, Soletski, Berceau, Jorgensen, Spanbauer, Mason, and Danou; cosponsored by Senators Jauch, Lassa, Hansen, Kedzie, Lehman, Risser, and Wirch. (Report concurrence recommended by committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources, Ayes 6, Noes 0)

Thirteenth Order. Third reading of joint resolutions and bills.

Fourteenth Order. Motions may be offered.

Fifteenth Order. Announcements, adjournment honors, and remarks under special

privilege.

Sixteenth Order. Adjournment.