

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Natural Resources

Assembly Bill 3

Relating to: restrictions on the use and sale of fertilizer containing phosphorus and other turf fertilizer and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Black, Bies, Jorgensen, Roys, Tauchen, Clark, Hebl, Hraychuck, Mursau, Parisi, Berceau, Pocan, Pope-Roberts, Knodl, Benedict, Dexter, Hilgenberg, Wood, Hintz, Mason, Molepske Jr., Van Roy, Hixson, Richards, Sherman, Smith, Hubler, Soletski, Pasch, Ballweg, Lothian and Spanbauer; cosponsored by Senators Miller, Cowles, Holperin, Kreitlow, Lehman, Hansen, A. Lasee, Jauch, Hopper, Risser, Sullivan, Wirsch, Olsen, Erpenbach and Lassa.

January 16, 2009 Referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

January 28, 2009 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (14) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr.,
Steinbrink, Hraychuck, Hebl, Mason, Milroy,
Clark, J. Ott, Huebsch, LeMahieu, Mursau and
Nerison.

Absent: (1) Representative Gunderson.

Appearances For

- Senator Mark Miller, Monona
- Representative Spencer Black, Madison
- Brett Hulsey, Madison — Dane County
- Tami Jackson, Madison — Wisconsin Association of Lakes
- Julian Zelazny, Madison — WI Land and Water Conservation Association
- Paul Dearlove, Cambridge — Lake Ripley Management District
- Bob Miller, Monona — Yahara Lakes Association
- James Gronowski, Iron Ridge — Lake Sinnissippi Improvement District
- Ruth Johnson, Juneau — Lake Sinnissippi Improvement District
- Representative Garey Bies, Sister Bay
- Dan Kohler, Madison — Wisconsin Environment
- Ed Huck, Madison — Wisconsin Alliance of Cities
- Roger Bannerman, Madison
- William Schuster, Sturgeon Bay

- Jeffrey Thornton, Waukesha
- John Molinaro, Cambridge — Lake Ripley Management District
- Don Hammes, Middleton — Wisconsin Wildlife Federation
- Chris Wible, Marysville, OH — Scotts Company
- Stephanie Pizzoferrato, Marysville, OH — Scotts Company
- Jamie Saul, Madison — Midwest Environmental Advocates
- Richard Wedepohl, Madison
- Doug Johnson, Evansville — Midwest Hardware Association
- Shahla Werner, Madison — Sierra Club
- Amber Meyer Smith, Madison — Clean Wisconsin
- Ken Wiesner, Madison — High-Fishtrap-Rush Lakes Association
- Lori Grant, Madison — River Alliance of Wisconsin

Appearances Against

- Stephen Boston, Janesville — Blain Supply

Appearances for Information Only

- Richard Lathrop, Madison — DNR
- John Nortman, Beaver Dam
- John Weiss, Waunakee
- George Klaetsch, Madison — Wisconsin Agribusiness Council
- Scott Manley, Madison — WMC
- Kathy Pielsticker, Madison — Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

Registrations For

- John Alberts, Oconomowoc — Lac Du Flambeau & St. Croix Band of Chippewa
- Representative Joan Ballweg, Markesan
- Mickey Beil, Madison — Dane County
- Representative Penny Bernard Schaber, Appleton
- Brad Boycks, Madison — Wisconsin Builders Association
- Larry Clark, Lake Mills — Rock Lake Improvement Association
- Jim Connors, Madison
- Casey Eggleston, Madison — Nature Conservancy
- Jennifer Giegerich, Madison — WLCV
- Jon Hochkammer, Madison — Wisconsin Counties Association
- W. Terry Howard, Madison — Vilas County Lakes Association
- Greg Hubbard, Madison — Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewage District

- Emily Jenner, Madison
- Representative Cory Mason, Racine
- Representative Nick Milroy, Superior
- William O'Connor, Madison — Wisconsin Association of Lakes
- Representative Kelda Helen Roys, Madison — Representative
- Milton Strauss, Lake Mills — Rock Lake Improvement Association
- Senator Jim Sullivan, Wauwatosa
- Caryl Terrell, Madison

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 11, 2009

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (15) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr., Steinbrink, Hraychuck, Hebl, Mason, Milroy, Clark, J. Ott, Gunderson, Huebsch, LeMahieu, Mursau and Nerison.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Gunderson, seconded by Representative Molepske Jr. that **Assembly Amendment LRBA0039/1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (14) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr., Steinbrink, Hraychuck, Mason, Milroy, Clark, J. Ott, Gunderson, Huebsch, LeMahieu, Mursau and Nerison.

Noes: (1) Representative Hebl.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT LRBA0039/1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 14, Noes 1

Moved by Representative Gunderson, seconded by Representative Huebsch that **Assembly Amendment LRB a0036/1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Representatives Steinbrink, J. Ott, Gunderson, Huebsch, LeMahieu, Mursau and Nerison.

Noes: (8) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr., Hraychuck, Hebl, Mason, Milroy and Clark.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT LRB A0036/1 ADOPTION NOT RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 8

Moved by Representative Black, seconded by Representative Hebl that **Assembly Bill 3** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (15) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr., Steinbrink, Hraychuck, Hebl, Mason, Milroy, Clark, J. Ott, Gunderson, Huebsch, LeMahieu, Mursau and Nerison.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 15, Noes 0

John R. Maycroft
Committee Clerk