

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology, and Financial Institutions**

**Freedman, Marvin**, of Middleton, as a member of the Board of Veterans Affairs, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2015.

September 02, 2009 Referred to Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology, and Financial Institutions.

January 20, 2010 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Sullivan, Coggs, Carpenter, Leibham and Kanavas.  
Absent: (0) None.

#### Appearances For

- Marvin Freedman
- Dan Naylor, Waupaca
- Marcia Anderson, Verona — Vice Chair, WI Board of Veterans Affairs
- Donna Chrzas, Portage — County Veterans Services Association of WI

#### Appearances Against

- AJ Salas, Pardeeville
- Ken Wendt, Sturgeon Bay
- Tim Thiers, Manitowoc
- William Gamble, Manitowoc

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations For

- Mike "Gunner" Furgal, Monroe — Veterans of Foreign Wars
- Fred Risser, 26th State Senate District — Senator
- Kenneth Kuehul, Union Grove
- Libby Gerds — Office of Governor Doyle
- Mike Demske, Manitowoc — President, Vietnam Veterans of America, WI State Council
- Holly Hoppe, Green Bay

- Gus Sorenson, Sturtevant — Government Relations Director, WI Paralyzed Veterans of America
- Jon Erpenbach — Senator, 27th Senate District
- Victor Vela, Milwaukee — American GI Forum

#### Registrations Against

- Mary Lazich — Senator, 28th Senate District
- Dan Kapanke — Senator, 32nd Senate District
- Scott Fitzgerald — Senator, 13th Senate District
- Dale Schultz — Senator, 17th Senate District
- Kathryn Gadzinski, Manitowoc
- CR Gates, Manitowoc
- Michael Link, Manitowoc
- David Soukup, Manitowoc
- Daniel Czekala, Manitowoc
- Gerald Fordham, Waukesha
- Peter Hanson, Delafield
- James Chatham, Waukesha
- Charles Kopshinsky, Waukesha
- Otto Beglinger, Waukesha
- Geraldine Bellin, Two Rivers
- Christopher Czekala, Manitowoc
- Kay Prochnow, Manitowoc
- Joy Thiers, Manitowoc
- Leroy Free, Manitowoc
- Kathryn Kiefer, Kiel
- Tony Pelsawski, Manitowoc
- Tom McCabe, Sheboygan
- Howard Jansen, Manitowoc — AMVETS
- Paul Blashka, Manitowoc — AMVET #99
- John Garcia, Manitowoc — Post 99
- Don Vandebusch, Reedsville
- Gene Schad, Manitowoc
- Dean Duellman, Manitowoc
- Fred Biashter, Manitowoc
- Patrick Gadzinski, Manitowoc
- Marvin Kliment, Manitowoc — AMVETS #99
- Paul Hynek, Manitowoc
- Larry Yax, Manitowoc — Post 99
- Clarson Stoel, Waukesha
- Roger Strege, Depere
- Donald Sitte, Baileys Harbor
- Stephen Kase, Sturgeon Bay — AMVETS Post 51
- Jolirh Deckdu, Manitowoc

- John Acheine, Forestville
- Lelaid Burrett, Sturgeon Bay
- Grdon Roberts, Sturgeon Bay
- Peter Santner, Sturgeon Bay
- Harold Lindhors, Sturgeon Bay
- Gebald Schmidtke, Sturgeon Bay
- Donald Diefenbach, Sturgeon Bay
- Mark Bauldry, Sturgeon Bay
- Norman Kiennau, Sturgeon Bay
- Mary Wendt, Sturgeon Bay
- Steven Grantham, Sturgeon Bay
- Daniel Schuster, Manitowoc — Post 99
- Roger Falk, Sturgeon Bay
- Al Peters, Denmark — AMVETS 99
- Jean Vandenbusch, Reedsville
- Jada Hynels, Manitowoc
- Lyle Reed, Waukesha
- Jesse Freis, Newton
- Kurt Jansen, Manitowoc

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 24, 2010

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Sullivan, Coggs, Carpenter, Leibham  
and Kanavas.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Carpenter, seconded by Senator Sullivan that  
**Freedman, Marvin** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (3) Senators Sullivan, Coggs and Carpenter.

Noes: (2) Senators Leibham and Kanavas.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

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Nicole Hudzinski  
Committee Clerk