

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Assembly Bill 876

Relating to: pedestrians crossing railroads.

By Representatives Nerison, R. Brooks, Kleefisch, Kulp, Skowronski and Tauchen; cosponsored by Senators Marklein, Miller and Vukmir.

February 08, 2016 Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

February 11, 2016 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (12) Representative Kleefisch; Representatives Kremer, Spiros, J. Ott, Rodriguez, Horlacher, Novak, Duchow, Goyke, Kessler, Zamarripa and Johnson.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (1) Representative Born.

Appearances For

- Representative Lee Nerison - 96th Assembly District
- George Meyer - WI Wildlife Federation
- Ryan Hoffman - Wisconsin BASS Nation
- Lee Fahrney - WI Conservation Congress
- James Barbian - Mississippi River Commission
- Dan Trawicki - Safari Club
- John Yatzeck - Hunters and Fisherman of Western WI
- Gary Dieck - LaCrosse City Conservation Alliance
- Jim Furley - Outdoorsmen and Women of WI
- John Annen - Madison, WI
- Mike Gates - Eagle, WI
- Scott Zimmerman - WI Trappers Association

Appearances Against

- Anthony Drumond - Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers
- Joshua Weatherford - LaCrosse, WI
- Eric Strolk - Stevens Point, WI
- Pete Kammer - WI Railroad Association
- Adrian Guerrero - Union Pacific Railroad
- Larry Markow - Wisconsin Operation Lifesaver
- Craig Peachy - SMART-TD

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Senator Howard Marklein - 17th Senate District
- Senator Kathlenn Vinehout - 31st Senate District
- Tom Bailey - McFarland, WI
- Dan Bailey - McFarland, WI
- Paul Smith - Wauwatosa, WI
- Karen Wilber - Monona, WI
- Bob Welch - WI Bear Hunters Association

Registrations Against

- Alice O'Connor - WI Chiefs of Police Association
- Curt Witynski - League of WI Municipalities
- Marc Bentley - WI Petroleum Council
- Heather Graves - Office of the Commissioner of Railroads

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

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Executive Session Held

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Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Born.

Moved by Representative Ott, seconded by Representative Novak that **Assembly Bill 876** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (7) Representative Kleefisch; Representatives Kremer, Spiros, J. Ott, Horlacher, Novak and Duchow.

Noes: (5) Representatives Rodriguez, Goyke, Kessler, Zamarripa and Johnson.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 5

Ashlee Moore
Committee Clerk