

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Public Benefit Reform**

##### **January 2018 Special Session Assembly Bill 5**

Relating to: creating a pilot and permanent program for making periodic payments to eligible recipients of the earned income tax credit and making an appropriation.

By committee on Assembly Organization, Representatives Vos, Krug, Felzkowski, Jagler, Sanfelippo, Tusler, Petersen, Duchow, Petryk, Kuglitsch, Tittl, Horlacher, Knodl, Brandtjen, Murphy, Neylon, Spiros, Wichgers, Bernier, Loudenbeck, Kleefisch, Rohrkaste, Katsma, Kremer and Swearingen; cosponsored by Senators Kapenga, Craig, Cowles, Darling, LeMahieu, Stroebel and Wanggaard, by request of Governor Scott Walker.

January 26, 2018      Referred to Committee on Public Benefit Reform

January 31, 2018      **Public Hearing Held**

Present:      (9)      Representative Krug; Representatives  
Vorpapel, Brandtjen, Schraa, Kremer, Petersen,  
Subeck, Kolste and Riemer.  
Absent:      (0)      None.  
Excused:      (0)      None.

##### Appearances For

- David Lee - Feeding Wisconsin
- Sarah Shatz
- Representative Jesse Kremer - 59th Assembly District
- Chytania Brown - DWD, Division Administrator  
Employment and Training
- Brad Wassink - Assistant Deputy Secretary, Department  
of Children and Families
- John Nothdurft - The Heartland Institute
- Barbra Sella - Wisconsin Catholic Conference
- Senator Chris Kapenga - 33rd Senate District
- Representative Robin Vos - 63rd Assembly District

##### Appearances Against

- Reverend Michael Rehak - WI Faith Voices for Justice

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Peter Bakken - WI Council of Churches

### Registrations For

- Dorothy Tambornino
- Jean DeGuire
- Loren Arends
- Jamie De Guire
- Juliya Gabrielle
- Kayla Gabriele
- Lindsey Fillian
- Scott Smith
- Stephen Kappes
- Chris Reader - WI Manufacturers and Commerce

### Registrations Against

- Laurie Rudie
- Adrienne Ramirez
- Chris Nyland
- Elizabeth Klons
- Emily Lassiter
- Norm Littlejohn
- James Penczykowski
- Amanda Meloy
- Elise Buchbinder
- Diara Parker
- Michael Goodman
- Lauren Gerger
- Karen Tredwell - Food Pantry of Waukesha County, Inc.
- Representative Melissa Sargent
- Marsha Mansfield - UW family Court Clinic
- Karen Banaszak
- Jeff Rainke
- Andrea Kaminski - League of Women voters

### Registrations for Information Only

- Pastor Cindy Crane - Lutheran office for public policy

February 06, 2018

**Executive Session Held**

Present: (8) Representative Krug; Representatives  
Vorpagel, Brandtjen, Schraa, Petersen, Subeck,  
Kolste and Riemer.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Kremer.

Moved by Representative Brandtjen, seconded by Representative  
Petersen that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for  
adoption.

Ayes: (5) Representative Krug; Representatives  
Vorpagel, Brandtjen, Schraa and Petersen.

Noes: (3) Representatives Subeck, Kolste and Riemer.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,  
Ayes 5, Noes 3

Moved by Representative Brandtjen, seconded by Representative  
Petersen that **January 2018 Special Session Assembly Bill 5** be  
recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (5) Representative Krug; Representatives  
Vorpagel, Brandtjen, Schraa and Petersen.

Noes: (3) Representatives Subeck, Kolste and Riemer.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 3

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Hannah Gibbs  
Committee Clerk