

JOURNAL OF THE ASSEMBLY [January 3, 1979]

STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Assembly Journal

Eighty-Fourth Regular Session

WEDNESDAY, January 3, 1979.

2:00 P.M.

The assembly met.

The assembly was called to order by the chief clerk of the 1977 session, Mr. Everett E. Bolle.

The prayer was offered by Father Jerome Thompson, director of the Spanish Apostolate for the archdiocese of Milwaukee, 1851 N. 60th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

O God, Lord of the Universe and Creator of Life, we gather together today as people of different religious traditions and, perhaps, some of no real awareness of your presence, to beseech your guidance in the deliberations of this assembly.

We proclaim your dominion over the universe and your providential care for all life. We proclaim our need of you to give real meaning to our human lives and our relationships with one another. We praise you in your majesty and in your personal love.

We extend to You our thanks for allowing us to share in the gift of life so fully. We extend our thanks to You for choosing this body to serve as representatives of your people with the responsibility of governing, aware of the human dignity of each person and the need for justice based on fidelity to your covenant.

We thank you for bringing together at this time in history the people who form our State - those who share the deepest roots in this land, members of the native American communities; those who came to settle here from many nations, building our rural and urban communities; for our black and Hispanic communities; para nuestra comunidad hispana que tiene su propia diversidad y ofrece mucho a toda la gente de nuestro estado.

We thank you, Lord, for our systems of education - public and private - which serve all levels of our population, expanding their awareness of our needs and possibilities.

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We thank you, Lord, for our religious communities who seek to balance our egoisms and focus our attention on your Lordship.

We thank You, Lord, for our youth, who in the midst of these troubled times, are the future of our State and nation.

In a spirit of gratitude and praise, Father, we seek your special intercession for this assembly gathered today with the responsibility of governing in our State. Be present to them always. Share with them the power of your wisdom and love, a deep respect for the dignity of each person, a clear insight into our common needs and a hopeful vision of our real possibilities.

Amen.

Representative Jackamonis led the membership in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

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COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin  
State Elections Board  
Madison

To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come:

I, GERALD J. FERWERDA, Executive Secretary of the State Elections Board of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby certify that at a General Election held on the Seventh day of November, A.D., 1978, the following Representatives to the Assembly were elected, for a term of two years, ending on the first Monday of January, 1981, as appears from the official certificates of the Board of State Canvassers, on file in this office.

1st - Lary J. Swoboda  
Route 1  
Luxemburg  
Democrat

2nd - Francis J. Lallensack  
1812 S. 23rd Street  
Manitowoc  
Democrat

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- 3rd - Daniel Fischer  
210 Birch Lane  
Reedsville  
Democrat
- 4th - Gary T. Dilweg  
Route 3, Lime Kiln Road  
Green Bay  
Republican
- 5th - William J. Rogers  
1800 Peters Road  
Kaukauna  
Democrat
- 6th - Gervase A. Hephner  
Route 4, Box 287  
Chilton  
Democrat
- 7th - Kevin Soucie  
3435 S. 63rd Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 8th - John O. Norquist  
736 S. 32nd Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 9th - Phillip J. Tuczynski  
1322 W. Cleveland Avenue  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 10th - Rod Johnston  
6410 N. Lake Drive  
Whitefish Bay  
Republican
- 11th - Gus G. Menos  
1850 W. Daisy Lane  
Glendale  
Democrat

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12th - John L. Merkt  
10501 N. O'Connell Lane  
Mequon  
Republican

13th - Michael G. Kirby  
10631 W. Hampton Avenue  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

14th - Robert E. Behnke  
4001 W. Calumet Road  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

15th - James W. Wahner  
6766 W. Appleton Avenue  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

16th - William B. Broydrick  
4313 N. 39th Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

17th - Walter L. Ward, Jr.  
3124 N. 13th Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

18th - Marcia P. Cogg  
2351 N. Richards Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

19th - Louise M. Tesmer  
2314 E. Rusk Avenue  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

20th - John R. Plewa  
4843 S. 13th Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat

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- 21st - Chester A. Gerlach  
307 Menomonee Avenue  
South Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 22nd - George H. Klicka  
8442 Kenyon Avenue  
Wauwatosa  
Republican
- 23rd - Thomas A. Hauke  
1133 S. 122nd Street  
West Allis  
Democrat
- 24th - Gary J. Barczak  
2726 S. 83rd Place  
West Allis  
Democrat
- 25th - Barbara L. Ulichny  
2535 N. Lake Drive  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 26th - Stephen R. Leopold  
541 N. 32nd Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 27th - Joseph C. Czerwinski  
914 S. 4th Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 28th - David E. Paulson  
Route 4, Box 75  
Amery  
Republican
- 29th - Robert W. Harer  
Route 1  
Woodville  
Republican

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- 30th - James E. Harsdorf  
Route 1  
Beldenville  
Republican
- 31st - Mordecai Lee  
4627 N. 52nd Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 32nd - Dismas Becker  
1533 N. 23rd Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 33rd - Richard E. Pabst  
5336 W. Wells Street  
Milwaukee  
Democrat
- 34th - Robert J. Larson  
410 E. Ogden Street  
Medford  
Republican
- 35th - Sheehan Donoghue  
102 Cottage Street  
Merrill  
Republican
- 36th - Lloyd H. Kincaid  
110 N. Crandon Avenue  
Crandon  
Democrat
- 37th - David M. Travis  
4701 Cottage Grove Road  
Madison  
Democrat
- 38th - Harland E. Everson  
Route 3, Box 750  
114 Kellogg Road  
Edgerton  
Democrat

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- 39th - Milton Lorman  
712 Frederick Street  
Fort Atkinson  
Republican
- 40th - Francis R. Byers  
357 Garfield  
Marion  
Republican
- 41st - Ervin W. Conradt  
Route 2  
Shiocton  
Republican
- 42nd - David L. Prosser, Jr.  
412 Cambridge Drive  
Appleton  
Republican
- 43rd - Cloyd A. Porter  
Route 3, Box 331  
Burlington  
Republican
- 44th - Delmar E. DeLong  
Route 2  
Clinton  
Republican
- 45th - Gary K. Johnson  
1818 Fayette  
Beloit  
Democrat
- 46th - Thomas A. Loftus  
1027 Chicory Way  
Sun Prairie  
Democrat
- 47th - Jonathan B. Barry  
Route 1  
9286 Ness Road  
Mount Horeb  
Democrat

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- 48th - Wayne W. Wood  
2429 Rockport Road  
Janesville  
Democrat
- 49th - Robert S. Travis, Jr.  
175 Carlisle Street  
Platteville  
Republican
- 50th - Joanne M. Duren  
Box 234  
Cazenovia  
Democrat
- 51st - Joseph E. Tregoning  
Oates Street  
Shullsburg  
Republican
- 52nd - Earl F. McEssy  
361 Forest Avenue  
Fond du Lac  
Republican
- 53rd - James R. Lewis  
4043 Hwy. D, Route 3  
West Bend  
Republican
- 54th - Esther Doughty Luckhardt  
211 N. Hubbard  
Horicon  
Republican
- 55th - Michael G. Ellis  
315 1/2 N. Commercial  
Neenah  
Republican
- 56th - Richard A. Flintrop  
1119 Cherry Street  
Oshkosh  
Democrat



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- 57th - Gordon R. Bradley  
2644 Elo Road  
Oshkosh  
Republican
- 58th - Carl Otte  
1440 S. 22nd Street  
Sheboygan  
Democrat
- 59th - Calvin Potter  
808 Green Tree Road  
Kohler  
Democrat
- 60th - David W. Opitz  
Route 1, Box 207B  
Port Washington  
Republican
- 61st - James F. Rooney  
1500 Michigan Boulevard  
Racine  
Democrat
- 62nd - R. Michael Ferrall  
1816 Wisconsin Avenue  
Racine  
Democrat
- 63rd - E. James Ladwig  
4616 Marcia Drive  
Racine  
Republican
- 64th - Joseph Andrea  
2405 45th Street  
Kenosha  
Democrat
- 65th - Eugene Dorff  
8045 19th Avenue  
Kenosha  
Democrat

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- 66th - Mary K. Wagner  
Route 1, Box 591  
Salem  
Democrat
- 67th - David R. Hopkins  
Route 5, Box 369  
Chippewa Falls  
Republican
- 68th - William P. Gagin  
2058 E. Lexington Blvd.  
Eau Claire  
Republican
- 69th - Richard A. Shoemaker  
209 3rd Street W.  
Menomonie  
Democrat
- 70th - Donald W. Hasenohrl  
Route 1, Box 122  
Pittsville  
Democrat
- 71st - David Helbach  
1424 Clark Street  
Stevens Point  
Democrat
- 72nd - Patricia A. Goodrich  
159 Oak Street  
Berlin  
Republican
- 73rd - Thomas B. Murray  
7 Windsor Street  
Superior  
Democrat
- 74th - David R. Kedrowski  
Route 1, Box 261  
Washburn  
Democrat

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- 75th - Patricia Spafford Smith  
P.O. Box 414  
Rice Lake  
Democrat
- 76th - Mary Lou Munts  
6102 Hammersley Road  
Madison  
Democrat
- 77th - Marjorie M. Miller  
213 Du Rose Terrace  
Madison  
Democrat
- 78th - David E. Clarenbach  
123 W. Gilman  
Madison  
Democrat
- 79th - Tommy G. Thompson  
609 Academy Street  
Elroy  
Republican
- 80th - James F. Laatsch  
415 Main Street  
Arlington  
Republican
- 81st - Randall J. Radtke  
400 Browns Court, Apt. 201  
Lake Mills  
Republican
- 82nd - James A. Rutkowski  
10223 Kay Parkway  
Hales Corners  
Democrat
- 83rd - John C. Shabaz  
21425 W. Glengarry Road  
New Berlin  
Republican

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- 84th - Harry G. Snyder  
331 E. Summit Avenue  
Oconomowoc  
Republican
- 85th - Edward F. McClain  
408 S. 9th Avenue  
Wausau  
Democrat
- 86th - Raymond J. Omernick  
Route 1, Box 120  
Wittenberg  
Republican
- 87th - Earl Schmidt  
Route 2  
Birnamwood  
Republican
- 88th - Richard P. Matty  
Box 189  
Crivitz  
Republican
- 89th - Cletus Vanderperren  
Route 5  
Green Bay  
Democrat
- 90th - Sharon K. Metz  
816 Shawano Avenue  
Green Bay  
Democrat
- 91st - Steve Gunderson  
Route 2  
Osseo  
Republican
- 92nd - Robert L. Quackenbush  
510 N. Spring Street  
Sparta  
Republican

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- 93rd - Marlin D. Schneider  
3820 South Brook Lane  
Wisconsin Rapids  
Democrat
- 94th - Virgil Roberts  
308 Park Lane  
Holmen  
Democrat
- 95th - John D. Medinger  
1016 Redfield Street  
La Crosse  
Democrat
- 96th - Bernard Lewison  
12 S. Washington Heights  
Viroqua  
Republican
- 97th - Ronald H. Lingren  
W149 N8301 Norman Drive  
Menomonee Falls  
Democrat
- 98th - Edward G. Jackamonis  
622 Greenmeadow Drive  
Waukesha  
Democrat
- 99th - John M. Young  
18325 Carriage Court  
Brookfield  
Republican

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I  
have hereunto set my hand and  
affixed the official seal of the State  
Elections Board. Done in the City  
of Madison, this 29th day of  
December, A.D., 1978.

GERALD J. FERWERDA  
Executive Secretary

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### OATH OF OFFICE

Chief Justice Bruce Beilfuss of the Wisconsin Supreme Court administered the oath of office to the members en masse.

The roll was called by the assistant chief clerk of the 1977 session, Mr. Thomas T. Melvin, and the members as their names were called came to the desk to sign the oath of office.

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Present -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Bradley, Broydrick, Byers, Clarenbach, Coggs, Conrad, Czerwinski, DeLong, Dilweg, Donoghue, Dorff, Duren, Ellis, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop, Gagin, Gerlach, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Helbach, Hephner, Hopkins, Jackamonis, Johnson, Kedrowski, Kincaid, Kirby, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Lallensack, Larson, Lee, Leopold, Lewis, Lewison, Lingren, Loftus, Lorman, Luckhardt, McClain, McEssy, Matty, Medinger, Menos, Merkt, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Omernick, Opitz, Otte, Pabst, Paulson, Plewa, Porter, Potter, Prosser, Quackenbush, Radtke, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schmidt, Schneider, Shabaz, Shoemaker, Smith, Snyder, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Thompson, Travis, D., Travis, R., Tregoning, Tuczynski, Ulichny, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward, Wood and Young -- 98.

Absent -- None.

Absent with leave -- Johnston -- 1.

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### ELECTION OF SPEAKER

Representative Plewa nominated Representative Jackamonis for the position of speaker of the assembly.

Representative Thompson nominated Representative Lewison.

There being no further nominations, the chair declared nominations closed.

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

For Representative Jackamonis -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Bradley, Broydrick, Clarenbach, Coggs, Czerwinski, Dorff, Duren, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop,

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Gerlach, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Helbach, Hephner, Johnson, Kedrowski, Kincaid, Kirby, Lallensack, Lee, Leopold, Lewison, Lingren, Loftus, McClain, Medinger, Menos, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Otte, Pabst, Plewa, Potter, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schneider, Shoemaker, Smith, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Travis, D., Tuczynski, Ulichny, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward and Wood -- 61.

For Representative Lewison -- Byers, Conradt, DeLong, Dilweg, Donoghue, Ellis, Gagin, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hopkins, Jackamonis, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Larson, Lewis, Lorman, Luckhardt, McEssy, Matty, Merkt, Omernick, Opitz, Paulson, Porter, Prosser, Quackenbush, Radtke, Schmidt, Shabaz, Snyder, Thompson, Travis, R., Tregoning and Young -- 37.

Absent or not voting -- Johnston -- 1.

Representative Jackamonis was elected Speaker.

Representatives Lingren and Roberts escorted Representative Jackamonis to the rostrum.

The oath of office was administered by Chief Justice Beilfuss of the Wisconsin Supreme Court.

Speaker Jackamonis in the chair.

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### REMARKS BY THE SPEAKER

I am grateful to you for the honor of being elected Speaker of this Assembly and for the confidence you have expressed in me. I pledge to you that I will work to maintain and extend the dignity and influence of this great institution, and that fairness, openness, and a spirit of accommodation will characterize the office of Speaker during the coming session.

I would like to take a few minutes now to share with you some thoughts on how we must prepare ourselves if the Legislature is to squarely meet the demands and challenges of the coming session and decade ahead.

The years immediately ahead will be a time when government officials are called upon to meet the public's needs and aspirations with limited resources. In this session, we will, no doubt, enact the largest tax cut in our state's history--a tax cut which could exceed a billion dollars. Within the limits imposed by such a tax cut, however, we will still need to meet our commitments to the people of Wisconsin

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by working to enhance individual freedom, to promote justice for the weak as well as the strong, and to improve the general welfare of all. While it is certainly true that good government need not be synonymous with increased spending, doing more with less will be a difficult challenge. I am confident this Legislature can meet that challenge.

To do so, however, we will have to better utilize the tools of legislative oversight that we have been developing and honing over the last several sessions. The basic components of oversight--the budget, the review of administrative rules, the use of audits, the active involvement of standing committees--cannot by themselves, of course, ensure that our government is operating effectively, efficiently, and humanely; that is our job. And to do it well will mean long hours wrestling with the details of policies and programs. Furthermore, we won't be able to rely solely on committee chairpersons or on legislative staff to accomplish these ends. The tasks ahead will require the active involvement and commitment of every legislator in this body.

It will also require the active involvement of thousands of private citizens willing to share their interest and expertise with their representatives in government. Meaningful citizen involvement in the affairs of government is a tradition in Wisconsin and we should do all that we can to encourage that participation to expand and grow. With their help, their ideas, their energy and support, we can better make the tough decisions that lie ahead.

For this to come to pass, however, members of the public will need better access to information about the legislative process. In recent years we have opened the doors of this Legislature wider to help provide the public with that access.

We have passed laws to make more government meetings open to the public, and to disclose the expenditures and income sources of special interest groups and election committees. In addition, we've opened our Caucuses and budget deliberations.

The last session of the Legislature surely demonstrated that government can operate in the sunlight. But more can and should be done to keep the people of our state informed. To this end, we will this session begin a legislative information service so that citizens throughout this state can call toll-free to find out the status of legislation, or the times and places of public hearings, and to contact their legislators.



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The Legislature has done and will continue to do a great deal to maximize the amount of information available to the people of this state. There is, however, a limit to what we can do by ourselves. To maximize the people's benefits from our open doors we need greater help from those whose business it is to inform the public.

Today, on this ceremonial occasion, our Capitol is illuminated by television lights, and the people of Wisconsin can watch us on a day that is very important to each of us. But if past practice is any guide, those lights will rarely be present when the tough decisions are before us, during the day-in, day-out work of the Legislature as we debate and discuss the people's business. That is unfortunate. The electronic media have become a dominant source of information for most people. As a result, they have the greatest potential to contribute to the public's right to know.

But what kind of information do the electronic media presently give to the people of this state about the workings of state government? When those lights go out, there's little more than headlines and simple summaries. The people of this state need more. They need substantive and detailed analysis of policy options. The issues that come before this body often involve underlying conflicts and tensions that inevitably arise even as we seek universally shared goals. When these tensions are glossed over, it should not be surprising if the public becomes cynical and perceives that their needs and concerns are being overlooked.

To avoid this we need a greater emphasis on documentary reporting, both of our deliberations in this Chamber and in our committees. Television and radio should be encouraged to devote more time to regularly scheduled programs on the issues before, and the activities of this state Legislature. And the cable industry, with its advantage of abundant channels, should be encouraged to provide gavel to gavel coverage of important floor sessions and committee hearings.

The Legislature has opened its doors to the public. Now the media should step in and make greater use of this openness to keep all the people of this state better informed. An interested citizen in Superior ought to have the same benefit from the Legislature's open doors as does an interested citizen in Madison. Unfortunately, at present, sheer distance puts the citizen in Superior at a great disadvantage. That will continue to be the case unless the news media takes on additional responsibilities in keeping citizens informed about state government.

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So today I ask that representatives of the electronic media in Wisconsin develop a plan to bring state government into each citizen's living room, so that our work and not just our ceremonies can be shared.

With the help of the media we can take the Wisconsin Idea a step further by making the boundaries of the state the boundaries of this legislative Chamber. Let us tap the vision, the dreams, and the strength of over four million well-informed, active citizens to help us with the difficult tasks that lie ahead.

Thank you.

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### ELECTION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

Representative Lingren nominated Representative Kedrowski for the position of speaker pro tempore of the assembly.

Representative Ellis nominated Representative Tregoning.

There being no further nominations, the speaker declared nominations closed.

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

For Representative Kedrowski -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Broydrick, Clarenbach, Cogg, Czerwinski, Dorff, Duren, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop, Gerlach, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Helbach, Hephner, Johnson, Kincaid, Kirby, Lallensack, Lee, Leopold, Lingren, Loftus, McClain, Medinger, Menos, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Otte, Pabst, Plewa, Potter, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schneider, Shoemaker, Smith, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Travis, D., Tregoning, Tuczynski, Ulichny, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward, Wood and Mr. Speaker -- 60.

For Representative Tregoning -- Bradley, Byers, Conradt, DeLong, Dilweg, Donoghue, Ellis, Gagin, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hopkins, Kedrowski, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Larson, Lewis, Lewison, Lorman, McEssy, Matty, Merkt, Omernick, Opitz, Paulson, Porter, Prosser, Quackenbush, Radtke, Schmidt, Shabaz, Snyder, Thompson and Travis, R. -- 36.

Absent or not voting -- Johnston, Luckhardt and Young -- 3.

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Representative Kedrowski was elected speaker pro tempore of the assembly.

Representatives Murray and Smith escorted Representative Kedrowski to the rostrum.

The oath of office was administered by Speaker Jackamonis.

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### ELECTION OF CHIEF CLERK

Representative Johnson nominated Mr. Marcel Dandeneau for the position of chief clerk of the assembly.

Representative Shabaz nominated Mr. John Gower.

There being no further nominations, the speaker declared nominations closed.

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

For Mr. Dandeneau -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Broydrick, Clarenbach, Coggs, Czerwinski, Dorff, Duren, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop, Gerlach, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Heibach, Hephner, Johnson, Kedrowski, Kincaid, Kirby, Lallensack, Lee, Leopold, Lingren, Loftus, McClain, Medinger, Menos, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Otte, Pabst, Plewa, Potter, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schneider, Shoemaker, Smith, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Travis, D., Tuczynski, Ulichny, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward, Wood and Mr. Speaker -- 60.

For Mr. Gower -- Bradley, Byers, Conradt, DeLong, Donoghue, Ellis, Gagin, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hopkins, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Larson, Lewis, Lewison, Lorman, Luckhardt, McEssy, Matty, Merkt, Omernick, Opitz, Paulson, Porter, Prosser, Quackenbush, Radtke, Schmidt, Shabaz, Snyder, Thompson, Travis, R., Tregoning and Young -- 37.

Absent or not voting -- Dilweg and Johnston -- 2.

Mr. Dandeneau was elected chief clerk of the assembly.

Representatives Soucie and Johnson escorted Mr. Dandeneau to the rostrum.

The oath of office was administered by Speaker Jackamonis.

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### ELECTION OF SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Representative Dorff nominated Mr. Joseph E. Jones for the position of sergeant-at-arms of the assembly.

Representative DeLong nominated Mr. Byron Wackett.

There being no further nominations, the speaker declared nominations closed.

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

For Mr. Jones -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Broydrick, Clarenbach, Coggs, Czerwinski, Dorff, Duren, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop, Gerlach, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Helbach, Hephner, Johnson, Kedrowski, Kincaid, Kirby, Lallensack, Lee, Leopold, Lingren, Loftus, McClain, Medinger, Menos, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Omernick, Otte, Pabst, Plewa, Potter, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schneider, Shoemaker, Smith, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Travis, D., Tuczynski, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward, Wood and Mr. Speaker -- 60.

For Mr. Wackett -- Bradley, Byers, Conradt, DeLong, Dilweg, Donoghue, Ellis, Gagin, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hopkins, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Larson, Lewis, Lewison, Lorman, Luckhardt, McEssy, Matty, Merkt, Opitz, Paulson, Porter, Prosser, Quackenbush, Radtke, Schmidt, Shabaz, Snyder, Thompson, Travis, R., Tregoning and Young -- 37.

Absent or not voting -- Johnston and Omernick -- 2.

Mr. Joseph E. Jones was elected sergeant-at-arms.

Representatives Behnke and Murray escorted Mr. Jones to the rostrum.

The oath of office was administered by Speaker Jackamonis.

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### CHIEF CLERK'S ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Dandeneau announced that as assistant chief clerk of the assembly he hereby appoints Mr. Thomas T. Melvin.

Representatives Loftus and Gunderson escorted Mr. Melvin to the rostrum.

The oath of office was administered by Speaker Jackamonis.

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SERGEANT-AT-ARMS ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Jones announced that as assistant sergeant-at-arms he hereby appoints Joyce Thoresen.

Representatives Vanderperren and Lewison escorted Joyce Thoresen to the rostrum.

The oath of office was administered by Speaker Jackamonis.

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INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF RESOLUTIONS

Read and referred:

Representative Wahner introduced a privileged resolution.

**Assembly Resolution 1**

Notifying the senate that the 1979 assembly is organized.

By Representatives Jackamonis, Wahner, Ferrall and Kedrowski.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Resolution 1** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Representative Wahner introduced a privileged resolution.

**Assembly Resolution 2**

Relating to the services of the resident clergy.

By Representatives Jackamonis, Ferrall and Kedrowski.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Resolution 2** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Representative Wahner introduced a privileged resolution.

**Assembly Resolution 3**

Relating to the division of the chamber for the 1979 session and to the selection of seats by members.

By Representatives Jackamonis, Wahner, Ferrall and Kedrowski.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Resolution 3** be adopted?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

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Ayes -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Bradley, Broydrick, Byers, Clarenbach, Coggs, Conradt, Czerwinski, DeLong, Dilweg, Donoghue, Dorff, Duren, Ellis, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop, Gagin, Gerlach, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Helbach, Hephner, Hopkins, Johnson, Kedrowski, Kincaid, Kirby, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Lallensack, Larson, Lee, Leopold, Lewis, Lewison, Lingren, Loftus, Lorman, Luckhardt, McClain, McEssy, Matty, Medinger, Menos, Merkt, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Omernick, Opitz, Otte, Pabst, Paulson, Plewa, Porter, Potter, Prosser, Quackenbush, Radtke, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schmidt, Schneider, Shabaz, Shoemaker, Smith, Snyder, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Thompson, Travis, D., Travis, R., Tregoning, Tuczynski, Ulichny, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward, Wood, Young and Mr. Speaker -- 98.

Noes -- None.

Absent or not voting -- Johnston -- 1.

Motion carried.

Representative Wahner introduced a privileged resolution.

**Assembly Resolution 4**

Relating to the standing committees of the 1979 assembly.

By Representatives Jackamonis and Wahner.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Resolution 4** be adopted?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Ayes -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Bradley, Broydrick, Byers, Clarenbach, Coggs, Conradt, Czerwinski, DeLong, Dilweg, Dorff, Duren, Ellis, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop, Gagin, Gerlach, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Helbach, Hephner, Hopkins, Johnson, Kincaid, Kirby, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Lallensack, Larson, Lee, Leopold, Lewis, Lewison, Lingren, Loftus, Lorman, Luckhardt, McClain, McEssy, Matty, Medinger, Menos, Merkt, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Omernick, Opitz, Otte, Pabst, Paulson, Plewa, Porter, Potter, Prosser, Quackenbush, Radtke, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schmidt, Schneider, Shabaz, Shoemaker, Smith, Snyder, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Thompson, Travis, D., Travis, R., Tregoning, Tuczynski, Ulichny, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward, Wood, Young and Mr. Speaker -- 97.

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Noes -- None.

Absent or not voting -- Donoghue and Johnston -- 2.

Motion carried.

Representative Wahner introduced a privileged joint resolution.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 1**

To renumber joint rules 82 to 85; to renumber and amend joint rule 81 (4); to amend joint rule 81 (2) and (3); and to create joint rule 82 (2) and the session schedule for the 1979-81 biennial session period.

By Representative Jackamonis, co-sponsored by Senator Risser, by request of Joint Committee on Legislative Organization.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** offered by Representative Jackamonis.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Representative Shabaz asked unanimous consent for a leave of absence for today's session for Representative Johnston. Granted.

The question was: Shall assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Assembly amendment 2 to **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** offered by Representative Duren.

The question was: Shall assembly amendment 2 to **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Assembly amendment 3 to **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** offered by Representative Shabaz.

Representative Wahner moved rejection of assembly amendment 3 to **Assembly Joint Resolution 1**.

The question was: Shall assembly amendment 3 to **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** be rejected?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

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Ayes -- Andrea, Barczak, Barry, Becker, Behnke, Broydrick, Clarenbach, Coggs, Conradt, Dorff, Duren, Everson, Ferrall, Fischer, Flintrop, Gagin, Gerlach, Hasenohrl, Hauke, Helbach, Hephner, Johnson, Kedrowski, Kincaid, Kirby, Lallensack, Lee, Leopold, Lingren, Loftus, McClain, Matty, Medinger, Menos, Metz, Miller, Munts, Murray, Norquist, Omernick, Otte, Pabst, Plewa, Potter, Prosser, Roberts, Rogers, Rooney, Rutkowski, Schneider, Shoemaker, Smith, Soucie, Swoboda, Tesmer, Travis, D., Tuczynski, Ulichny, Vanderperren, Wagner, Wahner, Ward, Wood and Mr. Speaker -- 64.

Noes -- Bradley, Byers, Czerwinski, DeLong, Dilweg, Donoghue, Ellis, Goodrich, Gunderson, Harer, Harsdorf, Hopkins, Klicka, Laatsch, Ladwig, Larson, Lewis, Lewison, Lorman, Luckhardt, McEssy, Merkt, Opitz, Paulson, Porter, Quackenbush, Radtke, Schmidt, Shabaz, Snyder, Thompson, Travis, R., Tregoning and Young -- 34.

Absent or not voting -- Johnston -- 1.

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Representative Wahner asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and that **Assembly Joint Resolution 1** be immediately messaged to the senate. Granted.

Representative Wahner introduced a privileged joint resolution.

### **Assembly Joint Resolution 2**

Extending, by 2 weeks each, the budget deadlines under sections 16.45 and 16.46 of the statutes.

By Representative Jackamonis, by request of Governor Lee Dreyfus.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Joint Resolution 2** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Representative Wahner asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and that **Assembly Joint Resolution 2** be immediately messaged to the senate. Granted.



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COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin  
Department of State  
Madison

To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come:

I, Vel Phillips, Secretary of State of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby certify that the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, have been approved by the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1977, and duly published, as required by Section 1 of Article XII of the Constitution, and are hereby referred for further approval to the Legislature of 1979.

Enrolled Joint Resolution 31 (Senate Joint Resolution 52)

Enrolled Joint Resolution 32. (Senate Joint Resolution 51)

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I  
have hereunto set my hand and  
official seal, in the City of  
Madison, this 3rd day of January,  
1979.

VEL PHILLIPS  
Secretary of State

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1977 Senate Joint Resolution 52

Enrolled No. 31

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION

To create section 7 (2) (a) 3 of article VIII of the constitution, relating to loans to farmers for the acquisition of farmland and farm buildings (first consideration), and referring the subject to the legislative council for interim study.

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That:

SECTION 1. Section 7 (2) (a) 3 of article VIII of the constitution is created to read:

[Article VIII] Section 7 (2) (a) 3. To make funds available to farmers for the acquisition of farmland and farm buildings.

Be it further resolved, That this proposed amendment be referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election and that it

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be published for 3 months previous to the time of holding such election; and, be it further

Resolved, That the legislative council shall conduct a study of the means of implementing the constitutional change proposed in this resolution, including recommendations for implementing legislation, and shall report its findings and recommendations to the 1979 legislature.

1977 Senate Joint Resolution 51

Enrolled No. 32

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION

To amend sections 1m and 1n of article V and sections 1m, 1n and 1p of article VI of the constitution so as in effect to repeal said sections; and to amend section 9 of article IV, sections 1, 7 and 8 of article V, section 1 of article VI and section 10 of article XIII of the constitution, relating to gubernatorial succession (1st consideration).

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That:

SECTION 1. Section 9 of article IV of the constitution is amended to read:

[Article IV] Section 9. Each house shall choose its own presiding officers, and the senate shall choose a temporary president when the lieutenant governor shall not attend as president, or shall act as governor from its own members.

SECTION 2. Section 1 of article V of the constitution is amended to read:

[Article V] Section 1. The executive power shall be vested in a governor, who shall hold his office for two 4 years; a lieutenant governor shall be elected at the same time, and for the same term.

SECTION 3. Sections 1m and 1n of article V of the constitution are amended so as in effect to repeal said sections:

[Article V] Section 1m. Notwithstanding section 1, beginning with the general election in 1970 and every four years thereafter, there shall be elected a governor to hold office for a term of four years.

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Section 1n. ~~Notwithstanding section 1, beginning with the general election in 1970 and every four years thereafter, there shall be elected a lieutenant governor to hold office for a term of four years.~~

SECTION 4. Sections 7 and 8 of article V of the constitution are amended to read:

[Article V] Section 7. In case of the impeachment of (1) Upon the governor's death, resignation or removal from office, the lieutenant governor shall become governor for the balance of the unexpired term.

(2) If the governor, or his removal from office, death, inability is absent from this state, impeached, or from mental or physical disease, resignation, or absence from the state, the powers and becomes incapable of performing the duties of the office shall devolve upon, the lieutenant governor shall serve as acting governor for the residue balance of the unexpired term or until the governor, absent or impeached, shall have returned or returns, the disability shall cease ceases or the impeachment is vacated. But when the governor shall, with the consent of the legislature, shall be out of the this state in time of war, at the head of the state's military force thereof, he the governor shall continue as commander in chief of the military force of the state.

Section 8. ~~The lieutenant governor shall be president of the senate, but shall have only a casting vote therein. (1) If, during there is a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor, and the lieutenant governor shall be dies, resigns or is removed from office, the secretary of state shall become governor for the balance of the unexpired term.~~

(2) If there is a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor and the governor is absent from this state, impeached, displaced, resign, die, or from mental or physical disease become becomes incapable of performing the duties of his the office, or be absent from the state, the secretary of state shall act serve as acting governor for the balance of the unexpired term or until the vacancy shall be filled or the governor returns, the disability shall cease ceases or the impeachment is vacated.

SECTION 5. Section 1 of article VI of the constitution is amended to read:

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[Article VI] Section 1. ~~There shall be chosen by the~~ The qualified electors of ~~the~~ this state, at the times and places of choosing the members of the legislature, shall in 1970 and every 4 years thereafter elect a secretary of state, treasurer and ~~attorney general,~~ attorney general who shall ~~severally~~ hold their offices for ~~the term of~~ two 4 years.

SECTION 6. Sections 1m, 1n and 1p of article VI of the constitution are amended so as in effect to repeal said sections:

[Article VI] Section 1m. ~~Notwithstanding section 1, beginning with the general election in 1970 and every four years thereafter, there shall be chosen a secretary of state to hold office for a term of four years.~~

Section 1n. ~~Notwithstanding section 1, beginning with the general election in 1970 and every four years thereafter, there shall be chosen a treasurer to hold office for a term of four years.~~

Section 1p. ~~Notwithstanding section 1, beginning with the general election in 1970 and every four years thereafter, there shall be chosen an attorney general to hold office for a term of four years.~~

SECTION 7. Section 10 of article XIII of the constitution is amended to read:

[Article XIII] Section 10. (1) The legislature may declare the cases in which any office shall be deemed vacant, and also the manner of filling the vacancy, where no provision is made for that purpose in this constitution.

(2) Whenever there is a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor, the governor shall nominate a successor to serve for the balance of the unexpired term, who shall take office after confirmation by the senate and by the assembly.

Be it further resolved, That this proposed amendment be referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election and that it be published for 3 months previous to the time of holding such election.

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COMMUNICATIONS

December 29, 1978

Mr. Everett Bolle  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
217 West, State Capitol

Dear Everett:

This is to inform you that the 1979-1980 Assembly Democrats at their November 15th Caucus elected the following individuals to serve in the 1979-1980 session of the Legislature.

Majority Floor Leader: James Wahner  
Asst. Majority Floor Leader: R. Michael Ferrall  
Democratic Caucus Chairman: James F. Rooney  
Caucus Vice-Chairman: Marlin Schneider  
Caucus Secretary: Mary K. Wagner  
Caucus Sergeant-at-Arms: Lloyd Kincaid

Respectfully,  
JAMES F. ROONEY  
Democratic Caucus Chairman

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December 29, 1978

Mr. Everett Bolle  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
Rm. 220A West  
State Capitol  
Madison, Wisconsin 53702

Dear Everett:

At a caucus of the Assembly Republicans who will be serving in the 1979-1981 session, held on November 16th, the following leadership was elected:

Minority Leader: John Shabaz  
Assistant Minority Leader: Tommy Thompson  
Caucus Chairman: Del DeLong  
Caucus Vice-Chairman: Joe Tregoning  
Caucus Secretary: Pat Goodrich

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Caucus Sergeant-at-Arms: Richard Matty

Respectfully submitted,

DELMAR E. DeLONG

Republican Caucus Chairman

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EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

January 3, 1979

Mr. Marcel Dandeneau

Assembly Chief Clerk

Capitol, 217 West

Madison, Wisconsin 53702

Dear Mr. Dandeneau:

Pursuant to section 16.45, Wisconsin Statutes, I request a two week extension of the statutory date for submitting the executive budget to the Legislature.

Thank you for this courtesy.

Sincerely,

LEE S. DREYFUS

Governor

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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

By Donald J. Schneider, chief clerk.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform you that the senate has adopted:

**Senate Resolution 1**

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SEAT ASSIGNMENTS

January 2, 1979

To: Speaker Ed Jackamonis

From: Jim Wahner

The following includes Democratic members of the Assembly and the seat number to which they have been assigned:

Andrea 92, Barczak 9, Barry 71, Becker 83, Behnke 64, Broydrick 58, Clarenbach 81, Coggs 30, Czerwinski 11, Dorff 34, Duren 36, Everson 72, Ferrall 7, Fischer 59, Flintrop 66, Gerlach 57, Hasenohrl 84, Hauke 91, Helbach 55, Hephner 62, Jackamonis 5, Johnson 68, Kedrowski 6, Kincaid 82, Kirby 60, Lallensack 94, Lee 98, Leopold 38, Lingren 69, Loftus 31, McClain 100, Medinger 97, Menos 85, Metz 40, Miller 14, Munts, 67, Murray 61, Norquist 99, Otte 35, Pabst 63, Plewa 56, Potter 93, Roberts 89, Rogers 65, Rooney 96, Rutkowski 37, Schneider 90, Shoemaker 87, Smith 70, Soucie 88, Swoboda 86, Tesmer 32, Travis, D. 12, Tuczynski 10, Ulichny 13, Vanderperren 95, Wagner 39, Wahner 8, Ward 29 and Wood 33.

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January 2, 1979

Mr. Marcel Dandeneau  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
217 West - State Capitol  
Madison, Wisconsin 53702

Dear Mr. Dandeneau:

Pursuant to your request, the following represents seat assignments for Republican members of the Assembly:

Bradley 78, Byers 48, Conratt 77, DeLong 2, Dilweg 22, Donoghue 47, Ellis 21, Gagin 75, Goodrich 3, Gunderson 45, Harer 15, Harsdorf 27, Hopkins 52, Johnston 28, Klicka 24, Laatsch 43, Ladwig 74, Larson 46, Lewis 73, Lewison 80, Lorman 16, Luckhardt 18, McEssy 20, Matty 49, Merkt 42, Omernick 51, Opitz 25, Paulson 53, Porter 79, Prosser 50, Quackenbush 76, Radtke 17, Schmidt 41, Shabaz 4, Snyder 23, Thompson 1, Travis, R. 44, Tregoning 19 and Young 26.

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JOHN C. SHABAZ  
Republican Floor Leader

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In accordance with the adoption of **Assembly Resolution 3**, the seat assignments are as follows:

Member	Seat No.
Andrea .....	92
Barczak .....	9
Barry .....	71
Becker .....	83
Behnke .....	64
Bradley .....	78
Broydrick .....	58
Byers .....	48
Clarenbach .....	81
Coggs .....	30
Conradt .....	77
Czerwinski .....	11
DeLong .....	2
Dilweg .....	22
Donoghue .....	47
Dorff .....	34
Duren .....	36
Ellis .....	21
Everson .....	72
Ferrall .....	7
Fischer .....	59
Flintrop .....	66
Gagin .....	75
Gerlach .....	57
Goodrich .....	3
Gunderson .....	45
Harer .....	15
Harsdorf .....	27
Hasenohrl .....	84
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Lewis .....	73
Lewison .....	80
Lingren .....	69
Loftus .....	31
Lorman .....	16
Luckhardt .....	18
McClain .....	100
McEssy .....	20
Matty .....	49
Medinger .....	97
Menos .....	85
Merkt .....	42
Metz .....	40
Miller .....	14
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Rogers .....	65
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Judiciary ----- 314 NW --- 6-2411  
\*Labor (e) ----- 424 NE --- 6-2180  
State Affairs ----- 213 NW --- 6-2403

Wednesday

\*Agriculture (o) ----- 424 NE --- 6-2180  
Education ----- 213 NW --- 6-2403  
Joint Finance ----- 113 SO --- 6-8535  
Local Affairs ----- 314 NW --- 6-2411

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*Energy (o) -----	318 SW	---	6-3453
*Tourism, Recreation & Econ. Develop. (e) -----	424 NE	---	6-2180
*Transportation (e) -----	415 NW	---	6-3454

### Thursday

*Commerce & Consumer Affairs (o) -----	213 NW	---	6-2403
Criminal Justice & Public Safety -----	314 NW	---	6-2411
Environmental Resources -----	318 SW	---	6-3453
*Financial Institutions (e) -----	424 NE	---	6-2180
*Highways (o) -----	415 NW	---	6-3454
Joint Finance (e) -----	113 SO	---	6-8535
*Revenue (e) -----	213 NW	---	6-2403
*Small Business (e) -----	415 NW	---	6-3454

### Friday

Administrative Rules -----	421 SO	---	6-0291
*Audit (o) -----	424 NE	---	6-2180
*Elections (e) -----	314 NW	---	6-2411
*State-Federal Relations (o) -----	314 NW	---	6-2411
*Veterans and Military Affairs (o) -----	318 SW	---	6-3453

\* These committees meet on alternate weeks

(o) Odd dates

(e) Even dates

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Representative Thompson asked unanimous consent that the assembly adjourn in honor of the birthday of Representative Dilweg. Granted.

Representative Wahner asked unanimous consent that the members of the assembly adjourn in honor of and extend their thanks to the following persons for the Mozart Quartet Chamber Music they played in the chamber prior to the start of the day's session: Carol Meves, flute; Mary Norquist, viola; Rodnick Jordan, violin and Margaret Norquist, cello. Granted.

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### VISITORS

During today's session, the following visitors honored the assembly by their presence, and were welcomed by the presiding officer and the members:

Kenneth D. Coutts from Lake Mills, guest of Representative Radtke.

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Otto, Dona, Linda, Jayson and Kristine Shoemaker, Vernon and Dorothy Rhodes from Menomonie, guests of Representative Shoemaker.

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Representative Wahner moved that the assembly stand adjourned until 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday, January 9.

The question was: Shall the assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The assembly stood adjourned.

4:25 P.M.