

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

**Committee on Environment**

**Assembly Bill 236**

Relating to: issuance of metallic mining permits.

By Representatives Duff, Underheim, Seratti, Handrick, Ourada, Huebsch, Johnsrud, Kreibich, Gard, Ladwig, Musser, Goetsch, M. Lehman, Grothman, Vrakas and Schafer; cosponsored by Senators Weeden, Farrow, Huelsman and Panzer, by request of the Governor Tommy G. Thompson.

April 3, 1997            Referred to committee on Environment.

April 15, 1997            **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (10)    Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent:     (0)     None.

Appearances for

- Rep. Marc Duff, 98th Assembly District, New Berlin
- Stan Druckenmiller, DNR, Madison

Appearances against

- Frances Locke, Madison Audubon Co, Madison
- Claire Vanderslice, Self, Grafton, WI
- Clyde Winter, Mining Impact Coalition, Grafton, WI
- Keith Reopelle, Wis Environmental Decade, Madison
- Lianne Nelson Brandon, Wis Citizen Action, Oconomowoc
- Caryl Terrell, John Muir Chptr-Sierra Club, Madison
- John Freitag, Self, Beloit, WI

Appearances for Information Only

- Eric Uram, Self, Madison
- Reverend Sue Moline Larson, Lutheran Office for Public Policy in Wisconsin, Madison
- Joan Hansen, WMC, Madison

Registrations for

- Nicole M. Evans, Self, Stevens Point, WI

Registrations against

- Amy S. Morlici, Self, Stevens Point, WI
- David Fallow, Self, Madison
- Harold G. Frank, Forest County Potawatomi, Laona, WI
- Carl Zichella, Self, Madison
- Pamela Ulijasz, Forest County Potawatomi, Milwaukee
- Richard Spindler, Self, Madison
- Craig Peterson, Forest County Potawatomi, Milwaukee
- Zev Ross, Wis River Alliance, Madison
- Ben Manski, Self, Madison

March 26, 1998

**Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**

  
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**Committee on Environment**

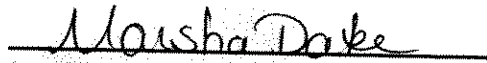
**Assembly Bill 255**

Relating to: reimbursement for costs incurred because of discharges from certain petroleum product storage tanks, granting rule-making authority and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Johnsrud, Freese, Ward, Goetsch, Ainsworth, Musser, Meyer, Gard, Hasenohrl, Gronemus, Albers, Hutchison, Duff, Kreibich, Owens, Brandemuehl, Zukowski, Sykora, Ourada, Powers, Olsen, Gunderson and Harsdorf; cosponsored by Senators Cowles, Rude and Drzewiecki.

February 10, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**

  
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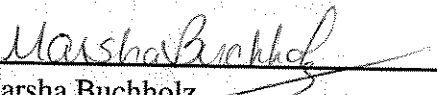
Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Bock,  
that **Assembly Bill 343** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud,  
Hahn, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La  
Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Seratti.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

  
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#### Committee on Environment

##### Assembly Bill 368

Relating to: regulating water or sewer service provided to occupants of mobile home parks, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Robson, Duff, Musser and Murat; cosponsored by Senator Weeden.

May 20, 1997

Referred to committee on Environment.

June 4, 1997

#### **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent: (0) None.

#### Appearances for

- Rep. Judy Robson, 45th Assembly District, Beloit

#### Appearances against

- Ross Kinzler, WI Manufactured Housing Assoc., Madison

#### Appearances for Information Only

- Joyce Narveson, Public Service Commission, Madison

#### Registrations for

- Sen. Tim Weeden, 15th Senate District, Beloit
- Fran Tryon, DATCP, Madison

#### Registrations against

- None.

March 26, 1998

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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##### Assembly Bill 447

Relating to: enforcement of certain environmental laws regulating mining and water pollution.

By Representatives Johnsrud, Hanson, Wood, M. Lehman, Turner, Gronemus, Ott, Robson, Meyer, Hasenohrl, Kelso, Musser, Seratti, Powers, Murat, Ward and Kreibich; cosponsored by Senators Clausing, Weeden, Plache, Wirch and Jauch, by request of the Attorney General James Doyle.

July 10, 1997 Referred to committee on Environment.

September 2, 1997 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Seratti.

##### Appearances for

- Representative DuWayne Johnsrud, 96th Assembly District, Eastman
- Todd Ambs, Dept of Justice, Madison
- Brenda Hagman, Dept of Natural Resources, Madison

##### Appearances against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations for

- Patrick Stevens, Wis Manufacturers & Commerce, Madison
- Caryl Terrell, John Muir Chptr-Sierra Club, Madison
- Keith Reopelle, Wis Environmental Decade, Madison
- Rev. Sue Moline Larson, Lutheran Office for Public Policy in Wisconsin, Madison

##### Registrations against

- None.

November 11, 1997 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La  
Fave.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Johnsrud, seconded by Representative  
Bock, that **Assembly Bill 447** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud,  
Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black  
and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

**PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0**

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November 11, 1997 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La  
Fave.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Bock, seconded by Representative Duff,  
that **Assembly Bill 488** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud,  
Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black  
and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

**PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0**

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### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### Committee on Environment

##### Assembly Bill 492

Relating to: authorizing the department of natural resources to allow wetland compensatory mitigation projects and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Duff, Hasenohrl, Olsen, Grothman, Musser, Albers and Johnsrud; cosponsored by Senators Farrow, Welch and Weeden, by request of the Department of Natural Resources.

August 28, 1997 Referred to committee on Environment.

September 2, 1997 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Seratti.

##### Appearances for

- Representative Marc Duff, 98th Assembly District, New Berlin
- Paul Scott Hausmann, Dept of Natural Resources, Madison
- Jeff Nania, Wis Waterfowl Association, Portage, WI
- Ed Wilusz, Wis Paper Council, Neenah, WI

##### Appearances against

- Ron Kuehn, Wis Cranberry Growers Association, Madison

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Tom Boswell, Wis Wetlands Association, Madison
- Caryl Terrell, John Muir Chptr-Sierra Club, Madison

##### Registrations for

- Jerry Deschane, Wis Builders Association, Madison

##### Registrations against

- Patrick Stevens, Wis Manufacturers & Commerce, Madison
- Paul Zimmerman, Wis Farm Bureau, Madison

March 3, 1998

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Kedzie, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB 0534/2** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Kedzie, that **Assembly Amendment LRB 1894/1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB 0534/1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Kedzie, that **Assembly Amendment LRB 1895/1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB 0534/2** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Kedzie, that **Assembly Amendment LRB 1894/1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Kedzie, that **Assembly Amendment LRB 1895/1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Black, seconded by Representative Bock, that **Assembly Amendment LRB 1896/1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (4) Representative Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (5) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti and Kedzie.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

INTRODUCTION REJECTED, Ayes 4, Noes 5, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Black, seconded by Representative Bock, that **Assembly Amendment LRB 1897/1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (4) Representative Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (5) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti and Kedzie.

Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

INTRODUCTION REJECTED, Ayes 4, Noes 5, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Kedzie, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB 0534/2** be recommended for adoption.

- Ayes: (5) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti and Kedzie.  
Noes: (4) Representative Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 4, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Kedzie, that **Assembly Bill 492** be recommended for passage as amended.

- Ayes: (5) Representatives Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti and Kedzie.  
Noes: (4) Representatives Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 4,  
Absent 1

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## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Environment**

##### **Assembly Bill 516**

Relating to: the specified minimum percentage of postconsumer fiber contained in newsprint.

By Representatives Reynolds, Johnsrud, Gunderson, Nass and Hutchison.

September 16, 1997 Referred to committee on Environment.

October 28, 1997 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Kedzie.

##### Appearances for

- Rep. Marty Reynolds, AD 87, Ladysmith
- George P. Dreckmann, Associated Recyclers of Wisconsin, Madison
- Michael Jameson, Madison Newspapers Inc., Madison
- Todd Adams, Milwaukee Journal Sentinel, Milwaukee
- Dan Haight, Avenor Inc., Chicago
- Sandra George, Wisconsin Newspaper Assn., Madison
- Pete Christianson, Wis Newspaper Assn., Madison

##### Appearances against

- Kate Cooper, DNR Waste Management Section, Madison
- Caryl Terrell, John Muir Chptr Sierra Club, Madison

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations for

- Janet Swandby, Wis Advertising Publisher's Assn., Madison
- James Buchen, WMC, Madison
- Nathan Harper, Madison Newspapers Inc, Madison

##### Registrations against

- None.

February 3, 1998

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

Moved by Representative Johnsrud, seconded by Representative Duff, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 516** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Black and La Fave.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Johnsrud, seconded by Representative Duff, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 516** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (6) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti and Kedzie.  
Noes: (3) Representative Bock, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 3, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Johnsrud, seconded by Representative Duff, that **Assembly Bill 516** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (6) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti and Kedzie.  
Noes: (3) Representatives Bock, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 3, Absent 1



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October 28, 1997

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Kedzie.


Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative  
Hoven, that **Assembly Bill 548** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud,  
Hahn, Seratti, Bock, Robson, Black and La  
Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Kedzie.

**PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1**

  
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Marsha Buchholz  
Committee Clerk

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### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### Committee on Environment

##### **LRB 3892/3 (AB 586)**

Relating to: requirements concerning metallic mining.  
(Representative Seratti)

November 4, 1997 Referred to committee on Environment.

October 28, 1997 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Kedzie.

##### Appearances for

- Rep. Lorraine Seratti, 36th AD, Spread Eagle WI
- Stan Druckenmiller, DNR, Madison
- Larry Lynch, DNR, Madison
- Ken Fish, Menominee Nation, Keshena WI

##### Appearances against

- Dale Alberts, Crandon Mining Co., Madison
- Joan Hansen, WMC, Madison

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Caryl Terrell, John Muir Chptr, Sierra Club, Madison

##### Registrations for

- None.

##### Registrations against

- None.

November 11, 1997 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

##### **ASSEMBLY BILL 586**

By Representatives Seratti, Olsen, Musser, Ourada, Dobyms,  
Freese, Gard, Zukowski, Lorge, Albers, Kaufert, Handrick,  
Powers, Hahn, Ott, Sykora, Ainsworth and Owens.

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Bock, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be unanimously recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (10) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0

Moved by Representative Seratti, seconded by Representative Duff, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (10) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0


Moved by Representative Bock, seconded by Representative Johnsrud, that **Assembly Bill 586** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0

  
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Committee Clerk

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Record of Committee Proceedings

**Committee on Environment**

**Assembly Bill 613**

Relating to: effective recycling program criteria.  
By Representatives Johnsrud and Black.

November 19, 1997 Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998 **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**



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Committee Clerk

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## Record of Committee Proceedings

### Committee on Environment

#### Assembly Bill 636

Relating to: establishing a time period for review by the department of natural resources of applications for certain permits, licenses and approvals and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

By Representatives La Fave, Duff, F. Lasee, Riley, Sykora, Gronemus, Musser, Green, Walker, Grothman, Skindrud, Harsdorf, Otte, Ainsworth, Handrick, Ward, Porter, Powers, Ladwig, Olsen, Schafer, Jeskewitz, Kedzie, Lorge, Zukowski and Ryba; cosponsored by Senators Shibilski, Darling, Welch, Farrow, Fitzgerald and Huelsman.

December 2, 1997 Referred to committee on Environment.

December 9, 1997 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Seratti,  
Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Hahn.

#### Appearances for

- Rep. John La Fave, AD 23, Milwaukee
- Randy Melody, Harmony Homes, Waukesha
- Jerry Deschane, Wis Builders Assoc, Madison

#### Appearances against

- John Greene, Dept of Justice, Madison
- Keith Reopelle, Wis Environmental Decade, Madison
- Mary Ellen Vollbrecht, DNR, Madison
- Michael Caine, DNR, Madison

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None

#### Registrations for

- Pat Stevens, WMC, Madison
- ??, Wis Road Builders Assoc, Madison
- Brian Mitchell, Assoc. General Contractors/Greater Milwaukee;  
Assoc. General Contractors/Wisconsin Chapter; Wis Cast Metals  
Assoc
- Ron Kuehn, Wis Cranberry Growers Assoc; Wis Potato & Vegetable  
Growers; Wis Pork Producers Assoc., Madison

#### Registrations against

- William P. O'Connor, Wis Assoc of Lakes, Inc., Madison

February 3, 1998

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Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Black and La Fave.

Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

Moved by Representative La Fave, seconded by Representative Duff,  
that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 636** be  
recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

**INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1**

Moved by Representative La Fave, seconded by Representative Duff,  
that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 636** be  
recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

**ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1**

Moved by Representative La Fave, seconded by Representative Kedzie,  
that **Assembly Bill 636** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (8) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (1) Representative Bock.

Absent: (1) Representative Robson.

**PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 1, Absent**

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Committee Clerk

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Record of Committee Proceedings

**Committee on Environment**

**Assembly Bill 643**

Relating to: pipelines transporting mine discharge within the right-of-way of highways.

By Representatives Albers, Freese and Springer; cosponsored by Senator Schultz.

December 2, 1997 Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998 **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**

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**Assembly Bill 689**

Relating to: the newspaper recycling fee and scheduled increases to the minimum percentage of newsprint's fiber derived from postconsumer waste.

By Representatives Johnsrud, Ourada, Brandemuehl, Porter, Seratti, Powers and Vrakas; cosponsored by Senators Welch and Farrow.

January 6, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**

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**Assembly Bill 739**

Relating to: the prohibition on constructing and modifying medical waste incinerators.

By Representatives Kreuser, Steinbrink, Porter, Ainsworth, Baldwin, Black, Bock, Boyle, Murat and R. Young; cosponsored by Senators Wirch, Plache, Burke, A. Lasee and Risser.

January 27, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**

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**Committee on Environment**

**Assembly Bill 772**

Relating to: creating a hazardous painting certificate program, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation and providing a penalty.

By Representative Baldwin; cosponsored by Senators Decker and Plache.

February 5, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**

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**Committee on Environment**


**Assembly Bill 794**

Relating to: creating a state fire programs interagency coordinating council and altering the duties of the state emergency response board.

By Representative Bock; cosponsored by Senator Burke.

February 12, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**



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#### **Committee on Environment**

##### **Assembly Bill 798**

Relating to: lake bed areas owned by Milwaukee County that are used for certain recreational purposes and to Milwaukee County's creating or acting as a board of harbor commissioners.

By Representatives Notestein, Walker, Riley, Carpenter, R. Potter, Williams, Gunderson, Staskunas, Bock, Krug, Coggs, Wasserman, Kunicki, L. Young, Duff, La Fave, Krusick, Lazich, Plale, Morris-Tatum and Cullen; cosponsored by Senators Grobschmidt, Moore, Darling, Burke, George, Farrow and Rosenzweig.

February 19, 1998 Referred to committee on Environment.

March 3, 1998 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Representatives Duff, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie and Black.

Absent: (5) Representatives Hoven, Johnsrud, Bock, Robson and La Fave.

##### Appearances for

- Rep. Barbara Notestein, 19th Assembly District, Milwaukee
- Susan L. Baldwin, Director, Milwaukee County Parks Department
- Shelia Aldrich, Supervisor, Milwaukee County
- Sen. Richard Grobschmidt, 7th Senate District, Milwaukee

##### Appearances against

- None

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None

##### Registrations for

- John Schapekahn, Milwaukee County, Wauwatosa
- Greg High, Milwaukee County, Milwaukee
- Harvey B. Stower, Milwaukee County, Milwaukee
- Steve Jacquart, City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee
- Patti Bustle, Milwaukee County, Milwaukee

##### Registrations against

- None

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Present: (9) Representatives Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti,  
Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

Moved by Representative Bock, seconded by Representative  
Black, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB 0528/1** be  
recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti,  
Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Bock, seconded by Representative  
Black, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB 0528/1** be  
recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (9) Representative Duff, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti,  
Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 1

Moved by Representative Bock, seconded by Representative  
Black, that **Assembly Bill 798** be recommended for passage as  
amended.

Ayes: (8) Representatives Duff, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie,  
Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Noes: (1) Representative Johnsrud.  
Absent: (1) Representative Hoven.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 1,  
Absent 1

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Marsha Dake  
Committee Clerk

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### Committee on Environment

##### Assembly Bill 815

Relating to: local regulation of certain solid waste facilities.

By Representatives Plale, Green, Boyle, F. Lasee, Ladwig, R. Potter, Riley, Springer and Staskunas; cosponsored by Senator Grobschmidt.

February 24, 1998 Referred to committee on Environment.

March 17, 1998 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances for

- Rep. Jeff Plale, Assembly District 21, South Milwaukee
- Lawrence Haskin, City of Oak Creek, Oak Creek WI

##### Appearances against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Gene Mitchell, DNR, Madison-Fitchburg
- Paul Didier, DNR, Madison


##### Registrations for

- Rep. Cloyd Porter, Assembly District 66, Burlington WI

##### Registrations against

- Tom Walker, Wis Transportation Builders Assn, Madison
- Pat Stevens, Wis Manufacturers & Commerce, Madison

March 26, 1998 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

  
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**Assembly Bill 822**

Relating to: exemptions from rules regulating mining and regulating the storage and disposal of mining waste.

By Representative Black.

February 24, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**



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**Assembly Bill 834**

Relating to: mining for minerals on lands owned by the state and under the jurisdiction of the department of natural resources, sale of lands by the department of natural resources and providing a penalty.

By Representative Black; cosponsored by Senator Clausing.

February 25, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

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**Assembly**

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**Assembly Bill 835**

Relating to: information concerning persons who intend to engage in mining and related entities and denial of mining permits.

By Representative Black; cosponsored by Senator Clausung.

February 25, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**



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Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Bock,  
that **Assembly Bill 845** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud,  
Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black  
and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0



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Committee Clerk

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**Assembly Bill 851**

Relating to: grants to political subdivisions for landfill cleanups, a municipal landfill cleanup fee, granting bonding authority, granting rule-making authority and making appropriations.

By Representatives Harsdorf, Black, Hoven, Baumgart, Sykora, Hasenohrl, Vrakas, Notestein, Musser and Robson; cosponsored by Senators Clausing, Roessler, Wirch and Burke.

March 2, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 17, 1998      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (10)    Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent:    (0)    None.

Appearances for

- Rep. Sheila Harsdorf, 30th Assembly District, River Falls
- Randy Romanski for Sen. Alice Clausing, 10th Senate District
- Mike Gracz, City of Tomah, WI
- Stephen J. Gunty, City Administrator-City of Sparta, WI
- Keith Reopelle, Wis Environmental Decade, Madison

Appearances against

- Pete Christianson, Superior Services Inc., Madison
- Lynn Morgan, Waste Management Inc, Menomonee Falls, WI

Appearances for Information Only

- Mark Giesfeldt, Wis DNR, Madison

Registrations for

- Caryl Terrell, Sierra Club-John Muir Chapter, Madison

Registrations against

- Ed Huck, Wis Alliance of Cities, Madison
- Patrick Essie, USA Waste of Wisconsin, Madison
- Pat Stevens, WMC, Madison
- Rep. Carol Owens, 53rd Assembly District, Oshkosh

- Marcus Smith, Dept of Administration-City of Milwaukee

March 17, 1998

### EXECUTIVE SESSION

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Hahn, that **Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB s0635/1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (10) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0

Moved by Representative Robson, seconded by Representative Bock, that **Assembly Amendment LRB a2171/1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment LRBs0635/1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (6) Representative Hoven, Johnsrud, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.  
Noes: (4) Representative Duff, Hahn, Seratti and Kedzie.  
Absent: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 4, Absent 0

Moved by Representative Robson, seconded by Representative Bock, that **Assembly Amendment LRBa2171/1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB s0635/1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (4) Representative Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (6) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti and Kedzie.  
Absent: (0) None.

ADOPTION NOT RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 6, Absent 0

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Hahn,  
that **Assembly Substitute Amendment LRB s0635/1** be  
recommended for adoption.


Ayes: (8) Representative Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn,  
Seratti, Kedzie, Robson and La Fave.  
Noes: (2) Representative Bock and Black.  
Absent: (0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 2, Absent 0

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Bock,  
that **Assembly Bill 851** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud,  
Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black  
and La Fave.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0,  
Absent 0

  
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Committee Clerk



## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

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##### Assembly Bill 907

Relating to: ozone-depleting refrigerant and mobile air conditioners.

By Representatives Schafer, Ainsworth, Otte, Goetsch, Ryba, Foti, Musser, Owens, Albers, Hasenohrl, Olsen, Vander Loop, Lorge, Grothman and Plouff; cosponsored by Senators Cowles, Shibilski, Huelsman, Farrow, Darling and Schultz.

March 16, 1998 Referred to committee on Environment.

March 17, 1998 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances for

- Rep. Chuck Schafer, 68th Assembly District, Chippewa Falls
- Tom Stoebig, DATCP, Madison
- Lance Green, DNR, Madison

##### Appearances against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations for

- Caryl Terrell, Sierra Club - John Muir Chapter, Madison
- Forbes McIntosh, Concerned Auto Recyclers of Wisconsin, Madison

##### Registrations against

- None.

March 17, 1998 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Duff, seconded by Representative Kedzie, that **Assembly Bill 907** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (10) Representatives Duff, Hoven, Johnsrud, Hahn, Seratti, Kedzie, Bock, Robson, Black and La Fave.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0, Absent 0



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Michael Prentiss  
Committee Clerk

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**Assembly Bill 935**

Relating to: mercury emissions from major utilities, reporting mercury emissions, mercury in medical waste sent to incinerators, fish advisories and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Baldwin, Baumgart, Black, Bock, Handrick, J. Lehman, Notestein, Robson and R. Young; cosponsored by Senators Burke and Risser.

March 19, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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**Assembly**

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**Assembly Bill 954**

Relating to: escrowing certain payments to the federal government for the disposal of radioactive waste and making an appropriation.

By Representative Duff; cosponsored by Senator Cowles.

March 26, 1998      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      **Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.**

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**Assembly Petition 4**

A petition signed by approximately 700 citizens of the state of Wisconsin in support of environmentally responsible mining.

By Representative Duff.

July 1, 1997      Referred to committee on Environment.

March 26, 1998      Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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