

WISCONSIN STATE
LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE HEARING
RECORDS

1999-00

(session year)

Assembly

(Assembly, Senate or Joint)

Committee on
Campaigns &
Elections
(AC-CE)

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*Information Collected For Or
Against Proposal*

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Vote Record

Assembly Committee on Campaigns and Elections

Date: 9/1/99
Moved by: Mont Seconded by: Miller
AB: _____ Clearinghouse Rule: _____
A/B: _____ SB: 42 Appointment: _____
AJR: _____ SJR: _____ Other: _____
A: _____ SR: _____

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Be recommended for:

- Passage
- Introduction
- Adoption
- Rejection

- Indefinite Postponement
- Tabling
- Concurrence
- Nonconcurrency
- Confirmation

Committee Member

Rep. Stephen Freese, Chair
Rep. Scott Suder
Rep. Scott Walker
Rep. Phil Montgomery
Rep. Bonnie Ladwig
Rep. David Travis
Rep. David Cullen
Rep. Mark Miller
Rep. Gary Sherman

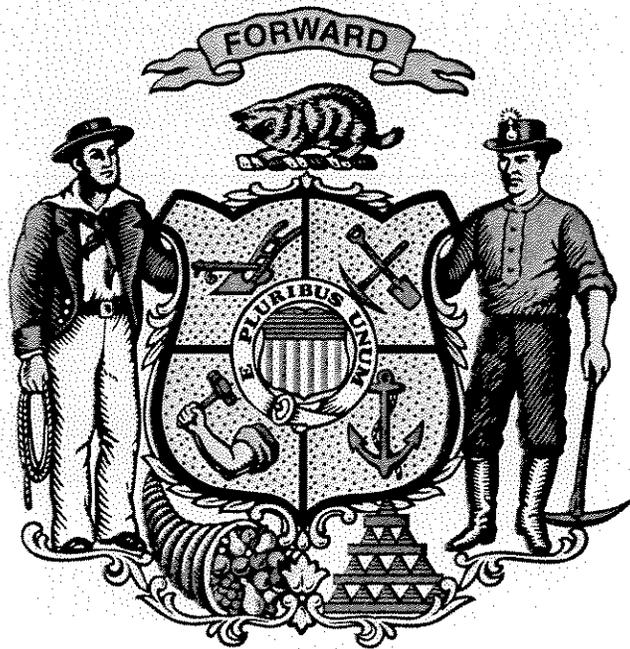
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Rep. Scott Suder	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rep. Scott Walker	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rep. Phil Montgomery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rep. Bonnie Ladwig	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rep. David Travis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Rep. Mark Miller	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rep. Gary Sherman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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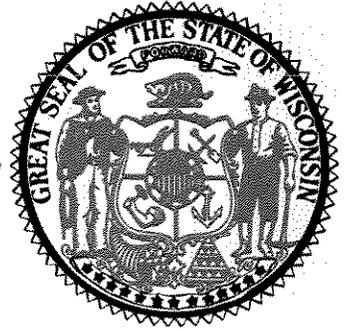
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Motion Carried

Motion Failed



FRED A. RISSER
President
Wisconsin State Senate



TO: Representative ^{Steve} Steve Freese, Chair
and
Members of the Assembly Committee on Campaigns & Elections

FROM: Senator Fred Risser

RE: SENATE BILL 42 – qualifications for absentee voting

DATE: June 1, 1999

*Thanks!
Fred*

Unfortunately, due to a prior commitment, I will be unable to personally attend the hearing on Senate Bill 42.

However, I am writing to urge that the committee give this proposal a favorable recommendation. Senate Bill 42 passed the State Senate on a voice vote on March 16th.

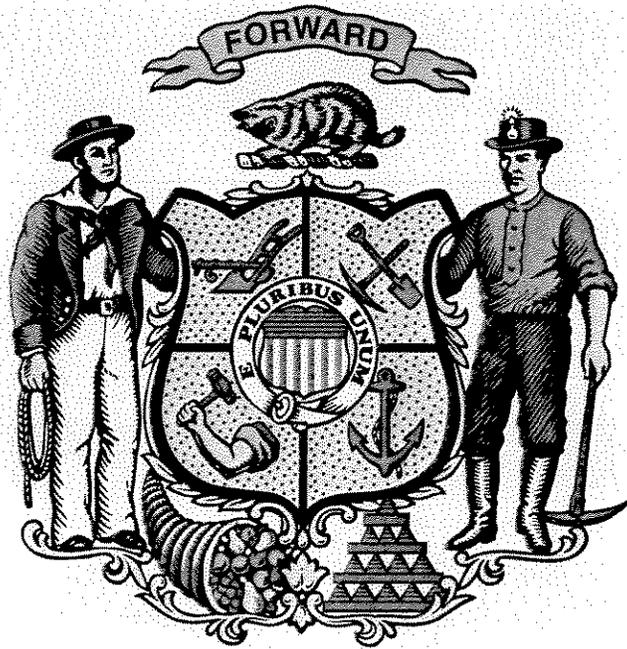
As you know, traditionally absentee voting was a choice for those who were planning to be outside the state, had health problems, were disabled or on jury duty—conflicts which would have precluded them from voting on election day.

My bill does not require any reason to vote by absentee ballot. The benefits include enhanced voter participation, convenience and greater accessibility for elderly and disabled voters who might not ordinarily be able to go to the polls on a specific day. And, as a point of clarification, individuals are still required to submit absentee ballots to their polling place of residence.

Our worlds have changes, lives are more hectic, time is a precious commodity and it's clear that the voting process must change also.

A side benefit might be a decrease in the ever escalating campaign advertising blitz we experience in the final days leading up to an election.

I have strong bi-partisan support for this concept and I hope that you will give this proposal a positive committee recommendation. Thank you so much for scheduling this bill and for your consideration.



Griffiths, Terri

From: Dextra Hadnot [Dhadno@ci.mil.wi.us]
Sent: Monday, June 07, 1999 3:16 PM
To: Griffiths, Terri
Subject: SB-42; Absentee Voting

Can you please provide me with a journal of proceedings from the Assembly Campaign Finance Committee hearing on SB-42. I am also interested in when the exec will be held on this bill. the City of Milwaukee does support this legislation.

Thanks in advance.

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PHONE MESSAGE

TO	TERRE	DATE	6/7/99	TIME	
FROM	DEXTRA HADNOT		(414)		
COMPANY	CITY OF MILWAUKEE		286-8474		
MESSAGE	SB 42				
	WANTS TO HAS SOME QUESTIONS				
	ON CAMPAIGN & ELECTIONS				
	SIGNED				
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Griffiths, Terri

From: Griffiths, Terri
Sent: Thursday, September 02, 1999 9:06 AM
To: 'DHADNO@ci.mil.wi.us'
Subject: RE: SB 42

I contacted the committee clerk who indicated that the City is not on the record of proceedings anywhere. I did, however, put the City down in the Assembly committee as registering in favor of SB 42 if that helps you out. While you didn't attend the committee hearing we held in June on SB 42, you called the office on the day and indicated your support and I was able to put that in the record on your behalf.

-----Original Message-----

From: DHADNO@ci.mil.wi.us
[mailto:DHADNO@ci.mil.wi.us]
Sent: Wednesday, September 01, 1999 5:55 PM
To: Terri.Griffiths@legis.state.wi.us
Subject: RE: SB 42

I think the City is on record as supporting the bill in the Senate. Can you verify that for me and get back to me? I will be in Madison on Thursday. I will attempt to stop by your office.

I will attempt

>>> mail@smtg (Griffiths, Terri)
{Terri.Griffiths@legis.state.wi.us} 09/01/99 05:05PM >>>
Mr. Hadnot;

I regret that I did not inform you of the executive session on SB 42. The committee held an executive session today and voted 8-1 in favor of concurrence of SB 42 (Rep. Bonnie Ladwig against).

Terri Griffiths, Committee Clerk