

Committee Name:
Senate Committee –
Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy
(SC–JCP)

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STATE SENATOR DAVE ZIEN

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July 21, 2003

Senator Mary Panzer, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Organization
State Capitol, 211 South
Hand-Delivered

Dear Senator Panzer,

The Senate Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy requests approval for an informational tour outside the State Capitol building. The tour would be on Wednesday, August 20, 2003 of the University of Wisconsin – Madison Biotechnology Center.

The Committee neither requests travel reimbursement for committee members, nor will the services of the Senate Sergeant at Arms staff be required. It is my understanding that maps and parking passes will be provided to committee members by the University.

Sincerely,

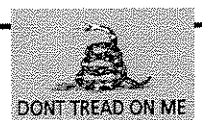
Senator Dave Zien, Chairman
Senate Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy

DAZ:jwh



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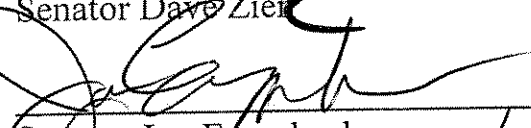
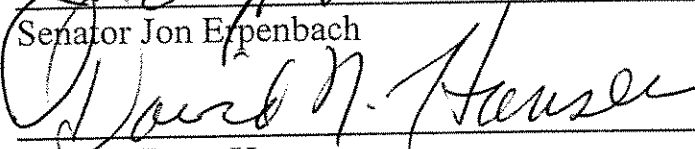
TO: Senate Committee on Organization Members
 FROM: Senator Mary E. Panzer, Chair
 DATE: July 28, 2003
 REGARDING: Committee Informational Tour

Attached please find a request from:

Senator Dave Zien
Senate Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy
Informational Tour
University of Wisconsin – Madison Biotechnology Center
August 20, 2003

(Request includes authorization to attend only; Sergeant-at-Arms staff support is not needed, and no expense reimbursement is anticipated.)

I am recommending approval of this request. Please review the attached information, indicate your approval by signing below, and return this memo to my office. Thank you.

| | <u>Date</u> |
|--|-------------|
|  _____ Senator Mary E. Panzer | 7/29/03 |
|  _____ Senator Alan Lasee | 7/29/03 |
|  _____ Senator Dave Zien | 7/29/03 |
|  _____ Senator Jon Erpenbach | 7-29-03 |
|  _____ Senator Dave Hansen | 7-29-03 |



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Senate Majority Leader
MARY E. PANZER

Wisconsin State Senate • 20th District

July 30, 2003

The Honorable Dave Zien
Wisconsin State Senator
15 South - State Capitol
Madison, Wisconsin 53703

Dear Senator Zien:

The Senate Committee on Organization has approved your request on behalf of the Members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy to take an informational tour at the University of Wisconsin – Madison Biotechnology Center on August 20, 2003.

It is the Committee's understanding that your request includes authorization to attend only, and that Sergeant-at-Arms staff support is not needed, and no expense reimbursement is anticipated.

Your request has been approved contingent upon the Senate not being in session. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Senator Mary E. Panzer, Chair
Senate Committee on Organization

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**SENATE JUDICIARY, CORRECTIONS & PRIVACY
COMMITTEE BIOTECHNOLOGY/STEM CELL
UW-MADISON TOUR**

**August 20, 2003
1:00-3:00 p.m.**

TOUR LOCATION & DIRECTIONS

UW RESEARCH PARK 510 CHARMANY DR., ROOM 50

MINERAL POINT ROAD TO WHITNEY WAY. TAKE A RIGHT ON WHITNEY WAY. TAKE FIRST RIGHT ON RESEARCH PARK BLVD. NEXT RIGHT ON CHARMANY DRIVE. RESEARCH PARK IS THE FIRST BUILDING ON THE LEFT. PARK IS FREE AND AVAILABLE IN THE LOT.

1:00 LISA MARONEY, GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTIONS.

1:05 R. TIMOTHY MULCAHY, PHD

Associate Vice Chancellor for Research Policy & Associate Dean for Biological Sciences. Dr. Mulcahy will provide an overview of stem cell research and therapeutic cloning.

1:20 JON S. ODORICO, MD

Assistant Professor of Surgery, Division of Transplantation. Director, Islet Cell Transplantation. Dr. Odorico will explain his use of stem cell research.

1:40 JOHN NEIS, VENTURE INVESTORS

Mr. Neis will explain criteria considered important to investors and how best to maintain a positive business climate.

2:00 MARK BUGHER, DIRECTOR UW RESEARCH PARK

Mr. Bugher will provide a tour of three start-up companies:

Mirus Corporation is a leader in the development of products and technologies integral to gene therapy, drug discovery and drug delivery.

Platypus Technologies, LLC is a nanotechnology company that develops, produces and markets new tools for the life sciences.

Stratatech Corporation is a Delaware corporation with patented technology at the cutting-edge of tissue engineering. Stratatech is focused on commercializing the patented NIKS human skin cell line.

3:00 TOUR CONCLUDED

Senate

INFORMATIONAL TOUR

Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy

The committee will hold an informational tour at the time specified below:

Wednesday, August 20, 2003
1:00 PM

University of Wisconsin-Madison Biotechnology Center Tour

Complete tour information will be available from the Committee Clerk by August 6.



Senator David Zien
Chair

- 1 Brett Davis
- 2 Sen Leibham
- 3 John Hogan
- 4 Sen Zien
5. ~~Sen Carpenter~~ cancelled
6. ~~Stuart Emery~~ cancelled

~~George~~ ?
" ~~Staff~~ ?

~~Fitz~~ → No
~~Staff~~ ?

~~Stapp~~ ? No
" ~~Staff~~ ?

5. Shari
6. Altison

WISCONSIN STATE SENATE



Carol Roessler
STATE SENATOR

September 8, 2003

Dear Senator:

We are writing to encourage you to attend the 19th Wisconsin Family Impact Seminar, "Corrections Policy: Can States Cut Costs and Still Curb Crime?" The seminar will be held Thursday October 16th, 2003, in the GAR Room, 417 North, Wisconsin State Capitol. A continental breakfast will be served at 8:00 and the seminar will run from 8:15 to 10:00 a.m. Reservations are due by Thursday, October 9.

The seminar will feature three nationally-recognized speakers discussing:

- * How state sentencing policies are changing during tough budget times
- * Costs and benefits of incarceration and other crime control policies
- * Effective programs to strengthen treatment and reduce recidivism for convicted offenders

Two special opportunities are being offered to state legislators:

- * A complimentary luncheon is being held on October 16 for state legislators and speakers from noon to 1:15 in 415 NW at the State Capitol. For reservations, contact Mari Hansen at 262-0369.
- * Personal appointments can be scheduled with any of the speakers on a first-come, first-served basis. Contact Mari Hansen at 262-0369.

The Wisconsin Family Impact Seminars have been bringing a family perspective to policymaking for a full decade. The seminars are well known for providing objective, solution-oriented information on current policy issues. Because we believe the seminars meet an important need in the state, we serve on the advisory committee along with former Representative Peter Bock, Senator Alberta Darling, Rep. Jean Hundertmark, Rep. Julie Lassa, Rep. Mark Miller, Senator Gwendolynne Moore, Rep. Luther Olsen, Rep. Gary Sherman, and Rep. Daniel Vrakas. If you have questions, contact any legislative advisor, Professor and Extension Specialist Karen Bogenschneider (262-4070), or the Family Impact Seminar staff (262-5779).

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Carol Roessler in black ink.

Senator Carol Roessler

Handwritten signature of Judy Robson in black ink.

Senator Judith Robson

Hogan, John

From: Marcott, Susan
Sent: Monday, October 06, 2003 8:39
To: Hanson, Peter; Hogan, John
Subject: FW:
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-----Original Message-----

From: Family Impact Seminars [mailto:fis@ssc.wisc.edu]
Sent: Friday, October 03, 2003 1:55 PM
Subject:

Dear Legislator:

We are writing to encourage you to attend the 19th Wisconsin Family Impact Seminar, "Corrections Policy: Can States Cut Costs and Still Curb Crime?" which is scheduled for Thursday, October 16, 2003. The seminar will feature three national experts discussing how state sentencing policies are changing during tough budget times; costs and benefits of incarceration and other crime control policies; and effective programs to strengthen treatment and reduce recidivism for convicted offenders.

Location: GAR, Room 417 North, Wisconsin State Capitol
Date: Thursday, October 16 2003
Time: 8:00 Continental breakfast
8: 15-10:00 Seminar
10:15-11:30 Optional Discussion Sessions
12:00-1:15 - Luncheon (Legislators Only)

To register for the seminar or the luncheon, contact Mari Hansen by mail at 1300 Linden Drive, Rm. 120, Madison, WI 53706, by phone at (608)262-0369, or by email at fis@ssc.wisc.edu



Corrections Policy: Can States Cut Costs and Still Curb Crime?

^{LW}**Extension**

October 16, 2003
GAR (Room 417 North)
Wisconsin State Capitol

If a hearing is scheduled in GAR, the seminar will be moved to Room 260, City of Madison Municipal Building (Old Post Office), 215 MLK, Jr., Blvd

Presented by
The Wisconsin Family Impact Seminars

Wisconsin legislators are concerned about the growth in state spending on corrections. In the past six years, the Badger state has seen its corrections budget grow from \$1.3 billion in the 1998-99 session to nearly \$2 billion in the budget adopted for 2004-05: an increase of almost 45%. Since 1990, Wisconsin's inmate population has risen more than 300%. This seminar will feature the latest research on what states are doing to curb rising corrections costs while protecting public safety. Also hear about how to maximize scarce state dollars through effective sentencing and corrections intervention programs.

8.00 a.m. Continental Breakfast

8:15-10 a.m. Seminar Presentations

Sentencing Policy in Tough Budget Times: What Are States Doing?

by Daniel Wilhelm, Director, State Sentencing and Corrections Program, Vera Institute of Justice, New York: The Vera Institute is leading a landmark study to examine the evolution of sentencing policies in all 50 states over the past quarter century. The Vera Institute has worked on sentencing policy with 20 states, ten intensively.

Using Taxpayer Dollars Wisely: Costs and Benefits of Incarceration and Other Crime Control Policies

by Steve Aos, Associate Director, Washington State Institute for Public Policy; Mr. Aos, who has 27 years' experience conducting cost-benefit analysis, has spoken to legislatures in five states across the country and at five meetings of the National Conference of State Legislatures, with ten to 25 states represented at each.

Promoting Public Safety Through Effective Correctional Interventions: What Works and What Doesn't?

by Edward Latessa, Professor and Head, Division of Criminal Justice, University of Cincinnati; Dr. Latessa has been the principal investigator in over 40 evaluations of corrections programs in such states as Idaho, Indiana, Louisiana, Ohio, Oklahoma, and Wisconsin.

10:15-11:30 Optional Discussion Sessions (All Participants Welcome)

Moderated by Mark Lederer, Consultant and David Weimer, Professor of Political Science and Public Affairs, Robert M. La Follette School of Public Affairs

12:00-1:15 Round Table Luncheon Discussion (Legislators Only) – Room 415 NW, State Capitol

Please register by October 9th with Mari Hansen by mail at 1300 Linden Drive, Rm. 120, Madison, WI 53706, by phone at (608) 262-0369, or by email at fis@ssc.wisc.edu

Name _____ E-Mail _____

Agency _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Yes No I plan to stay for the following discussion after the seminar:

___ ___ Discussion I: Daniel Wilhelm and Edward Latessa, Room 400 NE

___ ___ Discussion II: Steve Aos, Room 415 NW

___ ___ I plan to stay for the Roundtable Luncheon Discussion for Legislators

October 16, 2003

**Can States Cut Costs and Still Curb Crime?
Corrections Policy:**

You are cordially invited to the 19th Wisconsin Family Impact Seminar



Wisconsin Family Impact Seminars are a series of seminars, briefing reports, newsletters, and discussion sessions for state policymakers. Since 1993, 19 seminars have provided non-partisan, solution-oriented research on family issues such as juvenile crime, long-term care, parenting, teenage pregnancy, and welfare reform. The seminars bring a family impact perspective to policymaking and provide a neutral setting for policymakers to discuss policy alternatives and seek common ground.

Legislative Advisors:

*Former Representative Peter Bonta
Senator Alberta Darling
Representative Jean Hundertmark
Senator Julie Lassa
Representative Mark Miller
Senator Gwendolynne Moore*

*Representative Luther Olsen
Senator Judy Robson
Senator Carol Roessler
Representative Gary Sherman
Representative Daniel Vrakas
Lisa Ellinger, Governor's Office*

The Wisconsin Family Impact Seminars are directed by Professor and Extension Specialist Karen Bogenschneider. For further information, contact Karen at 608-262-4070 or kpbogens@facstaff.wisc.edu, the Family Impact Seminar office at 608-262-5779, or email fis@ssc.wisc.edu.

Return to:

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