



2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 507

October 20, 2009 – Introduced by Representatives MURSAU, BROOKS, GUNDERSON, KAUFERT, KERKMAN, KNODL, LEMAHIEU, MONTGOMERY, NERISON, A. OTT, STRACHOTA, SUDER and TOWNSEND, cosponsored by Senator HOLPERIN. Referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 23.127 of the statutes; **relating to:** voting at meeting's of the
2 conservation congress.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The conservation congress is a statewide independent organization of citizens that serves the Natural Resources Board in an advisory capacity on all matters under the jurisdiction of the Natural Resources Board, such as those concerning hunting and fishing, conservation, and the environment.

Under this bill, the Natural Resources Board may not accept the results of a vote on an advisory question presented during any spring county meeting of the conservation congress if nonresidents were allowed to vote at that county meeting on the advisory question or to vote for delegates to the conservation congress.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 **SECTION 1.** 23.127 of the statutes is created to read:
4 **23.127 Conservation congress voting.** The natural resources board may
5 not accept the results of a vote on an advisory question taken during any spring
6 county meeting of the conservation congress if persons who were not residents of this

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1 state were allowed to vote at that county meeting on the advisory question or to vote
2 at that county meeting for delegates to the conservation congress.

3 (END)