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# WISCONSIN STATE LEGISLATURE ... PUBLIC HEARING - COMMITTEE RECORDS

2009-10

(session year)

# Senate

(Assembly, Senate or Joint)

Committee on ... Public Health, Senior Issues, Long-Term Care, and Job Creation (SC-PHSILTCJC)

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## **Senate**

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Committee on Public Health, Senior Issues, Long-Term Care, and Job Creation

#### Senate Bill 494

Relating to: allowing nonprofit corporations to operate an aging and disability resource center (suggested as remedial legislation by the Department of Health Services). By Law Revision Committee.

January 25, 2010

Referred to Committee on Public Health, Senior Issues, Long-Term Care, and Job Creation.

February 17, 2010

#### **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

(5)

Present:

Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Vinehout, Schultz

and Kapanke.

Absent:

(0) None.

#### Appearances For

- Donna McDowell, Madison Department of Health services
- Donna Wong, Madison Department of Health Services

#### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

• None.

#### Registrations For

• None.

#### Registrations Against

• None.

#### Registrations for Information Only

• None.

March 3, 2010

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:

(5) Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Vinehout, Schultz

and Kapanke.

Absent:

(0) None.

Moved by Senator Coggs, seconded by Senator Vinehout that **Senate Bill 494** be recommended for passage.

Ayes:

(5) Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Vinehout,

Schultz and Kapanke.

Noes:

(0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Russell DeLong

Committee Clerk

# **Vote Record** Committee on Public Health, Senior Issues, Long-Term Care, and Job Creation

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Be recommended for: Passage		□ Concurrence □ Indefinite Postponement □ Nonconcurrence			
Committee M	ember		、Aye No	Absent	Not Voting
Senator Tim Carpenter, Chair					
Senator Spencer Coggs			_\ <i>Z</i> □		
Senator Kathleen Vinehout					
Senator Dale Schultz			/Ø 🗆		
Senator Dan Kapanke			Z -		
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February 17, 2010
Information provided by Department of Health Services
Donna McDowell, Director, Bureau of Aging & Disability Resources
Division of Long-Term Care

### WI State Senate Committee on Public Health, Senior Issues, Long-Term Care and Job Creation

#### **SB 491**

Aging & Disability Resource Centers are now serving most of the state of Wisconsin. These one-stop organizations provide a very comprehensive set of information and guidance about how, in our complicated health and social services systems, services and benefits work for adults that are elderly or have a disability, and provide help securing what people need and are entitled to. The ADRCs perform functional and financial screening that identifies persons eligible for Family Care or a self-directed supports waiver known as IRIS.

This bill updates the statute to include in the ADRC section the IRIS Medicaid waiver that permits individuals and their families to manage their own service and supports. The bill also expands the people who can receive information and assistance from and ADRC to include adults with developmental disabilities.

#### SB 494

DHS has suggested that the statute be amended to clarify that in addition to the county agencies that are eligible to serve as an ADRC, non-profit corporations established by counties to serve as county aging units can also qualify to serve as an ADRC. At present the ADRC can be developed by human service departments, county aging units or community service boards (51). The non-profit county aging units are treated as counties in all other programs administered by DHS when they are an appropriate provider of services for the elderly and other populations.

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