



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundredth Regular Session

11:06 A.M.

THURSDAY, February 24, 2011

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by President Ellis.

President Ellis, with unanimous consent, asked that the roll call, prayer, and pledge of the January 2011 Special Session be applied to the Regular Session.

CALL OF ROLL

The roll was called, disclosing the presence of a quorum.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 15, the official attendance for session was:

Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Galloway, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kapanke, Kedzie, Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Moulton, Olsen, Schultz, Vukmir, Wanggaard and Zipperer – 19.

Absent – Senators Carpenter, S. Coggs, T. Cullen, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, C. Larson, Lassa, Miller, Risser, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 14.

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries dated **Wednesday, February 23, 2011.**

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Senate Organization** reports:

Referred to, and withdrawn from, the joint committee on **Finance**, pursuant to Senate Rule 41 (1)(e):

Senate Bill 6

Placed the following proposals on the Senate Calendar of Thursday, February 24, 2011:

Senate Joint Resolution 13

Senate Bill 6

Ayes: 3 – Senators Fitzgerald, Ellis and Grothman.

Noes: 0 – None.

SCOTT FITZGERALD
Chairperson

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 24

Relating to: eliminating the fee for having land rezoned out a farmland preservation zoning district and eliminating the program for purchasing agricultural conservation easements.

By Senators Schultz, Galloway and Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Jacque, Rivard, Steineke, Ziegelbauer, Bies, Kerkman, Kestell, Nass, Kleefisch, Litjens, Pridemore and Weinger.

To committee on **Financial Institutions and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 25

Relating to: eliminating authorization to create a regional transit authority, dissolving any existing regional transit authority and the Southeastern Regional Transit Authority, and eliminating the Southeast Wisconsin transit capital assistance program.

By Senators Grothman, Wanggaard, Lazich, Vukmir, Lasee and Moulton; cosponsored by Representatives Nass, Ripp, Vos, Wynn, Pridemore, Mursau, Petersen, Nygren, Kerkman, Suder, August and LeMahieu.

To committee on **Transportation and Elections.**

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Economic Development and Veterans and Military Affairs** reports and recommends:

WINSTON, WYMAN, of Atlanta, GA, as Executive Director of the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, to serve for the term ending January 13, 2013.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 4 – Senators Hopper, Zipperer, Darling and Wanggaard.

Noes, 0 – None.

Senate Bill 11

Relating to: the filing of certain forms related to Tax Incremental Financing District Number 72 in the city of Milwaukee.

Passage.

Ayes, 4 – Senators Hopper, Zipperer, Darling and Wanggaard.

Noes, 0 – None.

Senate Bill 21

Relating to: authorizing the town of Brookfield in Waukesha County to create a tax incremental district for a retail project.

Passage.

Ayes, 4 – Senators Hopper, Zipperer, Darling and Wanggaard.

Noes, 0 – None.

RANDY HOPPER
Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS

CORRECTIONS IN:

**SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1
TO 2009 SENATE BILL 6**

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(February 24, 2011)

- 1. Page 28, line 15: delete “1” and substitute “1”.

**CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS,
RESOLUTIONS, AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS
NOT REQUIRING A THIRD READING**

Senate Joint Resolution 13

Relating to: declaring January 26 as Bob Uecker Day.

Read.

The question was: Shall **Senate Joint Resolution 13** be adopted?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 14; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Galloway, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kapanke, Kedzie, Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Moulton, Olsen, Schultz, Vukmir, Wanggaard and Zipperer – 19.

Noes – None.

Absent or not voting – Senators Carpenter, S. Coggs, T. Cullen, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, C. Larson, Lassa, Miller, Risser, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 14.

Adopted.

Senator S. Fitzgerald, with unanimous consent, asked that all members of the Senate be made coauthors of **Senate Joint Resolution 13**.

Senator S. Fitzgerald, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately messaged to the Assembly:

Senate Joint Resolution 13

Messaged.

**SECOND READING AND AMENDMENTS OF
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS
AND SENATE BILLS**

Senate Bill 6

Relating to: requiring certain identification in order to vote at a polling place or obtain an absentee ballot, verification of the addresses of electors, absentee voting procedure in certain residential care apartment complexes and adult family homes, identification cards issued by the Department of Transportation, creating an identification certificate issued by the Department of Transportation, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

Senate amendment 1 to Senate substitute amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 6** offered by Senator Leibham.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to Senate substitute amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 6**?

Adopted.

The question was: Adoption of Senate substitute amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 6**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 19; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 14; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Galloway, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kapanke, Kedzie, Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Moulton, Olsen, Schultz, Vukmir, Wanggaard and Zipperer – 19.

Noes – None.

Absent or not voting – Senators Carpenter, S. Coggs, T. Cullen, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, C. Larson, Lassa, Miller, Risser, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 14.

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator S. Fitzgerald, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

Senate Bill 6

ADJOURNMENT

Senator S. Fitzgerald, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate stand adjourned until Friday, February 25, 2011 at 11:00 A.M.

Adjourned.

11:40 A.M.