Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Natural Resources

Assembly Bill 627

Relating to: trading of water pollution credits, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Knilans, Endsley, Spanbauer and LeMahieu.

February 24, 2012 Referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

March 7, 2012 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (16) Representatives Mursau, Rivard, Williams,

Kleefisch, Nerison, Severson, Steineke,

Tiffany, Stroebel, Litjens, Molepske Jr, Mason,

Danou, Clark, Milroy and Hulsey.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Joe Knilans, Madison Representative, 44th Assembly District
- Paul Kent, Madison Municipal Environmental Group

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• Kevin Kirsch, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Registrations For

- Lori Grant, Madison River Alliance of Wisconsin
- Ed Wilusz, Madison Wisconsin Paper Council
- Nathan Franklin, LaCrosse Dairyland Power
- Curt Witynski, Madison Leage of Wisconsin Municipalities

Registrations Against

• None.

Registrations for Information Only

• None.

March 7, 2012 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (16) Representatives Mursau, Rivard, Williams, Kleefisch, Nerison, Severson, Steineke, Tiffany, Stroebel, Litjens, Molepske Jr, Mason, Danou, Clark, Milroy and Hulsey.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Kleefisch, seconded by Representative Rivard that **Assembly Bill 627** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (16) Representatives Mursau, Rivard, Williams, Kleefisch, Nerison, Severson, Steineke, Tiffany, Stroebel, Litjens, Molepske Jr, Mason, Danou, Clark, Milroy and Hulsey.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 16, Noes 0

Tim Gary Committee Clerk