

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Natural Resources

Assembly Bill 82

Relating to: wildlife damage abatement assistance and claim payments for damage caused by cougar.

By Representatives Vruwink, Spanbauer, Turner and Ripp; cosponsored by Senators Lassa, Schultz, Kedzie and Taylor.

April 07, 2011 Referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

October 26, 2011 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (15) Representatives Mursau, Rivard, Williams, Kleefisch, Nerison, Severson, Steineke, Stroebel, Litjens, Molepske Jr, Mason, Danou, Clark, Milroy and Hulsey.

Absent: (1) Representative Tiffany.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Amy Sue Vruwink, Madison — Representative, 70th Assembly District

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Brad Koele, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
- Scott Loomans, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Registrations For

- Dean Hamilton, Waunakee — United Sportsmen of Wisconsin
- George Meyer, Madison — Wisconsin Wildlife Federation

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

November 3, 2011 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (12) Representatives Mursau, Rivard, Kleefisch,
 Nerison, Severson, Steineke, Tiffany, Litjens,
 Molepske Jr, Mason, Danou and Milroy.
Absent: (4) Representatives Williams, Stroebel, Clark and
 Hulsey.
Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Nerison, seconded by Representative
Danou that **Assembly Bill 82** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (12) Representatives Mursau, Rivard, Kleefisch,
 Nerison, Severson, Steineke, Tiffany, Litjens,
 Molepske Jr, Mason, Danou and Milroy.
Noes: (0) None.
Absent: (4) Representatives Williams, Stroebel, Clark
 and Hulsey.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 12, Noes 0

Tim Gary
Committee Clerk