

**2015 DRAFTING REQUEST**

**Senate Substitute Amendment (SSA-SB(LRBx3110/1))**

Received: 12/23/2015 Received By: mkunkel  
For: Governor Same as LRB:  
May Contact: By/Representing: Waylon Hurlburt  
Subject: Higher Education - financial aid Drafter: mkunkel  
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Requester's email: Waylon.Hurlburt@wisconsin.gov  
Carbon copy (CC) to: aaron.gary@legis.wisconsin.gov

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**Pre Topic:**

No specific pre topic given

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**Topic:**

Increasing funding for Wisconsin grants to technical college students

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**Instructions:**

See attached

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**Drafting History:**

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## Kunkel, Mark

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**From:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV <Waylon.Hurlburt@wisconsin.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 23, 2015 9:32 AM  
**To:** Kunkel, Mark  
**Subject:** RE: LRB 3110/1 and LRB 2974/1 relating to Wisconsin grants for technical college students and making appropriations

Good. Thanks.

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**From:** Kunkel, Mark [mailto:Mark.Kunkel@legis.wisconsin.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 23, 2015 9:28 AM  
**To:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV  
**Subject:** RE: LRB 3110/1 and LRB 2974/1 relating to Wisconsin grants for technical college students and making appropriations

Waylon:

It looks like you want to replace the entire bill with language that increases by \$1 million the amounts in the schedule for the Wisconsin grants to technical college students. If the match goes away, so do the transfers and the new appropriations for those transfers. Is that right?

Under current law, \$18,797,900 is appropriated for technical college student grants in FY 15-16 and the same amount in FY 16-17. The appropriation is biennial, so any money not spent in FY-15-16 can be spent in FY 16-17. It looks like you want an amendment that increases the foregoing amounts by \$500,000 in each fiscal year. If so, I could do a substitute amendment that accomplishes that. Is that okay?

--Mark

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**From:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV [mailto:Waylon.Hurlburt@wisconsin.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 23, 2015 9:02 AM  
**To:** Kunkel, Mark <Mark.Kunkel@legis.wisconsin.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: LRB 3110/1 and LRB 2974/1 relating to Wisconsin grants for technical college students and making appropriations

Can I get an amendment drafted to both the Assembly and Senate versions that simply provides an additional \$1 million for technical college Wisconsin grants? It would be an ongoing increase. The match would go away.

Thanks.

Waylon

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**From:** Zylstra, James [mailto:jim.zylstra@wtcsystem.edu]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 15, 2015 10:45 AM  
**To:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV

**Subject:** FW: LRB 3110/1 and LRB 2974/1 relating to Wisconsin grants for technical college students and making appropriations

Waylon,

Here is the Co-sponsorship memo.

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**From:** Rep.Heaton

**Sent:** Friday, December 11, 2015 12:08 PM

**To:** \*Legislative All Assembly <ALLASM@legis.wisconsin.gov>; \*Legislative All Senate <ALLSEN@legis.wisconsin.gov>

**Subject:** LRB 3110/1 and LRB 2974/1 relating to Wisconsin grants for technical college students and making appropriations

Date: December 11, 2015

To: Legislative Colleagues

From: Senator Sheila Harsdorf and Representative Dave Heaton

RE: LRB 3110/1 and LRB 2974/1 relating to Wisconsin grants for technical college students and making appropriations

**DEADLINE: SHORT DEADLINE - DECEMBER 17, 2015 – AT 12:00 PM**

Under current law, the Wisconsin Grant provides need-based grants to resident undergraduate students enrolled at least half-time at a UW institution, Wisconsin technical college, private, nonprofit college and university, and tribal college. Students enrolled in a technical college can receive anywhere from \$500 to \$1,084 in awards per year. In the last biennia, roughly 24,000 technical college students received an average of \$841 dollars to assist in tuition costs.

LRB 3110/1 and LRB 2974/1 would increase Wisconsin Grants for technical college students by up to \$2 million over the biennia. Under this bill, the state would match funds contributed by the Wisconsin Technical College System up to \$1 million. This additional funding would be available for the 2016-17 school year. Wisconsin Technical Colleges play a critical role in preparing our workforce for 21<sup>st</sup> Century challenges and careers. With 16 technical colleges around the state, it is critical to give these students the support that they need to be trained in high need fields that will fuel economic growth across Wisconsin.

If you would like to co-sponsor this legislation, please respond to this email or contact Sen. Harsdorf's office at 266-7745 or Representative Heaton's office at 266-0654 by **NOON on Thursday December 17<sup>th</sup>**.

*You will be added to both versions unless otherwise requested.*

*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

This bill provides for additional funding for Wisconsin grants to technical college students. Under current law, the Higher Educational Aids Board (HEAB) administers the Wisconsin grants program, which provides grants to resident postsecondary students enrolled in institutions of higher education, including technical colleges. The

bill provides additional funding for Wisconsin grants to technical college students by allowing the Technical College System Board (TCSB) to solicit contributions from technical college district boards to HEAB to provide funding for the grants. In addition, the bill allows the TCSB to transfer money from certain of its appropriations for the grants. The bill limits the total amount the TCSB may transfer in a fiscal year based on the amount of contributions by district boards in the fiscal year. Under that limit, the amount of contributions is subtracted from \$1,000,000, and the transfers may not exceed the difference.

The bill also provides additional general purpose revenue (GPR) for the grants to technical college students, but only if the TCBS makes transfers or district boards make contributions in a fiscal year. The bill provides GPR in an amount equal to the sum of the transfers and contributions in the fiscal year, except that the GPR may not exceed \$1,000,000.

For further information see the **state and local** fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

## Kunkel, Mark

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**From:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV <Waylon.Hurlburt@wisconsin.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 23, 2015 10:06 AM  
**To:** Kunkel, Mark  
**Subject:** RE: Draft review: LRB -2974/P1 Topic: Wisconsin grants to technical college students

I called both offices and didn't get an answer. When I jacketed them, I asked for 2974 to be the Assembly and the other (3110) to be the Senate. See below. Will this work?

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**From:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 01, 2015 10:07 AM  
**To:** Kunkel, Mark - LEGIS; Rose, Stefanie A - LEGIS  
**Subject:** FW: Draft review: LRB -2974/P1 Topic: Wisconsin grants to technical college students

Please jacket for Assembly and a companion for the Senate.

Thanks.

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**From:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 26, 2015 3:01 PM  
**To:** Reinemann, John - HEAB  
**Subject:** FW: Draft review: LRB -2974/P1 Topic: Wisconsin grants to technical college students

Can you take a quick look and make sure this would function for you guys if it were to pass?

Thanks.

Waylon

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**From:** LRB.Legal [<mailto:lrblegal@legis.wisconsin.gov>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 26, 2015 1:57 PM  
**To:** Hurlburt, Waylon - GOV  
**Subject:** Draft review: LRB -2974/P1 Topic: Wisconsin grants to technical college students

**Following is the PDF version of draft LRB -2974/P1 and drafter's note.**



State of Wisconsin  
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SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT ,  
TO SENATE BILL (LRB-3110/1)

today

Gen.

1 AN ACT ...; relating to: Wisconsin grants for technical college students and  
2 making an appropriation.

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

3 SECTION 1. Fiscal changes.

4 (1) In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation  
5 to the higher educational aids board under section 20.235 (1) (ff) of the statutes, as  
6 affected by the acts of 2015, the dollar amount for fiscal year 2015-16 is increased  
7 by \$500,000, and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2016-17 is increased by \$500,000  
8 for the purpose for which the appropriation is made.

9 (END)