

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Energy and Utilities**

##### **Assembly Bill 804**

Relating to: one-call system violations; sulfur dioxide compliance plans; assessment authority of the Public Service Commission; funding for statewide energy efficiency and renewable resource programs; public utility contracts with affiliated interests; local access and transport areas for telephone service; railroad telecommunications service; Department of Natural Resources permit application procedures related to the construction of a high-voltage transmission line; navigable water general permits and individual permits related to utility facilities; granting rule-making authority; and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Kuglitsch, Steffen, Kulp, Ballweg, Petersen, Macco, Petryk, Knodl, A. Ott, Tauchen and Ripp; cosponsored by Senators Roth, Olsen, Gudex and Marklein

January 25, 2016      Referred to Committee on Energy and Utilities

February 3, 2016      **Public Hearing Held**

Present:      (15)      Representative Kuglitsch; Representatives Steffen, T. Larson, Jacque, Petersen, Weatherston, Tranel, Jarchow, Petryk, Neylon, Zepnick, Kahl, Sargent, Genrich and Stuck.

Absent:      (0)      None.

Excused:      (0)      None.

##### Appearances For

- Representative Mike Kuglitsch – 84<sup>th</sup> Assembly District
- Bob Seitz – Public Service Commission
- Bill Skewes – Wisconsin Utility Association

##### Appearances Against

- Keith Reopelle – Clean Wisconsin
- Dan Ferber – Sierra Club
- Mary Cummings – Miron Construction
- Robert Bartel – Wisconsin Underground Contractors Association
- Matt Grove – WTBA
- Jim Thiel – WTBA
- Mitchell Brey – Self
- Phillip Purpero – WTBA
- Vincent Mosca – Self

- Darren Muljo – Musson Bros. Inc.
- Susan Michetti – Self
- Tyler Huebner – RENEW Wisconsin
- Seth Nowak – ACEEE

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- John Garvin – ATC
- Matt Pagel – Xcel Energy
- Matt Bromley – Municipal Electric Utilities of Wisconsin
- Joseph Owen – WPPI Energy
- Alice O'Connor – Northern Natural Gas
- Joseph Hoch – Alliant Energy
- Todd Stewart – Wisconsin Industrial Energy Group
- John Sumi – Madison Gas & Electric
- Chris LaRowe – WEC Energy Group

Registrations Against

- Jim Boullion – AGC of Wisconsin
- Kevin Traas – WTBA
- Bill Davis – Sierra Club

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

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Matt Spencer  
Committee Clerk