

## Record of Committee Proceedings

### **Joint Committee on Finance**

#### **Assembly Bill 901**

Relating to: aids to individuals and organizations related to the arts and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Ballweg, Milroy, Murphy, Allen, Ohnstad, Zepnick, Berceau, Considine, Spreitzer, Sinicki, C. Taylor and Mason; cosponsored by Senators Harsdorf, Bewley and Gudex.

February 09, 2016 Referred to Joint Committee on Finance

February 10, 2016 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (16) Senator Darling; Representative Nygren;  
Senators Olsen, Harsdorf, Vukmir, Tiffany,  
Marklein, L. Taylor and Erpenbach;  
Representatives Kooyenga, Loudenbeck,  
Knudson, Schraa, Czaja, C. Taylor and Hintz.  
Absent: (0) None.  
Excused: (0) None.

#### Appearances For

- Senator Sheila Harsdorf
- Rep. Joan Ballweg
- George Tzougras - Wisconsin Arts Board

#### Appearances Against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations For

- Anne Katz - Arts Wisconsin
- Chet Gerlach - Assn of WI Tourism Attractions

#### Registrations Against

- None.

#### Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 10, 2016 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (16) Senator Darling; Representative Nygren;  
Senators Olsen, Harsdorf, Vukmir, Tiffany,  
Marklein, L. Taylor and Erpenbach;  
Representatives Kooyenga, Loudenbeck,  
Knudson, Schraa, Czaja, C. Taylor and Hintz.  
Absent: (0) None.  
Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Harsdorf, seconded by Senator Darling that  
**Assembly Bill 901** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (15) Senator Darling; Representative Nygren;  
Senators Olsen, Harsdorf, Vukmir, Tiffany,  
Marklein and L. Taylor; Representatives  
Kooyenga, Loudenbeck, Knudson, Schraa,  
Czaja, C. Taylor and Hintz.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 15, Noes 0

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Joe Malkasian  
Committee Clerk