Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Sporting Heritage, Small Business and Rural Issues

Senate Bill 612

Relating to: stocking brook trout in Lake Michigan.

By Senators Wimberger, Darling, Felzkowski, Jagler, Marklein, Stafsholt, Stroebel and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Behnke, Cabral-Guevara, Callahan, Edming, James, Magnafici, Mursau, Snyder and Krug.

October 14, 2021 Referred to Committee on Sporting Heritage, Small Business and Rural Issues

October 19, 2021 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator Stafsholt; Senators Petrowski, Jagler, Smith and Wirch.

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

Appearances For

- Senator Eric Wimberger
- Representative Elijah Behnke
- Tom Kleiman JR. WI Lakeshore Business Association
- James Denzine Hunter Nation
- Chris Vaughn Hunter Nation
- Cole Timmler Hunter Nation
- Luke Hilgemann Hunter Nation
- Kevin Zawacki Hunter Nation

Appearances Against

- Tony Blattler Wisconsin Conservation Congress
- Mike Kuhr Wisconsin Trout Unlimited
- Heidi Obersfadt

Appearances for Information Only

- Scott Pitta
- Todd Kalish WI DNR
- Meredith Penthorn WI DNR

Registrations For

- Scott Meyer
- Jeffrey Timmler

Registrations Against

• Peter Burress - WI Conservation Voters

Registrations for Information Only

• Mark LaBarbera - WI Wildlife Federation

October 21, 2021 Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot

Present: (5) Senator Stafsholt; Senators Petrowski, Jagler, Smith and Wirch.

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

Moved by that Senate Bill 612 be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (3) Senator Stafsholt; Senators Petrowski and Jagler.

Noes: (2) Senators Smith and Wirch.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

Shelby Schmudlach Committee Clerk