Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Sporting Heritage, Small Business and Rural Issues

Senate Bill 615

Relating to: report on access to public lands owned or managed by the Department of Natural Resources.

By Senators Marklein, Stafsholt, Ballweg, Felzkowski, Feyen, Jagler, Stroebel, Testin and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Magnafici, Cabral-Guevara, Callahan, Dittrich, Edming, James, Moses, Mursau, Novak, Tranel, Krug, Wichgers and Thiesfeldt.

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 Howard Marklein
- Representative Gae Magnafici
- 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

Appearances for Information Only

- Jim Lemke WI DNR
- Skya Murphy WI DNR

Registrations For

- Bob Welch WI Bear Hunters Association
- Scott Meyer
- Jeffrey Timmler

Registrations Against

• None.

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 615 be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (4) Senator Stafsholt; Senators Petrowski, Jagler and Wirch.

Noes: (1) Senator Smith.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 1

Shelby Schmudlach Committee Clerk