



# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Assembly Journal

## One-Hundred and Sixth Regular Session

FRIDAY, January 26, 2024

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

### AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 940** offered by Representative Snyder.

### INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### **Assembly Resolution 24**

Relating to: the impeachment of Meagan Wolfe, the administrator of the Wisconsin Elections Commission.

By Representatives Wichgers, Bodden, Allen and Brandtjen.

To committee on **Government Accountability and Oversight**.

#### **Assembly Bill 1017**

Relating to: early literacy programs administered by the Department of Public Instruction.

By Representative Wittke; cosponsored by Senator Stroebel.

To committee on **Education**.

#### **Assembly Bill 1018**

Relating to: rehired annuitants in the Wisconsin Retirement System.

By Representatives Wittke, Kitchens, Brooks, Duchow, Behnke, Goeben, Gustafson, Melotik, Moses, Murphy, Mursau, Neylon, O'Connor, Rozar, Baldeh, Conley, Myers, Steffen and Novak; cosponsored by Senators Knodl, Wanggaard, Feyen, Quinn and Felzkowski.

To committee on **Local Government**.

#### **Assembly Bill 1019**

Relating to: authorizing physical therapists to make certifications for acquiring disabled parking plates and cards.

By Representatives Tittl, Behnke, Conley, Dittrich, Murphy, Myers, Sinicki, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck and Wichgers; cosponsored by Senators Ballweg, Cowles and Testin.

To committee on **Health, Aging and Long-Term Care**.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on **Consumer Protection** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 917**

Relating to: the sale of counterfeit lighters and unsafe lighters.

Passage:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Callahan, S. Johnson, Behnke, Pronschinske, Rettinger, Schmidt, Ortiz-Velez, Cabrera and Jacobson.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*CALVIN CALLAHAN*

Chairperson

Committee on Consumer Protection

The committee on **Criminal Justice and Public Safety** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 896**

Relating to: imposing conditions on a juvenile between a plea hearing and a fact-finding hearing or disposition hearing.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 - Representatives Spiros, Schutt, Donovan, Duchow, Green, Novak, Schraa, Sortwell, Steffen and Wichgers.

Noes: 5 - Representatives Drake, McGuire, Emerson, Stubbs and Madison.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Assembly Bill 968**

Relating to: appropriating money for grants to schools to acquire proactive threat detection equipment and software and making an appropriation.

Passage:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Spiros, Schutt, Donovan, Duchow, Green, Novak, Schraa, Steffen, Wichgers, Drake, McGuire, Emerson and Stubbs.

Noes: 2 - Representatives Sortwell and Madison.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

*JOHN SPIROS*

Chairperson

Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

The committee on **Family Law** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 803**

Relating to: trust administration, the Uniform Powers of Appointment Act, the Uniform Trust Decanting Act, disclosure of certain digital property, and the classification of

certain digital property as individual property for purposes of determining marital property.

Passage:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Rozar, Binsfeld, Hurd, O'Connor, Nedweski, Snyder, Cabrera, Conley and Vining.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*DONNA ROZAR*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Family Law

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The committee on **Labor and Integrated Employment** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 442**

Relating to: permits authorizing the employment of minors.

Passage:

Ayes: 5 - Representatives Penterman, Callahan, Edming, Gustafson and Petryk.

Noes: 3 - Representatives Sinicki, Ohnstad and Hong.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 612**

Relating to: waivers from workplace immunization requirements.

Passage:

Ayes: 5 - Representatives Penterman, Callahan, Edming, Gustafson and Petryk.

Noes: 3 - Representatives Sinicki, Ohnstad and Hong.

To committee on **Rules**.

*WILLIAM PENTERMAN*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Labor and Integrated Employment

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The committee on **Workforce Development and Economic Opportunities** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 779**

Relating to: apprenticeship and youth apprenticeship completion awards, career and technical education incentive grants and completion awards, technical preparation programs in school districts and technical colleges, creating an individual income tax credit for completing an apprenticeship program, rejection criteria for part-time open enrollment applications, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, and providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures.

Passage:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Petryk, Armstrong, Gundrum, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Rozar, Sapik and Snyder.

Noes: 6 - Representatives Michalski, Shankland, Sinicki, Shelton, Madison and Jacobson.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 891**

Relating to: academic and career planning services provided to pupils, requiring the reporting of certain data on

college student costs and outcomes, and granting rule-making authority.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 15 - Representatives Petryk, Michalski, Armstrong, Gundrum, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Rozar, Sapik, Snyder, Shankland, Sinicki, Shelton, Madison and Jacobson.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Petryk, Michalski, Armstrong, Gundrum, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Rozar, Sapik, Snyder, Shankland, Shelton and Jacobson.

Noes: 2 - Representatives Sinicki and Madison.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 916**

Relating to: a technology and innovation hub grant to BioForward, Inc., and making an appropriation.

Passage:

Ayes: 15 - Representatives Petryk, Michalski, Armstrong, Gundrum, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Rozar, Sapik, Snyder, Shankland, Sinicki, Shelton, Madison and Jacobson.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*WARREN PETRYK*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Workforce  
Development and Economic  
Opportunities

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**COMMUNICATIONS**

January 24, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a cosponsor of Assembly Bill 361, relating to native prairie and forage plants.

Sincerely,  
*ROBERT COWLES*  
State Senator  
2nd Senate District

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January 25, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 796, relating to report on environmental impacts to vulnerable communities and granting rule-making authority.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 802, relating to required inclusions in the long-range statewide transportation plan.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 811, relating to considering the social cost of carbon emissions.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 819, relating to grants for planting trees to address urban heat islands, eligible recipients for urban forestry grants, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and making an appropriation.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 826, relating to Focus on Energy inclusion of programs promoting energy efficiency and renewable energy measures for low-income households.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 827, relating to an energy efficiency grant program for school districts, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 829, relating to climate change scholarships and making an appropriation.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 832, relating to on-bill financing of energy improvements and granting rule-making authority.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 833, relating to model academic standards related to climate change, developing climate change curriculum resources, and making an appropriation.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 841, relating to creating a grant program for farmers who use certain sustainable practices, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 843, relating to requiring bicycle and pedestrian facilities in highway projects and granting rule-making authority.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 848, relating to epinephrine for ambulances and making an appropriation.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 849, relating to therapeutic interchange for drug products prescribed to counteract anaphylaxis.

Sincerely,  
*KALAN HAYWOOD*  
State Representative  
16th Assembly District

January 25, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 960, relating to emergency communications device location information.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 965, relating to picketing or parading at the residence of a judge with the intent to interfere with, obstruct, or impede the administration of justice or influence any judge and providing a penalty.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 966, relating to privacy protections for judicial officers, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 967, relating to withholding judicial security profiles from public access.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 976, relating to the testimony of a child in a criminal proceeding for a human trafficking crime.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 978, relating to creation of a Human Trafficking Council and requiring the establishment of county sex trafficking task forces.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 979, relating to a human trafficking victim services grant program, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

Sincerely,  
*CHUCK WICHGERS*  
State Representative  
82nd Assembly District

January 25, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 879, relating to local levy increase limit calculations related to tax incremental districts.

Sincerely,  
*LISA SUBECK*  
State Representative  
78th Assembly District

January 25, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

I respectfully ask that my name be withdrawn as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 957, relating to preemption of certain local animal ordinances.

Sincerely,  
*ELIJAH BEHNKE*  
State Representative  
89th Assembly District

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January 25, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 940, relating to funding for victim services and domestic abuse services, training for grant recipients, grants to child advocacy centers, and making an appropriation.

Sincerely,  
*JANEL BRANDTJEN*  
State Representative  
22nd Assembly District

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January 25, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 247, relating to prohibitions on the use of public employees and public property for activities relating to abortion.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 344, relating to grants to Choose Life Wisconsin and making an appropriation.

Please add my name as a cosponsor of Senate Bill 345, relating to grants to Choose Life Wisconsin and making an appropriation.

Sincerely,  
*ROBERT BROOKS*  
State Representative  
60th Assembly District

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January 25, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a cosponsor of Assembly Bill 940, relating to funding for victim services and domestic abuse services, training for grant recipients, grants to child advocacy centers, and making an appropriation.

Sincerely,  
*JOAN BALLWEG*  
State Senator  
14th Senate District

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January 26, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 87, relating to restitution upon conviction of vehicular homicide.

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 968, relating to appropriating money for grants to schools to acquire proactive threat detection equipment and software and making an appropriation.

Sincerely,  
*WILLIAM PENTERMAN*  
State Representative  
37th Assembly District

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January 26, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Bill 928, relating to theft crimes and providing a penalty.

Sincerely,  
*DAVID STEFFEN*  
State Representative  
4th Assembly District

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January 26, 2024

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a coauthor of Assembly Joint Resolution 109, relating to prohibiting governmental entity discrimination (first consideration).

Sincerely,  
*NIK RETTINGER*  
State Representative  
83rd Assembly District