Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Natural Resources and Energy

Senate Bill 541

Relating to: use of fill in commercial waterways and Great Lakes waters. By Senators Stroebel, Quinn, Nass and Felzkowski; cosponsored by Representatives Wittke, Green, Binsfeld, Katsma, O'Connor, Murphy, Goeben and Melotik.

October 23, 2023 Referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Energy

November 15, 2023 Public Hearing Held

Present: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Wimberger, Tomczyk, Wirch and Hesselbein.

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

Appearances For

- Senator Duey Stroebel 20th Senate District
- Representative Robert Wittke
- Paul Kent League of Wisconsin Municipalities
- Mayor Ryan Sorenson City of Sheboygan
- Larry Konopacki Wisconsin REALTORS Association

Appearances Against

- Dan Gustafson Midwest Environmental Advocates
- Michael Cain Wisconsin Green Fire

Appearances for Information Only

- Ann Kipper Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
- Mayor Cory Mason

Registrations For

- Representative Chanz Green
- Representative Terry Katsma
- Brian Dake Wisconsin Independent Businesses
- Jake Leismer Sheboygan Mayor's Office
- Veronica Valdez Sheboygan Mayor's Office

Registrations Against

- Erik Kanter Clean Wisconsin
- Peter Burress Wisconsin Conservation Voters

Cody Kamrowski - Wisconsin Wildlife Federation

Registrations for Information Only

None.

February 08, 2024 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Wimberger,

Tomczyk, Wirch and Agard.

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

Moved by Senator Cowles, seconded by Senator Tomczyk that **Senate Substitute Amendment 2** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Wimberger, Tomczyk, Wirch and Agard.

Noes: (0) None.

SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 2 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Cowles, seconded by Senator Wimberger that **Senate Bill 541** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Wimberger, Tomczyk, Wirch and Agard.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Evan Miller Committee Clerk