

## Assembly

## Record of Committee Proceedings

## Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

# Assembly Bill 298

Relating to: grants for technical colleges to provide mapping data to law enforcement.

By Representatives Tusler, Novak, Brill, Dittrich, Goeben, Gundrum, B. Jacobson, Kaufert, Mursau, Penterman, Snyder, Spiros and Wichgers; cosponsored by Senators James, Feyen, Nass and Wanggaard.

May 30, 2025

Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

June 03, 2025

## Public Hearing Held

Present: (14) Representative Spiros; Representatives Piwowarczyk, Duchow, Novak, Steffen, Sortwell, Donovan, B. Jacobson, Franklin, Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Taylor and Spaude.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Melotik.

## Appearances For

- Representative Ron Tusler - 3rd Assembly District
- Senator Jesse James - 23rd Senate District
- Joe Hanson - Critical Response Group
- Chief of Police Danny Thompson - WI Chiefs of Police Association

## Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

## Registrations For

- Catherine McDermott - Badger State Sheriffs' Association
- Catherine McDermott - WI Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs Association

## Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

June 11, 2025

**Executive Session Held**

Present: (15) Representative Spiros; Representatives Piwowarczyk, Duchow, Novak, Steffen, Sortwell, Donovan, Melotik, B. Jacobson, Franklin, Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Taylor and Spaude.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Melotik, seconded by Representative Duchow that **Assembly Bill 298** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (10) Representative Spiros; Representatives Piwowarczyk, Duchow, Novak, Steffen, Sortwell, Donovan, Melotik, B. Jacobson and Franklin.

Noes: (5) Representatives Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Taylor and Spaude.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 5

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Suzy Geroux  
Committee Clerk