

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Workforce Development and Economic Opportunities

Assembly Bill 549

Relating to: grants related to technical college manufacturing and truck driving programs and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Michalski, Dittrich, Maxey, Murphy, Nedweski, O'Connor, Penterman, Petryk, Edming and Green; cosponsored by Senators Stafsholt and Nass.

October 20, 2023 Referred to Committee on Workforce Development and Economic Opportunities

October 24, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (12) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Armstrong, Rozar, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Sinicki, Jacobson and Madison.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (3) Representatives Sapik, Shankland and Shelton.

Appearances For

- Representative Tom Michalski
- Layla Merrifield - Wisconsin Technical Colleges DBA
- Brian Dake - Wisconsin Independent Businesses
- Rachel Ver Velde - Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce
- Suzanne Kelley - Waukesha County Business Alliance
- Mike Shields - Waukesha County Technical College

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Senator Rob Stafsholt
- Dr. Vicki Martin - Milwaukee Area Technical College
- Tim Fiocchi - Wisconsin Farm Bureau
- Dan Johnson - Wisconsin Motor Carriers Association
- Morna Foy - Wisconsin Technical College System

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

November 02, 2023 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (10) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Shankland, Sinicki and Jacobson.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (5) Representatives Armstrong, Rozar, Sapik, Shelton and Madison.

Moved by Representative Rettinger, seconded by Representative Snyder that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (10) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Shankland, Sinicki and Jacobson.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Snyder, seconded by Representative Nedweski that **Assembly Bill 549** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (10) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Shankland, Sinicki and Jacobson.

Noes: (0) None.

Representatives Rozar and Shelton indicated they would have voted Aye if present

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0

BJ Dernbach
Committee Clerk