

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Shared Revenue, Elections and Consumer Protection**

##### **Senate Bill 741**

Relating to: recommendations from the Ethics Commission regarding campaign finance, lobbying, open records, and closed sessions.

By Senators Knodl and James; cosponsored by Representatives Novak, Melotik, Conley, Gundrum, Mursau, Ortiz-Velez and Penterman.

December 08, 2023 Referred to Committee on Shared Revenue, Elections and Consumer Protection

January 25, 2024 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator Knodl; Senators Feyen, Quinn, Spreitzer and Smith.  
Absent: (0) None.  
Excused: (0) None.

##### Appearances For

- Dan Carlton - Wisconsin Ethics Commission
- Dan Knodl - 8th Senate District

##### Appearances Against

- Mr George Klaetsch - Assn of Wisconsin Lobbyists

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Rep Todd Novak - 51st Assembly District

##### Registrations Against

- Mr John Jacobson - Self
- Jim Steineke - Myself
- Sarah Wainscott - Herself

##### Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 15, 2024 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (5) Senator Knodl; Senators Feyen, Quinn,  
Spreitzer and Smith.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Quinn, seconded by Senator Smith that **Senate Amendment 2** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senator Knodl; Senators Feyen, Quinn,  
Spreitzer and Smith.

Noes: (0) None.

SENATE AMENDMENT 2 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,  
Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Quinn, seconded by Senator Spreitzer that  
**Senate Bill 741** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (5) Senator Knodl; Senators Feyen, Quinn,  
Spreitzer and Smith.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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William Neville  
Committee Clerk