

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Natural Resources**

##### **Assembly Bill 43**

Relating to: designating portions of the Totogatic River as a wild river.

By Representatives Milroy, Hraychuck, Hubler, Black, Sherman, Soletski, Berceau, Jorgensen, Spanbauer, Mason and Danou; cosponsored by Senators Jauch, Lassa, Hansen, Kedzie, Lehman, Risser and Wirch.

February 17, 2009 Referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

March 11, 2009 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (15) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr., Steinbrink, Hraychuck, Hebl, Mason, Milroy, Clark, J. Ott, Gunderson, Huebsch, LeMahieu, Mursau and Nerison.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances For

- Senator Bob Jauch, Poplar
- Representative Nick Milroy, Superior
- Lori Grant, Madison — River Alliance of Wisconsin
- Lindsay Wood Davis, Monona — Self
- Kathy Bartilson, Spooner — DNR

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Jim Brakken, Cable — Northwest Waters Consortium
- Sybil Brakken, Cable — Self
- George Meyer, Madison — Wisconsin Wildlife Federation
- Amber Meyer Smith, Madison — Clean Wisconsin

##### Registrations Against

- None.

##### Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 18, 2009

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (14) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr.,  
Steinbrink, Hraychuck, Hebl, Mason, Milroy,  
Clark, Gunderson, Huebsch, LeMahieu,  
Mursau and Nerison.

Absent: (1) Representative J. Ott.

Moved by Representative Milroy, seconded by Representative  
Hebl that **Assembly Bill 43** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (14) Representatives Black, Danou, Molepske Jr.,  
Steinbrink, Hraychuck, Hebl, Mason, Milroy,  
Clark, Gunderson, Huebsch, LeMahieu,  
Mursau and Nerison.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative J. Ott (excused).

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 14, Noes 0

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John Maycroft  
Committee Clerk