



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Assembly Journal

One-Hundredth Regular Session

11:07 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, February 2, 2011

The Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber located in the State Capitol.

Speaker Fitzgerald in the chair.

Representative Suder asked unanimous consent for a quorum call. Granted.

A quorum was present.

The prayer was offered by Representative A. Ott.

Representative Toles led the membership in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Present – Representatives August, Ballweg, Barca, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Bernier, Bewley, Bies, Brooks, Clark, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Danou, Endsley, Farrow, Fields, Grigsby, Hebl, Hintz, Honadel, Hulsey, Jacque, Jorgensen, Kapenga, Kaufert, Kerkman, Kessler, Kestell, Kleefisch, Klenke, Knilans, Knodl, Knudson, Kooyenga, Kramer, Krug, Krusick, Kuglitsch, T. Larson, LeMahieu, Litjens, Loudenbeck, Marklein, Meyer, Milroy, Molepske Jr, Mursau, Murtha, Nass, Nerison, Nygren, A. Ott, J. Ott, Pasch, Petersen, Petrowski, Petryk, Pocan, Pope–Roberts, Pridemore, Radcliffe, Richards, Ringhand, Ripp, Rivard, Roys, Seidel, Severson, Shilling, Spanbauer, Steinbrink, Steineke, Stone, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Toles, Tranel, Turner, Van Roy, Vos, Vruwink, Weininger, Williams, Wynn, Young, Zamarripa, Zepnick, Ziegelbauer and Speaker Fitzgerald – 92.

Absent with leave – Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas – 4.

Vacancies – 60th, 83rd and 94th Assembly District – 3.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Representative Roys asked unanimous consent for a leave of absence for today's session for Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas. Granted.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Representative Ballweg asked unanimous consent for a leave of absence for part of today's session for Representative Ripp. Granted.

Representative Roys asked unanimous consent for a leave of absence for part of today's session for Representatives Berceau, D. Cullen, Grigsby, Pope–Roberts and Vruwink. Granted.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

Assembly Joint Resolution 8

Relating to: continuity of government (second consideration).

By Representative Ballweg; cosponsored by Senators Hopper and Jauch.

To committee on **Homeland Security and State Affairs**.

Assembly Joint Resolution 9

Relating to: the vote on bills that would increase certain tax rates (first consideration).

By Representatives August, Ziegelbauer, Kramer, Strachota, Farrow, Jacque, Kerkman, Kleefisch, LeMahieu, Nass, Petersen, Pridemore, Rivard, Thiesfeldt and Vos; cosponsored by Senators Vukmir, Leibham, Hopper, Lazich and Kedzie.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

Assembly Bill 12

Relating to: the restoration of information from an original birth certificate after adoption.

By Representatives Kestell, Milroy, Stone, Barca, Bernard Schaber, Bewley, Brooks, D. Cullen, Danou, Jorgensen, Kessler, LeMahieu, Pasch, Ripp, Shilling, Seidel, Sinicki, Turner and Vruwink; cosponsored by Senators Lazich, Jauch, Lassa and Olsen.

To committee on **Children and Families**.

Assembly Bill 13

Relating to: a development opportunity zone for the city of Beloit.

By Representative Loudenbeck.

To committee on **Jobs, Economy and Small Business**.

Assembly Bill 14

Relating to: county and municipal expenditures for emergency services.

By Representatives Ziegelbauer, Vos, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Endsley, Kestell, LeMahieu, Mursau, Nass, A. Ott, Ripp, Spanbauer, Strachota, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Wynn and Litjens; cosponsored by Senators Leibham, Grothman, Harsdorf, Olsen and Schultz.

To committee on **Urban and Local Affairs**.

CALENDAR OF WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2

Assembly Joint Resolution 7

Relating to: recognizing American Heart Month and Wear Red Day.

Representative Nygren asked unanimous consent that all members of the Assembly be made coauthors of **Assembly Joint Resolution 7**. Granted.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Joint Resolution 7** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Representative Suder asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and that **Assembly Joint Resolution 7** be immediately messaged to the Senate. Granted.

Representative Ballweg asked unanimous consent that the Assembly stand recessed. Granted.

The Assembly stood recessed.

11:28 A.M.

RECESS

2:17 P.M.

The Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kramer in the chair.

Representative Berceau asked unanimous consent that her leave of absence be lifted. Granted.

Representative D. Cullen asked unanimous consent that his leave of absence be lifted. Granted.

Representative Pope–Roberts asked unanimous consent that her leave of absence be lifted. Granted.

Representative Vruwink asked unanimous consent that her leave of absence be lifted. Granted.

Assembly Bill 4

Relating to: automobile insurance coverage limits, permissible policy provisions, and proof of financial responsibility.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 4** be adopted?

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 7 to **Assembly Bill 4** be adopted?

Motion carried.

Assembly amendment 8 to **Assembly Bill 4** offered by Representatives Molepske Jr and Richards.

Representative Suder moved that Assembly amendment 8 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kramer asked unanimous consent that the Assembly stand informal. Granted.

The Assembly stood informal.

2:37 P.M.

INFORMAL

2:58 P.M.

The Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kramer in the chair.

Representative Grigsby asked unanimous consent that her leave of absence be lifted. Granted.

Representative Ripp asked unanimous consent that his leave of absence be lifted. Granted.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 8 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Ayes – Representatives August, Ballweg, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Endsley, Farrow, Honadel, Jacque, Kapenga, Kaufert, Kerkman, Kestell, Kleefisch, Klenke, Knilans, Knodl, Knudson, Kooyenga, Kramer, Krug, Kuglitsch, T. Larson, LeMahieu, Litjens, Loudenebeck, Marklein, Meyer, Mursau, Murtha, Nass, Nerison, Nygren, A. Ott, J. Ott, Petersen, Petrowski, Petryk, Pridemore, Ripp, Rivard, Severson, Spanbauer, Steineke, Stone, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Tranel, Van Roy, Vos, Weininger, Williams, Wynn, Ziegelbauer and Speaker Fitzgerald – 58.

Noes – Representatives Barca, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Bewley, Clark, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Danou, Fields, Grigsby, Hebl, Hintz, Hulsey, Jorgensen, Kessler, Krusick, Milroy, Molepske Jr, Pasch, Pohan, Pope–Roberts, Radcliffe,

Richards, Ringhand, Roys, Seidel, Shilling, Steinbrink, Toles, Turner, Vruwink, Young, Zamarripa and Zepnick – 34.

Absent or not voting – Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas – 4.

Motion carried.

Assembly amendment 9 to **Assembly Bill 4** offered by Representatives Molepske Jr and Richards.

Representative Suder moved that Assembly amendment 9 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 9 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Ayes – Representatives August, Ballweg, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Endsley, Farrow, Honadel, Jacque, Kapenga, Kaufert, Kerkman, Kestell, Kleefisch, Klenke, Knilans, Knodl, Knudson, Kooyenga, Kramer, Krug, Kuglitsch, T. Larson, LeMahieu, Litjens, Loudenbeck, Marklein, Meyer, Mursau, Murtha, Nass, Nerison, Nygren, A. Ott, J. Ott, Petersen, Petrowski, Petryk, Pridemore, Ripp, Rivard, Severson, Spanbauer, Steineke, Stone, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Tranel, Van Roy, Vos, Weininger, Williams, Wynn and Speaker Fitzgerald – 57.

Noes – Representatives Barca, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Bewley, Clark, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Danou, Fields, Grigsby, Hebl, Hintz, Hulsey, Jorgensen, Kessler, Krusick, Milroy, Molepske Jr, Pasch, Pohan, Pope–Roberts, Radcliffe, Richards, Ringhand, Roys, Seidel, Shilling, Steinbrink, Toles, Turner, Vruwink, Young, Zamarripa, Zepnick and Ziegelbauer – 35.

Absent or not voting – Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas – 4.

Motion carried.

Assembly amendment 10 to **Assembly Bill 4** offered by Representatives Molepske Jr and Clark.

Representative Suder moved that Assembly amendment 10 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 10 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Ayes – Representatives August, Ballweg, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Endsley, Farrow, Honadel, Jacque, Kapenga, Kaufert, Kerkman, Kestell, Kleefisch, Klenke, Knilans, Knodl, Knudson, Kooyenga, Kramer, Krug, Kuglitsch, T. Larson, LeMahieu, Litjens, Loudenbeck, Marklein, Meyer, Mursau, Murtha, Nass, Nerison, Nygren, A. Ott, J. Ott, Petersen, Petrowski, Petryk, Pridemore, Ripp, Rivard, Severson, Spanbauer, Steineke, Stone, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Tranel, Van Roy, Vos,

Weininger, Williams, Wynn, Ziegelbauer and Speaker Fitzgerald – 58.

Noes – Representatives Barca, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Bewley, Clark, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Danou, Fields, Grigsby, Hebl, Hintz, Hulsey, Jorgensen, Kessler, Krusick, Milroy, Molepske Jr, Pasch, Pohan, Pope–Roberts, Radcliffe, Richards, Ringhand, Roys, Seidel, Shilling, Steinbrink, Toles, Turner, Vruwink, Young, Zamarripa and Zepnick – 34.

Absent or not voting – Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas – 4.

Motion carried.

Assembly amendment 11 to **Assembly Bill 4** offered by Representatives Young, Kessler, E. Coggs and Zamarripa.

Representative Suder moved that Assembly amendment 11 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 11 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Ayes – Representatives August, Ballweg, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Endsley, Farrow, Honadel, Jacque, Kapenga, Kaufert, Kerkman, Kestell, Kleefisch, Klenke, Knilans, Knodl, Knudson, Kooyenga, Kramer, Krug, Krusick, Kuglitsch, T. Larson, LeMahieu, Litjens, Loudenbeck, Marklein, Meyer, Molepske Jr, Mursau, Murtha, Nass, Nerison, Nygren, A. Ott, J. Ott, Petersen, Petrowski, Petryk, Pridemore, Ripp, Rivard, Severson, Spanbauer, Steineke, Stone, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Tranel, Van Roy, Vos, Weininger, Williams, Wynn, Ziegelbauer and Speaker Fitzgerald – 60.

Noes – Representatives Barca, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Bewley, Clark, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Danou, Fields, Grigsby, Hebl, Hintz, Hulsey, Jorgensen, Kessler, Milroy, Pasch, Pohan, Pope–Roberts, Radcliffe, Richards, Ringhand, Roys, Seidel, Shilling, Steinbrink, Toles, Turner, Vruwink, Young, Zamarripa and Zepnick – 32.

Absent or not voting – Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas – 4.

Motion carried.

Assembly amendment 12 to **Assembly Bill 4** offered by Representative D. Cullen.

Representative D. Cullen asked unanimous consent that the record and vote on tabling Assembly Amendment 12 to **Assembly Bill 4** be expunged. Granted.

Representative Suder moved that Assembly amendment 12 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 12 to **Assembly Bill 4** be laid on the table?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Ayes – Representatives August, Ballweg, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Endsley, Farrow, Honadel, Jacque, Kapenga,

Kaufert, Kerkman, Kestell, Kleefisch, Klenke, Knilans, Knodl, Knudson, Kooyenga, Kramer, Krug, Kuglitsch, T. Larson, LeMahieu, Litjens, Loudenbeck, Marklein, Meyer, Mursau, Murtha, Nass, Nerison, Nygren, A. Ott, J. Ott, Petersen, Petrowski, Petryk, Pridemore, Ripp, Rivard, Severson, Spanbauer, Steineke, Stone, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Tranel, Van Roy, Vos, Weininger, Williams, Wynn and Speaker Fitzgerald – 57.

Noes – Representatives Barca, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Bewley, Clark, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Danou, Fields, Grigsby, Hebl, Hintz, Hulsey, Jorgensen, Kessler, Krusick, Milroy, Molepske Jr, Pasch, Pocan, Pope–Roberts, Radcliffe, Richards, Ringhand, Roys, Seidel, Shilling, Steinbrink, Toles, Turner, Vruwink, Young, Zamarripa, Zepnick and Ziegelbauer – 35.

Absent or not voting – Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas – 4.

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Bill 4** be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Representative D. Cullen objected.

Representative Suder moved that the rules be suspended and that **Assembly Bill 4** be given a third reading.

The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and **Assembly Bill 4** be given a third reading?

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Ayes – Representatives August, Ballweg, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Endsley, Farrow, Fields, Honadel, Jacque, Kapenga, Kaufert, Kerkman, Kestell, Kleefisch, Klenke, Knilans, Knodl, Knudson, Kooyenga, Kramer, Krug, Krusick, Kuglitsch, T. Larson, LeMahieu, Litjens, Loudenbeck, Marklein, Meyer, Mursau, Murtha, Nass, Nerison, Nygren, A. Ott, J. Ott, Petersen, Petrowski, Petryk, Pridemore, Ripp, Rivard, Severson, Spanbauer, Steineke, Stone, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tiffany, Tranel, Van Roy, Vos, Weininger, Williams, Wynn, Ziegelbauer and Speaker Fitzgerald – 60.

Noes – Representatives Barca, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Bewley, Clark, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Danou, Grigsby, Hebl, Hintz, Hulsey, Jorgensen, Kessler, Milroy, Molepske Jr, Pasch, Pocan, Pope–Roberts, Radcliffe, Richards, Ringhand, Roys, Seidel, Shilling, Steinbrink, Toles, Turner, Vruwink, Young, Zamarripa and Zepnick – 32.

Absent or not voting – Representatives Mason, Parisi, Sinicki and Staskunas – 4.

Motion failed.

Assembly Joint Resolution 2

Relating to: the life and public service of Dismas P. Becker.

Representative Suder asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Joint Resolution 2** be laid on the table. Granted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

From: Robert J. Marchant, Senate Chief Clerk.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform you that the Senate has

Passed and asks concurrence in:

Senate Joint Resolution 6

Concurred in:

Assembly Joint Resolution 4

Assembly Joint Resolution 7

ACTION ON THE SENATE MESSAGE

Senate Joint Resolution 6

Relating to: recognizing American Heart Month and Wear Red Day.

By Senators Hopper, Cowles, Darling, Olsen, Schultz, Taylor, Vinehout, Wirch and T. Cullen; cosponsored by Representatives Nygren, Marklein, Bewley, Brooks, E. Coggs, D. Cullen, Hebl, Hulsey, Kerkman, Knodl, A. Ott, Pasch, Roys, Shilling, Spanbauer, Thiesfeldt, Turner, Vruwink and Williams.

To committee on **Rules**.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Suder moved that the Assembly stand adjourned until 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, February 3.

The question was: Shall the Assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The Assembly stood adjourned.

4:14 P.M.