

## Assembly

## Record of Committee Proceedings

## Committee on Urban and Local Affairs

# Senate Bill 18

Relating to: requiring political subdivisions to pay health insurance premiums for survivors of a law enforcement officer who dies, or has died, in the line of duty.

By Senators Wanggaard, Jauch, Carpenter, Risser, Taylor, Hansen, Hopper, Erpenbach, Kapanke and King; cosponsored by Representatives Spanbauer, Milroy, Turner, Danou, Bies, Berceau, Pope-Roberts, Bernier, Krug, Kaufert, Zepnick, Wynn, Hebl, Pasch, Mason, Krusick, Ripp and Sinicki.

May 17, 2011

Referred to Committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

August 30, 2011

## PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (7) Representatives Brooks, Thiesfeldt, Spanbauer,  
Jacque, Knudson, Ringhand and Pocan.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Ziegelbauer and E. Coggs.

### Appearances For

- Dick Spanbauer, ASM DISTRICT 53 — Rep., Lead Assembly Author
- Van Wanggaard, SEN DISTRICT 21 — Sen, Author
- Bob Jauch, SEN DISTRICT 25 — Sen., Senate Co-Author
- Catherine Draeger, Milwaukee — Shielded Hearts, Exec Director
- Charlette Nennig, Plymouth — Self
- David Bloom — WI State Fire Chiefs
- Brian Lubbke, Port Edwards — Self
- Jeff Harbridge, Fond du Lac — City of Fond du Lac Police Department
- William Lamb, Fond du Lac — Chief, City of Fond du Lac Police Department
- Brian Willison, Sun Prairie — WI Law Enforcement Memorial
- Joseph Collins, Two Rivers — WI Law Enforcement Death Response Team & Two Rivers PD
- Mark Buetow, Milwaukee — Milw Police Association
- Jenny VanHandel, Appleton — Self

### Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Paul Delong, Madison — Div. of Forestry - DNR

Registrations For

- Robert Wierenga, Delavan — WI County Police Association
- Ashley Birkholz, Fond du Lac — Self
- Ryan Zukowski, Madison — WI Troopers Association
- Luke Wuest, Pickett — Self
- Nick Morehouse — Self
- Brooke Hushagen, Poynette — Self
- Trent Marty, Madison — Self
- John Jorgensen, Madison — Self
- Alice O'Connor, Madison — WI Chiefs of Police Association
- Jeff Wiswell, Madison — Deputy Sheriffs Association

Registrations Against

- David Callendar, Madison — WI Counties Association

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

September 13, 2011 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Brooks, Thiesfeldt, Spanbauer, Jacque, Knudson, Ziegelbauer, Ringhand, E. Coggs and Pocan.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Brooks, seconded by Representative Spanbauer that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Representatives Brooks, Thiesfeldt, Spanbauer, Jacque, Knudson, Ziegelbauer, Ringhand, E. Coggs and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION OF ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1  
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Spanbauer, seconded by Representative Thiesfeldt that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (9) Representatives Brooks, Thiesfeldt,  
Spanbauer, Jacque, Knudson, Ziegelbauer,  
Ringhand, E. Coggs and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,  
Ayes 9, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Spanbauer, seconded by Representative  
Pocan that **Senate Bill 18** be recommended for concurrence as  
amended.

Ayes: (9) Representatives Brooks, Thiesfeldt,  
Spanbauer, Jacque, Knudson, Ziegelbauer,  
Ringhand, E. Coggs and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

CONCURRENCE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9,  
Noes 0

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Terri Griffiths  
Committee Clerk