



# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Assembly Journal

## One-Hundred and Fifth Regular Session

10:30 A.M.

THURSDAY, September 30, 2021

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

Representative Snyder in the chair.

The Assembly dispensed with the call of the roll.

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### AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 67** offered by Representative Steffen.

Assembly Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 87** offered by Representative Thiesfeldt.

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### INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### **Assembly Bill 586**

Relating to: qualified bidders on state projects.

By Representatives J. Rodriguez, Callahan, Dallman, Edming, Horlacher, Katsma, Knodl, Rozar, Vorpapel, Wittke, Schraa, Thiesfeldt, Allen and VanderMeer; cosponsored by Senators Stroebel, Cowles, Feyen and Jagler.

To committee on **State Affairs**.

#### **Assembly Bill 587**

Relating to: fees imposed on merchants in connection with credit card transactions and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Vorpapel, Armstrong, Cabral-Guevara, Callahan, Dallman, Edming, Gundrum, James, Kitchens, Knodl, Moses, Neylon, Novak, Oldenburg, Penterman, Rozar, Sinicki, Schraa, Sortwell, Spiros, Swearingen, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tittl, VanderMeer and Wittke; cosponsored by Senators Feyen, Wanggaard, Bradley, Felzkowski, Jagler, Pfaff, Roys, Stroebel and Testin.

To committee on **Financial Institutions**.

#### **Assembly Bill 588**

Relating to: allowing persons to charge fees for the use of electric vehicle charging stations and the installation and operation of electric vehicle charging stations by the Department of Transportation or a political subdivision.

By Representatives VanderMeer, Neylon, Armstrong, Born, Brandtjen, Doyle, Duchow, Edming, Gundrum, Knodl, Kuglitsch, Loudonbeck, Moses, Mursau, Oldenburg, Petryk, Spiros, Tauchen and Thiesfeldt; cosponsored by Senators Cowles, Roth, Kooyenga, Bernier and Pfaff.

To committee on **Energy and Utilities**.

#### **Assembly Bill 589**

Relating to: prohibiting social media Internet site censorship of journalistic enterprises.

By Representatives Sortwell, Cabral-Guevara, Allen, Brandtjen, Edming, Horlacher, Knodl and Kuglitsch; cosponsored by Senators Roth, Stroebel, Felzkowski, Nass and Darling.

To committee on **Constitution and Ethics**.

#### **Assembly Bill 590**

Relating to: prohibiting state agency employees, state elected officials, federal government agency employees, and certain state individuals holding a national office from influencing social media Internet sites to censor users and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Sortwell, Cabral-Guevara, Brandtjen, Edming, Horlacher, Knodl and Kuglitsch; cosponsored by Senators Roth, Stroebel, Felzkowski, Nass and Darling.

To committee on **Government Accountability and Oversight**.

#### **Assembly Bill 591**

Relating to: creating a civil cause of action against the owner or operator of a social media Internet site that restricts religious or political speech.

By Representatives Sortwell, Cabral-Guevara, Allen, Armstrong, Brandtjen, Edming, Horlacher, Knodl and Kuglitsch; cosponsored by Senators Roth, Stroebel, Felzkowski and Darling.

To committee on **Judiciary**.

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### COMMUNICATIONS

September 28, 2021

Edward A. Blazel  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

I am pleased to transmit to you the following reports to the 2021-22 Legislature on legislation introduced by the Joint Legislative Council, as well as activities of the committee:

- JLCR 2021-01 Study Committee on Public Disclosure and Oversight of Child Abuse and Neglect Incidents (2021 Assembly Bill 423 and 2021 Senate Bill 416; 2021 Assembly Bill 424 and 2021 Senate Bill 417; and 2021 Assembly Bill 425 and 2021 Senate Bill 418).

- JLCR 2021-02 Special Committee on State-Tribal Relations (2021 Assembly Bill 426 and 2021 Senate Bill 419; 2021 Assembly Bill 427 and 2021 Senate Bill 420; and 2021 Assembly Bill 428 and 2021 Senate Bill 421).

Please include this letter in the Journal for the information of the membership. Additional copies of these reports are available at the Legislative Council Staff offices, One East Main, Suite 401, or from our web page at <http://legis.wisconsin.gov/lc>.

Sincerely,  
*ANNE SAPPENFIELD*  
 Director  
 Wisconsin Legislative Council

September 30, 2021

Edward A. Blazel  
 Assembly Chief Clerk  
 17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a co-author of Assembly Bill 339, relating to designating STH 21 as a Purple Heart Memorial Highway.

Please add my name as a co-sponsor of Senate Bill 345, relating to designating STH 21 as a Purple Heart Memorial Highway.

Please add my name as a co-author of Assembly Bill 565, relating to vendors at state correctional institutions.

Please add my name as a co-author of Assembly Resolution 21, relating to proclaiming September 2021 as Workforce Development Month in Wisconsin.

Sincerely,  
*KATRINA SHANKLAND*  
 State Representative  
 71st Assembly District

September 30, 2021

Edward A. Blazel  
 Assembly Chief Clerk  
 17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a co-author of Assembly Bill 348, relating to raising the legal age for sale, purchase, and possession of cigarettes and nicotine and tobacco products, providing a legal age for sale, purchase, and possession of vapor products, and providing a penalty.

Sincerely,  
*PATRICK SNYDER*  
 State Representative  
 85th Assembly District

September 30, 2021

Edward A. Blazel  
 Assembly Chief Clerk  
 17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a co-author of Assembly Bill 314, relating to promoting the export of Wisconsin's agricultural and agribusiness products.

Please add my name as a co-sponsor of Senate Bill 325, relating to promoting the export of Wisconsin's agricultural and agribusiness products.

Sincerely,  
*CLINT MOSES*  
 State Representative  
 29th Assembly District

September 30, 2021

Edward A. Blazel  
 Assembly Chief Clerk  
 17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please add my name as a co-sponsor of Assembly Bill 584, relating to purchasing and distributing vaccines, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

Sincerely,  
*CHRIS LARSON*  
 State Senator  
 7th Senate District

**AGENCY REPORTS**

Pursuant to Wis. Stats. § 13.172 (2) and (3), following is a list of agency reports received from executive branch and legislative service agencies for the month of September, 2021.

**University of Wisconsin System**  
*Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 1.11 (2)(j)  
 Received on September 1, 2021  
 Referred to **Environment**

**Wisconsin Ethics Commission**  
*Updated list of authorized lobbyists*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 13.685 (7)  
 Received on September 7, 2021  
 Referred to **State Affairs**

**State of Wisconsin Claims Board**  
*Claims heard on August 17, 2021*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 16.007 and 775.05  
 Received on September 7, 2021

**Legislative Audit Bureau**

*Retirement Funds Investment Activity Calendar Year 2020*  
*State of Wisconsin Investment Board*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 13.94 (1)(df) and 25.17 (51)  
 Received on September 8, 2021

**Department of Children and Families**

*90 Day Final Summary Report for Child Death, Serious Injury and Egregious Incident*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 48.981 (7)(cr)3.b.  
 Received on September 8, 2021  
 Referred to **Children and Families**

**Public Service Commission of Wisconsin**

*Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 1.11 (2)(j)  
 Received on September 9, 2021  
 Referred to **Environment**

**Wisconsin Ethics Commission**

*Updated list of authorized lobbyists*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 13.685 (7)  
 Received on September 14, 2021  
 Referred to **State Affairs**

**Department of Natural Resources**

*Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 1.11 (2)(j)  
 Received on September 14, 2021  
 Referred to **Environment**

**State of Wisconsin Investment Board**

*Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 1.11 (2)(j)  
 Received on September 20, 2021  
 Referred to **Environment**

**Department of Health Services**

*Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 1.11 (2)(j)  
 Received on September 20, 2021  
 Referred to **Environment**

**Wisconsin Ethics Commission**

*Updated list of authorized lobbyists*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 13.685 (7)  
 Received on September 21, 2021  
 Referred to **State Affairs**

**Wisconsin Legislative Council**

*General Report of the Joint Legislative Council to the 2019-2020 Legislature*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 13.81 (3)  
 Received on September 21, 2021

**Department of Workforce Development**

*Wisconsin Agricultural Education and Workforce Development Council 2020 Annual Report*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 106.40 (5)  
 Received on September 22, 2021  
 Referred to **Workforce Development**

**Department of Revenue**

*FY21 4th Quarter Lottery Report*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 565.37 (3)

Received on September 22, 2021

Referred to **State Affairs**

**Department of Children and Families**

*90 Day Final Summary Report for Child Death, Serious Injury and Egregious Incident*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 48.981 (7)(cr)3.b.  
 Received on September 22, 2021  
 Referred to **Children and Families**

**Department of Health Services**

*CY20 Statewide Immunization Program*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 252.04 (11)  
 Received on September 22, 2021  
 Referred to **Health**

**Department of Military Affairs**

*2019-21 Biennial Report*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 15.04 (1)(d)  
 Received on September 22, 2021  
 Referred to **Veterans and Military Affairs**

**Department of Natural Resources**

*FY 2021 Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation Fee Report*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 283.31 (8)  
 Received on September 23, 2021  
 Referred to **Agriculture**

**State of Wisconsin Investment Board**

*Investment Policies, Objectives and Guidelines*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 25.17 (14r)  
 Received on September 27, 2021

**Wisconsin Ethics Commission**

*Updated list of authorized lobbyists*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 13.685 (7)  
 Received on September 28, 2021  
 Referred to **State Affairs**

**Department of Children and Families**

*90 Day Final Summary Report for Child Death, Serious Injury and Egregious Incident*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 48.981 (7)(cr)3.b.  
 Received on September 29, 2021  
 Referred to **Children and Families**

**Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation**

*FY2021 Annual Report on Economic Development*  
 Pursuant to 2007 Wisconsin Act 125  
 Received on September 29, 2021  
 Referred to **Jobs and the Economy**

**Department of Administration**

*Temporary reallocation of balances*  
 Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 20.002 (11)(f)  
 Received on September 30, 2021  
 Referred to **Ways and Means** and joint committee on **Finance**

**Legislative Audit Bureau**

*Employee Trust Funds Reports*  
 Received on September 30, 2021

**Department of Administration**

*Information Technology and Communication Services Self-Funded Portal Report*

Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 16.973 (15)

Received on September 30, 2021

Referred to joint committee on **Finance**

**Department of Administration**

*Fair Housing Plan*

Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 16.302 (4)

Received on September 30, 2021

Referred to **Housing and Real Estate**

**Department of Natural Resources**

*2021 Invasive Species Report*

Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 23.22 (6)

Received on September 30, 2021

Referred to **Forestry, Parks and Outdoor Recreation**

**Department of Veteran Affairs and Council on Veterans Programs**

*2021 Biennial Report*

Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 45.03 (3)(b)

Received on September 30, 2021

Referred to **Veterans and Military Affairs**

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**ADJOURNMENT**

Representative Swearingen moved that the Assembly stand adjourned pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution 1**.

The question was: Shall the Assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The Assembly stood adjourned.

10:31 A.M.