

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Sporting Heritage**

##### **Assembly Bill 217**

Relating to: whip lights on all-terrain and utility terrain vehicles.

By Representatives Swearigen, Green, Behnke, Bodden, Edming, Magnafici, O'Connor, Penterman, Sapik, Sortwell and VanderMeer; cosponsored by Senators Stafsholt, Cowles, Felzkowski, Marklein and Testin.

April 20, 2023 Referred to Committee on Sporting Heritage

November 08, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (10) Representative Pronschinske; Representatives Bodden, Brooks, Callahan, Green, Mursau, Sortwell, Shelton, Shankland and McGuire.  
Absent: (1) Representative Conley.  
Excused: (1) Representative Tittl.

##### Appearances For

- Rep. Rob Swearigen
- Sen. Rob Stafsholt
- Don Sura - Whip It Light Rods

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Matthew Wehn - DNR

##### Registrations For

- Rep. Chanz Green
- Bob Welch - Wisconsin Bear Hunters Association
- Jim Steineke - Wisconsin Bear Hunters Association

##### Registrations Against

- None.

##### Registrations for Information Only

- None.

November 15, 2023 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (12) Representative Pronschinske; Representatives Tittl, Bodden, Brooks, Callahan, Green,

Mursau, Sortwell, Shelton, Shankland,  
McGuire and Conley.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Sortwell, seconded by Representative  
Mursau that **Assembly Bill 217** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (8) Representative Pronschinske;  
Representatives Tittl, Bodden, Brooks,  
Callahan, Green, Mursau and Sortwell.

Noes: (4) Representatives Shelton, Shankland,  
McGuire and Conley.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 4

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Ilya Maro  
Committee Clerk