

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Environment**

##### **Assembly Bill 65**

Relating to: eligibility for producer-led watershed, lake, and river protection grants.

By Representatives Kitchens, Novak, Tranel, Shankland, Krug, J. Anderson, Andraca, Armstrong, Baldeh, Behnke, Considine, Dittrich, Donovan, Emerson, Green, Joers, S. Johnson, Knodl, Mursau, O'Connor, Oldenburg, Petryk, Plumer, Rozar, Sinicki, Snodgrass, Snyder, Spiros and VanderMeer; cosponsored by Senators Cowles, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Feyen, Jacque, Marklein, Pfaff, Quinn, Spreitzer and Testin.

February 23, 2023 Referred to Committee on Environment

March 16, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (8) Representative Oldenburg; Representatives Kitchens, Novak, Bodden, Schmidt, Shankland, J. Anderson and Palmeri.  
Absent: (0) None.  
Excused: (1) Representative Behnke.

##### Appearances For

- Rep. Joel Kitchens - 1st Assembly District
- Sen. Rob Cowles - 2nd Senate District
- Rep. Katrina Shankland - 71st Assembly District
- Chad Zuleger - Dairy Business Association

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Mark Wilecha - DATCP

##### Registrations For

- Michelle Ramirez-White - Wisconsin Farmers Union
- Matt Krueger - Wisconsin Land and Water Conservation Association
- Tom Bressner - Wi Agri. Business Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wi Assoc. of Professional Agricultural Consultants
- Jordan Lamb - Wi Soybean Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wi Pork Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wi Cattlemen's Association

- Jordan Lamb - Wi Farm Credit Services
- Jordan Lamb - Wi Potato and Vegetables Growers Assoc.
- Jordan Lamb - Wi State Cranberry Growers Assoc.
- Jordan Lamb - Wi Farm Bureau Federation

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- Andy Janssen - DNR - Dep. Legislative Director

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Mathew Jansen  
Committee Clerk