Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Education

Assembly Bill 562

Relating to: gender identity and sexual orientation programs in public schools. By Representatives Cabral-Guevara, Rozar, Armstrong, Brandtjen, Brooks, Dittrich, Horlacher, Knodl, Magnafici, Penterman and Sortwell.

September 15, 2021 Referred to Committee on Education

September 16, 2021 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (14) Representative Thiesfeldt; Representatives
Kitchens, Wittke, Ramthun, Wichgers, Mursau,
Duchow, Rozar, Penterman, Pope, Hebl,
Considine, Vruwink and L. Myers.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Behnke.

Appearances For

- Rep. Rozar
- Madeline Doon
- SharaLee Nichols WI Family Action
- Kim Vercauteren WI Catholic Conf
- Heather Chun

Appearances Against

- Melissa Mael Rape Crisis Center
- Ian Henderson WI Coalition Against Sexual Assault
- Dana Pellebon
- Brian Juchems GSAFE
- Adrian George
- Cameron Craig
- Aaron Lopez

Appearances for Information Only

None.

Registrations For

- Rep. Cabral-Guevara
- Julaine Appling WI Family Action

Registrations Against

• Lillian Hislop

- Ayden Pcehara
- Patrick Farabaugh
- Ahmad Mohgadary Rape Crisis Center
- Dee Pettack DPI
- Aleisha Gurrie
- Jack O'Meara WI School Social Workers Assn
- Matthias Chan
- Nicole Bright
- Megin McDonell Fair WI
- Dan Ross
- Sen. Carpenter
- Jack Phillips
- Rep. Snodgrass
- Rep. Cabrera
- Rep. Neubauer
- Rep. Spreitzer
- Sam Wiles
- Rep. Hong

Registrations for Information Only

None.

February 10, 2022 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (12) Representative Thiesfeldt; Representatives
Wittke, Ramthun, Wichgers, Mursau, Duchow,
Rozar, Behnke, Pope, Hebl, Considine and
Vruwink.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (3) Representatives Kitchens, Penterman and L. Myers.

Moved by Representative Rozar, seconded by Representative Behnke that **Assembly Bill 562** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (8) Representative Thiesfeldt; Representatives Wittke, Ramthun, Wichgers, Mursau, Duchow, Rozar and Behnke.

Noes: (4) Representatives Pope, Hebl, Considine and Vruwink.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 4

Katie Scott
Committee Clerk