

2011 Wisconsin Legislature Key Votes Scorecard



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Key (check page 2 for our position on each issue):

- #1: 2011 Wisconsin Act 1: federalize health savings account tax treatment
- #2: 2011 Wisconsin Act 2: civil justice reform
- #7: 2011 Wisconsin Act 7: formation of the WI Economic Development Corp.
- #10: 2011 Wisconsin Act 10: public employee unions
- #13: 2011 Wisconsin Act 13: state budget repair
- #16: 2011 Wisconsin Act 16: Pre-emption of local FMLA ordinances
- #21: 2011 Wisconsin Act 21: State agency rulemaking
- #22: 2011 Wisconsin Act 22: Telecom reform
- #68: 2011 Wisconsin Act 68: Department of Revenue reform
- SJR-23 Transportation fund integrity constitutional amendment (1st consideration)

	#1	#2	#7	#10	#13	#16	#21	#22	#68	SJR-23
WISCONSIN ASSEMBLY										
1 Bies (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
2 Jacque (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
3 Ott (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4 Weininger (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
5 Steineke (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
6 Tauchen (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
40 Petersen (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
52 Thiesfeldt (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
53 Spanbauer (R)	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
54 Hintz (D)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
55 Kaufert (R)	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
56 Litjens (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
57 BernardSchaber (D)	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗
88 Klenke (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
89 Nygren (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
90 Van Roy (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
WISCONSIN SENATE										
1 Lasee (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	NV	✓	✓	✓
2 Cowles (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
9 Liebham (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
14 Olsen (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
18 Hopper (R) before recall	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
18 King (D) after recall									✗	
19 Ellis (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
30 Hansen (D)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	NV	✗	✓	✗	✓

- Green Bay area legislators
- ✓ supported our position
- ✗ opposed our position
- NV not voting

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2011 NEWCC Legislative Agenda positions on each scorecard item:

#1: 2011 Wisconsin Act 1: federalize health savings account tax treatment

“Offer Wisconsin tax deductibility for health savings accounts (HSA), in line with federal tax treatment.”

#2: 2011 Wisconsin Act 2: civil justice reform

“Enact comprehensive product liability and other legal reforms. Establish strict limits on punitive damage awards.”

#7: 2011 Wisconsin Act 7: formation of the WI Economic Development Corp.

“Support Governor Walker’s reorganization of the Department of Commerce and the establishment of the public/private Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation to implement economic development activities on behalf of the State of Wisconsin.”

#10: 2011 Wisconsin Act 10: public employee unions

“Bring public sector benefits in line with the private sector through a plan similar to NEWCC’s “Benefit Equity” proposal which would provide new employees in the public sector with lower pension contributions, less expensive health coverage and more reasonable leave practices.”

#13: 2011 Wisconsin Act 13: state budget repair

“Balance the state budget under generally accepted accounting principles and discontinue the practice of delaying expenditures to subsequent fiscal years. Allow privatization of routine services and functions when cost-effective. Oppose business tax increases including: expansion or increase of sales, personal or corporate income tax.”

#16: 2011 Wisconsin Act 16: pre-emption of local FMLA ordinances

(2009) “Federalize treatment of ... as many benefits as possible, including the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA).”

#21: 2011 Wisconsin Act 21: state agency rulemaking

“Ensure state regulations are in line with federal regulations and those in competitive states.”

#22: 2011 Wisconsin Act 22: telecom reform

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#68: 2011 Wisconsin Act 68: Department of Revenue reform

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SJR-23 Transportation fund integrity constitutional amendment (1st consideration)

“Amend the Wisconsin Constitution to prohibit any further transfers or lapses from the segregated transportation fund.”