



# WISCONSIN FAMILY ACTION 2021-2022 LEGISLATIVE SCORECARD

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# About Wisconsin Family Action's 2021-2022 Legislative Scorecard

Wisconsin Family Action (WFA) is pleased to present its 2021-2022 Legislative Scorecard. This Scorecard covers the twoyear legislative session our state legislators recently concluded, running from January 2021 through this past spring.<sup>1</sup> This publication is a compilation of significant floor votes and committee votes on a cross section of legislative proposals dealing in some way with marriage, family, the sanctity of human life, or religious freedom.

This 2021-2022 Legislative Scorecard is a part of WFA's mission of strengthening, preserving, and promoting marriage, family, life, and religious freedom in The Badger State. We are working for a Wisconsin where God is honored, life is cherished, families thrive and religious freedom flourishes.

Our mission and vision will happen only as individuals all across the state become involved in their culture and their government. Holding elected officials accountable for their policy work is an extremely important part of good citizenship. We hope this information is helpful to you as you exercise your civic duty as a citizen of this state.

To find out who your state legislators are, go to <u>www.legis.wisconsin.gov</u>, "Who Are My Legislators" on the home page or call the WFA office at 608-268-5074 (toll-free 866-849-2536).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Technically, Wisconsin's legislative sessions run from early January in odd-numbered years through December 31 of evennumbered years. However, in practice, the second year of the two-year session typically finishes up no later than early April. After that the officials are involved in campaigns, and no floor periods for voting take place.

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### WFA Scoring Methodology

Specific legislative actions of each legislator are "scored" in comparison to Wisconsin Family Action's (WFA) position on a bill. This year, in addition to a number of key floor votes, we have included select committee votes. Committee votes are important opportunities for elected officials to do the right thing on a given legislative proposal.

Legislators are not penalized for opportunities they did not have, such as not serving on a committee where a vote took place, or if they were excused from a floor session where a vote took place. If a legislator was not available to vote but "paired" his/her vote, we did consider those as indicators of the legislator's public recorded position on the bill. "**Pairing"** is when two legislators not on the floor to vote agree to inform leadership that one is a "yes" on a bill and the other is a "no." Their "pairings" are not recorded as part of a roll-call vote and don't count in the final vote tally but do show up in the lower left corner of an official roll-call sheet, noted as "PAIRED."

This session legislators were dealing with a divided state government. While both the Senate and Assembly had strong Republican versus Democrat majorities (61-38 in Assembly, 21-12 in Senate), the governor is a Democrat with decidedly different positions on issues and markedly different priorities. This scenario resulted in many bills being voted on and passed in both houses, with the governor promptly vetoing many of them. Important to remember, too, is that typically the majority leadership in both the Assembly and the Senate will not allow a bill to go to the floor unless they are sure they have the votes to pass it. This in large part accounts for why we have a larger number than usual of legislators who scored 100% on this Scorecard.

A **100% score** indicates the legislator agreed with WFA's position on all scored items. We are especially grateful for legislators who have earned this distinctive achievement, as well as those who scored very commendably in the 90% range.



### 2021-2022 Wisconsin State Senate Scorecard

"+" Indicates legislator voted in agreement with WFA's position on the bill.

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"N/A" = This vote does not apply to this legislator.

"**NV**" = The legislator did not participate in this vote.

To see explanation of each bill, click on the bill number at the top of each column.

				Floo	r Votes				6	mmittee V	/otes	Score
	SB	SB	SB	AB	AB	AB	AB	SJR				50010
Senator/Party/District	16	463	<u>591</u>	299	411	963	970	101	<u>SB 30</u>	<u>SB 323</u>	<u>SB 923</u>	
Agard, Melissa (D-SD 16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	-	N/A	0%
Ballweg, Joan (R-SD 14)	+	+	+	+	+	NV	NV	+	N/A	-	N/A	86%
Bernier, Kathleen (R-SD 23)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Bewley, Janet (D-SD 25)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%
Bradley, Julian (R-SD 28)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	+	100%
Carpenter, Timothy (D-SD 3)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	0%
Cowles, Robert (R-SD 2)	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	88%
Darling, Alberta (R-SD 8)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Erpenbach, Jon (D-SD 27)	-	-	-	-	-	NV	NV	-	-	N/A	N/A	0%
Felzkowski, Mary (R-SD 12)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	+	100%
<u>Feyen, Dan (R-SD 18)</u>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Jacque, André (R-SD 1)	NV	NV	NV	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	+	N/A	100%
Jagler, John (R-SD 13)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Johnson, LaTonya (D-SD 6)	-	-	NV	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	-	N/A	0%
Kapenga, Chris (R-SD 33)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Kooyenga, Dale (R-SD 5)	NV	NV	+	NV	+	+	+	+	-	N/A	N/A	83%
Larson, Chris (D-SD 7)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%
LeMahieu, Devin (R-SD 9)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Marklein, Howard (R-SD 17)	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	88%
Nass, Stephen (R-SD 11)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Petrowski, Jerry (R-SD 29)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Pfaff, Bradley (D-SD 32)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%
Ringhand, Janis (D-SD 15)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%
Roth, Roger (R-SD 19)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Roys, Kelda (D-SD 26)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NV	N/A	N/A	-	0%
Smith, Jeff (D-SD 31)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	-	0%
Stafsholt, Rob (R-SD 10)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Stroebel, Duey (R-SD 20)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	+	100%

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Taylor, Lena (D-SD 4)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%
Testin, Patrick (R-SD 24)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	N/A	N/A	89%
Wanggaard, Van (R-SD 21)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%
Wimberger, Eric (R-SD 30)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	+	N/A	100%
Wirch, Robert (D-SD 22)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%

## 2021-2022 Wisconsin State Assembly Scorecard

"+" - Indicates legislator voted in agreement with WFA's position on the bill.

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"N/A" = This vote does not apply to this legislator. "NV" = The legislator did not participate in this vote.

 $\Lambda$  - Indicates the legislator paired a vote **in agreement with** WFA's position on the bill.

 $\Psi$  - Indicates the legislator paired a vote **against** WFA's position on the bill.

**EX+** - Indicates the legislator voted against WFA's official position but did so for a good reason. On the bills noted, SB 16 & SB 591, the legislators disagreed with the exceptions (SB 16) or did not think the bill went far enough (SB 591). In principle, WFA agreed with these legislators and gave a caveat to our general support of the bills. Hence, these legislators ultimately did vote in agreement with our position.

#### To see explanation of each bill, click on the bill number at the top of each column.

	Floor Votes									Committee Vote	Score	
Representative/Party/District	<u>SB</u> <u>16</u>	<u>SB</u> 463	<u>SB</u> 591	<u>AB</u> <u>36</u>	<u>AB</u> <u>195</u>	<u>AB</u> 299	<u>AB</u> <u>411</u>	<u>AB</u> 963	<u>AB</u> 970	<u>SJR</u> 101	<u>AB</u> <u>79</u>	
Allen, Scott (R-AD 97)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Anderson, Jimmy (D-AD 47)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Andraca, Deb (D-AD 23)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Armstrong, David (R-AD 75)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
August, Tyler (R-AD 32)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Baldeh, Samba (D-AD 48)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Behnke, Elijah (R-AD 89)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Billings, Jill (D-AD 95)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Born, Mark (R-AD 39)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Bowen, David (D-AD 10)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NV	NV	-	N/A	0%
Brandtjen, Janel (R-AD 22)	EX+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Brooks, Robert (R-AD 60)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Brostoff, Jonathan (D-AD 19)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
<u>Cabral-Guevara,</u> Rachael (R-AD 55)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Cabrera, Marisabel (D-AD 09)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NV	NV	NV	N/A	0%
Callahan, Calvin (R-AD 35)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Conley, Sue (D-AD 44)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0%
Considine, Dave (D-AD 81)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Dallman, Alex (R-AD 41)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%

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	Floor Votes										Committee Vote	Score
Representative/Party/District	<u>SB</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>AB</u>	<u>AB</u>	<u>AB</u>	<u>AB</u>	<u>AB</u>	<u>AB</u>	<u>SJR</u>	AB	
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Dittrich, Barbara (R-AD 38)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Doyle, Steve (D-AD 94)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0%
Drake, Dora (D-AD 11)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Duchow, Cindi (R-AD 99)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	82%
Edming, James (R-AD 87)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	82%
Emerson, Jodi (D-AD 91) Goyke, Evan (D-AD 18)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Gundrum, Rick (R-AD 58)	+	+	+	$\uparrow$	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Haywood, Kalan (D-AD 16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Hebl, Gary (D-AD 46)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Hesselbein, Dianne (D-AD 79)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Hintz, Gordon (D-AD 54)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Hong, Francesca (D-AD 76)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Horlacher, Cody (R-AD 33)	NV	+	NV	NV	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
James, Jesse (R-AD 68)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	82%
Katsma, Terry (R-AD 26)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Kerkman, Samantha (R-AD 61)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Kitchens, Joel (R-AD 1)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	N/A	80%
Knodl, Daniel (R-AD 24)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Krug, Scott (R-AD 72)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Kuglitsch, Mike (R- AD 84)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Kurtz, Tony (R-AD 50)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Loudenbeck, Amy (R-AD 31)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Macco, John (R-AD 88)	+	+	+	-	NV	NV	+	+	+	+	N/A	88%
Magnafici, Gae (R-AD 28)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	82%
McGuire, Tip (D-AD 64)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Meyers, Beth (D-AD 74)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Milroy, Nick (D-AD 73)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
<u>Moore Omokunde,</u> <u>Supreme (D-AD 17)</u>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NV	N/A	0%
Moses, Clint (R-AD 29)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Murphy, Dave (R-AD 56)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Mursau, Jeffrey (R-AD 36)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Myers, LaKeshia (D-AD 12)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Neubauer, Greta (D-AD 66)	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	N/A	0%
Neylon, Adam (R-AD 98)	+	NV	+	-	+	+	NV	+	+	+	N/A	88%
Novak, Todd (R-AD 51)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Ohnstad, Tod (D-AD 65)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	, N/A	0%
Oldenburg, Loren (R-AD 96)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Ortiz-Velez, Sylvia (D-AD 08)	-	-	-	NV	-	+	-	NV	NV	NV	N/A	20%
Penterman, William (R-AD 37)	+	+	+	-	NV	NV	+	$\uparrow$	$\uparrow$	$\uparrow$	N/A	88%

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Petersen, Kevin (R-AD 40)	+	+	+	<u>↑</u>	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Petryk, Warren (R-AD 93)	$\uparrow$	+	$\uparrow$	$\downarrow$	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Plumer, Jon (R-AD 42)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	82%
Pope, Sondy (D-AD 80) Pronschinske, Treig (R-AD 92)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Ramthun, Timothy (R-AD 59)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Riemer, Daniel (D-AD 7)	+	+	EX+ ↓	+ NV	+	+	+	+	+	NV	N/A	100% 0%
		-	•		-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	
Rodriguez, Jessie (R-AD 21)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Rodriguez, Sara (D-AD 13)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Rozar, Donna (R-AD 69)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Sanfelippo, Joe (R-AD 15)	NV	+	NV	$\checkmark$	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	88%
Schraa, Michael (R-AD 53)	+	+	+	$\uparrow$	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Shankland, Katrina (D-AD 71)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	$\checkmark$	$\downarrow$	$\checkmark$	N/A	0%
Shelton, Kristina (D-AD 90)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Sinicki, Christine (D-AD 20)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	$\checkmark$	N/A	0%
Skowronski, Ken (R-AD 82)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Snodgrass, Lee (D-AD 57)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Snyder, Patrick (R-AD 85)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	82%
Sortwell, Shae (R-AD 02)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Spiros, John (R-AD 86)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Spreitzer, Mark (D-AD 45)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Steffen, David (R-AD 4)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Steineke, Jim (R-AD 5)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Stubbs, Shelia (D-AD 77)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NV	-	N/A	0%
Subeck, Lisa (D-AD 78)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Summerfield, Rob (R-AD 67)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Swearingen, Rob (R-AD 34)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Tauchen, Gary (R-AD 06)	NV	+	NV	$\downarrow$	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	88%
Thiesfeldt, Jeremy (R-AD 52)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Tittl, Paul (R-AD 25)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Tranel, Travis (R-AD 49)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
<u>Tusler, Ron (R-AD 3)</u>	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
VanderMeer, Nancy (R-AD 70)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Vining, Robyn (D-AD 14)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N/A	0%
Vorpagel, Tyler (R-AD 27)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
<u>Vos, Robin (R-AD 63)</u>	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%
Vruwink, Don (D-AD 43)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NV	N/A	0%
Wichgers, Chuck (R-AD 83)	EX+	+	EX+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	100%
Wittke, Robert (R-AD 62)	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	$\uparrow$	N/A	90%
<u>Zimmerman,</u> <u>Shannon (R-AD 30)</u>	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	N/A	90%

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#### WFA Legislative Vote Record Explanation of Bills Scored 2021-2022 Legislative Session

#### SB 16 - Requirements for children born alive following abortion or attempted abortion and providing a penalty.

Senate Bill 16 requires medical personnel to give a baby who survives an abortion the same medical care as would be given to a baby born alive in any other circumstance. **Passed in both houses; governor vetoed.** 

WFA Position: Supported (with caveat objecting to the exception in the bill)

Scoring: Senate – Floor vote Assembly – Floor vote

<u>SB 463 - Requiring school boards to make information about learning materials and educational activities used for</u> <u>pupil instruction available to the public.</u>

Senate Bill 463 requires that school districts make information readily available to parents and others by posting the information on the homepage of the district's website. **Passed in both houses; governor vetoed.** 

WFA Position: Supported

Scoring: Senate – Floor vote Assembly – Floor vote

# <u>SB 591 – Informed consent regarding a certain abortion-inducing drug regimen and reporting requirements for induced abortions.</u>

Senate Bill 591 would require abortionists to inform a woman seeking to have an abortion induced by an abortioninducing drug regimen about an abortion pill reversal and would also require that this information be included in Wisconsin's woman's-right-to-know publication. The bill also expanded the information abortionists are required to gather and report. **Passed in both houses; governor vetoed.** 

WFA Position:SupportedScoring:Senate - Floor voteAssembly - Floor vote

#### AB 36/SB 30 – Permitting pharmacists to prescribe certain contraceptives.

Assembly Bill 36/Senate Bill 30 permits pharmacists to prescribe certain contraceptive drugs and devices to "persons" 18 and over. Currently pharmacists cannot prescribe any pharmaceuticals. This bill requires only that the pharmacist administer a blood pressure test to the "person" requesting the contraception and that the "person" complete a self-administered medical questionnaire before give the "person" the requested prescription. The bill does not address liability and never uses the word *woman*. **Passed in Assembly; only committee vote in Senate.** 

WFA Position:OpposedScoring:Senate - Committee voteAssembly - Floor vote

<u>AB 195/SB 323 – Designating University of Wisconsin and technical college sports and athletic teams based on the sex</u> of the participants.

Assembly Bill 195/Senate Bill 323 basically prohibits biological males from competing in women's athletic events or on women's athletic teams at UW-system schools or technical colleges. **Passed in Assembly; only committee vote in Senate.** 

WFA Position:SupportedScoring:Senate – Committee vote

Assembly – Floor vote

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AB 299 - Prohibiting proof of vaccination for COVID-19 as a condition of receiving business and government services.

Assembly Bill 299 was one of a number of vaccination anti-discrimination bills introduced and passed this session. This bill forbids the state, any governmental entity, and any business or legal entity engaged in any enterprise in the state from requiring any person to provide proof that the person has received a vaccine against COVID-19, as a condition of receiving any services, transacting any business, accessing any building, or participating in any function. **Passed in both houses; governor vetoed.** 

WFA Position: Supported Scoring: Senate – Floor vote

Assembly – Floor vote

Assembly – Floor vote

<u>AB 411 - Prohibiting anti-racism and anti-sexism pupil instruction and anti-racism and anti-sexism training for</u> <u>employees of school districts and independent charter schools.</u>

Assembly Bill 411 essentially prohibits the teaching of any of the elements of Critical Race Theory, as well as prohibits training of school employees in any of the elements of Critical Race Theory. **Passed in both houses; governor vetoed.** *WFA Position: Supported* 

Scoring: Senate – Floor vote

#### AB 963 – Rights reserved to a parent or guardian of a child.

Assembly Bill 963 is commonly referred to as the "Parent's Bill of Rights." It delineates fifteen (15) specific rights parents have related to their children. It also specifically states that there are other inalienable rights parents have related to their children. The bill allows parents to sue if the state violates any of these rights. **Passed in both houses; governor vetoed.** 

WFA Position: Supported Scoring: Senate – Floor vote

Assembly – Floor vote

<u>AB 970 - Eliminating income limits for parental choice programs; eliminating pupil participation limits for the</u> <u>statewide parental choice program and creating an education expense reimbursement program for the 2022-23</u> <u>school year and the summer of 2023.</u>

Assembly Bill 970 basically institutes universal school choice in Wisconsin by eliminating income requirements for all three of the voucher programs and removing enrollment caps for the statewide voucher program. The bill provides a temporary \$1000 per public school student to take a course or purchase educational materials. **Passed in both houses;** governor vetoed.

WFA Position: Supported Scoring: Senate – Floor vote

Assembly – Floor vote

<u>SJR 101 - Prohibiting the use of a donation or grant of private resources for purposes of election administration and specifying who may perform tasks related to election administration (first consideration).</u>

Senate Joint Resolution 101 would amend the Wisconsin constitution to prohibit outside money from being given to Wisconsin election officials and prohibits a non-election official from administering any election-related task. This was "first consideration." Such a resolution must pass in two consecutive legislative sessions in the exact same form and then be voted on by the people of Wisconsin. **Passed in both houses; such joint resolutions do not go to the governor.** *WFA Position: Supported* 

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Scoring: Senate – Floor vote

Assembly – Floor vote

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<u>SB 923 – Detecting a fetal heartbeat and prohibiting abortion after such detection, except in cases of medical emergencies threatening the life of the mother.</u>

Senate Bill 923 is Wisconsin's "heartbeat" bill, modeled after the Texas heartbeat law. It requires that an abortionist attempt to detect a fetal heartbeat before performing an abortion. If a heartbeat is detected, an abortion cannot be performed unless there is a medical emergency (which is fairly narrowly defined) threatening the life of the mother. **Senate held a hearing; Assembly took no action.** 

WFA Position: Supported

Scoring: Senate – Committee vote Assembly – No action

AB 79 – Changes Wisconsin's waiting period for re-marriage after a divorce judgment.

Assembly Bill 79 eliminates completely Wisconsin's six-month waiting period after a divorce before an individual involved in the divorce can marry again. Assembly held a hearing; Senate took no action.

WFA Position: Opposed

Scoring: Senate – No action

Assembly – Committee vote



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