

Wisconsin Assembly Totals

Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %	Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %
Colon, P	8	64	42	Ott, J	23	91	96
Cullen, D	13	55	41	Pasch, S	22	55	55
Fields, J	11	73	59	Pridemore, D	99	91	97
Gottlieb, M	60	100	100	Richards, J	19	64	45
Grigsby, T	18	64	49	Sinicki, C	20	55	48
Gundrum, M	84	82	94	Staskunas, T	15	64	64
Hixson, K	43	55	51	Stone, J	82	100	100
Honadel, M	21	100	100	Strachota, P	58	91	97
Kessler, F	12	64	38	Toles, B	17	55	50
Knodl, D	24	82	82	Vukmir, L	14	82	94
Kramer, B	97	73	87	Williams, A	10	55	34
Krusick, P	7	45	58	Young, L	16	64	35
Nass, S	31	73	93	Zepnick, J	9	64	51
Newcomer, S	33	73	91	Zipperer, R	98	91	96

Non-Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %	Non-Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %
Ballweg, J	41	82	94	Nelson, T	5	64	55
Barca, P	64	64	64	Nerison, L	96	82	94
Benedict, C	45	55	41	Nygren, J	89	100	100
Berceau, T	76	55	35	Ott, A	3	91	94
Barnard Schaber, P	57	64	64	Parisi, J	48	64	42
Bies, G	1	64	93	Petersen, K	40	82	91
Black, S	77	55	32	Petrowski, J	86	82	90
Brooks, E	50	82	82	Pocan, M	78	64	30
Clark, F	42	55	55	Pope-Roberts, S	79	55	39
Danou, C	91	55	55	Radcliffe, M	92	73	73
Davis, B	80	82	94	Ripp, K	47	82	82
Dexter, K	68	73	73	Rhoades, K	30	91	94
Fitzgerald, J	39	100	98	Roth, R	56	91	96
Friske, D	35	100	97	Roys, Kelda H	81	55	55
Garthwaite, P	49	64	66	Schneider, M	72	45	42
Gunderson, S	83	82	96	Seidel, D	85	55	48
Hebl, T	46	64	47	Sheridan, M	44	64	53
Hilgenberg, S	51	55	51	Sherman, G	74	64	43
Hintz, G	54	55	54	Shilling, J	95	55	49
Hraychuck, A	28	64	69	Smith, J	93	64	52
Hubler, M	75	55	51	Soletski, J	88	55	61
Huebsch, M	94	91	99	Spanbauer, R	53	82	82
Jorgensen, A	37	73	73	Steinbrink, J	65	64	59
Kaufert, D	55	91	97	Suder, S	69	91	95
Kerkman, S	66	82	96	Tauchen, G	6	82	88
Kestell, S	27	73	95	Townsend, J	52	91	95
Kleefisch, J	38	73	91	Turner, R	61	64	45
LeMahieu, D	59	73	93	Van Akkeren, T	26	64	46
Lothian, T	32	73	92	Van Roy, K	90	91	96
Mason, C	62	64	69	Vos, R	63	82	94
Meyer, D	34	82	89	Vruwink, A	70	55	41
Milroy, N	73	64	64	Williams, M	87	73	93
Molespe, L	71	64	44	Wood, J	67	73	79
Montgomery, P	4	100	96	Ziegelbauer, B	25	73	82
Mursau, J	36	91	97	Zigmunt, T	2	64	64
Murtha, J	29	73	87				

The MMAC Board of Directors unveiled the Association's comprehensive strategic plan in 2002 — *The Blueprint for Economic Prosperity*. Since then, that strategic plan has been updated biennially as a way to inform elected officials and our members of our public policy priorities.

This 2009-2010 Legislative Scorecard evaluates how well the votes of your elected officials represented the priorities of the MMAC in the past legislative session. The key bills included in this scorecard were chosen because of their policy significance and their relationship to our public policy agenda. A brief description of these pieces of legislation is included inside, as well as a vote-by-vote record for each legislator.

Our complete agenda is available at:

mmac.org/blueprint

Wisconsin Senate Totals

Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %	Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %
Carpenter, T	3	36	27	Kedzie, N	11	64	91
Coggs, S	6	36	48	Lazich, M	28	73	90
Darling, A	8	82	97	Plale, J	7	45	58
Grothman, G	20	64	81	Sullivan, J	5	55	39
Kanavas, T	33	82	96	Taylor, L	4	55	37

Non-Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %	Non-Metro Area	District	09-10	Cum. %
Cowles, R	2	73	83	Lasee, A	1	73	92
Decker, R	29	45	28	Lassa, J	24	45	33
Ellis, M	19	73	82	Lehman, J	21	36	29
Erpenbach, J	27	45	29	Leibham, J	9	64	91
Fitzgerald, S	13	91	99	Miller, M	16	36	29
Hansen, D	30	45	31	Olsen, L	14	82	90
Harsdorf, S	10	91	91	Risser, F	26	36	25
Holperin, J	12	45	45	Robson, J	15	36	28
Hopper, R	18	91	91	Schultz, D	17	64	83
Jauch, R	25	36	28	Vinehout, K	31	36	24
Kapanke, D	32	73	87	Wirch, R	22	36	27
Kreitlow, P	23	45	28				

State Assembly Voting Record

- Metro Milwaukee Legislator
- Supported MMAC's Position
- Did Not Support MMAC Position
- ★ Absent: In Military Service to Our Country
- NV Did not vote

	District	AB 74	AB 138	AB 482	AB 614	AB 696	SB 20	SB 62	SB 185	SB 514	SB 273	SB 409
Ballweg, Joan	41	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Barca, Peter	64			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Benedict, Chuck	45			X	X				X	X	X	X
Berceau, Terese	76			X	X				X	X	X	X
Bernard Schaber, Penny	57			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Bies, Garey	1	X		X	X	X	nv	X			X	X
Black, Spencer	77			X	X				X	X	X	X
Brooks, Ed	50	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Clark, Fred	42			X	X				X	X	X	X
Colon, Pedro	8			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Cullen, David	13			X	X				X	X	X	X
Danou, Chris	91			X	X	X				X	X	X
Davis, Brett	80	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Dexter, Kristen	68	X		X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Fields, Jason	11		X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Fitzgerald, Jeff	39	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Friske, Donald	35	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Garthwaite, Phil	49	X		X	X				X	X	X	X
Gottlieb, Mark	60	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Grisgby, Tamara	18			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Gunderson, Scott	83	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Gundrum, Mark	84	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	nv		X	X
Hebl, Gary	46	X		X	X				X	X	X	X
Hilgenberg, Steve	51			X	X				X	X	X	X
Hintz, Gordon	54			X	X				X	X	X	X
Hixson, Kim	43	X		X	X					X	X	X
Honadel, Mark	21	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hraychuck, Ann	28	X		X	X				X	X	X	X
Hubler, Mary	75			X	X				X	X	X	X
Huebsch, Michael	94	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Jorgensen, Andy	37	X		X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Kaufert, Dean	55	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Kerkman, Samantha	66	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Kessler, Frederick	12		X	X	X				X	X	X	X
Kestell, Steve	27	X		X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Kleefisch, Joel	38	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
Knodl, Dan	24	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	
Kramer, Bill	97	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
Krusick, Peggy	7			X	X				X	X	X	
LeMahieu, Daniel	59	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
Lothian, Thomas	32	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
Mason, Cory	62			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Meyer, Daniel	34	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Milroy, Nick	73			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Molepske, Louis Jr	71			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Montgomery, Phil	4	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Mursau, Jeffrey	36	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Murtha, John	29	X		X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Nass, Stephen	31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	nv
Nelson, Tom	5			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Neirson, Lee	96	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Newcomer, Scott	33	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
Nygren, John	89	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ott, Alvin	3	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Ott, Jim	23	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Parisi, Joseph	48			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Pasch, Sandy	22			X	X				X	X	X	X
Petersen, Kevin	40	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Petrowski, Jerry	86	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Pocan, Mark	78			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Pope-Roberts, Sindy	79			X	X				X	X	X	X
Pridemore, Don	99	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Radcliffe, Mark	92	X		X	X		X		X	X	X	X
Rhoades, Kitty	30	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Richards, Jon	19			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Ripp, Keith	47	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Roth, Roger	56	X	★	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Roys, Kelda Helen	81			X	X				X	X	X	X
Schneider, Marlin	72			X	X				X		X	X
Seidel, Donna	85			X	X				X	X	X	X
Sheridan, Mike	44			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Sherman, Gary	74			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Shilling, Jennifer	95			X	X				X	X	X	X
Sinicki, Christine	20			X	X				X	X	X	X
Smith, Jeff	93	X		X	X				X	X	X	X
Soletski, James	88			X	X				X	X	X	X
Spanbauer, Richard	53	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	nv
Staskunas, Tony	15			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Steinbrink, John	65			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Stone, Jeff	82	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Strachota, Pat	58	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Suder, Scott	69	X	★	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Tauchen, Gary	6	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Toles, Barbara	17			X	X				X	X	X	X
Townsend, John	52	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Turner, Robert	61			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Van Akkeren, Terry	26			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Van Roy, Karl	90	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Vos, Robin	63	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Vruwink, Amy Sue	70			X	X				X	X	X	X
Vukmir, Leah	14	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Williams, Annette	10	nv		X	X	nv		X	X	nv	X	X
Williams, Mary	87	X		X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Wood, Jeffrey	67	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X
Young, Leon	16			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Zepnick, Josh	9			X	X	X			X	X	X	X
Ziegelbauer, Bob	25	X		X	X		X	X			X	X
Zigmunt, Ted	2	X		X	X	X				X	X	X
Zipperer, Rich	98	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X

State Assembly Bills

HEALTH CARE

Bill: **AB 74**

Topic: **HSA TAX CREDIT:** Creating a state income tax credit for contributions made to Health Savings Accounts. Wisconsin is one of only four states in the nation that does not offer a state tax deduction for HSA contributions.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on suspending the rules to bring the bill to a vote

Status: Died in Assembly

Bill: **AB 482**

Topic: **MINIMUM MARK-UP ON PRESCRIPTION DRUGS:** Exempting prescription drugs from the state's minimum mark-up law.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Passed by Assembly, died in Senate

Bill: **AB 614**

Topic: **HEALTH CARE TRANSPARENCY:** Requiring health care providers to provide clear and accessible cost information for the most common procedures they perform.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

TAX/REGULATORY

Bill: **AB 138**

Topic: **DNR SECRETARY:** Removing appointment authority and accountability for the DNR Secretary away from the governor and giving it to the unelected Natural Resources Board.

Position: Oppose

Vote: No on passage

Status: Passed by legislature and vetoed by Governor Doyle

Bill: **SB 20**

Topic: **PUNITIVE DAMAGES FOR EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION:** Allowing employees to sue for compensatory and punitive damages for violations of the Wisconsin Fair Employment Laws.

Position: Oppose

Vote: No on concurrence

Status: Signed into law

Bill: **SB 62**

Topic: **COMBINED REPORTING (BUDGET REPAIR BILL):** Creating a \$215 million tax hike, taxing Wisconsin businesses on their total combined operations rather than merely their operations in WI.

Position: Opposed

Vote: No on passage

Status: Signed into law

Bill: **SB 409**

Topic: **JOB TAX CREDIT (CORE BILL):** Allowing unused Angel and Early Stage Seed Tax Credits to be applied to the Job Tax Credit.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

INFRASTRUCTURE

Bill: **AB 696**

Topic: **TELECOM REGULATORY PARITY:** Modernizing telecommunications regulations to standardize regulation for all telecommunications service providers.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Passed Assembly, died in Senate

Bill: **SB 185**

Topic: **STATEWIDE WIND SITING STANDARDS:** Creating a uniform state standard for local regulation of wind energy systems.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

Bill: **SB 273**

Topic: **RENEWABLE ENERGY:** Expanding state renewable energy credits to include new renewable energy technologies used to displace electricity from traditional sources.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

EDUCATION

Bill: **SB 514**

Topic: **UWM MILWAUKEE INITIATIVE FUNDING:** Authorizing state funding for the Freshwater Sciences Initiative research building and purchase of a replacement for the UW-Milwaukee Neeskay research vessel, construction of the Kenwood Integrated Research complex, and the acquisition and redevelopment of Columbia St. Mary's Columbia campus medical facilities.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

State Senate Bills

TAX/REGULATORY

Bill: SB 1

Topic: **Minimum Wage:** Raising the state minimum wage, indexing it to inflation and eliminating state preemption of local minimum wages.

Position: Oppose

Vote: No on passage

Status: Passed Senate, died in Assembly

Bill: SB 2

Topic: **Wage Lien:** Increasing the wage lien cap from \$3,000 to \$10,950.

Position: Oppose

Vote: No on passage

Status: Passed Senate, died in Assembly

Bill: SB 20

Topic: **Punitive Damages for Employment Discrimination:** Allowing employees to sue for compensatory and punitive damages for violations of the Wisconsin Fair Employment Laws.

Position: Oppose

Vote: No on concurrence

Status: Signed into law

Bill: SB 62

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Vote: No on passage

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Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

Bill: AB 138

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Position: Oppose

Vote: No on passage

Status: Passed by legislature and vetoed by Governor Doyle

INFRASTRUCTURE

Bill: SB 185

Topic: **Statewide Wind Siting Standards:** Creating a uniform state standard for local regulation of wind energy systems.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

State Senate Voting Record

Senator	District	AB 138	AB 614	SB 1	SB 2	SB 20	SB 62	SB 185	SB 203	SB 514	SB 273	SB 409
Carpenter, Tim	3		X					X		X		X
Coggs, Spencer	6		X					X		X		X
Cowles, Robert	2		X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Darling, Alberta	8	X	nv	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Decker, Russell	29		X					X		X	X	X
Ellis, Michael	19		X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X
Erpenbach, Jon	27		X					X		X	X	X
Fitzgerald, Scott	13	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Grothman, Glenn	20	X	X	X	X	X	X	nv			X	
Hansen, Dave	30		X					X		X	X	X
Harsdorf, Sheila	10	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Holperin, Jim	12		X					X		X	X	X
Hopper, Randy	18	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Jauch, Robert	25		X					X		X		X
Kanavas, Ted	33	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X
Kapanke, Dan	32		X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X
Kedzie, Neal	11	X	X	nv	nv	X	X			X	X	X
Kreitlow, Pat	23		X					X		X	X	X
Lasee, Alan	1	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Lassa, Julie	24		X					X		X	X	X
Lazich, Mary	28	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Lehman, John	21		X					X		X		X
Leibham, Joseph	9		X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Miller, Mark	16		X					X		X		X
Olsen, Luther	14	X	nv	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Plale, Jeffrey	7		X					X		X	X	X
Risser, Fred	26		X					X		X		X
Robson, Judith	15	nv	X					X		X		X
Schultz, Dale	17		X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Sullivan, Jim	5		X		X			X		X	X	X
Taylor, Lena	4	X	X					X		X	X	X
Vinehout, Kathleen	31		X							X	X	X
Wirch, Robert	22		X					X		X		X

Bill: SB 273

Topic: **Renewable Energy:** Expanding state renewable energy credits to include new renewable energy technologies used to displace electricity from traditional sources.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

HEALTH CARE

Bill: SB 203

Topic: **Medical Malpractice Liability Expansion:** Expanding medical malpractice liability to include loss of society and companionship damages for adult children who have lost parents and parents who have lost adult children as a result of medical malpractice.

Position: Oppose

Vote: No on passage

Status: Passed Senate, died in Assembly

Bill: AB 614

Topic: **Health Care Transparency:** Requiring health care providers to provide clear and accessible cost information for the most common procedures they perform.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law

EDUCATION

Bill: SB 514

Topic: **UWM Milwaukee Initiative Funding:** Authorizing state funding for the Freshwater Sciences Initiative research building and purchase of a replacement for the Neeskay research vessel, construction of the Kenwood Integrated Research complex, and the acquisition and redevelopment of Columbia St. Mary's Columbia campus medical facilities.

Position: Favor

Vote: Yes on passage

Status: Signed into law