

Legislative Bill/Resolution

2025-2026 Legislative Session

Senate Bill 279

Relating to: financial assistance related to bioenergy feedstocks, biorefineries, and conversion to biomass energy; the definition of the term agricultural use for the purpose of determining the assessed value of a parcel of land; requiring a strategic bioenergy feedstock assessment; creation of a bioenergy council; the agricultural and forestry diversification programs; biofuels training assessment; a study of regulatory burdens relating to biofuel production facilities; marketing orders and agreements for bioenergy feedstocks; exempting personal renewable fuel production and use from the motor vehicle fuel tax, the petroleum inspection fee, and business tax registration requirements; an income and franchise tax credit for installing or retrofitting pumps that mix motor vehicle fuels from separate storage tanks; offering gasoline that is not blended with ethanol to motor fuel dealers; state renewable motor vehicle fuels sales goals; required sales of renewable motor vehicle fuels; use of petroleum-based transportation fuels by state vehicles; use of alternative fuels in flex fuel vehicles owned by the state; use of public alternative fuel refueling facilities; duties of the Office of Energy Independence; granting rule-making authority; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority; making appropriations; and providing penalties.

1) [American Lung Association of Wisconsin Inc](#)

 **For**

Notified Date: 10/21/2009

2) [American Petroleum Institute](#)

 **Other**

Notified Date: 9/2/2009

3) [Citizens for Cleaner Fuels](#)

 **For**

Notified Date: 4/30/2010

4) [Fox Cities Chamber of Commerce & Industry](#)

 **Undisclosed**

Notified Date: 4/13/2010

5) [Koch Companies Public Sector, LLC](#)

 **Undisclosed**

Notified Date: 10/7/2009

6) [Kwik Trip Inc](#)

? Undisclosed

Notified Date: 10/29/2009

7) [Marathon Oil Company \(subsidiaries and affiliates\)](#)

? Undisclosed

Notified Date: 9/24/2009

8) [Marten Transport](#)

↓ Against

Notified Date: 10/27/2009

9) [Midwest Food Processors Association Inc](#)

→ Other

Notified Date: 10/16/2009

10) [Murphy Oil USA Inc](#)

? Undisclosed

Notified Date: 10/5/2009

11) [Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy](#)

? Undisclosed

Notified Date: 10/8/2009

12) [Petroleum Marketers Assn of WI / WI Assn of Convenience Stores](#)

? Undisclosed

Notified Date: 9/30/2009

13) [Potlatch Corporation](#)

? Undisclosed

Notified Date: 9/24/2009

14) [Schneider National Inc](#)

↓ Against

Notified Date: 10/27/2009

15) [Wisconsin Bio Industry Alliance](#)

↑ For

Notified Date: 8/31/2009

16) [Wisconsin Corn Growers Association](#)

↑ For

Notified Date: 8/31/2009

17) [Wisconsin Engine Manufacturer & Distributor Alliance \(WEMDA\)](#)

 **Against**

Notified Date: 10/6/2009

18) [Wisconsin Environmental Decade Inc](#)

 **For**

Notified Date: 10/23/2009

19) [Wisconsin League of Conservation Voters \(WLCV\)](#)

 **For**

Notified Date: 9/25/2009

20) [Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce](#)

 **Against** 

Notified Date: 10/5/2009

21) [Wisconsin Motor Carriers Association](#)

 **Against**

Notified Date: 10/27/2009

22) [Wisconsin Transportation Builders Association](#)

 **Other**

Notified Date: 10/7/2009