

STATE OF WISCONSIN

JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE ORGANIZATION

TO: MEMBERS OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE ORGANIZATION

FROM: Anne Sappenfield, Director

DATE: May 4, 2022

RE: Results of May 3, 2022 Mail Ballot

The following motion, as contained in the Joint Committee's May 3, 2022 mail ballot, has been approved as follows:

MOTION: That the Legislature approve for purposes of administering the policies of the Assembly and Senate regarding the expenditure of public funds, a Representative or Senator represents the numbered district as indicated in Johnson v. Wisconsin Elections Comm'n, 2022 WI 19 (No. 2021AP1450-OA) ("Johnson v. WEC") that matches the number of the district from which the Representative or Senator was last elected. As a result, a Representative or Senator may expend public funds to send mail and travel within the boundaries of the numbered district as indicated in Johnson v. WEC, and to provide constituent services to individuals residing in such numbered district. Furthermore, a Representative or Senator may continue to expend public funds to send mail and travel within the boundaries of the district from which the Representative or Senator was last elected, and provide constituent services to individuals residing in such district, in order to ensure that citizens residing in that territory are adequately represented until the date on which a new Representative or Senator elected from that territory takes office. Expenditures

authorized under this policy would accomplish a valid public purpose.

This policy does not permit the use of state funds in violation of s. 11.1205 of the statutes.

This policy takes effect immediately upon adoption. To the extent feasible, the Legislative Technology Services Bureau shall take steps to organize and administer legislative databases in a manner that facilitates implementation of this policy. Upon adoption, this policy shall be retained in the policy manuals of the Senate and Assembly.

<u>Approved</u> by a vote of Ayes, 10 (President Kapenga; Speaker Vos; Sens. LeMahieu, Feyen, Ringhand, and Bewley; and Reps. Steineke, Petersen, Neubauer, and Haywood); Noes, 0; and Not Voting, 0.

AS:jal