





The following legislators earned the highest grade given by the WGA. These individuals have consistently supported and introduced legislation that benefits the grocery industry, and therefore are considered a “Friend of Grocers.” Their efforts will be recognized by receiving a WGA endorsement and a miniature grocery cart, which applauds their hard work on our behalf.

- A S S E M B L Y**
- BALLWEG, Joan (R-Markesan)
  - BARCA, Peter (D-Kenosha)
  - DANO, Chris (D-Trempealeau)
  - DAVIS, Brett (R-Oregon)
  - FITZGERALD, Jeff (R-Horicon)
  - GUNDERSON, Scott (R-Waterford)
  - HUEBSCH, Michael (R-West Salem)
  - KAUFERT, Dean (R-Neenah)
  - LEMARHIEU, Daniel (R-Cascade)
  - MEYER, Dan (R-Eagle River)
  - SHERIDAN, Mike (D-Jamesville)
  - SINICKI, Christine (D-Milwaukee)
  - ZEPNICK, Josh (D-Milwaukee)
  - ZIEGELBAUER, Bob (D-Manitowoc)

- S E N A T E**
- DARLING, Alberta (R-River Hills)
  - DECKER, Russ (D-Schofield)
  - FITZGERALD, Scott L. (R-Juneau)
  - GROTHMAN, Glenn (R-West Bend)
  - HANSEN, Dave (D-Green Bay)
  - HARSDORF, Sheila (R-River Falls)
  - HOLPERIN, Jim (D-Conover)
  - HOPPER, Randy (R-Fond du Lac)
  - KAPANKE, Dan (R-La Crosse)
  - LEIBHAM, Joseph (R-Sheboygan)
  - SCHULTZ, Dale W. (R-Richland Center)
  - VINEHOUT, Kathleen (D-Alna)

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The following legislators have been given a “B” grade by the WGA. This admirable mark is given to legislators who are generally supportive of our industry and, therefore, deserving of the WGA endorsement.

- A S S E M B L Y**
- BLES, Garey (R-Sister Bay)
  - BROOKS, Ed (R-Reedsburg)
  - CLARK, Fred (D-Baraboo)
  - FIELDS, Jason (D-Milwaukee)
  - FRISKE, Donald (R-Merrill)
  - GOTTLIEB, Mark (R-Port Washington)
  - GUNDRUM, Mark (R-New Berlin)
  - HEBL, Gary (D-Sun Prairie)
  - HINTZ, Gordon (D-Oshkosh)
  - HONADEL, Mark (R-South Milwaukee)
  - JORGENSEN, Andy (D-Ft. Atkinson)
  - KERKMAN, Samantha (R-Burlington)
  - KESTEL, Steve (R-Elkhart Lake)
  - KLEEFISCH, Joel (R-Oconomowoc)
  - KNODL, Dan (R-Germantown)
  - LOTHIAN, Thomas (R-Williams Bay)
  - MOLEPSKE, JR., Louis (D-Stevens Point)
  - MONTGOMERY, Phil (R-Green Bay)
  - MURSAU, Jeffrey (R-Crivitz)
  - MURTHA, John (R-Baldwin)
  - NELSON, Tom (D-Kaukauna)
  - NERISON, Lee (R-Westby)
  - NYGREN, John (R-Marinette)
  - OTT, Alvin (R-Forest Junction)
  - OTT, Jim (R-Mequon)
  - PETROWSKI, Jerry (R-Marathon)
  - PRIDEMORE, Don (R-Hartford)
  - RADCLIFFE, Mark (D-Black River Falls)
  - RHOADES, Kitty (R-Hudson)
  - RIPP, Keith (R-Lodi)
  - SEIDEL, Donna (D-Wausau)
  - SMITH, Jeff (D-Eau Claire)
  - SPANBAUER, Richard (R-Oshkosh)
  - STASKUNAS, Tony (D-West Allis)
  - STEINBRINK, John (D-Pleasant Prairie)
  - STONE, Jeff (R-Greendale)
  - STRACHOTA, Pat (R-West Bend)
  - SUDER, Scott (R-Abbotsford)
  - TAUCHEN, Gary (R-Bonduel)

- A S S E M B L Y**
- TOWNSEND, John (R-Fond du Lac)
  - VAN AKKEREN, Terry (D-Sheboygan)
  - VAN ROY, Karl (R-Green Bay)
  - VOS, Robin (R-Caledonia)
  - VRUWINK, Amy Sue (D-Milladore)
  - VUKMIR, Leah (R-Wauwatosa)
  - WILLIAMS, Mary (R-Medford)
  - ZIGMUNT, Ted (D-Francis Creek)
  - ZIPPERER, Rich (R-Pewaukee)
- S E N A T E**
- ELLIS, Michael G. (R-Neenah)
  - KANAVAS, Ted (R-Brookfield)
  - KREITLOW, Pat (D-Chippewa Falls)
  - LASEE, Alan J. (R-De Pere)
  - LAZICH, Mary (R-New Berlin)
  - OLSEN, Luther (R-Ripon)
  - PLALE, Jeff (D-South Milwaukee)
  - SULLIVAN, Jim (D-Wauwatosa)
  - TAYLOR, Lena C. (D-Milwaukee)



The following legislators received a “C” for expressing a willingness to support our industry. The WGA will encourage them to be more supportive in the next legislative session.

- A S S E M B L Y**
- BERNARD SCHABER, Penny (D-Appleton)
  - COLON, Pedro (D-Milwaukee)
  - CULLEN, David (D-Milwaukee)
  - DEXTER, Kristen (D-Eau Claire)
  - GRIGSBY, Tamara (D-Milwaukee)
  - HIXSON, Kim (D-Whitewater)
  - HRAYCHUCK, Ann (D-Balsam Lake)
  - HUBLER, Mary (D-Rice Lake)
  - KRAMER, Bill (R-Waukegan)
  - KRUSICK, Peggy (D-Milwaukee)
  - MILROY, Nick (D-Superior)
  - NASS, Stephen (R-Whitewater)
  - NEWCOMER, Scott (R-Pewaukee)
  - PARISI, Joe (D-Madison)
  - PASCH, Sandy (D-Whitfish Bay)
  - PETERSEN, Kevin (R-Waupaca)
  - POCAN, Mark (D-Madison)
  - RICHARDS, Jon (D-Milwaukee)
  - ROTH, JR., Roger (R-Appleton)



The following legislators have been given a “D” because they have voted against the WGA on key issues and have not supported major policy efforts. The WGA will encourage these officials to support our issues.

- A S S E M B L Y**
- BENEDICT, Chuck (D-Beloit)
  - BLACK, Spencer (D-Madison)
  - GARTHWAITE, Phil (D-Fennimore)
  - HILGENBERG, Steve (D-Dodgeville)
  - KESSLER, Frederick (D-Milwaukee)
  - MASON, Cory (D-Racine)
  - POPE-ROBERTS, Sindy (D-Verona)
  - ROY, Kelda (D-Madison)
  - SCHNEIDER, Marlin (D-Wisconsin Rapids)
  - SHERMAN, Gary (D-Port Wing)
  - TOLES, Barbara (D-Milwaukee)
  - TURNER, Robert (D-Racine)
  - YOUNG, Leon (D-Milwaukee)
- S E N A T E**
- RISSER, Fred A. (D-Madison)



The following legislators have worked against the WGA and its members and have voted against WGA positions. They have earned an “F” grade.

- A S S E M B L Y**
- BERCEAU, Terese (D-Madison)
  - CARPENTER, Tim (D-Milwaukee)
- S E N A T E**
- COGG, Spencer (D-Milwaukee)