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Albers, Sheryl (R)	50	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ballweg, Joan (R)	41	Y	Y	N	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Benedict, Chuck (D)	45	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Berceau, Terese (D)	76	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Bies, Garey (R)	1	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Black, Spencer (D)	77	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
Boyle, Frank (D)	73	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Colon, Pedro (D)	8	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
Cullen, David (D)	13	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
Davis, Brett (R)	80	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Fitzgerald, Jeff (R)	39	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Friske, Donald (R)	35	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Garthwaite, Phil (D)	49	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Gottlieb, Mark (R)	60	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Grigsby, Tamara (D)	18	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Gronemus, Barbara (D)	91	Y	Y	NV	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Gunderson, Scott (R)	83	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Gundrum, Mark (R)*	84	N	NV	NV	Y	Y	NV	Y	NV	NV
Hahn, Eugene (R)	47	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Hebl, Gary (D)	46	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y

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Hilgenberg, Steve (D)	51	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Hines, Jake (R)	42	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Hintz, Gordon (D)	54	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Hixson, Kim (D)	43	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
Honadel, Mark (R)	21	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Hraychuck, Ann (D)	28	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Hubler, Mary (D)	75	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Huebsch, Michael (R)	94	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jeskewitz, Suzanne (R)	24	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jorgensen, Andy (D)	37	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kaufert, Dean (R)	55	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Kerkman, Samantha (R)	66	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kessler, Frederick (D)	12	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
Kestell, Steve (R)	27	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kleefisch, Joel (R)	38	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kramer, Bill (R)	97	N	Y	N	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kreuser, James (D)	64	Y	NV	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Krusick, Margaret (D)	7	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lasee, Frank (R)	2	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
LeMahieu, Daniel (R)	59	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lothian, Thomas (R)	32	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mason, Cory (D)	62	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y

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Meyer, Dan (R)	34	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Molepske, Louis Jr. (D)	71	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Montgomery, Phil (R)	4	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Moulton, Terry (R)	68	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mursau, Jeffrey (R)	36	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Murtha, John (R)	29	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Musser, Terry (R)	92	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nass, Stephen (R)	31	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nelson, Tom (D)	5	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Nerison, Lee (R)	96	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Newcomer, Scott (R)	33	N	Y	N	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Ott, Alvin (R)	3	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ott, Jim (R)	23	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Owens, Carol (R)	53	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Parisi, Joe (D)	48	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Petersen, Kevin (R)	40	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Petrowski, Jerry (R)	86	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Pocan, Mark (D)	78	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Pope-Roberts, Sondy (D)	79	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Pridemore, Don (R)	99	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rhoades, Kitty (R)	39	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Roth, Roger (R)*	56	N	NV	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	NV
Schneider, Marlin (D)	72	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Seidel, Donna (D)	85	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Sheridan, Mike (D)	44	Y	NV	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Sherman, Gary (D)	74	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	NV	N	N	Y
Shilling, Jennifer (D)	95	N	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	N	N	Y
Sinicki, Christine (D)	20	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
Smith, Jeff (R)	93	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Soletski, James (D)	88	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y

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Steinbrink, John (D)	65	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Stone, Jeffrey (R)	82	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Strachota, Pat (R)	58	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Suder, Scott (R)	69	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tauchen, Gary (R)	6	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Toles, Barbara (D)	17	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Townsend, John (R)	52	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Travis, David (D)	81	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N
Turner, Robert (D)	61	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Van Akkeren, Terry (D)	26	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Van Roy, Karl (R)	90	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vos, Robin (R)	63	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vruwink, Amy Sue (D)	70	N	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	N	N	Y
Vukmir, Leah (R)	14	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wasserman, Sheldon (D)	22	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
Wieckert, Steve (R)	57	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Williams, Annette (D)	10	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y
Williams, Mary (R)	87	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wood, Jeffrey (R)**	67	Y	Y	Y	NV	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y
Young, Leon (D)	16	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y

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Zepnick, Josh (D)	9	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Ziegelbauer, Bob (D)	25	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zipperer, Rich (R)	98	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Breske, Roger (D)	12	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Carpenter, Tim (D)	3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Coggs, Spencer (D)	6	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cowles, Robert (R)	2	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Darling, Alberta (R)	8	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Decker, Russell (D)	29	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ellis, Michael (R)	19	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Erpenbach, Jon (D)	27	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Fitzgerald, Scott (R)	13	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Grothman, Glen (R)	20	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Hansen, Dave (D)	30	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Harsdorf, Sheila (R)	10	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Jauch, Robert (D)	25	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kanavas, Ted (R)	33	N	N	Y	NV	N	N
Kapanke, Dan (R)	32	N	Y	Y	N	N	N
Kedzie, Neal (R)	11	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Kreitlow, Pat (D)	23	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lasee, Alan (R)	1	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N



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Lassa, Julie (D)	24	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y
Lazich, Mary (R)	28	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Lehman, John (D)	21	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Leibham, Joe (R)	9	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Miller, Mark (D)	16	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Olsen, Luther (R)	14	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Plale, Jeffrey (D)	7	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Risser, Fred (D)	26	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Robson, Judy (D)	15	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Roessler, Carol (R)	18	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Schultz, Dale (R)	17	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Sullivan, Jim (D)	5	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Taylor, Lena (D)	4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vinehout, Kathleen (D)	31	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Wirch, Robert (D)	22	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y