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City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
2003-0561	Report	In Committee
	Legislative Committee Minutes for August 12, 2003.	
	Introduced: 9/2/2003	Controlling Body: Advisory Committee

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION approval

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
<u>9-2-03</u>	<u>K.</u>	<u>✓</u>	Barczak				
			Czaplewski				
	<u>✓</u>		Kopplin	<u>✓</u>			
			Lajsic	<u>✓</u>			
			Narlock	<u>✓</u>			
			Reinke	<u>✓</u>			
			Sengstock				
			Trudell				
		<u>✓</u>	Vitale	<u>✓</u>			
			Weigel				
			TOTAL	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>		

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER (RECORDER)

Reinke _____
 Chair Vice-Chair Member

COMMON COUNCIL ACTION approval

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
			Barczak	<u>✓</u>			
			Czaplewski	<u>✓</u>			
			Kopplin	<u>✓</u>			
			Lajsic	<u>✓</u>			
			Narlock	<u>✓</u>			
	<u>✓</u>		Reinke	<u>✓</u>			
			Sengstock	<u>✓</u>			
			Trudell	<u>✓</u>			
		<u>✓</u>	Vitale	<u>✓</u>			
			Weigel	<u>✓</u>			
			TOTAL	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>		



CITY OF WEST ALLIS

WISCONSIN



LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES AUGUST 12, 2003

Honorable Mayor and Common Council
City of West Allis, Wisconsin

The Legislative Committee met on Tuesday, August 12, 2003, to discuss proposed bills pending before the Wisconsin Legislature.

PRESENT: Mayor Jeannette Bell
Paul Ziehler, City Administrative Officer, City Clerk/Treasurer
Scott Post, City Attorney

EXCUSED: Jim Sengstock, Common Council President

LEAGUE: 27-28

WI TAXPAYERS' ALLIANCE: 29-31

1. REVIEW OF NEW LEGISLATION

- AB437** TOWNS; TAX INCREMENTAL FINANCING
OPPOSE, because the bill is not needed; if towns want to be able to do TIFs, they can incorporate as a municipality.
- AB438** FIREWORKS; DISPLAY, SALE
Refer to Steve Hook.
- AB442** ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS OR ADJUSTMENT; ALTERNATES QUORUM
No position.
- AB447** HEALTH BENEFIT PURCHASING COOPERATIVE; THREE-YEAR PILOT PROJECTS
No position.
- AB449** ASSESSOR'S STAFF; LIABILITY FOR TRESPASSING
Refer to Chuck Ruud and Scott Post.
- SB216** PROPERTY TAX; RESTAURANT KITCHEN EQUIPMENT
OPPOSE, because the bill would reduce the City's property tax base and shift taxes to others.

- SB222** **CITY AND VILLAGE FIRE CALLS ON HIGHWAYS; DOT REIMBURSEMENT**
FAVOR, because the bill would reimburse the City's Fire Dept. for fire calls on federal highways.
- AB454** **WISCONSIN RETIREMENT SYSTEM; RECORDS OF APPOINTED OR ELECTED OFFICIALS**
No position.
- AB435** **COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING; REPEAL OF "SMART GROWTH" LAW**
OPPOSE, because comprehensive planning (i.e., smart growth) is a valuable tool/requirement for municipalities.
- AB439** **FIREWORKS; SALE**
Refer to Steve Hook.
- AB444/
SB214** **LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED WEAPON**
Refer to Dean Puschnig.
- AB456** **COURT ACTIONS; INTEREST RATE**
FAVOR, because the bill would reduce interest costs on any court actions against the City.

2. **REVIEW OF REFERRED LEGISLATION**

None.

3. **OTHER**

None.



Jeannette Bell, Mayor