



# City of West Allis

## Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.  
West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
2007-0658	Report	In Committee
	Legislative Committee minutes for October 9, 2007.	
	Introduced: 10/16/2007	Controlling Body: Advisory Committee

**PLACE ON FILE**

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
OCT 16 2007	_____	_____	Barczak	✓			
	_____	_____	Czaplewski				
	_____	_____	Dobrowski	✓			
	_____	_____	Kopplin				
	_____	_____	Lajsic				
	_____	_____	Narlock				
	_____	_____	Reinke <i>exc</i>				✓
	_____	_____	Sengstock				
	_____	_____	Vitale	✓			
	_____	_____	Weigel	✓			
			TOTAL	4			1

**SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER**

Chair \_\_\_\_\_ *Henry B...* Vice-Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Member \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMON COUNCIL ACTION** **PLACE ON FILE**

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	_____	_____	Vitale	✓			
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			TOTAL	9			1

**LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**OCTOBER 9, 2007**

Honorable Mayor and Common Council  
City of West Allis, Wisconsin

The Legislative Committee met on Tuesday, October 9, 2007, to discuss proposed bills pending before the Wisconsin Legislature.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Jeannette Bell  
Ald. Jim Sengstock  
Paul Ziehler, City Administrative Officer, City Clerk/Treasurer  
Scott Post, City Attorney  
Gary Schmid, Manager of Finance

**LEAGUE: 34**

1. **REVIEW OF NEW LEGISLATION**

**SB269** **PROHIBITING MUNICIPALITIES FROM CHARGING PROPERTY OWNERS FOR FIRE, POLICE OR AMBULANCE CALLS**  
OPPOSE, because the bill would prohibit the City from charging fees for emergency services, thus reducing City revenue to assist in paying for expenditures.

**SB271** **TIME LIMITATIONS FOR COMMENCING PROSECUTION OF CRIMES**  
Refer to Dean Puschnig and Scott Post.

2. **REVIEW OF REFERRED LEGISLATION**

**SB248** **AUTHORIZING CREATION OF LOCAL PARK DISTRICTS**  
No position.


**SB265** **AFFIRMATIVE ACTION**  
No position.

2. **REVIEW OF REFERRED LEGISLATION Cont'd.**

- SB268**      **COMMUNICATING WITH NEIGHBORHOODS REGARDING GROUP HOMES**  
No position.
- AB500**      **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST REGARDING LIQUOR LICENSE ISSUANCE**  
FAVOR, because the bill would protect liquor license applicants from unethical practices.
- SB261**      **GRAFFITI AND PROVIDING A PENALTY**  
FAVOR, because the bill would lower the felony dollar amount to \$1,000, thus making the deterrent for graffiti stronger.
- AB498**      **TERMS OF IMPRISONMENT FOR CERTAIN DRUNKEN DRIVING OFFENSES AND PROVIDING A PENALTY**  
FAVOR, because the bill would allow the costs of drawing blood in drunken driving cases to be a collectible amount for such violations, thus saving the City money through more reimbursement for such services.
- AB483**      **ABATEMENT OR REMOVAL OF HUMAN HEALTH HAZARDS, REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN LOCAL HEALTH OFFICERS, PERSONNEL OF A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT, STATE AGENCY STATUS FOR CERTAIN PHYSICIANS, COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PLANS, EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, REQUIRING THE EXERCISE OF RULE-MAKING AUTHORITY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES**  
FAVOR, because the bill would provide public health officials with authority to expeditiously investigate and abate imminent human health hazards.
- AB22**      **SEIZURE OF A COMPUTER USED IN COMMITTING A CHILD SEX OFFENSE, THE DISPOSITION OF CERTAIN FORFEITED PROPERTY, THE USE OF A COMPUTER BY A PERSON CONVICTED OF A CHILD SEX OFFENSE, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY**  
FAVOR, because the bill would allow police officers to seize and dispose of computers used in certain child sex offenses and limits use of computers by sex offenders.
- AB25**      **APPLIES TRAFFIC LAWS AND OTHER RULES OF THE ROAD TO PRIVATE ROADS WITHIN MOBILE HOME PARKS**  
No position.

3. **OTHER**

- a.) Outstanding Referrals.  
AB496 Jim Jandovitz (9/25/07)

  
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Jeannette Bell, Mayor