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Mayor Dan Divine  
West Allis Alderpersons  
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CITY OF WEST ALLIS  
MAYOR

Dear Mayor and Alderpersons

I have been living in West Allis all my life, I am 76 years old and we have owned a home here since 1960.

I go for a walk every day in my area South 97<sup>th</sup> street, down to 92<sup>nd</sup> street and to 99<sup>th</sup> street and sometimes further, depending on the weather and how I feel. A certain portion of our citizens are SLOBS as is a portion of the people that drive through our area. It makes me feel so bad when I see all the litter along the way, especially when I walk on the Lincoln Ave bridge over the freeway. Plastic bags and all sort of garbage. Also the area from 98<sup>th</sup> and Burnham to 96<sup>th</sup> and Burnham, along the grass area by the tracks looks terrible. There is dead bushes and dead trees and again there is some litter. I did notice this past week that the grass was cut.

I realize there is a budget and all, but come on, there has to be a way to help keep our city clean. Even if it is part-time help, can't something be done?

I am going to pay much closer attention to the next elections and see if any of these problems will be addressed.

I hope that you will really think about solutions to this problem, it really is getting worse. Just go for a walk and really look how things have deteriorated in the city, for my part it is very sad to see it happening.

I will not attend a common council meeting because it is difficult for me to speak for any length of time, I am a cancer survivor. I had my voice box removed in 2006 and I have a voice prosthesis. So this is why I chose to write a letter.



December 16, 2011

I see in the Newsletter that you are advertising for spring temporary laborers, and also for summer laborer, now that is a good thing. I know they plant flowers and etc, but it might also be a good thing for them to do clean-up in our city.

Sincerely,  
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