



City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave. West Allis, WI 53214

File Number Title Status 2005-0182 Report In Committee Legislative Committee minutes for March 22, 2005. Introduced: 4/5/2005 Controlling Body: Advisory Committee PLACE ON FILE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION NO MOVER SECONDER AYE PRESENT **EXCUSED** ACTION Barczak DATE: Czaplewski Dobrowski 4-5-05 Kopplin Lajsic Narlock Reinke Sengstock Vitale Weigel TOTAL SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER Chair Vice-Chair Member PLACE ON FILE COMMON COUNCIL ACTION NO PRESENT EXCUSED MOVER SECONDER AYE ACTION Barczak DATE: Czaplewski APR 0.5 2005 Dobrowski -Kopplin Lajsic Narlock Reinke Sengstock Vitale Weigel

TOTAL





LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES MARCH 22, 2005

Honorable Mayor and Common Council City of West Allis, Wisconsin

The Legislative Committee met on Tuesday, March 22, 2005, 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

Gary Schmid, Manager of Finance

EXCUSED: Jim Sengstock, Common Council President

LEAGUE: 10-11

1. REVIEW OF NEW LEGISLATION

AB173 JOINT COMMITTEE ON STATE MANDATES

FAVOR (with change specifying that minimal fiscal effect means over \$1,000 per

local government), because the bill requires funding of mandates.

AB194 RIGHT TO CONTEST PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT WHEN

ASSESSOR DENIED ENTRY

Refer to Chuck Ruud.

AB198 ALLOWING MUNICIPALITIES TO CREATE COMBINED

PROTECTIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENTS

No position.

AB212 TEMPORARILY EXCLUDING IMPROVEMENTS TO A PRINCIPAL

DWELLING FROM THE ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY TAXES

OPPOSE, because the bill removes from taxation property improvements made,

thus lowering tax base growth.

AB216 COLLECTION OF DATA CONCERNING MOTOR VEHICLE STOPS, LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING STANDARDS, AND GRANTING RULE-MAKING AUTHORITY

Refer to Dean Puschnig.

AB221 ASSESSING AND COLLECTING PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES ON MOBILE HOMES

Refer to Chuck Ruud.

AB236 EXEMPTING LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FROM THE MOTOR VEHICLE

FUEL TAX

FAVOR, because the bill would save the City money by exempting gasoline and diesel fuel from state excise taxes.

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AB141 LOWERING LEGAL DRINKING AGE FOR CERTAIN PERSONS

Refer to Dean Puschnig.

2. REVIEW OF REFERRED LEGISLATION

AB161 <u>ALLOWING MUNICIPALITIES TO SOLICIT PROCUREMENT BIDS</u>

BY ELECTRONIC AUCTION

No position.

AB92 EVIDENCE OF BEING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF AN INTOXICANT

FAVOR, because the bill would make .08 BAC prima facie evidence that a person is under the influence of an intoxicant for all OWI offenses.

AB133/ FIRE HOSE CROSSING IN AN EMERGENCY SITUATION

FAVOR, because the bill would also add training scenes to emergencies where crossing fire hoses is prohibited, thus protecting fire fighters from injury as well as protecting the fire hose.

SB55/ LIMITS ON DESIGNATION OF ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT ZONES

AB174 FAVOR, because the bill would allow creation of more, new enterprise zones.

SB75 NOTARY PUBLIC FEES

FAVOR, because the bill would update the amounts notaries are allowed to charge for their services.

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3. <u>OTHER</u>

a.) Outstanding Referrals.

AB82 Scott Post, Paul Murphy (3/8/05)

AB89 Paul Murphy (3/8/05) **AB90** Paul Murphy (3/8/05)

AB91 Scott Post, Paul Murphy (3/8/05)

AB96 Scott Post (3/8/05)

SB83/AB147 John Stibal, Scott Post (3/8/05)

b.) Other. None

Jeannette Bell, Mayor

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