

**LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES
JANUARY 26, 2010**

Honorable Mayor and Common Council
City of West Allis, Wisconsin

The Legislative Committee met on Tuesday, January 26, 2010, to discuss proposed bills pending before the Wisconsin Legislature.

PRESENT: Mayor Dan Devine
Ald. Richard Narlock
Paul Ziehler, City Administrative Officer, Clerk/Treasurer
Scott Post, City Attorney
Gary Schmid, Manager of Finance

EXCUSED: Ald. Jim Sengstock

LEAGUE: 44-46

1. REVIEW OF NEW LEGISLATION

**AB578 MANDATING LOCAL GOVERNMENTS USE CERTAIN GREEN
CLEANING SUPPLIES AND PAPER PRODUCTS**
Refer to Gene Baietto.

**SB440/
AB643 WAIVING ARRA TAX EXEMPT BOND ALLOCATIONS TO
COUNTIES AND CERTAIN CITIES**
Refer to Gary Schmid.

**SB442/
AB654 QUALIFICATIONS-BASED SELECTION PROCESS FOR CONSULTING
CONTRACTS**
Refer to Mike Lewis and Gene Baietto.

**SB450/
AB649 CLEAN ENERGY JOBS BILL**
No position.

1. **REVIEW OF NEW LEGISLATION Cont'd.**

- SB458 LOCAL REGULATION OF TICKET SCALPING**
Refer to Scott Post.
- AB661 CHANGING CERTAIN ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES UNDER THE TAX INCREMENTAL FINANCING LAW**
FAVOR, because the bill would eliminate a state imposed restriction on local government budget decision-making.
- SB466 AUTHORIZING THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE TO REGULATE MUNICIPAL SELF-INSURED HEALTH PLANS**
OPPOSE, because the bill would create unnecessary, burdensome, and unreasonable state regulation over local government self-insurance plan decision-making.
- SB447 STATE CONTRACTUAL SERVICES AND FALSE CLAIMS SUBMITTED TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, REQUIRING THE EXERCISE OF RULE-MAKING AUTHORITY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES**
Refer to Scott Post.

2. **REVIEW OF REFERRED LEGISLATION**

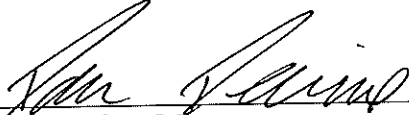
- AB414 REQUIREMENTS FOR A CERTIFICATE OF FOOD PROTECTION PRACTICES AND PROVIDING AN EXEMPTION FROM EMERGENCY RULE PROCEDURES**
FAVOR, because the bill revises state statutes in a favorable way in streamlining a food operator's recertification requirements.
- SB426/ AB638 FEES FOR PUBLIC RECORDS MAINTAINED BY CONTRACTORS**
No position.
- AB630 ENFORCEMENT OF THE CITIZENSHIP QUALIFICATION FOR VOTING IN ELECTIONS IN THIS STATE**
No position.
- AB609/ SB436 VACATION OF ARBITRATION AWARD**
OPPOSE, because the bill would unfavorably narrow the standard for local government on arbitration awards.

2. **REVIEW OF REFERRED LEGISLATION Con'td**

- SB430 COLLECTIVE BARGAINING ON HEALTH CARE**
FAVOR, because the bill would provide local government more flexibility in changing health insurance plans.
- AB559/
SB381 NOTICE OF FIREARM PROHIBITION WHEN SERVED WITH NOTICE OF AN INJUNCTION HEARING AND PROCESS FOR SURRENDERING FIREARMS FOLLOWING THE GRANTING OF CERTAIN INJUNCTIONS**
FAVOR, because the bill would aid the Police Dept. in firearm protection during serving and processing.
- AB518/
SB367 REPORTING LOST OR STOLEN FIREARMS**
FAVOR, because the bill would provide the Police Dept. an additional tool in tracking down lost or stolen firearms.
- AB473/
SB376 FEES FROM RETIRED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS SEEKING TO CARRY CONCEALED WEAPONS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION**
No position.
- AB474/
SB377 CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS BY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND BY RETIRED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS**
No position.
- SB334 THROWING OR EXPELLING A BODILY SUBSTANCE AT A PUBLIC SAFETY WORKER AND PROVIDING A PENALTY**
FAVOR, because the bill would make police officers safer by prohibiting throwing or expelling bodily substances at them.
- SB374 CDL LICENSING EXCEPTION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS**
No position.
- SB395 PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMS OF POLICE CANDIDATES**
FAVOR, because the bill would require psychological evaluations for police making those hired better officers.
- SB383 MUNICIPAL COURT ELECTIONS, JUDGES, AND PROCEDURE, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES**
Hold for further discussion.

3. **OTHER**

- Outstanding Previous Referrals
AB612 Mike Jungbluth, Scott Post (1/12/10)
AB635 Mike Lewis (1/12/10)
SB435 Monica Schultz (1/12/10)



Dan Devine, Mayor