

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Rural Economic Development and Rural Affairs**

##### **Assembly Bill 181**

Relating to: authorizing towns to challenge certain city or village annexation procedures.

By Representatives A. Ott, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Craig, Kerkman, Kestell, LeMahieu, Murtha, Petersen, Pridemore, Spanbauer, Tauchen and Vruwink; cosponsored by Senators Lasee, Holperin, Kedzie and Moulton.

June 13, 2011            Referred to Committee on Rural Economic Development and Rural Affairs.

August 10, 2011        **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (0)    None.  
Absent:    (0)    None.  
Excused:   (0)    None.

##### Appearances For

- Representative Al Ott — 3rd Assembly District
- Representative Richard Spanbauer — 53rd Assembly District
- Richard Stadelman, Shawano — Wisconsin Towns Association
- Travis Parish, Appleton — Town of Harrison (Calumet County)
- Steve Bevers, Menasha — Town of Harrison (Calumet County)
- Joe Sprangers, Menasha — Town of Harrison (Calumet County)
- John Slotten, Menasha — Town of Harrison (Calumet County)
- Lyle Updike, Marshall — Town of Sun Prairie (Dane County)
- Glen Schwalbach, De Pere — Town of Rockland (Brown County)
- Charles McCourt, Fond du Lac — Town of Friendship (Fond du Lac County)
- Kendall Schneider, Evansville — Town of Union (Rock County)
- Jerry Derr, Columbus — Wisconsin Towns Association
- Matthew Fleming, Madison — Town of Windsor (Dane County)

##### Appearances Against

- Curt Witynski, Madison — League of Wisconsin Municipalities
- Forbes McIntosh, Madison — Dane County Cities & Villages Association
- John Laubmeier, Waunakee — Village of Waunakee
- Nadine Walsten, Brooklyn — Village of Brooklyn

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Robert Kovach — Senator Frank Lasee
- Howard Hemmer, Beloit — Town of Beloit (Rock County)
- Richard Nawrocki, Hartland — Town of Merton (Waukesha County)
- Kathleen Nawrocki, Hartland — Town of Merton (Waukesha County)
- William Goehring, Random Lake — Town of Sherman (Sheboygan County)
- Lee Engelbrecht, Two Rivers — Town of Two Creeks (Manitowoc County)
- Ann Jablonski, Madison — Wisconsin Towns Association
- Roger Fetterly, Sun Prairie — Town of Sun Prairie (Dane County) Plan Commission
- Mark Hazelbaker, Madison

Registrations Against

- Nick Zavos, Madison — City of Madison
- Brad Boycks, Madison — Wisconsin Builders Association
- E. Joe Murray, Madison — Wisconsin Realtors Association
- Larry Bierke, Platteville — City of Platteville

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

November 2, 2011

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (14) Representatives A. Ott, Steineke, Petrowski, Murtha, Tauchen, Ripp, Krug, T. Larson, Rivard, Danou, Vruwink, Jorgensen, Ringhand and Doyle.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Radcliffe.

Moved by Representative Steineke, seconded by Representative Vruwink that **Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (14) Representatives A. Ott, Steineke, Petrowski, Murtha, Tauchen, Ripp, Krug, T. Larson, Rivard, Danou, Vruwink, Jorgensen, Ringhand and Doyle.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (1) Representative Radcliffe.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 14, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Vruwink, seconded by Representative Krug that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (14) Representatives A. Ott, Steineke, Petrowski, Murtha, Tauchen, Ripp, Krug, T. Larson, Rivard, Danou, Vruwink, Jorgensen, Ringhand and Doyle.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (1) Representative Radcliffe.

ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 14, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Vruwink, seconded by Representative Petrowski that **Assembly Bill 181** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (14) Representatives A. Ott, Steineke, Petrowski, Murtha, Tauchen, Ripp, Krug, T. Larson, Rivard, Danou, Vruwink, Jorgensen, Ringhand and Doyle.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (1) Representative Radcliffe.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 14, Noes 0

Committee Clerk