



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2017 Senate Bill 62

**Senate
Amendment 1**

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2017 SENATE BILL 62

Under current law, an elective officer or officer-elect of a city, village, town, or county may refuse his or her salary by providing certain notice to the clerk and treasurer of his or her political subdivision. Generally, 2017 Senate Bill 62 extends to a school board member or member-elect similar ability to refuse his or her salary.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1

Senate Amendment 1 specifies that the notice associated with a refusal of salary, applicable upon initial election or appointment, must be provided before a board member takes the oath of office and before the board member performs any services in his or her capacity as a board member. The amendment also makes similar revisions to current law applicable to an initial refusal by an elective officer of a city, village, town, or county.

BILL HISTORY

Senate Bill 62 was introduced by Senator Marklein on February 21, 2017. On March 24, 2017, the Senate Committee on Economic Development, Commerce and Local Government recommended passage of Senate Bill 62 on a vote of Ayes, 7; Noes, 0. On March 31, 2017, Senator Marklein introduced Senate Amendment 1. On April 4, 2017, the Senate adopted the amendment and passed Senate Bill 62 on successive voice votes.

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