



2017 SENATE BILL 94

March 2, 2017 - Introduced by Senators LEMAHIEU, BEWLEY and RINGHAND, cosponsored by Representatives TITTL, ALLEN, E. BROOKS, NOVAK, SKOWRONSKI, SPIROS, STEFFEN and TUSLER. Referred to Committee on Economic Development, Commerce and Local Government.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 62.11 (2) of the statutes; **relating to:** notification of special
2 meetings of the common council of a city.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the mayor of a city may call a special meeting of the common council by written notice delivered personally to each member or left at the member's usual abode at least six hours before the meeting. Under this bill, the mayor may call a special meeting by notifying members in a manner likely to give each member notice of the meeting and providing the notice at least six hours before the meeting.

For further information see the *local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 **SECTION 1.** 62.11 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 62.11 (2) TIME OF MEETING. The council shall meet at least once a month, and
5 on the first Tuesday unless a different day be fixed by the council. More frequent
6 regular meetings may be established by the council, ~~and the~~ The mayor may call a
7 special meeting by ~~written notice delivered personally to each member or left at the~~

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SECTION 1

1 ~~member's usual abode~~ notifying members in a manner likely to give each member
2 notice of the meeting and providing the notice at least 6 hours before the meeting.

3 Following a regular city election the new council shall first meet on the 3rd Tuesday
4 of April.

5 (END)