



2009 SENATE BILL 268

August 21, 2009 – Introduced by Senator LEIBHAM, cosponsored by Representatives TOWNSEND and ZIEGELBAUER. Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education.

1 **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 95.72 (3); and *to create* 95.72 (3) (b) of the
2 statutes; **relating to:** the location of facilities in which rendering, animal food
3 processing, or grease processing is conducted.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law regulates persons who render dead animals to produce grease or other nonfood products, process dead animals to produce animal food, or process previously cooked materials containing animal fat to produce grease. The law prohibits a person from establishing a facility in which such rendering or processing is conducted within one-eighth mile of a building used as a residence or as a public or private place of business.

The bill permits a person to establish or expand a facility in which such rendering or processing is conducted within one-eighth mile of a building used as a residence or as a public or private place of business with the approval of the city, village, or town in which the facility would be located.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** 95.72 (3) of the statutes is renumbered 95.72 (3) (a) and amended
5 to read:

