2001 ASSEMBLY BILL 402

May 15, 2001 – Introduced by Representatives Powers, Ryba, Miller, Staskunas, Lippert and Nass. Referred to Committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

- AN ACT *to create* 66.0902 of the statutes; **relating to:** prohibiting individuals or businesses with outstanding tax liabilities from entering into contracts with political subdivisions.
 - Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill prohibits any tax delinquent person from entering into a contract with a city, village, town, or county (political subdivision) to provide that political subdivision with any goods or services. Under the bill, a tax delinquent person is defined as any person whose state or federal tax obligations, or fee obligations to a political subdivision, are unpaid after all appeal rights have expired.

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:

- **SECTION 1.** 66.0902 of the statutes is created to read:
- 5 66.0902 Limitations on contracting with tax delinquent persons. (1)
- 6 Definitions. In this section:
- 7 (a) "Political subdivision" means a city, village, town, or county.

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(b) "Public contract" means contract with a political subdivision for the
construction, execution, repair, remodeling, or improvement of a public work or
building or for the furnishing of supplies, material, or services of any kind to a
political subdivision.

- (c) "Tax delinquent person" means any person whose state or federal tax obligations, or fee obligations to a political subdivision, are unpaid after all appeal rights have expired.
- (2) RESTRICTIONS ON PUBLIC CONTRACTS. No tax delinquent person may enter into a public contract.

10 (END)