

2001 ASSEMBLY BILL 626

November 8, 2001 – Introduced by Representatives STONE, VRAKAS, KEDZIE, OTT, TOWNSEND, BERCEAU, PETROWSKI, GUNDERSON, DUFF, LADWIG and M. LEHMAN, cosponsored by Senator PLACHE. Referred to Committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

- 1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 289.33 (7) (a) 1. of the statutes; **relating to:** membership on
2 landfill and hazardous waste facility negotiating committees.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law provides a process for negotiation and arbitration between a person who wishes to construct or expand a landfill or a hazardous waste facility and a committee representing those affected municipalities and counties that choose to participate in the process. An affected municipality or county is one in which a facility is proposed to be located or one whose boundary is within 1,500 feet of the area in which waste would be treated, stored, or disposed of. Other municipalities may participate in the negotiation and arbitration process with the agreement of all parties to the process. Under current law, a town, city, or village in which all or part of the facility is proposed to be located may appoint four members to a committee or the number of members appointed by the county and other affected municipalities plus two, whichever is greater.

Under this bill, a town, city, or village in which all or part of a landfill or a hazardous waste facility is proposed to be located may appoint four members to a committee or the number of members appointed by the county, other affected municipalities, and any municipalities added by agreement of the parties plus two, whichever is greater.

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

