

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Homeland Security, Veterans and Military Affairs and Government Reform**

##### **Senate Bill 237**

Relating to: limiting the reasons for which a local government may withhold approval of a conditional use permit.

By Senators S. Fitzgerald, M. Meyer, Brown and Zien; cosponsored by Representatives McCormick, Musser, Montgomery, Rhoades, Hines, Gunderson, Seratti, Bies, Van Roy, Albers, Friske and Krawczyk.

August 27, 2003      Referred to Committee on Homeland Security, Veterans and Military Affairs and Government Reform.

October 29, 2003      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (5)      Senators Brown, Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Wirch and Breske.

Absent:    (0)      None.

##### Appearances For

- Sen. Scott Fitzgerald, 13th Senate District
- Janet Swandby, Outdoor Advertising Association of Wisconsin
- Chris Eigenberger, Adams Outdoor Advertising
- James Bonneville, Adams Outdoor Advertising
- Helen Koppes, RC Performance and Hobbies
- Jim Wehausen, Orde Advertising
- Jason Saari, Clear Channel Outdoor
- Mike Collins, Collins Outdoor Advertising

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Rep. Terri McCormick, 56th Assembly District
- Jerry Deschane, Wisconsin Builders Association
- Nick George, Wisconsin Manufacturing and Commerce
- Paul Sara, Clear Channel Outdoor
- Bill Mitchell, Lamar Advertising Company
- Dave Babcock, Babcock Outdoor Advertising

- Joyce Slawson, Speedway Sign Company
- Alan Ralph, PR Media
- Andy MacMorran, Lamar Advertising Company
- Ben Armitage, Adams Outdoor Advertising

Registrations Against

- Ed Huck, Wisconsin Alliance of Cities
- Ed Huck, City of Milwaukee

February 2, 2004

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Brown, Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Wirch and  
Breske.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Brown that **LRBa1986/1** be recommended for  
introduction and adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senators Brown, Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Wirch  
and Breske.

Noes: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF LRBA1986/1  
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Brown that **Senate Bill 237** be recommended  
for passage as amended.

Ayes: (4) Senators Brown, Zien, S. Fitzgerald and  
Breske.

Noes: (1) Senator Wirch.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 1

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Melissa Gilbert  
Committee Clerk