

**ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,  
TO 2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 483**

August 9, 2005 – Offered by Representative GOTTLIEB.

1     **AN ACT** *to repeal* 43.15 (2) (b) to (e), 43.15 (4) (c) 5. and 43.15 (4) (e); *to renumber*  
2             43.15 (2) (a); *to renumber and amend* 43.18 (2m); *to amend* 43.11 (3) (d); and  
3             *to create* 43.18 (2m) (b) of the statutes; **relating to:** county and municipal  
4             support for a public library system.

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

5             **SECTION 1.** 43.11 (3) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:  
6             43.11 (3) (d) The plan of library services for a county may include minimum  
7             standards of operation for public libraries in the county. The standards may not  
8             include a minimum funding level. The county shall hold a public hearing on any  
9             standards proposed under this paragraph. The standards shall take effect if they are  
10            approved by the county and the public library boards of at least 50% 50 percent of  
11            the participating municipalities in the county that contain, according to the most

1 recent estimate prepared under s. 16.96, at least ~~80%~~ 80 percent of the population  
2 of participating municipalities in the county.

3 **SECTION 2.** 43.15 (2) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 43.15 (2).

4 **SECTION 3.** 43.15 (2) (b) to (e) of the statutes are repealed.

5 **SECTION 4.** 43.15 (4) (c) 5. of the statutes is repealed.

6 **SECTION 5.** 43.15 (4) (e) of the statutes is repealed.

7 **SECTION 6.** 43.18 (2m) of the statutes is renumbered 43.18 (2m) (intro.) and  
8 amended to read:

9 43.18 **(2m)** EXPULSION. (intro.) With the approval of the division, a public  
10 library system may expel, or reduce aids or services to, ~~a~~ any of the following:

11 (a) A municipality or county that fails to meet the requirements under s. 43.15  
12 (2) or (4).

13 **SECTION 7.** 43.18 (2m) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

14 43.18 **(2m)** (b) A municipality whose public library fails to meet the minimum  
15 standards of operation established for the public library under s. 43.11 (3) (d).

16 **(END)**