

**Senate**  
**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Housing and Financial Institutions**

**Assembly Bill 538**

Relating to: setoffs against tax refunds for debts related to property taxes.

By Representatives Krusick, Gard, Ainsworth, Ballweg, Bies, Jeskewitz, Lehman, LeMahieu, Molepske, Seidel, Shilling and Zepnick; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Brown, Carpenter and Roessler, by request of Wisconsin Alliance of Cities, League of Wisconsin Municipalities, Wisconsin Counties Association and City of Milwaukee.

April 04, 2006            Referred to Committee on Housing and Financial Institutions.

April 12, 2006            **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (6)      Senators Stepp, Harsdorf, Brown, Reynolds,  
   Plale and Lassa.  
Absent:     (1)      Senator Coggs.

Appearances For

- Jennifer Gonda, Milwaukee — City of Milwaukee
- Rob Potrzebowski, Milwaukee — Kohn Law Office, S.C.

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Alberta Darling, Madison — Sen., 8th Senate District
- Matt Stohr, Madison — Wisconsin Counties Association
- Curt Witynski, Madison — League of WI Municipalities
- Jason Johns, Madison — Alliance of Cities
- Mike Serpe, Kenosha — Kenosha County
- David Krahn, Waukesha — Waukesha County
- Mark Wadium, Appleton — Outagamie County

Registrations Against

- None.

April 12, 2006

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (6) Senators Stepp, Harsdorf, Brown, Plale, Lassa  
and Coggs.

Absent: (1) Senator Reynolds.

Moved by Senator Harsdorf, seconded by Senator Brown that  
**Assembly Bill 538** be recommended for concurrence.

Ayes: (6) Senators Stepp, Harsdorf, Brown, Plale,  
Lassa and Coggs.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Reynolds.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 0

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Scott Nelson  
Committee Clerk