

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### Committee on State Affairs

##### Assembly Bill 55

Relating to: the qualifications of newspapers permitted to publish legal notices and allowing mailing of legal notices instead of publishing.

By Representatives Jeskewitz, Owens, Kerkman, Lothian, Vos, Stone, Honadel, Mursau, Ballweg, Kestell, Smith and A. Ott.

February 01, 2007 Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

February 27, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (10) Representatives Van Roy, Kleefisch, Musser, Petrowski, Newcomer, Tauchen, Young, Toles, Benedict, Sinicki.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances For

- Pam Matthews — Speaking for Rep. Sue Jeskewitz, author of the bill
- Mark Helmer, Prescott — Helmer Printing & Wisconsin Community Paper
- Ken Ubert, Germantown — Hometown Publications Express News
- Pete Salza, Germantown — Hometown Publications - Express News

##### Appearances Against

- Pete Christianson, Madison — Wisconsin Newspaper Association
- Peter Fox, Madison — Wisconsin Newspapers Association

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Rep. Carol Owens — Co-sponsor of the bill
- Jeff Jones, Germantown — Hometown Publications - Express News
- Jayme Sellen, Madison — Wisconsin Counties Association
- Curt Witynski, Madison — League of Wisconsin Municipalities

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 13, 2008

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

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Tanya Hein  
Committee Clerk