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Ben @ Rep. Nelson

- CTM speed limits
  - currently city can lower 55 to 45
  - want to allow them to drop to 25  
in school zone
  - any local auth. w/ jur. can change this
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- No deadline but would like  
sooner rather than later



State of Wisconsin  
2009 - 2010 LEGISLATURE

LRB-3611/P1

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**PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

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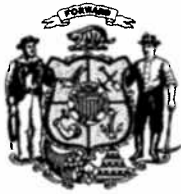
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7 until such approval has been received.

**History:** 1971 c. 38; 1973 c. 157; 1975 c. 25; 1977 c. 29 s. 1654 (8) (a); 1977 c. 30 s. 5; 1977 c. 67, 203, 418; 1979 c. 213; 1983 a. 54; 1985 a. 182 s. 57; 1987 a. 17, 219;  
1989 a. 31; 1993 a. 376; 1995 a. 318; 1999 a. 85.

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**Mueller, Eric**

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**From:** Nerad, Ben  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 21, 2009 9:58 AM  
**To:** Mueller, Eric  
**Subject:** FW: Draft review: LRB 09-3611/P1 Topic: Allow counties and other local jurisdiction to reduce speed limit to 25 mph on county highway in school zone.  
**Attachments:** LRB-3611\_P1

Eric,

Please draft this as an introducible draft.

Thanks,

Ben

Ben Nerad  
608-266-2401

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**From:** Parisi, Lori  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 14, 2009 3:27 PM  
**To:** Rep.Nelson  
**Subject:** Draft review: LRB 09-3611/P1 Topic: Allow counties and other local jurisdiction to reduce speed limit to 25 mph on county highway in school zone.

**Following is the PDF version of draft LRB 09-3611/P1.**

**Basford, Sarah**

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**From:** Nerad, Ben

**Sent:** Tuesday, November 24, 2009 2:47 PM

**To:** LRB.Legal

**Subject:** Draft Review: LRB 09-3611/1 Topic: Allow counties and other local jurisdiction to reduce speed limit to 25 mph on county highway in school zone.

Please Jacket LRB 09-3611/1 for the ASSEMBLY.

11/24/2009