



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2011 Wisconsin Act 141
[2011 Senate Bill 458]

**Appointment of Traffic Control
Attendants**

2011 Wisconsin Act 141 authorizes any municipality (a city, village, or town) or county to adopt an ordinance enabling it to appoint traffic control attendants for the protection of persons crossing a highway in the municipality or county. The Act requires that a traffic control attendant appointment specify the dates, times, and locations for which the appointment is valid. Additionally, a person appointed as a traffic control attendant must have received training in traffic control and traffic safety, wear an insignia or uniform that designates the person as a traffic control attendant, and be equipped with signals or signs to direct traffic.

Effective date: The Act takes effect on April 5, 2012.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.state.wi.us/>.