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Fiocchi, Tim RE: Drafting

From: Fiocchi, Tim

Sent: Friday, October 26, 2012 9:54 AM

To: Gary, Aaron **Subject:** Drafting

Hi Aaron,

After meeting with several groups interested in handicapped parking issues, we would like to work on five relatively small bills to address their concerns. Below are brief descriptions of each that I'd like to go through with you some time next week. Let me know when you have time in your schedule - I expect to be around most of the week.

Thanks.

Tim

1. Amend the requirements/ definition for a handicapped parking sign to make them more general so that older signs would comply with the statute and therefore be enforceable by police. "Signs must be at least 25 square inches in area and have the universal symbol for handicapped individuals."

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History: 1981 c. 255 ss. 7, 13; 1983 a. 77, 227, 246; 1985 a. 87 s. 5; 1985 a. 135 s. 85; 1987 a. 260; 1989 a. 304; 1993 a. 256; 1995 a. 27 ss. 6415, 6416, 9116 (5); 2009 a. 246; 2011 a. 32.

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History: 1971 c. 278; 1977 c. 418; 1979 c. 288; 1981 c. 157; 1983 a. 27, 77; 1987 a. 260; 1993 a. 256; 1995 a. 422.

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Gary, Aaron

From:

Fiocchi, Tim

Sent:

Tuesday, December 04, 2012 10:14 AM

To:

Gary, Aaron

Subject:

FW: Draft review: LRB -0451/P1 Topic: Signs reserving parking spaces for persons with

disabilities

Attachments:

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Hi Aaron,

On this draft, please remove the requirement that the signs have a white background as apparently many of them have a blue background with the symbol in white. That's the only change and then we'd like to get a /1 draft.

Thank you,

Tim

From: LRB.Legal

Sent: Thursday, November 08, 2012 9:00 AM

To: Sen.Petrowski

Subject: Draft review: LRB -0451/P1 Topic: Signs reserving parking spaces for persons with disabilities

Following is the PDF version of draft LRB -0451/P1.



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Gary, Aaron

From:

Fiocchi, Tim

Sent:

Wednesday, March 06, 2013 11:11 AM

To: Subject: Gary, Aaron LRB 0451

Hi Aaron,

Sorry for the repeated requests on this, but people seem unable to make up their minds.

Please send a /2 draft that eliminates the requirement to have an written explanation on the sign. Apparently there are numerous signs in use that simply have the universal symbol.

Let me know if you think this is going to cause problems i.e. if this would create problems in prosecuting violations.

Thank you,

Tim

Tim Fiocchi Chief of Staff, Senator Jerry Petrowski 29th Senate District (608) 266-2502



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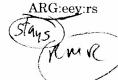
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Gary, Aaron

To:

Fiocchi, Tim

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RE: Changes to LRB 0451 and 0454

From: Fiocchi, Tim

Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2013 9:47 AM

To: Gary, Aaron

Subject: Changes to LRB 0451 and 0454

Hi Aaron,

I met with the Council on Physical Disabilities and have some changes for two of the drafts we currently have. I also learned that the reason some of the regulation on these issues is hard to find is that it's simply incorporated from the International Building Code by reference in DSPS rules.

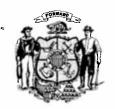
LRB 0451: We need to add a line that states one line 4 page 1 "and a van accessible space shall have an additional sign "Van Accessible" mounted below the symbol of accessibility." The IBC code requires 1 of every 6 handicapped spaces to be van accessible. The little sign they tag on the post below the regular sign shouldn't be cost prohibitive.

Give me a call about this when you have a moment.

Thank you,

Tim

Tim Fiocchi Chief of Staff, Senator Jerry Petrowski 29th Senate District (608) 266-2502



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Barman, Mike

From:

Fiocchi, Tim

Sent:

Thursday, February 27, 2014 8:58 AM

To:

Subject:

LRB.Legal
Draft Review: LRB -0451/3 Topic: Signs reserving parking spaces for persons with disabilities

Please Jacket LRB -0451/3 for the SENATE.