



## 2013 SENATE BILL 513

1     **AN ACT** *to amend* 66.0602 (4) (c) of the statutes; **relating to:** the information  
2             contained in referendum questions to authorize exceeding county levy limits.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

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*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

3             **SECTION 1.** 66.0602 (4) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:  
4             66.0602 (4) (c) The referendum shall be held in accordance with chs. 5 to 12.  
5     The political subdivision shall provide the election officials with all necessary  
6     election supplies. The form of the ballot shall correspond substantially with the  
7     standard form for referendum ballots prescribed by the elections board under ss. 5.64  
8     (2) and 7.08 (1) (a). The question shall be submitted as follows: “Under state law,  
9     the increase in the levy of the .... (name of political subdivision) for the tax to be  
10    imposed for the next fiscal year, .... (year), is limited to ....%, which results in a levy

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1 of \$.... Shall the .... (name of political subdivision) be allowed to exceed this limit and  
2 increase the levy for the next fiscal year, .... (year), by a total of ...%, which results  
3 in a levy of \$....?”. In preparing the ballot question for a referendum held at a partisan  
4 primary in 2014, as it relates to the allowable amount of levy rate increase and the  
5 total amount of a levy, a county with a population of at least 30,000, but no more than  
6 40,000, that is adjacent to a county with a population exceeding 450,000, shall use  
7 the most recent data that it has and the most recent data that is available from the  
8 department of revenue.

9 (END)