



## 2017 SENATE BILL 708

January 19, 2018 - Introduced by Senator COWLES, cosponsored by Representative MACCO. Referred to Committee on Economic Development, Commerce and Local Government.

1     **AN ACT to create** 62.15 (1e) of the statutes; **relating to:** public contracting  
2           requirements and donated improvements.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

In general, under current law, a second, third, or fourth class city or a village, town, county, technical college district board, or federated public library system (local governmental unit) must let a public contract having an estimated cost of more than \$25,000 to the lowest responsible bidder. One exception to the bidding requirement is for a public construction project for which the materials are donated or the labor is provided by volunteers.

This bill provides an exception to the bidding requirement when an improvement is constructed by a private person and donated to the local governmental unit after the completion of construction.

For further information see the *local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

3           **SECTION 1.** 62.15 (1e) of the statutes is created to read:

