

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2017 Assembly Bill 95

Assembly Amendment 1

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2017 ASSEMBLY BILL 95

Under current law, an elective officer or officer-elect of a city, village, town, or county may refuse his or her salary by providing certain notice to the clerk and treasurer of his or her political subdivision. Generally, 2017 Assembly Bill 95 extends to a school board member or member-elect similar ability to refuse his or her salary.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1

Assembly Amendment 1 specifies that the notice associated with a refusal of salary, applicable upon initial election or appointment, must be provided before a board member takes the oath of office and before the board member performs any services in his or her capacity as a board member. The amendment also makes similar revisions to current law applicable to an initial refusal by an elective officer of a city, village, town, or county.

BILL HISTORY

Representative Novak introduced Assembly Bill 95 on February 24, 2017, and introduced Assembly Amendment 1 on April 5, 2017. On April 26, 2017, the Assembly Committee on Education recommended adoption of the amendment on a vote of Ayes, 14; Noes, 0, and passage of Assembly Bill 95, as amended, on a vote of Ayes, 14; Noes, 0.

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