

# WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

#### **2017 Senate Bill 505**

# Senate Amendments 1 and 2

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#### **2017 SENATE BILL 505**

Senate Bill 505 would permit the Town of Cable to create a tax incremental district (TID) in the same manner as a city or village.

#### **SENATE AMENDMENT 1**

Senate Amendment 1 specifies that the Town of Cable may create only one TID while acting under the TID creation authority provided by the bill.

## **SENATE AMENDMENT 2**

Generally, under current TID law, a city or village must satisfy the "12%" test when creating or amending a TID. The 12% test limits the value increments of existing TIDs and the value of a proposed TID to 12% of the municipality's total equalized value. Under Senate Amendment 2, the Town of Cable would be subject to a 5% limit instead of the 12% limit.

## **BILL HISTORY**

2017 Senate Bill 505 was introduced by Senator Petrowski on October 27, 2017. On January 4, 2018, Senator Petrowski offered Senate Amendments 1 and 2. On January 9, 2018, the Senate Committee on Economic Development, Commerce and Local Government recommended adoption of Senate Amendments 1 and 2 on votes of Ayes, 7; Noes, 0; and recommended passage of the bill, as amended, on a vote of Ayes, 7; Noes, 0.

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