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Local Support Grows For Legislation Relating to Coal Pile Relocation

Petition with over 2,000 signers submitted to State Senate by Rep. Steffen

Madison-In a matter of weeks, a small neighborhood petition became part of a community wide effort to assist Rep. Steffen's waterfront redevelopment proposal that has yet to be scheduled for a vote by the full State Senate.

"The support for this project from people throughout Green Bay and the surrounding communities has been overwhelming." Said Rep. David Steffen, the lead author of the proposal that would steer 1.2 million of existing state funds to the project. "I'm just hoping my colleagues in the State Senate is willing to listen to our residents and taxpayers."

The originator of the petition, Green Bay Alderman Brian Johnson, has been a strong local advocate of Steffen's proposal since the beginning. "This is a no-brainer for us. We have the opportunity to take advantage of the 220-acre WPS site and also get rid of those coal piles along the Fox River. The state would be crazy to not show a little bit of support for this transformative set of projects in Green Bay."

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