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REPRESENTATIVE DOYLE APPLAUDS PASSAGE OF HIS SERVICE ANIMAL BILL

This week the State Assembly unanimously passed legislation to exempt all County licensing fees for service dogs, whereas previous legislation only allowed the exemption for seeing-eye dogs. Rep. Doyle had the following to say:

“This issue was brought to my attention by a constituent who has a service dog that helps her with seizures, and yet she was still required to pay registration fees that are ignored for those with seeing-eye dogs. Folks can get service dogs for a number of different reasons and eliminating the license fee on those animals is just the right thing to do. These days it feels rare that the legislature is able to set aside our differences and just focus on improving the lives of Wisconsinites. It’s nice to see this simple bipartisan bill enjoy unanimous support. It now heads to the Governor’s desk and I look forward to seeing him sign it.”

You can learn more about Senate Bill 728 here:

<https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/2023/proposals/reg/sen/bill/sb728>.

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