



COMMUNITY ALERT

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Sat Mar 16

9am—1pm

Greater New Birth

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Spring Drive

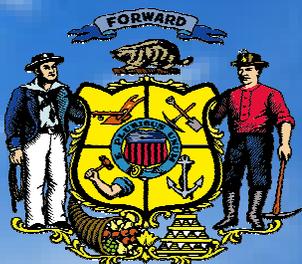
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Blood Center of WI
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Dear Friend,

Thank you for reading the legislative update. I hope you find the information provided here useful.

As Always, I'm
Here to Serve!



Interstate & Lakefront Transportation Renovations

On Monday, Governor Scott Walker, Mayor Tom Barrett and County Executive Chris Abele announced plans to rebuild and enhance I-794 and neighboring lakefront roads. In addition to rebuilding Hoan Bridge, the plan extends Lincoln Memorial Drive into the Historic Third Ward, creates new pedestrian footbridges, increases access to Milwaukee's beautiful lakefront parks and museums, decreases city traffic and congestion, and begins many overdue road improvements including highway ramps. Governor Walker estimates that the project will be mostly funded by the \$236 million in the Department of Transportation's budget, reducing Milwaukee's cost burden. Construction is set to begin this fall.



The People's Rights: Unreasonable Search & Seizure

Quietly moving through the Legislature is Senate Bill 40, introduced by Senator Joe Leibham and Rep. Mike Endsley, both Republicans from Sheboygan. According to the non-partisan Legislative Reference Bureau, SB 40 states that any person on extended supervision, probation or parole (i.e. "on paper") is *"subject to having his or her person, residence, and any property under his or her control searched by a law enforcement officer at any time if the officer reasonably suspects that the person is committing, is about to commit, or has committed a crime or a violation of a condition of probation or release."* In common words, the police can search the home or



person of anyone on paper if THEY believe a crime has or will be committed. This bill is wrong and violates our fourth amendment rights. You can learn more at: <https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/2013/proposals/sb40>



Rain Garden Project

The MMSD Rain Garden Project encourages the use of rain gardens help soak up more water by providing plants at a reduced price

**Applications Due:
April 4**

Order Pickup: May 18

Visit h2ocapture.com or call (414) 225-5151 for more information

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Certified Public Accountant Changes

On Wednesday, the Committee on Government Operations, Public Works, and Telecommunications held a public hearing on my bill, SB 39, to discuss notice and degree requirements for an examination required to practice as a certified public account in Wisconsin. The new legislation aims to broaden the number of higher institutions that are accredited and removes an unnecessary requirement that a 30 day notice be given before the test is administered.

Taking Urban Ag to Farm Credit Lenders

Last Tuesday I had the pleasure of sitting on a panel at the Wisconsin Farm Credit Legislative Conference. Joined by my fellow Senator Terry Moulton and Representatives Lee Nerison and Amy Sue Vruwink, we were able to cover many important issues regarding Wisconsin farmers and farmland, including urban agriculture! I am



proud to support Wisconsin farmers and believe we should pursue any action that encourages growth and improvement in our state.

Contact Us! We Always Enjoy Hearing From You!

“If you love it enough, anything will talk with you.”

-George Washington Carver



“To improve is to change; to be perfect is to change often”

-Winston Churchill