



WISCONSIN STATE COUNCIL
VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA, INC.
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Dear Rep. Albers:

I very much appreciate your candor with respect to SB 291. I trust you would expect me to be just as candid with you.

SB 291 is a critical piece of veterans legislation. Most importantly, WITHOUT THE PASSAGE OF SB 291 TODAY, THE SOUTHERN CENTER VETERANS HOME & HOSPITAL WILL NOT BE ABLE TO OPEN THIS FALL.

During your tenure in the Legislature and on Joint Finance you have always been considered a trusted and consistent supporter of veterans legislation. SB 291 is of critical concern to Vietnam Veterans of America and Wisconsin's veterans community in general. We would hope that SB 291 does not become a legislative bargaining chip on the final day of this session.

We would appreciate it very much if you would remove your objection to SB 291. Can VVA and Wisconsin's veterans count on you once again?

Thank you very much for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Marvin J. Freedman



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