

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2013 Wisconsin Act 174 [2013 Assembly Bill 606]

Nomination Paper Signatures for Offices in Second and Third Class Cities

Under state law, the number of nomination paper signatures required for a candidate for a city-wide office in a second or third class city is not less than 200 nor more than 400.

2013 Wisconsin Act 174 decreases the number of nomination paper signatures required for a candidate for alderperson, in a second or third class city, who is not elected from an aldermanic district. Under the Act, the number of required signatures for such a candidate is not less than 100 nor more than 200.

Effective date: March 29, 2014. The Act first applies with respect to nomination papers for which the circulation period begins on or after March 29, 2014.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <u>http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov</u>.