

## Protect our Water From "Death By 1,000 Straws"!

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***An action alert on high capacity wells in Wisconsin. Contact your Assembly representative by Tuesday morning.***

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STATEWIDE - SB76 (and companion bill AB105) allows currently existing High-Capacity Wells to be repaired, reconstructed, replaced or transferred without further permit review for cumulative effects on the aquifer. In certain parts of the state there are already lowered stream and lake levels from withdrawals. **This bill is a license to withdraw large amounts of water and this license never expires!**



SB76 has **already** passed the Senate and is now on the calendar for a vote in the Assembly **tomorrow**

. In the Assembly Rep. Cory Mason has offered several amendments to reduce the harm caused by SB76, but chances for passage of those amendments are not strong.

Please note the link below to the background information and **contact your Assembly representative by Tuesday morning.**

The League supports the Public Trust standard for the water in Wisconsin, which holds that water - both above and below ground - impacts the lives of all citizens in this state. It must be protected for the use of *ALL* citizens.

For a link to background information, [click here](#) .

To find your own Assembly Representative, [click here](#) and enter your address under **Find My Legislators**, next to the little green map of Wisconsin.

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Thanks to [LWV Milwaukee County](#) for drafting this action alert!