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MANAGING EDITOR'S NOTE

The leaves have changed, and we await the feasting of Thanksgiving and the joys of the holiday season. Nevertheless, we proceed towards the end of the year with our case summaries for our membership's digestion (pun intended). There are a number of significant cases that have been decided in the past quarter. While they may not have generated the headlines (or likes in the new common parlance), these case summaries touch on all aspects of our practice. I strongly encourage you to peruse these at your leisure.

Of course, the big item sitting out there is the Department of Community Affairs report which provides every municipality with their affordable housing obligations. It remains to be seen whether municipalities consent to these assigned numbers (perhaps unlikely), contest the numbers by presenting their own, or even ignore them. In addition, at least one lawsuit remains active regarding the legality of the originating statute and the outcome of that could completely upend the process. Keep an eye open.

Again, we encourage you to consider submitting an article that qualifies for the \$1,000 Walter T. Wittman Prize in writing. To qualify you now have until **September 15, 2025**, to submit an article to us. We would welcome any articles concerning the legal issues effecting local governments. Contact us about it by email to joe@friendwenzel.com.

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