

NOTICE OF MEETING

LAW COMMITTEE

June 25, 2015 - 4:00 PM

Administration Building
508 New York Avenue
Sheboygan, WI 53081
Conference Room 119

Agenda

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Certification of Compliance with Open Meeting Law

Approval of Minutes

Law Committee - Regular Meeting - Jun 11, 2015 4:00 PM

Correspondence/Communications

Public Comments

Sheriff

Potential grant from Aurora/Acuity to fund Emergency Medical Dispatch
Wisconsin Community Services funding

Consideration of repairs to Squad 42

Consideration of appointment of Greg Bierman to Local Emergency Planning Committee

Consideration of five-year plans

Resolutions or Ordinances Referred by County Board

Consideration of Brown County Resolution Confirming Brown County's Opposition to the
Legalization of Marijuana in the State

Consideration of Racine County Resolution No. 2015-33 Supporting the Funding of Pay
Progression for Prosecutors and Creation and Funding of
Additional Assistant District Attorney Positions

Review and Approve Vouchers

Approval of Attendance at Other Meetings or Functions

Reports on Meetings Attended

Adjourn

Prepared by:

Jodi LeMahieu

Recording Secretary

Thomas Epping
Committee Chairperson

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SHEBOYGAN COUNTY LAW COMMITTEE MINUTES

Administration Building
508 New York Avenue
Sheboygan, WI 53081

Conference Room 119

June 11, 2015

Called to Order: 4:00 PM

Adjourned: 4:55 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Thomas Epping, Vice Chairman Vernon Koch, Secretary Mark Winkel, Member Steven Bauer, Member Fay Uraynar

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT: Jim Risseeuw, Steve Steinhardt, Todd Priebe, William Bruckbauer, Jason Parrish, Jim Parrish

Chairman Epping called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

All in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Epping certified compliance with the open meeting law. The agenda was posted at 9:45 a.m. on June 10, 2015.

Motion by Winkel, second by Koch, to approve the minutes from the meeting on May 14, 2015. Motion carried.

Correspondences/Communications

There were no correspondences/communications.

Public Comments

There were no public comments.

Sheriff's Office

Inspector Risseeuw informed the Committee of two pursuits that occurred recently.

Motion by Bauer, second by Uraynar, to approve radio project funding to replace current EF Johnson radios for Fire/EMS. Upon call of the role, Supervisors Bauer, Koch and Uraynar voted aye and Supervisors Epping and Winkel voted no. Motion carried.

Motion by Winkel, second by Koch, to send the modification of Resolution 29 (2013/2014) to the County Board. Upon call of the role, Supervisors Epping, Koch and Winkel voted aye and Supervisors Bauer and Uraynar voted no. Motion carried.

Minutes Acceptance: Minutes of Jun 11, 2015 4:00 PM (Approval of Minutes)

Motion by Winkel, second by Koch, to approve the appointment of Shalon M. Edson to the Emergency Medical Services Council. Motion carried.

Motion by Winkel, second by Koch, to approve the appointment of Sgt. Terry Cram as the Sheriff's Office representative on the Traffic Safety Commission. Motion carried.

Vouchers

Motion by Bauer, second by Uraynar, to approve the vouchers. Motion carried.

Approval of Attendance at Other Meetings or Functions

Motion by Uraynar, second by Koch, to approve the attendance of all Law Committee members at the Finance Committee meeting on May 27, the Executive Committee meeting on May 28 and the special meeting of the Executive and Finance Committees on June 3. Motion carried.

Reports on Meetings Attended

Supervisor Koch reported on the Communications Council Ad Hoc Committee meeting.

Supervisor Uraynar asked Sheriff Priebe a question reference the Leadership Forum.

Adjournment

Motion by Winkel, second by Uraynar, to adjourn. Motion carried.

NEXT MEETING: June 25, 2015

Jodi LeMahieu
Recording Secretary

Mark Winkel
Committee Secretary

Minutes Acceptance: Minutes of Jun 11, 2015 4:00 PM (Approval of Minutes)

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Lakeland College, MBA- Project Management (current)
Lakeland College; Bachelor of Arts, Chemistry; 2009
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Environmental & Safety Coordinator, April 2008-Present
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Aldrich Chemical (2004-2013)
Packaging Operator, Emergency Response Team

As a member of the Aldrich Emergency Response Team, I learned the value of preparation and training for many types of emergencies, and have carried this lesson forward to my position at Lakeland. Along with 20-some other WAICU schools, Lakeland participates in a peer audit program, for which I am Lakeland's team leader and coordinator. Not only in preparing the College itself for audits, I take part in internal audits and also have served as an auditor at two other schools.

My position also includes the management of the hazardous materials inventory and safety data sheet library. I am also responsible for writing and/or revising Lakeland's environmental and safety programs, so I am familiar with both maintaining consistent format and terminology throughout documentation.

May 20, 2015

TO THE HONORABLE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS
OF THE BROWN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Ladies and Gentlemen:

**RESOLUTION CONFIRMING BROWN COUNTY'S OPPOSITION TO THE
LEGALIZATION OF MARIJUANA IN THE STATE**

WHEREAS, marijuana is classified as a controlled substance under Wisconsin State Statutes (Schedule I Uniform Controlled Substance Act) and federal law (Schedule I of the Controlled Substances Act) and is currently defined as having no accepted medical use in the United States, a lack of accepted safety for use under medical supervision and a high potential for abuse; and;

WHEREAS, marijuana should be subject to the same research, evaluation, analysis and study as any other potential medicine, under the standards of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA); and;

WHEREAS, tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) is only one of over 400 chemicals found in the marijuana plant; and;

WHEREAS, the THC levels in marijuana have been steadily increasing over the decades, exposing the user to higher concentrations of THC with greater chance of adverse or unpredictable reactions; and;

WHEREAS, excessive marijuana use is harmful to the adolescent brain, effecting the parts of the brain that influence pleasure, memory, thinking, concentration, sensory and time perception, and coordinated movement; and;

WHEREAS, excessive marijuana use alters the brain's neurons and causes both short-term and long-term negative effects interfering with the brain's normal development and function; and;

WHEREAS, marijuana use reduces inhibitions and can lead to unsafe behavior, distorted perception, impaired coordination, and can cause difficulty with thinking, problem solving and difficulty with learning and memory; and;

WHEREAS, marijuana use causes drivers of motor vehicles to be impaired with slower reaction times, impaired judgment and problems responding to signals and sounds; and;

WHEREAS, teens who smoke marijuana regularly can see an 8 point drop in IQ by the time they reach 38 putting a person of average intelligence into the lowest third of the IQ range; and;

WHEREAS, marijuana use can lead to high school dropout and failure in college; and;

WHEREAS, the number of marijuana related emergency room visits increased by 52% between 2004 and 2011.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Brown County Board of Supervisors, that Brown County does not support the legalization of recreational** marijuana in the state; and;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to Wisconsin State Legislators, the Wisconsin Counties Association (WCA) and all other Counties in the state.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

Approved by:


COUNTY EXECUTIVE 5/26/15
(Date)

Fiscal Note: This resolution does not require an appropriation from the general fund.

** Amended as per the County Board on 5/20/2015.

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June 9, 2015

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RESOLUTION BY THE GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE SUPPORTING THE FUNDING OF PAY PROGRESSION FOR PROSECUTORS AND CREATION AND FUNDING OF ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY POSITIONS

To the Honorable Members of the Racine County Board of Supervisors:

WHEREAS, the LaFollette School of Public Affairs published a report in 2011 outlining the significant turnover rate statewide of prosecutors due to low pay and no pay progression. The study showed many prosecutors leaving once experience is gained due to lack of incentive to stay; and

WHEREAS, in 2014, the Wisconsin Legislature addressed this issue by adopting a pay progression scale for Assistant District Attorneys, which is codified in Wis. Stat. §230.12. This pay scale progression must be funded biannually in the State budget in order to continue; and

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin District Attorneys Association and the Racine County District Attorney support funding from the state budget for additional prosecutors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the undersigned members of the Government Services Committee recommend adoption of the following resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Racine County Board of Supervisors does support the funding of pay progression for prosecutors, as well as creation and funding of additional Assistant District Attorney positions.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that the Racine County Clerk is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to the Governor of the State of Wisconsin, Racine County's state legislative delegation, all Wisconsin Counties, and the Wisconsin Counties Association.

Respectfully submitted,

Government Services Committee

1st Reading 6-9-15

2nd Reading 6-9-15

BOARD ACTION

Adopted yes
For _____
Against _____
Absent _____


Pamela Zenner-Richards, Chairman


Ronald Molnar, Vice-Chairman

VOTE REQUIRED: Majority

John A. Wisch, Secretary

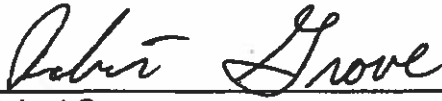
Prepared by:
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Robert Grove



Janet Bernberg

The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of
Racine County, Wisconsin, is hereby:

Approved: X

Vetoed: _____

Date: 6/10/15


Jonathan Delagrave, County Executive