



Executive Committee Meeting

Wednesday, May 6, 2026 – 8:00 a.m.

Barron County Government Center – Auditorium
335 East Monroe Avenue – Barron, Wisconsin 54812

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Public Meeting Notification
3. Special Matters and Announcements (Non-Action Items)
4. Approve Agenda
5. Public Comment
6. Approve Minutes of April 1, 2026
7. Discussion for Options to Open Records Requests
8. Resolution – Authorizing the Funding for and Creation of a Single Jail Lieutenant Position in the Barron County Jail
9. Resolution – In Support of Assembly Bill 1033 Regulation of Wakesurfing
10. Discussion of Cohosting the 2027 WCA Annual Convention in LaCrosse, WI
11. Discuss/Approve on “Barron Baskets” - \$2,500 Appropriation to Barron County Economic Development Committee (BCEDC) for Advertising
12. Resolutions to be Referred to WCA Annual Convention
 - a. Resolution in Support of Sustainable Transportation Funding
 - b. Resolution to Support Wisconsin Establishing a Membership with the Multi-State Information Sharing and Analysis Center (MS-ISAC) to Cover the Cost of Membership for All State, Local, Tribal & Territorial (SLTT) Organizations
 - c. Resolution in Support of Assembly Bill 1033 - Regulation of Wake Surfing (*If Approved Earlier in the Agenda*)
13. Staff Reports & Updates
 - a. Advertising at Kwik Trip Locations within Barron County
 - b. Assembly Bill 619 Signed Into Law – Sustainable Aviation Fuel
 - c. Discuss and Establish Parameters for Virtual Committee Meeting Attendance
 - d. Wisconsin Counties Association (WCA) Steering Committees

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AGENDA

14. Review Voucher Edit Lists
15. Suggestions for Future Agenda Items
 - a. Discussion on Establishing Parameters for Virtual Attendance at Executive Committee Meetings
16. Set Date for Next Meeting
17. Adjournment

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MINUTES

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT IN PERSON: Patti Anderson, Karolyn Bartlett, Randy Cook Sr, Audrey Kusilek, Louie Okey, Pete Olson, Bob Rogers, Marv Thompson and Stacey Wenzel.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS APPEARING VIRTUALLY: None at this time.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT: None at this time.

STAFF PRESENT IN PERSON: Finance Director Drury, Administrator French, County Clerk Hodek, Corporation Counsel Muench, Deputy County Clerk Naglosky, IT Director Peterson, HR Director Richie and Treasurer Sommerfeld.

OTHER COUNTY BOARD SUPERVISORS PRESENT: Kathy Krug, Craig Turcott and Diane Vaughn.

OTHERS PRESENT: Ruth Erickson (Chronotype) and Bob Zientara (NewsShield).

CALL TO ORDER: Chair Okey called the meeting to order at 8:00AM.

PUBLIC MEETING NOTIFICATION: County Clerk Hodek stated the County's compliance with Wisconsin Open Meeting Laws.

SPECIAL MATTERS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (NON-ACTION ITEMS): Chair Okey, Administrator French and Finance Director Drury met via conference call with financial consultants Ehlers and will continue to work on the debt refinancing. Administrator French noted another opioid settlement was recently reached and the County is anticipating a \$27,000 deposit into the same opioid fund that has been utilized in the past.

APPROVE AGENDA: Motion: (Olson/Cook) to approve. Carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None at this time.

APPROVE MINUTES OF MARCH 9, 2026: Motion: (Thompson/Bartlett) to approve. Carried.

RESOLUTION – CREATING THE POSITION OF ASSISTANT COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR: Administrator French distributed a handout prior to the meeting. **Motion: (Olson/Rogers)** to approve with the change of adding lines #15-17 and lines #19-22 be created as additional "Therefore, be it Further Resolved" in the resolution and approve. Administrator French and Corporation Counsel Muench answered questions from the Board. Discussion. Carried.

BUDGET OVERDRAFT 2025 AUDIT EXPENDITURE (UPDATE): Finance Director Drury noted the overdraft was due to the additional audit work from the Barron County Housing Authority merger. **Motion: (Kusilek/Olson)** to approve. Discussion. Carried.

DISCUSS/APPROVE WELCOME ADVERTISING WITH KWIK TRIP LOCATIONS LOCATED IN BARRON COUNTY (RECOMMENDATION FROM STRATEGIC PLANNING WORK GROUP): Administrator French was requested to bring this to the Committee from the Strategic Planning Work Group and determine the target market and/or determine the best marketing packages for the County. Discussion. **Motion: (Anderson/Wenzel)** to spend up to \$8,000 at the pumps at Kwik Trip locations within Barron County. Discussion. **Motion: (Olson/Cook)** to table until next month. Carried.



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VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE AT COMMITTEE MEETINGS: Chair Okey gave an explanation for the request to discuss virtual attendance at committee meetings. Discussion. Bartlett has requested parameters for virtual attendance as an agenda item at all upcoming May reorganizational committee meetings. Administrator French added he will also discuss this with Department Heads at the upcoming Monthly Management meeting.

VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE AND VOTING RIGHTS AFTER CLOSED SESSIONS AT COMMITTEE MEETINGS: Chair Okey noted that if a committee member is not in attendance at a closed session, including due to virtual attendance, the committee member is not allowed to vote after the closed session.

STAFF REPORTS & UPDATES

- A. COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR REPORT – PHARMACY TRENDS:** Administrator French reviewed the document in the packet noting the market for specialty drugs has grown by 40% and 2/3rd's of all drugs are specialty drugs. GLP-1's are specialty drugs which account for 2% of the market but are now 60% of the pharmacy benefit costs. Administrator French and HR Director Richie answered questions from the Committee.

REVIEW VOUCHER EDIT LISTS: No action taken.

SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

- a. Advertising at Kwik Trip Locations within Barron County

SET DATE FOR NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, May 6, 2026 at 8:00AM.

ADJOURNMENT: By unanimous consent at 8:54AM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jessica Hodek, Barron County Clerk

Minutes are not official until approved by the Executive Committee at their next meeting.

BARRON COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2026 -

**Resolution Authorizing the Funding for and Creation of a Single Jail Lieutenant
Position in the Barron County Jail**

TO THE BARRON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

WHEREAS, Attached to this Resolution is a Position Paper drafted by Jail Captain Tim Evenson which provides a detail explanation for this request, and

WHEREAS, Also attached to this resolution is a Wage Projection spreadsheet which details the potential costing for the creation of this position, and

WHEREAS, Since 2020 the State Jail Inspector has been recommending the creation of a jail first line supervisor, i.e. Lieutenant Position, and

WHEREAS, The State Jail Inspector has also been recommending this position as part of an overall Succession Plan, for the Barron County Jail, and

WHEREAS, The Law Enforcement Committee discussed this position twice on Thursday, March 19th, 2026 and again on Thursday April 16th, and

WHEREAS, The minutes for the March 19th meeting state, in part, "The committee is in favor of continuing the process of creating this position, and

WHEREAS, As part of their discussion the Committee was made aware this is not the creation of an additional FTE but rather the creation of a new position to be placed on the Barron County Pay Plan, and

WHEREAS, On April 16th, the Committee voted in favor to recommend to the Executive Committee and County Board this position be created with Supervisors, Wenzel, P. Anderson, Schneider, Olson and Turcott voting in favor and no Supervisors voting against.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That with passage of this resolution the Barron County Board of Supervisors does hereby create the position of one Jail Lieutenant, to be property placed within the Barron County Pay Plan and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That with passage of this resolution the Barron County Board of Supervisors does hereby amend the 2026 Budget to reflect the additional payroll and personnel costs to fund this position, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That with passage of this Resolution the County Finance Director/County Auditor is authorized to amend the 2026 Budget so as to effectuate the intent of this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that publication of this resolution may occur through posting in accordance with Section 985.02 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

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Position in the Barron County Jail**

OFFERED THIS 18th day of May, 2026.

<p>Number of readings required: One <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two ()</p> <p>Vote required for passage: Majority () 2/3 Entire Board (20) (<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>)</p> <p>Source of funding: Budgeted () General Fund (<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>) Grant () Contingency () Other () Details</p> <p>Fiscal impact: - Current year total amount: \$ 10,000.00 (approx.) - Future years total amount: \$ 20,000.00 (approx.) - Effect on tax levy – current year - \$ -0- - Effect on tax levy – future years - \$ 20,000.00 (approx.)</p> <p>Fiscal impact reviewed by County Finance Department</p> <p>_____ Michelle Drury, County Auditor/Finance Director</p> <p>Approved as to form by:</p> <p>_____ Jeffrey French, Administrator</p> <p>_____ John Muench, Corporation Counsel</p>	<p>_____ Peter Olson, Law Enforcement Committee Chair</p> <p>(The Committee Chair signature verifies the action taken by the Committee.)</p> <p>Board Action: Adopted () Failed () Tabled ()</p>
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Jail Staffing Restructuring Recommendation

Recommendation

The following staffing adjustments are recommended to improve supervision, operational efficiency, and coordination of inmate services within the Barron County Jail. This proposal includes the reallocation of one existing utility position and combining those responsibilities with the current Jail Programs Coordinator position. This change would allow for the creation of a Lieutenant position while reorganizing the remaining inmate service duties into an Inmate Services Unit.

This restructuring maintains current overall staffing levels while improving supervisory coverage and operational coordination within the jail. The Inmate Services Unit would be responsible for coordinating inmate programs, court scheduling, and professional visitation within the facility.

Purpose

The purpose of this recommendation is to improve operational efficiency, strengthen supervision, and enhance coordination of inmate services while maintaining a safe environment for staff and inmates. These adjustments focus on better utilizing existing personnel and improving the jail's ability to manage daily operations and future initiatives.

Current Staffing Model

The jail currently maintains a minimum staffing level of four Corrections Officers and one Sergeant/Officer-in-Charge (OIC) on duty at all times, for a total of five staff members per shift.

This staffing level ensures that multiple officers are available to respond to emergencies, disturbances, or medical incidents that may occur within the facility. Maintaining this staffing model remains essential for safe jail operations and is not affected by the proposed restructuring.

In addition to these minimum staffing levels, the jail currently assigns two utility staff members during weekday daytime hours, typically between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. These positions assist with inmate movement and operational tasks that occur during the jail's busiest time of day, including court appearances, attorney visits, probation visits, fingerprinting, DNA collection, and other inmate service functions.

The Jail Programs Coordinator is also assigned to weekday daytime hours to coordinate jail programming and oversee inmate educational, treatment, and rehabilitative programs offered within the facility.

These three daytime positions currently provide the primary support for inmate programs, court scheduling, and professional visitation that occur during normal weekday business hours.

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Proposed Lieutenant Position

For several years, the state jail inspector has recommended in the annual jail inspection report that the department consider adding a first-line supervisory position due to the size and operational complexity of the jail. Implementing this recommendation would align the facility more closely with supervisory structures commonly used in similarly sized county jail operations.

The proposed Lieutenant position would assist the Jail Captain with day-to-day operational oversight, staff coordination, and implementation of new policies or operational improvements.

This position would also provide administrative leadership when the Jail Captain is unavailable and establish a clear line of succession for jail leadership. In the event the Jail Captain position becomes vacant or unavailable, the Lieutenant would be prepared to assume those responsibilities and maintain continuity of operations.

Historically, the Patrol Captain previously served as the Jail Captain and was able to assist with jail administration when needed. After that retirement, administrative coverage shifted to the most senior jail sergeants. Due to recent turnover and retirements, the overall level of supervisory experience within the jail has been reduced, limiting the ability to rely on existing supervisory staff to consistently assist with administrative coverage.

To establish this position while maintaining responsible staffing levels, it is recommended that one of the two existing utility positions be eliminated and reallocated to create the Lieutenant role. This change represents a restructuring of existing staff resources rather than the addition of a new position.

Due to staff turnover over the past several years, the jail currently has a number of newer corrections officers and recently promoted sergeants. While these staff members are developing well in their roles, additional leadership and mentoring would be beneficial to help guide less experienced staff and supervisors. Establishing a Lieutenant position would provide an additional level of leadership within the jail to assist with training, mentoring, and operational guidance for both corrections officers and sergeants.

This position would strengthen supervisory support, improve communication across shifts, and provide leadership and mentoring to newer corrections officers and recently promoted sergeants. It would also help ensure continuity of operations and support the development of future leadership within the jail division. The Lieutenant could be assigned a schedule that overlaps or flexes with the Jail Captain's hours to improve operational coverage.

In addition, increased staff turnover in recent years has resulted in a more frequent and time-consuming hiring process within the jail division. The Jail Captain is responsible for reviewing applications, conducting interviews, and coordinating background investigations for new corrections officers. A Lieutenant position would assist the Jail Captain with the hiring process by helping review applications, participate in interviews, and conduct background investigations.

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This shared responsibility would allow either the Jail Captain or the Lieutenant to remain more available to oversee daily jail operations while still ensuring the hiring process is conducted in a thorough and timely manner.

Inmate Services Unit

Currently, two staff members are assigned to utility positions during weekday daytime hours to coordinate court appearances, attorney visits, probation visits, fingerprinting, DNA collection, and other inmate service functions. The Jail Programs Coordinator is assigned to weekday daytime hours to coordinate jail programming and oversee inmate educational, treatment, and rehabilitative programs offered within the facility.

Under this proposal, one of those utility positions would remain and be combined operationally with the existing programming role to form an Inmate Services Unit.

This unit would consist of two positions that work collaboratively to coordinate inmate programs, court scheduling, and professional visitation within the facility.

- **Jail Programs Coordinator**

Responsible for coordinating and overseeing inmate educational, treatment, and rehabilitative programs offered within the facility. This position works with program providers, schedules program activities, and assists with inmate movement and supervision related to programming.

- **Inmate Services Coordinator**

Responsible for coordinating court appearances (both in-person and video), scheduling attorney visits, probation and agent visits, fingerprinting, DNA collection, and other professional services requiring inmate movement within the jail.

Both positions would work closely together and be cross-trained to assist each other when operational needs require. Each position would also be capable of covering the primary responsibilities of the other in the event one staff member is unavailable due to leave, training, or other absences. At least one of these two positions would always be scheduled to work to ensure continuity of inmate services.

During periods of increased activity or in the event of a vacancy, the Lieutenant position could also assist with coverage and coordination of these functions.

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Scheduling

Jail programs, court appearances, and professional visits primarily occur Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. During this time, the courts are in session and attorney and probation visits are scheduled within the facility.

Scheduling these activities during the same timeframe allows the Jail Programs Coordinator and Inmate Services Coordinator to assist with inmate movement, supervision, and coordination of services. Aligning these activities with the period of highest staffing levels helps ensure safe and efficient jail operations.

Conclusion

The overall financial impact of this proposal is limited, as it represents a restructuring of existing duties rather than an expansion of staffing. The Lieutenant position would be created through the reallocation of one existing utility position and would involve a modest increase in compensation associated with the added supervisory responsibilities.

Overall, the proposed structure improves supervisory coverage, strengthens communication between shifts, and enhances coordination of inmate services while maintaining current staffing levels.

By better organizing existing resources and strengthening leadership within the jail, the department can improve operational efficiency, maintain safe staffing practices, and continue providing effective service to the courts and community without significant additional cost to taxpayers.

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Information

1 message

Tim Evenson <tim.evenson@co.barron.wi.us>
To: Jeff French <jeff.french@co.barron.wi.us>

Thu, Apr 16, 2026 at 12:59 PM

Hi Jeff,

I looked back in our jail inspection summaries, and the jail inspector has been recommending a jail first line supervisor (Lt. position.) in every inspection since 2020. The paragraph below is what the inspection letters state. If you believe this would be a benefit, I believe he would draft a letter of support for this position if you wanted and he can be available for any necessary meetings.

"Although no deficiencies were noted, it is recommended that the facility consider the addition of an additional first-line supervisor position. The addition of this role would enhance staff oversight, improve shift coverage, and strengthen the chain of command, particularly during peak operational periods. Increased supervisory presence can further support staff development, reduce risk, and help maintain high operational standards."

Thanks again for your help and support.
Tim

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2026 WAGE PROJECTIONS

**Please enter the amounts shown below on the budget worksheets; adjustments to wages must be approved by the County Administrator/Finance Director prior to making any changes. Notify Payroll of any approved staffing or account distribution changes. (Based on personnel costs known at this time. 0% COLA increase & 7/4/26 Pay Plan Step Increases)*

OFFICE: SHERIFF-JAIL DIVISION
 ACCT. NO: 52710

NAME	JOB TITLE	DATE HIRE	GRADE STEP	INS CODE	RET CODE	WC CODE	2026 RATE	HRS	ANNUAL WAGE	FICA	EMPR RETIRE	HEALTH/ LIFE INS	WKRS COMP	MEDI-CARE	TOTAL	Fringe Rate	Annual Fringe R	
																Wages & Benefits	Wages & Benefits	
NEW POSITION	JAIL LIEUTENANT-exempt		512/3	2	1	7720	38.52	1056.00	40,677.12	2,521.98	2,928.75	15,253.33	870.49	589.82	62,841.49	\$	59.51	
NEW POSITION	JAIL LIEUTENANT-exempt		512/4	2	1	7720	39.48	1032.00	40,743.36	2,526.09	2,933.52	14,906.67	871.90	590.78	62,572.32	\$	60.63	
TOTAL								2,088	81,420	5,048	5,862	30,160	1,742	1,181	125,414			
NEW POSITION	JAIL LIEUTENANT-exempt		512/8	2	1	7720	42.95	1056.00	45,355.20	2,812.02	3,265.57	15,253.33	970.60	657.65	68,314.38	\$	64.69	
NEW POSITION	JAIL LIEUTENANT-exempt		512/9	2	1	7720	43.59	1032.00	44,984.88	2,789.06	3,238.91	14,906.67	962.68	652.28	67,534.48	\$	65.44	
TOTAL								2,088	90,340	5,601	6,504	30,160	1,933	1,310	135,849			
CURRENT CORRECTIONS OFF	CORRECTIONS OFFICER	09/10/16	507/10	2	1	7720	32.75	1098.00	35,959.50	2,229.49	2,589.08	15,080.00	769.54	521.41	57,149.03	\$	52.05	
CURRENT CORRECTIONS OFF	CORRECTIONS OFFICER	09/10/16	507/11	2	1	7720	33.24	1098.00	36,497.52	2,262.85	2,627.82	15,080.00	781.06	529.21	57,778.46	\$	52.62	
TOTAL								2,196	72,457	4,492	5,217	30,160	1,551	1,051	114,927			
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LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Thursday, April 16, 2026 – 8:15 A.M.

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AGENDA

1. Meeting Called to Order
2. Public Notification
3. Public Comment
4. Approve the Agenda
5. Approve Meeting Minutes - March 19, 2026
6. Review of Voucher Edit Lists (Information Only)
7. Jail Organizational Restructuring Plan
8. Discussion for Options to Open Records Requests
9. Request to Open County Highway AA (near Chetek) to ATV/UTV Traffic
10. Jail Sally Port Update
11. Updates:
 - a. Emergency Response Team
 - b. Patrol
 - c. Jail
 - d. Dispatch
 - e. Emergency Management
12. Future Agenda Items
 - a. Committee Elections of Chair, Vice Chair & Executive Rep.
13. Adjourn

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I, Jessica Hodek, have complied with the open meeting Public Notification Laws. Meeting notices are posted on the electronic meeting notice boards on the first and second floor of the Government Center and the main floor of the Justice Center. I have verified the proper posting of the meeting as specified in the notice.

PC: Anderson, McCreedy, Olson, Turcott, Schneider, Wenzel, Administrator, County Board Chairman, Sheriff, Chief Deputy, Captain, Jail Captain, Emergency Services Director, Webmaster, Four Public Postings

LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, March 19, 2026 8:00 AM Meeting Minutes

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Members Present: Patti Anderson (Departed at 9:00AM), Jamie McCready, Craig Turcott and Stacey Wenzel.

Members Appearing Virtually: Pete Olson.

Members Absent: Pete Schneider.

Staff Present: County Administrator Jeff French, Sheriff Jodi Kummet, Chief Deputy Jason Hagen, Captain Darren Hodek, Captain Tim Evenson, Emergency Services Director Mike Judy and County Clerk Jessica Hodek.

Staff Appearing Virtually: None.

Others Present: None.

Call to Order by Vice Chairman Turcott at 8:15 a.m.

Public Notification – County Clerk Hodek stated the County’s compliance with open meeting laws.

Public Comment – None.

Approve Agenda - Motion: (McCready/Wenzel) to approve the agenda as presented. Carried.

Approve October 16, 2025, Meeting Minutes - Motion: (McCready/Wenzel) to approve minutes as presented. Carried.

Review Voucher Edit Lists - Edit lists were reviewed.

Discussion for Potential Leadership Restructure - Captain Evenson discussed the need for a succession plan in the Jail. Discussion. Administrator French reviewed the County’s procedure for creating a new position. Chief Deputy Hagen noted this position would be budget neutral for the 2027 Sheriff Department’s budget. Captain Evenson will provide a job description. **The committee is in favor of continuing the process of creating this position.**

2025 Sheriff’s Department Annual Report - Discussion. No action.

2025 Emergency Management Annual Report - Discussion. No action.

Jail Sally Port - Waiting on door hardware but everything else is completed within the expected timelines. Discussion.

Updates

1. **ERT** - No calls this year. Down several members.
2. **Patrol** - New bodycams and radios installed with positive feedback.
3. **Jail** - Bodycams in use with positive feedback. Three open positions. Sergeant position filled internally with promoting Sager.
4. **Dispatch** - Two resignations and one upcoming leave.
5. **Emergency Management** - Discussed earlier in the meeting.

Future Agenda Items

1. Jail Organizational Restructuring Plan - Potential New Position
2. Request to Open County AA (Near Chetek) to ATV/UTV Traffic

Next meeting date: Thursday, April 16, 2026, 8:15 a.m.

Adjourned by unanimous consent at 9:01a.m.

Meeting minutes posted in draft form. Reviewed and approved on 03/19/2026 by Craig Turcott. Minutes not official until approved at the next committee meeting.

BARRON COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2026 -

Resolution Supporting Assembly Bill 1033 - Regulation of Wakesurfing

TO THE BARRON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

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2 **WHEREAS**, the Barron County Extension/Land Conservation Committee met on
3 Tuesday April 7, 2026; and
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5 **WHEREAS**, Pat Brown, Barron County Lakeshore Technician, provided
6 information to the Committee regarding this Bill and spoke in favor of a resolution in
7 support of AB1033; and
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9 **WHEREAS**, County Administrator French spoke with Wisconsin Counties
10 Association Staff on March 12, 2026 and WCA Staff indicated their support for AB1033;
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13 **WHEREAS**, the Wisconsin Counties Association’s Annual Meeting is September
14 20-22, 2026 at the Kalahari Resorts and Convention Center in Wisconsin Dells; and
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16 **WHEREAS**, 2025 Assembly Bill 1033, February 9, 2026 – Introduced by
17 Representative Brooks, co-sponsored by Senator Feyen was referred to Committee on State
18 Affairs; and
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20 **WHEREAS**, this legislation is an act to regulate wakesurfing. The bill defines
21 “wakesurfing” as surfing a motorboat’s wake, regardless of whether the person is being
22 pulled by a tow rope attached to the motorboat that is producing the wake, or operating a
23 motorboat in a manner that creates a wake that is, or is intended to be, surfed by another
24 person”; and
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26 **WHEREAS**, AB1033 is a legislative mechanism to begin controlling wakesurfing
27 so as to preserve Wisconsin’s inland lakes and to reduce shoreline erosion as well as
28 providing for boater safety measures; and
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30 **WHEREAS**, the text of AB1033 is attached to this Resolution for reference; and
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32 **WHEREAS**, Supervisor Kusilek, made the motion “to approve support of county
33 resolution for AB-1033”, seconded by Supervisor Gores to recommend the drafting of this
34 Resolution with LCC/Extension members Kusilek, Gores, Cook, Langman, Huth, voting
35 in favor and no members voting against.
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37 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that with passage of this Resolution
38 the Barron County Board of Supervisors would support the passage of 2025 Assembly Bill
39 1033; and
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41 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Barron County Board of Supervisors further
42 supports:

BARRON COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2026 -

Resolution Supporting Assembly Bill 1033 - Regulation of Wakesurfing

43 A: This Resolution to be forwarded to the Wisconsin Counties Association for
44 inclusion with the Resolutions Packet for the 2026 WCA Annual Convention.

45 B: The right for Towns, Cities and Villages to enact and enforce a local
46 ordinance more restrictive than AB 1033.

47 C: That enforcement efforts correlating to the spirit and intent of AB1033 be
48 undertaken by the Wisconsin DNR and local Sheriff's Departments.

49 D: Three Hundred (300) foot shoreline setback.

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51 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Resolution be distributed to our Local
52 State Assembly persons, State Senator and Governor Tony Evers; and

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54 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that publication of this resolution may occur
55 through posting in accordance with Section 985.02 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

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BARRON COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2026 -

Resolution Supporting Assembly Bill 1033 - Regulation of Wakesurfing

OFFERED THIS 18th day of May 2026.

<p>Number of readings required: One <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two ()</p> <p>Vote required for passage: Majority <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2/3 Entire Board (20) ()</p> <p>Source of funding: Budgeted () General Fund () Grant () Contingency () Other () Details: Not Applicable</p> <p>Fiscal impact: - Current year total amount: \$ -0- - Future years total amount: \$ -0- - Effect on tax levy – current year - \$ -0- - Effect on tax levy – future years - \$ -0-</p> <p>Fiscal impact reviewed by County Finance Department</p> <p>_____ Michelle Drury, Finance Director/County Auditor</p> <p>Approved as to form by:</p> <p>_____ Jeffrey French, Administrator</p> <p>_____ John Muench, Corporation Counsel</p>	<p>_____ Randall Cook Sr. LCC/Extension Chair</p> <p>(The Committee Chair signature verifies the action taken by the Committee.)</p> <p>Board Action: Adopted () Failed () Tabled ()</p>
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State of Wisconsin
2025 - 2026 LEGISLATURE

LRB-6175/1
EHS:emw&wlj

2025 ASSEMBLY BILL 1033

February 9, 2026 - Introduced by Representative BROOKS, cosponsored by Senator FEYEN. Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

1 **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 30.69 (1) (b); *to amend* 30.69 (1) (a) (intro.),
2 30.69 (3) (d) and 30.74 (1) (a); *to create* 30.01 (1ag), 30.01 (1ah), 30.01 (6r) and
3 30.69 (3) (cm) of the statutes; **relating to:** the regulation of wakesurfing and
4 providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill regulates wakesurfing. The bill defines “wakesurfing” as surfing a motorboat’s wake, regardless of whether the person is being pulled by a tow rope attached to the motorboat that is producing the wake, or operating a motorboat in a manner that creates a wake that is, or is intended to be, surfed by another person.

Under current law, various regulations apply to water skiing, aquaplaning, or a similar activity, and under current law, wakesurfing likely falls under “aquaplaning” or a “similar activity.” The bill explicitly provides that aquaplaning includes wakesurfing and thereby applies the same safety regulations that apply to water skiing and aquaplaning to wakesurfing. These regulations include requiring an observer or a wide-angle mirror on the motorboat, restricting wakesurfing to between sunrise and sunset, prohibiting intoxicated wakesurfing, requiring a motorboat used for wakesurfing to stay more than 100 feet away from any occupied anchored boat, personal watercraft, or marked swimming area or public boat

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landing, and prohibiting a person engaged in wakesurfing from being within 100 feet, or allowing a tow rope to be within 100 feet, of a personal watercraft.

The bill generally prohibits a person from engaging in wakesurfing unless all of the following apply:

1. The motorboat is operated farther than 200 feet from a shoreline or dock, pier, boathouse, or other structure located completely or partly on the water.

2. The motorboat is operated farther than 200 feet from any person in the water or any occupied vessel.

3. Any person surfing on or across the wake of the motorboat or being towed on a board is wearing a personal flotation device prescribed by federal regulations.

The wakesurfing restrictions under the bill and the current law restrictions that the bill explicitly applies to wakesurfing do not apply to a wakesurfing tournament, competition, exhibition, or trial that is authorized by the Department of Natural Resources or a municipality and where adequate lighting is provided.

The bill applies the same penalties to wakesurfing that apply to water skiing violations under current law.

Current law requires DNR to establish a program of comprehensive courses on boating safety and operation and to issue certificates to persons 10 years of age or older successfully completing such courses. Current law requires DNR to prescribe the course content and the form of the certificate, but the bill adds an exception that the course must include education on wakesurfing and the proper use of and operation of motorboats used in wakesurfing.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

1 **SECTION 1.** 30.01 (1ag) of the statutes is created to read:

2 30.01 (1ag) "Aquaplane" includes the board upon which a person rides while
3 wakesurfing.

4 **SECTION 2.** 30.01 (1ah) of the statutes is created to read:

5 30.01 (1ah) "Aquaplaning" includes wakesurfing.

6 **SECTION 3.** 30.01 (6r) of the statutes is created to read:

7 30.01 (6r) "Wakesurfing" means the activity of any of the following:

8 (a) Surfing a motorboat's wake, regardless of whether the person is being
9 pulled by a tow rope attached to the motorboat that is producing the wake.

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1 (b) Operating a motorboat in a manner that creates a wake that is, or is
2 intended to be, surfed by a person.

3 **SECTION 4.** 30.69 (1) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 30.69 (1) (a) (intro.) Except as provided in ~~par. (b)~~ sub. (3m), no person may
5 operate a motorboat towing a person on water skis, aquaplane, or similar device
6 unless one of the following applies:

7 **SECTION 5.** 30.69 (1) (b) of the statutes is renumbered 30.69 (3m) and
8 amended to read:

9 30.69 (3m) COMPETITION EXCEPTION. ~~Paragraphs~~ Subsections (1) (a), (ag),
10 and (am) and (3) (cm) do not apply to duly authorized water ski or wakesurfing
11 tournaments, competitions, exhibitions, or trials therefor, where adequate lighting
12 is provided.

13 **SECTION 6.** 30.69 (3) (cm) of the statutes is created to read:

14 30.69 (3) (cm) No person may engage in wakesurfing unless all of the
15 following apply:

16 1. The motorboat used in wakesurfing is operated farther than 200 feet from
17 a shoreline or a dock, pier, boathouse, or other structure located completely or partly
18 on the body of water.

19 2. The motorboat used in wakesurfing is operated farther than 200 feet from
20 any person in the water or any occupied vessel.

21 3. The person surfing on or across the wake of the motorboat or being towed
22 on a board is wearing a personal flotation device prescribed by federal regulations.

23 **SECTION 7.** 30.69 (3) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 30.69 (3) (d) Paragraphs (a) to (e) (cm) do not apply to pickup or drop areas

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1 that are marked with regulatory markers and that are open to operators of personal
2 watercraft and to persons and motorboats engaged in water skiing, wakesurfing, or
3 similar activity.

4 **SECTION 8.** 30.74 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 30.74 (1) (a) The department shall establish a program of comprehensive
6 courses on boating safety and operation. These courses shall be offered in
7 cooperation with schools, including tribal schools, as defined in s. 115.001 (15m),
8 private clubs and organizations, and may be offered by the department in areas
9 where requested and where other sponsorship is unavailable. The department
10 shall issue certificates to persons 10 years of age or older successfully completing
11 such courses. The department shall prescribe the course content and the form of
12 the certificate, except that the course shall include education on wakesurfing and
13 the proper use of and operation of motorboats used in wakesurfing.

14 (END)

EXTENSION-LCC COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, April 7, 2026, 10:30 a.m.

Room 2151

Members present: Kirsten Huth, Jim Gores, Randy Cook, Fran Langman, and Audrey Kusilek. Staff present: Tyler Gruetzmacher, Justin Everson, Pat Brown, Dave Gifford, Jeff French, Lori Baltrusis, Matt Bolen and Becky Melton.

Cook called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m. and Melton confirmed proper posting of the meeting. No public comment was received.

Motion: (Kusilek/Gores) to approve the agenda; carried. **Motion: (Kusilek/Gores)** to approve the minutes of February 2, 2026 meeting; carried.

Announcements: LCC Training in Hayward June 10th and WCA Tour- Clark County June 24th. Edit list: no questions.

Item #5, Item #6, Item #7, Item #8, Item #9 and Item #12. County Conservationist Tyler Gruetzmacher provided an overview of the 2026 SWCD Work Plans, emphasizing strategic goals within the Farmland Preservation and Headland Buffer programs. His report covered a broad spectrum of conservation initiatives, including soil nutrition, the Multi-Discharger Variance (MDV) program, cover crop implementation, manure storage closures and public owned lakeshore evaluations.

In financial updates, Gruetzmacher detailed the state grant cycle, outlining the 2027 application process while confirming the department's receipt of \$163,876.00 SWCD state funding for 2025. Discussion then shifted to groundwater management, where Gruetzmacher reviewed Chippewa County's testing protocols and nutrient management practices. Finally, Gruetzmacher reviewed the Statewide NR151 Analysis led by the DNR, which is evaluating compliance in agricultural performance standard adoption to guide future runoff management policy.

Item #10. Pat Brown provided an update on the recent Barron County Lakes Coalition meeting, which served as a collaborative forum for lake associations, lake districts, and county representatives. The discussion focused on smaller lake struggles, volunteers and invasive species management. Additionally, Brown noted the progress of the upcoming Native Plant Sale.

Item # 11. Lake Shore Technician Pat Brown presented an overview of Wisconsin Assembly Bill 1033, which addresses the regulation of wake-enhanced boating. Brown detailed the bill's potential implications for lake health as well as its impact on regional recreation. Following a period of committee discussion on the balance between statewide standards and local protection, the committee directed that an action item be created to draft a formal resolution in support of the bill. **Motion: (Kusilek/Gores)** to approve support of county resolution for AB-1033; carried.

Item #13. Staff Reports –

UWEX – Baltrusis introduced Matt Bolen, Nutrient & Pest Management (NPM) Outreach Specialist, who provided the committee with an overview of his role and the technical support he will offer to regional producers. Following the introduction, Baltrusis presented the Quarterly Departmental Highlights, notably celebrating the successful addition of the Littlest Learners Child Care Center at the UW EC-BC Campus.

NRCS – No update

FSA – No update.

Executive Committee – French gave an update on the most recent agenda items.

Fair Board – No update.

Next meeting date: May 5, 2026 at 10:30 a.m.

Future agenda items:

Minutes are not official until approved by the Extension/LCC Committee at the next meeting.

Motion: (Kusilek) Cook declared the meeting adjourned at 11:57 a.m.; carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Becky Melton
Administrative Secretary, Land Services



Water skiing doesn't destroy pristine lakes, but...



WAKESURFING? That's a whole new story!

The bow comes up and the stern goes down to increase the wake, so it's hard to see ahead.

3 to 4 foot high wakes are created so people can wakesurf, without a rope, like surfing in the ocean.

Algae blooms are fueled by nutrients freed from disturbed sediment. Some can kill fish and pets, and make people sick.

Fishermen have been knocked over, pontoons drenched, and small craft capsized by the massive wakes.

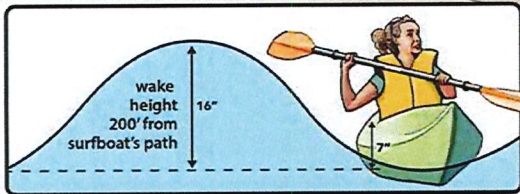
If fishermen, pleasure boaters, paddlers, and others can't enjoy our lakes, then tourism, property values and business income will plummet.



FOR SALE

Loon nests are just inches above water in calm areas. Big wakes can destroy eggs.

Is the boating industry's 200 feet from shore rule enough?



- 16" = Height of wake 200' from wakesurf boat's path (per industry)
- 7" = Typical kayak freeboard
- 10" = Typical canoe freeboard
- 12" = Typical small fishing boat freeboard
- 9" = Height of waves, 25 mph wind, 30 minutes, 1 mile wide lake

Sediment is stirred up and plants are damaged 20 feet deep by the powerful motor and deep downward angled propeller.

Little fish live among the plants. Fewer plants means fewer little fish for big game fish to eat.

Loons, otter and many fish can't see prey in murky water.

Ballast tanks don't drain completely and can bring invasives from other lakes.

Invasive plants spread easily in damaged areas.

Spiny waterfleas can upset the entire ecosystem, resulting in fewer game fish and murky water.

As the wake enters shallow water, plants are damaged, sediment is churned, and fish eggs can be destroyed.

When the big wake crashes on shore it can cause erosion and damage docks and moored boats.

How do they make those huge wakes?

- Add ballast water, up to 5000 pounds (600 gallons)
- Operate at speeds that bring the bow up and stern down
- Use wake enhancing fins
- The wake is 6 to 12 times more powerful than ski boat wakes!

For More Information See: LastWildernessAlliance.org
Report dangerous boating at DNR's anonymous 24/7 hotline: 1-800-TIP-WDNR

Design, research: Carol Phillips • Layout: arteffects4u@gmail.com • Illustration: www.charlesfloyddesignandillustration.com

“Wakesurfing? That’s a Whole New Story” (Additional Details and Sources for Infographic)

How is wakesurfing different from water skiing?

- Water ski boats are designed and operated to make the smallest wake possible, to provide a smooth ski.
- Surf boats are designed and operated to make the largest wake possible, so someone can surf, like in the ocean.
- Skiers use a long rope and go ~25 mph. Surfers use rope only to start, then surf ~15 ft behind the boat at ~11 mph.

How big are the wakes? They can be 3 to 4 feet high or more where the surfer is [1]. As the wake moves toward shore it breaks, losing roughly half of its height and energy [2]. But because it started out so big, even after traveling 200’ toward shore the wake is still 16” high, vs 7” for the same boat operated in cruise/ski mode, based on the study paid for by the boating industry [2]. That study also shows that only the most exposed shores of the largest lakes experience wind waves as big as 16” waves from surfing 200’ away. A shore that overlooks 2 miles of open water (2-mile “fetch”) would have 16” waves only if the wind was at least 30 mph for 45 minutes, an extremely rare occurrence [3]. Most lakes never see such waves, but surf wakes impact even the most sheltered shores. The underwater energy in the surf wake moving toward shore also extends deeper, so it’s not only the shoreline being damaged; lakebed sediment and vegetation are churned and damaged. Fish and wildlife that nest in sheltered areas are suddenly exposed to powerful wave energy. Loon eggs can be toppled or chilled [11] and fish eggs are tossed or smothered with silt.

What about the safety of other boaters? Other boaters are blindsided by huge waves, still over a foot high from a surfboat that never came within a football field of them (300 ft) [2]. Fishermen are particularly vulnerable; they are often standing to cast, facing shore, anchored, unaware that a huge wake is about to hit the side of their boat. Even people in large boats who see the wake coming in time to turn into it have been tossed, injured, and soaked, and their boats damaged. Waves lose very little energy as they travel over deep water. Surfboat operators are often unaware that their wakes are still dangerous for others two football fields away; by the time the wake hits them the surf boat is far away. Unfortunately, the boating industry’s “Wake Responsibly” campaign is silent about protecting others [4].

How do they make that huge wake?

- While surfing, the boat maintains “transition speed”, that inefficient bow-high plowing speed not quite “on plane”. This makes a much bigger wake than going faster, like a planing cruiser or ski boat.
- Surfboats have ballast tanks that fill with about 2000 to 5000 pounds or more of lake water to force the boat deeper in the water to further increase the wake. That’s like putting a car on top of the boat.
- Wedges and fins can be deployed to further increase and shape the wake.

Why does the propeller wash extend so deep? The propeller is angled about 30 degrees below horizontal (bow-high boat angle plus propeller shaft angle). A powerful 350-600 hp motor is used. The bow and stern waves also extend very deep as the heavy boat pushes water aside, then the water rebounds behind the boat. The impact is over 25’ deep, far deeper than for other activities on inland lakes [5]. Sediment and pollutants like phosphorus and mercury that remained harmlessly entombed in deep sediment for decades can be reintroduced into the water and food web. [10]

Does the bow-high position impair forward visibility? Check out photos and videos, even on manufacturers’ websites.

How do ballast systems spread invasive species? Ballast systems don’t drain completely, and several gallons of lake water can remain in the tanks, piping, pumps, etc. When ballast is filled and emptied in a different lake, that residual water and any invasives (zebra mussel larvae, spiny waterflea, bits of invasive plants, etc.) are transferred. Some invasives can survive many days because closed ballast systems don’t dry out [6]. They are often inaccessible, under the boat’s deck, so they cannot be inspected and are difficult and expensive to decontaminate, requiring lots of hot water and a trained operator. See a typical ballast system [7]. Manufacturers know they cannot be fully drained as evidenced by the fact that the owners’ manuals say to add several gallons of antifreeze in winter to prevent the residual water from freezing and causing damage [8]. **Failure to empty all ballast water when leaving a lake violates state law [9].**

[1] Per this video sponsored by Malibu, the wakes, where surfing, are 2’-5” to 4’-5” <https://www.guinnpartners.com/boat-testing/>

[2] Page iv and Table 7 of the 2015 study by Goudey and Girod, paid for by the Water Sports Industry Association, on their website. Data is for their deeper lake. For their shallow lake data, the boat was in water only 8’-10’ deep (p 2, 4) and shows interactions with the lakebed under the boat (p 18) and much greater friction with the lakebed as the wake moves toward shore (p iii, 14, 18 and 25). Surfers say they only surf in deeper water. https://www.wsia.net/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/WSIA_draft_report_Rev_II.pdf

[3] Fig 28 of [2] (2 typos: “1.2 s” is “1.25 ft” and “50 ft” is “1.50 ft” per rev. VDOT). Madison airport reports wind speeds hourly, more in storms. Only 4 measurements over 25 mph in all of 2023, only 1 over 30 mph, wunderground/history (gusts are less than 20 sec).

[4] See videos and posters at WSIA.net and WakeResponsibly.com

[5] See p 10 at <https://nlmddotorg.files.wordpress.com/2022/07/nlmd-phase-2-study-report-july-20-2022-with-appendices.pdf> and <https://conservancy.umn.edu/items/6a47c506-6be5-4c8a-9a96-dfea38f23b2f>

[6] See p 5 at <https://lmc.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/Residual-water-in-ballast-bags-study-WI.pdf>

[7] See p 4-7 at <https://nautique.blob.core.windows.net/boat-manuals/2023/2023-G-Series-Manual.pdf>

[8] Various manuals such as p 374 at https://www.mastercraft.com/media/aizbwk5r/mastercraft_my2022_ownersmanual.pdf

[9] See Wisconsin Statutes NR 19.055 and NR 40.

[10] See [5], and https://www.warrenct.gov/sites/g/files/vyhllf3991/ft/uploads/lake_waramaug_final_report.pdf

[11] <https://maineaudubon.org/projects/loons/your-loon-questions-answered/>

Many more sources can be found at <https://mymlsa.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/07/Fisheries-Report-37-Wake-Boat-Study-Official-Version-Released-on-7.28.2023.pdf>

STATEMENT OF EXPLANATION

Resolution No. 14 - 24

RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE STATE LEGISLATURE TO SET STANDARDS FOR WAKESURFING AND WAKEBOARDING AS PART OF 2023 ASSEMBLY BILL 656 - LYNDA SCHWEIKERT

Passage of this resolution will formally encourage the Wisconsin Legislature to set certain standards regarding wakesurfing and wakeboarding in Wisconsin. Currently the Legislature is considering 2023 Assembly Bill 656, which was drafted to set some standards regarding wakesurfing and wakeboarding in Wisconsin. This resolution also requests that the Legislature give local governmental units the ability to set more restrictive standards than what are currently being proposed as part of 2023 AB 656. A copy of the bill is attached. Also attached is the Legislature's direction to the University System to do a study of wakesurfing and wakeboarding.

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WHEREAS, the lakes of Chippewa County, Wisconsin are integral to the recreational base of the economy in Chippewa County; and

WHEREAS, 2023 Assembly Bill 656 is currently being proposed in the Wisconsin Legislature to regulate wakesurfing and wakeboarding; and

WHEREAS, 2023 AB 656 defines wakesurfing as surfing a motorboat's wake, regardless of whether the person is being pulled by a tow rope attached to the motorboat that is producing the wake or operating a motorboat in a manner that creates a wake that is, or is intended to be, surfed by another person; and

WHEREAS, 2023 AB 656 bill defines wakeboarding as being towed on a board with or without foot bindings by a motorboat across the vessel's wake or operating a motorboat in a manner that creates a wake while towing a person on a board with or without foot bindings; and

WHEREAS, under current law, various regulations apply to water skiing, aquaplaning, or similar activity, and under current law, wakesurfing and wakeboarding likely fall under aquaplaning or similar activity; and

WHEREAS, 2023 AB 656 explicitly provides that aquaplaning includes wakesurfing and wakeboarding, and thereby applies the same safety regulations that apply to water skiing and aquaplaning to wakesurfing and wakeboarding; and

WHEREAS, this proposed legislation, as currently written, fails to set minimum standards for the protection of private property, public safety and enjoyment, and aquatic environments; and

WHEREAS, 2023 AB 656 also fails to set standards related to wake depth that would protect water quality in lakes from scouring caused by enhanced wakes; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's local governments should have some control to set their own standards beyond the state minimums being proposed by 2023 AB 656 such as the following:

1. Requiring that wakesurfing and wakeboarding operation occur at least 600 feet from the shore to prohibit enhanced wake creation in waters.
2. Prohibiting wakesurfing and wakeboarding in waters shallower than at least 20 feet in depth.
3. Requiring that wakesurfing and wakeboarding operation only occur on lakes with a minimum acreage of 500 acres and at least 50 acres of contiguous minimum depth of 20 feet.
4. Requiring that wakesurfing and wakeboarding only occur at a minimum distance of 300' from other watercraft.

WHEREAS, Chippewa County understands that boats can operate as normal watercraft without the enhanced wakes, and that these increased standards would only apply to watercrafts during enhanced wake operation;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chippewa County Board of Supervisors does hereby request that the Wisconsin Legislature engage in meaningful discussions around 2023 AB 656 to pass standards for wakesurfing and wakeboarding that balance the right of everyone to recreate on waters of the State of Wisconsin by doing the follows:

1. Requiring that wakesurfing and wakeboarding operation occur at least 600 feet from the shore to prohibit enhanced wake creation in waters.
2. Prohibiting wakesurfing and wakeboarding in waters shallower than at least 20 feet in depth.

3. Requiring that wakesurfing and wakeboarding operation only occur on lakes with a minimum acreage of 500 acres and at least 50 acres of contiguous minimum depth of 20 feet.

4. Requiring that wakesurfing and wakeboarding only occur at a minimum distance of 300' from other watercraft.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Wisconsin Legislature allow local governments the ability to set standards that are more restrictive than those being proposed in 2023 AB 656, if necessary to protect local interests; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that County Clerk forward a copy of this resolution to the Governor of the State of Wisconsin, State Representative Rob Summerfield, State Representative Karen Hurd, State Senator Jesse James, the Wisconsin Land & Water Conservation Association, and the Wisconsin Counties Association.

Forwarded to the County Board by the Land Conservation and Forest Management Committee.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact to Chippewa County by passage of this resolution.

05/14/2024	County Board
RESULT:	APPROVED [13 TO 7]
MOVER:	Charles Bomar, District 12
SECONDER:	Brian Flynn, District 18
AYES:	Hull, Flater, Guthman, Gehring, Kirby, Goettl, Bergeron, Ericksen, Lotts, Bomar, Rohmeyer, Flynn, Ives
NAYS:	Mueller, Shoebridge, Seidlitz, Roshell, Kelly, Hennick, Kempe
ABSENT:	Matthew Peterson

Payment Request Verification - Online Voucher

Batch Year: 26 Department: EXECUTIVE

Payment Request Date: 04/28/2026

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269310	CITIES DIGITAL INC	1	706209	CCS PrchServ Software	04/15/2026	Laserfiche Renewal (CCS Users)	3,190.00
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305863	PETERSON SANDRA	1	C0095296	SUNDRY TAX REFUND PAYABLE	04/02/2026	TREAS - TAX REFUND 012-4108-06	1,262.17
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7005	NORTHWOOD TECHNICAL COLLEG	1	C0095298	EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION & TRAINING	04/02/2026	ADMIN - LEADERSHIP 301/CLASS	675.00
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5436	XCEL ENERGY	1	C0095300	MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	04/02/2026	TREAS - 2026 DELQ UTILITIES TAX	135.51
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195944	CHORA-CUTIPA AMPARO	1	C0095303	VITAL STATISTICS	04/02/2026	CHILD SUPPORT - VITAL	45.00
267031	NMS LABS	1	C0095304	PATHOLOGY	04/02/2026	ME - WORKORDER 26062354/J	192.00
267031	NMS LABS	2	C0095304	PATHOLOGY	04/02/2026	ME - WORKORDER 26072716/R	192.00
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	1	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	ADMIN - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	42.35
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	2	C0095305	ADRC Overhead Telephone	04/02/2026	ADRC - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	240.34
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	3	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	CC - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	29.74
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	4	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	CS - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	74.06
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	5	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	COC - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	114.38
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	6	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	CORP - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	31.74
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	7	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	COURTS - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	284.83
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	8	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	DA - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	124.97
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	9	C0095305	Agency Overhead Telephone	04/02/2026	DHHS - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	967.40
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	10	C0095305	Agency Overhead Telephone	04/02/2026	DHHS PH- PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	91.22
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	11	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	EC DEV - PHONE MAR SVC/APRIL	11.57
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	12	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	FINANCE - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	95.22
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	13	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	HWY - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	105.80
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	14	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	ME - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	10.58

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236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	17	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	ROD - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	31.74
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	18	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	SHERIFF - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	399.22
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	19	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	DISPATCH - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	63.48
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	20	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	JAIL - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	169.29
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	21	C0095305	TELEPHONE & TELEPHONE MAINTENANCE	04/02/2026	TECH - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	74.06
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	22	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	TREAS - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	42.32
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	23	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	VETS - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	29.74
236268	RINGCENTRAL INC	24	C0095305	TELEPHONE	04/02/2026	WTE - PHONE MAR SVC/APR	80.64
44474	NORTHWOOD TECH COLLEGE	1	C0095306	VOLUNTEER EDUC & TRAINING	04/02/2026	ME - 2025 HMEP GRANT -	609.69
44474	NORTHWOOD TECH COLLEGE	1	C0095307	VOLUNTEER EDUC & TRAINING	04/02/2026	SHERIFF/EM - 2025 HMEP	477.41
218456	WI CO FORESTS ASSOC	1	C0095308	TRAVEL & EXPENSE	04/02/2026	FORESTRY - 2026 SPRING CFA	90.00
218456	WI CO FORESTS ASSOC	2	C0095308	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/02/2026	FORESTRY - AVENZA PRO	85.99
60879	OFFICE ENTERPRISES INC	1	C0095345	POSTAGE METER - GC	04/09/2026	ADMIN - INV 602197/CUSTOMER	43.77
60879	OFFICE ENTERPRISES INC	1	C0095346	POSTAGE METER - GC	04/09/2026	ADMIN - INV 603772/EQUIP MAINT	3,012.00
182389	L & M MCS INC	1	C0095347	POSTAGE METER - JC	04/09/2026	ADMIN - POSTAGE METER - JC	203.00
182389	L & M MCS INC	2	C0095347	POSTAGE METER - GC	04/09/2026	ADMIN - POSTAGE METER - GC	240.05
22411	STATE BAR OF WISCONSIN	1	C0095348	SUBSCRIPTIONS	04/09/2026	CORP COUNSEL - INV 5160383	78.50
73105	ICCPA	1	C0095349	RECRUITMENT	04/09/2026	ADMIN - HELP WANTED ADS/WTE	239.00
274259	APG MEDIA OF WISCONSIN LLC	1	C0095350	PUBLISHING	04/09/2026	CO BOARD - BC MIN JAN/FEB &	1,100.00
274259	APG MEDIA OF WISCONSIN LLC	2	C0095350	PUBLICATIONS	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - "E" APRIL ELECTION	179.27
426	BELL PRESS INC	1	C0095351	PUBLISHING	04/09/2026	CO BOARD - INV 00013864	217.00
426	BELL PRESS INC	2	C0095351	PUBLISHING	04/09/2026	CO BOARD - INV 00013600/TYPE E	117.25
744	CHETEK ALERT INC	1	C0095352	PUBLICATIONS	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - NOTICE TO DOG	52.57
744	CHETEK ALERT INC	1	C0095353	PUBLISHING	04/09/2026	CO BOARD - 1/12/26 & 2/16/26	195.00
744	CHETEK ALERT INC	2	C0095353	PUBLICATIONS	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - VOTING BY	80.13
316954	ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE	1	C0095354	PROGRAMMING	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - INV CD2139599	5,600.00
316954	ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE	1	C0095355	PROGRAMMING	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - INV CD2139594	3,365.75
316954	ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE	1	C0095356	PROGRAMMING	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - INV CD2139674	172.31
316954	ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE	1	C0095357	PROGRAMMING	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - INV CD2140625	130.00
316954	ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE	1	C0095358	PROGRAMMING	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - INV CD2139888	10,727.11
316954	ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE	1	C0095359	PROGRAMMING	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - INV CD2139899	2,801.93
22632	RICE LAKE PRINTERY INC	1	C0095360	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	CO CLERK - INV	394.00
160105	THE HORTON GROUP INC	1	C0095387	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - CONSULTING	04/09/2026	ADMIN - BENEFITS FEE APRIL	2,500.00
160105	THE HORTON GROUP INC	2	C0095387	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - CONSULTING	04/09/2026	ADMIN - BENEFITS FEE MAY 2026	2,500.00
72842	FORENSIC FLUIDS LABORATORIES	1	C0095388	PATHOLOGY	04/09/2026	MED EXAM - INV 83592	290.00
1015	CUMBERLAND ADVOCATE	1	C0095389	VOLUNTEER EDUC & TRAINING	04/09/2026	SHERIFF/EM - LEPC EPCRA	36.66
744	CHETEK ALERT INC	1	C0095390	VOLUNTEER EDUC & TRAINING	04/09/2026	SHERIFF/EM - LEPC EPCRA	39.79
66753	WI DEPT OF ADMINISTRATION	1	C0095391	DUE TO STATE - LAND RECORD FEES	04/09/2026	TREAS - LAND RECORD FEES	5,607.00
274259	APG MEDIA OF WISCONSIN LLC	1	C0095392	PUBLICATIONS	04/09/2026	TREAS - TAX DEED INSERT &	3,189.78
4014	STATE OF WISCONSIN	1	C0095393	DUE TO STATE - CIRCUIT COURT SUIT TAX	04/09/2026	COC - MAR 2026 STATE SUIT TAX,	21,676.40
4014	STATE OF WISCONSIN	2	C0095393	DUE TO STATE - PENAL FINES	04/09/2026	COC - MAR 2026 STATE PENAL	6,528.65

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3913	STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPT OF AD	1	C0095394	DUE TO STATE - CERTIFIED BIRTH FEES	04/09/2026	TREAS-1ST QTR 2026-CERTIFIED	2,121.00
3913	STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPT OF AD	2	C0095394	DUE TO STATE - DOA FUNDS	04/09/2026	TREAS-1ST QTR 2026-VITAL	6,467.00
3913	STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPT OF AD	3	C0095394	DUE TO STATE - PROBATE FEES	04/09/2026	TREAS-1ST QTR 2026-PROBATE	8,809.81
141984	ODP BUSINESS SOLUTIONS LLC	1	C0095395	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	ADMIN - INV 457316989001	413.60
7382	TOWN OF CRYSTAL LAKE	1	C0095396	SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DUE MUNIS - 2022	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2022 SPECIALS	398.09
7382	TOWN OF CRYSTAL LAKE	2	C0095396	INTEREST ON TAXES	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2022 SPECIALS	151.27
7846	CITY OF RICE LAKE	1	C0095397	SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DUE MUNIS - 2022	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2022 SPECIALS	550.07
7846	CITY OF RICE LAKE	2	C0095397	INTEREST ON TAXES	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2022 SPECIALS	209.02
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	1	C0095398	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	04/09/2026	CSA - INV 1M1J-DCK6-1DHV	116.99
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	2	C0095398	TELEPHONE	04/09/2026	HWY - INV 1FKL-NX7D-NV7T	18.99
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	3	C0095398	TELEPHONE	04/09/2026	ADMIN - INV 1FKL-NX7D-NV7T	9.48
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	4	C0095398	LAB & MEDICAL SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	ME - INV 1GKY-3D33-GMTF	241.47
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	5	C0095398	EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION & TRAINING	04/09/2026	ADMIN - INV 1MHT-RJQQ-73VL	51.66
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	6	C0095398	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	CORP - INV 1HNL-4RQC-6DD1	79.03
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	7	C0095398	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	CLERK - INV 1VFN-3KN6-4FQX	54.61
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	8	C0095398	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	VSO - INV 13Q1-KVH6-H6WX	24.60
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	9	C0095398	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	FIN - INV 1R9H-W1NJ-KLKC	139.99
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	10	C0095398	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	ADMIN - INV 1WVQ-TGVV-73RC	38.88
291838	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES INC	11	C0095398	MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES	04/09/2026	ADMIN - INV 1WVQ-TGVV-73RC	22.49
7684	VILLAGE OF ALMENA	1	C0095399	SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DUE MUNIS - 2023	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2023 SPECIALS	583.54
7684	VILLAGE OF ALMENA	2	C0095399	INTEREST ON TAXES	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2023 SPECIALS	151.72
7846	CITY OF RICE LAKE	1	C0095400	SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DUE MUNIS - 2023	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2023 SPECIALS	1,203.10
7846	CITY OF RICE LAKE	2	C0095400	INTEREST ON TAXES	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2023 SPECIALS	312.81
7471	TOWN OF LAKELAND	1	C0095401	SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DUE MUNIS - 2024	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2024 SPECIALS	552.14
7471	TOWN OF LAKELAND	2	C0095401	INTEREST ON TAXES	04/09/2026	TREAS - PMT OF 2024 SPECIALS	77.30
426	BELL PRESS INC	1	C0095402	PRINTING & DUPLICATION	04/09/2026	EM - EPCRA ANNUAL PUBLIC	93.50
426	BELL PRESS INC	1	C0095403	PUBLICATIONS	04/09/2026	TREAS - TAX DEED INSERT/REF	652.00
182664	WCTA	1	C0095404	ASSIGNED RESERVE - EDUCATION GRANT	04/09/2026	TREAS - WCTA CONF REG -	125.00
11134	BURNHAM-OURS FUNERAL HOME	1	C0095405	DISPOSAL OF UNCLAIMED CORPSES	04/09/2026	ME - B2026-010/ELIZABETH	3,865.00
94803	SWEET JESSICA	1	C0095443	TRANSCRIPTION	04/16/2026	DA - 24CF128 &	92.00
94803	SWEET JESSICA	1	C0095444	TRANSCRIPTION	04/16/2026	DA - 24CF128/TRANSCRIPTION	420.00
94803	SWEET JESSICA	1	C0095445	TRANSCRIPTION	04/16/2026	DA - 26CF76/TRANSCRIPTION	20.00
250473	MALSOM KATHY A	1	C0095446	TRANSCRIPTION	04/16/2026	DA - 24CF128/TRANSCRIPTION	94.50
192341	LUNDMARK STACI JO	1	C0095447	TRANSCRIPTION	04/16/2026	DA - 24CF128/TRANSCRIPTION	10.00
37281	REGISTRATION FEE TRUST	1	C0095448	INVESTIGATION	04/16/2026	DA - CERTIFIED RECORD/D	2.00
35033	DUNN CO CLERK OF COURTS	1	C0095449	COPYING/DUPLICATING	04/16/2026	DA - 24CF380/COPIES	6.25
14095	POLK CO SHERIFF'S OFFICE	1	C0095450	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - PROCESS # 2026-00000127	125.00
14095	POLK CO SHERIFF'S OFFICE	1	C0095451	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - PROCESS # 2026-00000120	125.00
187046	SAUK CO SHERIFF	1	C0095452	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - IN202600441	60.00
187046	SAUK CO SHERIFF	1	C0095453	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - IN202600442	60.00
11177	WASHBURN CO SHERIFF DEPARTM	1	C0095454	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - IN202600050	75.00
11177	WASHBURN CO SHERIFF DEPARTM	1	C0095455	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - IN202600042	75.00

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173444	WVWP	1	C0095456	REGISTRATION FEES	04/16/2026	DA - WVWP CONF/SMITH	100.00
187046	SAUK CO SHERIFF	1	C0095457	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - IN202600383	60.00
190888	WAUPACA CO SHERIFF	1	C0095458	PAPER SERVICE	04/16/2026	DA - PROCESS # P26-0054	75.00
105074	VERIZON	1	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	COURTS - 342025521-00001	21.03
105074	VERIZON	2	C0095493	Agency Overhead Telephone	04/16/2026	HHS - 342025521-00001	42.06
105074	VERIZON	3	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 342025521-00001	126.17
105074	VERIZON	4	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	PARKS - 342025521-00001	21.03
105074	VERIZON	5	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	EM - 342025521-00002	37.99
105074	VERIZON	6	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	ADMIN - 683012362-00001	40.96
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105074	VERIZON	8	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	ADRC - 683012362-00001	0.34
105074	VERIZON	9	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	ADRC - 683012362-00001	1.19
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105074	VERIZON	14	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	ADRC - 683012362-00001	0.07
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105074	VERIZON	17	C0095493	PROGRAMMING	04/16/2026	CO CLK - 683012362-00001	40.29
105074	VERIZON	18	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	DA - 683012362-00001	45.32
105074	VERIZON	19	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	BCEDC - 683012362-00001	45.32
105074	VERIZON	20	C0095493	Birth to Three-Telephone-Non SPC	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	140.87
105074	VERIZON	21	C0095493	Enviro Health Sanitarian - Telephone	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	130.93
105074	VERIZON	22	C0095493	WIC-Telephone-Non SPC	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	0.07
105074	VERIZON	23	C0095493	WIC BF Telephone	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	45.32
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105074	VERIZON	25	C0095493	FTCE Telephone	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	22.65
105074	VERIZON	26	C0095493	BFI PrchServ Telephone	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	11.32
105074	VERIZON	27	C0095493	ARPA Phone	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	11.32
105074	VERIZON	28	C0095493	S.S. Overhead Telephone	04/16/2026	HHS - 683012362-00001	2,198.58
105074	VERIZON	29	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 683012362-00001	85.61
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105074	VERIZON	32	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 683012362-00001	38.01
105074	VERIZON	33	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 683012362-00001	40.29
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105074	VERIZON	35	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 683012362-00001	45.37
105074	VERIZON	36	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 683012362-00001	37.99
105074	VERIZON	37	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 683012362-00001	45.32
105074	VERIZON	38	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	HWY - 683012362-00001	37.99
105074	VERIZON	39	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	LS- 683012362-00001	449.01
105074	VERIZON	40	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	MAINT - 683012362-00001	140.93

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105074	VERIZON	43	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	ME - 683012362-00001	272.57
105074	VERIZON	44	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	PARKS - 683012362-00001	0.26
105074	VERIZON	45	C0095493	TELEPHONE & TELEPHONE MAINTENANCE	04/16/2026	IT - 683012362-00001	146.00
105074	VERIZON	46	C0095493	INTERNET	04/16/2026	IT - 683012362-00001	77.98
105074	VERIZON	47	C0095493	TELEPHONE	04/16/2026	SHERIFF - 683012362-00001	3,332.24
54933	WOLD ARCHITECTS & ENGINEERS	1	C0095494	ENGINEERING & ARCHITECTURAL	04/16/2026	SALLY PORT - INV 11610	749.07
126403	MARKET & JOHNSON INC	1	C0095495	GENERAL CONSTRUCTION	04/16/2026	SALLY PORT - INV 032603	268,759.39
168912	LARSEN ELECTRONICS	1	C0095496	GENERAL CONSTRUCTION	04/16/2026	SALLY PORT - INV 4640/PARTS	348.00
168912	LARSEN ELECTRONICS	2	C0095496	GENERAL CONSTRUCTION	04/16/2026	SALLY PORT - INV 4640/LABOR	7,990.00
93084	BOB BARKER COMPANY INC	1	C0095497	MISC EXPENSE	04/16/2026	SALLY PORT - INV2221942	5,593.68
88277	GRAINGER	1	C0095498	MISC EXPENSE	04/16/2026	SALLY PORT - INV9851010604	399.96
319244	OAKLEAF CLINICS INC	1	C0095499	OAKLEAF DIRECT	04/16/2026	ADMIN - OAKLEAF MEMBERSHIP	41,960.00
258911	REALIVING LLC	1	C0095500	CONTRACTED SERVICES - EAP	04/16/2026	ADMIN - EAP SESSION 1/7/26	100.00
258911	REALIVING LLC	2	C0095500	CONTRACTED SERVICES - EAP	04/16/2026	ADMIN - EAP SESSIONS 2/4/26 &	200.00
258911	REALIVING LLC	3	C0095500	CONTRACTED SERVICES - EAP	04/16/2026	ADMIN - EAP COACHING SESSION	100.00
1015	CUMBERLAND ADVOCATE	1	C0095501	PUBLICATIONS	04/16/2026	TREAS - TAX DEED INSERT INV	481.00
107255	WI ASSN OF COUNTY CORP. COUN	1	C0095502	MEMBERSHIP DUES	04/16/2026	CORP COUNSEL - MEMBERSHIP -	100.00
107255	WI ASSN OF COUNTY CORP. COUN	2	C0095502	MEMBERSHIP DUES	04/16/2026	CORP COUNSEL - MEMBERSHIP -	100.00
44474	NORTHWOOD TECH COLLEGE	1	C0095503	VOLUNTEER EDUC & TRAINING	04/16/2026	EM - 2025 HMEP GRANT CUMB FD	873.68
44474	NORTHWOOD TECH COLLEGE	1	C0095504	VOLUNTEER EDUC & TRAINING	04/16/2026	EM - 2025 HMEP GRANT	574.12
44474	NORTHWOOD TECH COLLEGE	1	C0095505	VOLUNTEER EDUC & TRAINING	04/16/2026	EM - 2025 HMEP GRANT CHETEK	543.55
191019	RUSK COUNTY ADRC	1	C0095506	ADRC Overhead Rusk	04/16/2026	ADRC OVERHEAD - JANUARY	30,039.33
101214	ALMENA MEAT COMPANY INC	1	C0095507	EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION & TRAINING	04/16/2026	ADMIN - EMPLOYEE LUNCH	546.17
67083	POLK CO EXTENSION OFFICE	1	C0095508	4-H CAMP FEES	04/16/2026	EXTENSION - 2025 BASE CAMP	110.59
7846	CITY OF RICE LAKE	1	C0095510	OMITTED TAX	04/16/2026	TREAS - SHARING OF OMITTED	9,410.69
200018	MEYER JOAN K	1	C0095528	RESTITUTION FUNDS	04/23/2026	DA - RESTITUTION/NINKE	2,331.90
260665	JOHNSON TRUCK BODIES	1	C0095529	RESTITUTION FUNDS	04/23/2026	DA - RESTITUTION/NICKELL	50.00
63517	NAGEL SCOTT	1	C0095530	RESTITUTION FUNDS	04/23/2026	DA - RESTITUTION/LARSON	100.00
273910	HILE JONATHAN W	1	C0095531	RESTITUTION FUNDS	04/23/2026	DA - RESTITUTION/MARSH	10,000.00
258911	REALIVING LLC	1	C0095532	CONTRACTED SERVICES - EAP	04/23/2026	ADMIN - EAP MARCH-MAY 2026	1,976.25
307637	DELTA DENTAL OF WISCONSIN	1	C0095533	DELTA DENTAL - TRADITIONAL/HIGH	04/23/2026	ADMIN - PAYROLL DENTAL INSUR	13,005.66
307637	DELTA DENTAL OF WISCONSIN	2	C0095533	DELTA DENTAL - PREVENTIVE/LOW	04/23/2026	ADMIN - PAYROLL DENTAL INSUR	3,910.61
4405	CLIFTONLARSONALLEN	1	C0095534	ACCOUNTING & AUDITING	04/23/2026	ADMIN - INV L261207348	4,200.00
109193	MENARDS - RICE LAKE STORE	1	C0095535	EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION & TRAINING	04/23/2026	ADMIN - INV 97307	19.92
210323	ROUTE 961 TRAINING & CONSULTA	1	C0095536	EDUCATION & TRAINING	04/23/2026	SHERIFF - TRAINING INV 1090	300.00
73113	FIDLAR TECHNOLOGIES	1	C0095537	ON-LINE ACCESS FEE PAYMNT TO FIDLAR	04/23/2026	ROD - 0243104-IN	606.43
31836	SECURIAN FINANCIAL GROUP INC	1	C0095538	LIFE INSURANCE DEDUCTIONS	04/23/2026	ADMIN - LIFE INSUR MAY 2026	5,742.37
31836	SECURIAN FINANCIAL GROUP INC	2	C0095538	LIFE INSURANCE-EMPLOYER SHARE	04/23/2026	ADMIN - LIFE INSUR MAY 2026	1,864.02
313521	STATE OF WISCONSIN	1	C0095539	ADMINISTRATION	04/23/2026	ADMIN - CDBG-RLF HOUSING	3,915.90
313521	STATE OF WISCONSIN	2	C0095539	ADMINISTRATION	04/23/2026	ADMIN - CDBG-RLF HOUSING	3,915.91
313890	TRACKER MARINE BOAT CENTER L	1	C0095540	OTHER CAPITAL EQUIPMENT	04/23/2026	SHERIFF - MERCURY MARINE	52,660.76

Payment Request Verification - Online Voucher

COUNTY OF BARRON

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Vendor	Vendor Name	Line	Voucher	Account Description	Date	Description	Amount
306096	KONECT	1	C0095541	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	04/23/2026	TREAS -	2,200.00
162493	VON BRIESEN & ROPER S.C. ATTYS	1	C0095542	ATTORNEY FEES	04/23/2026	ADMIN - INV 526641	6,517.50
Totals:							\$723,813.04

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