## RESOLUTION OF TOWN BOARD PROPOSING TO EXCEED LEVY LIMIT

## Town of LaFollette, Burnett County Resolution No. 2023-002

Whereas, the State of Wisconsin has imposed levy limits on town, village, city, and county levies for 2023 and thereafter under Wis. Stat. § 66.0602;

Whereas, Wis. Stat. § 66.0602 limits the allowable local levy for 2023 to a percentage increase of no more than the greater of (a) zero percent of the 2022 payable 2023 adjusted actual levy as calculated under the state's levy limit I:w or (b) a percentage equal to the percent change in equalized value due to net new construction less improvements removed, which for the Town of LaFollette is **0.498%**;

Whereas, the town board of the Town of LaFollette, Burnett County, believes that for the 2023 tax levy (to be collected in 2024) it is in the town's best interest to exceed the state levy limit as described above by a greater percentage than **0.498%**;

Whereas, the Town of LaFollette's 2022 payable 2023 adjusted actual tax levy was \$131,905, and further whereas the state law would limit this year's increase to \$527, for a total allowable town tax levy after adjustments for 2023 (to be collected in 2024) of \$132,432;

THEREFORE, the town board of the Town of LaFollette, Burnett County does hereby resolve and order as follows:

- 1. The town board supports an increase in the town tax levy for 2023 that will exceed the amount allowed by the state levy limit.
- The town board directs that the question of increasing the allowable town tax levy for 2023 (to be collected in 2024) by 113.27%, which would increase the town levy by \$150,000, for a total tax levy (after adjustments) of \$282,432 shall be placed on the agenda for the special town meeting to be held on October 16, 2023.

Adopted this 27th day of September, 2023.

Signature of Town Chair:

Darwyn Brown

Signature of Town Supervisor:

Signature of Town Supervisor:

Scott P. Lauder

Attested by Town Clerk

## RESOLUTION BY TOWN ELECTORS TO ENDORSE THE TOWN BOARD'S RESOLUTION TO EXCEED THE LEVY LIMIT

## Town of LaFollette, Burnett County Resolution No. 2023-002

Whereas, the State of Wisconsin has imposed levy limits on town tax levies for 2023 and thereafter under  $\forall$  is. Stat. § 66.0602;

Whereas, Wis. Stat. § 66.0602(5) allows the town electors in a town with a population of less than 3,000 to exceed the maximum allowable levy limit by adoption of a resolution at a town meeting of the town electors;

Whereas, the town board has adopted a resolution (Resolution 2023-002) supporting an increase in the town tax levy which would exceed the maximum allowable state levy limit for the Town of LaFollette;

Whereas, a special town meeting of the town electors has been called and properly noticed to consider the adoption of a resolution to endorse a town board resolution to exceed the state levy limits, specifically by increasing the allowable town tax levy for 2023 (to be collected in 2024) by 113.27%;

THEREFORE, the special town meeting of the Town of LaFollette, Burnett County, Wisconsin, by a majerity vote of the eligible electors duly assembled and voting on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2023, hereby resolves and orders as follows:

- 1. The town electors of the Town of LaFollette, Burnett County, Wisconsin endorse the town board resolution to increase the town tax levy for 2023 (to be collected in 2024) by 113.27% over the state's allowable 2023 levy limit, for a dollar increase of \$150,000 over the allowable 2023 town tax levy.
- 2. The town clerk shall post or publish this resolution as required by law under Wis. Stat. § 60.80(1)(a) within 30 days after its adoption.

Adopted this 16 <sup>th</sup> day of October, 2023, at a Special Town Meeting of the Town Electors.
Number of town electors voting aye 18
Number of town electors voting nay
Number abstaining or not voting (if determined)
Signature of Town Meeting Chair: Darwyn Brown  Darwyn Brown
Attested by Town Clerk: Sandy Hinkley