

January 15, 2020

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

**RESOLUTION AFFIRMING SUPPORT OF
BROWN COUNTY CITIZENS' CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS**

WHEREAS, the Brown County Board of Supervisors was elected to represent the citizens of Brown County, and have sworn by their Oath of Office to uphold the United States Constitution and the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin State Senators and State Representatives have also sworn by their Oath of Office to uphold the United States Constitution and the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, the Brown County Code of Ordinances states, in its Code of Ethics Section 1.11(2), as follows: *"(2) Responsibility of Public Office. Public officials and employees hold office for the benefit of the public. They are bound to uphold the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State; to observe the highest standards of law in the exercise of the powers and duties of their office; to impartially carry out the laws of the nation, state and County; to discharge faithfully the duties of their office regardless of personal considerations; and to recognize that the public interest must be their prime concern;"* and

WHEREAS, the County Board recognizes its ethical obligation to carry out the laws of the nation, state and county, including any and all enacted Amendments to the State and/or Federal Constitutions, including the constitutional right of the people of Brown County to keep and bear arms as is noted in the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, Article 1, Section 25, which states, *"The people have the right to keep and bear arms for security, defense, hunting, recreation or any*

other lawful purpose.”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Brown County Board of Supervisors hereby affirms its support to recognize and uphold the constitutional rights of all Brown County citizens as guaranteed by the United States and Wisconsin Constitutions.

Fiscal Note: This resolution does not require an appropriation from the General Fund. It is a “Sense of the Board” Resolution and does not fiscally obligate the county to take any action.

Respectfully submitted,

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Approved By:

Troy Streckenbach
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date Signed: _____

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Authored by:

Approved by:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ROLL CALL # _____

Motion made by Supervisor _____

Seconded by Supervisor _____

SUPERVISORS	DIST. #	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	EXCUSED
SIEBER	1				
DE WANE	2				
NICHOLSON	3				
HOYER	4				
GRUSZYNSKI	5				
LEFEBVRE	6				
ERICKSON	7				
BORCHARDT	8				
EVANS	9				
VANDER LEEST	10				
BUCKLEY	11				
LANDWEHR	12				
DANTINNE, JR	13				

SUPERVISORS	DIST. #	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	EXCUSED
BRUSKY	14				
BALLARD	15				
KASTER	16				
VAN DYCK	17				
LINSSEN	18				
KNEISZEL	19				
DESLAURIERS	20				
TRAN	21				
MOYNHAN, JR.	22				
SUENNEN	23				
SCHADEWALD	24				
LJUND	25				
DENEYS	26				