1 2 3 4	RESOLUTION NO RESOLUTION DECLARING VERNON COUNTY TO BE A SECOND AMENDMENT PRESERVATION COUNTY
5	WHEREAS, the right of the people to keep and bear arms is guaranteed as an individual right
6	under the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution, which states "A well
7	regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to
8	keep and bear arms shall not be infringed." and
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10	WHEREAS, under the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, Article 1, Section 25, which
11	states, "The people have the right to keep and bear arms for security, defense, hunting,
12	recreation or any other lawful purpose," and
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14	WHEREAS, the right of the people to keep and bear arms for defense of life, liberty, and
15	property is regarded as a fundamental right held by the citizens of Vernon County, Wisconsin;
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18	WHEREAS, the citizens of Vernon County, Wisconsin derive economic benefit from all safe
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19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26	forms of firearms recreation, hunting, and shooting conducted within Vernon County using all types of firearms allowable under the United States Constitution and the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin; and WHEREAS, Wisconsin State Senators, State Representatives, and the Vernon County Board of Supervisors, each having been elected to represent the citizens of Vernon County, and each having been sworn by their Oath of Office to uphold the United States Constitution and

30 the constitutionally protected right of citizens to keep and bear arms; and

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WHEREAS, it is desirable to declare that Vernon County is a Second Amendment
 Preservation County, as Vernon County opposes the enactment of any executive order or
 legislation that would infringe upon the constitutional right of the people of Vernon County to
 keep and bear arms.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Vernon County Board of Supervisors hereby declares Vernon County to be a Second Amendment Preservation County, and hereby states its opposition to the enactment of any executive order or legislation that which would abolish, diminish, or in any way infringe upon the Second Amendment rights of citizens, which if implemented would ban or impose additional regulations regarding the possession of and use of any firearms, firearm accessories, magazines, or ammunition.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Vernon County Board hereby states its opposition to the enactment of any executive order or legislative action under consideration which would implement any firearms or confiscation or "buy back" laws, implement any new background checks or firearms owner I.D requirements, or cause the establishment of a punitive tax on the purchase or possession of firearms, firearm accessories, magazines and ammunition.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Vernon County Board opposes any executive order or
legislative action under consideration which would implement any type of "red flag laws"
which would abolish, diminish, or in any way infringe upon the full legal rights of due
process, as guaranteed to all citizens.

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56 Drafted by Vernon County Supervisor Roger Call. The Second Amendment Resolutions of

57 Wisconsin Counties Monroe, Langlade, and Vilas, along with Arizona Maricopa County, were

referenced to DRAFT this resolution. Submitted for future consideration at the 3-12-2020 Law

59 Enforcement Meeting, and / or future consideration by the full County Board TBD.