ROLL CALL - COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MARQUETTE COUNTY, WISCONSIN

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ROLL CALL

SUPERVISORS	YES	NO
Borzick	☐	☐
Buchholz	☐	☐
Fenner	☐	☐ absent
Gibeaut	☐	☐
Goldsmith	☐	☐
Krentz	☐	☐ absent
Locke	☐	☐
Mack	☐	☐
McGwin	☐	☐
Miller	☐	☐
Nigbor	☐	☐
O'Brien	☐	☐
Raddatz	☐	☐
Rosenthal	☐	☐
Sheller	☐	☐
Thalacker	☐	☐ absent
Walters	☐	☐

adopted by voice vote

ADOPTED ☒
DEFEATED ☐

VOTE TALLY

YES	14
NO	0
ABSENT	3
ABSTAIN	0

INTRODUCED BY:

Mary P Walters

Committee Recommendation:
Judicial & Public Safety Committee

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
) SS
County of Marquette)

I, Gary L. Sorensen, County Clerk of Marquette County, Wisconsin do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the resolution passed by the Marquette County Board of Supervisors on this date.

10-16-2018 > Gary L Sorensen
Date Gary L. Sorensen, County Clerk

October 16, 2018 Session Resolution 67-2018

RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE OF WISCONSIN TO INCREASE COMPENSATION FOR DEFENSE COUNSEL ASSIGNED BY THE STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER

WHEREAS, compensation to attorneys will be increasing per a directive from the State Supreme Court for services rendered by court appointed attorneys when the State Public Defender is unable to provide defense due to income guidelines and other factors preventing same, and

WHEREAS, there is concern by counties that counsel appointed at county expense and accused persons being held in jail longer pending appointment of counsel are leading to budget issues for law enforcement, the courts and a delay in obtaining justice for victims.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Marquette County Board of Supervisors does hereby urge the State of Wisconsin to provide sufficient resources to the Office of the Public Defender to ensure that the criminal justice system operates effectively and efficiently, including the rate of reimbursement for private attorneys appointed by the Public Defender to a rate that will ensure prompt appointment of counsel and that cases are handled in a timely and efficient manner; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the County Clerk is directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Governor of the State of Wisconsin, our area state legislators and the Wisconsin Counties Association.