



DOOR COUNTY

ROLL CALL Board Members	Aye	Nay	Exc.
AUSTAD			
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CHOMEAU			
D. ENGLEBERT			
R. ENGLEBERT			
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FISHER			
GUNNLAUGSSON			
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KOCH			
KOHOUT			
LIENAU			
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NORTON			
ROBILLARD			
SCHULTZ			
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VLIES WOTACHEK			
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BOARD ACTION

Vote Required: Majority Vote of a Quorum

Motion to Approve Adopted

1st _____ Defeated

2nd _____

Yes: _____ No: _____ Exc: _____

Reviewed by: _____, Corp. Counsel

Reviewed by: _____, Administrator

FISCAL IMPACT: There is no fiscal implication with the adoption of this resolution. STW

Certification:

I, Jill M. Lau, Clerk of Door County, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution that was adopted on the 18th day of December, 2018 by the Door County Board of Supervisors.

Jill M. Lau
County Clerk, Door County

Resolution No. 2018-88

SUPPORT FOR LEGALIZATION OF MEDICAL CANNABIS

TO THE DOOR COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

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WHEREAS, Existing (Wisconsin and federal) law criminalizes the possession and use of cannabis (i.e., tetrahydrocannabinols, commonly known as “THC”); and

WHEREAS, As of November, 2018, the use of cannabis for medical purposes is legal in 33 states; and

WHEREAS, While there is a dearth of rigorous peer-reviewed studies (clinical trials), the relative benefits and risks of medical cannabis are believed to be reasonably well understood; and

WHEREAS, The Door County Board of Supervisors supports Wisconsin taking steps toward cannabis legalization for medical purposes; and

WHEREAS, These steps would include the research, consideration and development of regulations and rules that will enable persons who are in demonstrated need of cannabis for specified medical purposes to obtain and use cannabis under limited circumstances and address any anticipated negative secondary effects to public health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, The legalization of medical cannabis without appropriate rules and regulations could result in the creation of negative secondary effects to public health, safety and welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Door County Board of Supervisors hereby expresses its support for Wisconsin taking steps toward cannabis legalization for medical purposes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Door County Clerk is directed to provide a copy of this resolution to the all Wisconsin County Clerks, the Wisconsin Counties Association, each state and federal legislator representing Door County, Governor Scott Walker, and Governor-elect Tony Evers.

SUBMITTED BY:

David Lienau, Chairman
Door County Board of Supervisors