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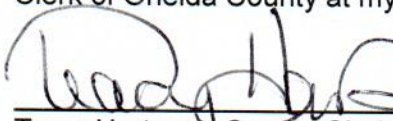
Heidi Nehls
Chief Deputy

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Deputy Clerk

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
County of Oneida)

I, Tracy Hartman, County Clerk in and for said County, do hereby certify that the attached copy has been compared by me with the original Resolution #72-2019 adopted by the Oneida County Board of Supervisors at the regular meeting held on September 17, 2019; that it is a true and correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof, as the same remains of record in my office.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunder set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Clerk of Oneida County at my office in Rhineland, Wisconsin on September 21, 2019.


Tracy Hartman, County Clerk



RESOLUTION # 72-2019

Resolution requesting the Wisconsin legislature end the use of personal conviction waivers for school and day care center immunizations

Resolution approved for presentation to the Oneida County Board by the Board of Health

Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wisconsin:

WHEREAS, there are multiple important and potentially dangerous communicable diseases that are preventable by vaccinations currently required by Wisconsin law for school and day care attendance; and

WHEREAS, vaccine-preventable diseases can be very contagious, and can result in serious health complications, including pneumonia and encephalitis, and lead to death; and

WHEREAS, the effectiveness and safety of vaccines have been well established; and

WHEREAS, the Affordable Care Act has improved insurance coverage for vaccinations, which are readily available in medical offices and pharmacies, and public health departments continue to serve those eligible for the Vaccines for Children Program; and

WHEREAS, all states require certain vaccines for school entry in order to

- a) assure that individual children do not contract disease in the social setting of school,
- b) protect other students from being at risk of disease and death from exposure to an individual student; and
- c) protect the broader community from these serious illnesses, including individuals who are immunocompromised and those who cannot receive vaccines for *bona fide* medical reasons; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's immunization law Wis. Stat. § 252.04(3), Wis. Admin. Code § DHS 144.06, makes Wisconsin one of only 16 states that permits parents to opt out or waive some or all of the vaccinations required to attend school or group day care based on their personal beliefs; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's percentage of students with religious and medical waivers have remained relatively constant over the past decade at less than 1%, but the percentage of students with a personal conviction waiver in Wisconsin increased from 1.2% during the 1997-98 school year to an alarming 4.6% during 2018-19; and

WHEREAS, outbreaks of measles have impacted multiple states in 2019, and a number of other serious vaccine-preventable disease outbreaks have occurred in Wisconsin over the past 2 decades; and

WHEREAS, several other states have recently removed personal belief exemptions from their legal codes, such that 34 states now prohibit the use of personal belief exemptions for school and daycare immunizations; and

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Public Health Association (WPHA) and the Wisconsin Association of Local Health Departments and Boards (WALHDAB) both support a change in

Consent Agenda

Supervisors	AYE	NAY	ABS	ABSTAIN
VanRaalte	—	—	X	
Jensen	X			
Fried	X			
Pence	X			
Kelly	X			
Winkler	X			
Metropulos	X			
Krolczyk	X			
Schreier	X			
Almekinder	X			
Mott	—	—	X	
Ives	X			
Timmons	X			
Cushing	X			
Paszak	X			
Liebert	X			
Holewinski	X			
Oettinger	X			
Sorensen	X			
Fisher	X			
Hintz	X			
TOTALS	19		2	
TAGS				
Ben Kebusiak				

Resolution # 68 - 2019: Offered by the Supervisors of the Land Records Committee approving the conveyance of part of PIN SC 132-2 to Nancy E. Murphy Benes and part of Pin SC 132-2 to the Town of Schoepke.

Resolution # 69 - 2019: Offered by the Supervisors of the Land Records Committee approving the conveyance of part of PIN CA 331-2 to Ronald Henriksson.

Resolution # 70 - 2019: Offered by the Supervisors of the Land Records Committee approving the conveyance of part of PIN SC 152-1 to Gary A. Gattton and Linda J. Gattton and a part of PIN SC 152-1 to the Town of Schoepke.

Resolution # 71 - 2019: Offered by the Supervisors of the Land Records Committee approving the conveyance of part of PIN SC 685-2 to the Town of Schoepke.

Resolution # 72 - 2019: Offered by the Supervisors of the Oneida County Board of Health requesting the Wisconsin Legislature end the use of personal conviction waivers for school and day care center immunizations