RESOLUTION #26 -2017

INTRODUCED BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

INTENT: REQUEST TO CONTINUE FUNDING THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) - HOUSING PROGRAM IN THE FEDERAL BUDGET.

WHEREAS, Federal lawmakers will be considering a proposal to remove funding for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) - Housing Program from the Federal Budget,

WHEREAS, the counties of Langlade, Lincoln, Menominee, Forest, Florence, Oconto, Oneida, Shawano, and Vilas have partnered together in the Northwoods Region for the distribution of the CDBG funds within these counties; and

WHEREAS, the CDBG program has helped over 155 low income individuals receive much needed funding for home repairs; and

WHEREAS, the loss of this program could be detrimental to being able to keep low income individuals in their homes.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by a majority vote of the Langlade County Board of Supervisors to encourage Federal lawmakers to continue funding for the Community Development Block Grant Program, and to have a copy of this resolution be sent to all Wisconsin Senators and members of Congress representing the State of Wisconsin.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Don Scupien, Chairman
Vernon Cahill
Douglas Neuenmaecher
Ronald Nye
Pete Pennington

FISCAL NOTE: The grants received since the Northwoods Region was formed total $5,083,164.

ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF LANGLADE COUNTY THIS 18th OF APRIL, 2017

JUDY NAGEL, COUNTY CLERK