RESOLUTION: #61-2017

INTRODUCED BY: BOARD OF HEALTH

INTENT: SUPPORT PROPOSED LEGISLATION WHICH RATIFIES AND ENTERS WISCONSIN INTO THE ENHANCED NURSE LICENSURE COMPACT and SUPPORT PROPOSED ASSEMBLY BILL 500 LEGISLATION WHICH RATIFIES AND ENTERS WISCONSIN INTO THE ENHANCED NURSE LICENSURE COMPACT

WHEREAS, Legislation has been introduced which ratifies and enters Wisconsin into the Enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact, and

WHEREAS, the enhanced compact replaced the original Nurse Licensure Compact, which was ratified in Wisconsin in 1999, and

WHEREAS, under both versions of the compact, a Nurse, whether a registered nurse or a licensed practical nurse, who is licensed in a state that has adopted the compact may practice in any other party state without needing to separately obtain a license in that other party state, and

WHEREAS, the Enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact extends the time limit for emergency rule procedures, and providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures.

WHEREAS, the undersigned members of the Board of Health Committee recommends adoption of the following Resolution,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Langlade County Board of Supervisors does support proposed legislation which ratifies and enters Wisconsin into the Enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact and that the Langlade County Clerk be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Health Director, the Governor, Legislature and Wisconsin Counties Association.

BOARD OF HEALTH:

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Fiscal Note:

Adopted by the County Board of Langlade County, this 28th day of November, 2017.

Judy Nagel, County Clerk