

LOCK IN & ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NOS. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23 & ORDINANCE NO. F—2022-23.


Vote for lock in. ROLL CALL: 34 yes, 1 absent, 1 vacant. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23 & ORDINANCE NO. F—2022-23.

VOTE RESULTS

34 YES 0 NO 0 ABSTAIN 2 ABSENT

Lock In of Resolution Nos. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23, Ordinance No. F—2022-23

Lock in of Resolution Nos. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23, Ordinance No. F—2022-23

 **Passed By Majority Vote**

1 THOMPSON	YES	13 WEGAND	YES	25 NOOYEN	YES
2 MILLER	YES	14 HERMES	YES	26 WEINBERG	YES
3 SMITH	YES	15 MacDONALD	YES	27 CULBERTSON	YES
4 PATIENCE	YES	16 SCHROEDER	YES	28 MONFILS	YES
5 GABRIELSON	YES	17 CROATT	YES	29 WINTERFELDT	YES
6 KONETZKE	YES	18 SPEARS	YES	30 NEJEDLO	ABSENT
7 HAMMEN	YES	19 COOKE	YES	31 CLEGG	YES
8 LAWRENCE	YES	20 SANTONATO	YES	32 THYSSEN	YES
9 KRUEGER	YES	21 CUFF	YES	33 VANDERHEIDEN	YES
10 LAMERS	YES	22 HAGEN	YES	34 RETTLER	YES
11 FERGUSON	YES	23 KLEMP	YES	35 VACANT	ABSENT
12 McCABE	YES	24 THIEDE	YES	36 LAUTENSCHLAGER	YES



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RECONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NOS. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23 & ORDINANCE NO. F—2022-23.

Supervisor Smith moved, seconded by Supervisor VanderHeiden, to reconsider Resolution Nos. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23 & Ordinance F—2022-23 for the purpose of lock in.

Vote for reconsideration. ROLL CALL: 34 yes, 1 absent, 1 vacant. RESOLUTION NOS. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23 & ORDINANCE NO. F—2022-23.

VOTE RESULTS

34 YES 0 NO 0 ABSTAIN 2 ABSENT

Reconsideration of Resolution Nos. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23 Ordinance No. F—2

Reconsideration of Resolution Nos. 151, 152, 153, 154, 155—2022-23, Ordinance No. F—2022-23

Passed By Majority Vote

1 THOMPSON	YES	13 WEGAND	YES	25 NOOYEN	YES
2 MILLER	YES	14 HERMES	YES	26 WEINBERG	YES
3 SMITH	YES	15 MacDONALD	YES	27 CULBERTSON	YES
4 PATIENCE	YES	16 SCHROEDER	YES	28 MONFILS	YES
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8 LAWRENCE	YES	20 SANTONATO	YES	32 THYSSEN	YES
9 KRUEGER	YES	21 CUFF	YES	33 VANDERHEIDEN	YES
10 LAMERS	YES	22 HAGEN	YES	34 RETTLER	YES
11 FERGUSON	YES	23 KLEMP	YES	35 VACANT	ABSENT
12 McCABE	YES	24 THIEDE	YES	36 LAUTENSCHLAGER	YES



Resolution No. 155—2022-23 – Health and Human Services Committee and Public Safety Committee. Approve to request the Governor and the State Legislature to fully support extending the five-county pilot program for representation of parents in CHIPS proceedings until 2025.

Supervisor Spears moved, seconded by Supervisor Cooke, for adoption.

ROLL CALL: 34 yes, 1 absent, 1 vacant. RESOLUTION NO. 155—2022-23 IS ADOPTED.

VOTE RESULTS

34 YES 0 NO 0 ABSTAIN 2 ABSENT

Resolution No. 155—2022-23

Health and Human Services Committee and Public Safety Committee. Approve to request the Governor and the five-county pilot program for representation of parents in CHIPS proceedings until 2025.

Passed By Majority Vote

1 THOMPSON	YES	13 WEGAND	YES	25 NOOYEN	YES
2 MILLER	YES	14 HERMES	YES	26 WEINBERG	YES
3 SMITH	YES	15 MacDONALD	YES	27 CULBERTSON	YES
4 PATIENCE	YES	16 SCHROEDER	YES	28 MONFILS	YES
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10 LAMERS	YES	22 HAGEN	YES	34 RETTLER	YES
11 FERGUSON	YES	23 KLEMP	YES	35 VACANT	ABSENT
12 McCABE	YES	24 THIEDE	YES	36 LAUTENSCHLAGER	YES



RESOLUTION NO.: 155—2022-23

TO THE HONORABLE, THE OUTAGAMIE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

MAJORITY

1 Under current law, a parent is generally not entitled to representation by a public defender
2 in a proceeding under the Children’s Code in which a child is alleged to be in need of
3 protection or services. In 2018 Outagamie County was chosen to participate in a five-
4 county pilot program that requires the State Public Defender to assign counsel to any non-
5 petitioning parent of these cases. However, the pilot program is set to expire June 30,
6 2023.

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8 Since the inception of the pilot program on July 1, 2018 through December 31, 2022, the
9 State Public Defender (SPD) made approximately 3,200 attorney appointments for parents
10 in the five pilot counties, of which Outagamie County made 426 appointments. Three
11 goals of the pilot program as it relates to child welfare and children in out-of-home care
12 are to increase permanency, decrease reentry to out-of-home care, and reduce length of
13 stay in an out-of-home episode. According to data from the electronic Wisconsin
14 Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System, the five pilot counties with
15 SPD’s had a higher permanency rate than non-SPD counties as well as a lower median
16 length of out-of-home care episode than non-SPD counties.

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18 Funding for the pilot program was provided to SPD to offset the cost of the pilot program
19 from Fiscal Year 2019 – 2021. Costs did not exceed the original appropriation and no
20 additional funding was requested to continue program operation through Fiscal Year
21 2023.

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23 Based on the promising results from Wisconsin’s preliminary pilot data and research
24 indicating successful outcomes for children in other jurisdictions with parent
25 representation, the Wisconsin Department of Children and Families and the State Public
26 Defender’s Office support an extension to the CHIPS pilot program through June 30,
27 2025.

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29 The Governor’s budget proposal includes a recommendation to extend the five-county
30 pilot program for representation of parents in CHIPS proceedings until 2025. This
31 resolution requests the Governor and State Legislature to fully support extending the pilot
32 program.

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35 NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Health and Human Services Committee and
36 Public Safety Committee recommend adoption of the following resolution.

1 BE IT RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Board of Supervisors hereby requests the
2 Governor and the State Legislature fully support extending the five-county pilot program for
3 representation of parents in CHIPS proceedings until 2025, and

4 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Clerk be directed to forward a copy of
5 this resolution to the Wisconsin Counties Association and the Outagamie County Lobbyist for distribution
6 to the State Senators and State Representatives representing Outagamie County and the Governor of the
7 State of Wisconsin.

8 Dated this 28th day of March, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
COMMITTEE and
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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31 Duly and officially adopted by the County Board on: March 28, 2023

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33 Signed: [Signature]
34 Board Chairperson

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County Clerk

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36 Approved: 3 230/23

Vetoed: _____

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38 Signed: 7/1/23
39 County Executive