## RESOLUTION OF TOWN BOARD PROPOSING TO EXCEED LEVY LIMIT VIA SPECIAL TOWN ELECTOR MEETING

## Town of Rice Lake, Barron County Resolution No. 22-112 (AMENDED)

Whereas, the State of Wisconsin has imposed levy limits on town, village, city, and county levies for 2023 and thereafter under Wis. Stat. § 66.0602;

Whereas, Wis. Stat. § 66.0602 limits the allowable local levy for 2022 to a percentage increase of no more than the greater of (a) zero percent of the 2021 payable 2022 adjusted actual levy as calculated under the state's levy limit law or (b) a percentage equal to the percent change in equalized value due to net new construction less improvements removed, which for the Town of Rice Lake is 1.229%;

Whereas, the town board of the Town of Rice Lake, Barron County, believes that for the 2022 tax levy (to be collected in 2023) it is in the town's best interest to exceed the state levy limit as described above by a greater percentage than 1.229%;

Whereas, the Town of Rice Lake's 2021 payable 2022 adjusted actual tax levy was \$386,830, and further whereas the state law would limit this year's increase to \$4,754, for a total allowable town tax levy for 2022 (to be collected in 2023) of \$435,178;

THEREFORE, the town board of the Town of Rice Lake, Barron County does hereby resolve and order as follows:

- 1. The town board supports an increase in the town tax levy for 2022 that will exceed the amount allowed by the state levy limit.
- 2. The town board directs that the question of increasing the allowable town tax levy for 2022 (to be collected in 2023) by 25.783%, which would increase the town levy by \$112,200.00, for a total town tax levy (after adjustments) of \$547,378, shall be placed on the agenda for the special town elector meeting to be held on November 14, 2022.

Adopted this 20th day of October, 2022.

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David Crotteau, Supervisor III	Donald Putnam, Supervisor IV

## **CERTIFICATION**

The undersigned, Town Clerk for the Town of Rice Lake, does hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Rice Lake at a meeting held on October 20, 2022, which meeting was properly noticed and conducted in the manner provided for by law, and at which a quorum of members of the Town Board were present.

Dated this 20th day of October, 2022.

Janet Tomesh, Clerk/Treasurer Posted: October 21, 2022