

RESOLUTION J-19-003

**A RESOLUTION TERMINATING THE TOWN OF JACKSON'S
PARTICIPATION IN THE JOINT VILLAGE OF JACKSON/TOWN OF
JACKSON PLANNING GROUP**

THE TOWN BOARD of the Town of Jackson, Washington County, Wisconsin, does resolve as follows:

WHEREAS, in the beginning of January 1994, the Village of Jackson (“Village”) and the Town of Jackson (“Town”) held a series of meetings to discuss inter-municipal cooperation planning for lands located contiguous to the Village and Town boundaries. These meetings were brought about because of the imminent imposition of extraterritorial zoning authority by the Village.

WHEREAS, the Village and Town embarked upon a course to establish intergovernmental agreements to address boundary limits, land uses and other responsibilities jointly between the Town and the Village.

WHEREAS, between January 1994 and September 1999, an advisory body known as the Joint Village of Jackson/Town of Jackson Planning Group (“Group”) was established and met to discuss cooperative planning and boundary matters between the two municipalities. The Group continued to meet thereafter as necessary.

WHEREAS, litigation arose between the Town and Village along with property owners in the Town identified as the Jackson Town Residents Against Attachment (“JTRAA”). The lawsuit was commenced in 2014 and settled in 2018.

WHEREAS, the lawsuit resulted in a new Boundary Agreement between the Town and Village which was approved by the State of Wisconsin.

WHEREAS, the Town and Village are now proceeding separately with cooperative plans under Wis. Stat. §66.1001. The Town and Village had previously entered into a Joint 2035 Comprehensive Plan. As part of the negotiations for the new Boundary Agreement between the Town and the Village, the Town and the Village agreed to proceed with new, separate comprehensive plans.

WHEREAS, the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission (“SEWRPC”) has requested information relating to the continuation of the Group. Because the Town and Village have embarked upon new, separate comprehensive plans, the Group is no longer necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board does hereby decree that the Town’s participation in the Group shall be discontinued effective immediately upon execution of this Resolution.

Passed and approved this _____ day of _____, 2019.

**TOWN BOARD, TOWN OF JACKSON
WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

Introduced by: _____

Seconded by: _____

Vote: _____ ayes _____ nays

Attest: _____
Town Clerk, Julia Oliver

Raymond Heidtke – Town Chairman

Robert Hartwig, Town Supervisor

Joe Kufahl, Town Supervisor

Mary Bishop – Town Supervisor

Paul Huettl, Town Supervisor

Proof of Posting:

I, the undersigned, certify that I posted this Resolution on bulletin boards at the Town of Jackson, Post Office, and one other location in the Town.

Town Clerk, Julia Oliver

Date