

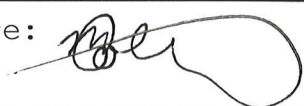
Kenosha



County

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

RESOLUTION NO. _____

Subject: 2017 International Migratory Bird Day Proclamation	
Original ☒ Corrected ☐ 2 nd Correction ☐ Resubmitted ☐	
Date Submitted: 11/22/16	Date Resubmitted:
Submitted by: Public Works/Parks	
Fiscal Note Attached	Legal Note Attached ☐
Prepared by: Matthew Collins	Signature: 

WHEREAS, migratory birds are some of the most beautiful and easily observed wildlife that share our communities, *and*

WHEREAS, many citizens recognize and welcome migratory songbirds as symbolic harbingers of spring, *and*

WHEREAS, these migrant species also play an important economic role in our community, controlling insect pests and generating millions in recreational dollars statewide, *and*

WHEREAS, migratory birds and their habitats are declining throughout the Americas, facing a growing number of threats on their migration routes and in both their summer and winter homes, *and*

WHEREAS, public awareness and concern are crucial components of migratory bird conservation, *and*

WHEREAS, citizens enthusiastic about birds, informed about the threats they face, and empowered to help address those threats can directly contribute to maintaining healthy bird populations, *and*

WHEREAS, since 1993 International Migratory Bird Day (IMDB) has become a primary vehicle for focusing public attention on the nearly 350 species that travel between nesting habitats in our communities and throughout North America and their wintering grounds in South and Central America, Mexico, the Caribbean, and southern U.S., *and*

WHEREAS, hundreds of thousands of people will observe IMDB, gathering in town squares, community centers, schools, parks, nature centers, and wildlife refuges to learn about birds, take action to conserve them, and simply to have fun, *and*

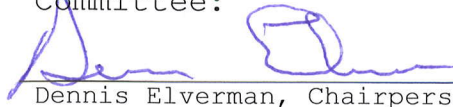
WHEREAS, while IMDB officially is held each year on the second Saturday in May, its observance is not limited to a single day, and planners are encouraged to schedule activities on the dates suited to the presence of both migrants and celebrants, *and*

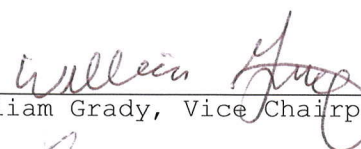
WHEREAS, IMDB is not only a day to foster appreciation for wild birds and to celebrate and support migratory bird conservation, but also a call to action,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Kenosha County Board of Supervisors proclaim September 16th, 2017 to be International Migratory Bird Day in Kenosha County and urge all citizens to celebrate this observance on September 16th at the Pringle Nature Center and to support efforts to protect and conserve migratory birds and their habitats in our community and the world at large.

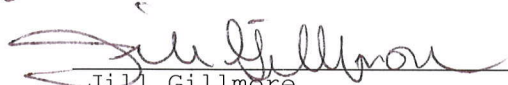
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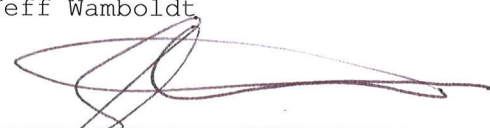
Committee:


Dennis Elverman, Chairperson

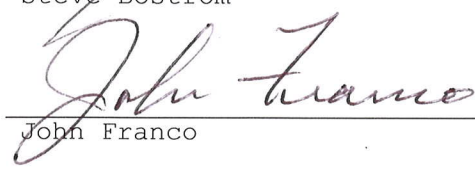

William Grady, Vice Chairperson


John O'Day


Jill Gillmore


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Steve Bostrom


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Aye Nay Abstain Excused

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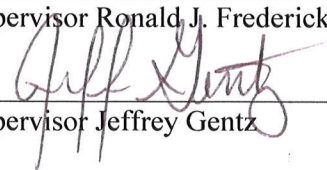
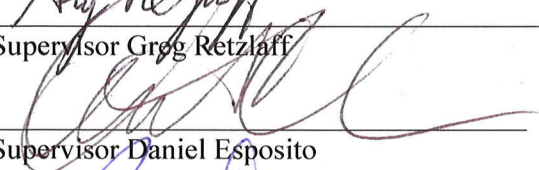
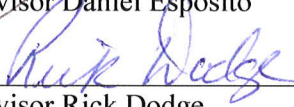
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FINANCE/ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Excused
 Supervisor Terry W. Rose, Chair	☒	☐	☐	☐
Supervisor Ronald J. Frederick, Vice-Chair	☐	☐	☐	☒
 Supervisor Jeffrey Gentz	☒	☐	☐	☐
Supervisor Ed Kubicki	☐	☐	☐	☒
 Supervisor Greg Retzlaff	☒	☐	☐	☐
 Supervisor Daniel Esposito	☒	☐	☐	☐
 Supervisor Rick Dodge	☒	☐	☐	☐

Kenosha County
Administrative Proposal Form

1. Proposal Overview

Division: Parks Department: Public Works

Proposal Summary (attach explanation and required documents):

Resolution to proclaim September 16th, 2017 International Migratory Bird Day in Kenosha County. Annual resolution is a requirement to maintain Wisconsin Bird City status.

Dept./Division Head Signature: _____

Date: 11.22.16

2. Department Head Review

Comments:

Recommendation: Approval ☒ Non-Approval ☐

Department Head Signature: _____

Date: 11-22-16

3. Finance Division Review

Comments:

Recommendation: Approval ☒ Non-Approval ☐

Finance Signature: _____

Date: 11-22-16

4. County Executive Review

Comments:

Action: Approval ☒ Non-Approval ☐

Executive Signature: _____

Date: 11-22-16