

## KENOSHA COUNTY

## **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Resolution No	
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A Resolution to Request the State of Wisconsin to Revise the Law on Amending Adopted Municipal Budgets						
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Submitted by:	Supervisor Rose and the	Legislative Committee				
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Prepared by:	Supervisor Terry Rose		Signature:			

WHEREAS, Section 65.90 (5) (ar) requires a vote of two-thirds of the members-elect of a municipality's governing body in order to authorize and;

WHEREAS, requiring anything more than a simple majority to take any given action is anti-democratic and contrary to the principle that a majority should be empowered to act on behalf of its constituents, and;

WHEREAS, requiring a simple majority would also increase efficiencies.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors hereby requests that the Wisconsin State Legislature amend Section 65.90 (5) (ar), Wis. Stats., to permit the change of the amount of tax to be levied or certified, or the amounts of the various appropriations and the purposes for such appropriations stated in a budget that has been previously adopted to be authorized by a vote of a simple majority of the members-elect of the governing body of the municipality, and;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Governor Evers, to Kenosha County's legislative delegation, all other Wisconsin counties, and to the Wisconsin Counties Association.

Supervisor Rose

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( <b>4</b> ))	LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE:	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Excused
	Brian Thomas, Chair				
	John Poole, Vice Chair				
	Amanda Nedweski				
	Zack Stock				
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