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3 ENDORSE PARTICIPATION BY COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES IN  
4 MUTUAL AID BOX ALARM SYSTEM  
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6 WHEREAS, §66.0301 (formerly Section 66.30), Wis. Stats. authorizes Wisconsin municipalities  
7 to contract with other towns and municipalities for the receipt or furnishing of services, such as  
8 fire protection and emergency medical services; and  
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10 WHEREAS, §166.30, Wis. Stats. allows Wisconsin to enter into interstate agreements for mutual  
11 assistance, including supplementary agreements that include provisions for evacuation and  
12 reception of injured and other persons and the exchange of medical, fire, police, public utility,  
13 reconnaissance, welfare, transportation and communications personnel, and equipment and  
14 supplies; and  
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16 WHEREAS, an agreement was drafted to provide a mutual aid box alarm system for  
17 municipalities providing fire protection and emergency medical services and has been entered  
18 into by the counties of Kenosha, Walworth, Rock and parts of Green, Dane and Jefferson  
19 counties in Wisconsin; and Lake, McHenry, Boone, Winnebago and Cook counties in Illinois;  
20 and  
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22 WHEREAS, in order to comply with the provisions of the former §66.30(5), Wis. Stats, the  
23 Attorney General of the State of Wisconsin approved the agreement for a mutual aid box alarm  
24 system (MABAS) between Wisconsin municipalities and municipalities of another state on  
25 December 22, 2000; and  
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27 WHEREAS, the MABAS agreement was also approved by the Governor of the State of  
28 Wisconsin; and  
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30 WHEREAS, the County Board of Supervisors believes that intergovernmental cooperation for  
31 purposes of public safety and protection should be encouraged and that the MABAS Agreement  
32 would afford these benefits to county residents by coordinating fire protection and emergency  
33 medical services in the event of a large scale emergency, natural disaster, or man-made  
34 catastrophe; and  
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36 WHEREAS, part of MABAS includes written instructions for dispatchers to expedite delivery of  
37 services where mutual assistance is required; and  
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39 WHEREAS, if Waukesha municipalities join MABAS, it will enhance services provided by  
40 personnel at the county operated dispatch center.  
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42 THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DOES RESOLVE that the Waukesha County  
43 Board endorses the concept of the Mutual Aid Box Alarm System agreement for fire and  
44 emergency services between Waukesha County municipalities and municipalities in other  
45 Wisconsin and Illinois counties and encourages Waukesha county municipalities to consider  
46 joining MABAS.

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Presented by: Judiciary &  
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The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of Waukesha County, Wisconsin, was presented to the County Executive on:

Date: 8-15-03, Kathy Nickolaus  
Kathy Nickolaus, County Clerk

The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of Waukesha County, Wisconsin, is hereby:

Approved: ✓  
Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 8-15-03, Daniel M. Finley  
Daniel M. Finley, County Executive

WAUKESHA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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DATE-08/12/03

(RES) NUMBER-158~~R~~004

- 1 K. HERRO.....AYE
- 3 D. STAMSTA.....AYE
- 5 J. MARCHESE.....AYE
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- 9 P. HAUKOHL.....AYE
- 11 K. HARENDA.....AYE
- 13 J. MORRIS.....AYE
- 15 D. SWAN.....AYE
- 17 J. BEHREND.....AYE
- 19 W. MITCHELL.....AYE
- 21 W. KOLB.....AYE
- 23 P. PRONOLD.....AYE
- 25 K. CUMMINGS.....AYE
- 27 D. PAULSON.....AYE
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- 35 C. SEITZ.....AYE

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- 10 S. WOLFF.....AYE
- 12 J. GRIFFIN.....AYE
- 14 J. LA PORTE.....AYE
- 16 R. MANKE.....AYE
- 18 B. MORRIS.....AYE
- 20 M. KIPP.....AYE
- 22 G. BRUCE.....AYE
- 24 A. SILVA.....AYE
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- 28 P. JASKE.....AYE
- 30 K. NILSON.....AYE
- 32 P. GUNDRUM.....AYE
- 34 R. SINGERT.....AYE

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CARRIED X

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TOTAL VOTES-34