#### **ENROLLED RESOLUTION 175-1**

## SUPPORT OF RIGHTS GUARANTEED BY THE SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION AND ART. 1 SEC 25 OF THE WISCONSIN CONSTITUTION

WHEREAS, the Right of the People to Keep and Bear Arms is guaranteed as an Individual Right under the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution and under the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, in Article 1, Section 25 - "The people have the right to keep and bear arms for security, defense, hunting, recreation or any other lawful purpose;" and

WHEREAS, the Right of the People to Keep and Bear Arms for the defense of Life, Liberty, and Property is regarded as an Inalienable Right; and

WHEREAS, the People of Waukesha County, Wisconsin derive an economic benefit from all safe forms of firearms recreation, hunting, and shooting conducted within Waukesha County using all types of firearms allowable under the United States Constitution and the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisors of the Waukesha County Board, are elected to represent the People of Waukesha County and are duly sworn by their Oath of Office to uphold the United States Constitution and the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, any legislation considered by the Wisconsin State Legislature that would infringe upon the Right to Keep and Bear Arms and would ban the possession and/or use of any weapons including firearms, magazines, or ammunition now employed by individual citizens of Waukesha County for their defense of Life, Liberty and Property, or for the purposes of hunting, recreation, or other lawful purposes, or would require a firearms owner I.D. card, or tax the possession of firearms, or ammunition, or require the registration and/or confiscation of weapons and ammunition within Waukesha County, Wisconsin, except by due process of law, would be contrary to the United States and State of Wisconsin Constitutions.

THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF WAUKESHA RESOLVES that it supports the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution and Article 1, Section 25 of the Wisconsin Constitution, and the Peoples' rights guaranteed thereunder.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Waukesha County Board affirms its support of the Sheriff in the exercise of sound discretion to enforce existing firearm laws and to not enforce an unconstitutional firearms law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Waukesha County Board will not appropriate any funds for any enforcement of unconstitutional laws against the People of Waukesha County, Wisconsin.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Waukesha County Board does hereby oppose the enactment of any legislation that would impermissibly infringe upon the Right of the People to keep and bear arms and considers such laws to be unconstitutional and beyond lawful legislative authority.

File Number: 175-R-001

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Presented by: Executive Committee  Paul L. Decker, Chair
Timothy Dondlinger
Jennifer Grant
James A. Heinrich
David W. Swan
Peter M. Wolff
David D. Zimmermann
The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of Waukesha County, Wisconsin, was presented to the County Executive on:
Date: 5/29/2020, Margaret Warman, County Clerk
The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of Waukesha County, Wisconsin, is hereby:  Approved:
Date: 4/1/2020, Paul Farrow, County Executive



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#### **VOTE RESULTS: Passed By Majority Vote**

AYE: 18 NAY: 7 ABSENT: 0

D1 - Foti	Yes
D2 - Zimmermann	Yes
D3 - Morris	Yes
D4 - Batzko	Yes
D5 - Dondlinger	No
D6 - Walz	Yes
D7 - Grant	Yes
D8 - Michalski	Yes
D9 - Heinrich Motion	No
D10 - Swan	No
D11 - Howard	Yes
D12 - Wolff	Yes
D13 - Decker	Yes

D14 - Mommaerts	Yes
D15 - Mitchell	Yes
D16 - Crowley	Yes
D17 - Paulson	No
D18 - Nelson	No
D19 - Cummings	Yes
D20 - Schellinger	Yes
D21 - Gaughan	No
D22 - Wysocki	No
D23 - Hammitt	Yes
D24 - Whittow Second	Yes
D25 - Johnson	Yes



### **VOTE RESULTS: Failed On Majority Vote**

AYE: 9 NAY: 16 ABSENT: 0

D1 - Foti	No
D2 - Zimmermann	No
D3 - Morris	No
D4 - Batzko	No
D5 - Dondlinger	No
D6 - Walz	No
D7 - Grant	No
D8 - Michalski	Yes
D9 - Heinrich	No
D10 - Swan	No
D11 - Howard	Yes
D12 - Wolff Motion	Yes
D13 - Decker	Yes

D14 - Mommaerts	Yes
D15 - Mitchell	No
D16 - Crowley	Yes
D17 - Paulson	Yes
D18 - Nelson	No
D19 - Cummings	No
D20 - Schellinger	No
D21 - Gaughan	Yes
D22 - Wysocki Second	Yes
D23 - Hammitt	No
D24 - Whittow	No
D25 - Johnson	No



### **VOTE RESULTS: Passed By Majority Vote**

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D1 - Foti	Yes
D2 - Zimmermann	Second Yes
D3 - Morris	Yes
D4 - Batzko	Yes
D5 - Dondlinger	No
D6 - Walz	Yes
D7 - Grant	No
D8 - Michalski	Yes
D9 - Heinrich	Yes
D10 - Swan	No N
D11 - Howard	Yes
D12 - Wolff	Yes
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D22 - Wysocki	No
D23 - Hammitt	Yes
D24 - Whittow	Yes
D25 - Johnson	vietiem Yes