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RESOLUTION NO. 190 - 11/84

RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE AGRICULTURAL LAND PRESERVATION PLAN
FOR WAUKESHA COUNTY

WHEREAS the Waukesha County Board of Supervisors in Resolution No. 197/3/78 designated the Waukesha County Park and Planning Commission with the responsibility of preparing an Agricultural Land Preservation Plan and Exclusive Agricultural Zoning Ordinance for Waukesha County, and

WHEREAS such Exclusive Agricultural Zoning language has been enacted into the Zoning Code for Waukesha County on September 9, 1980, and created as a model for other municipalities in Waukesha County, and

WHEREAS a plan has been completed and a hearing conducted pursuant to Sections 91.51 and 59.97(3)(d) of the Wisconsin State Statutes, and

WHEREAS such plan contains advisory recommendations to local communities for agricultural land preservation, environmental corridor protection and the provision of lands to accommodate urban growth, and

WHEREAS the aforementioned plan, including data, maps, figures, charts and tables are set forth in a published report entitled Waukesha County Agricultural Land Preservation Plan, and

WHEREAS the Towns of Mukwonago and Eagle and the ^{City} ~~City~~ of Muskego and the City/Town of Pewaukee have prepared land use plans and exclusive agricultural zoning ordinances, which ordinances have been certified by the State Land Conservation Board, and

WHEREAS the Towns of Lisbon, Delafield, Ottawa and ~~Oconomowoc~~ are now engaged in the process of planning for the preservation of agricultural lands through enactment of exclusive agricultural zoning ordinances which may be certified before the end of 1984 by the State Land Conservation Board, and

WHEREAS the Wisconsin income tax credits available to eligible farmers whose lands lie within exclusive agricultural zoning districts will be maximized through the adoption of a county Agricultural Preservation Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that pursuant to Sections 91.51 and 59.97(3)(d) of the Wisconsin Statutes, the Waukesha County Board of Supervisors adopts the Waukesha County Agricultural Land Preservation Plan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Waukesha County Board of Supervisors hereby adopts and incorporates by reference the previously adopted Towns of Mukwonago and Eagle and the City of Muskego and the City/Town of Pewaukee Agricultural Preservation Plans as an integral part of the Waukesha County Agricultural Land Preservation Plan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said Plan shall serve as a guide to local units of government in choosing courses of action relative to decisions regarding the preservation of agricultural lands appropriate to their situations and free of any mandates from the County and that said plan does not have the force and effect of law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that when any other community hereinafter adopts an Agricultural Land Preservation Plan which is in compliance with Sections 91.55 and 91.57 Wisconsin Statutes, said plan shall be made an integral part of the Waukesha County Agricultural Land Preservation Plan as an amendment thereto, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Waukesha County Clerk transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection for certification.

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