TOWN OF HARMONY ROCK COUNTY

Resolution of Town Board to Propose Exceeding Levy Limits #101220

(Town of Harmony Population 2,582)

Whereas, the State of Wisconsin has adopted levy limits on town, village, city and county levies for 2015 and thereafter under s. 66.0602 of Wis. Statutes;

Whereas, s. 66.0602 of Wis. Statutes limits the allowable local levy for 2020 to a percentage increase of no more than the greater of (a) 0% of the 2019 payable 2020 adjusted actual levy as calculated under the state's levy limit law** or (b) a percentage equal to the percent change in equalized value due to net new construction; which for the Town of Harmony is 2.32 percent;

Whereas, the Town Board of the Town of Harmony, Rock County believes that for the 2020 tax levy (collected in 2021) it is in the town's best interest to exceed the state levy limit as described above by a greater percentage than 2.32%

Whereas, the Town of Harmony 2019 payable 2020 adjusted actual levy is \$ 400,855; and further whereas the state law would limit the increase to \$ 3922 for an allowable town tax levy of \$404,777 before adjustments, for 2020, collected in 2021.

Now Therefore the Town Board of the Town of Harmony, Rock County does hereby resolve and order as follows:

- 1. The town board supports an increase in the town tax levy for 2020 that will exceed the state levy limit due in part to increases in the Milton-Milton Township Fire Department Contract for 2021.
- 2. The town board directs that the question of increasing the town tax levy for 2020 (to be collected in 2021) which would increase the town levy by \$ 300,000 for a total town tax levy of \$704,777, shall be placed on the agenda for the special town meeting to be held on November 9, 2020.

Adopted this 12th day of October, 2020.

Signature of Town Chair:

Attested by Town Clerk:

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above Resolution number 101220 was adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Harmony on the 12th day of October, 2020, and that on the 15th day of October, 2020, a copy of the above Resolution was posted in 2 places in the Town as follows:

Harmony Town Hall, 440 N Hwy 14, Janesville, WI

The Town of Harmony Website; townofharmony.com

Tim Tollefson, Town Clerk, Town of Harmony Rock County, Wisconsin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ______ day of ______, 2020.

Notary Public, Rock County, Wisconsin My Commission is permanent or expires