



# DUEY STROEBEL

STATE SENATOR • 20<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT

## Testimony on SB 355

Chairman LeMahieu and members of the Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government, thank you for giving us the opportunity to discuss what we believe is an important taxpayer protection reform. There is no disagreement that in an era of ever increasing demands on all units of government, a tool such as a referendum is an important resource for our school districts. This bill does not take away a school district's ability to utilize this important tool. However, like any tool, the referendum process is amendable. The common sense reforms we are proposing are essentially best practices that many school districts already employ.

Overall, the referendum process is being utilized at a higher rate, thereby making the abuses we are attempting to address with this legislation all the more pressing. This funding mechanism has been utilized over 2,500 times since 1994. During this same time period, just one of the counties in my district has experienced \$182.5 million in new school district borrowing. In light of this increased reliance, we are simply asking that districts seek broad participation and take into account the will of the electorate.

Since the introduction of this bill, some have argued that this is a solution without a problem – that the examples of abuse are few and far between. I wish that were the case. While it is true that many school districts have communicated effectively with their communities and have only sought the funding which is absolutely necessary, there are unfortunately blatant examples of school districts either scheduling referenda on low-turnout primary elections or special elections that are essentially hidden from the electorate or bringing back basically the identical referendum only months later. And in some cases, both tactics have been simultaneously used.

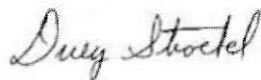
I want to be clear. The abuses we have discovered are the exception, and not the rule. However, as legislators that set statewide policy, we cannot simply ignore these examples. My office reviewed data provided to us by LRB relating to every referenda brought to Wisconsin voters between 1990 and 2012. Even with a very narrow focus, we have discovered 69 instances where a referendum was voted down and the school board brought it back to voters at least once within one year in an almost identical format and dollar amount. In these 69 examples, 92 extra elections were called within a year after the voters spoke. Thirty-four projects passed on the second or subsequent vote while 35 projects failed again. Of the 34 that passed, Wisconsin voters were rewarded with \$291 million in additional property taxes, despite having rejected essentially the same request within the previous year. And the 35 which failed on the second attempt would have resulted in an additional \$401 million in additional property taxes. These dollar amounts are obviously not insignificant and have, or would have had, a significant impact on our local property taxpayers.

A brief overview of specific examples reveals startling abuses. Referenda during the middle of summer are relatively common. School districts have scheduled referenda in December, in one case two days after Christmas. Some school districts have gone back to voters numerous times during the course of a single year. In one example a school district went to the voters on four separate occasions over the course of 14 months, initially at the same dollar amount and then *increasing* the ask on the final two referenda.

School funding issues bring up passions on both sides of the issue. Voters care deeply about their communities and consider the issue before voting. Leaving aside the merits of any particular proposal, the rules of the game need to be fair and transparent. If a majority of voters support a referendum, even if that majority is by the slimmest of margins, we respect that decision and local officials can immediately begin implementing the will of the voters. Unfortunately in some communities where a majority of voters oppose a referendum, local officials immediately try to overrule the will of the voters with a snap election, often on a low-turnout special election. Voters who vote 'no' on a referendum should be afforded the same respect as those who vote 'yes.' Proponents of a referendum should not be allowed to use or abuse the rules to place their finger on the scale.

Simply because these examples are the exception does not mean a sound and equitable policy should not be set for all school districts to follow. Following introduction of this bill, we have had the opportunity to discuss these common sense standards with numerous superintendents. Many have indicated that they already follow the policy of only holding referenda on one of the three general elections which occur over a two year election cycle. The addition of a one-year "cooling off" period will only sharpen school districts' proposals to its voters. These best practices require that school districts seek the most public buy-in as possible by focusing on general elections and respect the will of the voters by waiting a year before asking in many cases the same referendum question. I'm proud to stand by these common sense reforms with Rep. Schraa and our co-sponsors.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Duey Stroebel".

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DISTRICT	Referenda Type	Vote Date	Amount	Yes Votes	No Votes	RESULTS	PURPOSE
Westby Area (6321)	Issue Debt	2/6/1996	9,800,000	869	1,180	Failed	new elem & dist wide add & renov
Westby Area (6321)	Issue Debt	4/20/1996	9,985,000	1,393	1,062	Passed	new elem & dist wide add & renov
West Depere (6328)	Issue Debt	11/2/1999	20,080,000	894	964	Failed	remodel, renovate, equip & construct addition to
West Depere (6328)	Issue Debt	5/23/2000	29,365,000	1,660	812	Passed	construct addition to and renovates to HS, MS,
Waterloo (6118)	Issue Debt	2/21/1995	2,700,000	396	422	Failed	11 clsrn add to elem, elem gym
Waterloo (6118)	Issue Debt	5/9/1995	2,700,000	606	465	Passed	11 clsrn add to elem, elem gym
Waterford UHS (6083)	Issue Debt	6/13/1995	9,750,000	937	1,224	Failed	80,000 sq ft add & gym, raze annex section, ADA
Waterford UHS (6083)	Issue Debt	3/19/1996	9,750,000	2,784	1,489	Passed	clsrn add, remodel, renov, razing section
Waterford J1 (V) (6113)	Issue Debt	9/8/1998	18,220,000	821	953	Failed	two elementary schools; add to middle school
Waterford J1 (V) (6113)	Issue Debt	11/3/1998	18,220,000	1,959	2,057	Failed	two elementary schools; remodel m.s & old e.s.
Waterford J1 (V) (6113)	Issue Debt	2/16/1999	10,500,000	1,033	1,069	Failed	new e.s; upgrade 2 school bldgs for code compliance
Waterford J1 (V) (6113)	Issue Debt	10/12/1999	17,500,000	1,171	1,013	Passed	construct 2 e.s., remodel m.s., acquire equip
Sturgeon Bay (5642)	Issue Debt	9/13/1994	2,300,000	629	1,076	Failed	classroom add-elem
Sturgeon Bay (5642)	Issue Debt	2/21/1995	3,975,000	918	803	Passed	elem add
Shullsburg (5362)	Issue Debt	5/3/1994	5,950,000	370	669	Failed	new K-12 & site
Shullsburg (5362)	Issue Debt	12/27/1994	5,200,000	354	243	Passed	add to K-12
Ripon (4872)	Issue Debt	1/14/1997	6,379,225	957	974	Failed	new elementary school
Ripon (4872)	Issue Debt	9/9/1997	6,530,000	1,123	980	Passed	Construct & Equip new elementary school
Rio Community (4865)	Issue Debt	11/4/2003	1,000,000	271	315	Failed	building maintenance and improvement projects
Rio Community (4865)	Issue Debt	2/17/2004	1,000,000	568	477	Passed	building maintenance and improvement projects
Princeton (4606)	Issue Debt	9/10/1996	2,900,000			Failed	addition & remod
Princeton (4606)	Issue Debt	11/5/1996	2,900,000	820	752	Passed	Addition & Remodeling
Prairie Du Chien Area	Issue Debt	5/9/1995	11,500,000	1,064	1,367	Failed	new k-8, hs renov & add
Prairie Du Chien Area	Issue Debt	2/6/1996	12,900,000	1,324	1,377	Failed	new k-8, hs renov & add
Prairie Du Chien Area	Issue Debt	4/23/1996	12,700,000	1,314	1,460	Failed	new k-8, hs renov & add
Prairie Du Chien Area	Issue Debt	11/5/1996	12,900,000	1,998	1,520	Passed	New Gr-3-8 Bldg, Renovate High School

Phillips (4347)	Issue Debt	10/3/1995	2,600,000	527	593	Failed	clsrms & gym
Phillips (4347)	Issue Debt	12/5/1995	2,600,000	624	1,049	Failed	clsrms & gym
Phillips (4347)	Issue Debt	9/10/1996	2,600,000	895	834	Passed	elem & hs additions
Osseo-Fairchild (4186)	Issue Debt	12/6/1994	6,475,000	575	692	Failed	renov
Osseo-Fairchild (4186)	Issue Debt	9/30/1995	4,700,000	507	436	Passed	elem 12 clsrn add & renov, ADA compliance
Oostburg (4137)	Issue Debt	11/7/2006	9,850,000	1,551	1,556	Failed	building addition and renovations
Oostburg (4137)	Issue Debt	2/20/2007	9,850,000	1,282	1,055	Passed	for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing,
Omro (4088)	Issue Debt	4/5/2011	1,000,000	1,007	1,078	Failed	\$1,000,000 bonded over 10 years for maintenance
Omro (4088)	Issue Debt	7/12/2011	1,000,000	935	715	Passed	\$1,000,000 bond for 10 years for maintenance needs
Omro (4088)	Issue Debt	9/8/1998	14,915,000	860	1,028	Failed	new el. school; renovations to e.s. and h.s. & m.s
Omro (4088)	Issue Debt	11/3/1998	14,915,000	1,542	1,432	Passed	new el. school; renovations to e.s. and h.s. & m.s
Monona Grove (3675)	Issue Debt	2/18/1997	1,615,000	1,610	2,353	Failed	Construct a swimming pool as part of the proposed
Monona Grove (3675)	Issue Debt	6/3/1997	1,630,000	1,852	1,886	Failed	pool facility
Monona Grove (3675)	Issue Debt	11/4/1997	1,630,000	1,258	1,215	Passed	swimming pool at high school
Mondovi (3668)	Issue Debt	12/6/1997	6,800,000	602	743	Failed	Add to & remodel h.s. m.s. and e.s.
Mondovi (3668)	Issue Debt	4/7/1998	6,800,000	833	803	Passed	add to and remodel elem. M.S. and H.S.
Lake Geneva J1 (2885)	Issue Debt	12/3/1996	11,000,000			Failed	new ms
Lake Geneva J1 (2885)	Issue Debt	5/20/1997	13,600,000	995	746	Passed	new middle school
Lake Geneva-Genoa UHS	Issue Debt	2/6/1996	18,000,000	1,031	1,805	Failed	expand & remod hs
Lake Geneva-Genoa UHS	Issue Debt	12/3/1996	18,000,000			Failed	expand & remod hs
Lake Geneva-Genoa UHS	Issue Debt	5/20/1997	18,000,000	1,195	1,050	Passed	expand & remod hs
Kohler (2842)	Issue Debt	6/10/2003	9,800,000	488	509	Failed	additions/renovations to and remodeling of existing
Kohler (2842)	Issue Debt	10/7/2003	9,800,000	655	550	Passed	addition/renovations to and remodel existing district
Kaukauna Area (2758)	Issue Debt	6/18/1996	30,380,000	2,715	2,795	Failed	new h.s., convert current hs to ms & ms to elem,
Kaukauna Area (2758)	Issue Debt	2/18/1997	28,900,000	3,039	2,942	Passed	New High Sch, Remodel old HS & MS
Grafton (2217)	Issue Debt	5/9/2000	16,400,000	984	1,243	Failed	maintain, expand, renovate, improve facilities/sites;

Grafton (2217)	Issue Debt	11/7/2000	16,400,000	4,765	2,781	Passed	maintain, expand, renovate, improve facilities/sites,
Fennimore Community	Issue Debt	11/5/1996	3,800,000			Failed	hs add incl elevator, gym, locker rm, weight rm, art,
Fennimore Community	Issue Debt	4/1/1997	5,117,000	597	652	Failed	hs add incl elevator, gym, locker rm, weight rm, art,
Fennimore Community	Issue Debt	9/9/1997	2,521,000	736	258	Passed	add to and remodel high school & ADA
Edgar (1561)	Issue Debt	4/6/1993	1,500,000	540	630	Failed	
Edgar (1561)	Issue Debt	2/15/1994	1,800,000	586	469	Passed	add classrooms to K-12, new gym & shop
Dodgeville (1428)	Issue Debt	2/18/1992	6,500,000	364	938	Failed	
Dodgeville (1428)	Issue Debt	5/25/1992	6,500,000	670	640	Passed	
Denmark (1407)	Issue Debt	6/6/1995	7,550,000	699	921	Failed	hs add & remodel
Denmark (1407)	Issue Debt	11/7/1995	7,200,000	860	1,067	Failed	hs add & remodel
Denmark (1407)	Issue Debt	9/10/1996	892,000	1,110	775	Passed	performing arts center
Denmark (1407)	Issue Debt	9/10/1996	925,000	1,096	784	Passed	high school athletics and phy ed
Denmark (1407)	Issue Debt	9/10/1996	5,861,000	1,254	687	Passed	add & remodel high school
Crivitz (1232)	Issue Debt	4/1/1997	8,400,000	967	1,082	Failed	new grades 7-12 bldg and site improvements
Crivitz (1232)	Issue Debt	11/4/1997	8,400,000	1,156	1,049	Passed	new high school; remodel existing high school
Brillion (0658)	Issue Debt	2/16/1999	2,435,000	470	544	Failed	auditorium at high school
Brillion (0658)	Issue Debt	9/14/1999	2,540,000	879	101	Passed	construct & equip auditorium at new h.s.
Brighton #1 (0657)	Issue Debt	5/25/2000	2,700,000	127	177	Failed	adding to, improving, remodeling, renovating, and
Brighton #1 (0657)	Issue Debt	11/7/2000	1,900,000	368	318	Passed	adding to, improving, remodeling, renovating and
Blair-Taylor (0485)	Issue Debt	5/4/1996	6,500,000	449	974	Failed	new hs, remodel elem
Blair-Taylor (0485)	Issue Debt	4/15/1997	6,000,000	302	840	Failed	
Blair-Taylor (0485)	Issue Debt	6/24/1997	7,500,000	886	827	Passed	grade 7-12 building; remodel old bldg.to grade EC-6
Black River Falls (0476)	Issue Debt	9/13/1994	4,700,000	1,102	1,177	Failed	hs addition
Black River Falls (0476)	Issue Debt	11/8/1994	4,700,000	1,794	1,636	Passed	hs addition
Beloit Turner (0422)	Issue Debt	2/8/1997	9,900,000			Failed	
Beloit Turner (0422)	Issue Debt	4/1/1997	9,900,000	1,016	790	Passed	
Amery (0119)	Issue Debt	6/10/1997	7,800,000	1,084	1,152	Failed	high school addition & remodeling (4.8),tech. plan
Amery (0119)	Issue Debt	11/4/1997	7,890,000	1,761	1,441	Passed	add to and remodel high school; upgrade technology

S/A Dist #

32/96

\$291,329,000 Total

6,515,000 Median

\$8,568,500 Mean

1/2  
2/4

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Whitewater (6461)	Issue Debt	9/8/1998	\$18,000,000.00	1,411	1,486	Failed	update and renovate four buildings
Whitewater (6461)	Issue Debt	11/3/1998	\$18,000,000.00	2,477	2,969	Failed	add to and remodel buildings; athletic facil. at h.s.
Weyauwega-Fremont	Issue Debt	11/3/1998	\$11,700,000.00	1,102	1,277	Failed	add to school buildings, including auditorium
Weyauwega-Fremont	Issue Debt	5/18/1999	\$1,715,000.00	469	929	Failed	new auditorium
Weyauwega-Fremont	Issue Debt	5/18/1999	\$7,875,000.00	555	846	Failed	add to & remodel school buildings
Westfield (6335)	Issue Debt	9/8/1998	\$7,900,000.00	844	869	Failed	convert former high school to middle school
Westfield (6335)	Issue Debt	6/22/1999	\$8,431,470.00	475	1,043	Failed	raze part of h.s.; build new m.s; remodel gym & music
West Allis (6300)	Issue Debt	2/18/1992	\$11,000,000.00	5,992	6,639	Failed	
West Allis (6300)	Issue Debt	4/8/1992	\$11,000,000.00	7,018	13,094	Failed	
Webster (6293)	Issue Debt	11/3/1998	\$8,795,000.00	1,099	1,332	Failed	add to el. school; buy land; new high school
Webster (6293)	Issue Debt	2/16/1999	\$8,795,000.00	566	1,184	Failed	new high school; add to elementary school
Watertown (6125)	Issue Debt	11/7/2006	\$29,500,000.00	5,452	5,652	Failed	To construct a new elementary school and renovate
Watertown (6125)	Issue Debt	4/3/2007	\$28,900,000.00	2,928	4,205	Failed	Remodel and Renovate Schurz and Webster
Valders Area (5866)	Issue Debt	4/7/1992	\$4,890,000.00	1,270	1,336	Failed	
Valders Area (5866)	Issue Debt	6/2/1992	\$4,890,000.00	1,064	1,446	Failed	
Spooner (5474)	Issue Debt	11/6/2001	\$31,870,000.00	1,856	2,103	Failed	adding to and improving ES and MS; construct new
Spooner (5474)	Issue Debt	1/15/2002	\$31,870,000.00	1,637	2,681	Failed	add to/improve ES and MS; construct new HS;
Solon Springs (5397)	Issue Debt	11/7/2000	\$1,710,000.00	483	638	Failed	construction/remodeling additional classrooms in
Solon Springs (5397)	Issue Debt	4/3/2001	\$1,730,400.00	317	385	Failed	construction/remodeling of additional classrooms in
Saint Croix Falls (5019)	Issue Debt	11/5/2002	\$7,200,000.00	1,254	1,257	Failed	construct, furnish, equip new elementary school
Saint Croix Falls (5019)	Issue Debt	2/18/2003	\$7,200,000.00	847	1,111	Failed	construct/furnish/equip new ES; demolish present
Rhineland (4781)	Issue Debt	4/1/2008	\$32,000,000.00	3,077	3,612	Failed	remodeling, renovating, improving and/or adding to
Rhineland (4781)	Issue Debt	9/9/2008	\$23,350,000.00	3,135	3,178	Failed	remodeling, renovating improving and/or adding to
Rhineland (4781)	Issue Debt	11/4/2008	\$23,350,000.00	5,514	5,952	Failed	remodeling, renovating, improving and/or adding to
Raymond #14 (4686)	Issue Debt	9/10/2002	\$3,265,000.00	414	424	Failed	construct an addition to and remodeling, repairing,

Raymond #14 (4686)	Issue Debt	11/5/2002	\$3,265,000.00	566	932	Failed	construct an addition to and remodeling, repairing,
Prentice (4571)	Issue Debt	2/19/2002	\$7,750,000.00	601	735	Failed	addition/improvements to Prentice school building;
Prentice (4571)	Issue Debt	7/23/2002	\$7,750,000.00	491	665	Failed	addition and improvements to Prentice School
Poynette (4536)	Issue Debt	4/1/2008	\$13,410,000.00	795	979	Failed	construct and equip a new Pre K-3 elementary
Poynette (4536)	Issue Debt	11/4/2008	\$13,675,000.00	1,462	2,101	Failed	construct and equip new Pre K-3 elementary school;
Oak Creek-Franklin	Issue Debt	2/17/1998	\$28,000,000.00	1,342	2,036	Failed	add to and remodel high school
Oak Creek-Franklin	Issue Debt	11/3/1998	\$37,400,000.00	4,356	5,897	Failed	add to & remodel high school
Oak Creek-Franklin	Issue Debt	4/6/1999	\$23,600,000.00	2,377	3,289	Failed	renovate & expand high school facility
Neosho J3 (3913)	Issue Debt	9/13/1994	\$3,035,000.00	170	269	Failed	gym & 11 classrm add
Neosho J3 (3913)	Issue Debt	11/8/1994	\$2,500,000.00	299	333	Failed	gym & clsrn add
Neosho J3 (3913)	Issue Debt	12/13/1994	\$2,500,000.00	158	485	Failed	gym & clsrn add
Mosinee (3787)	Issue Debt	4/1/1992	\$6,650,000.00	1,291	1,303	Failed	
Mosinee (3787)	Issue Debt	6/1/1992	\$6,650,000.00	1,187	2,138	Failed	
Mosinee (3787)	Issue Debt	11/1/1992	\$3,900,000.00	2,029	2,715	Failed	
Linn J6 (3094)	Issue Debt	4/5/2011	\$3,900,000.00	180	200	Failed	paying the cost of repair, replacement and
Linn J6 (3094)	Issue Debt	10/18/2011	\$3,900,000.00	183	187	Failed	paying the cost of repair, replacement and
Lafarge (2863)	Issue Debt	4/6/1999	\$2,850,000.00	206	262	Failed	add gym; remodel bldg; athl field lighting, equip.
Lafarge (2863)	Issue Debt	7/6/1999	\$2,810,000.00	172	291	Failed	add gym. Remodel e.s; jr & sr hi; athl field lights,
Janesville (2695)	Issue Debt	4/1/2003	\$37,220,000.00	5,560	5,625	Failed	addition/remodel/renovations to Craig & Parker HS;
Janesville (2695)	Issue Debt	11/4/2003	\$37,220,000.00	5,150	6,144	Failed	addition, remodel, renovations to Craig and Parker
Hudson (2611)	Issue Debt	9/1/1991	\$11,985,000.00	1,740	2,300	Failed	
Hudson (2611)	Issue Debt	11/1/1991	\$11,985,000.00	1,600	2,440	Failed	
Horicon (2576)	Issue Debt	11/4/2003	\$1,850,000.00	520	561	Failed	construct/equip new High School gymnasium
Horicon (2576)	Issue Debt	4/6/2004	\$1,850,000.00	643	1,022	Failed	construct and equip a new High School gymnasium
Hilbert (2534)	Issue Debt	11/7/2006	\$9,500,000.00	709	717	Failed	construct/equip new elementary school at ms/hs
Hilbert (2534)	Issue Debt	4/3/2007	\$9,500,000.00	597	816	Failed	construct/equip new elementary school at



Hartford UHS (2436)	Issue Debt	4/7/1992	\$12,525,000.00	2,810	3,984	Failed	
Hartford UHS (2436)	Issue Debt	6/12/1992	\$12,525,000.00	1,152	3,208	Failed	
Greendale (2296)	Issue Debt	10/3/1995	\$9,990,000.00	1,508	1,996	Failed	76,000sq ft add to ms & dist wide remod
Greendale (2296)	Issue Debt	12/5/1995	\$8,400,000.00	1,545	2,197	Failed	76,000sq ft add to ms & dist wide remod
Elroy-Kendall-Wilton	Issue Debt	9/12/2000	\$9,095,000.00	398	1,016	Failed	building/remodeling HS, MS, elem school
Elroy-Kendall-Wilton	Issue Debt	5/8/2001	\$7,440,000.00	383	609	Failed	construct addition to and remodeling to MS/HS and
Dover #1 (1449)	Issue Debt	4/4/2000	\$1,400,000.00	122	126	Failed	construct/equip addition to Kansasville Graded
Dover #1 (1449)	Issue Debt	11/7/2000	\$1,400,000.00	202	276	Failed	construct/equip addition to Kansasville Elem School
DodgeLand (2744)	Issue Debt	4/1/1997	\$5,500,000.00			Failed	
DodgeLand (2744)	Issue Debt	11/4/1997	\$5,500,000.00			Unknown	building (defeated 40%-60%)
Deforest Area (1316)	Issue Debt	10/7/1997	\$31,500,000.00	1,237	1,780	Failed	new high school
Deforest Area (1316)	Issue Debt	4/7/1998	\$31,500,000.00	1,748	1,879	Failed	new high school and remodel old high school
Deforest Area (1316)	Issue Debt	9/8/1998	\$31,500,000.00	1,652	2,624	Failed	new high school; convert old h.s. to middle school
Deerfield Community	Issue Debt	4/3/2001	\$8,750,000.00	615	680	Failed	construct/equip new school for PK-6; issuance costs;
Deerfield Community	Issue Debt	6/26/2001	\$8,700,000.00	426	536	Failed	construct/equip new school for PK-6, bond issuance
Cuba City (1246)	Issue Debt	4/2/2002	\$5,995,000.00	560	650	Failed	remodel and upgrade existing school facilities and
Cuba City (1246)	Issue Debt	6/11/2002	\$5,995,000.00	743	759	Failed	remodeling and upgrading
Cuba City (1246)	Issue Debt	4/1/2003	\$6,995,000.00	901	988	Failed	remodel/upgrade/addition
Cuba City (1246)	Issue Debt	6/17/2003	\$6,995,000.00	712	797	Failed	add to, renovate, remodel and improve elementary
Central//Westosha UHS	Issue Debt	4/6/2004	\$21,400,000.00	1,243	1,991	Failed	construct addition to and remodel/renovate HS
Central//Westosha UHS	Issue Debt	9/14/2004	\$20,900,000.00	1,433	2,057	Failed	constructing an addition to and remodeling and
Central//Westosha UHS	Issue Debt	5/21/1991	\$6,975,000.00	615	957	Failed	
Central//Westosha UHS	Issue Debt	10/23/1991	\$6,975,000.00	959	1,607	Failed	
Bloomer (0497)	Issue Debt	11/3/1998	\$13,550,000.00	1,203	1,519	Failed	new high school; remodel old h.s. & raze middle
Bloomer (0497)	Issue Debt	2/16/1999	\$12,925,000.00	742	1,421	Failed	new h.s; convert old h.s. to middle school.
Black River Falls (0476)	Issue Debt	4/3/2001	\$2,480,000.00	1,265	1,598	Failed	construct addition to, remodel and equip High
Black River Falls (0476)	Issue Debt	9/25/2001	\$2,545,000.00	556	583	Failed	construct addition and remodeling and equipping of
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## Testimony on SB 355

Thank you Chairman LeMahieu, Vice Chair Kapenga and members of the committee for giving me the opportunity to provide testimony on this legislation to reform school district referenda elections.

We all have a vested interest in great public schools for students across the state. Making sure they are funded is important. I was proud to vote for the last two state budgets, which helped increase state funding support for K-12 education by 4.7% and 5% respectively. Whether it's the children in our own family or others, we want the best for their education. It is also important, as legislators, to balance the needs of K-12 education with the increasing demands on taxpayers across the state.

Our original bill as drafted does two things. First, a school board may only schedule a referendum concurrently with a spring or fall general election. Second, if a school board adopts a resolution to borrow money or increase revenue through the available mechanisms and it is rejected by voters, the school board may not use any of the available borrowing mechanisms for two consecutive years. School districts that have natural disasters or fires that occur would be exempt from the provisions of the bill for six months. This gives them an opportunity to go to referendum for funds to address costs associated with the disaster/fire if needed. After introducing this legislation, we were made aware that districts must sometimes utilize short-term borrowing in the summer, and the bill would prohibit that if a previous referendum failed. We have introduced an amendment to address those concerns. Additionally, Senator Stroebel and I added a provision to our amendment to reduce the waiting period after a failed referendum from two years to one year. After listening to individuals who both oppose and support our bill, we feel that reducing the waiting period to one-year strikes the right balance.

In addition to state funding, school districts increasingly use referenda for capital improvement projects and simple ongoing maintenance. While school district referenda are permissible funding vehicles that are occasionally needed, they seem to sometimes be used in a fiscally irresponsible manner. Instead of offering reasonable proposals to voters that are aligned with high-turnout elections, districts often schedule referenda during low-turnout primaries or special elections with the knowledge that the electorate is paying less attention. If these referenda fail, districts often return election cycle after election cycle, reducing the funding request each time, until the desired outcome is achieved. When the voters of a community make their voices heard

and say no to new borrowing or spending by a school district, why is that school district ignoring the will of the taxpayers?

Despite all the great reforms enacted by the majority party and our Governor over the last 5 years, Wisconsin continues to be one of the highest property tax states in the nation. If a community decides to increase their taxes through referendum to provide a little more funding to their school we fully support their ability to make that decision. But that decision should be made during spring or fall general elections when more voters are engaged and actually voting. By holding special elections on random days not associated with regular elections, it is more likely that only a very small number of voters are deciding whether or not everyone's property taxes will go up. More individuals in a community going to the polls to voice their opinion on a referenda is a positive thing and, in my opinion, it's a goal all school districts should strive for. SB355 provides another advantage to taxpayers in the area of costs savings. Instead of requiring clerks to run completely separate elections, holding these referenda with other regularly scheduled general elections will save school districts and local government's time and money.

In looking at the data over the last six years, just under 24% of school referenda were held on primary or special elections and passed at a rate of roughly 65%. Just over 76% of school referenda were held on spring or fall general elections and passed at a rate of roughly 61%. This shows that the overwhelming majority of referenda are held on general elections and pass at a similar rate as those held during primary or special elections.

I have been asked repeatedly, why is this bill necessary and who asked for these changes? My answer is simple... The majority of taxpayers in this state overwhelmingly support our bill. In a recent spring survey that was sent out to constituents in the 53<sup>rd</sup> District, the question was asked: *In order to ensure the most number of individuals have their voices heard, should votes on school referenda be held in conjunction with regularly scheduled general elections?* 89% responded positively...

In closing, we all want vibrant schools to prepare the next generation for an evolving and competitive world. School districts must realize that local taxpayers are already burdened by federal and state income taxes, local property taxes, sales taxes, and a plethora of fees. The least we can ask of our school districts is to respect taxpayers by asking for additional revenue at times when taxpayers are paying the most attention. And if a referendum fails, just give taxpayers a reasonable amount of time between subsequent referendum elections. Our bill accomplishes this important balance. Thank you again for the opportunity to present this needed reform. I'd be happy to answer any questions the committee might have.

**Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government**  
**January 14, 2016**

**Department of Public Instruction Testimony**  
**Senate Bill 355**

I want to thank Chairman Thiesfeldt and members of the committee for the opportunity to testify before you today on Senate Bill 355 (SB 355). My name is Bob Soldner. I am the Director of School Financial Services for the Department of Public Instruction (DPI).

**Background**

Student demographics and enrollment have changed significantly in last 15 years. While statewide student enrollment has remained steady, today, students are significantly more diverse, lower income, and more concentrated in suburban and urban districts.

*Geographic Enrollment:* Wisconsin has a large number of small, often rural school districts. In fact, **55 percent of districts enroll fewer than 1,000 students.**

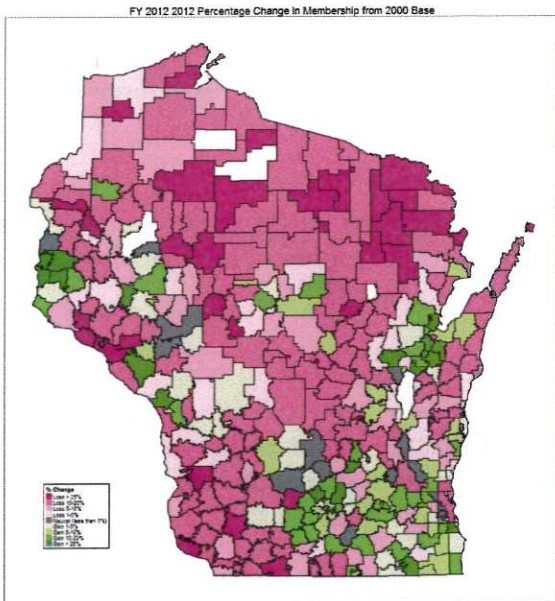
In 2001, **1/3 of districts** were in **declining enrollment**, but by 2010, nearly **2/3 districts** were in **declining enrollment.**

While many districts are declining in enrollment, statewide enrollment has been stable—concentrating enrollment in a smaller number of mostly suburban and urban districts. Today, **75 percent of students** are located in just **30 percent of districts.**

Cumulative Enrollment	Percentile	# of Districts	% of Districts	District Enrollment	% of Districts
209,535	25%	8	2%	Under 1,000	55%
419,387	50%	41	11%	Under 3,000	83%
626,834	75%	114	30%	Under 10,000	98%
871,551	100%	424	100%		

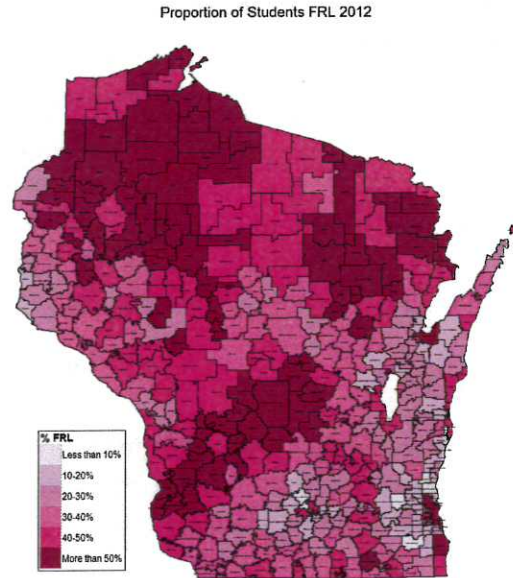
Over the same period, statewide student **eligibility for Free and Reduce Lunch (FRL) more than doubled, from 21 percent to 43 percent** (see maps on the following page).

**Declining enrollment has concentrated students  
in fewer districts...**



**Key Takeaway:** Number of districts in declining enrollment doubles (grows from  $\frac{1}{3}$  to  $\frac{2}{3}$ )

**and those small, rural districts are facing  
growing poverty**



**Key Takeaway:** Percent of FRL students doubles from 21% in 2001 to 43% in 2012

**Enrollment by Sector:** Wisconsin's educational landscape offers students and families an intricate ecosystem of schools and systems. These myriad options are particularly prevalent in urban and suburban areas and include neighborhood schools, open enrollment between districts, several types of charter schools, as well as parental choice programs for students to attend private schools.

Looking across Wisconsin's enrollment landscape by sector:

- Wisconsin's 2,100 traditional public schools enroll nearly 830,000 students (92 percent), nearly 50,000 of these students open enroll between districts;
- Almost 30,000 students enroll in one of the 242 district charter schools (three percent);
- About 8,500 (one percent) students enroll in independent charter schools;
- Around 7,000 students (one percent) enroll in one of 30 virtual charter schools; and
- Approximately 30,000 students receive a voucher to attend school under a parental choice program (three percent).

## Analysis of Senate Bill 355

The bill's intent appears to be twofold:

1. To limit a school board's ability to revisit resolutions to pursue borrowing, and/or garner additional revenue raising authority (either for operations or construction), which have been rejected by voters at a referendum.
2. To ensure that referenda are on the ballot only in higher turnout general elections.

The bill as drafted by the author accomplishes its intent by:

1. Requiring school boards to wait 730 days (2 years) before considering another resolution to go to referendum, regardless of whether it is related to the rejected referendum, unless the request is to address a natural disaster, including a fire.
2. Applying the 730-day requirement to any revenue increases that make use of:
  - a. Trust Fund loans from the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands (Wis. Stat. s. 24.66(3)).
  - b. Loans and bond issues that result in a school's indebtedness exceeding the lesser of \$1 million or 1.5 percent of the average state equalized value per member times the district's membership (Wis. Stat. s. 67.05, s. 119.49).
  - c. Short-term borrowing or promissory notes, whether or not a referendum is required (Wis. Stat. s. 67.12). For example, rejecting a referendum to build a new school would prohibit short-term borrowing for cash-flow.
  - d. MPS taxes under the School Construction Fund (Wis. Stat. s. 119.48)
3. Requiring a "natural disaster" referendum question to be on a ballot between 70 days and 6 months of school board passage of a resolution. By exempting only natural disasters and fire from the 2-year suspension, prevent a school district from requesting borrowing authority to address safety, security, or building code violation issues during the suspension period.
4. Requiring that spending/borrowing referenda questions be put to voters only on the spring (April) and fall (November) general election dates. However, the two year referendum moratorium and limiting referenda to general election dates could results in districts having to wait as long as three years between referenda.

For example, if a school district referendum failed in April 2015, then the next opportunity may not be until April 2018.

A board vote on a new referendum would have to occur (1) at least *70 days prior to next April election in 2017*; **and** (2) *at least 730 days after the previous resolution passed.*

If the April 2017 election were not viable due to the statutory restrictions, then the district would have to wait until April 2018, as there is no fall general election in 2017.

### **Analysis of Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 355**

Senate Amendment 1 would reduce the SB 355's original **two-year** (730-day) proposed moratorium on additional referenda, bonding and borrowing following a failed referendum to **one year (365 days)**.

The restriction to holding referendum in the spring and fall general elections remain in the bill.

The amendment also removes restrictions on short-term borrowing proposed. All other restrictions on borrowing (e.g., promissory notes, state trust fund loans, etc.) would remain in the bill.

Please note, the "one-year" moratorium could be a year-and-a-half, if a failed referendum vote occurs in November of an even-numbered year (since there is no fall general election in an odd-numbered years).

### **Referendum Results**

- Since 1994, there have been almost 2,800 referenda (52 percent approved).
- Since July 2011, there has been 380 referenda (63 percent approved).
- Approximately 80 percent of referenda are in rural school districts.

Limiting when districts can ask voters to approve new resources would diminish or delay the number of successful referenda, reducing voter-approved resources for students in public schools.

Since July 2011, 31 districts have successfully passed a total of 36 referenda within two years of having a referendum turned down by voters. These successful referenda—which would not have been allowed under this bill—represent \$196 million in voter-approved resources for public schools.

Repeated referenda attempts and use of special elections are both extremely rare; however, they are important governance tools.

A narrowly defeated referenda often will pass on a subsequent attempt after incorporating feedback from voters. This engagement with the electorate is at the heart of local government and the cornerstone of the referenda process.

Additionally, while special elections generally have lower turnout than regular elections, they are used for a variety of legitimate purposes. If special elections are a valid tools for important decisions such as filling a legislative vacancy, then the rare occasions when they are needed for referenda should be treated similarly.





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To: Senator LeMahieu- Chair  
Senator Kapenga- Vice Chair  
Senator Wanggaard  
Senator Riser  
Senator Miller

January 14, 2016

Subject: SB355 Referendum Restriction Bill

Thank you Senators for giving me the opportunity to testify on SB355. I have attached a resolution made in November from my Baraboo School Board. Even with the recent changes that have been made to the bill SB355 this bill is still both overly restrictive and anti-local control. We live in a democracy and this bill takes the decision making away from both our locally elected school boards and the communities they represent.

In 2006 my community had two failed school referendums. The second was rejected shortly after the first. The second was put forward with little additional arguments for it over what was offered for the first referendum and included no real changes. It was badly run which resulted in both a failed referendum and a split community. From that failure the community did not look for the Wisconsin Legislature to create a solution to a process that they could solve themselves on this divisive process. They proceed to replace two incumbents by voting on new school board members one of those included myself.

The damage was done and before Baraboo could go back to referendum we had years of repair to make with our community. Last year we passed an overdue maintenance and safety referendum with a communication process that engaged our overall community. Thank goodness for local control that allows voters to make their own choices on both the referendum and who represents them locally to keep their schools accountable to their community.

Please do not take away the choices/voices of our local citizens and boards of education to do what is best for both their schools and communities. For this reason and others which others have stated I would ask you to vote not to advance SB355 in the legislative process.

Doug Mering  
Baraboo Board of Education

cc- Baraboo Board of Education  
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Governor Scott Walker  
Senator Scott Fitzgerald  
Senator Luther Olsen  
Senator Jon Erpenbach  
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School District of Baraboo

Proposed Resolution:

WHEREAS, State Rep. Michael Schraa (R-Oshkosh) and state Sen. Duey Stroebel (R-Cedarburg) have introduced legislation (Assembly Bill 481/Senate Bill 355) to place restrictions on school district referenda ballot dates and implement a 2 year waiting period following failed referenda; and

WHEREAS, under current law, a school referendum can coincide with a primary election, general election, or a special election can be called specifically for the referendum. Under this bill, a school district referendum would have to coincide with a regularly scheduled Spring or Fall general election; and

WHEREAS, under current law, there is no limitation on whether, and how frequently, a referendum may be placed before voters. This bill would prevent a school board from bringing a new referendum request for two years if a referendum is voted down; and

WHEREAS, the bill is anti-local control and does not show trust in locally-elected officials; and

WHEREAS, with state-imposed revenue limits on school districts frozen for the entire two-year state budget cycle for the first time ever, referenda are the only way many districts can access resources. This proposal will significantly impact declining enrollment districts which comprise over 60 percent of Wisconsin school districts. Most seriously affected will be small, rural school districts which lack economies of scale and have few places to make cuts. Many of these districts have come to rely on periodic referenda to maintain programming and, in some cases, to continue to exist. Legislators should know that supporting this bill could have the effect of forcing districts to consider dissolving; and

WHEREAS, the bill will further exacerbate the trend of creating “Haves” who can pass referenda and “Have Nots” who cannot and opportunities for students will further be determined by their zip code; and

WHEREAS, the bill is extremely restrictive and inflexible for school boards – under the bill in odd-numbered years boards will only have one opportunity to go to referendum (in the spring). If that referendum fails, boards will have to wait two years to the next odd-numbered year where once again there will only be one opportunity. In a state budget year (an odd-numbered year with only an April general election) a district would have to wait until the following spring to react to funding decisions made by the state; and

WHEREAS, the bill is extremely restrictive and inflexible for school boards in another way as well—it also affects a variety of other funding mechanisms used by school boards to help them manage their finances, such as short-term borrowing, state trust fund loans, promissory notes and other borrowing or issuance of bonds. It provides that, if a school board applies or adopts a resolution to use any of these funding mechanisms and it is rejected by a majority of the electors of the school district, the school board may not use any of these mechanisms for two consecutive 365-day periods. When the Legislature adopted Act 10, it provided a number of “tools” to school boards to help them better manage their finances. This bill proposes taking away “tools” districts use to help them manage their finances; and

WHEREAS, in arguing for the two-year moratorium, the co-sponsorship memo being circulated states it is necessary because school boards are “holding repeated referenda in order to either wear down the public or manipulate the process.” Legislators should be aware that referenda can fail for reasons other than the community is unwilling to increase spending on their schools. There may be other issues in the

plan that voters do not support and when those issues are addressed the subsequent referendum passes. For example, there could be disagreement over the plan for construction, not the need for new/expanded facilities. In these instances, school boards are being responsive to the community; and

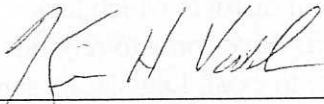
WHEREAS, voting is not a difficult process and voters in Wisconsin are intelligent. They do not need to be protected from themselves. If they do not support a referendum, they can vote no; and

WHEREAS, referenda can provide an opportunity for a community to have a very focused and robust conversation about what it wants its public schools to be. School boards propose referenda because they believe doing so is in the best educational interests of the students and communities they represent; and

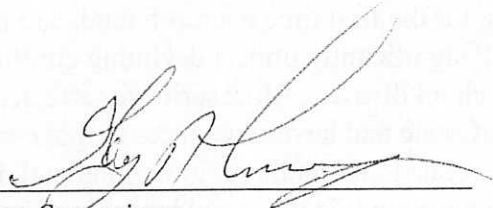
WHEREAS, The Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB) has formally adopted a policy resolution (Resolution 1.25) stating that "The WASB opposes limits on scheduling referenda."

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the School District of Baraboo Board of Education calls on Gov. Walker, Sen. Jon Erpenbach and Rep. David Considine to oppose this legislation that would further curtail the already very limited set of revenue options available to Wisconsin school boards.

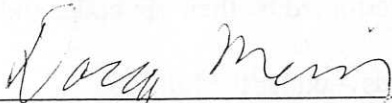
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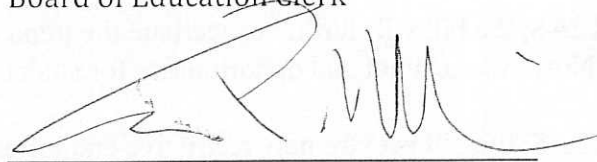
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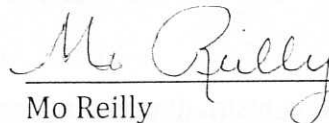
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**Public Hearing – January 14, 2016**

**Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government  
 Testimony in Opposition to Senate Bill 355**

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**Submitted by Ben Niehaus, Administrator, School District of Florence County**

Chairperson LeMahieu and members of the Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government, thank you for the opportunity to submit written testimony that underscores my strong opposition to Senate Bill 355.

As administrator for the School District of Florence County, I am gravely concerned about the potential implications this bill could have on the many rural school districts that have unique challenges due to diseconomies of scale. The legislation would compound the challenges we face given the resource restrictions of the current state budget, which has the first, consecutive two-year zero revenue cap in history.

This legislation will be nothing short of a potential catastrophe for the students we serve. Nearly a decade ago the residents of Florence County faced the potential dissolution of the School District of Florence County. If this legislation had been in place then, the district would have dissolved!

Under that very real scenario, what educational opportunities would there be for Florence County students today? Further....where would Florence County Wisconsin, and the surrounding area be today without any public school in the entire county? What type of local and regional commerce would exist today? What about the impact on the tourism industry? Finally, what would have been the impact on the local taxpayer? Again, this legislation would have had, and could have, catastrophic effects on students in small rural districts, their local and regional economies, and taxpayers!

On the point of the local economy, what business or industry is going to grow or look to a specific area knowing there is not a public school system to serve the students of those working families?

- Just this past week, during a visit from the plant manager of Pride Manufacturing, one of several regional businesses that serve on our industry advisory council for our Fab Lab, it was shared that they will likely add 10-15 new jobs next year. Pride Manufacturing and other regional employers serving on our Fab Lab industry advisory council are invested in our school because they share our goal of better preparing today's students for the careers of tomorrow.
- Also, our county's largest employer, Florence Hardwoods, employs approximately 60 individuals. Florence Hardwoods opened in 2010 in the industrial park next to Pride Manufacturing. Florence Hardwoods, a subsidiary of two of the largest logging companies in the Upper Peninsula, saw an opportunity for growth and expansion in Wisconsin and brought more than 50 jobs to a county of only 4,400 residents. Would Florence Hardwoods and Pride Manufacturing collectively be employing nearly 120 employees today in Florence County if the school district had dissolved in 2005?

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Today, Florence County has nearly 250 small businesses. Without the passing of successive referendums to support the School District of Florence County, the employment opportunities and commerce would not be what they are today.

Aside from the direct jobs they provide, local and regional commerce support our tourism industry by providing the services needed to support seasonal tourism opportunities for those who frequent the Northwood's. Basic amenities such as restaurants, gas stations, motels among other needed services would be minimal at best.

Please think about what the effect on other Northwood's schools and communities should they find themselves in the position that faced the School District of Florence County? This legislation increases the likelihood of the threat of further dissolutions in northern Wisconsin...this surely does not contribute to our state's motto of "Forward Wisconsin."

This brings me to the heart of my concern with this proposed legislation...it will remove local control from locally elected boards of education. As a state, we object when the federal government imposes regulations because we believe we are better able to act in the best interest of the citizens and taxpayers of Wisconsin? Does Washington know what's best for Wisconsin, or do you as the representatives of Wisconsin know what's best? I think we know these answers, and can agree, so why do we have a state proposing to limit what is a matter that should surely continue to be entrusted to locally elected boards of education, and the taxpayer, in the interest of how they choose, or do not choose, to support their schools? Why can't local communities, through their voice as provided by democracy, express their thoughts and opinions of what they will or will not support in sustaining their schools? Unfortunately, there seems to be a perception that local boards are abusing the referendum process...how untrue.

Also, it is of great concern that the proposed bill would limit a district's authority to short-term borrow for purposes of cash flow, specifically to make payroll during times of low cash reserves. It's unfortunate that there is such a misunderstanding, or perception, that districts sit on large cash reserves due to their fund balances. How untrue, especially in our property rich, yet income poor, northern Wisconsin districts. Imagine receiving your take home pay in two lump sums each year...this is reality for our revenue stream at the School District of Florence County. We receive 75% of our revenue during the months of August and January. Our state aid is decreased 15% each passing year, with our largest state aid payment received in June not evening amounting to enough to cover two consecutive payrolls. To hinder our ability to short-term borrow if absolutely necessitated due to implications of revenue payments to our school that are beyond our control is unacceptable, and would force districts to make difficult personnel decisions due simply to the fact that in one or two specific moments in time a district's assets are not liquid enough to see payments through.

The referendum history of Florence has allowed for a true voice of a school district to guide and direct the local board in its decision-making authority. Over approximately an 18-month period, Board members went to the voters four successive times seeking to pass a referendum to keep their doors open. Taxpayers were educated about different options and ultimately saw that passage was needed to keep the district moving forward, in the interest not only its students, but of local taxpayers. The closing of the school would not have saved taxes, but instead increased taxes, with less local control. Of all the schools bordering Florence County that would have absorbed the district, each has a higher mill rate than that of the current mill rate.

Since this time, the School District of Florence County has passed three, successive operating referendums, all during the November election cycle. The referendum that ultimately passed to avoid dissolution was a November vote that remains the highest voter turnout recorded for a school referendum in Florence County; our most recent operating referendum, another November election, nearly doubled in voter turnout from the previous operating referendum. The Board chooses to go to referendum for operations during this time to solicit the best possible response from its taxpayers, yet due to local dynamics, it may be necessary to go to referendum at other times. As example, we rely upon several sources of revenue from the federal government, primarily due to the vast amount of National Forest acreage in our county, 27% to be exact. Each year dependent upon the federal budget, we see fluctuations that do not only affect our payments, but due to delays and other matters in Washington, sometimes these payments arrive at erratic times. We receive just over \$300,000 in federal funding; if this amount were to be reduced, or is delayed, it can have further adverse implications on our cash reserves in making timely payments to our vendors or for purposes of payroll.

Another illustration of local control working is the decision by the Florence County Board of Education not to abuse the system, or take advantage of the taxpayer, but to truly levy what they know is needed. During the past 11 years of annual referendums, the Board of Education has chosen to under levy by \$1,383,954. The most recent operating referendum asked for approval of an annual authority to exceed of \$900,000, whereas the previous 5-year referendum asked for \$1,000,000 annually and the two years prior to that, \$1,250,000 annually. During a time of a continued erosion of support for our schools from the state, and an exponential increase in the demands placed upon our institutions, the School District of Florence County is asking for less, not more of its taxpayers via referendums (the state's 15% annual reduction in the distribution of aid forces our board of education to shift more of a burden to the taxpayer each year though). This shows that locally elected officials can, and are, doing a great job of representing their local communities and taxpayers at the local level.

We currently are in the process of master planning with an architect and construction manager. Our facilities, specifically our high school, have sections being utilized from the 1930's and 1950's; we need to make a decisions as to what to do with our facilities that are in the best interest of the taxpayer. In doing such, we've formed a facility task force, comprised of numerous individuals representing the various make-ups of our school district, parents, retired individuals, residents relatively new to the area and business owners. At this time, we are looking at the assessment from a needs perspective.

What if when we go to referendum, and this task force through their efforts makes a recommendation to the board of education with what it believes to be a realistic plan to address the current and "soon-to-be" needs of the district and this is put to the voters and turned down? Even with the proposed amendment, it is my understanding that we could have to wait up to a year and a half before going back with a revised proposal that may remove the "soon-to-be" needs of the district as an example, understanding that those issues will have to be later addressed. What would be the cost to the taxpayers of further deferred maintenance and erosion of an aging building? With such a wait, if a subsequent referendum were to pass, at minimum there could be three to four years before any renovations begin. With systems of infrastructure further eroding during that time, and with costs only going up, this may require a school district to use taxpayer dollars to put band aids on something that could have been addressed sooner.

In closing the School District of Florence County today surely lives up to its vision of *Positively Affecting the Lives of Children*. The District has earned six DPI School of Recognition Awards. During 2014-2015 we were

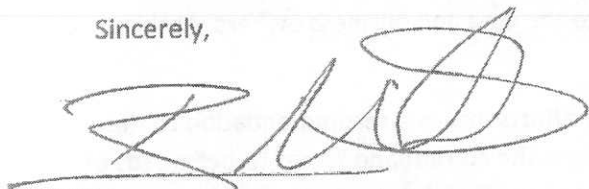
recognized as a High Progress School, seeing us in the top 10% of schools in Wisconsin experiencing growth in reading and math. In addition, we were recognized as a Beating the Odds School for above average student achievement in reading and math when compared to similarly sized schools in size, grade configuration and poverty levels. Our schools are meeting or exceeding state expectations via the most recent school report card, with our overall district score *exceeding* expectations. Our district earned a DPI Rural Schools and Communities Award via our collaboration as one of only a handful of shared school and county libraries in the state (without each other there would not be a public library in Florence County). Most recently, our endeavors with the opening of our Fab Lab are providing our youth with a multitude of opportunities in attaining an education that will prepare them for the careers of tomorrow, or that may spark an interest that will guide them to furthering their education beyond school to ultimately become the leaders of tomorrow.

These are just a few of the many great things we are accomplishing and striving to do in the School District of Florence County. I share this with you because none of the aforementioned accolades and offerings would be possible if not for the persistence and efforts of the citizens of the School District of Florence County, through local decision making.

The final takeaway from the Florence story is this – please don't make a decision today, by supporting this legislation, that could adversely affect what a school board is entrusted to do as locally elected officials. We can't predict the adverse implications of legislation that arbitrarily takes away local control from the Boards of 424 school districts and local taxpayers. For those of you supporting this legislation, I'd ask for you to reconsider and think about the Florence story. The School District of Florence County is where it is today through democracy at the local level. A community has voiced what it desires its school to be, or not be, balancing a multitude of interests and dynamics at the local level. How many other schools may find themselves in a situation like that of Florence's a decade ago? Can it be ascertained this legislation will not do this to any of the schools and communities affected by this legislation? A loss of a school is not just a lost school, it's a loss to both a community and commerce.

I'd be more than happy to address further questions or concerns you may have via phone, in person or via email. I apologize that I could not be available in person due to such short notice of this hearing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ben Niehaus', written over a horizontal line.

Ben Niehaus, District Administrator

**BRUCE QUINTON**  
District Administrator

**Jill Riesgraf**  
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# PEPIN AREA SCHOOLS

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1/21/16

To: Senate Education Committee Members

From: Bruce Quinton

Re: Testimony to the Assembly Education Committee on SB-355

I would like to thank the Senate Education Committee members for giving me the opportunity to address your committee in regards to SB-355.

Pepin Area Schools strongly opposes the proposed legislative limits on our school district's ability to go to our local taxpayer for a referendum. We believe this violates the tenants of and represents the continuation of practices that deteriorate local control in our state. Our stance is firm on this matter. School referendums are a local matter and this should not be limited at the state government level. Pepin Area School District voters should be allowed to continue to determine their school district's fate as it relates to our local levy. Provisions in this bill apply penalties that could force the closure of our school if this bill is signed into law.

As a school district administrator, I am astonished at the timing of this bill. With revenue limits frozen for this budget cycle for the first time in our state's history, referenda are the only way many districts can access desperately needed resources. I have attended listening sessions with numerous assembly representatives and senators who have specifically spoken about the use of local referendums to address our local fiscal needs during a time when our state lawmakers have not provided public education with a revenue limit per pupil increase, at the rate of inflation, for eight consecutive years. This proposal will significantly impact declining enrollment districts, which are often small rural school districts, many of which need referenda to maintain educational opportunities for children. This bill, if adopted, could have the effect of forcing districts to consider dissolving or consolidating if they cannot pass such referenda and are barred from going back to their voters for one year (or more).

It begs the question, is the education of students in rural areas of the state less important than other areas of the state? Pepin was able to pass a referendum in the fall of 2006 to exceed the revenue limits on a recurring basis. If the current bill was law and that referendum failed, I believe Pepin Area Schools would no longer exist. In 2006 we had a fund balance of \$273,000 and an annual structural deficit of approximately \$180,000. If we had to wait a year to run another question, Pepin Area Schools would have been all but bankrupt! Additionally, we were doing significant short term borrowing to get through the school year as we waited for aid payments to be transferred from the State of Wisconsin into our school district accounts. There would have been periods of time during the summer where we could

Pepin Area School's vision is "Encouraging a community of learners in a positive atmosphere where learning is a life long process which develops responsible citizens who value knowledge."

The Pepin Area School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or handicap.



not have met our payroll, paid our utility bills, or other fiscal obligations such as loan payments, on two buses. The simple fact is, under this current bill's structure we would have been forced to dissolve due to a state imposed action, as opposed to the will of the local residents and taxpayers of this school district.

Further, why shouldn't our local voters have the right to vote down a referendum question that they believe is overreaching without fear of losing their local school district all together? If our referendum would have failed in the fall of 2006, we would have laid out the specific cuts in educational opportunities for our students, informed our voters of the reductions that would need to be made and almost certainly asked a similar question again in the spring election to make sure those cuts reflected the will of our community and the educational opportunities our voters were comfortable providing the children of our local community. Shouldn't our local voters have had a right to revisit this question in the spring of 2007?

Who is this bill protecting? If our local voters feel that the school board is abusing their local authority to go to referendum, it seems to me that the local voter will hold the local board members accountable at the next school board election.

Who does this bill truly serve? Are legislators prepared to take ownership of the ramifications of the consequences of this bill? Are legislators looking out for rural schools in this bill? Legislators are kidding themselves if they believe this will only impact rural schools. This will impact other school districts who are in serious fiscal trouble, regardless of the size of the district.

This bill will further exacerbate the trend of creating "Haves" who can pass referenda and "Have Nots" who cannot. Opportunities for students will further be determined by their zip code. Poorer districts will cut educational opportunities to their students as opposed to risking insolvency and the gap between the "Haves" and "Have Nots" will continue to grow wider and wider in our state.

I am asking the state's Senate Education Committee to let these matters be determined where they impact the lives of the people you represent. This is a matter for the local voter to decide at the ballot box of their own district! Please do not impose your will on those who are not asking for you to take away their right to vote for the self determination of their local school in rural Wisconsin.

Thank you for your time,



Bruce Quinton, District Administrator  
Pepin Area Schools

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**ADMINISTRATION**

Dr. Mike Richie, District Administrator  
Margo Smith, C.P.A., Business Manager



January 14, 2016

Dear Senate Committee on Elections & Local Government:

Please accept my written testimony in **opposition of Senate Bill 355**, dealing with limiting school district referendums. I do understand you all have very difficult jobs and I appreciate the opportunity to appear before you to speak on this issue.

My name is Mike Richie and I have been the District Administrator of the Northland Pines School District (NPSD), located in Eagle River, for the past 12 years. This is my 18<sup>th</sup> year overall serving as a District Administrator in Wisconsin. I believe the Northland Pines School District has a great story to tell you regarding our referendum history and why we are so **ADAMANTLY** against this Bill.

The Northland Pines School District will be going to its 5<sup>th</sup> operational referendum during my tenure here. The NPSD is located in rural northern Wisconsin; the district is comprised of 487 square miles with an operational budget of approximately \$25,000,000 and revenue limits of \$16,000,000 (you can see the problem – we can legally only levy \$16,000,000 without a referendum for a \$25,000,000 budget). We are also a property rich school district of over \$3,000,000,000 in property value. NPSD only receives \$72,000 in equalized state aid. We have declining enrollment and serve 1,310 students. Our Free & Reduced population is just over 40%. This Bill is a **kiss of death** to any rural property rich school district with declining enrollment. Here is our **operational referendum history** since revenue limits were introduced to put this testimony in perspective:

October 6, 1998	\$950,000 recurring	Failed
April 6, 1999	\$598,000 recurring	Failed
June 29, 1999	\$598,000 non-recurring	Failed
April 2, 2002	Q1 - \$787,000 for 3 yrs	Passed
	Q2 - \$353,000 for 3 yrs	Passed
	Q3 - \$174,000 for 3 yrs	Passed
April 4, 2006	\$2,400,000 for 3 yrs	Failed
June 27, 2006	\$1,580,000 for 3 yrs	Passed
April 7, 2009	\$2,900,000 for 3 yrs	Passed
February 19, 2013	Q1 - \$2,700,000 for 3 yrs	Passed
	Q2 - \$ 240,000 for 1 yr	Passed
February 16, 2016	\$3,900,000 for 3 yrs	??????

The reason I mention kiss of death to rural school districts is the fact that every district is unique and has its own set of circumstances regarding demographics. It will cost more to operate our school district versus an urban district with the same enrollment. This is why local control and less state mandates are so important.

One easy example for you to understand why we must go to an operational referendum, compared to other districts, is due to the large geographical size of our district - **487 square miles; this requires us to spend \$1,300,000 per year in transportation.** Let's compare the Northland Pines School District to another district that has the same enrollment as us that is situated in the Fox Valley and is 3 square miles with no daily transportation. I don't think all of our legislators realize the disparity among our school districts!

Our Eagle River campus has an elementary school, a middle school and a high school. Any middle school or high school student who lives in the far northwest corner of our district is over 40 miles away from the middle school and high school (one way). We also operate two small rural elementary schools; one is 20 miles north of Eagle River and the other is 15 miles west of Eagle River, so these two schools are 35 miles apart. **If we did not have our 2 rural elementary schools, our 4 year old Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade students would be on the bus over 1.5 hours one way, which means they would be on a bus over 3 hours on a daily basis as an elementary student and we all know how cold our winters are in Wisconsin.**

Urban districts do not face this issue. It will always cost the Northland Pines School District more money to operate because of our location and makeup of the district. What I mean by this, using our elementary situation as an example, we have three of everything. We have three elementary offices, three elementary cafeterias, three elementary secretaries, three elementary principals, three Special Education programs; this list goes on and on. There is nothing in the current funding formula that takes this into account. The formula treats all districts the same. Believe me, one size does not fit all! We have 624 elementary students in 3 separate elementary schools, providing elementary programming and services in **triplicate**, whereas an urban school or a smaller geographical district could have 1 elementary school with the same number of students. We are penalized by the funding formula due to our demographics. Please don't allow the state to take our referendum options/choices away. **Allow our School Board to do the job they were elected to do by our local residents.**

The only way we can survive is to rely on our operational referendums. If this Bill is passed, it will not only be devastating to NPSD, it will be detrimental to any school district in the state that relies on operational referendums due to the current Wisconsin state funding formula. It will force those districts to close their doors; districts cannot wait 1 or 2 years between any failed referendum. The reason they are going to a referendum is that they need the money to balance their budget for the upcoming school year and continue with their programming. **It's hard to fathom that our district has gone to 9 operational referendums since 1998, yet other districts across the state have not had to go to even 1 operational referendum!**

As I deliver this testimony today, ironically, I must rush out of here to make the 240 mile drive back to Eagle River to deliver a 6:30 p.m. public informational presentation regarding our February 16<sup>th</sup> operational referendum, as we must rely on this referendum every 3 years. If this Bill is passed, we will not even have an option to present our public with a referendum during a primary, only during the general election. **This Bill is extremely restrictive and inflexible for school boards.** When I make a decision regarding education, I base it on what's best for the students. When my school board makes a decision, they base it on what's best for the school district they serve. You are taking that opportunity away from them if this Bill is passed. It really needs to be about local control.

We are asking for \$3,900,000 for the next 3 years at our February 16<sup>th</sup> referendum, yet we have an average budget shortfall of \$4,237,502 for each of the 3 years. Even if we pass this referendum, we will still need to cut over \$1,000,000 over the next 3 years. As a district, we are extremely fiscally responsible and we have been the front runner in implementing all the cost saving tools given to us through Act 10; we have been very aggressive in seeking grants as well.

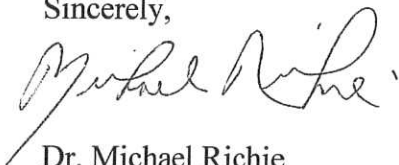
Here are a few of the strategies we have used to ensure a high quality fiscally responsible school district:

- Continue to bid out all insurances
- Implemented a \$5,000/\$10,000 deductible HSA/HRA health insurance plan
- Reduced post-retirement benefits by 50%
- Outsourced food service to a private vendor
- Employees pay 50% of their Wisconsin retirement
- Employees pay 12% of their health and dental insurance
- We share teachers between middle school and high school
- Implemented a Pay for Performance payscale, eliminated steps and lanes
- Layoffs and/or reductions are based on teacher performance and NOT seniority
- Our district is changing grade structures by moving 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students out of the middle school in to the high school; part of the rationale behind this is to be more fiscally responsible in the area of sharing staff and programming between the middle school and high school buildings. Again, we are taking every advantage to stretch our budget dollars.

Again, if this Bill is passed as written, we would not even be able to go to our referendum in February because it is a primary, so we would have to wait until the April General Election. If that April referendum failed, we would have to wait 1 or 2 years before we could come back for another referendum. As a district, we would have to cut \$4,237,502 per year as we waited for another delayed opportunity to go to referendum. **This would destroy our school district and any other district like ours.** Once a school district is forced to go to an operational referendum, due to how the funding formula works, the school district will have to continue with that referendum cycle indefinitely.

I don't understand the rationale behind this Bill nor does my School Board. Voters get to vote at the polls. The argument that people might be away during a referendum is a moot point as they always have absentee voting available to them. We are open and transparent with our referendums and we hold publicly posted informational meetings in each of our school buildings and we send every district resident an informational flyer prior to any referendum vote. **Again, I urge you to oppose this Bill.** I am also happy to answer any specific questions you may have so please feel free to contact me at my office at (715) 479-6487, **Option 1, Extension 1** or by email at [mrichie@npsd.k12.wi.us](mailto:mrichie@npsd.k12.wi.us) Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



Dr. Michael Richie  
District Administrator



# FAIR AID COALITION

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**Public Hearing - January 14, 2016**  
**Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government**  
**Testimony in Opposition to Senate Bill 355**  
**Submitted by Ken Bates, President, Fair Aid Coalition**

Chairperson LeMahieu and members of the Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government, as the administrator of the Green Lake School District and President of the Fair Aid Coalition, an organization of high property value school districts, I appear before you today to testify in strong opposition to Senate Bill 355.

Lawmakers concerned about property taxes have introduced SB 355/AB 481 **to restrict the ability of local school boards to seek voter approval to override the state-imposed levy limit for operating or capital expenditures.** However, the bill is predicated on the flawed presumption that school board members and administrators are not careful stewards of state and local resources. On the contrary, school board members take seriously their charge to efficiently and effectively operate a public school system and ensure a quality educational opportunity that promotes high student achievement.

So, when a school board opts to go to referendum, particularly for operating expenditures, it does so as a last resort, after all reasonable cost reduction measures have been undertaken. The challenge is that there are few if any places left to achieve further spending reductions. School districts, arguably more than any other unit of government, have been forced to continually cut costs. Most recently, districts have found savings through shared services, utilization of HRA's for healthcare, and other means made possible through the enactment of Act 10. Beyond those measures, districts are confronted with further reductions of staff or class offerings.

The reality is that many districts are struggling to do more with less, in a way that is unsustainable. Rather than threaten the very existence of some districts by restricting their ability to cover budget shortfalls, lawmakers should instead address the root causes of the problem, including, insufficient state aid, diminishing revenue limit authority, declining enrollment, and diseconomies of scale.

**FACTORS INFLUENCING INITIATION OF OPERATING REFERENDA:**

1. **Insufficient State Aid** (zero or declining general aid; minimal categorical aid increases; reliance on declining enrollment adjustment)
2. **Minimal or No Revenue Limit Increases**
3. **Declining Enrollment**
4. **Diseconomies of Scale**
5. **Increasing Costs** (inflationary and mandated)

Due to flat or modest increases in the per pupil revenue limit and continually declining state general aid, high property value districts that are especially reliant on local tax dollars have struggled to raise sufficient revenue to keep pace with inflation in school costs. These districts often must either cut programs and staff or go to the voters with an operating referendum in hopes of maintaining existing programs and staff for their students.



# NORTHLAND PINES SCHOOL DISTRICT

## REFERENDUM INFORMATION

### VOTE TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2016

#### *A Message from the District Administrator, Mike Richie:*

On Tuesday, February 16, 2016, the Northland Pines School District will ask residents to vote on an operational referendum question. The question on the ballot will be as follows: Shall the Northland Pines School District be authorized to exceed state revenue limits by \$3,900,000 each year for a period of three years on a non-recurring basis for each of the 2016-17, 2017-18, and 2018-19 school years, in order to maintain School District programs and operations and to provide for additional school safety and security measures, including security camera upgrades and employment of a school resource officer?

Past referendums have assisted the District in implementing safety measures across the district such as smoke/firewalls in the K8 building and making all entrances/access into our buildings more secure. We would like to continue to be proactive in our endeavors to keep our students safe and for this reason we have included more safety measures in the referendum dollar amount requested. The average budget shortfall for the upcoming referendum three year period is \$4,237,502. Even with a passed referendum, the District will still need to reduce the budget by an average of \$337,502 for each of the three school years.

The previous three year non-recurring referendum dollar amount, approved by residents in February of 2013, will expire on June 30, 2016; **therefore, this \$2,700,000 will come off the tax levy in 2016.**

If approved, the February 16, 2016 three year non-recurring referendum dollar amount would be as follows:

- ✓ Referendum dollars included in total tax levy 2016 - \$3,900,000
- ✓ Referendum dollars included in total tax levy 2017 - \$3,900,000

✓ Referendum dollars included in total tax levy 2018 - \$3,900,000

**In reality this is an increase to the levy of \$1,200,000 from the previous three year non-recurring referendum.**

The Northland Pines School District continues to be very successful, offering a vast array of choices for our students and parents, as we realize all students learn differently. NPSD educational options include traditional school choices, charter school choices, alternative education choices and personal learning plan choices. Student academic achievement is high, test scores are well above state averages and our Department of Public Instruction issued School Report Cards are consistently rated as one of the highest in our CESA #9 region (which includes 22 school districts). We currently have 16 teachers who have received the prestigious National Board Teaching Certification; there are only 1,200 NBCT certified teachers across the entire state. The number of Open Enrollment students choosing to transfer in to Northland Pines from other school districts continues to rise, making NPSD the District of choice.

NPSD has been fiscally responsible and has used the 2011 Wisconsin Act 10 to save our taxpayers millions of dollars. That was also known as the "Wisconsin Budget Repair Bill" and it primarily impacted the following areas: collective bargaining, compensation, retirement, health insurance and sick leave. We were one of the first school districts in the state, beginning with the 2012-13 school year, to implement a Pay-for-Performance pay model, where certified staff are paid based on their individual performance; please see page 3 for further specific cost-saving measures implemented by the district due to Act 10.

## PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETINGS

- Thur. January 14 @ St. Germain Elementary School 6:30 p.m.**
- Mon. January 25 @ Land O' Lakes Elementary School 6:30 p.m.**
- Tues. January 26 @ Northland Pines High School 6:30 p.m.**

Inquiries regarding the referendum can be made by calling the Northland Pines School District office: (715) 479-6487 Mike Richie, District Administrator, option 1, ext. 1, email [mrichie@npsd.k12.wi.us](mailto:mrichie@npsd.k12.wi.us) or Margo Smith, Business Manager, option 2, ext. 1, email [masmith@npsd.k12.wi.us](mailto:masmith@npsd.k12.wi.us)

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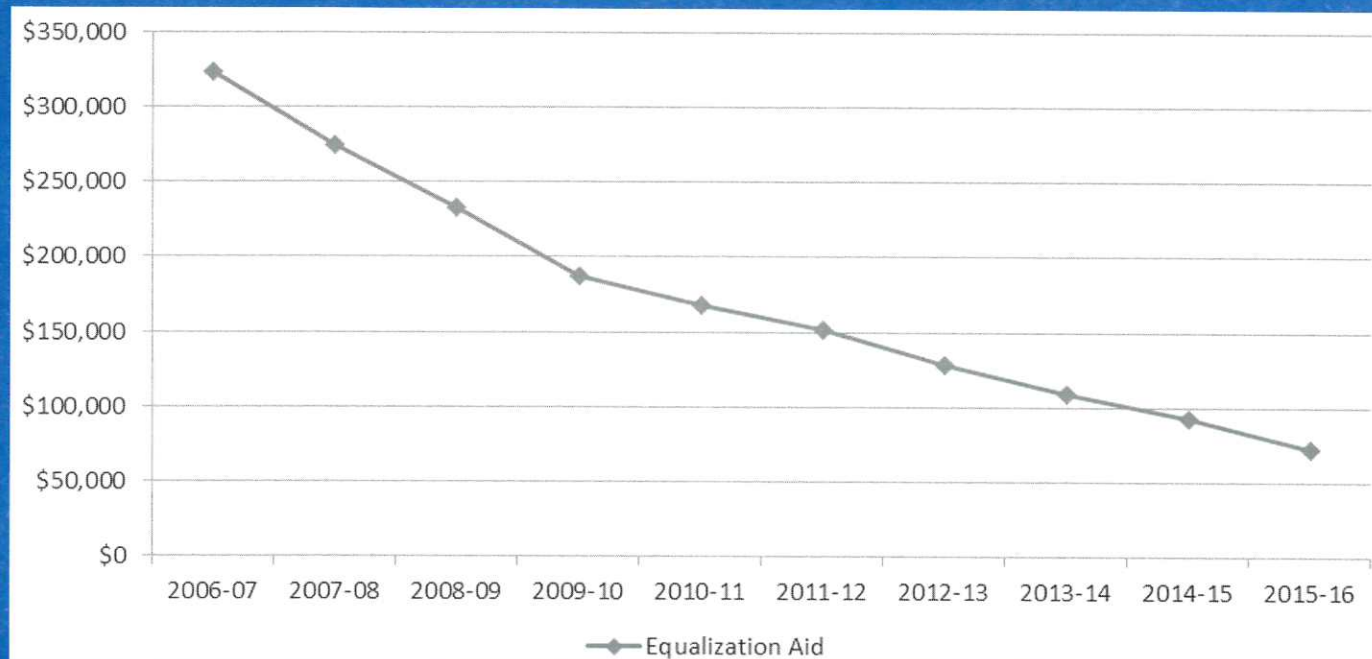
## REFERENDUM INFORMATION

The Northland Pines School District residents and communities are known throughout the northwoods and beyond as being highly supportive of our schools and the education of all of our students. Thank you for the support the district has received. There are referendum facts and information available on our website. Three public presentations will also be held to give residents the opportunity to hear first-hand information regarding our budget shortfall, information on the referendum, and to have your questions answered. If you would like to have us present information to your club/organization, or if you want more information, please contact me at (715) 479-6487, Option 1, Ext. 1, or by email at [mrichie@npsd.k12.wi.us](mailto:mrichie@npsd.k12.wi.us). You may also contact any administrator or any of our seven elected school board members in the Northland Pines School District. **Please become informed and vote on Tuesday, February 16, 2016.**

### Why does Northland Pines need to continue going to an operating referendum?

Wisconsin Act 16 implemented revenue limits beginning with the 1993-94 school year. A district's revenue limit is the maximum amount of revenue it may raise through state general aid and property taxes. Once a district begins an operational referendum cycle, it must continue as long as the state has the same funding formula. At the end of each three/four year cycle, the previous referendum dollars must be removed from the budget and a new referendum may be placed on the ballot, asking for the revenues for the next three/four years. As fixed costs and expenses continue to increase and state funding and revenue limits continue to decrease, the Northland Pines School District will have a projected budget shortfall of over \$4 million per year. Pursuant to WI state law, we must go to a referendum to exceed the revenue limit.

### Over the past 10 years Northland Pines equalized aid from the state continues to decrease.



### BUDGET SHORTFALL 2016-2019

2016-2017:	\$3,428,921
2017-2018:	\$4,353,658
2018-2019:	\$4,929,928
Total Shortfall 2016-2019	\$12,712,507
Proposed Referendum	\$11,700,000
Remaining Budget Shortfall (\$1,012,507)	

**Average of \$4,237,502**

### REFERENDUM DOLLAR AMOUNT:

**\$3.9 million per year for three years. The 2013 operating referendum money (\$2.7 million) expires on June 30, 2016.**

# NORTHLAND PINES SCHOOL DISTRICT

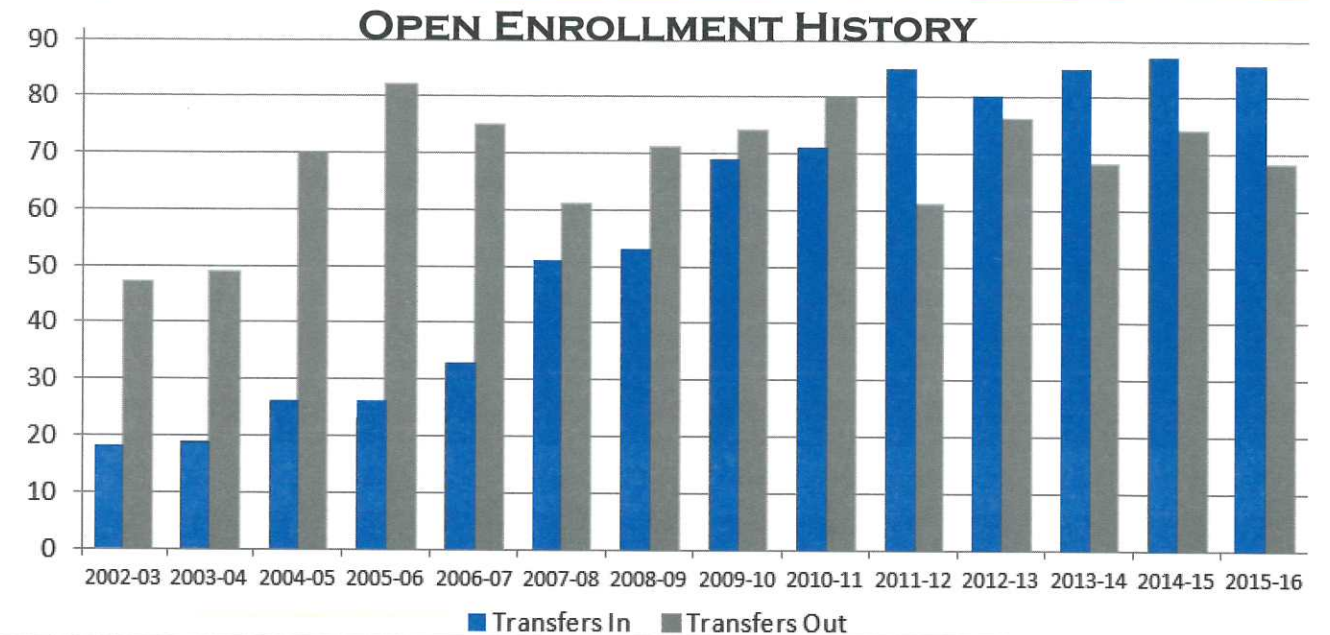
## VOTE TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16



### District of Choice

The graph below shows that NPSD has become a district of choice; more students are open enrolled into the district than are leaving. In 2002, only 18 students open enrolled into the district and today 85 students open enroll in. NPSD has worked very hard to accomplish this great feat. Quality staff, program offerings, high test scores, and excellent facilities are a few of the reasons students and families are choosing to be educated at NPSD.

**Each open enrolled student that attends NPSD generates \$6,639 of revenue for each year of attendance.**



### TAX IMPACT ON CITIZENS

The "Mill Rate" is the rate at which property taxes are determined. A property tax bill is comprised of four taxing authorities: City/Township, Vilas County, Nicolet Area Technical College and the Northland Pines School District.

If passed, the referendum would increase the NPSD mill rate approximately .34 per thousand of assessed valuation.

**The estimated tax implication on the value of your house with a passed referendum would be:**

\$100,000 home	\$34.00
\$200,000 home	\$68.00
\$300,000 home	\$102.00

The mill rate for 2015-16 is \$5.97 per thousand of equalized valuation. With an estimated .34 per thousand increase, the tax rate would average \$6.31 per thousand.

### How has NPSD reduced operating costs?

- Continue to bid out insurance
- Implemented a \$5,000/\$10,000 deductible HSA/HRA Health Insurance plan
  - 2010 \$139,980 savings
  - 2011 \$181,491 savings
  - 2012 \$346,286 savings
  - 2013 \$520,349 savings
  - 2014 \$934,722 savings
  - 2015 \$950,000 est. savings
- Reduced post-retirement benefits for certified staff with an estimated savings of \$65,000 per retiree
- Outsourced food service to a private vendor
- Successful grant awards (See page 4)
- All employees pay half of their WI retirement contributions with an estimated savings of over \$600,000 per year
- Share teachers between Middle School and High School

## WHY DOES IT COST MORE TO OPERATE THE NORTHLAND PINES SCHOOL DISTRICT THAN OTHER DISTRICTS OUR SIZE?

- Demographics
- Building locations/size/structure of the district
- Transportation

The school district is 474 square miles and the cost is approximately \$1,300,000 annually for transportation; bussing costs increase annually. It costs more to operate and maintain three small elementary schools than it would one large elementary school. NPSD operates five schools whereas most districts our size would have three or less schools. The current structure is best for our district; however, in order to maintain the district "as is", it will cost more each year.

### ABSENTEE VOTING INFORMATION

If you are interested in voting by absentee ballot, please contact your town clerk to request your absentee ballot. Contact information for clerks of all townships and the City of Eagle River can be found on our website at [www.npsd.k12.wi.us](http://www.npsd.k12.wi.us) on the referendum page. If you are not yet registered to vote, you will need to register before requesting an absentee ballot.

### 2014-15 MILL RATES

There are 424 school districts in the state of Wisconsin. See below how Northland Pines compares to other districts.

#### 10 Lowest K-12 Mill Rates

1. Gibraltar	\$2.91
2. Washington Island	\$3.94
3. Drummond	\$4.10
4. Mercer	\$5.08
5. Green Lake	\$5.24
6. Sevastopol	\$5.45
7. Three Lakes	\$5.70
<b>8. Northland Pines</b>	<b>\$5.92</b>
9. Northwoods	\$5.93
10. Birchwood	\$6.03

#### 10 Highest K-12 Mill Rates

1. Cassville	\$17.05
2. Laona	\$16.10
3. Elmwood	\$15.24
4. Highland	\$15.17
5. Brown Deer	\$14.76
6. Pepin	\$14.65
7. Shorewood	\$13.88
8. Independence	\$13.84
9. Evansville	\$13.62
10. Gilmanton	\$13.59

### HOW HAS NPSD PURSUED ADDITIONAL REVENUES?

#### *Notable Grants Awarded*

2015: **\$10,240** Ed Effectiveness Grant  
 2014: **\$10,240** Ed Effectiveness Grant  
 2014: **\$24,000** Peer Review Mentor  
 2014: **\$27,337** Rural & Low Income  
 2014: **\$150,000** Montessori Grant  
 2014: **\$175,000** SOAR Charter Grant  
 2013: **\$175,000** SOAR Charter Grant  
 2012: **\$175,000** SOAR Planning Grant  
 2011: **\$22,000** Safe Routes to School  
 2008: **\$42,598** Pre-Kindergarten  
 2008: **\$25,000** PLW Grant, NPMS  
 2007: **\$34,000** PLW Grant, NPHS  
 2007: **\$696,803** PEP Grant  
 2006: **\$384,800** At-Risk Ed Grant

### WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF THE REFERENDUM FAILS?

If the referendum fails the NPSD will have an average budget deficit of \$4,237,502 million per year over the next three years and some very difficult decisions will need to be made on how to balance the budget. All aspects of the district will be impacted.

**REMEMBER TO VOTE ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2016!**

**VISIT [NPSD.K12.WI.US/REFERENDUM.CFM](http://NPSD.K12.WI.US/REFERENDUM.CFM)  
 FOR COMPLETE VOTING INFORMATION, PUBLIC MEETINGS,  
 VIDEOCAST AND POWERPOINT PRESENTATIONS.**



Indeed, a preliminary review of data from the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) website shows that between 1990 and 2015, 33 high property value school districts - **8% of the total 424 districts** –passed non-recurring referenda for operating expenses that accounts for **25.7% of the total NR referenda approved statewide.**

- The equalization aid map from the DPI will give you a sense of the location of the 60 high property value districts that receive zero or primary aid only – they are shown as salmon or red districts. The some 116 negative tertiary districts are represented in cream and 250 positively aided districts are shown in green. Importantly, because high property value school districts are zero or primary aid only, the passage of referenda does not result in any additional state aid.  
[http://dpi.wi.gov/sites/default/files/imce/sfs/pdf/FY15gen\\_aid\\_type.pdf](http://dpi.wi.gov/sites/default/files/imce/sfs/pdf/FY15gen_aid_type.pdf)
- The attached spreadsheet shows that the majority of high property value school districts, those that are highlighted, have approved one or more non-recurring operating referenda since 1990, and further **shows the related continual annual 15% loss of state general aid.**

The dilemma of whether to go to referendum is particularly acute in small and rural districts that have been facing declining enrollments over a prolonged period and find they have few places left to make cuts should a referendum not pass. But as you can see from the DPI map on membership declining enrollment affects a significant number of school districts across the state.

[http://dpi.wi.gov/sites/default/files/imce/sfs/pdf/FY15pct\\_chg\\_membership.pdf](http://dpi.wi.gov/sites/default/files/imce/sfs/pdf/FY15pct_chg_membership.pdf)

Under current law, districts are eligible for a declining enrollment exemption, which is intended to serve as a parachute during times of declining enrollment. This exemption provides districts with additional revenue authority to make up for the loss in revenue authority due to declining enrollment. While the exemption is critically important, once enrollment begins to level, districts experience immediate and significant reductions in state aid - the parachute becomes an anchor, in some cases causing serious and challenging budget holes.

While high property value districts disproportionately rely on operating referenda, they pass far fewer referenda to exceed revenue limits for capital improvements – 59 high property value districts (**14% of total districts**) **approved debt that represents just 6.2% of the statewide total.** While districts may differ in their approach to building and facilities management based on the values of their communities, it is also likely that high property value districts forego capital improvements because local taxpayers cannot bear this additional expense. In other words, operating referenda take precedence over capital referenda. This is obviously a concern, because many of these districts have buildings in need of repair or replacement.

#### **FACTORS INFLUENCING INITIATION OF CAPITAL REFERENDA:**

1. **Renovation/remodel of aging facilities**
2. **Construction of new buildings to replace aging facilities**
3. **Building maintenance needs such as a leaking roof or failing HVAC system**

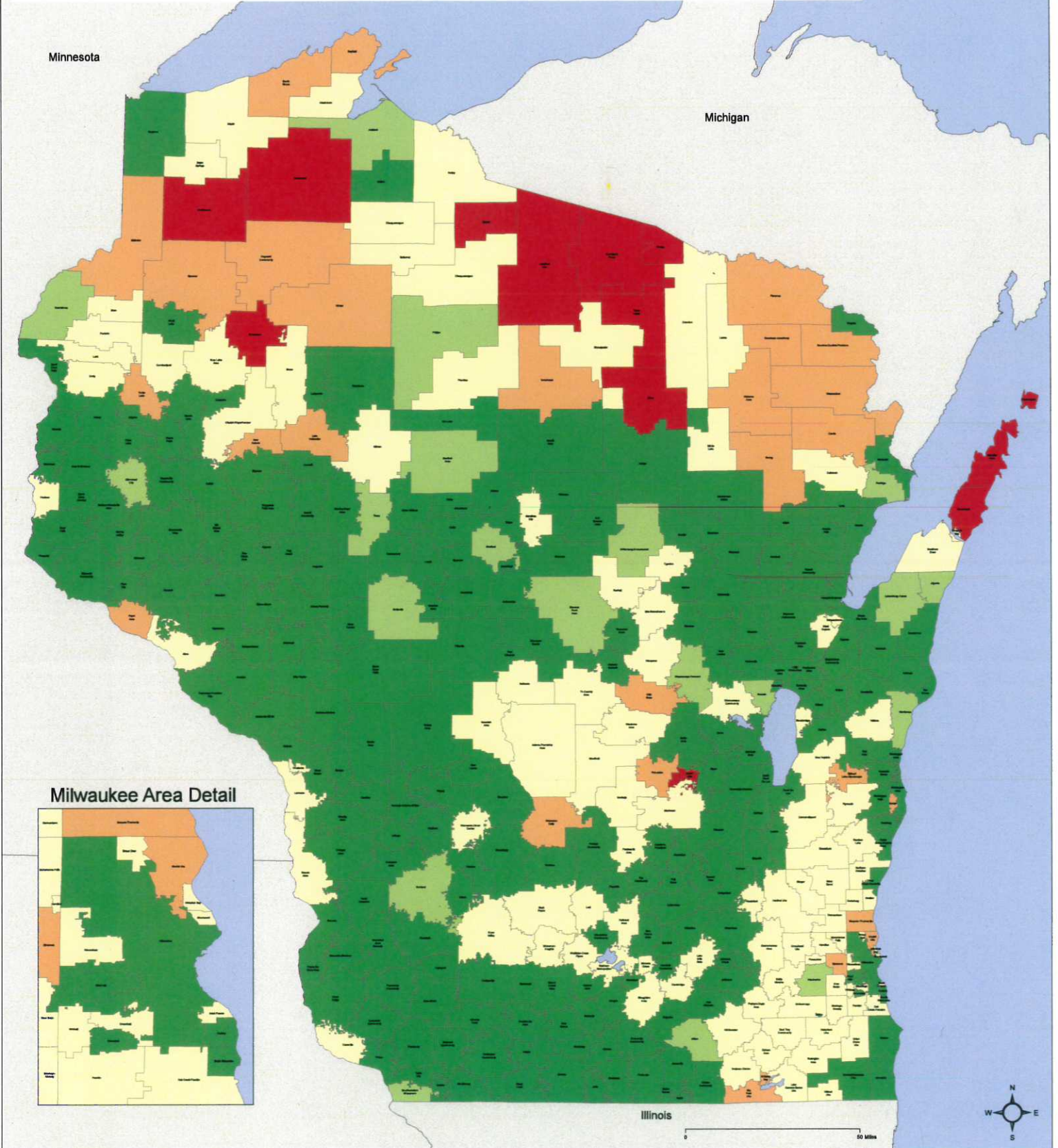
Concerns about the local property tax burden are valid and shared by all. But if the Legislature is unwilling to provide school districts with the resources to meet mandated or inflationary costs, then it should not preclude districts from choosing the only means available for budget solvency – an appeal to local property taxpayers to provide the dollars necessary to preserve or enhance educational opportunity in their community. As such, **the Fair Aid Coalition strongly urges that you OPPOSE Senate Bill 355.** Not only does the bill run contrary to local control, but ignores the reality that school district referenda are ultimately driven by factors beyond school district control. Thank you for your consideration.

# School Districts By Category of State Equalization Aid in 2014-15

- No Aid
- Primary Aid Only
- Negative Tertiary Aid
- Positive Primary & Secondary Aid
- Positive Primary, Secondary & Tertiary Aid



\*K-8 school districts are not displayed



HIGH PROPERTY VALUE SCHOOL DISTRICTS: ONE OR MORE APPROVED NON-RECURRING REFERENDA BETWEEN 1990 and 2015

DISTRICT SCHOOL	2013-14 MEMBERS	2013-14 GENERAL AID	2014-15 GENERAL AID	2015-16 GENERAL AID	2014-15 CHANGE PERCENT	2015-16 CHANGE PERCENT	2014-15 CHANGE DOLLAR	2015-16 CHANGE DOLLAR	2013-14 AID PUPIL	2014-15 AID PUPIL	2015-16 AID PUPIL
Geneva J4	122	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	-	-	0	0	0
North Lakeland	147	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	-	-	0	0	0
Gibraltar Area	575	6,757	5,737	4,873	-15.10%	-15.06%	(1,020)	(864)	12	10	8
Linn J6	100	2,107	1,789	1,520	-15.09%	-15.04%	(318)	(269)	21	18	15
Fontana J8	236	10,812	9,182	7,801	-15.08%	-15.04%	(1,630)	(1,381)	46	39	33
Williams Bay	536	36,773	26,448	24,983	-28.08%	-5.54%	(10,325)	(1,465)	69	49	47
Phelps	147	9,864	8,377	6,972	-15.08%	-16.77%	(1,487)	(1,405)	67	57	47
Minocqua J1	592	40,806	34,655	29,440	-15.07%	-15.05%	(6,151)	(5,215)	69	59	50
Washington	57	4,004	3,401	2,889	-15.06%	-15.05%	(603)	(512)	70	60	51
Mercer	138	10,293	8,741	7,426	-15.08%	-15.04%	(1,552)	(1,315)	75	63	54
Linn J4	121	9,046	7,683	6,527	-15.07%	-15.05%	(1,363)	(1,156)	75	63	54
Northland Pines	1317	109,009	92,576	72,540	-15.07%	-21.64%	(16,433)	(20,036)	83	70	55
Green Lake	275	21,604	18,347	15,587	-15.08%	-15.04%	(3,257)	(2,760)	79	67	57
Northwood	394	37,951	26,385	22,415	-30.48%	-15.05%	(11,566)	(3,970)	96	67	57
Sevastopol	554	43,884	37,269	31,662	-15.07%	-15.04%	(6,615)	(5,607)	79	67	57
Lakeland UHS	702	67,403	57,235	48,623	-15.09%	-15.05%	(10,168)	(8,612)	96	82	69
Drummond	409	39,672	33,692	28,622	-15.07%	-15.05%	(5,980)	(5,070)	97	82	70
Elcho	375	36,551	31,041	26,367	-15.07%	-15.06%	(5,510)	(4,674)	97	83	70
Three Lakes	529	61,221	51,993	44,169	-15.07%	-15.05%	(9,228)	(7,824)	116	98	83
Webster	690	116,197	98,680	83,831	-15.08%	-15.05%	(17,517)	(14,849)	168	143	121
Birchwood	253	62,648	53,204	45,198	-15.07%	-15.05%	(9,444)	(8,006)	248	210	179
Lake Country	418	85,786	96,750	82,191	12.78%	-15.05%	10,964	(14,559)	205	231	197
Hayward Community	1816	550,382	467,415	397,081	-15.07%	-15.05%	(82,967)	(70,334)	303	257	219
Stone Bank	288	82,710	77,467	65,810	-6.34%	-15.05%	(5,243)	(11,657)	287	269	229
Big Foot UHS	530	103,335	124,619	134,228	20.60%	7.71%	21,284	9,609	195	235	253
Woodruff J1	443	172,543	146,533	147,996	-15.07%	1.00%	(26,010)	1,463	389	331	334
Wabeno Area	416	224,742	182,810	155,302	-18.66%	-15.05%	(41,932)	(27,508)	540	439	373
Glendale-River Hills	940	374,564	340,309	360,452	-9.15%	5.92%	(34,255)	20,143	398	362	383
Wisconsin Dells	1769	685,007	699,731	700,749	2.15%	0.15%	14,724	1,018	387	396	396
Winter	321	180,937	153,661	130,540	-15.07%	-15.05%	(27,276)	(23,121)	564	479	407
Spooner	1368	962,014	816,994	576,274	-15.07%	-29.46%	(145,020)	(240,720)	703	597	421
Suring	428	268,602	228,112	193,788	-15.07%	-15.05%	(40,490)	(34,324)	628	533	453
Wausaukee	520	339,671	288,466	245,060	-15.07%	-15.05%	(51,205)	(43,406)	653	555	471
Bayfield	437	287,014	243,748	207,070	-15.07%	-15.05%	(43,266)	(36,678)	657	558	474
Beecher-Dunbar-Pembine	262	156,406	132,828	130,822	-15.07%	-1.51%	(23,578)	(2,006)	597	507	499
South Shore	186	136,038	115,531	98,147	-15.07%	-15.05%	(20,507)	(17,384)	731	621	528
Crivitz	722	530,654	450,659	382,847	-15.07%	-15.05%	(79,995)	(67,812)	735	624	530
Kohler	521	383,965	326,083	277,015	-15.07%	-15.05%	(57,882)	(49,068)	737	626	532
Mequon-Thiensville	3491	2,125,671	2,239,229	2,186,310	5.34%	-2.36%	113,558	(52,919)	609	641	626
Lake Geneva-Genoa UHS	1418	1,304,839	1,108,139	959,225	-15.07%	-13.44%	(196,700)	(148,914)	920	781	676
Elmbrook	6488	5,177,606	4,879,812	4,553,746	-5.75%	-6.68%	(297,794)	(326,066)	798	752	702
New Berlin	4638	4,573,624	3,884,879	3,299,703	-15.05%	-15.06%	(585,176)	(585,176)	986	924	711
Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah	520	565,960	480,645	408,320	-15.07%	-15.05%	(85,315)	(72,325)	1,088	924	785
Princeton	404	383,308	325,526	319,467	-15.07%	-1.86%	(57,782)	(6,059)	949	806	791
Lac Du Flambeau #1	534	218,672	228,737	446,167	4.60%	95.06%	10,065	217,430	409	428	836
Wild Rose	581	674,291	572,646	486,478	-15.07%	-15.05%	(101,645)	(86,168)	1,161	986	837
Maple Dale - Indian Hill	422	468,185	438,199	389,682	-6.40%	-11.07%	(29,986)	(48,517)	1,109	1,038	923
Nicolet UHS	1066	1,191,618	1,082,291	1,024,239	-9.17%	-5.36%	(109,327)	(58,052)	1,118	1,015	961
Lake Holcombe	338	458,642	389,504	330,893	-15.07%	-15.05%	(69,138)	(58,611)	1,357	1,152	979
Yorkville J2	337	480,393	407,976	346,585	-15.07%	-15.05%	(72,417)	(61,391)	1,425	1,211	1,028
Tomahawk	1276	1,975,170	1,677,420	1,425,014	-15.07%	-15.05%	(297,750)	(252,406)	1,548	1,315	1,117
Friess Lake	171	265,129	225,162	191,283	-15.07%	-15.05%	(39,967)	(33,879)	1,550	1,317	1,119
Florence	482	757,420	643,242	546,451	-15.07%	-15.05%	(114,178)	(96,791)	1,571	1,335	1,134
New Auburn	298	487,628	414,195	351,805	-15.06%	-15.06%	(73,433)	(62,390)	1,636	1,390	1,181
Siren	476	703,999	597,875	571,124	-15.07%	-4.47%	(106,124)	(26,751)	1,479	1,256	1,200
Turtle Lake	476	423,221	359,422	589,184	-15.07%	63.93%	(63,799)	229,762	889	755	1,238
Pepin Area	244	465,148	395,029	335,588	-15.07%	-15.05%	(70,119)	(59,441)	1,906	1,619	1,375
Erin	237	459,442	390,183	331,470	-15.07%	-15.05%	(69,259)	(58,713)	1,939	1,646	1,399
Rhineland	2483	3,649,299	3,083,657	3,784,101	-15.50%	22.71%	(565,642)	700,444	1,470	1,242	1,524
White Lake	199	464,183	394,279	334,831	15.06%	-15.08%	(69,904)	(59,448)	2,333	1,981	1,683
Goodman-Armstrong	116	282,253	239,704	203,635	-15.07%	-15.05%	(42,549)	(36,069)	2,433	2,066	1,755
Norway J7	81	212,601	180,554	160,286	-15.07%	-11.23%	(32,047)	(20,268)	2,625	2,229	1,979
Fox Point J2	737	1,491,080	1,540,267	1,567,626	3.30%	1.78%	49,187	27,359	2,023	2,090	2,127
Herman #22	68	220,043	186,908	149,722	15.06%	-19.90%	(33,135)	(37,186)	3,236	2,749	2,202
Chequamegon	761	3,205,266	3,035,079	2,577,909	5.31%	-15.06%	(170,187)	(457,170)	4,212	3,988	3,388
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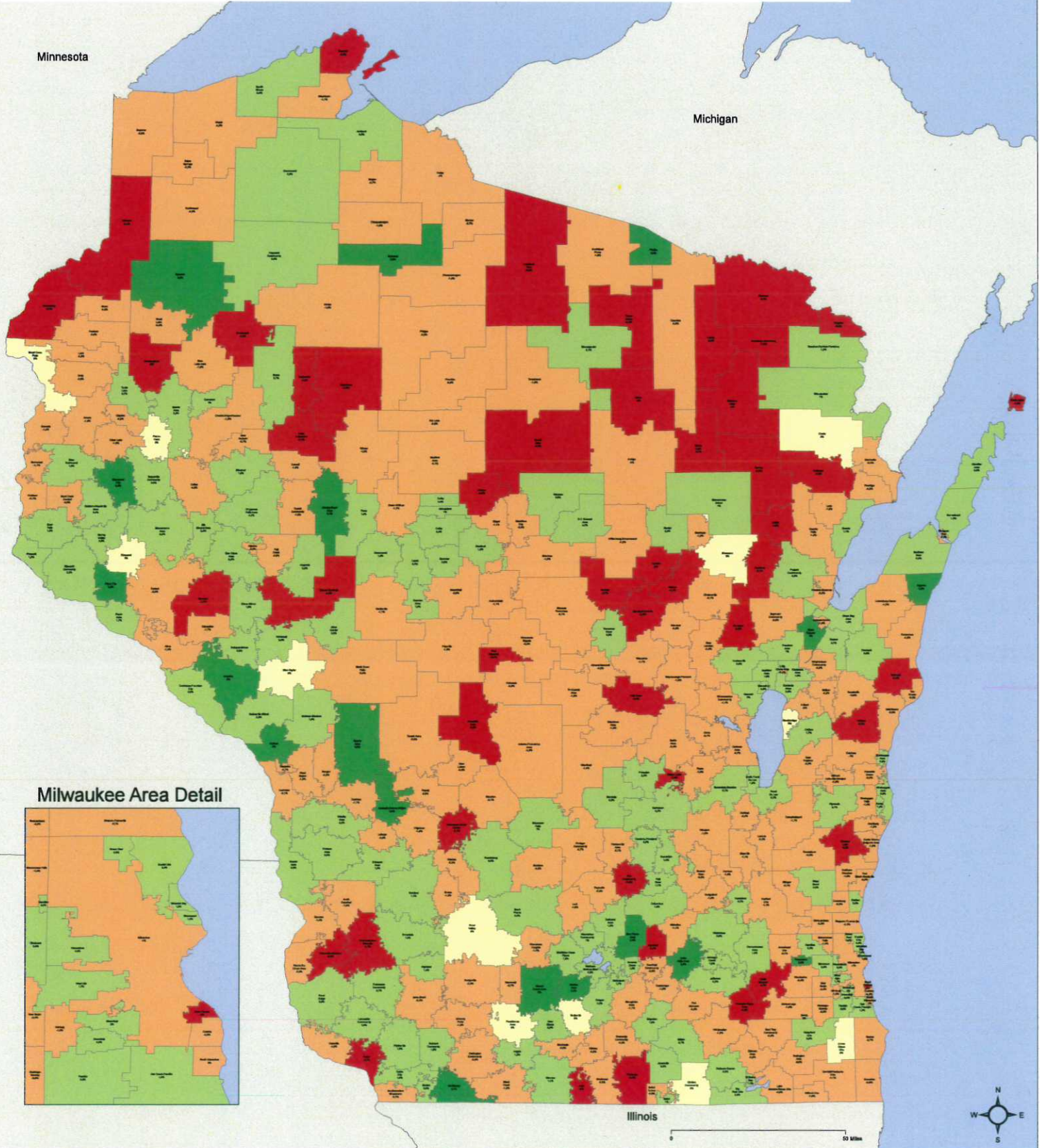
Bold = Special Adjustment Aid Only Italicized - Special Adjustment/Primary Aid

# Percentage Change in School Districts' Membership Between 2013-14 and 2014-15 for Revenue Limit Purposes

- Above 2% Increase
- Between 0 and 2% Increase
- No Change
- Between 0 and -2% Decrease
- More than -2% Decrease



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Milwaukee Area Detail





December 16, 2015

## Proposed Limit Would Restrict New Resources for Schools, Even as Amended

Wisconsin lawmakers have proposed a change that would make it more difficult for voters to approve additional resources for children in public schools in their district. An amendment to the bill would make the limits less restrictive than originally proposed, but would still make it more difficult for residents to pass referenda increasing local support for schools.

The state limits the average amount each school district may spend to educate students, but voters in a district can override the spending limit by approving a referendum lifting the spending caps. Voters also determine, via referendum, whether to allow a school district to issue debt for large capital projects.

Wisconsin lawmakers have proposed limiting the opportunities voters have to approve referenda. The original proposal (AB 481/SB 355) banned any school district from putting a new referendum before voters for a period of two years after an unsuccessful referendum. An analysis by the Wisconsin Budget Project found that 36 school districts have passed referenda since July 2011 that would have been prohibited or delayed by the original proposal. Those referenda allocated nearly \$200 million in new resources to local schools.

An amendment to the original bill would shorten the period during which districts may not go to referendum, from two years to one year. Shortening the window reduces the effect of the proposal on school districts, but would likely still reduce resources for students in public schools. Since July 2011, 24 districts have successfully passed a total of 27 referenda within a year of having a referendum turned down by voters. These successful referenda – which would not have been allowed to go to voters when they did if the proposed change had been in effect – represent \$147 million in voter-approved resources devoted to improving Wisconsin public schools.

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### Even as Amended, Proposal Would Limit New Resources for School Districts

Number, types, and dollar amounts of successful referenda passed less than one year after an unsuccessful referendum in the same district, starting in July 2011. These referenda would not have been allowed as passed if a policy change proposed by lawmakers had been in place at the time.

TYPE OF REFERENDUM	AMOUNT, IN MILLIONS	NUMBER OF REFERENDA
Issue debt	\$102.6	9
<u>Exceed revenue limits</u>	<u>\$44.5</u>	<u>18</u>
Total	\$147.1	27

Source: Analysis of figures from Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

WISCONSIN BUDGET PROJECT

## Successful School District Referenda Passed Less than One Year After an Unsuccessful Referendum

July 2011 to October 2015

SCHOOL DISTRICT	AMOUNT	TYPE	DATE	PURPOSE
Arcadia	\$14,000,000	Issue debt	11/05/2013	Build a new grade 5-8 school, update existing elementary building
Barron Area	\$3,950,000	Exceed revenue limits	08/14/2012	Reinstitute educational programs that have been cut, repair sidewalks, buy buses
Big Foot UHS	\$4,950,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/01/2014	Hire math and science teachers, replace school vehicles, improve support for at-risk students
Bonduel	\$900,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/02/2013	Purchase computers for classrooms
Brilliant	\$2,950,000	Issue debt	04/01/2014	Improve STEM (Science, technology, engineering and math) facilities in elementary school, upgrade safety and security
Delavan-Darien	\$2,500,000	Exceed revenue limits	02/17/2015	Avoid eliminating teaching positions and increasing class sizes
Denmark	\$2,600,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/01/2014	Avoid potential cuts in support for students struggling to learn to read or to instruction for sick or disabled students
Dodgeville	\$1,300,000	Exceed revenue limits	11/06/2012	Address safety and security needs, remove asbestos
Durand	\$13,480,000	Issue debt	04/07/2015	Add on classroom and other space to elementary school, renovate science labs and tech ed area at middle/high school
East Troy Community	\$22,500,000	Issue debt	04/07/2015	Build new elementary school, make energy improvements at middle school, add classrooms at high school,
East Troy Community	\$2,200,000	Issue debt	04/07/2015	Add space for second graders in new elementary school building construction
Hillsboro	\$2,000,000	Exceed revenue limits	02/17/2015	Improve buildings and grounds safety and maintenance needs
Johnson Creek	\$18,900,000	Issue debt	04/01/2014	Construction of a new building for grades 5 through 12
Manitowoc	\$3,000,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/07/2015	Avoid potentially closing an elementary school or increasing class sizes
Manitowoc	\$1,800,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/07/2015	Upgrade facilities for several schools (roofs, exterior doors, flooring, fire alarm system, windows) and improve security
Manitowoc	\$1,200,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/07/2015	Update classroom technology and replace existing computers in classrooms and labs
Markesan	\$2,780,000	Exceed revenue limits	08/12/2014	Avoid closing schools and partial consolidation with another district
Oakfield	\$6,600,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/01/2014	Avoid potentially dissolving school district
Owen-Withee	\$1,500,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/01/2014	Prevent cuts to all art, music, tech ed, agricultural education, and athletics. Avoid possibility of consolidation with another district
Prescott	\$3,890,000	Issue debt	02/17/2015	Add a high school auditorium
Princeton	\$1,350,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/07/2015	Avoid consolidation with another school district

SCHOOL DISTRICT	AMOUNT	TYPE	DATE	PURPOSE
Pulaski Community	\$4,370,000	Issue debt	04/02/2013	Address district-wide maintenance and remodeling projects
Rice Lake Area	\$20,320,000	Issue debt	11/05/2013	Update science and technology areas, renovate building systems to meet current codes, improve safety of student drop-off area
Turtle Lake	\$1,785,000	Exceed revenue limits	11/06/2012	Purchase educational technology, improve security, obtain curriculum materials
Wabeno Area	\$2,250,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/01/2014	Continue programs and opportunities offered to students
Wheatland J1	\$2,500,000	Exceed revenue limits	10/14/2014	Avoid increasing class sizes and possible dissolution of the district
White Lake	\$1,500,000	Exceed revenue limits	04/07/2015	Maintain existing programs, replace elementary school roof, address deferred maintenance

Source: Analysis of figures from Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, news and web reports

WISCONSIN BUDGET PROJECT

Notes

- This analysis includes referenda included in the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction online database of school referenda as of October 15, 2015, and includes referenda held on or after July 1, 2011.
- The proposal by lawmakers would require school districts to hold referendum elections at the same time as the spring election that occurs every year or as the fall election that occurs in even-numbered years. This analysis does not include the effects on restricting when during the year school districts may schedule referendum elections.
- This proposal would not require school boards to wait a year after a failed referendum to adopt a resolution to raise revenue limits to implement energy efficiencies.



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January 14, 2016

To: Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government

Re: Opposition to Senate Bill 355

The League of Women Voters registers its strong opposition to SB355 and AB481 which would place limitations on the ability of Wisconsin public school districts to schedule referenda, including restrictions on the dates such referenda could be held, and which would also impose a mandatory waiting period before a defeated referendum could again be scheduled.

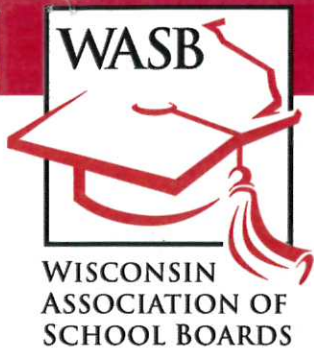
The League believes that decisions on scheduling school district referenda are appropriately made by the members of Boards of Education who are elected by the public to make decisions about local schools and how to best serve students and families. The needs of individual school districts vary considerably, and addressing those needs should not be further restricted by state mandate.

Reducing the number of options for Districts to act on issues of educational opportunity and quality for their students is unwarranted and unfair. A referendum gives the public full opportunity to participate in important decisions critical to the education offered in the community. School districts, by necessity, are required to present essential information that gives citizens the opportunity to express their views in public discussion, and finally, through their votes, to determine the outcome of the referendum.

The League of Women Voters believes this legislation would damage the ability of Wisconsin school districts to fulfill their responsibilities to provide for the educational needs of their citizens.

Thank you.





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John H. Ashley, Executive Director

TO: Members, Senate Committee on Elections & Local Government  
FROM: Dan Rossmiller & Chris Kulow, WASB Government Relations  
RE: Opposition to Senate Bill 355, limitations on school referenda and other funding mechanisms.  
DATE: January 14, 2016

Chairman LeMahieu and committee members, thank you for the opportunity to express our concerns about Senate Bill 355. My name is Dan Rossmiller and I am the government relations director for the Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB), representing 423 school boards across the state of Wisconsin.

Based on resolutions adopted by our membership, the WASB strongly opposes the bill. Specifically: **Resolution 1.25 Authority to Schedule Referenda:** The WASB opposes limits on scheduling referenda. (2000-4)

The bill is restrictive and inflexible for school boards—in odd-numbered years boards will only have one opportunity to go to referendum (in the spring). If that referendum fails, boards will have to wait a full year before they can go back to voters. Because state budgets pass in odd-numbered years, a district facing reduced revenues would have to wait until the following spring to react to funding decisions made in the budget act.

Furthermore, this bill is anti-local control and does not show trust in locally-elected officials.

School districts usually go to referendum for two reasons: to issue bonds (long-term debt obligations) to fund construction projects and to exceed state-imposed revenue limits. Senate Bill 355 would restrict a school board's ability to go to referendum for either of these reasons.

Revenue limits or caps limit the budget resources available to each school district by limiting the amount of state general aid and local property taxes that can be collected by a district. Revenue limits are calculated utilizing the previous year's limit and a three-year average of pupil enrollment in that district as well as a per-pupil adjustment (increase/decrease) as allowed by the Legislature. Districts are penalized by a loss of state equalization aid if they exceed their revenue limit.

School boards initially, grudgingly, supported revenue limits because: a) because they were part of a deal that also included caps on teacher union settlements and a state promise to pay two-thirds of the overall expenses of Wisconsin public schools that are shared between the state and local districts (i.e., paid for by property taxes and state aid); and equally importantly, b) it was understood that if a school board did not receive adequate revenues under the revenue limit it could always ask its voters to approve a referendum to exceed the revenue limits by a given amount on either a temporary or permanent basis.

Indeed, whenever school boards or districts would complain about revenue limits the first response has always been, “You can always go to referendum.” That is, until now.

Now, in 2015, with revenue limits frozen for an entire state budget cycle for the first time, a referendum is the only way many districts can access additional resources this year. By limiting when school districts may schedule referendum votes and imposing a moratorium on additional referenda if a vote fails, Senate Bill 355 will significantly impact declining enrollment districts, many of which are small rural school districts that rely upon passing referenda to allow them the revenue to maintain programming.

We are concerned this bill will further exacerbate the trend of creating “Haves”—districts that are able to pass referenda to increase allowable revenues and “Have Nots” who cannot pass such referendums. The result is that opportunities for students will be determined by their zip code more than ever.

The authors of this bill have argued that by ensuring the referenda questions occur on general elections, more of the voting population will be “tuned into” the process. This is debatable. With higher turnout elections come higher profile statewide and national races where television advertising is likely to play a major role in informing and influencing voters. School referendums seldom involve advertising and media coverage about them is often meager.

A great irony of this bill is that the MacIver Institute examined 211 school district referendums across Wisconsin from the past two years. Their survey included all school ballot questions from November 2013 through October 2015, for which DPI has recorded results. This information is available through DPI’s website.

Of those 211 referendums, 142 passed and 69 failed – an approval rate of 67 percent. Most were held during general elections (81 percent).

The most successful referendums were those held in conjunction with primary elections (passage rate of 79 percent), followed by general elections (66 percent). Referendum votes held as stand-alone special elections succeeded only 62.5 percent of the time. There was no difference between the success rates of fall and spring general elections. According to the MacIver Institute analysis, special referendum elections resulted in the highest rate of failure for referendums--37.5 percent of referendums held during special elections fail.

Let’s look at borrowing referendums—referendums to approve debt used to finance school construction. By far the largest amount of increased property taxes authorized by school referendums is used to finance school construction—investments by the community in its schools.

There may be a variety of reasons why a school board might want more control over the timing of such a vote. It may be to get shovels in the ground before it freezes, or to ensure that a construction project is completed before the school year begins so children are not exposed to construction hazards. In a rising interest rate environment, it may be to allow the district to get the best deal on borrowing costs.

In arguing for the moratorium after a failed referendum, supporters state it is necessary because school boards are holding repeated referenda in order to wear down the public or manipulate the process. Referenda can fail for reasons other than the community is unwilling to increase spending on their schools. There may be other issues in the plan that voters do not support and when those issues are addressed the subsequent referendum passes. For example, there could be disagreement over the plan for

construction, not the need for new or expanded facilities. In these instances, school boards are being responsive to the community when they come back to voters with a new plan.

A referendum can provide an opportunity for a community to have a very focused and robust conversation about what it wants its public schools to be. School boards propose referendums because they believe doing so is in the best educational interests of the students and communities they represent.

If you take a look at school district referenda since July 2011, you will find that 24 school districts statewide have passed 27 successful referenda less than a year after an unsuccessful one. Those successful referenda – which would not have been allowed to go to voters when they did if the bill with the proposed amendment had been in effect – represent \$147 million in voter-approved resources devoted to improving Wisconsin public schools. Of that \$147 million approved, \$102.6 million (9 referendums) was for the purpose of issuing debt for construction purposes. The remaining \$44.5 million approved by voters (18 referendums) was to exceed revenue limits.

Senate Amendment 1 would reduce the bill's original two-year (730-day) proposed moratorium period on additional referenda, bonding and borrowing following a failed referendum to one year (365 days). It also removes restrictions on short-term borrowing proposed as part of the original bill. All other restrictions on borrowing (e.g., promissory notes, state trust fund loans, etc.) would remain in the bill.

While we view these two changes as positive, they do not change the WASB's opposition to the bill.

We note that the original "two-year" moratorium in the bill as introduced would actually be a three year moratorium in certain circumstances so the amendment reflects a big improvement. However, even the "one-year" moratorium under the amendment would actually be nearly a year-and-a-half moratorium if a failed referendum vote occurs in November of an even-numbered year. (Because there is no fall general election in an odd-numbered year, a school district would have to wait until the spring general election (April) following the expiration of the one-year moratorium in order to go back to its voters – one year and five months after the initial failed referendum.

Finally, this bill doesn't simply address referendums; it also affects a variety of other funding mechanisms used by school boards to help them manage their finances, such as state trust fund loans, promissory notes and other borrowing or issuance of bonds. It provides that, if a referendum is rejected or if a school board applies or adopts a resolution to use any of these funding mechanisms and it is rejected by a majority of the electors of the school district, the school board may not use any of these mechanisms for a 365-day period. It is ironic that when the Legislature adopted Act 10, it provided a number of "tools" to school boards to help them better manage their finances. This bill proposes taking away "tools" districts use to help them manage their finances.

For all these reasons we oppose Senate Bill 355. We thank you for the opportunity to bring these concerns to your attention.

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January 14, 2016

To Senate Committee on Elections and Local Government:

Please accept my written testimony in opposition of **Senate Bill 355** dealing with limitations on borrowing by school districts and the use by school districts of resolutions and referenda to authorize bonding for capital projects or increase revenue limits and scheduling of school district referendums to exceed revenue limits.

I would ask that you oppose **SB 355** regarding proposed referendum reform. This bill will be very damaging to all public school districts and especially the numerous rural districts in the state. With the present financial constraints on public schools, referendums and community support are the keys that are keeping many of the rural districts alive. It should be left up to each individual district to decide what is best for their district. With added limitations on borrowing, this could virtually cause some districts to have to shut their doors as money runs out. I would also point out that this bill could have a negative impact on local economies that have construction firms as part of their tax base. In talking with contractors they share similar concerns with this bill.

In my opinion these are the points to be considered:

- This bill is anti-local control.
- With revenue limits frozen for this budget cycle for the first time, referenda are the only way many districts can access resources. This proposal will significantly impact declining enrollment districts which are often small rural school districts many of which need referenda to maintain educational opportunities for children. This bill, if adopted, could have the effect of forcing districts to consider dissolving or consolidating if they cannot pass such referenda and are barred from going back to their voters for two years (or more).
- This bill will further exacerbate the trend of creating "Haves" who can pass referenda and "Have Nots" who cannot. Opportunities for students will further be determined by their zip code.
- The bill is extremely restrictive and inflexible for school boards – under the bill in odd number years boards will only have one opportunity to go to referendum (in the spring). If that referendum fails, boards will have to wait two years to the next odd number year where once again there will only be one opportunity. In a state budget year, a district would have to wait until the following spring to react to funding decisions made by the state.
- Limiting referendum date selection for capital projects such as new buildings, renovations or additions will reduce the effective planning of these projects to meet the needs of students and citizens. What's more, a poorly-timed referendum date could add to the construction time-frame and possibly increase costs to taxpayers.
- Even with the recent amendment offered by the bill's author to remove the restriction on short-term borrowing and changes the overall restriction (on when you can go to referendum or borrow after a failed referendum) from two years to one year there is no fall general election in odd-numbered years, this restriction would actually be more like a year and five months if the failed referendum occurred in conjunction with a fall general election in an even-numbered year. You'd have to wait until the April following the November with no general election to go back to the voters

The two links below to the Wisconsin Budget Project has some very good information on referendums.

<http://www.wisconsinbudgetproject.org/proposed-limits-would-make-it-more-difficult-for-voters-to-approve-new-resources-for-schools>, <https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?tab=wm#inbox/151ac18af3a9d8b3?projector=1>

I urge you to leave this to local decision making as each entity knows best what works for their communities. If I can be of further assistance, please let me know.

Thank you for listening,

Sincerely,  
*Kim Kaukl*

Kim Kaukl  
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Thank you for this opportunity. My name is Ron Walsh. I'm the superintendent of Elk Mound Area School District in West Central Wisconsin. We are located on highway 94 between Eau Claire and Menomonie. I will be finishing my 37<sup>th</sup> year as a Wisconsin Educator and will be retiring in June. I'm here not just to prove to you that I'm going to work hard for our students until they actually take my keys but to also advocate for not just our students but for children and grandchildren of our present students. As I've often stated to our school board members, owning schools for the public is not the same as owning a home for our families. Our individual families grow up, we take care of our home, eventually, hopefully we have it paid off and we enjoy the fruits of our labor until God takes all our keys away. A school and its infrastructure have an entirely different lifespan than our individual homes. In theory, it should live on forever. For a district to live on forever, that is, to be able to meet the needs of today's children, then their children, and then their grandchildren, and on and on, challenges must be confronted that deal with buildings, staffing, technology and so on. No complete project is ever completed. It will have a lifespan that needs to be planned for. The roof that will last 25 or 30 years; the parking lot that will age out after 20 years; the building that will be obsolete in 50 or so years. And the beat goes on.

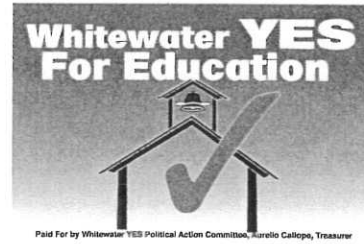
When Tommy Thompson, one of our most distinguished governors, and a great US Secretary of Health and Human Service by the way, enacted revenue limits we were promised two things; 2/3 funding and the ability to go to our taxpayers to exceed the revenue limits. 2/3 funding has become an ever decreasing fraction but we have made do. Some make do by cutting or benefitting from increased enrollment. Others, over the years, have had to go to their public taxpayers and ask for permission to exceed the limits to maintain a decent quality of instruction for its students or to even just keep the doors open.

I'm aware of no superintendent of school board that has abused the right to go to referendum for any reason. Selling a referendum is not the same as selling a car or a vacuum cleaner. Districts that successfully pass referendums do so by deliberately communicating their needs to their publics and by include all of their stakeholders in the process. In many cases it is a committee of citizens, parents, staff, students, seniors and others that bring referendum recommendations to the school board. This is local control at its best. This bill, whether intended or not, will take away the local control that so many of our elected officials say they support. Not only that, but in small and not so small school districts, this bill could be the difference in between school district being able to survive and its having to fold. Think again if you think closing a school district will save money; transportation costs will rise as well as construction costs to deal with the dislocated students. And the debt of a closed school district does not go away either.

Any district that is forced to wait any extended period of time after a failed referendum will face increased debt costs and increased construction costs. The inability for some districts to exceed revenue limits will mean the loss of essential and hard to replace staff.

For the sake of my children, your children, their children and their grandchildren, please ensure that we are able to keep the healthy lifecycle of our school districts intact. The ability to go to referendum as a decision of the locals who control is an essential part of keeping our public school healthy and thriving this year, next year and on and on.

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January 14, 2016

Thank you for the opportunity to testify regarding Senate Bill 355. My name Marjorie Stoneman and I am one of the organizers for Whitewater YES for Education, a mother, and the President of our middle school's parent teacher organization. I am here today on behalf of Whitewater YES for Education and the nearly 1,300 people who signed a petition opposing the provisions of this legislation that would take away local control and limit when and how often school boards can go to referendum.

Whitewater parents, families, and community members have actively worked to oppose this proposal. In fact, the Whitewater Unified School District School Board wrote a letter to our local legislators and newspapers in opposition to the proposal. Whitewater YES for Education is a community group based in Whitewater that was formed for the sole purpose of supporting Whitewater schools and making sure our schools are strong so our community is strong. Whitewater YES organized a state-wide petition against this proposal. As of yesterday morning, nearly 1,300 Wisconsinites from more than 220 communities signed the petition and made it clear they want local control over their school districts. We have included copies of the signatures for each of you in the envelope with the testimony, the School Board letter, a copy of a Janesville Gazette Editorial that speaks out against this bill, a copy of a letter from the 2015 Wisconsin Teacher of the Year in opposition, and a copy of a Daily Jefferson County Union Editorial that states, "Our greatest concern, though, is that when to hold a referendum should be a local decision, not one the Legislature regulates."

The Whitewater Unified School District has been forced to rely on a budget-by-referendum approach because of the state's inadequate funding of schools. Senate Bill 355 would severely inhibit the district's ability to ask our own local community for support. Under this legislation if a referendum fails a school district has to wait one year to go before the voters again; it's going to be very difficult for schools to maintain programming and educational opportunities during that time.

Our schools provide all kids with the future they need in order to thrive. Public education is the cornerstone of our communities. We encourage you to please vote against this proposal. Thank you.



# **WHITEWATER**

Building a Legacy of Excellence Student by Student

## **(Nov 5) Letter to the community from Whitewater School**

**Board "As Whitewater Unified School District school board members, we appreciate and are fortunate to have had the support of our community for recent referendums. Despite our ongoing efforts to reduce expenses and increase efficiency, our district has come to depend on responsible referendums to fill budgetary gaps as the state funding structure has been insufficient to meet public school districts' needs. We are gravely concerned about Senate Bill 355, which would restrict school referendums and put unnecessary constraints on local control.**

**Limiting how and when schools can seek funding via a local referendum takes away the rights of voters and removes local control over our own elections. If the bill passes, our community could lose the ability to secure the funds needed to provide a quality education.**

**We need to maintain the right for our community members to control their own public schools through the election process. The proposed limits on local voter rights regarding their schools are unnecessary and potentially harmful. We strongly encourage community members to contact their representatives to urge them not to support Senate Bill 355."**

**Whitewater Unified School District School Board Members: Casey Judd, Chuck Nass, Brian Brunner, Steve Ryan, Dan McCrea, Gretchen Torres and Kelly Davis.**

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## **Our Views: Limiting school referendums is troubling proposal to strip local control**

### **Janesville Gazette editorial board**

**November 10, 2015**

Proposed state legislation would limit when and how often school districts could seek extra money from taxpayers through referendum. As state legislators prepare to break for the holidays, one languishing proposal would impose a two-year waiting period on school districts after failed referendums.

Lawmakers might take up Senate Bill 355 this spring, but it should never see the light of day.

Credit opponents in the Whitewater School District with shining a spotlight on this plan, which would strip local control.

The second of our editorial board's 10 guiding principles states: "The Gazette believes a strong public school system is important for attracting businesses and economic development. Good schools are vital to a good community, and quality schools require regular investments."

SB 355 also clashes with principle No. 5, opposing mandates that hamper local governments and schools in their efforts to meet priorities.

Sen. Duey Stroebel's bill would ban special elections for school referendums and allow the referendums only during regular fall and spring elections, when voter turnout often is higher. That's not so onerous, but the Saukville Republican's measure also would bar districts from proposing another referendum for two years after one fails.

Stroebel told the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel that his plan would break the "cycle of referendums" in which districts return to taxpayers repeatedly for building projects or operating costs.

Granted, residents in some districts grow weary of seeing referendums and wonder when "no means no." But almost all school boards listen after referendums fail, then streamline their plans to levels residents might support before proposing new referendums.

Without the ability to do this, too many districts would be forced into drastic cuts in staffing, programs, or both. Rural districts with declining enrollment might need to dissolve or merge and create intolerably long bus rides for kids.

Many Republican lawmakers argue property taxes are out of control. Yet since 1994, the state has imposed revenue caps that limit how much school districts can raise levies. That has squeezed those with declining enrollment, especially as the state cut millions of aid dollars in recent years. Referendums were their only option. In the past two decades, districts have gone to voters with almost 2,500 referendums, including nearly 1,000 to exceed revenue caps, the Journal Sentinel reported.

Stroebel's bill wasn't on our radar screen until the citizens group Whitewater Yes for Education sent a letter opposing it. The Gazette printed the letter Oct. 21. It suggests Whitewater "has been forced to rely on a budget-by-referendum approach because of the state's inadequate funding of schools." The Whitewater School Board signed on to another letter opposing SB 355 that we printed Friday.

By then, Yes for Education had started an online petition that caught the attention of school advocates statewide.

"If Senate Bill 355 passes, our children, and children from around the state of Wisconsin, could be at an educational disadvantage competing for entry into universities, two-year colleges and the job market," Ron Binning of the Whitewater Yes group said in a news release. "The state's recent drastic decisions to cut funding to public schools, coupled with these restrictions in referenda, could cripple our district and many others in Wisconsin."

The petition is a great opportunity to send a message to Stroebel and other lawmakers and show your support for local control and public education.

- See more

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December 15, 2015

To the representatives of the Committee on Education:

As a parent of two former Whitewater Unified School District students, a 24-year veteran of the Whitewater Unified School District, a member of the Whitewater community and the 2015 WI Teacher of the Year, I urge you to vote against the proposal for Assembly Bill 481.

In 2011, the rights of Wisconsin's public school teachers were stripped under the guise of "providing school districts with the tools they need," (Governor Scott Walker) to manage their budget. Since that time, our state legislature has repeatedly raided the toolbox. Deep cuts to public education continue to impact the number of highly qualified teachers in public schools as teachers leave the profession in search of better pay and as fewer college students declare education as a major. Vouchers utilize more and more of our tax dollars to send students to private schools having little to no accountability compared to the demands made on public schools for performance outcomes. Public schools are expected to continually do more with less as our public funds go private.

Now before you is a proposal that would take away the rights of citizens in a community to vote on whether or not to support their local public schools. The impact of waiting one or two years after a failed referendum before restructuring and asking a community again to support its schools through referendum will be irreversible. Once programming and staff are cut from a district's budget, they are gone, but the students remain. Students who deserve the same support for their public education that others received prior to 2011.

Enough is enough. It is time to stop stripping the rights Wisconsin's citizens. Allow the local voters to determine how to best support schools in their communities. Support bills that reflect continued commitment to public education in Wisconsin and help put Wisconsin public schools back on top. I urge you to do your part – vote no on the proposed Assembly Bill 481.

Sincerely,

Diana Callope

2015 Wisconsin Teacher of the Year

# DAILY UNION OPINION PAGE



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## Retain local control

This Thursday, the Wisconsin Assembly Committee on Education will be holding public hearings on four bills, including one that would restrict public school referenda.

If signed into law, Assembly Bill 481/Senate Bill 355 would limit ballot dates and implement a two-year waiting period for a district to hold another vote after a failed referendum. Specifically, it would allow resolutions and referenda to authorize bonding for capital projects or to exceed revenue limits only during the spring election on the first Tuesday in April, or the general election during even-numbered years. No primary dates and special elections would be allowed.

Proponents say referendums should be held when voter turnout is the highest: in spring and fall. Right now, school districts can set them on whatever date they wish. They also warn about “wearing down” voters with repeated referendums.

Certainly, it makes good sense to schedule referenda when, traditionally, the most people turn out to vote. At the same time, the school district can piggyback on municipal, county, state or other balloting already being held and avoid paying for a special election.

Yet, referenda do tend to draw a lot of voters to the polls, no matter when held, and instead of “wearing down” voters, subsequent proposals in the wake of a failed ones provide an opportunity for revisions, tweaks and improvements, not to mention create more public awareness and understanding.

In addition, the state Department of Public Instruction says this provision “could have a significant impact on school district operations and could force districts to spend down cash reserves in order to meet operational costs before the next round of state aid payments.” That would prompt short-term borrowing to cover the gap, further costing tax-

payers in the form of interest.

Our greatest concern, though, is that when to hold a referendum should be a local decision, not one the Legislature regulates.

School districts, not surprisingly, agree, and have written state legislators about their concerns. And one area parent/community group took it even further.

Whitewater YES for Education representatives circulated a statewide petition, signed by more than 1,200 people, that they will be presenting to the Assembly committee this Thursday. It says that the legislation “makes it potentially very difficult for school districts to maintain programming and educational opportunities.”

Rising costs, decreasing state aid the past five years and state-imposed revenue caps have forced school districts to go to the ballot box to get elector permission to exceed the limits in order to retain programming. For example, Fort Atkinson held its first operational referendum in 2007 and is considering a fourth three-year operational referendum after the current one sunsets in June of 2017. The Whitewater Unified School District held an operational referendum in 2014 that passed by 65 percent, while the School District of Jefferson has set its first-ever operational referendum for this February.

However, these referenda were advanced only after their respective school boards did everything they felt responsibly possible to trim expenses, including making six-digit cuts to already tight budgets.

We all want the best education possible for our schoolchildren. If residents of a specific school district wish to have, keep or add certain programs or facilities and are willing to pay for them, then state lawmakers have no business further tying their hands.

Dear Wisconsin Lawmaker,

The undersigned are very concerned about Senate Bill 355/Assembly Bill 481 that restricts school district referenda. The proposal limits ballot dates and implements a two-year waiting period after a failed referendum. The legislation makes it potentially very difficult for school districts to maintain programming and educational opportunities. Public education is the cornerstone of our communities. Please don't take away the rights of our school districts to go to referendum.

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Philip Anderson and Valerie Kozlovsky	12969 E. County Rd FF	Maple	54854
Dr.Sara Croney Superintendent School District of Maple	Home 67520 W. Spider Lake Road	Iron River	54847
Paul DeMain	PO Box 1500	Hayward, Wisconsin	54843
Joyce Luedke	10696 W. Otter Lane	Hayward	54843
Scott T. Somerville	15865 Guard St., Apt. 108	Hayward	54843
Joyce Luedke	10696W. Otter Lane	Hayward	54843
Linda Verkinderen	20110 US Hwy 63	Grand View	54839
Russ Nelson	9580 E Spruce Dr	Gordon	54838
Ellen Chicka	3338 E Lagro Rd	Foxboro	54836
Marissa Kaiser	45630 Blue Moon Rd	Drummond	54832
John Knight	10545 Whispering Pine Road	Drummond	54832
Barbara Knight	10545 Whispering Pine Road	Drummond	54832

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William Tews	2000 Hines Lakeview Drive	Cumberland	54829
Judith Keilholtz	P O Box 625	Cumberland	54829
Peter Nordgren	22140 Old Highway 13	Cornucopia	54827
Virginia Kay Rowe	10905 Sunset Ext	Cable	54821
Susan Thurn	12205 E. Leonard School Rd.	Cable	54821
Kristine Lamb	41815 Cable Sunset road	Cable	54821
Ellen Nelson	477455 Old Grade Road	Cable	54821
Andrew Arthur	21570 Garmisch Rd.	Cable	54821
David Thurn	12205 E. Leonard School Rd.	Cable	54821
Bill Stewart	W12845 Truman Road	Bruce, Wi.	54819
Holly Snyder	131 S Summit St	Spooner	54801
Melissa Pientok	18395 Hillside Dr	Whitehall	54773
Kay Nelson	N38314 Fitch Coulee Rd	Whitehall	54773
Kevin Jacobson	E6487 1370th Ave.	Ridgeland	54763
Kayla Williams	535 Kennedy St.	Mondovi	54755
Janet Bethke-Ede	432 N Jackson St	Mondovi	54755
Urs R Haltinner	E7078 720th Avenue	Menomonie	54751
Susan Weston	1020 16th Ave. E.	Menomonie	54751
Robert Jasper	1308 10th Ave. E	Menomonie, WI	54751
Patricia Johnson	401 Locust Avenue	Menomonie	54751
K. Lynne Hausman	901 Oakwood Blvd	Menomonie	54751
jim swanson	1331 mathews street	Menomonie	54751
Janeene Gellerman	221 21st St. N.E.	Menomonie	54751
Jacalyn Broughton	603 12th Ave. W	Menomonie	54751
Holly Long	2320 4th St E #3	Menomonie, WI	54751
Elizabeth Haltinner	E7078 720th Ave.	Menomonie	54751
Debra H. Bell	E5606 County Road BB	Menomonie	54751
Taylor Nix	N34144 Moga Rd	Independence	54747
Pamela J. Lehmeier	23913 Washington Street	Independence	54747
Melanie Hines	W24842 Kolstad Lane	Independence	54747
Jennifer Pape	W22167 Jennifer Lane	Independence, WI	54747

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Jenna L Sonsalla	W26122 Doris Guza Road	Independence	54747
Janice Swenson	S980 O Winsand Rd	Independence	54747
Barry Schmitt	35881 Chestnut Street	Independence	54747
Kim Wilson	4896 Hobbs Road	Fall Creek	54742
Helen Drawbert Altoona School Board, President	3697 S Elco Road	Fall Creek, WI	54742
Mary S Baier	E803 State Road 72	Elmwood	54740
Gayle Kleppe	E2241 Dahl Td.	Eleva, WI	54738
Anne Felton	N51878 County Rd. FF	Eleva	54738
Patricia Reisinger	E6141. 819 th Avenue	Colfax	54730
Judy Foust	E5760 816th Avenue	Colfax	54730
Catherine Cleary	E6135 819th Ave	Colfax	54730
Sherry Jasper	7623 196th. St	Chippewa Falls	54729
Patricia J. Popple	561 Summit Avenue	Chippewa Falls	54729
Judi Gunderman	5864 189th St.	Chippewa Falls	54729
D. Carriveau	18431 56th Avenue	Chippewa Falls	54729
Bruce Peloquin	3855 96th. Street	Chippewa Falls	54729
Gail Halmstad	7274 178th Street	Chippewa Falls	54729
Diane L Neby	34 Chichester St	Chetek	54728
Gerald Munyon	20261 79th Ave.	Cadott WI	54727
Bill Fisher	304 Nordveien Drive	Boyceville	54725
Michael Markgren	3404 West Country Club Lane	Altoona	54720
Karyn Wajda	1404 Edgewood Dr	Altoona	54720
David Rowe	920 Lake Rd	Altoona	54720
Bonnie Fisher	7101 South Drive	Altoona	54720
Wendy Sue Johnson	2202 Jingle Court	Eau Claire	54703
Terry Meyer	5600 Tower Dr	Eau Claire	54703
Patti Iverson	2945 Saturn Ave.	EAU CLAIRE	54703
Nancy Erickson	2413 Willis Ave.	Eau Claire, WI	54703
Mary Holm	1725 9th St	Eau Claire	54703
Kathy Ayres	2925 Wellington Dr E	Eau Claire	54703



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J. Terry Downen	5419 North Shore Drive	Eau Claire, WI	54703
Frank Leffelman	2514 Kenora Pkwy	Eau Claire	54703
Chue N. Xiong	1435 Summit St.	Eau Claire	54703
Chris Hambuch-Boyle	1822 Crestview Drive	Eau Claire	54703
Ann Heywood	2023 Silvermine Drive	Eau Claire	54703
Ken Van Es	2603 Yorktown Ct	Eau Claire	54703
Zach Chumas	2925 Sherman St.	Eau Claire	54701
Teri Piper Thompson	1503 Badger Ave	Eau Claire	54701
Sue Decker	W4065 Pioneer Ct	Eau Claire	54701
Ronald Mickel	7538 Lakeview Drive	Eau Claire	54701
Ronald Martin	3390 Beverly Hills Drive	Eau Claire	54701
Roger Pope	726 Chauncey St.	Eau Claire, WI	54701
Richard Spindler	1003 E Tyler Ave	Eau Claire	54701
Rebecca Bunkelman	7726 Elayne Dr.	Eau Claire	54701
Pamela Wall	2538 Damon Street	Eau Claire	54701
Michael Lindsay	1228 Cummings Avenue	Eau Claire	54701
Mark Jepsen	2324 Jordan Court	Eau Claire	54701
Lorraine Henning	E5760 Ridge Road	Eau Claire	54701
Loreen Yager	3521 Karen Ct..	Eau Claire	54701
Jodi Chumas	2925 Sherman St.	Eau Claire	54701
Jill Markgraf	525 Summit Ave	Eau Claire	54701
Janice B. Wisner	E2060 Kirk Court	Eau Claire	54701
Eric Schanen	3447 Cummings Ave	Eau Claire	54701
Donna Berry	451 Lincoln Ave	Eau Claire	54701
Debra Erickson	4607 Palmer Lane	Eau Claire	54701
Brenda Johnson	1203 Timber Rd.	Eau Claire	54701
Beverly Pierson	3502 Ellis St	Eau Claire	54701
Beth gray	3323 Deerfield road	eau Claire	54701
Athena Moseler	1210 Bradley AVE	Eau Claire	54701

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Donna M. Elsen	384 E. Hamlin Street	West Salem	54669
Denise Kirchoff	308 East Oak	Viroqua	54665
Sandra Senty-Babros	25323 Robin Ct	Trempealeau	54661
Paul Owecke	W25376 Sullivan Rd	Trempealeau	54661
Jason Hovell	N13290 Schubert Rd	Trempealeau	54661
Peggy Kriebel	505 New Well Rd	Soldiers Grove	54655
Barb Gorman	817 Ingalls Rd	Menomonie	54651
Ruth Jones	N5802 Lakeview Ct. E.	Onalaska	54650
Mary Binegar	1516 Johnson st	Onalaska	54650
Margaret A. Maher	784 Stonebridge Ave.	Onalaska	54650
Laura Holley	222 Schnick Rd	Onalaska	54650
Larry Robinson	784 Stonebridge Ave	Onalaska	54650
Kristen Odegaard	961 Tahoe Dr	Onalaska	54650
Keli Shapiro	1178 Aspen Valley Dr	Onalaska	54650
Gaye Tylka	2008 Clearwater Dr.	onalaska	54650
Billie Finco	1012 Quincy Street	Onalaska	54650
Larry Gierach	1801 S. Main St.	Necedah	54646
Lisa Vieth	N5456 Hoff Rd.	Kendall	54638
Sue Mathison	N6804 Roberts Rd.	Holmen	54636
Anita Jagodzinski	N7141 Sunrise Lane	Holmen	54636
Kris Wrobel	W13429 Shady Glen Rd	Hixton	54635
Curt Bisarek	1098 Northstar circle	Hillsboro	54634
Cynthia M Leiran-Monroe	E3388 State Hwy 56	Genoa	54632
David Boland	54098 Rounds Rd	Gays Mills	54631
Lynn Doelle	S2663 River Rd	Fountain City	54629
Nicole Cooksey	156521 E. Judd St	Ettrick	54627
Jeffrey S. Eide	636 East Olson Street	Blair	54616
Sarah Lister	N6570 Riverview	Black River Falls	54615
Mary Peterson	222 N. 10th St	Black River Falls	54615
Joanne Dressler	609 N. 11th st.	Black River Falls	54615
Janet Krohn	421 Harrison St.	Black River Falls	54615

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Wayde A. Pollock	301 Andrew Street	Bangor	54614
Dave Laehn	1620 Labus Drive	Bangor, WI	54614
Jennifer Lorenz	1427 Loomis St.	La Crosse	54603
Carol	NelsonBritten	LaCosse	54603
Robert Swerman	N1576 Skyline Blvd	LaCrosse	54601
John Havlicek	3006 Maple Drive	La Crosse	54601
Amy Bantle	3728 elm drive	LaCrosse	54601
Yolan Mistele	11355 Marchese Rd	Arbor Vitae	54568
Jodi Nelson	9087 Mid Lake Road	Woodruff	54568
Linda Goldsworthy	P.O. Box 34 6381 Steve Javekowski Road	Three Lakes	54562
Jordan Rzempoluch	8660 Honeyrock Rd	Three Lakes	54562
Jennifer Nickel	1828 Timbershore Drive	Three Lakes	54562
Jeff Welk	1579 State Hwy 32	Three Lakes	54562
Charlie Volk	435 Grede Rd.	Three Lakes	54562
Kay Coates	7080 Park ST	Three Lakes	54562
sandra palecek	n15517 town hall rd	park falls	54552
Randall Wendt	9333 Thoroughfare	Minocqua	54548
Kristi Anderson	9725 yawkey st	Hazelhurst	54531
Sarah Bromann	9075 split oak dr.	Harshaw	54529
Paul Oppman	8811 Art Thompson Road	Harshaw	54529
Matthew knott	9075 split oak drive	Harshaw	54529
Kathleen Kascewicz	N13260 Berry Patch Rd	Fifield	54524
Maggie Peterson	6847 State Hwy 70 W	Eagle River WI	54521
Kris Kunda	7425 HWY 17	Eagle River	54521
Theodore D. Kryder	5135 Crabapple Ln	Crandon	54520
Ronald M. Mc Phail	302 W. Pioneer Street	Crandon	54520
Mark J Mackowski	5982 Birch Rd	Crandon, WI	54520
Laurie J. Kryder	5135 Crabapple ln	Crandon	54520
Laurie Ison	8498 Mitchell Plat Road	Argonne	54511
Larry Palubicki	10484 Bocek Lane	Argonne	54511

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Jessica Keao	8690 Thomaschefskey Lane	Argonne	54511
Wil Losch	2531 Rosemil Lane	Rhinelanders	54501
Valerie LaBelle	W141 Hildebrand Lake Rd	Rhinelanders WI	54501
Tyler Ruppert	4461 Old 8 Rd	Rhinelanders	54501
Tom Jerow	604 Riek St.	Rhinelanders, WI	54501
Tim Howell	6891 Hwy 17	Rhinelanders	54501
Susan Johnson	304 W. Prospect Street	Rhinelanders	54501
Sue Edwards	4389 Sun Valley Rd	Rhinelanders	54501
Stephanie Smith	401 Hemlock Street	Rhinelanders	54501
Shawn Herbig-Belanger	4830 River Road	Rhinelanders	54501
Sara Stieve	665 Coolidge Ave.	Rhinelanders, WI	54501
Ryan Buss	7521 Glacier Park Ct	Rhinelanders	54501
Renee Tenderholt	375 Timber Heights Dr.	Rhinelanders	54501
Renee E. Miszewski	4054 County P	Rhinelanders	54501
Renee Biesterveld	3826 Townline Lk Rd	Rhinelanders	54501
Paul Johnson	3073 Wausau Road	Rhinelanders	54501
Patrick Kubeny	4128 County P	Rhinelanders	54501
Patricia Karaba	832 Randall Ave	Rhinelanders	54501
Omer T Lundt III	7196 Woodcrest Circle	Rhinelanders	54501
Neil Rumney	4046 Cambridge Ct	Rhinelanders	54501
Missy Clark	6089 Harmony Hill Dr.	Rhinelanders	54501
Mike Wojtusik	6614 Spider Lake Rd	Rhinelanders	54501
Meghan Retallick	7290 Ole Lake Rd.	Rhinelanders	54501
Megan Biscobing	824 Margaret St.	Rhinelanders	54501
Mary Rudis	8019 Hwy K	Rhinelanders	54501
Mary Peterson	707 Birch Street	Rhinelanders	54501
Mark Piasecki	7243 WOODCREST DR	RHINELANDERS	54501
Mara Krueger	319 Marshall St.	Rhinelanders	54501
Lynn Lintereur	7515 Glacier Park Ct	Rhinelanders	54501
Lori Kotarba	328 Hemlock St.	Rhinelanders	54501
Lori A Linsmeyer	2504 Rangeline Road	Rhinelanders	54501

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Lisa Kelley	5353 Headquarters Tr.	Rhineland	54501
Larry Miszewski	4054 County P	Rhineland	54501
Kris Michlig	106 North Oneida Ave.	Rhineland	54501
Kimberly Martiny	138 South Stevens Street	Rhineland	54501
Kevin Kirby	5386 Manor Rd	Rhineland	54501
Kelli Jacobi	4399 Highlander Rd.	Rhineland	54501
Kelli Jacobi	665 Coolidge Ave.	Rhineland	54501
Karen Kitze	7000 Fire Tower Road	Rhineland	54501
Karalyn O'Melia	665 Coolidge Ave.	Rhineland	54501
Kandi Bartelt	4612 Cross Road	Rhineland	54501
Judy Hunter	5239 Headquarters Trail	Rhineland	54501
Josh Skubal	4229 Shepard Lake Road,	Rhineland, WI	54501
Josh Legrey	5392 Manor road	Rhineland	54501
Joseph W. Salzer	334 N. Pelham St APT6	Rhineland	54501
Joseph Belanger	4830 River Road	Rhineland	54501
John Santy	809 Balsam St.	Rhineland, WI	54501
Jane Roe	1984 Larsen Dr.	Rhineland	54501
Ingrid Bodensteiner	327 Spring Lake Road	Rhineland	54501
Heidi Catlin	4569 Lake Mildred Road	Rhineland	54501
Heather Lundt	7196 Woodcrest Circle	Rhineland	54501
Ellie Rumney	4046 Cambridge Court	Rhineland	54501
Derek Lemmens	310 Wilson St	Rhineland	54501
Debra Durchslag	2871 Crestwood Drive	Rhineland	54501
Constance J. Piasecki	7243 Woodcrest Drive	Rhineland	54501
Christine Bassette	7198 Mildred Lane	Rhineland, WI	54501
CHRIS FERGE	136 S ONEIDA AVE	RHINELANDER	54501
Cheryl Esslinger	5532 Riverview Drive	Rhineland	54501
Chad Bolkema	7203 Woodcrest Circle	Rhineland	54501
Cere Yeager	3782 Port Aurora Rd.	Rhineland	54501
Carol Purcell	2824 Crescent Rd.	Rhineland	54501
Brittany Haakenson	820 Birch Street	Rhineland	54501

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Brian Carpenter	5820 Hwy 17	Rhinelanders	54501
Billie Jo Santy	809 Balsam St.	Rhinelanders, WI	54501
Bethany Ledgerwood	518 N. Brown St.	Rhinelanders	54501
Anthony Klein	436 Thayer Street #3	Rhinelanders	54501
Andrew Marko	3949 Trails End Loop	Rhinelanders	54501
Adair Sexton	5238 Pine Crest Rd.	Rhinelanders`	54501
Mara Krueger	319 Marshall St.	Rhinelanders	54501
Robert A Wright	7010 Evergreen Avenue	Wisconsin Rapids	54494
Linda Engelbright	5341 Brenda Lane	Wisconsin Rapids	54494
Jermitt Krage	12430 87th St. S	Wisconsin Rapids,	54494
Elly Bostwick	W4570 Turtle Lake Rd	Lily	54491
David Jicinsky	B4538 Wigan Avenue	Unity	54488
Charles Jicinsky	B4538 Wigan Avenue	Unity	54488
Tina Weizenicker	W6271 Camp Rice Point Road	Tomahawk	54487
Tina Vannatter	525 E. Park Ave.	Tomahawk	54487
Nadine Appel	N.10834 S. Country Ct.	Tomahawk	54487
Marta Kwiatkowski	1408 Jaecks Rd	Tomahawk	54487
Julie Allen	N10189 Anglers Ave	Tomahawk	54487
Judy Leggett	123 E. Lincoln Ave.	Tomahawk	54487
Jonathan Marin	427 E Washington Ave	Tomahawk	54487
Arthur Keskinen	2099 County Y	Tomahawk	54487
Amy McGovern	424 E. Washington Ave	Tomahawk	54487
Judith Leggett	123E. Lincoln Ave.	Tomahawk	54487
Lauren Cottrell	1332 Northpoint Drive	Stevens Point	54481
Michael Endreas District Administrator School District of Spencer	300 N School St.	Spencer	54479
William Clark	1611 4th Street	Port Edwards	54469
John Daven	681 Letendre Ave	Port Edwards	54469
Lee Bush	2065 Windsor Ct	Plover	54467

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Eric Iverson	261 Shannon ct apt3	plover	54467
Robert Houts	N16423 Miller Ave	Owen	54460
James Scheuer	795 N West St	Owen	54460
Dr Wayne Johnson	1711 Archer Lane	Nekoosa	54457
Cheryl Ulrich	309 2nd street	Mosinee	54455
Michelle M Lang	437 West Street	Milladore	54454
Edwin Hetze	8631 Hetze Road	Milladore	54454
Cynthia Kane	5550 Harveys Lane	Milladore	54454
Vicky Van Straten	706 Tee Lane Drive	Merrill	54452
Terry Van Straten	706 Tee Lane Drive	Merrill	54452
Peter Tabor	200 N. Park St	Merrill	54452
Pam Kobielus	1708 E 9th St.	Merrill	54452
Joan Tabor	200 N. Park St.	Merrill	54452
Mary Beth Aumann	2700 S. Washington Ave.	Marshfield	54449
Loralei Berry	11742 Robin Road	Marshfield	54449
Kelly Klawitter	308 East 17th Street	Marshfield	54449
Chris Hansen	1611 Erickson Ave.	Marshfield	54449
Amanda Spatz	1112 East McMillan Street	Marshfield	54449
Kelly Soczka Steidinger	9037 3rd Lane	Marathon	54448
Steve Xiong	3334 County Road O	Junction City	54443
Jennifer Xiong	3334 County Road O	Junction City	54443
Darla Hakala	425 Case Avenue	Junction City	54443
Louise schotz	W4884 county road J	Irma	54442
Kyle Raleigh	W4074 County Road H	Irma	54442
Marilyn Follen	7749 Lanae Ave.	Hewitt	54441
Annette Grant	W835 County Rd. D	Gleason, WI	54435
David Visser	W10643 Otter Lake Lane	Elcho	54428
Dora Szemborski	4958 Thomas Hill Road	Edgar	54426
Susan Treml	6496 County Road Y	Auburndale	54412
Sheila Cherney	10049 Rock Inn Road	Auburndale	54412
Richard Clouse	5749 Clark Street	Auburndale	54412

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Peggy Empey	11855 Brookside Rd.	Auburndale	54412
Jon Empey	11855 Brookside Rd.	Auburndale	54412
Dr. William Greb	10541 North Road Apt 102	Auburndale	54412
Dale Marth	10614 Birch Avenue	Auburndale	54412
Beth Clouse	5749 Clark Street	Auburndale	54412
Timothy A. Micke	601 W Limits Rd POB F	Athens	54411
Mary Jo Krings	8785 County Road N	Arpin	54410
LauraB.Kieffer	9135 State Hwy 186	Arpin	54410
Margaret Getzin	412 Kolter Street	Wausau	54403
Judith A. Rose	1219 Jackson Street	Wausau	54403
Stu churness	2605 iris lane	Wausau	54401
scott miles	7101 sunrise court	wausau	54401
Richard Lepinski	9300 Stettin Drive	Wausau	54401
Michael D Moen	303 S 32nd AV	Wausau	54401
Mary Jarvis	2805 Swallow Lane	Wausau	54401
Karen churness	2605 iris lane	Wausau	54401
Terry Iattoni	1138 Mojave Trail	Green Bay	54313
Kathryn Taylor	3122 Clarence Ct	Green Bay	54313
Nancy M Schleis	3540 Highland Center Dr	Green Bay	54311
Michelle VanLieshout	3844 VanLanen Road	Green Bay	54311
Laurie Helebrant	2511 Valley Hts Dr	Green Bay	54311
Gail Hohenstein	1823 Beethoven Drive	Green Bay	54311
Mary Elizabeth VonDras	136 N Maple Ave	Green Bay	54303
Joan A. Swigert	800 Ethel Avenue	Green Bay, WI	54303
Amy B. Bahena-Ettner	945 Bond St.	Green Bay	54303
Ken Loehlein	2266 Sunrise Ct	Green Bay	54302
Kathy Lockard	535 Avon Ct.	Green Bay	54302
Betty Kossik	2346 Browning Rd	Green Bay	54302
Judith Van Ryzin	921 Jackson St	Green Bay	54301
James Rose	1707 Lakeview Road	Washington Island	54246
John Thompson	2822 Lincoln Ave.	Two Rivers	54241



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Cheryl Gorsuch	6217 Arabian Way	Two Rivers	54241
Denise Gaumer Hutchison	3184 Hermans Road	New Franken	54229
Robert Krowiorz	625 N. 4th st	Manitowoc	54220
Paul Sander Hansen	1502 Michigan ave	Manitowoc	54220
Lisa Johnston	7315 Hwy C	Manitowoc	54220
Linda Gratz	1624 S. 10 th St.	Manitowoc	54220
Karen M. Rohrer	3720 Briarwood Lane	Manitowoc	54220
Jean Rausch	6131 County Road C	Manitowoc	54220
Barbara Herrmann	1416 Gunnell Lane	Manitowoc	54220
Anna Krowiorz	625 N. 4th st	Manitowoc	54220
Maura Berry	2408 S 9th	Manitowoc	54220
Thomas Dobbins	N2734 St.,Peters Rd.	Kewaunee	54216
Mary Ellen Dobbins	N2734 St. Peter's Rd	Kewaunee	54216
Marsha Brown	N1732 Wochos Road	Kewaunee	54216
Kathleen Phillips	704 Milwaukee St	Kewaunee, WI	54216
Scott Van Hefty	PO Box 83	Francis Creek	54214
Kenneth and A. Luanne Western	2920 Wilsonwood Lane	Ephraim	54211
Bill Otradovec	123 N. Wiesner Ave.	Casco	54205
Janis C. Schmitz	1949 Cedar Lane	Brussels	54204
Julia Bresnahan	2437 Pine Bluff Court	Baileys Harbor, WI	54202
Cathy Razner	2007 Windham Ct	Waukesha	54186
BRIAN	2600 Quail Lane	suamico	54173
Candice Kozak	6670 Nortnernaire Drive	Sobieski	54171
Nettie McGee	N4639 St. H. 76	Shiocton	54170
Janice Koch	N5776 Foesch Rd.	Shawano	54166
Al Pyatskowitz	W7974 Birdsong Ln	Shawano,	54166
David Koeller	931 S. Lafayette St.	Shawano	54166
Nicholas Darnick	710 E Pearl St	Seymour	54165
Gwen Harron	4832 Thome Road	Oconto	54153
Rosalyn Jacob	403 Monroe Street	Little Chute	54140
Mary Maki	901 Coolidge Ave	Little Chute	54140

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Gene Hardesty	723 Lori Lane	Little Chute	54140
Isaac Zimmerman	1507 E Wisconsin Ave	Little Chute	54140
Mindy Arneson	515 W First St #27	Kimberly	54136
Marcia Trentlage	728 Thelosen Dr.	Kimberly	54136
roger berken	1809 hendricks ave	kaukauna	54130
Judy Meyers	400 W 13th Street	Kaukauna	54130
Cindy Fallona	301 W Morningside Dr	Kaukauna	54130
Bruce A Eggum	N7993 Huntington Road	Gresham	54128
Mike Isbell	5554 Downtown Lane	Gillett	54124
Ben Niehaus, District Administrator School District of Florence County	425 Olive Avenue	Florence	54121
Robert C. Dernbach	1461 Weatherstone Trl	De Pere	54115
Tracy Cassidy	481 Kelly Road	Armstrong Creek	54103
Richard Engel	2453 Deer Path Ct	Abrams	54101
Danny & Theresa Cole	5107 Sampson Rd	Abrams	54101
Tammy Rae Erickson	2949 72nd Avenue	Wilson	54027
S. Sroka	2316 55th Street	Somerset WI	54025
Kyle Clemins	510 Tower rd	St. Croix Falls	54024
Kathryn Bruesewitz	839 140th St.	Roberts	54023
Pam Friede	103 N. Falls st.	River Falls	54022
Mike Stifter	930 Falcon Drive	River Falls	54022
Lee Hill	275 Kusilek St.	River Falls, WI	54022
Kim Johns	1285 Bartosh Lane #1	River Falls	54022
Karl Sakschek	W. 11940 778th ave.	River Falls	54022
Diane Brady	216 N. Wasson Lane	River Falls	54022
Debbi VerBurg	724 High Ridge Road	River Falls	54022
Clifton Johnson	2729 Hilltop Lane	River Falls	54022
Christine A. Muenich	1097 Prairie Moon Drive	River Falls	54022
Cheryl Dougherty	37 Sunview Dr.	River Falls	54022
Brian Schils	N8139 900th Street	River Falls	54022
Alberta Rupert	220 North Ilwaco Road	River Falls	54022

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Trevor Scholz	604 216th Street	Osceola	54020
Mary Swenson	615 200th Street	Osceola	54020
Gerald Viebrock	513 Gerald Street	Osceola	54020
Sue Howe	224 Grand Ave,	New Richmond	54017
Steven Wojan	2016 126th St	NEW RICHMOND	54017
Patti Kuenzie	1314 Willow Ave.	NEW RICHMOND	54017
Susan Kattas	200 7th Street North	Hudson, WI	54016
Lavone mccombie	715 Wisconsin st	Hudson	54016
Judy Seguin	627 Spruce Dr.	Hudson	54016
Brenda Bredahl	1309 St. Croix Hts.	Hudson	54016
Art Juchno	1800 Willow Dr.	Hudson	54016
John R. Calabrese	E580 County Rd X	Glenwood City	54013
Carol Johnson	2261 270th Street	Deer Park	54007
Carol Johnson	2261 270th Street	Deer Park	54007
Gail Kuhl	753 30th Ave	Clear Lake	54005
Nola Monicken	477 233rd St	Baldwin	54002
John Gildseth	930 11th Ave.	Baldwin, WI	54002
Nick Crawford	654 82nd Street	Amery	54001
Mary Ann Zeimet	S2498 Henderson Road	Wonewoc	53968
Aimee Schulz	3722 10th Court	Wisconsin Dells	53965
	3278 13th Drive - Wisconsin Dells, Wi		
	53965-8954 (home)		
Vicki Marcucci	201 West 6th Street - Friendship, WI	Wisconsin Dells,	
	53934-9154 (work)	WI	53964
Frank T. Buress	N6434 Water Street	Westfield	53964
Sandra miller	1004 Oriole St	Waupun	53963
Rhonda Buchholz	N2767 Astra Dr.	Waupun	53963
PJ WETAK	W4142 WILDGOOSE RD	WAUPUN	53963
Duane Miller	1004 Oriole St	Waupun	53963
William Moran	E6039 Friske Dr.	Reedsburg, Wis.	53959
Trista Henke	347 Sienna Ct	Reedsburg	53959
Trish Henderson	1300 19th St	Reedsburg	53959

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Sue Moran	E6039 Friske Dr.	Reedsburg, wis.	53959
Michelle Siedschlag	2374 Ernstmeyer Road	Reedsburg	53959
Michael Moran	E6572 N. Dewey ave.	Reedsburg, Wis.	53959
Margaret Gurgel	E6330 Biesek Rd	Reedsburg	53959
Judith B. and Franklin R. Brey	2101 Winfield Drive	Reedsburg	53959
Joyce Fangmeier	2350 N. Dewey No. 4	Reedsburg	53959
Jody Dregney	E5967 Friske Drive	Reedsburg	53959
Jaye Rykunyik	E9261 South Ave	Reedsburg	53959
Dorothy Hamburg	934 Seymour Street	Reedsburg	53959
Dick Anfang	E9261 South Ave	Reedsburg	53959
Carolyn Volk	105 Dessa Rain Drive	Reedsburg	53959
Carol Waser	E7271 N. Oak Crest Drive	Reedsburg	53959
John and Lila Waldman	N6781 Donlin Drive.	Pardeeville	53954
Mary V Jones-Giampalo	N7282 Trophy Dr.	New Lisbon	53950
Thomas Horne	621 S. Main St.	Markesan	53946
Ken Bates	W2806 Oak Terrace Lane	Markesan	53946
Duane Bark Markesan District Schools, Superintendent	100 E Vista Blvd.	Markesan	53946
Leonard Gasser	S3007 County Road G	La Valle	53941
Jon Wood	E 2704 Amsterdam Court	La Valle	53941
jon wood	e2704 amsterdam court	La Valle	53941
Rita Wittwer	32965 Smyth Hollow Rd	Hillpoint	53937
Robert A Beaver	2309 18 th Lane	Friendship	53934
Rick Waski	1430 11th Ave	Friendship, WI	53934
Sue Salter	582 River Rd	Columbus	53925
Mary Arnold	954 Dix St.	Columbus	53925
Liz O'Donnell	W10599 County Road TT	Columbus, WI	53925
Angela Roberts	N4293 Temkin td	Columbus	53925
Katherine Rush	143 Campbell Street	Columbus	53925
Cynthia Sandberg	N8196 S McKinley Beach Road	Beaver Dam	53916

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Angela Kirst	308 Park Ave	Beaver Dam	53916
Zita Schultz	225 5th Street	Baraboo	53913
William F. Dagnon	205 14th Ave.	Baraboo	53913
Kenneth Douglas Mering	1605 Kieth Street	Baraboo	53913
Judy Thies	904 moore street lot 428	Baraboo	53913
Jim Thies	904 moore street lot 428	Baraboo wis	53913
John Eric Allen	420 4th Street	Baraboo	53913
Betty Seefeld	507 2nd St	Baraboo	53913
Carole Janssen	701 E. State	Adams	53910
Billy Taylor	2566 State HWY 13	Adams	53910
Stacy Brussveen	507 W Edgewater St	Portage	53901
Matt Foster	408 W Pleasant St	Portage, WI	53901
Fred Reckling	520 Karla Ct	Portage	53901
Dan Garrigan	W10286 Hogan RD	Portage	53901
Connie Shlimovitz	515 Oak Ridge Drive	Portage	53901
Charles Poches	305 East Slifer	Portage	53901
Daniel C. Brown	851 Suellen Lane	Portage	53901
Elizabeth Tucker	1180 Hollman St.	Platteville	53818
Dan Flesch	1060 Kamla Ct.	Platteville	53818
Beth Flesch	1060 Kamla Ct.	Platteville	53818
William Kolb	1910 Rowley Ave.	Madison	53726
Shayla Billian	416 Chamberlain Ave Unit B	Madison	53726
Nancy McMahan	2122 Chadbourne Avenue	Madison	53726
Maria Shank	2410 Chamberlain Ave.	Madison	53726
Laura Friedrichs	2123 Regent Street	Madison	53726
Daniel Lyons	140 N. Prospect Ave	Madison	53726
Sarah Lord	7802 Big Sky Dr Apt 204	Madison	53719
Ross Eddy	8325 Dolomite Lane	Madison	53719
Michael E. Schwaegerl	7109 Birchstone Dr.	Madison	53719
Mary Shannon	3738 Ice Age Drive	Madison	53719
Kabby hong	2405 Berkley dr	madison	53719

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Julie slattery	3809 Cosgrove Dr	Madison	53719
Jane Jensen	5148 Anton Drive, #210	Madison, WI	53719
Amy Armstrong	8248 Raymond Rd	Madison WI	53719
Nira Scherz-Busch	Child & Family Psychological Services Clinic 437 S. Yellowstone Dr. Suite # 218	Madison	53719
Susan Frick	6918 Dominion Dr.	Madison	53718
peter michaelis	757 highcliff trail	madison	53718
Megan Hahn	582 Apollo Way	Madison	53718
Marta Torres	4223 Owl Creek Dr.	Madison	53718
Mandy Hollar	4232 Sprecher Rd.	Madison	53718
Jeanne Hammes	4635 Valor Way	Madison	53718
Gene Lundergan	5421 Patriot Drive	Madison	53718
Steve Carpenter	5 Round Hill Circle	Madison	53717
Sachi Komai	7205 Branford Lane East	Madison	53717
Michael Allen McDowell	1260 Deming Way #208	Madison	53717
Jennifer Morgan	505 N High Point Rd	Madison	53717
Claudia G Pogreba	8527 Elderberry Rd	Madison	53717
Carol and Cliff Reithel	6737 Harvest Hill rd.	Madison, WI	53717
Betty Ptacek	328 Samuel	Madison	53717
Wendy Crockett	705 Pirate Island Rd #1	Monona	53716
Terry Mikrut	1610 Droster Road	Madison	53716
Susan Fox	4637 Tonyawatha Trail	Monona	53716
Scott Collins	1018 Vernon Avenue	Madison	53716
Kathleen M. McQuade	112 Quaker Circle	Madison	53716
Jennifer Ehrlich	4207 Drexel Ave	Madison	53716
Jeff Knight	601 Owen Road	Monona	53716
Elizabeth Doyle	900 crestview drive	madison	53716
Doug Lowe	5208 Midmoor rd	Monona	53716
Aaron Bibb	6004 Ridgewood Ave.	Monona	53716
Mary Bean	404 Tompkins Dr.	Madison	53716
Cindy Schlichte	513 S Randall Avenue	Madison	53715

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Carol W Medaris	633 S Shore Drive	Madison	53715
Alex Wong	513 s randall avenue	madison	53715
Shirley Tokheim	4905 Ralph Circle	Madison	53714
Robert E Foss	4906 Ralph Circle	Madison	53714
Mike Tokheim	4905 Ralph Circle	Madison	53714
Michael Jones	110 Milo Lane	Madison	53714
Mark Stumpf	5306 Brookshire	Madison	53714
Margaret Stumpf	5306 Brookshire Lane	Madison	53714
Lisa O'Connor	110 Rosemary Ave	Madison	53714
Kristin Sorenson	3917 Anchor Dr.	Madison	53714
Karen N. Cook	5014 Twin Oaks Dr	Madison	53714
Jerry R. Cook	5014 Twin Oaks Dr	Madison	53714
Jaren Bailey-Washington	209 Acewood Blvd.	Madison	53714
Heather Daniels	3522 Johns St.	Madison	53714
Ellen Jessen	4534 Turquoise ln	Madison	53714
Brian Juchems	3534 Dawes St	Madison	53714
Timothy J. Schaid	114 Ardmore Drive	Madison	53713
Marjorie Passman	3118 Todd Drive	Madison	53713
Heidi Walters-Khan	6 Essex Ct.	Madison	53713
Sherry Sughrua	2310 Ravenswood Rd	Madison	53711
Rita Emmert	509 Piper Drive	Madison	53711
Randi Leeder	5201 Kroncke Drive	Madison	53711
Michelle Puent	5807 Windsona Cir	Fitchburg	53711
Michelle Kruse	5522 Tolman Terrace	Madison	53711
Lynn Vilker	5754 Longwood Lane	Fitchburg	53711
Luann Skinner	4228 Beverly Road	Madison	53711
Lesley Steffin	5759 Ballina Pkwy	Fitchburg	53711
Kithy Elliott	537 Wedgewood Way	Madison	53711
Karen Tuerk	4233 Beverly Rd	MADISON	53711
Justin Wilder	2892 Mickelson Pkwy #208	Fitchburg	53711
Judith Munaker	2765 Raritan Rd	Fitchburg	53711

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JOHN MATTHEWS	5726 KILKENNY PL	FITCH BURG, WI	53711
Joanne Brown	1932 West Lawn Ave.	Madison	53711
Jennifer Greenwald	617 Sprague St.	Madison	53711
Jeff Vilker	5754 Longwood Lane	Fitchburg	53711
James Yoder	2636 Targhee St.	Fitchburg	53711
Genie Ogden	1615 Madison St.	Madison	53711
Elaine Lohr	526 Holly Avenue	Madison WI	53711
Dave Wegner	1510 Chandler St	Madison	53711
Cathy Caro-Bruce	710 Baltzell Street	Madison	53711
Carol Grogan	4522 Hammersley Rd. Apt. #1	Madison	53711
Brad Emmert	509 Piper Drive	Madison	53711
Barbara Schrank	2313 Keyes Avenue	Madison	53711
Annelies Howell	5842 Woods Edge Road	Fitchburg	53711
Ann Wellnitz	2743 Jasmine Drive	Fitchburg	53711
Kathleen A. Knox	4405 Wood End	Madison	53711
Dan Rossmiller	4913 Tokay Blvd.	Madison	53711
Susan Brook	2646 Mason St.	Madison	53705
Severa Austin	6401 Offshore Drive	Madison	53705
Michael Walsh	6317 Inner Drive	Madison	53705
Jane Jiumaleh	3549 Lucia Crest	Madison	53705
David Hughes	2646 Mason Street	Madison	53705
David Edie	10 South Blackhawk Avenue	Madison	53705
Cara Faris	1224 Edgehill Dr	Madison	53705
Amy Garvoille	76 Craig Ave	Madison	53705
Tamarine Cornelius	1841 Spaight St	Madison	53704
Sheryl Voita	1954 E Washington Ave #21	Madison	53704
Peggy Ellerkamp	2205 Oakridge Avenue	Madison	53704
Lora Schmid-Dolan	186 Ohio Avenue	Madison	53704
Laura Chern	2814 Oakridge Ave.	Madison	53704
L. Yasko	2301 sommers Ave.	Madison	53704



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Koriana Kent	2421 E. Dayton St.	Madison	53704
Katy Heyning	2802 Oakridge Ave.	Madison	53704
Jon Walters	1026 Bultman Road	Madison	53704
Jon Peacock	30 N. 6th St.	Madison	53704
Jesse Lyne	2550 E Dayton St 2F	Madison	53704
Grant Samuelson	2422 Willard Ave	Madison	53704
Ellen Onsrud	41 Golf Course Rd Unit F	Madison	53704
Debbie Denton	2009 Northport #10	madison	53704
Dan Wiltrout	29 Sherman Terrace #2	Madison	53704
Brenda Morris	3149 Buena Vista St.	Madison	53704
Anne Hernandez	3708 Sunbrook Rd	Madison	53704
Adam Buening	2624 Union St Apt#1	Madison	53704
Otha McGee	41 golf course rd	Madison	53704
Susanne Breckenridge	1338 Rutledge St Apt 3	Madison	53703
Peter E Johnson	1005 Sherman Avenue	Madison	53703
Patricia Hammel	1424 Jenifer St.,	Madison	53703
Erika Brownlee	205 N. Ingersoll Street	Madison	53703
Edward Kuharski	405 Sidney Street	Madison	53703
Daithi Wolfe	1225 Spaight st.	Madison	53703
Christine Knorr	1152 East Mifflin Street	Madison	53703
Char Brandl	615 W. Main St. Apt. 110	Madison	53703
Norm Littlejohn	1230 Williamson St. #2	Madison	53703
Erin Barnard	1406 Williamson st	Madison	53703
Christine wesling	823 Sue Lane	Clinton	53625
William A. Franks,Jr.	5578 Huntingwood Way	Waunakee	53597
Denise, Jay, Maddie and Ben Farnsworth	1205 stone edge court	Waunakee	53597
Barbara Abbott	5397 Blue Bill Park Dr	Waunakee	53597
Anna S McNeil	5010 Gilkeson Road	Waunakee	53597
Sonja Tidd	3195 Shady Oak Lane	Verona	53593
Peter Belsky	2816 White Crossing Road	Verona	53593

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Pat McPartland	6681 Sunser Dr	Verona	53593
Matt Tiller	1505 Red Tail Dr	Verona	53593
Matt Austin	609 Parkland Drive	Verona	53593
Leyla Sanyer	102 Holiday Court	Verona	53593
Kathryn Pederson	480 Daisy Ct.	Verona	53593
Jennifer Polglaze	447 Glacier Ridge Trl	Verona	53593
Howard Zweifel	7783 Forest Drive	Verona	53593
Brittany Spencer Grant	514 Westridge Parkway	Verona	53593
Brian Zweifel	7783 Forest Drive	Verona	53593
Brett strand	9414 silicon prairie pkwy apartment 112	Verona	53593
Brentt Zweifel	7714 Forest Drive	Verona	53593
Brad Schneider	102 Holiday Ct.	Verona	53593
Alicia Zweifel	7783 Forest Drive	Verona	53593
Abigail Rebholz Jones	342 Steeple Point Way	Verona	53593
Tammy Makovec	316 N Nine Mound Rd	Verona	53593
Tracy Frank	2318 Walnut Hill Lane	Sun Prairie	53590
Thomas	Schmitt	Sun Prairie	53590
Sarah Heck	2369 McCoomsky Lane	Sun Prairie	53590
Sandra Frei	2332 Hidden Meadows Dr	Sun Prairie, WI	53590
Pam Thompson	1365 Chipper Lane	Sun Prairie, WI	53590
Nate E Wewetzer	3160 Bull Run	Sun Prairie	53590
Mindy Grant	4868 Bunny Hollow Ln	Sun Prairie	53590
Mary Lourigan	330 Maynard Dr	Sun Prairie, WI	53590
Mary Ellen Havel-Lang	3013 Bunker View	Sun Prairie	53590
Mary Davison	856 Hunters Trail	Sun Prairie	53590
Linda Schmitt	866 Steven St.	Sun Prairie	53590
Laura Ursin	161 N Mallard Dr	Sun Prairie	53590
Karen Bailey	213 Tower Dr.	Sun Prairie, WI	53590
Julie Schwellenbach	3118 Katie Ida Lane	Sun Prairie	53590
Julia McGann	564 Old Indian Mound Trail	Sun Prairie	53590
Jennifer Klotzbach	999 Chandler Lane	Sun Prairie	53590

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Jay Swanson	2150 Pennsylvania Ave	Sun Prairie	53590
janet jesberger	518 old indian mound trail	sun prairie	53590
Heather DuBois Bourenane	681 Broadway Dr.	Sun Prairie	53590
Gina Fischer	1559 St. Albert the Great Dr.	Sun Prairie	53590
Cathy Pagel	6325 Devonshire Lane	Sun Prairie	53590
Benjamin Jenkel	1726 Apple Drive	Sun Prairie	53590
Tekoni Maughan	543 Gerald Ave	Sun Prairie	53590
Krista Kaltenberg	1739 Greenway rd	Sun prairie	53590
Leah Schmitt	1601 Silverado Dr	Sun Prairie	53590
Matthew Roe	811 Abbington Ct	Sun Prairie	53590
Randy Schepp	438 Hyland Drive	Stoughton	53589
Judy Ellickson	1813 Sunrise Crt	Stoughton	53589
Elizabeth Weitner	225 W. Broadway St.	Stoughton	53589
David Spaeth	328 Roby Road APT1	Stoughton	53589
D. Fogell	209 W. Chicago	Stoughton	53589
Bonita Augusta	3181 Sunnyside St	Stoughton	53589
Alisa Schepp	438 Hyland Drive	Stoughton	53589
Roger Springman	812 Kriedeman Dr.	Stoughton, WI	53589
Thomas R. Wermuth, Ph.D.	1627 S. Springs Drive	Spring Green	53588
Shelley Weber	2981 Martin Road	Shullsburg	53586
Robert J. Johnson	1506 Lori Ct.	Sauk City	53583
Curt Meine	S11761 Cassel Road	Sauk City, WI	53583
Barbara J. Blackmore	1040 W. Haseltine Street	Richland Center	53581
Linda M. Zauner	E3493 Garvey Road	Plain	53577
Kim Kaukl	1755 Oakwood Circle	Plain, WI	53577
Marilyn McDole	873 Pleasant Oak Dr	Oregon	53575
Kelly Sullivam	171 Ames Street	Oregon	53575
Jennifer Yancey	1156 S Perry Pkwy	Oregon	53575
Jena Winder	2401 County Road MM	Fitchburg	53575
Diana Kirchdoerfer	25 Fairway Meadows Court	Oregon	53575
William C. Chambers	W4896 Edelweiss Rd.	New Glarus	53574

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Victoria Kempfer Mahlkuch	N8445 Klitzke Rd	New Glarus	53574
Teri Dearth	413 8th Ave	New Glarus	53574
Tammy Marty	406 8th Ave	New Glarus	53574
Sally Nealis	500 Durst Rd.	New Glarus	53574
Michelle L. Arnett	W5747 County Road H	New Glarus	53574
Mary Kaye Dorn	N8341 Zentner R.	New Glarus	53574
Lacy Gilbertson	N8497 Zentner Rd	New Glarus	53574
Karen D. Wenger	707 12th Ave	New Glarus	53574
Julie Martin	1701 2nd Street	New Glarus	53574
Jennifer Thayer	W5283 Village View Circle	New Glarus	53574
Holly Lague	1101 2nd St	New Glarus	53574
Elizabeth Disch	30012th avenue	New Glarus	53574
Dan Ziegler	618 10th Avenue	New Glarus	53574
Angela Rear	300 11th Avenue	New Glarus	53574
Nita Duerst	W4970 Kubly Rd	New Glarus	53574
Sonja Kittleson	10300 Kittleson Rd	Mt Horeb, WI	53572
marie martini	607 birchwood trail	mt horeb	53572
Jody Retzer Crolla	405 Nordic Trail	Mount Horeb	53572
Emily Tryba	500 Bergum Rd	Mount Horeb	53572
Corinne Ness	W7046 Farmers Grove Rd	Monticello	53570
Amy Thurow	W4171 Wirth Lane	Monticello	53570
Laura Eicher	W6192 Tucker Rd	Monticello	53570
Stephen Guenther	N4924 Buckskin Rd	Monroe	53566
Pam Kohlstedt	1527 Parkview Drive	Monroe	53566
Luke Francois	705 Ross St.	Mineral Point	53565
Wendy J. Tupper	9326 N. Raven Drive	Milton	53563
Tom and Susan Neuenschwander	1707 E. Breckenridge Lane	Milton	53563
Jeff Behrens	184 Badger Lane	Milton	53563
Dennis Steele	310 So. Janesville St	Milton	53563
Carmen Behrens	184 Badger Lane	Milton	53563
Anita M Wilcox	188 East Sunset Drive	Milton	53563

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Susan Dopp	7101 Friendship Lane	Middleton	53562
Stephanie Roberts	6319 Mound Dr	Middleton	53562
Sharon Nash	6813 Maywood Ave.	Middleton	53562
Sandra Vandervest	8910 Red Beryl Drive	Middleton	53562
Rose Sime	6327 Elmwood Avenue	Middleton	53562
Ron Biendseil	7101 Friendship Lane	Middleton	53562
Paula Buege	5218 Shorecrest Dr	Middleton	53562
Mary Ritchay	6909 Donna Drive	Middleton	53562
Mary Fulton	1365 Boundary Road	Middleton	53562
Marilyn Johnson	4565 Stonewood Dr	Middleton	53562
Linda Roberson	3025 Old Creek Road	Middleton	53562
Kris McGrew	4636 Toepfer Rd	Middleton	53562
Kris Cody-Johnson	7207 Voss Parkway	Middleton	53562
Kathy Stella	9801 Sandhill Rd	Middleton, WI	53562
Kathleen H. Wendorff	6418 Hubbard Avenue	Middleton	53562
Julie. Crego	5923 Century ave	Middleton	53562
Julie F. Mead	6610 Whittlesey Road	Middleton	53562
Julie Crego	5923 Century Ave	Middleton	53562
Judith Sulik	4317 Goldfinch Cir	Middleton	53562
John Parkes	7446 Hunters Ct	Middleton	53562
Joan Richner			
Bill Richner	5811 Woodcreek Lane	Middleton	53562
JC Love	7143 Calla Pass	Middleton	53562
Janine C. Edwards, PhD	6767 Frank Lloyd Wright Ave.	Middleton	53562
Gary Ellenberger	6767 FLW Ave. #205	Middleton	53562
Erin Bzdawka	5232 Frisco Court	Middleton	53562
Ellen Lindgren	6621 MAYWOOD AVE	Middleton	53562
Eileen Breitweiser	3110 Nightingale Ln.	Middleton WI	53562
Dottie H Johnson	6989 Harmony Way	Middleton	53562
Denis Carey	3457 Nappe Dr.	Middleton	53562
Deborah Umstead	2221 Branch St	Middleton	53562

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David Schendlinger	3813 Patrick Henry way	Middleton	53562
Daniel Powers	2401 Park Street	Middleton	53562
Brian A. Davis	2221 Branch St	Middleton	53562
Bob Crego	5923 Century Ave	Middleton	53562
Ben Jaeger	3801 Valley Ridge Rd	Middleton	53562
Amy Kortbein	7333 South Ave	Middleton	53562
Allison Jaeger	3801 Valley Ridge Rd	Middleton	53562
Jon Bunch - Marshall School Board President	430 Sunset Court	Marshall	53559
Sheila Plotkin	5007 Falling Leaves Ln.	Mc Farland	53558
Matthew Coan	6211 RIVERCREST DR	MC FARLAND	53558
Marcy Voss	6029 Canyon Parkway	McFarland	53558
Kelly Maly	5101 Rustic Way	McFarland	53558
Terri Wolff	340 S River St	Lowell	53557
paulette Smith	W11396 Bay Dr	Lodi	53555
Michelle Pare	604 Meadowview Ln	Lodi, WI	53555
Sandy Whisler	303 Maas St.	Lake Mills	53551
Peg Storrs	340 S Main St	Lake Mills	53551
Pam Jewell	155 E. Washington St	Lake Mills	53551
Marri Heimstreet	137 E Grant Street	Lake Mills	53551
Margot Peters	511 College Street	Lake Mills WI	53551
Kenneth Stetson	N6664 Shorewood Hills	Lake Mills	53551
Karen Goeschko	140 W Oak St	Lake Mills	53551
Jo Anne Russo	418 S. Main St.	Lake Mills	53551
James Oertel	908 South Main Street	Lake Mills	53551
Erin Ylvisaker	507 Water Street	Lake Mills	53551
Erin Saylor	137 W Lake Park Pl	Lake Mills	53551
Deb Galstad	N6403 Shorewood Meadow Dr.	Lake Mills, WI	53551
Barbara Ingram	N8131 Springer Road	Lake Mills	53551
Amy B Janczy	226 W MADISON ST	LAKE MILLS	53551
Donna Gruszynski	6720 Lake Lane	Lake Mills, WI	53551

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Keri Adelmeyer	411 N. Center Ave.	Jefferson	53549
Donna Cornwell	832 N Dewey Ave	Jefferson	53549
Bradley Geyer	622 Collins Road Apt 1	Jefferson	53549
Lisa Dambach	6839 West Thornapple Drive	Janesville	53548
Jay A. Deremo	1721 N. Granite Drive	Janesville, WI	53548
Tanya Wojciechowicz	3976 Randolph rd	Janesville	53546
Jen Galbrecht	1416 Nicolet St.	Janesville	53546
Jaclyn Kettle	3413 Canterbury Lane	Janesville	53546
David Cresswell	3360 Widgeon Dr	Janesville	53546
Anne Cresswell	3360 Widgeon Dr.	Janesville	53546
Thomas J. Yasai6tis	501 Williams St.	Janesville Wi.	53545
Jennifer Thibodeaux	1831 West Aberdeen Drive	Janesville	53545
Dave Marklein	2535 W Glenmoor Ln	Janesville	53545
Ben Shult	1831 W. Aberdeen Drive	Janesville	53545
Wilbur Waggoner	217 East Highland Ave	Fort Atkinson, Wi	53538
Thomas Beebe	315 Maple Street	Fort Atkinson	53538
SYLVAN Quinn	1133 Grant St	Fort Atkinson	53538
Ron Langellier	N2375 CR D	Fort Atkinson, WI	53538
Roger Rumppe	1106 Riverside Dr,	Fort Atkinson	53538
Rodger Thomann	639 Grove St	Fort Atkinson	53538
Richelle Rottmann	64 Jackson St	Fort Atkinson	53538
Rhona Quinn	1133 Grant St	Fort Atkinson	53538
Peyton Reigstad	1006 N. High St.	Fort Atkinson	53538
Nick Bee	222 N. High St	Fort Atkinson	53538
mike tamblyn	n1595 arburoe lane	fort atkinson	53538
Merrilee Lee	1310 Adrian Blvd	Fort Atkinson	53538
Mason Becker	1511 Stacy Lane	Fort Atkinson	53538
Laurel Ruud	426 Raintree Dr.	Fort Atkinson	53538
Ellie Schemenauer	707 Oakhill Lane	Fort Atkinson	53538
Elaine Dorough Johnson	1419 Jamesway	Fort Atkinson	53538
Deilee Calvert-Minor	75 Jackson Street	Fort Atkinson	53538

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Daniel Rottmann	64 Jackson St	Fort Atkinson	53538
Cynthia Ficenc	414 Maple St	Fort Atkinson	53538
Chris Calvert-Minor	75 Jackson St.	Fort Atkinson	53538
Bonnie Geyer	W7580 Koshkonong Mounds Rd.	Fort Atkinson	53538
Barry Block	428 Mechanic St.	Fort Atkinson	53538
Angela Ketter	312 Riverside Drive	Fort Atkinson	53538
Abigail Pulvermacher	1608 Stacy Ln	Fort Atkinson	53538
Sandy McClain	N1585 West Ra-Le Drive	Fort Atkinson	53538
Dara Keng	507 Foster Street	Fort Atkinson	53538
Anthony Kading	1608 Stacy ln	Fort Atkinson	53538
Chad Gray	375 Hannerville Rd	Edgerton	53534
Amy Calkins			
David Calkins	209 Randolph St.	Edgerton	53534
Steve Zartman	1060 Hain Rd	Edgerton	53534
Jessica Wiczorek	3529 Rohowetz Road	Dodgeville	53533
Jeffrey D. Jacobson	517 Woodview Lane	Dodgeville, WI	53533
George Dobbins	3731 Token Rd.	Deforest	53532
		DeForest,	
Roger D Linse	805 Tanglewood Drive Apt 210	Wisconsin	53532
Mary Prior	704 County Rd. BB	Deerfield	53531
Margaret Fass	2422 Church St.	Cross Plains, WI	53528
Jaclynn Olson	5487 County Rd. P	Cross Plains	53528
Susan Phillips	2753 Pheasant Run	Cottage Grove	53527
Mark Nelson	500 School Rd	Cottage Grove, WI	53527
Kristyn Armstrong	400 Roland Ct.	Cottage Grove	53527
Kevin C. Attaway	328 Southing Grange	Cottage Grove	53527
Kelly Gallagher	4555 Buss Rd.	Cottage Grove	53527
Jenny Pekul	305 School Road	Cottage Grove	53527
Deborah Trzinski-Becker	208 Maria Lane	Cottage Grove	53527
Anne Schoenemann	205 Yarrow Hill Dr.	Cottage Grove	53527
Karen Tordera	203 Waverly Drive	Cambridge	53523
Donna Pahuski	W8883 Deer Run Trail	Cambridge	53523



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Carol Gunnelson	W9243 Hwy. C	Cambridge	53523
Bernard Nikolay			
Karen Nikolay			
Anna Nikolay			
Jay Nikolay	118 S. Pleasant St.	Cambridge	53523
Tammy Rupnow	W8895 Buckhorn Rd	Browntown	53522
Michael Krupke	N4222 Pandow Dr	Brodhead	53520
Chuck Deery	W560 Malcove Lane	Brodhead	53520
Abbey L Wellemeyer	301 10th St	Brodhead	53520
Lori Oehlhof	365 Tyvand road	Blanchardville	53516
Jill Gaskell	W9381 Busy Bee Lane	Blanchardville	53516
Christine Douty	N8958 Sunnyside Road	Blanchardville	53516
Keith Steffen	N9498 Tyvand Road	Blanchardville	53516
Robin Snell	2007 Church st	Beloit	53511
Phil Fransen	N 9581 Carla Dr.	Belleville	53508
Nancy A McSherry	2200 Mill Dam Road	Barneveld	53507
David K McSherry	2200 Mill Dam Road	Barneveld	53507
Margaret Steele	2533 County Road F	Barneveld	53507
Johanna Chenous	308 Mill Street	Argyle, WI	53504
Joseph Kiemen	4800 Ridgeway Ave.	Racine	53406
Carl Lassiter	5255 Coachlamp Drive	Mount Pleasant	53406
Ellie Carlson	213 Belmont Avenue	Racine	53405
Dennis Seymour	805 Orchard St	Racine	53405
Sue Janecky	2128 Carlisle Ave.	Racine	53404
Nicala Aiello	1528 W 6th St	Racine	53404
Alex Trevino, jr	1528 W 6th St	Racine	53404
Sharon George	23 Sheffield Drive	Racine	53402
Keith George	23 Sheffield Dr	Racine	53402
Deborah Schuebel	1547 Wedgewood Dr.	Racine	53402
Angelene Mattes	5755 Leawood Lane	Racine	53402
Rita Richardson	184 N. Franklin St.	Whitewater, WI	53290
M. Troyanoski	94o N.25th St. #3	Milwaukee	53233

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Rick Moze Greenfield School Board	8901 W Whitaker Ave	Greenfield, WI.	53228
Marilyn Seabeck	3417 S 87th Street	Milwaukee	53227
Jennifer Apps	2544 N 118th St	Wauwatosa	53226
Craig Wentzel	2344 N. 103rd St.	Wauwatosa	53226
Chris Lorenz	217 N. 89th St.	Wauwatosa	53226
Bernadette Bates	2004 N. 86 St	Wauwatosa, WI	53226
Scott Fields	11124 W. Meadowcreek Drive	Milwaukee, WI	53224
Rachel Erdmann	8312 N Celina St	Milwaukee	53224
Kelly Groh	5726 W.Allerton Ave.	Greenfield	53220
Joanne Clarey	4442 S. Honey Creek Drive	Greenfield	53220
Heidi Miller	2760 south 47	Milwaukee	53219
Gena Kraemer	2141 S. 80 Street	West Allis	53219
Ingrid Walker-Henry	4428 N. 67th St.	Milwaukee	53218
Terri Hart-Ellis	6110 N. Santa Monica Blvd	Whitefish Bay	53217
Sandy Byrne	8930 North Regent Road	Bayside	53217
Ronald Legro	4810 N Newhall St	Whitefish Bay	53217
Pamala Swanson	8925 N Iroquois Rd	Bayside	53217
Melanie Ariens	4932 N. Newhall Street	Whitefish Bay	53217
Lorraine Ghorbanpoor	4823 N. Oakland Ave.	Whitefish Bay	53217
Liz Sanders	6152 N. Shoreland Ave	Whitefish Bay	53217
Kevin Buckley	5417 N. Kent Ave	Whitefish Bay	53217
Joanne Fetting	5025 N woodruff Ave	Whitefish Bay	53217
Jeri L Fisher	4832 North Elkhart Avenue	Whitefish Bay	53217
Jennifer Skinner	5008 N. Idlewild Ave.	Whitefish Bay	53217
Heather Bott	610 E Lake View Ave	Whitefish Bay	53217
Anne Arroyo	5764 n Santa Monica blvd	whitefish bay	53217
Heather Bott	610 E. Lake View Ave.	Whitefish Bay	53217
Barbara Todd	3447 N 47th St	Milwaukee	53216
Kelly Collingwood	3415 S. 38th St	Milwaukee	53215
Angela Riley	3003 West Hayes Avenue	Milwaukee	53215
Jenni Hofschulte	129 77th St So	MILWAUKEE	53214

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Nicholas Widener	1534 St Charles St	Wauwatosa	53213
Karen J. Barry	7003 Cedar Street	Wauwatosa, WI	53213
JEROD Duris	2167 N 65th St	Wauwatosa	53213
Jack Norman	5900 W. Valley Forge Dr.	Milwaukee	53213
Dennis McBride	7003 Cedar Street	Wauwatosa, WI	53213
Diane Roznowski	2609 N 82nd st	Wauwatosa	53213
Carmella Arbogash	1349 N 70th st.	Wauwatosa	53213
Monica Lopez	1215 E. Burleigh St.	Milwaukee	53212
Larry Hoffman	1225 E. Wright St., Apt. 1	Milwaukee	53212
Claudine Lienau	2978 N Pierce St	Milwaukee	53212
Douglas Stewart Lueck	3048 North Humboldt Boulevard	Milwaukee	53212
Steven Cupery	4208 N. Stowell Ave	Milwaukee	53211
Stephanie Govin-Matzat	3039 N. Bartlett Ave	Milwaukee	53211
Sally Evans	3826 N. Frederick	Shorewood	53211
Nancy Mueller	2850 N. Prospect Ave.	Milwaukee	53211
Mark Damkoehler	2972 N. Farwell Ave	Milwaukee	53211
Karlene Fox	4762 N. Wilshire Road	Whitefish Bay	53211
Julie Pekarek	4765 N Cramer St	Whitefish Bay	53211
Emily Newell	4715 N Sheffield Ave	Whitefish Bay	53211
Deborah Andraca	4707 N Cumberland Blvd.	Whitefish Bay	53211
Colleen Sullivan-Konyn	2742 N Shepard Ave	Milwaukee	53211
Bonnie Pedraza	4435 N. Marlborough Drive	Shorewood	53211
Jodi Delfosse	3267 N Newhall St	Milwaukee	53211
Sarah Backus	2844 N 56 Street	Milwaukee	53210
Michael Saindon	2841 N. 67th Street	Milwaukee	53210
Crystal Hoecherl	2361 N 48th St	Milwaukee	53210
Teresa Wadzinski	2536 W Wending Drive	Glendale	53209
Joe Bova	4468 N. 26th Street	Milwaukee	53209
Thomas Fuchs	1901 N. 48th St.	Milwaukee	53208
Rhonda J Greenhaw	2147 N Hi Mount Blvd	Milwaukee	53208
ADante Jordan	2936 W Highland BLVD Apt 213	Milwaukee	53208

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Laura Busse	3592 South Quincy Avenue	Milwaukee	53207
Katherine Geiger	2650 s linebarger terrace	Milwaukee	53207
Erika Siemsen	2525 South Shore Drive Unit 12A	Milwaukee	53207
Chasidy	2525 S Kinnickinnic Ave	Milwaukee	53207
Carol Babbitt	3865 S. Austin Street	Milwaukee	53207
Angela Walker	1515 W. Atkinson Avenue, #7	Milwaukee, WI	53206
William Audette	1888 N. Humboldt Ave, #405	Milwaukee	53202
Margaret Canary	1800 N Prospect Ave 14-b	Milwaukee	53202
Jerri Laidley	90 Potawatomi Rd #5B	Williams Bay	53191
William A. Wilson	1406 W. Walworth Ave.	Whitewater	53190
Wendall Bean	184 South Pleasant Street	Whitewater	53190
Virginia Laurent	1268 W. Court St.	Whitewater	53190
Virginia Coburn	2 Coburn Ln P O Box 147	Whitewater	53190
Traci Wilson	234 s pleasant st	Whitewater	53190
Tracey Scherr	429 S Elizabeth	Whitewater	53190
Tom Flanders			
Nancy Flanders	N7684 E Lakeshore Drive	Whitewater	53190
Timothy L. Joseph	240 Greenhouse Lane	Whitewater	53190
Tim Hankes	164 N. Prairie	Whitewater	53190
Thayer Coburn	509 S. Franklin St.	Whitewater	53190
Thaddeus Andrysiak Sr.	W 8046 Bay View Drive	Whitewater	53190
Suzanne Chenoweth	1135 W South St	Whitewater	53190
Susan Morse	N9371 Howard Rd	Whitewater	53190
Susan Lounsbury Crone	225 Woodland Drive	Whitewater	53190
sue schlough	958 W. Walworth Ave.	Whitewater WI	53190
Stacey A. Joseph	240 Greenhouse Lane	Whitewater	53190
Shirley Cutshall	1135 Walworth Ave	Whitewater	53190
Shelly Black	239 Lakeview Drive	Whitewater	53190
SHEILA JUETTE	11802 N. McMillin Road	Whitewater	53190
Shawn Alexander	W8542 Willis Ray Rd	Whitewater	53190

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Sharon Porcaro	430 W. Center St.	Whitewater	53190
Shannon Frye	181 s. Pleasant street	Whitewater	53190
Sarah Gehrenbeck	212 N. Franklin St.	Whitewater	53190
Sarah Coleman	403 S. Whiton Street	Whitewater	53190
Sara Runez	N7491 Kettle Moraine Drive	Whitewater	53190
Ryan Holle	11606 E. Berg Road	Whitewater	53190
Russ Devitt	1210 W Walworth Ave.	Whitewater	53190
Rosalinda Martinez	1232 W Yoder Ln	Whitewater	53190
Ronald Bergsten			
Nelda Bergsten	852 Acorn Ridge	Whitewater	53190
Ron Binning	W8645 Glacial Dr	Whitewater WI	53190
Roderic Runez	N7491 Kettle Moraine Drive	Whitewater	53190
Roberta Wedl	W3437 Vannoy Dr	Whitewater	53190
Renee Pfeifer-Luckett	325 S Cottage St	Whitewater	53190
Peter E Killoran	152 S Locust Lane	Whitewater	53190
Peggy Wuenstel	230 N. Franklin Street	Whitewater	53190
Paul M. Rybski	N8664 Duffin Road	Whitewater	53190
Nancy Andrysiak	W 8046 Bay View Drive	Whitewater	53190
Mike Dugan	254 North Park St.	Whitewater	53190
Michael Rule	397 Panther Ct.	Whitewater	53190
Merri stoneman	1226 Kay Street	Whitewater, WI	53190
Melanie Lindstrum	N8725 Cloverleaf Ln.	Whitewater	53190
Mary Sue Reutebuch	164. N. Franklin Street	Whitewater	53190
Mark Olm	1267 Satinwood Lane	Whitewater	53190
Mark G Mead	N641 Howard rd	Whitewater	53190
Marjorie Stoneman	393 Eagle Court	Whitewater	53190
MARION BURROWS	435 W STARIN RD	WHITEWATER	53190
Marilyn Binning	W8645 Glacial Drive	Whitewater, WI	53190
Mareta Hale	W6238 Bluff Road	Whitewater	53190
Marco A Wence	473 Ventura La	Whitewater WI	53190
Marcia Yochum	230 Greenhouse Ln.	Whitewater, Wi	53190

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M. Virginia Epps	970 West Highland Street	Whitewater	53190
Lynn Shoemaker	172 N. Esterly Ave.	Whitewater	53190
Lynn Binnie	1315 W Satinwood Lane	Whitewater	53190
Lisa Huempfner	976 W. Charles Street	Whitewater	53190
Linda Long	1560 W Wildwood Rd	Whitewater	53190
Lawrence Crone	225 Woodland Drive	Whitewater	53190
Laura Masbruch	215 East Clay Street Unit #44	Whitewater	53190
Kyong Pyun	1680 Mound View Place	Whitewater	53190
Kristine Cameron	680 Waters Edge Dr.	Whitewater	53190
Kristin Carpenter	219 S. Elizabeth St.	Whitewater	53190
Kimberly R Clarksen	1280 W Bloomingfield Drive	Whitewater	53190
Kim Simes	512 Ventura Lane	Whitewater	53190
Kevin Brunner	1155 W South Street	Whitewater	53190
Kelly Davis	W3355 Crestwood Drive	Whitewater	53190
Kay Robers	1155 W Blackhawk Dr	Whitewaer	53190
Katy Wimer	N7579 W. Lakeshore Dr.	Whitewater, WI	53190
Kathy M Ross	881 Burr Oak Trail	Whitewater	53190
Kathleen Dunham	N84441 County Road H.	Whitewater	53190
Karen Saubert	1246 W Melrose St	Whitewater	53190
Karen Mayer	345 Indian Mound Parkway	Whitewater	53190
karen coburn	1 coburn lane	whitewater	53190
K. Praveen Parboteeah	1680 Mound View Pl	Whitewater	53190
Judith M Binning	622 Foxglove Lane	Whitewater WI	53190
Joshua M. Kapfer	W4020 County Road U.	Whitewater	53190
Josh Barrett	1021 W. Highland St.	Whitewater	53190
Joseph A. Kromholz	393 Eagle Ct.	Whitewater	53190
John Houwers	168 S Maple Ln	Whitewater	53190
John Black	239 Lakeview Dr	Whitewater	53190
Jodie Janovec	185 N. Franklin Street	Whitewater	53190
Joanne Kyle	12102 E Co Rd N	Whitewater	53190
Joanna M. Marr Baker	806 W. Peck St.	Whitewater	53190

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Jim Winship	184 N. Franklin St.	Whitewater	53190
Jessica M Dugan	254 N Park St	Whitewater	53190
Jessica Coburn	W4044 Piper Road	Whitewater	53190
Jenny Rule	397 Panther Court	Whitewater	53190
Jennifer Smith	348 S Prince St	Whitewater	53190
Jennifer Hibbs	961 W Peck St	Whitewater	53190
Jennifer Fredriksen	311 E Cravath St	Whitewater	53190
Jeffrey Weigel	216 N Park Street	Whitewater	53190
Jeanne Shiras	829 Burr Oak Trail	Whitewater, Wi	53190
Jared Hynum	404 S. Whiton St.	Whitewater, WI	53190
James S. Schlough	958 W. Walworth Ave.	Whitewater WI	53190
James H. Guyer	W8059 Bay View Dr.	Whitewater	53190
Jaime Weigel	216 N Park St	Whitewater	53190
Hui Chan	1273 w blooming field dr	Whitewater WI	53190
Holly Crowley	363 S WOODLAND	Whitewater	53190
Heather Lanquist-Kehoe	N 608 Howard Road	Whitewater, WI	53190
Gerald L Kramer	N7501 Kettle Moraine Dr	Whitewater,	53190
Everett Long			
Ellen Long	1259 Satinwood Lane	Whitewater	53190
Evalee J Guyer	W8059 Bay View Dr	Whitewater	53190
Emily Holle	11606 E. Berg Road	Whitewater	53190
Elizabeth Elliott	160 N. Fremont St.	Whitewater	53190
Elisabeth Deussen	383 Indian Mound Parkway	Whitewater	53190
Eleanor Wilson	1406 W. Walworth	Whitewater	53190
Edward Gimbel	281 Parkside Dr.	Whitewater	53190
Eda Wilson	215 E. Clay St. unit 40	Whitewater	53190
Dwayne Lange	249 North Franklin St.	Whitewater	53190
Dustin Jones	1253 W. Laurel St	Whitewater	53190
Dr. Karl Brown	156 N. Fremont St.	Whitewater	53190
Doug Anderson	311. S. Woodland Dr	Whitewater	53190

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Diane Dalzin	215 S. Pine Cir.	Whitewater	53190
Diane Aschmann	W8205 Nature Drive	Whitewater	53190
Diana Callope	N1060 Fremont Rd	Whitewater	53190
Deborah S Gamble	N7631 Pine Knolls Dr	Whitewater	53190
David Stoneman	1226 W Kay St	Whitewater	53190
David Morse	N9371 Howard Rd	Whitewater	53190
David Gamble	N7631 Pine Knolls Dr	Whitewater	53190
Dan McCrea	963 West Highland Street	Whitewater	53190
Corey Davis	W3355 Crestwood Dr.	Whitewater	53190
Christopher Mayer	345 Indian Mound Parkway	Whitewater	53190
Christopher Cameron	680 Waters Edge Dr	Whitewater	53190
Christine C Hayes			
Glenn C Hayes	135 N Esterly Ave.	Whitewater	53190
Casey Judd	W3437 Vannoy Dr	Whitewater	53190
Carrie Hintz	N8018 County Road P	Whitewater	53190
Carolyn K Behrens	8926 lima center road	Whitewater	53190
Carolyn Barels	178 S. Locust Lane	Whitewater	53190
Carly Lund	206 N. Park St.	Whitewater	53190
Carey Fero	11124 e. county Rd N	whitewater	53190
Brienne Diebolt-Brown	156 N. Fremont St.	Whitewater	53190
Bridget Wescott	370 West Ann St.	Whitewater WI	53190
Brent Bresser	1215 Kay ST.	Whitewater	53190
Bob and Shirley Cutshall	1135 Walworth Ave	Whitewater	53190
Beverly Bonge-Ganser	140 N. Esterly Ave.	Whitewater, WI	53190
Betty H.Schoonover	435 W. Starin Rd.	Whitewater,	53190
Becky Hoesly	W7635 Shagbark Rd	Whitewater	53190
Aurelio Callope	N1060 Fremont Rd	Whitewater	53190
Anne Hartwick	178 N Franklin	Whitewater	53190
Anna Maas	N1044 Fremont Rd	Whitewater	53190
Anita A Loch	W7799 Shagbark Road	Whitewater	53190



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Amy Roselle	398 Eagle Ct	Whitewater	53190
Amy Houwers	168 S Maple Ln	Whitewater	53190
Amanda Vogelzang	N8165 County Rd H	Whitewater	53190
Alvaro D Taveira	1629 W Wildwood Rd	Whitewater	53190
Kathryn Drexler	272 N. Fremont Street	Whitewater, WI	53190
Janet A. Stottrup	302 Amber Drive	Whitewater	53190
Mary Hendrickson	336 N. Prairie Street	Whitewater	53190
Barbara J Dickens	336 S Pleasant St	Whitewater WI	53190
Mike and Pam Fellin	N 8902 Parker Road	Whitewater	53190
Linda L. Loomer	726 E. Cravath St.	Whitewater,	53190
Peter G. Disley	938 W. South St.	Whitewater	53190
Kristin Sizemore	1835 sycamore Dr	Waukesha	53189
Joe Lynch	S74W25345 High Ridge Drive	Waukesha	53189
Ann	Lynch	Waukesha	53189
Jessica Prokop	2904 Tensleep Terrace	Waukesha	53188
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Colleen Robson	2947 Mallard Way	East Troy	53120
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Brandon LaGreca	W2811 Friemoth Road	East Troy	53120
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Jane Roberts	N6893 Hunters Ridge Road	Delavan	53115
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