

State of Misconsin 2019 - 2020 LEGISLATURE

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### 2019 ASSEMBLY BILL 153

April 5, 2019 – Introduced by Representatives TITL, TUSLER, BALLWEG, EDMING, EMERSON, JAMES, KRUG, MURPHY, MURSAU, PETERSEN, PETRYK, PRONSCHINSKE, RAMTHUN, SKOWRONSKI, SNYDER and VANDERMEER, cosponsored by Senators JACQUE, TESTIN, BERNIER, CARPENTER, OLSEN and SCHACHTNER. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

1	$AN \ ACT \ \textit{to amend} \ 753.06 \ (4) \ (a), \ 753.06 \ (4) \ (c), \ 753.06 \ (4) \ (dm), \ 753.06 \ (7) \ (ag),$
2	753.06 (7) (ar), 753.06 (7) (e), 753.06 (9) (e), 753.06 (9) (g), 753.06 (9) (L), 753.06
3	(10) (f), 753.06 $(10)$ (g) and 753.06 $(10)$ (L) of the statutes; $relating to:$ adding
4	a circuit court branch in Adams, Calumet, Clark, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson,
5	Langlade, Manitowoc, Marathon, Sawyer, Vilas, and Waushara counties.

#### Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill adds one additional circuit court branch for Adams, Calumet, Clark, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson, Langlade, Manitowoc, Marathon, Sawyer, Vilas, and Waushara counties effective August 1, 2020.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

## The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

7 753.06 (4) (a) Calumet County. The circuit has one branch. <u>Commencing</u>

**SECTION 1.** 753.06 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.

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1	SECTION 2. 753.06 (4) (a) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
2	(this act), is amended to read:
3	753.06 (4) (a) Calumet County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
4	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.
5	<b>SECTION 3.</b> 753.06 (4) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
6	753.06 (4) (c) Manitowoc County. The circuit has 3 branches. Commencing
7	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 4 branches.</u>
8	<b>SECTION 4.</b> 753.06 (4) (c) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
9	(this act), is amended to read:
10	753.06 (4) (c) Manitowoc County. The circuit has <u>3 branches</u> . Commencing
11	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 4 branches.
12	<b>SECTION 5.</b> 753.06 (4) (dm) of the statutes is amended to read:
13	753.06 (4) (dm) Waushara County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
14	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.</u>
15	<b>SECTION 6.</b> 753.06 (4) (dm) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
16	(this act), is amended to read:
17	753.06 (4) (dm) Waushara County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
18	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.
19	<b>SECTION 7.</b> 753.06 (7) (ag) of the statutes is amended to read:
20	753.06 (7) (ag) Adams County. The circuit has one branch. <u>Commencing</u>
21	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.</u>
22	SECTION 8. 753.06 (7) (ag) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
23	(this act), is amended to read:
24	753.06 (7) (ag) Adams County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
25	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches

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1	<b>SECTION 9.</b> 753.06 (7) (ar) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	753.06 (7) (ar) Clark County. The circuit has one branch. <u>Commencing August</u>
3	<u>1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.</u>
4	<b>SECTION 10.</b> 753.06 (7) (ar) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
5	(this act), is amended to read:
6	753.06 (7) (ar) Clark County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing August
7	<del>1, 2020, the circuit has</del> 2 branches.
8	<b>SECTION 11.</b> 753.06 (7) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:
9	753.06 (7) (e) Jackson County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
10	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.</u>
11	<b>SECTION 12.</b> 753.06 (7) (e) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
12	(this act), is amended to read:
13	753.06 (7) (e) Jackson County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
14	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.
15	<b>SECTION 13.</b> 753.06 (9) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:
16	753.06 (9) (e) Langlade County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
17	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.</u>
18	<b>SECTION 14.</b> 753.06 (9) (e) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
19	(this act), is amended to read:
20	753.06 (9) (e) Langlade County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
21	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.
22	<b>SECTION 15.</b> 753.06 (9) (g) of the statutes is amended to read:
23	753.06 (9) (g) Marathon County. The circuit has 5 branches. <u>Commencing</u>
24	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 6 branches.</u>

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1	<b>SECTION 16.</b> 753.06 (9) (g) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
2	(this act), is amended to read:
3	753.06 (9) (g) Marathon County. The circuit has <u>5 branches</u> . Commencing
4	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 6 branches.
5	<b>SECTION 17.</b> 753.06 (9) (L) of the statutes is amended to read:
6	753.06 (9) (L) Vilas County. The circuit has one branch. <u>Commencing August</u>
7	<u>1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.</u>
8	SECTION 18. 753.06 (9) (L) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
9	(this act), is amended to read:
10	753.06 (9) (L) Vilas County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing August
11	<del>1, 2020, the circuit has</del> 2 branches.
12	<b>SECTION 19.</b> 753.06 (10) (f) of the statutes is amended to read:
13	753.06 (10) (f) Dunn County. The circuit has 2 branches. <u>Commencing August</u>
14	<u>1, 2020, the circuit has 3 branches.</u>
15	SECTION 20. 753.06 (10) (f) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
16	(this act), is amended to read:
17	753.06 (10) (f) Dunn County. The circuit has <u>2 branches</u> . Commencing August
18	<del>1, 2020, the circuit has</del> 3 branches.
19	<b>SECTION 21.</b> 753.06 (10) (g) of the statutes is amended to read:
20	753.06 (10) (g) Eau Claire County. The circuit has 5 branches. <u>Commencing</u>
21	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 6 branches.</u>
22	<b>SECTION 22.</b> 753.06 (10) (g) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
23	(this act), is amended to read:
24	753.06 (10) (g) Eau Claire County. The circuit has <u>5 branches</u> . Commencing
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1	<b>SECTION 23.</b> 753.06 (10) (L) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	753.06 (10) (L) Sawyer County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
3	<u>August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.</u>
4	<b>SECTION 24.</b> 753.06 (10) (L) of the statutes, as affected by 2019 Wisconsin Act
5	(this act), is amended to read:
6	753.06 (10) (L) Sawyer County. The circuit has one branch. Commencing
7	August 1, 2020, the circuit has 2 branches.
8	SECTION 25. Nonstatutory provisions.
9	(1) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for
10	Calumet County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August
11	1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
12	(2) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 4 of the circuit court for
13	Manitowoc County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing
14	August 1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
15	(3) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for
16	Waushara County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing
17	August 1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
18	(4) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for
19	Adams County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August
20	1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
21	(5) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for Clark
22	County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August 1, 2020,
23	and ending July 31, 2026.

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1	(6) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for
2	Jackson County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August
3	1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
4	(7) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for
5	Langlade County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing
6	August 1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
7	(8) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 6 of the circuit court for
8	Marathon County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing
9	August 1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
10	(9) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for Vilas
11	County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August 1, 2020,
12	and ending July 31, 2026.
13	(10) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 3 of the circuit court for
14	Dunn County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August
15	1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
16	(11) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 6 of the circuit court for Eau
17	Claire County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August
18	1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
19	(12) The initial election for circuit judge for branch 2 of the circuit court for
20	Sawyer County shall be at the spring election of 2020 for a term commencing August
21	1, 2020, and ending July 31, 2026.
22	(13) The authorized FTE positions for the circuit courts are increased by 12.0
23	GPR circuit judge positions on August 1, 2020, to be funded from the appropriation
24	under s. 20.625 (1) (a), to provide one circuit court judge in each of the circuit court

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branches created by this act in Adams, Calumet, Clark, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson,
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3 (14) The authorized FTE positions for the circuit courts are increased by 12.0
4 GPR court reporter positions on August 1, 2020, to be funded from the appropriation
5 under s. 20.625 (1) (a), to provide one court reporter in each of the circuit court
6 branches created by this act in Adams, Calumet, Clark, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson,
7 Langlade, Manitowoc, Marathon, Sawyer, Vilas, and Waushara counties.

# 8 SECTION 26. Effective date. This act takes effect on the day after publication, 9 except as follows:

(1) The treatment of s. 753.06 (4) (a) (by SECTION 2), (c) (by SECTION 4), and (dm)
(by SECTION 6), (7) (ag) (by SECTION 8), (ar) (by SECTION 10), and (e) (by SECTION 12),
(9) (e) (by SECTION 14), (g) (by SECTION 16), and (L) (by SECTION 18), and (10) (f) (by
SECTION 20), (g) (by SECTION 22), and (L) (by SECTION 24) takes effect on August 1,
2020.

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#### (END)