

Buffalo County Resolution



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Involved Committees:
Land Conservation & Ag and Extension

County Department:
Land Conservation
Fiscal Impact: YES / NO
AC Approved: YES / NO

RESOLUTION # 21-08-01

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE TOWN OF MONTANA TO ESTABLISH AN AGRICULTURAL ENTERPRISE AREA

WHEREAS, the Town of Montana has requested the support from Buffalo County to establish an Agricultural Enterprise Areas in their township; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) is accepting petitions for the designation of Agricultural Enterprise Areas throughout the State of Wisconsin and the Town of Montana has completed such petition; and,

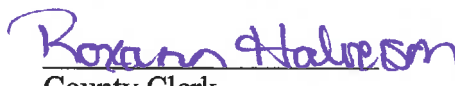
WHEREAS, agriculture is an important component of the County, its economy, landscape, and rural character; and,

WHEREAS, Buffalo County has consistently supported the agricultural industry; and,

WHEREAS, Buffalo County believes that establishment of an Agriculture Enterprise Area (AEA) in the Town of Montana will further protect agricultural land, enhance the local agricultural economy and is an important land use.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Buffalo County Board of Supervisors hereby supports the petition for the Town of Montana to submit to DATCP to establish an AEA within their town to be consistent with other local planning efforts, including the county farmland preservation plan and any comprehensive plans, excluding the Buffalo County Zoning Ordinance.

Adopted at a duly called and noticed meeting of the Buffalo County Board of Supervisors on the 23 day of August, 2021.


County Clerk

ATTEST:


County Board Chairperson

Respectfully Submitted:

Land Conservation & Ag and Extension Committee


Dwight Ruff, Chair

Excused
Brad Schmidtkecht


John Sendlebach

Excused
Bill Bruegger


Steven Nelson


Terry Sobotta

ANTICIPATED FINANCIAL IMPACT STATEMENT

No Fiscal Impact