

RESOLUTION
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Developmental Disabilities Board
INITIATED BY

Developmental Disabilities Board
SUBMITTED BY



Nick Osborne
DRAFTED BY

December 1, 2016
DATE DRAFTED

RECOGNIZING JOHN HANEWALL

1 WHEREAS, John Hanewall was hired by Rock County as a Master Social Worker on September 8, 1987,
2 was promoted to the Rock County Developmental Disabilities Deputy Director on March 9, 2009, and was
3 hired as Developmental Disabilities Director on May 15, 2011, serving in that role until his retirement on
4 December 31, 2016; and,
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6 WHEREAS, during John's 20-plus years as a social worker at the Health Care Center and Rock Haven, he
7 received numerous commendations for the care he provided to residents; and,
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9 WHEREAS, John exhibited care not only for residents, but also for his colleagues through his service as a
10 union representative; and,
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12 WHEREAS, John advocated for the rights of Developmental Disabilities Board (DD Board) clients and
13 contributed his extensive knowledge and expertise in the fields of developmental disabilities and behavioral
14 health; and,
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16 WHEREAS, John provided oversight in the development of quality programs for individuals with
17 developmental disabilities and managed complex budget decisions through challenging fiscal years; and,
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19 WHEREAS, John fostered positive working relationships between Rock County, clients, the State of
20 Wisconsin, and contracted service providers; and,
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22 WHEREAS, John led the DD Board through the Family Care Transition; and,
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24 WHEREAS, John will be greatly missed for his sense of humor, wisdom, comradery, and fairness.
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26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled
27 this 15th day of December, 2016 does hereby recognize John Hanewall for his service and extends
28 best wishes in his future endeavors.

Respectfully submitted,

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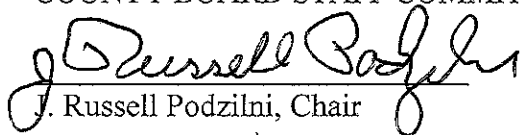
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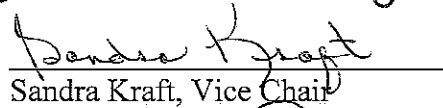
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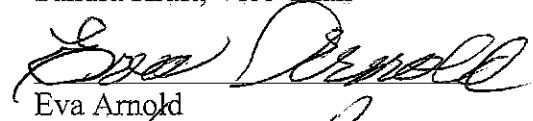
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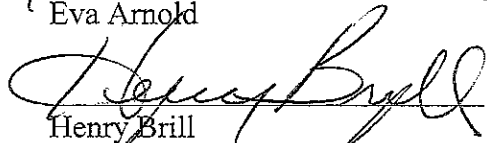
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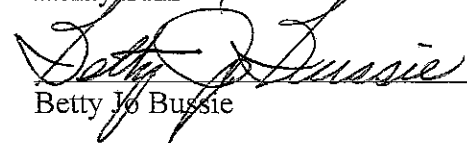
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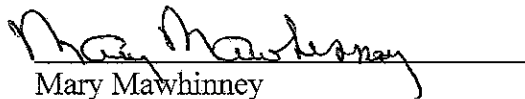

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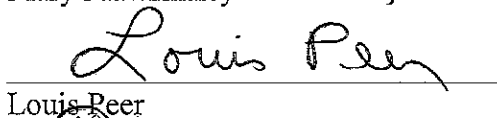

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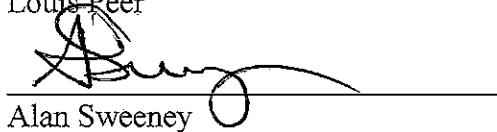

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