

TOWN OF EAST TROY

Resolution No. 2026-19

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXCEPTION TO THE LEVY LIMIT FOR CHARGES
PERMITTED IN 2005 WISCONSIN ACT 484 FOR ETAESD FIRE DEPARTMENT
CHARGES**

WHEREAS, the Town of East Troy is a participating municipal member of the East Troy Area Emergency Services District (hereinafter “ETAESD”), and;

WHEREAS, 2005 Wisconsin Act 484 (hereinafter “the Act”) created §66.0602(3)(h), that provides that levy limits otherwise applicable do not apply to the amount that a village or town may levy in a year to pay for charges assessed by a joint fire department to the extent that the amount levied to pay for such charges would cause the village or town to exceed the limits imposed under §66.062, Wis. Stats., and;

WHEREAS, the exception to the levy limit applies only if the total charges assessed by the joint fire department for a given year increase, relative to the total charges assessed for the previous year, by a percentage that is less than or equal to the percentage change in the U.S. Consumer Price Index for all urban customers, U.S. city average, as determined by the U.S. Department of Labor for the twelve (12) months ending on September 30th of the year of the levy, plus two percent (2%), and;

WHEREAS, the exception to the levy limit under the Act only applies if all of the governing bodies for the participating municipal bodies belonging to a joint fire department adopt a resolution in favor of exceeding such levy limits as may be applicable, and;

WHEREAS, this resolution shall not be construed as authorizing the ETAESD to adopt any particular budget, but rather that the Act budget formula shall be deemed a maximum limit

on any budget increase which is duly adopted under all applicable procedures and requirements of the ETAESD Agreement,

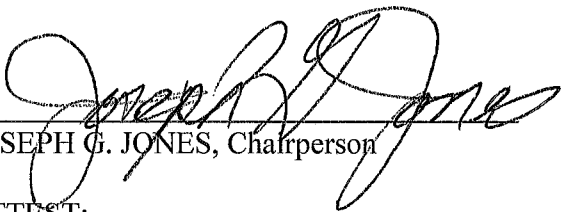
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Town of East Troy hereby authorizes a levy for charges assessed by the joint fire department which exceeds the limit as described and imposed by §66.0602, Wis. Stats., but only to the extent as authorized by §66.0602(3)(h)2a, Wis. Stats.

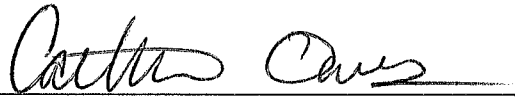
Dated this 21st day of September, 2026.

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BY:


JOSEPH G. JONES, Chairperson

ATTEST:


CAITLIN OWENS, Clerk

Resolution passed by a vote of 5 to 0.