Town of Casey, Washburn County Wisconsin Resolution No. 2025-01

Whereas, the State of Wisconsin has imposed levy limits on town, village, city, and county levies for 2025 and thereafter under Wis. Stat. § 66.0602;

Whereas, Wis. Stat. § 66.0602 limits the allowable local levy for 2025 to a percentage increase of zero percent of the 2025 payable 2026 adjusted actual levy as calculated under the state's levy limit law

Whereas, the town board of the Town of Casey, Washburn County, believes that for the 2025 tax levy (to be collected in 2026) it is in the Town's best interest to exceed the state levy limit as described above by a greater percentage than 0% for the purpose of road maintenance

Whereas, the Town of Casey's 2025 payable in 2026 adjusted actual tax levy is \$254,447, and further whereas the state law would limit an increase of 0%, for a total allowable town tax levy after adjustments for 2025 (to be collected in 2026) of \$254,447;

THEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Casey, Washburn County does hereby resolve and order as follows:

- 1. The town board supports an increase in the town tax levy for 2026 of 25% over the amount allowed by the state levy limit for 2026. This would result in a dollar increase to the town's allowable levy of \$63,611.75, for a total town tax levy (after adjustments) of \$318,058.75. The increase is requested on an ongoing basis.
- The town board directs that the question of increasing the allowable town tax levy for 2025, to be collected in fiscal year 2026, be put to referendum at an election on April 1, 2025.
- 3. The question shall be submitted to the electors as follows: "Under state law, the increase in the levy of the Town of Casey for the tax to be imposed for the next fiscal year, 2026, is limited to 0%, which results in a levy of \$254,447. Shall the Town of Casey be allowed to exceed this limit and increase the levy for the next fiscal year, 2026, for road maintenance, by a total of \$63,611.75, which results in a levy of \$318,058.75 on an ongoing basis.

Adopted this 8th day of January, 2025.

Gene Bethel, Chairperson

Dan Swearingen, Supervisor

Attested by: Course Makaged

Corinne Slabaugh, Clerk