

AMENDMENT RESOLUTION NO. 2026-05

RESOLUTION OF TOWN BOARD PROPOSING TO EXCEED LEVY LIMIT

Town of Gardner, Door County
STATE OF WISCONSIN

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin has imposed levy limits on town, village, city, and county levies for 2026 and thereafter under Wis. Stat. Ss 66.0602;

WHEREAS, Wis. Stat ss 66.0602 limits the allowable local levy for 2026 to a percentage increase of no more than the greater of (a) zero percent of the 2025 payable 2026 adjusted actual levy as calculated under the state's levy limit law or (b) a percentage equal to the percent change in equalized value due to net new construction which for the Town of Gardner is 2.566%.

WHEREAS, the town board of the Town of Gardner, Door County believes that for the 2026 tax levy (to be collected in 2027) it is in the town's best interest to exceed the state levy limit as described above by a greater percentage than 2.566%.

WHEREAS, the Town of Gardner's 2025 payable 2026 adjusted actual tax levy was \$663,852, and further whereas the state law would limit this year's increases to \$17,034, for a total allowable town tax levy before adjustments for 2026 (to be collected in 2027) of \$679,622.

THEREFORE, the Town board of the Town of Gardner, Door County does hereby resolve and order as follows:

1. The town board supports an increase in the town tax levy for 2026 that will exceed the amount allowed by the state levy limit.
2. The town board directs that the question of increasing the allowable tax levy for 2026 (to be collected in 2027) by 8.364% which would increase the town levy by \$56,843 for a total town tax levy of \$736,465 shall be placed on the agenda for the special town elector meeting to be held on October 14, 2026.

Dated this 28 day of September, 2026

Town of Gardner



Paul DeWitt, Town Chairman



Mike Marchant, Supervisor #2



Kyle Delfosse, Supervisor #1



Ted Anderson, Supervisor #3

Glenn Dart, Supervisor #4

Certification:

I, Amy Sacotte, Clerk of Town of Gardner, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution that was adopted on ____ day of September, 2026 by the Gardner Town Board.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Amy Sacotte", is written over a horizontal line.

Amy Sacotte, Town Clerk