

TOWN OF MINONG  
RESOLUTION OPPOSING "SECOND LANGUAGE"  
VOTING REQUIREMENTS

RESOLUTION # 63

THE RIGHT TO VOTE IN AMERICA IS A PRIVILEGE handed down for generations by English speaking Americans. Throughout the years' different races, genders, and nationalities have gained that right, but with one single objective: that they speak or at least understand our English language. It is because of this, and

DUE TO THE EXORBITANT FINANCIAL BURDEN that any requirements from the State of Wisconsin mandating changes in voting requirements for non English speaking persons; such as preparation of ballots, proof reading and testing all election materials, possible hiring of an interpreter or language professional for election day, additional cost of election supplies and voting machine programming, additional training for clerks and inspectors; would have on an already impossible budgeting process within the Town of Minong

THAT THE TOWN OF MINONG HEREBY RESOLVES to leave the right to vote in the Town of Minong to qualified electors of the Town of Minong who are able to read, write, or at the least understand the English language. If an elector does not understand the English language that it be up to that elector to find someone to help them with the voting process at their expense not at the expense of the Town of Minong.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if the State of Wisconsin does mandate second language changes for Wisconsin voters, that every additional penny of this cost be covered by the State of Wisconsin not by the Town of Minong.

THIS BEING THE RESULT OF A VOTE TAKEN by the Town Board at a Town Board Meeting held the 13 day of July 2009 and discussed and advised by the electors of the Town of Minong in attendance at said meeting. That the Town Board voted 5 YES and 0 NO to pass this resolution.

L H Sessler 7-10-09  
Chairman Date

James W Sessler 7-13-09  
Supervisor I Date

Harold W Smith 7-13-09  
Supervisor II Date

Ginda J Featherly 7-13-09  
Supervisor III Date

Tony Tubbs 7-13-09  
Supervisor IV Date

CERTIFICATION OF CLERK

I Jo Anne Denninger, Clerk/Treasurer of the Town of Minong, Washburn County, WI, do hereby certify that this decision was approved by the Town Board at a meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 2009

Jo Anne Denninger  
Jo Anne Denninger, Clerk/Treasurer Town of Minong

6/13/09  
Date