

_____ COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. _____

_____ County Forest Land Acquisition
Town of _____

Resolution offered by the _____ FORESTRY COMMITTEE

RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of _____ County, Wisconsin, That

WHEREAS, the Forestry Committee would like to purchase the below described lands consisting of ___ acres within _____ County: _____ ¼ ¼ of Section __, T__N, R__E/W, Town of _____, _____ County Wisconsin; and; and

WHEREAS, the County Board has the authority to acquire said property for the purpose of establishing County Forest Land pursuant to ss. 28.10 Wis. Stats; and

WHEREAS, the acquisition policy and boundaries are outlined and defined in Chapter 400 of the _____ County Forest Comprehensive Land Use Plan, as approved for years 2006-2020 by the _____ County Board of Supervisors on _____; and

WHEREAS, acquisition of this property will perpetually provide forest products to our local economy, revenues to the County, outdoor recreation opportunities to the public, and improve property administration on the County Forest; and

WHEREAS, the County is eligible to apply for grant funding through the Knowles-Nelson Stewardship grant program pursuant to ss. 23.0953 Wis. Stats; and

WHEREAS, said funding may provide funding for up to 50% of the acquisition price; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE _____ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS that the County requests the grant funding available from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources under the “Knowles – Nelson Stewardship Land Acquisition grant program; and

HEREBY AUTHORIZES _____ to act on behalf of _____ County to: submit an application to the State of Wisconsin for land acquisition grant funding; sign documents; and take necessary action to undertake, direct, and complete an approved land acquisition project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the _____ County will comply with State rules for the program and meet the financial obligations under the grant.

Adopted this day ___ of _____, 20___
By a vote of: ___ in favor ___ against ___ abstain

By: _____ County Clerk of
_____ County