Remove burbot from list of Wisconsin rough fish

Whereas, the burbot is a native fish found in many Wisconsin waters. Burbot numbers have increased and are increasingly popular with sport anglers. It is listed presently as a rough fish and removing it as a rough fish would allow it to be managed as a game fish.

Be it resolved, On April 12th, 2021 that the Conservation Congress at its annual meeting: Would you support working with the Wisconsin Conservation Congress and legislature to remove burbot from the list of rough fish species?

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