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3 **RESOLUTION:           Oppose Constitutional Amendment**  
4 **Providing for the Appointment of**  
5 **Certain Constitutional Offices**  
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7 **TO THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:**  
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9 **WHEREAS**, a joint Assembly resolution presently pending before the State Legislature  
10 proposes to permit counties to elect or appoint county clerks, treasurers, register of deed,  
11 surveyors and other county officers, with the exception of sheriffs, district attorneys, coroners,  
12 clerks of circuit court and county executives, county supervisors and judges, if approved by the  
13 County Board of Supervisors and if approved by county voters pursuant to referendum; and  
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15 **WHEREAS**, the Legislative Committee believes that said proposed change to the  
16 Wisconsin Constitution is unnecessary and the county voters should always have the opportunity  
17 of electing county office holders.  
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19 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors  
20 that it hereby expresses its opposition to a constitutional amendment providing for the  
21 appointment, instead of election, of certain county officials.  
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23 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that a  
24 copy of this resolution be transmitted to all legislators representing Winnebago County  
25 constituents within the Wisconsin Legislature; to the office of Governor Scott Walker; and to the  
26 Wisconsin Counties Association .  
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29 Submitted by:

30 **LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE**  
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39 Committee Vote:

40 **11-1**  
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42 Vote Requirement for Passage:

43 **Majority of those present**  
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45 Approved by Winnebago County Executive this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
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47 \_\_\_\_\_, 2011.  
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51 Mark L. Harris  
52 County Executive  
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