RESOLUTION: Adopt Revisions to Pay Schedules for Non-Union Regular Employees

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TO THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

WHEREAS, it is advisable to consider adjustments to the pay ranges for Winnebago County employees periodically, to ensure that our wage rates remain at a level sufficient to allow us to attract and retain good employees; and

WHEREAS, adjusting the minimums and maximums of pay ranges will not directly increase the pay of any particular Winnebago County employee, but will allow employees at the maximum pay ranges to participate in the Merit Pay Program and receive merit pay increases if they earn them, up to the new maximum of their pay ranges; and

WHEREAS, the consumer price index-urban (CPI-U), as calculated by the Wisconsin Department of Revenue and used by the Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission for calculating allowable general wage increases under Act 10, has fluctuated during the past year, between 1.68% and 1.25%, and your undersigned Committee believes that an increase of 1.50% represents a reasonable adjustment for non-union pay schedules; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that a study of Winnebago County's compensation plans will be completed within the upcoming year, and the Board does not wish to consider any further changes to pay ranges until after the pay study is complete.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors, that the minimums and maximums of each pay range for the pay grades covering all regular Winnebago County employees may be increased by 1.50%, effective January 1, 2016.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that a study of the Winnebago County compensation plans be completed within one year of the date on which this resolution is adopted, and any future proposed changes to pay ranges be evaluated after the Board has had the benefit of reviewing the recommendations from the compensation plan study.

Fiscal Note: There is no fiscal impact to this Resolution. Pay raises will be as determined by the Merit Pay Plan Respectfully submitted by:

PERSONNEL AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

32 Committee Vote: 5-0

Vote Required for Passage: Majority of Those Present

Approved by the Winnebago County Executive this _____ day of ______, 2015.

Mark L Harris

Winnebago County Executive

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