

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-41

RESOLUTION BY THE RACINE COUNTY SPECIAL COMMITTEE REGARDING REAPPORTIONMENT MAINTAINING THE NUMBER OF SUPERVISORY DISTRICTS AT 21

To the Honorable Members of the Racine County Board of Supervisors:

WHEREAS, every ten years, following the completion of the United States Federal Census, it is the responsibility of the Racine County Board to work with the municipalities of Racine County to redraw district and ward lines in accordance with federal and state laws; and

WHEREAS, as part of that process, the Racine County Board Chairman appointed the Special Committee Regarding Reapportionment; and

WHEREAS, the Committee's duties include considering and determining the appropriate number of supervisory districts to ensure effective and efficient representation for all citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that the number of supervisory districts for the Racine County Board of Supervisors that the number of Supervisors shall remain at 21; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Special Committee Regarding Reapportionment shall create 21 Supervisory districts as part of the redistricting plan based on the 2020 decennial census and present that plan, as statutorily required, at appropriate public hearings and to the Racine County Board of Supervisors for approval.

Respectfully submitted,

1st Reading _____

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REGARDING REAPPORTIONMENT

2nd Reading _____

BOARD ACTION

Robert N. Miller, Chairman

Adopted _____

For _____

Against _____

Absent _____

Thomas Kramer, Vice-Chairman

VOTE REQUIRED: Majority

Melissa Kaprelian

Prepared by:
Corporation Counsel

Scott Maier

Q. A. Shakoor, II

Donald J. Trottier

County Clerk Wendy Christensen

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4 **The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of**
5 **Racine County, Wisconsin, is hereby:**

6 **Approved:** _____

7 **Vetoed:** _____

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9 **Date:** _____,

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12 **Jonathan Delagrave, County Executive**

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15 **INFORMATION ONLY**

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17 **WHEREAS**, the Special Committee Regarding Reapportionment reviewed and
18 considered the final estimate of the January 1, 2020 population for Racine County, which was
19 provided by the Demographic Services Center to the Racine County Clerk's Office, and estimates
20 a change of 0.18% since the 2010 census; and

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22 **WHEREAS**, the Special Committee Regarding Reapportionment discussed and
23 considered previous decreases in the number of supervisory districts, which occurred as part of
24 the redistricting process, and determined that the current number of supervisory districts supports
25 the County Board Committee structure and effective and efficient representation of citizens
26 through constituent size; and

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28 **WHEREAS**, after consideration and discussion, the Special Committee Regarding
29 Reapportionment has determined that the Racine County Board appropriately remains at 21
30 supervisory districts through the redistricting process based on the 2020 decennial census.