

August 26, 2008

**RESOLUTION NO. 2008-56**

**RESOLUTION BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND LAND USE PLANNING COMMITTEE APPROVING PARTICIPATION IN THE GYPSY MOTH SUPPRESSION PROGRAM AND DESIGNATING A COUNTY COORDINATOR**

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

**WHEREAS**, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources has confirmed that the gypsy moth is now permanently established in Racine County and periodic outbreaks may occur that could cause defoliation and tree mortality; and

**WHEREAS**, a voluntary gypsy moth suppression treatment program to reduce damage has been established throughout the state and is coordinated at the county level; and

**WHEREAS**, for residents to participate in the state gypsy moth suppression program, the County must designate a county coordinator as per Wis. Stat. § 26.30 and DNR Rule 47; and

**WHEREAS**, participation in the state gypsy moth suppression program gives counties access to possible federal cost sharing funds if available;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Racine County Board of Supervisors does hereby approve participation in the Gypsy Moth Suppression Program and designates the Racine County Planning and Development Director and/or her designee to serve as county coordinator for the Gypsy Moth Suppression Program.

Respectfully submitted,

1st Reading \_\_\_\_\_

**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND LAND USE PLANNING COMMITTEE**

2nd Reading \_\_\_\_\_

BOARD ACTION

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Robert D. Grove, Chairman

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_

For \_\_\_\_\_

Against \_\_\_\_\_

Absent \_\_\_\_\_

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Mark M. Gleason, Vice Chairman

VOTE REQUIRED: Majority

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Dan F. Sharkozy, Secretary

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