

**COUNTY OF RACINE
GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE**

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**NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE
GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE**

DATE: TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2017
TIME: 5:00 p.m.
PLACE: CONFERENCE ROOM - IVES GROVE OFFICE COMPLEX
14200 WASHINGTON AVENUE STURTEVANT, WI 53177

A G E N D A

1. Public Comments
2. Chairman Comments
3. Approval of Minute(s) from previous meeting.
4. New Business
 - A. Youth in Governance evaluation report
 - B. Discussion regarding resolutions by St. Croix, Wood, Jackson, Forest, Chippewa and Portage Counties to create a Nonpartisan Procedure for the Preparation of Legislative and Congressional Redistricting Plans
5. Old Business
 - Receive and File Resolutions Referred from County Board**
 - A. Resolution No. 21 (2017) from St. Croix County to Close Loopholes that shift a Greater Property Tax Burden from Commercial to Residential Homeowners
 - B. Resolution No. 14-05/17 from Walworth County Recommending Change in Unemployment Compensation Rules
 - C. Resolution No. 13-2017-18 from Outagamie County urges the Governor and State Legislature to protect Wisconsin workers by opposing legislation to repeal Wisconsin's prevailing wage law
 - D. Resolution No. 18/2017-18 from Outagamie County Board of Supervisors does support proposed legislation permitting inmates confined to county jails, county houses of correction, or tribal jails under a Department of Corrections contract to leave the facility to participate in employment-related activities or other approved programs designated by the Department of Corrections in its contract with the local unit of government
 - E. Resolution No. 19-2017-18 from Outagamie County Board of Supervisors does support proposed legislation to allow a person, meeting certain requirements, to file a petition for expungement with the sentencing court after he or she completes their sentence
 - F. Resolution No. 2017-43 The Door County Board of Supervisors does support legislation to allow only aggrieved parties to petition for a recount to ensure tax payers are not responsible for any unnecessary recount costs, to allow the Wisconsin Elections Commission to be reimbursed for any costs incurred in a recount; extend the time to submit recount costs for 30 to 45 days; shorten the recount petition deadline by two days to ensure submission of Wisconsin's Electoral College votes; give the county board of canvassers an additional day to begin their recount.
 - G. Resolution No. 40-17 from Portage County requests the Governor, Legislature and Department of Workforce Development to come together to promulgate clear, fair rules regarding unemployment and seasonal workers.
 - H. Resolution No. 12-2017-18 from Outagamie County has already been adopted by that county
 - I. Resolution No. 17-7-6 from Wood County this resolution urges the Legislature to support Wisconsin's workers by opposing the repeal of Wisconsin's prevailing wage law because the skilled construction tradesmen and women working on our public infrastructure deserve to be paid a fair minimum wage. Wisconsin is already experiencing a worker shortage and skills gap. Repealing prevailing wage will only make the problem worse.
6. Adjournment