

RESOLUTION #14-2010

Resolution offered by Supervisors of the Forestry, Land, & Outdoor Recreation Committee.
Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wisconsin:

WHEREAS, the WI DNR established a wolf population goal of 350 animals in 1999, and nothing has changed to increase prey availability or decrease human density in the intervening years; and

WHEREAS, the WI DNR has not provided for meaningful wolf population control in any of its management efforts; and

WHEREAS, Oneida County residents have experienced depredation and threatening incidents involving wolves; and

WHEREAS, the high predator population, in particular wolves, has resulted in lower deer populations, reduced hunting opportunities, impacted livestock and pleasure horse activities, and subjects pets and people to potential wolf attacks.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Oneida County Board of Supervisors request the WI DNR to keep the wolf population goal for the State of Wisconsin at 350 or less in the next Wisconsin Wolf Plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Oneida County Board of Supervisors requests that the WI DNR and other partners to implement meaningful population controls in the next Wisconsin Wolf Plan to bring the wolf population down to the management goal; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Oneida County Clerk be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the WI DNR, Matthew Frank, Secretary of the WI DATCP, Rod Nilsistuen, 12th Senate District, Jim Holperin, 34th Assy. District, Dan Meyer, 35th Assy. District, Donald Friske, and Governor Jim Doyle.

Vote Required: Majority = _____ 2/3 Majority = _____ 3/4 Majority = _____

The County Board has the legal authority to adopt: Yes _____ No _____ as reviewed by the Corporation Counsel, _____, Date:

Approved by the Forestry, Land, & Outdoor Recreation Committee this 4th day of February , 2010.

Offered and passage moved by:

Supervisor

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_____ Ayes
_____ Nays
_____ Absent
_____ Abstain

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by the County Board of Supervisors this _____ day _____, 2010.

_____ Defeated

Robert Brusio, Clerk

Andrew P. Smith, County Board Chair