DODGE COUNTY

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-006 A RESOLUTION FOR TOWN BOARD TO PROPOSE EXCEEDING LEVY LIMITS

Whereas, the State of Wisconsin has adopted levy limits on town, village, city and county levies for 2019 and thereafter under §66.0602 of Wis. Statutes;

Whereas, §66.0602 if Wis. Statutes limits the allowable local levy for 2019 to a percentage increase of no more than the greater of (a) 0% of the 2019 payable 2020 adjusted actual levy as calculated under the state's levy limit law or (b) a percentage equal to the percent change in equalized value due to net new construction; which for the Town of Ashippun is 1.43 percent;

Whereas, the Town Board of the Town of Ashippun, Dodge County believes that for the 2019 tax levy (collected in 2020) it is in the town's best interest to exceed the state levy limit as described above by a greater percentage than 1.43.

Whereas, the Town of Ashippun 2019 payable 2020 adjusted actual levy is \$533,750; And further whereas the state law would limit the increase to \$7,633 for an allowable town tax levy of \$539,454 before adjustments, for 2019, collected in 2020. (The Town's allowable levy is further reduced by \$1,929.22 for 2020 Personal Property Aid.)

Now Therefore the Town Board of the Town of Ashippun, Dodge County does hereby resolve and order as follows:

- 1. The town board supports an increase in the town tax levy for 2019 that will exceeds the state levy limit.
- The town board directs that the question of increasing the town tax levy for 2019 (to be collected in 2020) by 37.07%, which would increase the town levy by \$200,000 for a total town tax levy of \$775,143 (after adjustments), shall be placed on the agenda for the special town meeting to be held on October 22, 2019.

Adopted this 12th day of September, 2019.

S/S

James H. Meyer, Town Chairman

Attest: <u>S/S</u>

Michelle Liesener, Town Clerk/Treasurer