

RESOLUTION NO 2017-3

ADOPTION OF THE
TOWN OF WASHINGTON COMMUNITY WILDFIRE PROTECTION PLAN

WHEREAS, the Healthy Forest Restoration Act of 2003 was created in order to reduce the threat of destructive wildfires while upholding environmental standards and encouraging early public input during review and planning processes, and

WHEREAS, The Town of Washington has been identified as being at high risk in the Wisconsin Communities-at-Risk Assessment, and

WHEREAS, a Community Wildfire Protection Plan should be developed in any community that is listed as an at risk community in a federal or state risk assessment, and

WHEREAS, The Town of Washington has worked cooperatively with other stakeholders to develop a Community Wildfire Protection Plan, and

WHEREAS, the intent of the plan is to help fire protection agencies, community leaders, natural resource professionals, and homeowners be better prepared for wildfire, and

WHEREAS, adoption of a Community Wildfire Protection Plan will earn priority consideration for funding hazardous fuels reduction projects carried out under the auspices of the Healthy Forest Restoration Act of 2003, and

WHEREAS, the Washington Board of Supervisors has reviewed the draft of the *Town of Washington Community Wildfire Protection Plan* and concurs with the final plan content.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Washington Board of Supervisors hereby adopts the *Town of Washington Community Wildfire Protection Plan*.

Dated this 6 day of March, 2017.

Resolution introduced and adoption moved by Keith Numrich

Motion for adoption seconded by Jim Egan

Voting Aye: 2 Nay: 0

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