Motion By:

Second By:

Dist.	Supervisor	Y	N	Abs
1	Bialecki			
2	Anderson-Malm			
3	McCrank			
4	Osness			
5	Wendorf			
6	Ashbeck			
7	Rusch			
8	Thiel			
9	Friske			
10	Boyd			
11	Detert			
12	DePasse			
13	Callahan			
14	Hafeman			
15	Lemke			
16	Loka			
17	Meunier			
18	Wickham			
19	Allen			
20	Cummings			
21	Simon			
22	Hartwig			
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Carried

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Amended

Voice vote

Roll call

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
) SS
COUNTY OF LINCOLN)

I hereby certify that this resolution/ordinance is a true and correct copy of a resolution/ordinance adopted by the Lincoln County Board of Supervisors on:

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Christopher J. Marlowe
Lincoln County Clerk

Resolution 2023-04-24

Resolution for an Advisory Referendum to Determine a Course of Action for the County Board to Pursue Concerning the Future of the Pine Crest Nursing Home

Whereas, the population of Lincoln County is increasingly older and living longer which may justify prioritizing the needs of that population, and

Whereas, the health care needs of older populations are more complicated, technical and labor and cost intensive than other groups, and

Whereas, the bulk of the senior age population in Lincoln County does not possess the financial resources that allow for them to access private long-term health care, and

Whereas, the bulk of the senior age population has lived in Lincoln County long enough to have contributed a significant amount of tax money to the public operations of the county, to wit: snow removal, road maintenance, child protective services, schools, waste disposal etc. etc. etc.,

And Whereas, the Pine Crest facility requires more proactive maintenance as well as a regular infusion of County financial resources than it has thus far received,

And Whereas, increasing the levy limit alone may be inequitable and insufficient for funding ongoing operations,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Lincoln County Board of Supervisors does resolve to hold a special referendum no later than August 31st, 2023 for the purpose of determining whether the people of Lincoln County desire to continue operating Pine Crest Nursing Home as a county nursing home or not and directs that the following advisory referendum question will be placed on the ballot:

Shall Lincoln County continue to seek solutions that may include ordinance fees, annual levy limit increases by individual referenda and budget re-alignments in order to continue operating Pine Crest as a county nursing home or not?

Dated: April 18, 2023

Authored by: Elizabeth McCrank, District 3
Co-Sponsored by: Julie Allen, District 19
Committee:
Committee Vote: Date Passed:

Fiscal Impact: None

Drafted by: Elizabeth McCrank