

2 **ORDINANCE:** Amend Chapter 13 of the General Code of Winnebago County

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TO THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

6 **WHEREAS**, it is well documented and widely recognized that nutrients and organic matter from mismanaged
7 or misapplied livestock waste contributes to water quality degradation in the surface and groundwater throughout
8 Wisconsin, including in Winnebago County; and

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10 **WHEREAS**, the degradation of the water resources in Winnebago County poses a threat to the environment,
11 health and economic welfare of the citizens of the county; and

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13 **WHEREAS**, the Winnebago County Land Conservation Committee and Land and Water Conservation
14 Department, in an effort to further protect the water resources of Winnebago County, must periodically revise and
15 update referenced State Statutes, technical standards, definitions, and other wording within the Winnebago County
16 Livestock Waste Management Ordinance (Chapter 13 of the Winnebago County General Code); and

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18 **WHEREAS**, the Winnebago County Land Conservation Committee and Land and Water Conservation
19 Department, in an effort to communicate the proposed changes and garner input from the constituents of Winnebago
20 County have conducted separate public hearings on the matter.

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22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT** by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County that effective January
23 1, 2017, Chapter 13 of the General Code of Winnebago County be amended to read as follows:

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25 **Please See the Attached Document**

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27 Respectfully submitted by:

28 **Land Conservation COMMITTEE**

29 Committee Vote: 7-0

30 Vote Required for Passage: Majority of Those Present

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32 Approved by the Winnebago County Executive this ____ day of _____, 2016.

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35 Mark L Harris
36 Winnebago County Executive