

**RESOLUTION: Oppose Assembly Bill 303 (AB303) and
Senate Bill 225 (SB225)**

TO THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill 303 (AB303) and Senate Bill 225 (SB225) propose significant changes to the State Comprehensive Planning Law; and

WHEREAS, said law would allow local governments to repeal previously adopted comprehensive plans, and allowing local communities to do so would cause fragmentation in regional plans and potentially devalue planning in nearby communities that desire to continue with their local plans as well as devalue the planning mandate process; and

WHEREAS, this legislation eliminates the necessity to address basic foundational elements that are currently required for comprehensive plans, such as housing, land use, transportation, environmental resources, economic activities, inter-governmental coordination, and agricultural resources; and

WHEREAS, said legislation would eliminate funding for future updating of comprehensive plans.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that it hereby expresses its opposition to AB303 and SB225.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors that it hereby directs the Winnebago County Clerk to transmit a copy of this Resolution to all legislators representing constituents within Winnebago County; to the Office of Governor Scott Walker; and to the Wisconsin Counties Association.

Submitted by:

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Committee Vote:

13-0

Vote Required for Passage:

Majority of Those Present

Approved by the Winnebago County Executive this _____ day of November, 2011.

Mark L Harris
Winnebago County Executive