

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The State of Wisconsin did adopt Wisconsin Budget Act 31, and

WHEREAS, this law contains a provision which allows school districts to pass a resolution for a proposed bond issue without calling for a binding referendum, and

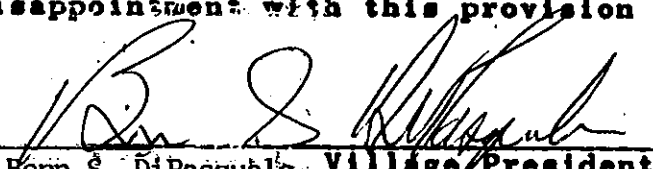
WHEREAS, this law further requires district residents who oppose the bonding issue to obtain either 7,500 signatures or signatures from 20% of the school district electors, whichever is least, and,

WHEREAS, this law allows citizens only fifteen (15) days to obtain the necessary signatures to successfully petition for a binding referendum on the bond issue,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Village of Oconomowoc Lake that we request the State Legislature to repeal or amend this provision of Wisconsin Budget Act 31, which prohibits even voluntary referenda for school districts unless the required petition is filed, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Oconomowoc Lake is opposed to any State legislation which does not allow the taxpayers of a school district the right to hold a binding referendum on a bond issue which will ultimately effect the citizens' property taxes, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Oconomowoc Lake is urging other Municipalities to take similar action expressing disappointment with this provision of Budget Act 31.


Bern S. DiPasquale, Village President

ATTEST:


June Perkins, Village Clerk

Dated January 15, 1990