

**RESOLUTION
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Public Safety and Justice Committee
INITIATED BY

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SUBMITTED BY



Jacki Gackstatter
DRAFTED BY

August 13, 2019
DATE DRAFTED

**Authorization to Contract with the Wisconsin Department of Revenue for the
Collection of Debt**

- 1 **WHEREAS**, the Rock County Clerk of Circuit Court collects court-ordered financial obligations and
- 2 has employed legal means to collect unpaid amounts; and,
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- 4 **WHEREAS**, the Clerk of Circuit Court for Rock County employs several methods of collection
- 5 including, but not limited to, payment plans, judgments and tax refund intercept; and,
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- 7 **WHEREAS**, §59.40(4), Wis. Stats., allows the Clerk of Circuit Court, if authorized by the County Board
- 8 under §59.52928), Wis. Stats., to contract with the Wisconsin Department of Revenue (DOR) for
- 9 collection of unpaid debt; and,
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- 11 **WHEREAS**, any agreement entered into with the DOR shall indicate that any collection fees incurred
- 12 by the DOR shall be in addition to the debt owed the Clerk of Circuit Court and charged by the DOR
- 13 directly to the debtor; and
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- 15 **WHEREAS**, the proceeds received by the Clerk of Circuit Court from the DOR shall be the entire
- 16 amount of debt collected for purposes of distribution;
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- 18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled
- 19 this 12th day of September, 2019 hereby authorizes the Clerk of Circuit Court to contract
- 20 with the DOR for the collection of unpaid debt pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE COMMITTEE

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FISCAL NOTE:

This resolution authorizes the Clerk of Circuit Court to contract with DOR for collection of debt. Collection fees incurred are paid by the debtor.



Sherry Oja
Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

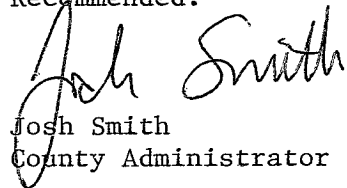
The County Board is authorized to take this action pursuant to secs. 59.01 and 59.51, Wis. Stats.



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ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.



Josh Smith
County Administrator