RESOLUTION ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Katherine Luster INITIATED BY

Human Service Board SUBMITTED BY



Jennifer Thompson DRAFTED BY

April 29, 2019 DATE DRAFTED

TO RECOGNIZE MAY 2019 AS AGING AND DISABILITY RESOURCE CENTER MONTH

WHEREAS, frail elders and people with disabilities wish to live and thrive independently in their communities; and,

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WHEREAS, frail elders and people with disabilities need support navigating the multiple programs, services and resources available to them; and,WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Rock County is an accessible and

friendly environment where frail elders and people with disabilities can obtain reliable and

objective information about services they need assistance with: and,

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WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Rock County staff speak with individuals confidentially; answering individual questions and providing one-on-one support to each customer; and,

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WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Rock County assists individuals to apply for needed public benefits such as Medical Assistance and Family Care; and,

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WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Rock County supports the community and those personally affected by Alzheimer's disease and other dementias; and,

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WHEREAS, the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Rock County provides advocacy to those who need a strong voice in obtaining financial benefits and who need assistance to reapply; and,

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WHEREAS, Aging and Disability Resource Centers are recognized by the State of Wisconsin as vital to the support of elderly and disabled adults in our community; and,

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WHEREAS, the Rock County Board of Supervisors, representing the citizens of Rock County, wishes to recognize May 2019 as Aging and Disability Resource Center month.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Clerk be authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this resolution to the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Rock County for their dedication to the well-being and independence of Rock County's older adults and adults with disabilities.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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