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AMENDING RESOLUTIONS 2-23 AND 41-19 ESTABLISHING UPDATED COMPENSATION FOR LAFAYETTE COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT SEASONAL EMPLOYEES

WHEREAS, at a meeting held on March 9, 2023, the Highway Committee discussed Summer help employees for the Highway Department and agreed to increase the starting rate from \$10.50 per hour to \$15.00 per hour; and

WHEREAS, at a meeting held on Friday, April 14, 2023, the Joint Finance Committee and Human Resources Committees, discussed that an increase in wages was needed to recruit and retain Summer seasonal employees for the Lafayette County Highway Department; and

WHEREAS, at the April 14, 2023 Joint Finance Committee and Human Resources Committee Meeting, it was voted to approve wage increases for the Summer seasonal employees; and

WHEREAS, the current hourly wage for Highway Department Summer seasonal employees, is \$10.50 per hour for first year employees (no county-wide increase) and \$11.50 per hour for second year and beyond employees (no county-wide increase); and

WHEREAS, the Joint Finance and Human Resources Committee, agreed to a start rate of \$15.00 per hour for the Highway Department Seasonal employees, following County Board approval; and

WHEREAS, at the March 14, 2024 Highway Committee meeting, it was voted to increase the pay of the Highway Department Summer seasonal employees from \$15.00 per hour to \$17.00 per hour in order to recruit and retain staff and to align with the rate of pay of the Fair seasonal employees; and

WHEREAS, at the March 25, 2024 Joint Finance Committee and Human Resources Committee meeting, it was voted upon and agreed to change the rate of pay for the Highway Department Summer seasonal employees from \$15.00 per hour to \$17.00 per hour in order to recruit and retain staff.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lafayette County Board of Supervisors, at the recommendation of the Joint Finance Committee and Human Resources Committees, do hereby approve the above change(s) effective the beginning of the first pay period following County Board approval.

Respectfully Submitted
Lafayette County Joint Finance Committee and Human Resources Committees

Scott Pedley, Chair of Figance

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Jack Sayer, County Board Chairman

FISCAL NOTE: Total fiscal impact will be approximately \$5,500 in wages and fringes. This was not

included in the 2024 Budget.

LEGAL NOTE: Within County Board authority.

I, Carla Jacobson, Clerk of the County of Lafayette, State of Wisconsin, do certify that this resolution was adopted by the Lafayette County Board of Supervisors' at a meeting held on

Carla Jacobson Lafayette County Clerk