

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-05
TOWN OF KEWASKUM, WASHINGTON COUNTY, WI

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING CONTINUED PARTICIPATION IN THE WASHINGTON
COUNTY COUNTYWIDE EMS SYSTEM PLANNING PROCESS AND AUTHORIZING
CONTINUED NEGOTIATIONS OF A COUNTYWIDE EMS SYSTEM SERVICE
PROVIDER AGREEMENT**

WHEREAS, Washington county is working with its municipalities to develop a Washington County Countywide EMS System pursuant to Wis. Stat. 256.12(2) for the purpose of administering, coordinating, and partially funding a countywide emergency medical services system; and

WHEREAS, Washington County has developed a draft Countywide EMS System Service Provider Agreement for consideration by participating municipalities and EMS providers; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Kewaskum has participated in discussions regarding the proposed Countywide EMS System and desires to remain engaged in the development and review of the proposed agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Kewaskum Town Board would like the maximum annual tax increase to not exceed 2 to 3 percent; and

WHEREAS, the Kewaskum Town Board would like the annual administrative fee to be funded outside the EMS levy; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board recognizes that additional review, discussion, and negotiation may occur before a final agreement is presented for consideration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Kewaskum supports the continuation of discussions with Washington County regarding the proposed Countywide EMS System and the continued development of a Countywide EMS System Service Provider Agreement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Board authorizes the Town Chairperson, Town Clerk and other Town Board members to continue reviewing, discussing, and negotiating the proposed Countywide EMS System Provider Agreement and related documents with Washington County.

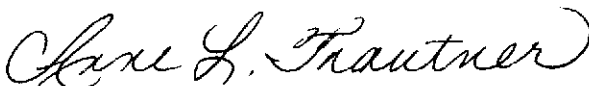
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that no final participation in the Washington County Countywide EMS System shall occur unless and until the final agreement is presented to and approved by the Town Board at a future meeting.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk shall transmit a copy of this Resolution to Washington County as notice that the Town of Kewaskum intends to continue participating in the review and negotiation process for the proposed Countywide EMS System.

Adopted this 28th day of July, 2026.


Scott J. Wollner, Kewaskum Town Chairperson

Attest:


Anne L. Trautner, Kewaskum Town Clerk