

1 **WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

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3 Date of enactment: 8/25/20
4 Date of publication: 8/25/20

5 **VOTE**

6 **2020 ORDINANCE 7**

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8 AN ORDINANCE to amend Article I – Executive, Section 70-3 relating to: Powers and Duties.

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10 *The people of the County of Washington, represented in the Board of Supervisors, do ordain*
11 *as follows:*

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13 **SECTION 1.** Section 70-3 of the code is amended to read:
14 **§ 70-3 Powers and duties.**

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16 In addition to the powers and duties set forth in § 59.17, Wis. Stats., the County Executive
17 shall exercise the following powers and duties:

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21 M. Committees Created by the County Executive.

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23 (1) Creation; Tenure; Abolition. Under the general powers of the office of the
24 County Executive, the County Executive may, by executive order, create committees in such
25 number and with such membership as desired, to conduct such studies and to advise the County
26 Executive in such matters as directed. Such committees are advisory to the County Executive
27 only and are not committees of the County Board. Persons appointed to a committee created by
28 the County Executive may be removed or replaced, or the committee may be abolished, by the
29 County Executive at pleasure. The County Executive shall keep a record of all appointments to, or
30 resignations or removals from, such committees. Persons appointed to such committees shall not
31 receive per diem compensation under §49-4(B) or (C).

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33 (2) Open Meetings. Meetings of committees established under this section are
34 subject to the requirements of Chapter 19 of the Wisconsin Statutes relating to open meetings and
35 public records.

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37 (3) Committees of the County Board. The County Executive does not have the
38 authority to create standing committees, special committees, or any other board or commission of
39 the County Board.

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41 **SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance shall become effective upon passage
42 by the Board of Supervisors, County Executive and publication as provided by law.

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44 **SECTION 3. SUMMARY.** Ordinance amendment allowing the County Executive to
45 create certain committees.
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VOTE REQUIREMENT FOR PASSAGE: Majority

Approved as to form:
(signed by Bradley S. Stern)
Bradley S. Stern, County Attorney
Dated 8/14/20

Approved:
(signed by Josh Schoemann)
Josh Schoemann, County Executive
Dated _____

Veto
 Partial Veto

Introduced by members of the EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE as filed with the County Clerk.

(signed by Donald A. Kriefall)
Donald A. Kriefall, Chairperson

Considered 8/12/20
Adopted 8/12/20
Ayes 26 Noes 0 Absent 0
Voice Vote _____

Countersigned:

Donald A. Kriefall, County Board Chairperson