ORDINANCE

SUBJECT: LA CROSSE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

COMMITTEE: PLANNING, RESOURCE AND DEVELOPMENT

FIRST CONSIDERATION: August 18, 2022

FINAL CONSIDERATION: September 15, 2022

ORDINANCE # 199 - 9/22 PUBLICATION DATE September 23, 2022

The County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County does ordain as follows:

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL AND RECREATE CHAPTER 31 “LA CROSSE COUNTY WISCONSIN COMPREHENSIVE PLAN” OF THE GENERAL CODE OF LA CROSSE COUNTY, WISCONSIN

ANALYSIS

- This ordinance is created pursuant to the state mandate set forth in Wis. Stat. S. 66.1001 that requires each local governmental unit to adopt, prepare or amend a comprehensive plan. For a county, a “comprehensive plan” means a development plan that is prepared or amended under Wis. Stat. S. 59.69(2) of (3).

INFORMATION:

County Board Rules: Governing Body s. 2.02(8) states, in part: Ordinances are drafted by the Corporation Counsel. After the ordinance has been reviewed by a standing committee, each Supervisor will be given a copy of the ordinance showing the deleted language (grayed) and the new language (underlined) and an analysis of the intent of the ordinance. After introduction to the County Board, the ordinance shall be referred to the next monthly meeting unless waived by a 2/3 vote of the Supervisors present and a public hearing may be held if requested by a Supervisor. An amendment may be introduced and debated at either the original or the referred meeting. Copies of the ordinances of the County of La Crosse in their entirety are available with Corporation Counsel, County Clerk, or www.co.la-crosse.wi.us/code/.

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The County Board of supervisors of the County of La Crosse does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 31 entitled “La Crosse County, Wisconsin Comprehensive Plan 2007-2027” is repealed and recreated to read:

CHAPTER 31
LA CROSSE COUNTY WISCONSIN COMPREHENSIVE PLAN 2022-2050

Subchapter 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS

31.01 Authority
31.02 Adoption
31.03 Incorporation and Availability
31.04 Implementation
31.05 Severability

31.01 Authority. Pursuant to s. 59.69(2) and (3), Wis. Stats., the County of La Crosse is required to prepare and adopt a comprehensive plan as provided in s. 66.1001, Wis. Stats.

31.02 Adoption. The La Crosse County Board of Supervisors, by enactment of this Ordinance, adopts the document entitled “La Crosse County, Envision 2050 (La Crosse County Wisconsin Comprehensive Plan 2022-2050)” including all maps and descriptive matters contained therein. A copy of the Comprehensive Plan is incorporated herein and is on file at the La Crosse County Clerk’s office.

31.03 Incorporation and Availability. The Plan designated in Section 31.02 and any future amendments thereto is incorporated herein as if fully set forth and shall be made available for inspection by the general public at the Office of the County Clerk, the Office of Zoning, Planning and Land Information, the county libraries and the county’s website.

31.04 Implementation. Future action of the Board is necessary to update other County Ordinances and County policies to implement recommendations of the Comprehensive Plan.

31.05 Severability. The provisions of this ordinance and the Comprehensive Plan are severable. If any part of this ordinance or the Comprehensive Plan is found to be invalid, unlawful, or unenforceable, that finding will not affect the validity, lawfulness, or enforceability of the remainder of this ordinance or the Comprehensive Plan, and the remainder of this ordinance and the Comprehensive Plan shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect the day after passage and publication as required by law.
STATE OF WISCONSIN
COUNTY OF LA CROSSE

I, Ginny Dankmeyer, County Clerk of La Crosse County do hereby certify that this document is a true and correct copy of the original ordinance required by law to be in my custody and which the County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County adopted at a meeting held on the 15th day of September 2022.

Ginny Dankmeyer, La Crosse County Clerk