

**ORDINANCE**

**SUBJECT:** CHAPTER 2.01 – COUNTY BOARD ORGANIZATION

**COMMITTEE:** EXECUTIVE

**FIRST CONSIDERATION:** rules suspended to act at first consideration

**FINAL CONSIDERATION:** May 16, 2024

**ORDINANCE #** 213 – 5/24 **PUBLICATION DATE** May 23, 2024

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

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 2.01 (COUNTY BOARD ORGANIZATION) OF  
THE GENERAL CODE OF LA CROSSE COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

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**ANALYSIS**

This amendment changes the district boundaries in supervisory districts 1, 8 and 23. These changes are made to be consistent with the City of La Crosse due to changes in the State Assembly Districts and the Village of Holmen due to the addition of a ward following annexation. There were also changes to City of La Crosse ward boundaries in Supervisory districts 2, 3 and 6 but those changes did not require amendment to County Ordinance. For more detail, see attached map.

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**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/](http://www.co.la-crosse.wi.us/code/).

(rev. 3/03)

**ORDINANCE # 213 - 5/24**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 2 ("GOVERNING BODY")  
OF THE GENERAL CODE OF LA CROSSE COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

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

**Section 1.** Chapter 2, "Governing Body", is amended to read:

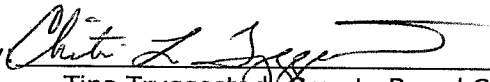
**2.01 COUNTY BOARD ORGANIZATION.**

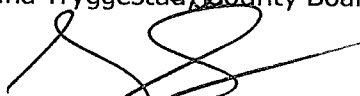
- (1) *Governing Body.* The governing body of La Crosse County shall be known as the "La Crosse County Board of Supervisors". The County Board shall be composed of 30 Supervisors with 1 Supervisor to be elected from each of the 30 Supervisory districts.
- (2) *Self Organized.* Pursuant to s. 59.10(1), Wis. Stats., La Crosse County hereby elects to become a self-organized county as that term is used in law.
- (3) *Supervisory Districts.* The County Board adopts the "La Crosse County Final Supervisory District Plan" that creates 30 supervisory districts and is illustrated by a certified map of the same title that shall be permanently on file with the County Clerk. The Supervisory Districts of La Crosse County shall be numbered and bound as follows:
  1. FIRST SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 1, 2 and 27.
  2. SECOND SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 3 and 4.
  3. THIRD SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 5 and 6.
  4. FOURTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 7 and 8.
  5. FIFTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 9 and 10.
  6. SIXTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 11 and 12.
  7. SEVENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 17 and 18.
  8. EIGHTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 15, 16 and 28.
  9. NINTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse - Wards 13 and 14.

10. TENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse – Wards 19 and 20.
11. ELEVENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse – Wards 21 and 22.
12. TWELFTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse – Wards 23 and 24.
13. THIRTEENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of La Crosse – Wards 25 and 26.
14. FOURTEENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Campbell – Wards 2, 3, 4, and 5.
15. FIFTEENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Onalaska – Ward 5; and City of Onalaska –  
Wards 1, 4, and 6.
16. SIXTEENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of Onalaska – Wards 5, 7, and 8.
17. SEVENTEENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of Onalaska – Wards 9, 10, and 11.
18. EIGHTEENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of Onalaska – Wards 12, 13, and 14;  
and Town of Medary – Ward 1
19. NINETEENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
City of Onalaska – Wards 2, 3, and 15; and  
Town of Onalaska – Ward 4.
20. TWENTIETH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Village of Holmen – Wards 9, 10, and 11;  
and Town of Onalaska – Ward 2 and 3.
21. TWENTY-FIRST SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Campbell – Ward 1; and Village of  
Holmen – Ward 12; and Town of Onalaska  
– Wards 6, 7, and 8; and Town of Holland –  
Ward 1.
22. TWENTY-SECOND SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Village of Holmen – Wards 2, 3, 4, and 5.
23. TWENTY-THIRD SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Village of Holmen – Ward 1 and 13; and Town of Holland –  
Wards 2, 3, and 4.
24. TWENTY-FOURTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Onalaska – Ward 1; and Village of Holmen –  
Wards 6, 7, and 8; and Town of Hamilton – Ward 1.

- 25. TWENTY-FIFTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Farmington – Wards 1, 2, and 3; and Town of Holland – Ward 5; and Town of Hamilton – Ward 3; and Town of Burns – Ward 1.
  - 26. TWENTY-SIXTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Village of West Salem – Wards 1, 2, 3, and 4
  - 27. TWENTY-SEVENTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Bangor – Ward 1; and Town of Burns – Ward 2; and Town of Hamilton – Ward 4; and Town of Washington – Ward 1; and Village of Bangor – Wards 1 and 2; and Village of Rockland – Ward 1.
  - 28. TWENTY-EIGHTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Village of West Salem – Wards 5, 6, and 7; and Town of Barre – Ward 1; and Town of Hamilton – Wards 2 and 5; and Town of Medary – Wards 2 and 3.
  - 29. TWENTY-NINTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Barre – Ward 2; and Town of Greenfield – Wards 1, 2, and 3; and Town of Shelby – Ward 4.
  - 30. THIRTIETH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT  
Town of Shelby – Wards 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6.
- (4) *Orientation of Supervisors.* The County Clerk, County Administrator, Auditor/Finance Director, Human Resources Director, and Corporation Counsel shall conduct a program for all elected Supervisors prior to the April organizational meeting of the election year.
  - (5) *Compensation.* Compensation of Supervisors shall be as set forth in La Crosse County resolutions regulating such compensation.

LA CROSSE COUNTY

By:   
Tina Tryggestad, County Board Chair

By:   
Ginny Dankmeyer, County Clerk

PASSED: May 16, 2024  
PUBLISHED: May 23, 2024

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 16<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024.

  
Ginny Dankmeyer, La Crosse County Clerk