

July 19, 2016

RESIGNATION ANNOUNCEMENT

In an e-mail to County Supervisors on Saturday, July 16, Sauk County Board Chairperson Marty Krueger announced that he had received the resignation of District 11 Supervisor Joseph Fish, effective immediately.

In his note, Supr. Fish said he was resigning "because of ongoing health problems." Fish has represented the Town of Excelsior (Wards 1 & 2), the Town of Reedsburg (Ward 3), and Village of Rock Springs on the County Board since being elected in April, 2012. Fish was re-elected to a third term this past April. Joe offered "it's been a pleasure to serve the people of Sauk County."

Supervisor Fish served on the Conservation, Planning & Zoning Committee; Finance Committee; Highway & Parks Committee; and, Sauk County Health Care Center Board of Trustees. The appointee to fill his unexpired term will pick up those same assignments.

Rule IV (D) of the Board of Supervisors provides that *"if a vacancy occurs on the Board, the Chair is authorized to appoint a qualified elector of the supervisory district wherein the vacancy occurs to fill the unexpired term. Such appointment shall be subject to the approval of the Board at the next regular Board meeting following the appointment."*

Qualified electors can express their interest in filling the remainder of Supr. Fish's term (ends April 16, 2018) by contacting County Board Chairperson Marty Krueger at 355-3500 (office) or 963-3565 (cell), or by e-mail at mkrueger@co.sauk.wi.us. Persons with interest in filling the vacancy or questions related to it should contact the Chairperson by Monday, August 1, at which time interviews will be scheduled for all prospective candidates. Krueger hopes to have an appointee for the Board to consider at their August 16 meeting.