

RESOLUTION CREATING ORDINANCE PROHIBITING TRESPASS IN THE "WILD RIVER AREA"

The County Board of Supervisors of the County of Polk do hereby ordain as follows:

Section I. Trespassing in certain areas prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person, other than authorized personnel, to enter onto or remain on any lands which are controlled by Polk County pursuant to the terms of a lease and agreement with Northern States Power Company. Said lands are more specifically described as follows:

All lands lying West and South of the River Road and between the River Road and the normal high water mark of the East bank of the St. Croix River located in Section One (1), Six (6) and Seven (7), of the Town of St. Croix Falls, and in Sections Nine (9), Sixteen (16), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-six (26), and Thirty-five (35), in the Town of Eureka. In addition, all of Section Nine (9), Town of Eureka lying East of the River Road, except the East Half of the Northeast Quarter ($E\frac{1}{2}$ of $NE\frac{1}{4}$) and East Half of the Southeast Quarter ($E\frac{1}{2}$ of $SE\frac{1}{4}$) of said Section Nine (9). Also those portions of the North Half ($N\frac{1}{2}$) of Section Sixteen (16) of the Town of Eureka, lying East of the River Road except for the East Half of the Northeast Quarter ($E\frac{1}{2}$ of $NE\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Sixteen (16), and the East Half of the Southeast Quarter ($E\frac{1}{2}$ of $SE\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Sixteen (16) of the town of Eureka.

Section II. Penalties. Any person who shall violate this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be subject only to a monetary forfeiture in an amount of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$200.00 together with the costs of prosecution or in the event of default of payment of said forfeiture and costs, imprisonment in the County Jail until said forfeiture and costs are paid but not to exceed 90 days.

Section III. Enforcement. The Sheriff or any Deputy Sheriff may commence a forfeiture action by the issuance of a citation or a complaint any may accept a signed stipulation of guilt or no contest and the bond therefor in accordance with the bond schedule adopted by the Polk County Court. Any other person may commence a forfeiture action pursuant to this ordinance by signing a complaint in the Office of the District Attorney for Polk County.

Section IV. Forfeitures. Forfeitures collected pursuant to this ordinance shall be placed in the Polk County General Fund.

Section V. Provisions Severable. The provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed severable. If any provision of this ordinance is found invalid by reason of non-conformity with the laws from the United States or the State of Wisconsin or the Constitutions of the United States or the State of Wisconsin such defects shall not affect the validity of any other provision in this ordinance.

Section VI. This ordinance shall take effect upon passage of publication according to law.

This ordinance was introduced at the request of the Polk County Public Protection Committee.

Committee on Committees
Irving M. Jensen
Carl McCurdy

Moved by Sup. Marschall and seconded by Sup. Bergstrand to adopt Res. 16. Moved by Sup. Mickelson and seconded by Sup. Vollert to amend Res. 17 according to D. A. recommendation to add line 3 of description paragraph - Sec. 1 & 2 Range 19W Town of St. Croix Falls. Motion carried by voice vote. Res. 16 adopted as amended by a unanimous voice vote.