

**RESOLUTION NO. 4-0924**

**TO THE HONORABLE IOWA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:**

**WHEREAS**, the Iowa County General Government Committee has evaluated the Wisconsin Public Employers Group (ETF) Health Insurance premium rate scheduled to be implemented January 1, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, current law states that local governments such as Iowa County who subscribe to the ETF health insurance plan are prohibited from paying more than 88% of the average cost of their respective qualified ETF plans, which began with premiums from January 2012 coverage forward; and

**WHEREAS**, Iowa County must comply with the requirements of current law based upon an average cost assessment, while at the same time providing reasonably-priced health insurance coverage with multiple options to qualified employees; and

**WHEREAS**, with the recognition that the average cost of the qualified Iowa County ETF plans presents a mandated solution that must consider equity in the contributions toward health care options across all plans.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Committee recommends for fiscal year 2025 premiums, Iowa County as employer will pay the equivalent of 75% of the average cost of the qualifying ETF Local Deductible plan(s) (without dental) in the County toward the cost of the ETF family or single plan selected by the employee.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this resolution applies to all staff except for the Sheriff's Office employees covered under the Collective Bargaining Agreement and Sheriff's Office management staff (Sheriff, Chief Deputy and Lieutenant).


Respectfully submitted by the Iowa County General Government Committee:

Dated this 15th day of September 2024.

Adopted this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024.

  
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John M. Meyers  
Iowa County Chairman

ATTEST:

  
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Kristy K. Spurley  
Iowa County Clerk