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Re: Pending Rule Petition 17-02, Judicial Education for Municipal Judges

Justices of the Supreme Court:

I am writing to confirm that, at our March 16, 2017 meeting in Green Bay, the Wisconsin Municipal Judges Association voted to support Rule Petition 17-02. The petition would make no significant changes to the educational requirements themselves, which have been in place for a number of years, but would rather clarify the deadlines and reporting periods. Our membership overwhelmingly believes that the proposal will greatly reduce confusion among our members about what is due and when.

We appreciate Manager Todd Meurer's efforts in filing and pursuing the petition and thank the Office of Judicial Education and the Supreme Court in their continued support of municipal courts.

If you have any questions about this or any other issue affecting Wisconsin's municipal courts, please do not hesitate to contact me at (608)846-6782 or by email at hansonj@vi.deforest.wi.us.

Sincerely,

Jason Hanson
President, Wisconsin Municipal Judges Association
Municipal Judge, Villages of DeForest and Windsor