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Clerk of the Wisconsin Supreme Court
110 East Main Street, Suite 215
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Madison, WI 53701-1688

RE: Petition 21-03 Location of the Court

Dear Honorable Justices,

On December 3, 2021, the State Bar of Wisconsin's Board of Governors (BOG) voted unanimously to support petition 21-03 related to the location of the court. The Board appreciated the briefing provided by Court Legal Advisor Beth Barroiht on the proposed changes.

Throughout 2020 and 2021, judges and attorneys alike have adapted to the challenges brought on by the pandemic. Convening the courts under these unusual circumstances showed that courts should be prepared to adapt to other foreseen and unforeseen future scenarios, to have a lasting and least disruptive effect on the justice system. The Board of Governors believes the provisions of petition 21-03 provides the guidance necessary to utilize these alternative methods of holding court proceedings into the future.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Executive Director Larry Martin or Advocacy and Access to Justice Director Lisa Roys.

Sincerely,

Cheryl Furstace Daniels, President

State Bar of Wisconsin