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Wisconsin Supreme Court
110 E. Main Street, Suite 440
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Re: Rule Petition 21-06 Amendment of SCR Chapter 68 Relating to Court
Security, Facilities, and Staffing

Honorable Justices of the Wisconsin Supreme Court:

I write in full support of Rule Petition 21-06. Bayfield County went through a major courtroom remodel in 2007 and the previous Supreme Court Rules pertaining to security and facilities proved very helpful in our efforts to plan for a more secure and technology ready facility.

Technology involving video conferencing and courtroom presentation of digital evidence (which now constitutes the majority of the non-testamentary evidence presented at most trials) is a necessary component to the work of trial attorneys and the courts. Periodic review of issues pertaining to security and technology in the courts is probably necessary in a world with ever-changing technologies and increased threats to the judiciary, our staff and our facilities. Also, collecting information and data on the needs and threats is vital for future planning.

This petition accomplishes a needed update and I would encourage its approval.

Respectfully Submitted,

Hon. John P. Anderson
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cc: Hon. Michael Bohren