

STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition of

FORT ATKINSON FEDERATION OF TEACHERS

For a Referendum to Determine the
Continuation of a Fair-Share Agree-
ment between

FORT ATKINSON JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NO. 6, and

FORT ATKINSON EDUCATION ASSOCIATION,
INC.,

Case IX
No. 18255 MR(C)-37
Decision No. 13034

CERTIFICATION OF RESULTS OF REFERENDUM

Pursuant to a Direction of Referendum previously issued, the Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission conducted a referendum among certain employees of Fort Atkinson Joint School District No. 6. The purpose of the referendum was to determine whether the required number of the employees employed in the collective bargaining unit set forth in the Commission's Direction favored the continuation of a "fair-share" agreement between Fort Atkinson Joint School District No. 6 and Fort Atkinson Education Association, Inc.

The result of the referendum was as follows:

1. Total number eligible to vote..... 176
2. Total ballots cast..... 135
3. Total valid ballots counted..... 135
4. Ballots cast in favor of the continuation of
the Fair-Share Agreement..... 111
5. Ballots cast against the continuation of
the Fair-Share Agreement..... 24

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of and pursuant to the power vested in the Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission by Section 111.70(1)(h) and (2), Wisconsin Statutes,

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the required number of the employees employed in the collective bargaining unit consisting of all regular full-time and regular part-time certificated teaching personnel in the employ of Fort Atkinson Joint School District No. 6, including Guidance Counselors, Librarians, Speech Correctionists, Teaching Principals, but excluding Superintendent, supervisors and all other employees, voted in favor of the continuation of the "fair-share" agreement between the Municipal Employer and Fort Atkinson Education Association, Inc.

Given under our hands and seal at the
City of Madison, Wisconsin, this 5th
day of November, 1974.

WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

By

Morris Slavney
Morris Slavney, Chairman

Zel S. Rice II
Zel S. Rice II, Commissioner

Howard S. Bellman

MEMORANDUM ACCOMPANYING
CERTIFICATION OF RESULTS OF REFERENDUM

At the polling in this matter, representatives of the Petitioner, Fort Atkinson Federation of Teachers, and the incumbent labor organization, Fort Atkinson Education Association, Inc., asserted to the Commission's agents that there was an agreement underlying this proceeding to the effect that individuals who did not appear to vote would be counted as having voted in favor of the discontinuation of the "fair-share" agreement. 1/ Erroneously, said agents of the Commission reflected this alleged agreement on the tally sheet that they issued to the parties immediately following the polling. However, the tally reflected in this Certification is corrected to not reflect the aforesaid alleged agreement. Referenda regarding the continuation of "fair-share" agreements are conducted pursuant to Section 111.70(2) of the Municipal Employment Relations Act and the appropriate regulations of the Commission, and not in accordance with agreements of the parties thereto that would, as in the instant case, conflict with such statutory provisions and regulations.

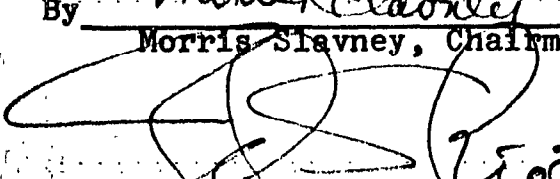
It should be noted that this revision of the tally does not change the results of the polling.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 5th day of November, 1974.

WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

By


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1/ Forty-one employees did not present themselves to vote, and in any event, were the Commission to include said 41 in the final tally, such inclusion would not have affected the final results.