

## SUPPORT FOR LINDA HILKER

- Whereas, Linda Hilker, a retired Department of Revenue employee, has provided hundreds of hours of service to WPEC, including as a steward, a bargaining support committee member, and other volunteer roles; and,
- Whereas, she was an early supporter in the Recall Walker campaign and designed, printed, and gave away Recall Walker bumper stickers, and,
- Whereas, Linda's adult daughter, Hillary Knobloch, suffered a serious stroke in December, 2014, which required nearly ten months in a brain rehabilitation facility with only one month's coverage by her employer's insurer, Unity, and,
- Whereas, Linda and her husband stepped in to pay for treatment and now have a \$190,000 medical bill, therefore, be it
- Resolved, that WPEC donate \$100 to Linda Hilker; and be it further
- Resolved, that WPEC will include a notification in each of its communication platforms with members and retirees, encouraging those with Facebook accounts to make appropriate personal donations to Linda's Go Fund Me account, and to include mention of this Go Fund Me account on their Facebook pages; and be it further
- Resolved, that WPEC request that AFT-Wisconsin and the South Central Federation of Labor do likewise.

Submitted by District 8 (Associate Members)