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## **Rhineland Attorney John Hogan Confirmed to Serve on State Public Defender Board**

(Madison) Rhineland Attorney John Hogan was confirmed today by the State Senate to serve on the State Public Defender Board. The Senate vote was unanimous with 32 ayes. Attorney Hogan, nominated to the post by Governor Walker, will serve a term ending May 1, 2014.

The appointment and confirmation continue Attorney Hogan's long-time tenure on the State Public Defender Board. He has served on the Board since 1996.

The nine-member Public Defender Board provides oversight of the State Public Defender, the independent, executive-branch state agency that ensures Wisconsin meets its constitutional obligations regarding legal representation of the indigent. Members of the Board serve as volunteers, without compensation.

Attorney Hogan of the Hogan Law Office specializes in trial practice in the Rhineland and Minoqua area. He served as Oneida County's District Attorney from 1979 to 1985.

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