## **U.S. Constitution Amendment Resolution**

WHEREAS <u>Unitarian Church North</u> affirms and promotes the Seven Principles, and live our faith by living our principles, and

WHEREAS the Fifth Principle is "the right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large,"

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the <u>Unitarian Church North</u> in Mequon, Wisconsin stands with the United to Amend campaign and communities across the country to defend democracy from the corrupting effects of undue corporate power by amending the United States Constitution to establish that:

- 1. Only human beings, not corporations, unions, or other entities are endowed with Constitutional rights, and
- 2. Money is not speech, and therefore regulating political contributions and spending is not equivalent to limiting political speech.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the <u>Unitarian Church North</u> in Mequon, Wisconsin hereby joins with other organizations statewide and nationally to instruct our state and federal representatives to enact resolutions and legislation to advance this effort.

RESOLUTION APPROVED by LEADERSHIP: on 22 October 2020

RESOLUTION APPROVED by CONGREGATION on 10 January 2021

MOTION: Kristin Gasser

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AYES: 59

NAYS: 2

ABSTENTIONS: 0

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