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### *CRG Network Endorses Affiliate Plan for Alternate Strategy to Remove Doyle from Office*

Based on advice from CRG Network, Wisconsin affiliate Wisconsinites Interests Now (WIN) has suspended its Doyle Recall Exploratory operations in preparation for a new strategy focused on removing Jim Doyle from office at the next general election in November, 2010. Details are to be announced in an upcoming press conference and news release.

The decision to develop an alternate strategy was based on the following dynamics.

- The recall was largely predicated on the analysis and opinion that Doyle's ratings would bottom out in the next six months and likely rebound by November of 2010. The latest analysis, which considers recent events and input from the 6000 volunteers and organizers recruited since WIN's inception, suggests that Doyle's rating will continue to fall making the November 2010 general election a superior time frame to poll the electorate.
- The recall exploratory effort has met with media censorship and, in several instances, a media "brown-out" that has impeded dissemination of information to interested parties throughout the state. While recruiting efforts continue at a healthy pace of 300 to 500 persons per week accomplished almost exclusively by word of mouth, projections show that the effort will not reach full strength until at least a month after the original plan date.
- WIN publicized a self-imposed goal of recruiting 10,000 volunteer circulators by September 1, 2009 as part of a strategy to recall Doyle one full year ahead of the end of his current term. This recruiting goal would have doubtlessly been achieved but not within a time frame that would remove Doyle within the one year goal. Although a significant number of volunteers remain passionate about proceeding with a recall effort, WIN feels compelled to hold to the same standard it sets for politicians – do not lie to your constituents about your plans!

CRG Network spokesperson Chris Kliesmet commented, "What WIN accomplished with little money and an often reluctant and occasionally suppressive media is extraordinary. For a fledgling group with no previous political organizing experience to attract 6000 volunteers from across all 72 Wisconsin counties bodes well for conservative grassroots action. That experience will make WIN a force to be reckoned with in the upcoming election. CRG also realizes this was a difficult decision certain to disappoint many of WIN's supporters. We urge them all to stay involved remembering the real goal is to remove Doyle by any means. Understand WIN must keep the promises they made at the outset or they are no better than the proven prevaricator they seek to replace.

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