TOWN OF GRANT RESOLUTION NUMBER: 2020-01

RESOLUTION REGARDING RESCINDING OF ORDINANCE 2020-01 ESTABLISHING APPOINTMENT OF TOWN CLERK AND TOWN TREASURER

WHEREAS, Wis. Stats. Sec. 60.10(2) broadly provides authority to a Town Meeting to direct the Town Board to a stated action, as set forth in the whole of this **RESOLUTION**;

WHEREAS, for 150 years, with only a few years exception, Town of Grant electors have been <u>voting</u> for Town Clerk and Town Treasurer;

WHEREAS, on June 10, 2020, Town of Grant Board of Supervisors Chairman Chris Kruger and Supervisor Dale Winkler voted to approve Ordinance 2020-01 thereby disenfranchising 1,240 registered voters in the Town of Grant from exercising their privileges to elect a Town Clerk and a Town Treasurer;

WHEREAS, pursuant to passage of a Referendum associated with this Ordinance two, or a maximum of three Town of Grant Board of Supervisors will appoint a Town Clerk and a Town Treasurer, thereby eliminating more than 99% of the voting public;

WHEREAS, recent events have underscored the need to have a Town Clerk and Town Treasurer who are elected directly by the people, as an important and efficient "check and balance" on the potential side-stepping of law, policies, impartiality, and Town procedures that will be compromised if the June Ordinance is allowed to stand.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town of Grant Board of Supervisors, by its designated members, shall hereby rescind Ordinance 2020-01 at the August 12, 2020 Board meeting or at any time prior to August 24, 2020. Failure to do so prior to the last date may result in legal action.

THIS RESOLUTION by a <u>25</u> to <u>4</u> hand vote is adopted at the Town of Grant Annual Meeting of the Electors on July 21, 2020, to be effective the same date.

Attested to and entered into the minutes by: Vicky Zimmerman, Town of Grant Clerk, Portage County, Wisconsin.

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