

**RESOLUTION NO. 2026-031**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING STATE OF MINNESOTA JOINT POWERS AGREEMENTS WITH THE CITY OF BAXTER ON BEHALF OF ITS POLICE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, the City of Baxter on behalf of its Police Department desires to enter into Joint Powers Agreements with the State of Minnesota, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Apprehension to use systems and tools available over the State’s criminal justice data communications network for which the City is eligible. The Joint Powers Agreements further provide the City with the ability to add, modify and delete connectivity, systems and tools over the five year life of the agreement and obligates the City to pay the costs for the network connection.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Baxter, Minnesota as follows:

1. That the State of Minnesota Joint Powers Agreements by and between the State of Minnesota acting through its Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Apprehension and the City of Baxter on behalf of its Police Department, are hereby approved.
2. That the Chief of Police, Matthew Maier, or his or her successor, is designated the Authorized Representative for the Police Department. The Authorized Representative is also authorized to sign any subsequent amendment or agreement that may be required by the State of Minnesota to maintain the City’s connection to the systems and tools offered by the State.
3. That Darrel Olson, the Mayor for the City of Baxter, and Kelly Steele, the City Clerk, are authorized to sign the State of Minnesota Joint Powers Agreements.

Passed and Adopted by the Council on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 2026.

CITY OF BAXTER

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By: Darrel Olson  
Its Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
By: Kelly Steele  
Its City Clerk