

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS MEMORANDUM

Date: August 7, 2025

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Frank Schulte, City Administrator

Subject: Retention of Labor Services

I have been informed by Gouri Sashital from Keller Thoma, P.C., the city's labor attorney, that she is leaving the firm. As a result, the firm will no longer be providing labor law services.

Administration has reached out to Rosati, Schultz, Joppich, and Amtsbuechler inquiring if their firm provides labor law services and they do. Attached is a *Retention for Labor Service* for from founding and managing shareholder, Carol Rosati, advising that they can provide these services at a rate of \$165 per hour.

Administration recommends to city council to transition labor services from Keller, Thoma P.C. to Rosati, Schultz, Joppich, and Amtsbuechler at a rate of \$165.00 per hour, which is consistent with the current letter of agreement dated November 11, 2020 and the subsequent changes since then (no mileage reimbursement/\$165.00 per hour).

Attachment

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August 5, 2025

Frank Schulte, City Administrator City of Grosse Pointe Woods 20025 Mack Plaza Drive Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236

RE: Retention for Labor Services

Dear Mr. Schulte:

Our law firm would be pleased to provide labor and employment services for the City of Grosse Pointe Woods moving forward. The terms of service will be consistent with our current letter agreement, dated November 11, 2020, and subsequent modifications since then, i.e. no mileage reimbursement and the hourly rate is \$165.00.

We look forward to providing these additional services to the City if the City Council approves. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact either Debbie or myself.

Very truly yours,

ROSATI SCHULTZ JOPPICH & AMTSBUECHLER PC

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ce: Susan Como, Assistant City Administrator

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