

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-

**A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE BULLETIN JOURNAL AS
THE NEWSPAPER FOR OFFICIAL PUBLICATIONS; WITHIN
THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, BUCHANAN COUNTY, IOWA.**

WHEREAS, official publications required by the Independence Code of Ordinances and the Code of Iowa must be published in a newspaper that is published at least once weekly and has a general circulation in the City; and

WHEREAS, Section 618.3 of the Code of Iowa sets forth the following criteria that must be met for a newspaper to be used for official publication purposes:

1. Is a newspaper of general circulation that has been published at least once a week for at least fifty weeks per year within the area and regularly mailed through the post office of entry for at least two years.
2. Has a list of subscribers who have paid, or promised to pay, at more than a nominal rate, for copies to be received during a stated period.
3. Devotes at least twenty-five percent of its total column space in more than one-half of its issues during any twelve-month period to information of a public character other than advertising.
4. Is paid for by at least fifty percent of the persons or subscribers to whom it is distributed.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, BUCHANAN COUNTY, IOWA, met in City Hall Council Chambers on January 12, 2026, at 5:30 p.m. and by majority vote approved the Bulletin Journal as being designated as the primary newspaper for the listing of all legal publications for the calendar year beginning January 2026.

RESOLUTION NO. 2026- was passed and approved by a majority vote of the City Council of Independence, Iowa, on the 12th day of January 2026.

Record of Voting:

Ayes:

Nays:

Absent:

RESOLUTION NO. 2026- declared passed and adopted by the Mayor on this 12th day of January 2026.

Brad Bleichner, Mayor of the City of Independence, Iowa

ATTEST:

Susi Lampe, CMC, IaCMC, IaCFO,
Assistant City Manager/City Clerk/Treasurer of the City of Independence, IA