

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_-2025

RESOLUTION PROVIDING NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILL COUNCIL MEMBER WARD FOUR POSITION BY APPOINTMENT

WHEREAS, the city of Oelwein lost a dedicated city council member, Dave Garrigus, on Friday, January 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the city council has 60 days to appoint a council member for a vacant seat; and

WHEREAS, the city council of the City of Oelwein, Iowa has determined it to be in the best interest of the city to fill the city council member ward four vacancy by appointment in accordance with Iowa Code Section 372.13(2)(a). The City Clerk is authorized and directed to publish a Notice of Intent to Appoint in the time and in the manner as required by law; and

WHEREAS, the following notice shall be published:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the city council of the City of Oelwein, Iowa intends to fill the vacancy, created by the death of Dave Garrigus on January 31, 2025, by appointment of city council member ward four at the Oelwein City Council meeting to be held on the 24th day of February 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers, 20 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. SW, Oelwein, Iowa

YOU ARE FURTHER AND SPECIFICALLY NOTIFIED that the city council intends to appoint Renee A. Cantrell

YOU ARE FURTHER AND SPECIFICALLY NOTIFIED that the electors of the City have the right to file a petition requiring that the vacancy be filled by special election, by the filing of a petition in accordance with Iowa Code Section 372.13(2)(a) within fourteen days after publication of this Notice or within fourteen days after the appointment is made by the City Council, whichever is later.

YOU ARE FURTHER AND SPECIFICALLY NOTIFIED that upon the appointment of the city council member ward four by the City Council, the appointed council member ward four shall serve for the period for the period until the next regular city election described in section Iowa Code §376.1, currently scheduled for November, 2025, unless there is an intervening special election, in which event the election for the office shall be placed on the ballot at such special election or unless a petition is filed with the City Clerk within fourteen (14) days of the date of an appointment demanding a special election, in which case the person appointed would serve until the results of the special election are canvassed and official.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa provides a Notice of intent to fill Council Member Ward Four position by appointment.

Passed and approved this 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025.

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Brett DeVore, Mayor

It was moved by \_\_\_\_\_ and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ that the  
Resolution as read be adopted, and upon roll call there were:

AYES      NAYS      ABSENT      ABSTAIN

Ricchio  
Weber  
Lenz  
Seeders  
Payne

Attest:

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Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator

Recorded February 11, 2025.