## RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE CITY OF WATERTOWN 2025-2030 PARKS AND OPEN SPACES PLAN

## SPONSOR: ALDERPERSON LAMPE FROM: PARKS, RECREATION, AND FORESTRY COMMISSION

**WHEREAS**, the City of Watertown recognizes the importance of parks, trails, natural areas, and open spaces in promoting public health, enhancing quality of life, protecting natural resources, and fostering economic vitality; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City of Watertown Parks and Open Spaces Plan ("The Plan") has been developed to guide the preservation, development, improvement, and maintenance of the City's parks system, recreational facilities, and open space network for the next five years; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Plan will serve as a guide for future decisions related to expansion and development and thoroughly reviewed at the regular meeting of the Parks, Recreation, and Forestry Commission; and,

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATERTOWN, WISCONSIN:

That the proper City Officials hereby authorize to adopt the 2025 Parks and Open Spaces Plan for the City of Watertown; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council does hereby request the Department of Natural Resources to make the community eligible for participation in LAWCON, ORAP, and all other grant programs.

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	YES	NO	
DAVIS			ADOPTED <u>August 19, 2025</u>
LAMPE			
BERG			
BARTZ			CITY CLERK
BLANKE			
SMITH			APPROVED August 19, 2025
ARNETT			
WETZEL			
MOLDENHAUER			MAYOR
MAYOR STOCKS			
TOTAL			