## RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE AMENDMENT TO THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF WATERTOWN AND LABOR ASSOCATION OF WISCONSIN (POLICE OFFICERS)

SPONSOR: MAYOR MCFARLAND FROM: FINANCE COMMITTEE

**WHEREAS**, the City and the Labor Association of Wisconsin (LAW) entered into a collective bargaining agreement, which expires on December 31, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, the City and the Labor Association of Wisconsin (LAW) desire to modify certain provisions of said Agreement; and,

WHEREAS, the Labor Association of Wisconsin (LAW) has given notice that they wish to discontinue representing members and wind down their business. The members of the Watertown Professional Police Association wish to change their exclusive bargaining representative and asks the City to voluntarily recognize changing their exclusive bargaining representative to the Wisconsin Professional Police Association (WPPA); and,

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

That the City voluntarily recognizes the Wisconsin Professional Police Association-Law Enforcement Employee Relations division as the exclusive bargaining representative for the law enforcement public safety bargaining unit.

That the Agreement between the City of Watertown and the Labor Association of Wisconsin is hereby amended and any and all references to the Labor Association of Wisconsin (LAW) shall hereafter refer to the Wisconsin Professional Police Association-Law Enforcement Employee Relations, hereinafter referred to as the Association.

That the proper City Officials be and are hereby authorized to execute the attached Side Letter of Agreement. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and adoption.

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	YES	NO	
DAVIS			ADOPTEDMarch 18, 2025
LAMPE			
BOARD			
BARTZ			CITY CLERK
BLANKE			
SMITH			APPROVEDMarch 18, 2025
SCHMID			
WETZEL			
MOLDENHAUER			MAYOR
MAYOR MCFARLAND			
TOTAL			