

TOWN OF TROY

Walworth County
N8870 Briggs Street
East Troy, Wisconsin 53120

Chapter 4

ORDINANCE No. 2012-12

Clerk/Treasurer Appointment

WHEREAS, at the Annual Town Meeting held in the Spring of 2012, the Town Meeting duly combined the offices of Town Clerk and Town Treasurer per Section 60.10(1)(b)(2), and 60.305(1), Wisconsin Statutes, with the combination of offices to take effect on the latest date that any current term of an office to be combined expires per Wis. Stats. § 60.305(4)(a); and

WHEREAS, the Town Board for the Town of Troy finds it to be in the best interest of the Town of Troy that the combined office of Clerk/Treasurer be appointed by the Town Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Troy, Walworth County, Wisconsin does hereby ordain as follows:

That, pursuant to Wis. Stats. § 60.30(1e)(a), the office of the combined office of Town Clerk and Town Treasurer shall be filled by appointment of a majority of the members-elect of the Town Board.

The term of office for the appointed position(s) shall be set by the Town Board, but may not exceed 3 years per Wis. Stats. § 60.30(1e)(c). The Town Board may re-appoint the officers for additional terms. However, removal by the Town Board during a given term of office may only be for "cause" as defined under Wis. Stats. § 17.001 and required by Wis. Stats. § 60.30(1e)(f).

The ordinance is subject to approval by the Town electors in a referendum, which is hereby called by the Town Board to be held in November 6, 2012. The referendum question(s) shall be:

"Shall the person holding the combined office of Town Clerk and Town Treasurer in the Town of Troy be appointed by the Town Board?"

The salary of the appointed position(s) shall be set by the Town Board.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its Town Board passage, notice after passage per Wis. Stats. § 60.80 and also its referendum approval

by the Town electors as required by Wis. Stats. § 60.30(1e)(b), with the first appointment to take effect upon expiration of the term of office of the incumbent Town Clerk and Town Treasurer as required by § 60.30(1e)(c), Wis. Stats.

The several sections of this ordinance are declared to be severable. If any section or portion thereof shall be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, unlawful or unenforceable, such decision shall apply only to the specific section or portion thereof directly specified in the decision, and shall not affect the validity of any other provisions, sections or portions thereof of the ordinance. The remainder of the ordinance shall remain in full force and effect. Any other ordinances whose terms are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed as to those terms that conflict.

Dated this 13 day of June, 2012.

TOWN OF TROY



John Kendall, Town Chair

ATTEST:



Ruth Polinski, Town Clerk

Published and/or posted this 20 day of June, 2012.

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