RESOLUTION R-2022-05

A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION 2021-07 TO REVISE THE TOWN OF PLEASANT SPRINGS WARD PLAN AND TO COMBINE ALL WARDS FOR VOTING PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, §5.15 of the Wisconsin Statutes requires all cities, Towns and towns with a population of one thousand (1,000) or more to establish municipal wards based on the results of the 2020 census, and

WHEREAS, on November 2, 2021, the Town Board adopted Resolution 2021-07 approving a ward plan as required by §5.15(2)(d), Wis. Stats. based on the tentative supervisory districts submitted by Dane County pursuant to §59.03(3)(b), Wis. Stats.; and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the adoption of Resolution 2021-07, the Wisconsin Legislature enacted 2021 SB 621 establishing state legislative and congressional district boundaries, which were later vetoed by the governor, and which became the subject of ensuing litigation; and

WHEREAS, on April 15, 2022, the Wisconsin Supreme Court upheld the district boundaries established by SB 621; and

WHEREAS, §5.15(4), Wis. Stats. requires municipalities to amend their ward maps following the revision of state legislative or congressional district boundaries to assure that no such ward is divided into two or more legislative or congressional districts; and

WHEREAS, SB 621 caused certain wards in the Town to be divided into two or more such districts, requiring the amendment of the previously adopted ward plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Resolution 2021-07 is hereby amended, and the ward designations approved thereby are replaced with the new wards as described in Exhibit A.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all of the wards as created by this Resolution are combined for voting purposes and the polling place for each ward shall be the Pleasant Springs Town Hall.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution shall be filed with the Dane County Clerk within 5 days of its adoption.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Pleasant Springs Town Board this 17th day of May, 2022.

David Pfeiffer, Town Chairperson

Attact

Maria Hougan, Clerk/Trodsurer

