RESOLUTION 25-06

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING A TEMPORARY MUNICIPAL JUDGE FOR THE LAKESIDE MUNICIPAL COURT TO FILL A TEMPORARY TERM UNTIL AN ELECTION IS HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 2025

The Common Council of the City of Berlin do resolve as follows:

WHEREAS, the Lakeside Municipal Court serves multiple municipalities, including the CITY OF BERLIN; and

WHEREAS, the position of Municipal Judge for the Lakeside Municipal Court has been vacated or otherwise requires temporary appointment to maintain judicial operations; and
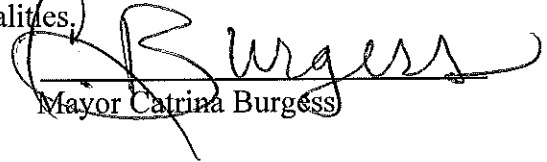
WHEREAS, the Lakeside Municipal Court Executive Committee has reviewed qualified candidates and has recommended an individual to serve as Temporary Municipal Judge; and

WHEREAS, the CITY OF BERLIN supports the recommendation of the Lakeside Municipal Court Executive Committee to ensure continuity of court functions and fair administration of justice;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the *Common Council of the City of Berlin*, Green Lake and Waushara Counties, Wisconsin, as follows:

1. **Appointment**: The CITY OF BERLIN hereby appoints **Troy Damsteegt** as Temporary Municipal Judge for the Lakeside Municipal Court, in accordance with the recommendation made by the Lakeside Municipal Court Executive Committee.

2. **Term of Appointment**: This appointment shall become effective on or before August 1, 2025 as mutually agreed upon by Troy Damsteegt and the Lakeside Municipal Court Office and shall continue until a duly elected Municipal Judge assumes office following the general election to be held on **November 4, 2025**, and the subsequent certification of election results.

3. **Authority**: The Temporary Municipal Judge shall have all powers, duties, and responsibilities granted under Wisconsin law and local ordinances applicable to the Municipal Court.

4. **Filing and Distribution**: A copy of this Resolution shall be filed with the Lakeside Municipal Court and distributed to all participating municipalities.

Adopted this 8th day of July, 2025.

Mayor Catrina Burgess

Attest: _Jessi Balcom_

Jessi Balcom, City Administrator/Clerk/Treasurer

Aye   5

Nay   Ø

Abstain   Ø