RESOLUTION 25-07

A RESOLUTION ORDERING A SPECIAL ELECTION FOR MUNICIPAL JUDGE OF THE LAKESIDE MUNICIPAL COURT TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 2025

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

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the office of Municipal Judge for the Lakeside Municipal Court; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin Statutes § 8.50(4)(fm) authorize the governing body of a municipality to order a special election to fill a vacancy in the office of municipal judge; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Berlin deems it necessary to fill the vacancy in the office of Municipal Judge for the Lakeside Municipal Court;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the COMMON COUNCIL of the City of Berlin, Green Lake and Waushara County, Wisconsin, as follows:

- 1. Order of Special Election: A special election is hereby ordered to be held on November 4, 2025, for the purpose of electing a Municipal Judge for the Lakeside Municipal Court.
- 2. Notice of Election: The Fond du Lac County Clerk is directed to provide notice of the special election as required by Wisconsin Statutes 8.50(1)(b).
- 3. Filing of Candidacy: Candidates for the office of Municipal Judge shall file their declarations of candidacy with the Fond du Lac County Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on September 9, 2025, in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes 8.05.
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4. Ballot Preparation: The Fond du Lac County Clerk is authorized and directed to prepare distribute ballots for the special election in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes 5.60.
5. Conduct of Election: The special election shall be conducted in accordance with all appliprovisions of Wisconsin law governing the conduct of municipal elections.
Adopted this 8th day of July, 2025. Mayor Catrina Burgess
Attest:
Aye <u>5</u> Nay <u>Ø</u> Abstain <u>Ø</u>