

2D. Consideration of adopting Resolution 2022-75 appointing election judges to serve for the August 9, 2022 Primary election and November 8, 2022 General Election

Prepared by: City Clerk	Meeting Date: 7/11/2022	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent Agenda Item <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Agenda Item
Reviewed by: N/A	Approved by: City Administrator	

ACTION REQUESTED

Motion to adopt Resolution 2022-75 appointing election judges to serve for the 2022 primary and general elections.

REFERENCE AND BACKGROUND

Minnesota State Statue 204B.21 requires cities to appoint election judges to serve at primary and general elections. A Head Judge should also be designated as part of the appointment. The appointment of the judges is contingent upon them completing the necessary training, which is required every two years. Training is conducted by Wright County.

We currently are appointing 47 judges, including City staff. The list includes people who signed up at caucuses and were provided to us from the County. These individuals must be appointed first before any additional judges can be appointed.

In addition to the judges appointed as part of the recommended resolution, staff anticipate the need for additional judges to work during the general election and are continuing to recruit.

- I. **Budget Impact:** Election judge compensation is included in the 2022 budget.
- II. **Staff Workload Impact:** The City Clerk and Administrative Assistant will be involved with elections to a greater degree than other staff. As it gets closer to the Primary and General Election, it is anticipated that more time will be spent on elections, including some over time by staff. It should be noted that State Election laws mandate certain hours for absentee and regular voting, some of which fall outside of regular City work hours.
- III. **Comprehensive Plan Impact:** N/A

STAFF RECOMMENDED ACTION

City staff recommends adopting the resolution appointing election judges.

SUPPORTING DATA

- Resolution 2022-75

**CITY OF MONTICELLO
WRIGHT COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-75

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING ELECTION JUDGES AND APPOINTING ELECTION JUDGES FOR THE
AUGUST 9, 2022 PRIMARY ELECTION AND NOVEMBER 8, 2022 GENERAL ELECTION**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Monticello is required by MS 204B.21, Sec. 2, to officially approve the appointment of election judges; and

WHEREAS, the Monticello City Council hereby adopts the judges listed on the attached Exhibit A, hereto attached, as the official judges for the August 9, 2022 Primary Election and November 8, 2022 General Election with the understanding that amendments may be necessary to the appointments in order to fill vacancies and meet party requirements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of Monticello that the names listed on Exhibit A, hereto attached, are the official Election Judges for the City of Monticello for the 2022 Primary and General Elections.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MONTICELLO ON THIS 11th DAY OF JULY, 2022.

CITY OF MONTICELLO

Lloyd Hilgart, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jennifer Schreiber, City Clerk

**ELECTION JUDGES - 2022 Election
Cycle (Primary/General)**

as of July 7, 2022

name	address	Role
Cindy Anderson	Monticello	Head Judge
Fred Anderson	Monticello	Head Judge
Marge Arndt	Monticello	Judge
John Barthel	Monticello	Head Judge
Mary Barthel	Monticello	Judge
Mike Beck	Monticello	Judge
Darlene Benjamin	Monticello	Judge
David Benjamin	Monticello	Judge
Julie Cheney		Staff/Judge
Agnes DeMarais	Monticello	Judge
Janet Doucette	Monticello	Judge
Roseann Duran	Monticello	Head Judge
Jeanette Ecklund	Monticello	Judge
Tracy Ergen	Monticello	Staff/Lead Judge
Keri Erickson	Monticello	Judge
John Falenschek	Monticello	Judge
Gretchen Frederick	Monticello	Judge
Tom Frederick	Monticello	Judge
Carolyn Granger	Monticello	Staff/Judge
Beth Green		Staff/Lead Judge
Sherri Hackenmueller	Monticello	Judge
Alyssa Hanson	Monticello	Judge
Brenda Harkman	Monticello	Judge
Iris Marie Hogleund Harris	Monticello	Judge
Roger Hedtke	Monticello	Judge
Sue Hedtke	Monticello	Judge
Ashley Hoff	St. Paul	Judge
Elizabeth Honer	Monticello	Judge
Lois Holtberg	Monticello	Judge
Lorene Kothenbeutel	Monticello	Judge
Vicki Leerhoff		Staff/Head Judge
Eric Leonard	Monticello	Judge
Rachel Leonard		Staff/Head Judge
Elizabeth Linrud		Staff/Lead Judge
Danielle Murdoff	Monticello	Lead Judge
Frank Opay	Monticello	Judge
Joan Opay	Monticello	Judge
Cindy Rademacher	Monticello	Lead Judge
Jennifer Schreiber		Election Admin/Judge
Scott Schreiber	Sauk Rapids	Judge
Barbara Smida	Monticello	Judge
Tammy Smith	Monticello	Judge

name	address	Role
Hayden Stensdgar	Monticello	Staff
Patricia Sonju Thielman	Monticello	Judge
Sandy Thurber	Monticello	Judge
George Vanderloop	Monticello	Judge
Teri Willenbring	Monticello	Judge