

## RESOLUTION 22-18

### A Resolution Recognizing Municipal Clerks Week

**WHEREAS**, the Wisconsin Municipal Clerk Association, a professional non-profit association comprised of Professional Clerks, Deputy Clerks and Clerk/Treasurers from Cities, Towns, and Villages throughout Wisconsin, announces Professional Municipal Clerks Week, May 1 through May 7, 2022;

**WHEREAS**, in 1984, President Ronald Reagan signed a Proclamation officially declaring Municipal Clerks Week the first full week of May, recognizing the essential role Professional Clerks play in local government;

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the Municipal Clerk, is a time honored and vital part of local government which exists throughout the world;

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the Municipal Clerk is the oldest among public servants;

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the Municipal Clerk provides the professional link between the citizens, the local governing bodies and agencies of government at other levels;

**WHEREAS**, Municipal Clerks have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all;

**WHEREAS**, the Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community;

**WHEREAS**, Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the administration of the affairs of the Office of the Municipal Clerk through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, province, county and international professional organizations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Municipal Clerk maintains and over-sees the integrity of local, state and national elections within the community, ensures that all residents have the opportunity to vote and that their vote will count; and

**WHEREAS**, it is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of the Office of the Municipal Clerk;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that May 1 through May 7, 2022 be proclaimed Municipal Clerk's Week in recognition of the accomplishments and contributions of the Office of the Municipal Clerk for the City of Lodi.

Adopted by the Common Council of the City of Lodi, Wisconsin this 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022.

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Ann Groves Lloyd, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Brenda Ayers, City Clerk