CITY OF AMES, TEXAS RESOLUTION NO. 2025-014

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS, APPROVING APPOINTMENT OF KIMBERLY JUDGE AS MUNICIPAL JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT FOR THE CITY OF AMES; AND APPROVING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT A

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2023-01 provides that the mayor shall appoint the municipal judge of the city, with approval by the city council as required under the laws of the State of Texas;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2023-01 provides that the municipal judge shall be compensated for his/her services at a rate set by the city council;

WHEREAS, the City is in need of a qualified municipal judge to preside over municipal court proceedings and to administer justice in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the ordinances of the City; and

WHEREAS, Kimberly Judge possesses the qualifications to serve as the Municipal Judge for the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY AMES, TEXAS:

SECTION 1 – APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL JUDGE

The City Council hereby approves the appointment of Kimberly Judge as the Municipal Judge of the City of Ames, Texas, effective immediately.

SECTION 2 - APPROVAL OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

The City Council hereby approves the Professional Services Agreement ("Agreement") attached hereto as Exhibit A, which sets forth the terms and conditions of Kimberly Judge's appointment as Municipal Judge. The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Agreement on behalf of the City.

SECTION 3 – TERM OF APPOINTMENT

The term of Kimberly Judge's appointment as Municipal Judge shall coincide with the mayor's term.

SECTION 4 – SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Resolution or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the Resolution or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.

SECTION 5 – EFFECTIVE DATE

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption by the City Council.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Ames, Texas, this 13th day of May, 2025.

CITY OF AMES

Barbara Domain, Mayor

ATTEST:

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