

Town of Williamstown, Dodge County, Wisconsin

**A Resolution Approving the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement
Between the Town of Williamstown and the Village of Kekoskee
Resolution #2021-04**

WHEREAS, the Village of Kekoskee (Village) was incorporated in 1958 from territory that had previously been part of the Town of Williamstown (Town); and

WHEREAS, in 2015, the Village notified the Town that it was having difficulty seating a full Village Board. The Village notified the Town that, as a result, it was considering dissolving under Wis. Stat. §61.187; and

WHEREAS, in order to provide for adequate services within the Town and Village on a cost-effective basis, the Town and Village wish to enter into an agreement whereby the Village will continue to provide some municipal services for the benefit of the remnant Town for a period of time after the Effective Date and the Town and Village will share the costs of said services; and

WHEREAS, the Town and the Village wish to change the boundary line separating the Town and the Village, so that the major portion of the Town transfers jurisdiction to the Village, and that a small portion of the Town remains under the jurisdiction of the Town for at least a period of time; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin Statute §66.0301 allows municipalities to cooperate and contract in a binding fashion for the receipt and furnishing of services, for the joint exercise of powers or duties required or authorized by law, for the apportionment of expenses involved, for the adjustment of boundary lines, and for the exercises of other duties and rights as stated in §66.0301; and

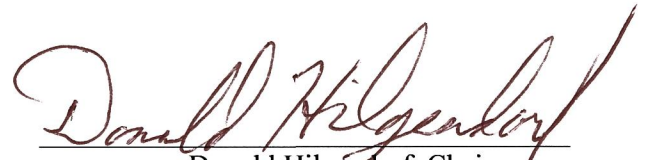
WHEREAS, the Village and the Town desire to enter into such an agreement under Wisconsin Statute §66.0301; and

WHEREAS, a joint public hearing was held by the Village and the Town on the proposed Agreement on Wednesday, September 15, 2021, and said public hearing was noticed in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes §66.0301(6)(c).

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town of Williamstown Board hereby approves the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement between the Town of Williamstown and the Village of Kekoskee, as attached.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, the Town Board and Town Clerk are directed to sign and execute the associated paperwork and to publish the Agreement in accordance with Wis. Stat. § 66.0301(6)(c)2.

Adopted this 15th day of September, 2021.


Donald Hilgendorf, Chairperson


Allen Schellinger, Supervisor 1


Loris Geschke, Supervisor 2


Attest – Karen Rouse, Town Clerk

Date Sept. 15, 2021