

RESOLUTION

REGARDING

THE OFFICE OF MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF MASON, TENNESSEE

WHEREAS, a controversy was instituted by the prior board of aldermen of the Town of Mason, Tennessee regarding the office of mayor of the Town of Mason and the individual holding that office, Mr. Eddie Noeman; and

WHEREAS, that controversy had no basis in fact or law, and interfered with the operation of the Town of Mason, Tennessee, as well as causing the unnecessary expenditure of funds; and

WHEREAS, one part of the controversy instituted by the prior board of aldermen was a purported attempt to remove the current mayor of the town of Mason, Tennessee, which continued during the months of July, August, and September 2024; and

WHEREAS, the board of aldermen of the Town of Mason, Tennessee does not possess the authority to remove the mayor from office by a vote of the board; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Mason has a mayor-alderman charter and not a city manager-commission charter; and,

WHEREAS, the charter of the Town of Mason does not contain any authority for the board of aldermen to remove a mayor from office; and,

WHEREAS, the effort to remove the current mayor from office was done without any authority under the charter or any statute, and so was illegal; and,

WHEREAS, it is in the interests of the Town of Mason if the dispute between the board of aldermen and the mayor cease.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Mason, Tennessee, meeting in regular session on the ~~16th day of December, 2024~~, in Mason, Tipton County, Tennessee, that:

21 day of April 2025

Section 1. Mayor Eddie Noeman is, has been since his election on November 8, 2022, and his being sworn in to that office in December 2022, and remains the Mayor of the Town of Mason, Tennessee.

Section 2. The purported act of the prior board of aldermen of attempting to remove Mayor Eddie Noeman from office on September 24, 2024, was invalid, illegal, and void, and is of no effect and is not binding on the Town of Mason, Tennessee.

Section 3. To the extent any court or person ever found that the purported act of the prior board of aldermen of attempting to remove Mayor Eddie Noeman from office on September 24, 2024, was valid, it is hereby RESCINDED and held for naught.

Passed by a majority vote of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Mason, Tennessee on ~~December 16, 2024.~~

April 21 / 2025

Vice Mayor

City Recorder

Alderman _____ moved to adopt Resolution.

Alderman _____ seconded the Motion to adopt.

Voting in Favor _____. Voting Against _____.