

## **RESOLUTION NO. 026-001**

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF MANITO, ILLINOIS, APPOINTING A VILLAGE TRUSTEE TO FILL A VACANCY**

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists on the Board of Trustees of the Village of Manito, Illinois, due to the resignation of Trustee Mary Ann Baker, which became effective on May 1, 2026; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/3.1-10-50), the Village President has the authority to appoint a qualified individual to fill a vacancy on the Board of Trustees, subject to the advice and consent of the Village Board; and

WHEREAS, the Village President desires to appoint Toni Bortell to fill said vacancy, finding that Toni Bortell meets all statutory qualifications required to hold the office of Village Trustee; and

WHEREAS, Illinois law provides that because the vacancy occurred with more than 28 months remaining in the unexpired term and more than 130 days before the next general municipal election, the appointed trustee shall serve until a successor is elected at the next general municipal election in April 2027 and has qualified.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF MANITO, MASON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Incorporation of Recitals. The foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated into this Resolution as the findings of the Village Board.

SECTION 2: Appointment. The Village Board hereby advises and consents to the appointment of Toni Bortell to fill the vacancy on the Board of Trustees created by the resignation of Mary Ann Baker.

SECTION 3: Term of Office. Toni Bortell shall hold the office of Village Trustee effective immediately upon taking the oath of office, and shall serve until a successor is elected at the special election to be held during the general municipal election in April 2027, and until such successor has qualified.

SECTION 4: Severability. If any section, paragraph, clause, or provision of this Resolution is held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Resolution.

SECTION 5: Effective Date. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Manito, Illinois, this 1st day of June 2026.

AYES: 5

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: 0

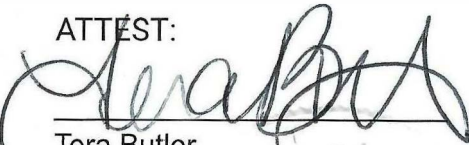
APPROVED by the Village President this 1st day of June, 2026.



Timothy W. Sondag

Village President

ATTEST:



Tera Butler

Village Clerk

