

**RESOLUTION NO. 2026-\_\_\_\_\_**

**CITY OF TONTITOWN, WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS**

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE PROCESS FOR NOMINATION AND APPOINTMENT TO FILL A VACANCY ON THE CITY COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

**WHEREAS**, a vacancy exists on the Tontitown City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, Arkansas Code § 14-43-411 and/or § 14-44-104 requires the City Council to appoint a qualified individual; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires a fair and orderly process for nominations and appointment.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TONTITOWN, ARKANSAS:**

**Section 1.** Nominations may be made by any sitting council member.

**Section 2.** Nominees must meet all qualifications under Arkansas law.

**Section 3.** Nominees may be given an opportunity to address the Council.

**Section 4.** Voting shall be by roll call and require a majority of remaining members.

**Section 5.** The nominee receiving a majority vote shall be appointed to serve the unexpired term.

**Section 6.** The appointee shall take the oath of office prior to assuming duties.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of May 2026.

**APPROVED:**

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Angela Russell, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Rhonda Ardemagni, City Clerk-Treasurer  
(SEAL)

**SPONSORSHIP AND LEGISLATIVE HISTORY**

Sponsor (Initiated By): \_\_\_\_\_

Motion to Introduce Made By: \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded By: \_\_\_\_\_

Adopted / Passed: \_\_\_\_\_

Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_ Abstain \_\_\_\_ Absent \_\_\_\_

This requirement is in addition to, and does not supersede, any authentication, attestations, or signature requirements imposed by state law or other provisions of the Tontitown Municipal Code.