

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-25

A RESOLUTION TO COMBINE WARDS 5-9  
FOR VOTING PURPOSES PURSUANT TO  
WISCONSIN STATUTES SECTION 5.15(6)(b)

WHEREAS, Section 5.15(6)(b) of the Wisconsin Statutes, provides that a municipality having a population of less than 35,000 may provide by resolution for the combination of two or more wards for voting purposes to facilitate using a common polling place, and that the resolution shall remain in effect for each election until modified or rescinded or until a new division is made under Section 5.15, Wisconsin Statutes, as further described in said statute; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Fox Point has a population of less than 35,000 and has been divided into 9 wards pursuant to Resolution No. 2021-23; and

WHEREAS, the Village Board wishes to avoid any uncertainty with regard to the status of the combination of Wards 5-9 for voting purposes that may otherwise result from the Village Board's adoption of Resolution No. 2021-23 to divide the Village of Fox Point into wards pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes Section 5.15; and

WHEREAS, to facilitate the administration of elections in the Village of Fox Point, the Village Board finds that it is necessary and appropriate to combine Wards 5-9 for voting purposes so as to use a common polling place;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Village Board of the Village of Fox Point, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, that Wards 5-9 shall be combined for voting purposes to facilitate using a common polling place; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that returns shall be maintained only for each group of combined wards at any election; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, whenever common ballot boxes and ballots or voting machines are used, separate returns shall be maintained for each separate ballot required under Sections 5.62 and 5.64, Wisconsin Statutes, at the August primary and general election; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Village Clerk shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the Milwaukee County Clerk; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall remain in effect for each election until modified or rescinded or a new division is made under Wisconsin Statutes

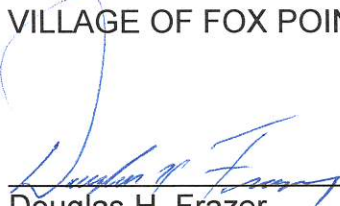
Section 5.15.

SEVERABILITY. The several sections of this resolution are declared to be severable. If any section or portion thereof shall be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, unlawful or unenforceable, such decision shall apply only to the specific section or portion thereof directly specified in the decision, and shall not affect the validity of any other provisions, sections or portions thereof of the resolution. The remainder of the resolution shall remain in full force and effect. Any other resolutions whose terms are in conflict with the provisions of this resolution are hereby repealed as to those terms that conflict.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage and posting or publication as provided by law.

DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.

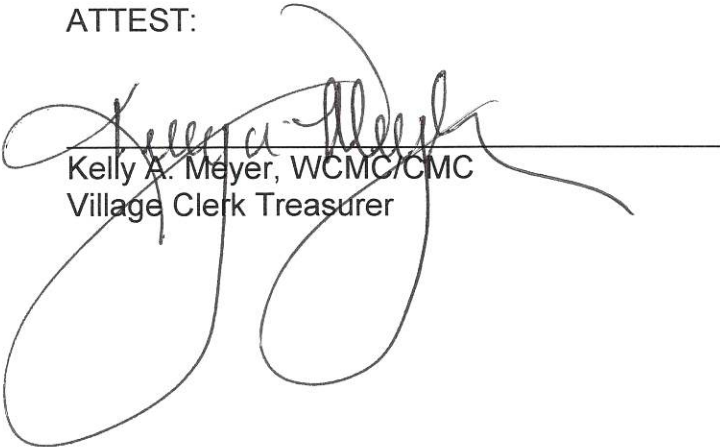
VILLAGE OF FOX POINT



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Douglas H. Frazer  
Village President

ATTEST:



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Kelly A. Meyer, WCMC/CMC  
Village Clerk Treasurer