

City of Canton

Resolution #2022-10

A RESOLUTION FILLING VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF MAYOR

WHEREAS, Mayor Nicholas Prestby resigned from the Office of Mayor, effective on July 5, 2022, and;

WHEREAS, by Resolution #2022-09, the City Council accepted Mayor Prestby's resignation and declared a vacancy in the Office of Mayor on July 13, 2022, and;

WHEREAS, Mayor Prestby's term of office would have expired on December 31, 2022, and;

WHEREAS, less than two years remained in the unexpired term of Mayor Prestby's office; therefore, pursuant to Minnesota Statute 412.02, subdivision 2a, the City Council shall appoint a person to serve the balance of Mayor Prestby's unexpired portion of his term in office.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Canton, Fillmore County, Minnesota:

1. By majority vote of the City Council, Councilmember Cindy Shanks is appointed Mayor of the City of Canton.
2. Mayor Shanks shall serve as Mayor until December 31, 2022.
3. By this appointment, the City Council declares that a vacancy exists on the City Council of the seat previously held by Mayor Shanks. Her term of office as Councilmember expires on December 31, 2024.
4. The City Council shall fill the vacant seat on the City Council with a Special Election, held in conjunction with the General Election on November 8, 2022, as set forth in Minnesota Statute 412.02, subdivision 2a.
5. Affidavits of Candidacy for this Special Election may be filed with the City Clerk between August 2, 2022 and August 16, 2022, until 5 p.m.
6. The declared winner of the Special Election shall serve as Councilmember until December 31, 2024.

Passed and adopted by the City Council of Canton, Minnesota this 13th day of July 2022.



Cindy Shanks, Mayor

ATTEST:



Brock Bergey, City Clerk