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Resolution

I, Kelly Walters, CMC, City Clerk for the City of Rochester, NH, hereby attest that the attached resolution is true and accurate, which was adopted at the Special City Council meeting on December 20, 2022.

Kelly Walters City Clerk's Office Rochester, New Hampshire

1 Walter Date: 12/21/2022

State of New Hampshire Strafford County

On this 21st day of December, 2022, Kelly Walters, personally appeared before me: Susan E.

Morris and acknowledged the above statement to be true and accurate.

Notary Public/Commissioner of Deeds

SUSAN E MORRIS State of New Hampshire Commission Expires January 26, 2027

Resolution Establishing Polling Place and Times for the February 21, 2023 District 8 Special Election

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER:

That the following polling places are hereby established for the City of Rochester for the upcoming February 21, 2023 District 8 Special Election:

WARD 4: McClelland Elementary School
59 Brock Street Rochester

The Special Election will be conducted consistent with the parameters established by way of the Resolution adopted by the New Hampshire House of Representatives on December 7, 2022 (Exhibit A)

Further, in accordance with RSA 659:4, and Section 47 of the City Charter – The polling place shall be open from 8:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M., on said Election Day. The Processing of Absentee Ballots shall begin at 10:00 AM on Election Day.

House Resolution 6

calling for a special run-off election for representative to the general court between Chuck Grassie and David Walker.

Whereas, the general election in Strafford county district 8 has ultimately resulted in a tie between Chuck Grassie and David Walker; and

Whereas, this House has both the constitutional authority to settle this matter by voting to seat one of these candidates and a tradition of endorsing the concept of elections settling a tie; and

Whereas, the House believes that the voters of that district have already indicated by their close vote that they wish to be represented in the General Court by one of these individuals; now, therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives:

That this seat be declared vacant and the election be returned to the voters of Strafford county district 8 as legally constituted as of November 8, 2022, to uphold the principle of one person, one vote; and

That, if the city of Rochester chooses to hold a special election to determine their choice for representative to the General Court, the House of Representatives orders that the ballots used in that run-off election contain only the names of Chuck Grassie and David Walker with no blank appearing; and

That the Clerk of the House transmit a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of State, Chuck Grassie and David Walker; and

That all communications to the Clerk of the House from the parties at interest in this matter be entered in the House Journal.