



**RESOLUTION #R25-0422B**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF A TRUSTEE TO FILL A VACANCY**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Ashmore (hereinafter “the Village”) is a duly organized municipality under the laws of the State of Illinois; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/3.1-10-50 of the Illinois Municipal Code, the Village President has the authority to appoint a person to fill a vacancy in the office of Trustee, and must do so within 60 days of the vacancy, with the advice and consent of the Board of Trustees, for the remainder of the unexpired term; and

**WHEREAS**, a vacancy currently exists on the Village Board of Trustees, and it is in the best interest of the Village to fill said vacancy to ensure continued effective governance; and

**WHEREAS**, Village President Kurt Crail has selected an individual to be appointed to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the existing two-year partial term.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Ashmore, Coles County, Illinois as follows:

**SECTION 1: APPOINTMENT CONFIRMED:**

The appointment by Village President Kurt Crail of Cathy Welborn to serve as Village Trustee for the remainder of a two-year partial term is hereby approved and confirmed by the Board of Trustees.

**SECTION 2: TERM OF OFFICE:**

The appointed Trustee shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term, which shall expire following the next regular election for that seat, in accordance with applicable law.

**SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE:**

This Resolution shall be in full force and effect on May 1, 2025 upon its passage and approval by the Board.

The provisions of this Resolution are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision of this Resolution be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute, or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision shall be excluded and deemed inoperative, unenforceable and as though not provided for herein, and all other provisions shall remain in full force and effect. All resolutions, rules and orders, or parts thereof in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby superseded.

Passed this 22nd day of April, 2025 on a motion from Edwards, seconded by Grissom.

Bill Edwards	<u>Aye</u>
Thomas Grissom	<u>Aye</u>
Dane Perdieu	<u>Aye</u>
Terry Price	<u>Absent</u>
Bryan Watson	<u>Aye</u>
Cathy Welborn	<u>Abstain</u>

Kurt Crail  
**APPROVED:** Kurt Crail, Mayor

Jackie Freezeland  
**ATTEST:** Jackie Freezeland, Clerk

