## TOWN OF RED CEDAR **Ordinance No. 1001-2012**

## Ordinance to Extend Town Officer Terms to the Third Tuesday in **April in Response to Election Law Changes**

WHERAS, the terms of elected town officers (other than elected assessors) have previously begun on the 2nd Tuesday in April; and

WHEREAS, town officers (other than assessors) elected in April 2012 and thereafter will now have their terms of office commence on the 3rd Tuesday in April due to recent state election law changes; and

WHERAS, this law change results in a week long "gap" between the end of the current terms of office for those town officers elected in either 2010 or 2011 and the start of the new terms of office for those officers elected in April 2012 or April 2013; and

WHEREAS, 2011 Wis. Act 115 provides that a town board may enact an ordinance providing that the terms of any elective officers in the town who were elected or appointed to serve for terms expiring on the 2nd Tuesday in April 2012 or 2013 may be extended to the 3rd Tuesday in April in the same year in which the terms would otherwise have expired; and

THEREFORE, be it hereby ordained by the Town Board of the Town of Red Cedar, Dunn County, that the terms of elected town officers which shall expire after 11:59 p.m. on the 2nd Monday of April in either April 2012 or April 2013 shall be extended until the 3rd Tuesday of April in the same year in which the terms would otherwise have expired.

This ordinance shall be effective upon publication or posting by the Town Clerk as required, pursuant to s. 60.80, Wis. Stat.

Adopted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012 by the Town Board of the Town of Red Cedar, Dunn County, Wisconsin:

Supervisor 2

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Supervisor 4

This ordinance, resolution, motion, or other action was published either in its entirety as a Class 1 notice, or as a notice, on the XXII day of XXII 2012 or posted in at least 3 places

within 30 days after passage or adoption on the law day of

March, 2012.