

RESOLUTION 22-19

A RESOLUTION GRANTING THE CITY COUNCIL'S CONSENT PURSUANT TO CITY CHARTER SECTION 3.10(e) TO THE APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS FOR THE PROSECUTION OF MUNICIPAL VIOLATIONS OF CITY ORDINANCES BEFORE THE LEE'S SUMMIT MUNICIPAL COURT.

WHEREAS, Section 3.10(e) of the City Charter of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri provides that "the City Attorney shall, with the advice and consent of the Council, appoint Prosecuting Attorneys for the prosecution of violations of city ordinances before the Municipal Court;" and,

WHEREAS, recently a hiring process was completed for an Assistant Prosecutor resulting in the hiring of Jane Laughlin as an Assistant Prosecutor; and,

WHEREAS, from time to time both the City Prosecutor and Assistant City Prosecutor are absent due to emergency or illness and other members of the Law Department are needed to prevent unnecessary delay in the conduct of the Municipal Court; and,

WHEREAS, the City Attorney recently hired Jo Leigh Fischer to serve as the Chief Counsel of Litigation for the City; and,

WHEREAS, Jo Leigh Fischer has extensive experience with prosecution and may be called upon from time to time to serve as an Assistant Prosecutor; and,

WHEREAS, the City Attorney recommends and respectfully requests that the City Council advise and consent to the appointments of Jane Laughlin and Jo Leigh Fischer as Assistant Prosecuting Attorneys for the prosecution of violations of city ordinances before the Lee's Summit Municipal Court.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the City Council hereby expresses its advice and consent to the appointment of Jo Leigh Fischer and Jane Laughlin to serve as the Assistant Prosecuting Attorneys for the prosecution of violations of city ordinances before the Lee's Summit, Municipal Court.

SECTION 2. That this appointment is in addition to the previously approved Prosecutor and Assistant City Prosecutors.

SECTION 3. That any and all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of such conflict only.

SECTION 4. That this resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and adoption, and approval by the Mayor.

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PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council for the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, and by the Mayor of said City this _____ day of _____, 2022.

ATTEST:

Mayor *William A. Baird*

City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney *Brian W. Head*