

ORDINANCE No. 2014-001

The Town Board of the Town of Wood River, Burnett County, Wisconsin, does hereby ordain as follows:

That, pursuant to s.60.30 (1e) (a), Wis. Stat., the office of town clerk and town treasurer shall be filled by appointment of a majority of the members-elect of the town board.

The term of office for the appointed position(s) shall be set by the town board, but may not exceed 3 years, s.60.30 (1e) (c), Wis. Stat. The appointed officer(s) may be re-appointed for additional terms, subject to town board approval. However, removal by the town board during a given term of office may only be for *cause* as defined under s.17.001, Wis. Stat. & s.60.30(1e)(f), Wis. Stat.

This ordinance is subject to approval by the town electors in a referendum, which is hereby called by the Town Board to be held on November 4, 2014 at the general election. The referendum question(s) shall be:

“Shall the person holding the office of town clerk and town treasurer in the Town of Wood River be appointed by the town board?”

The salary of the appointed position(s) shall be set by the town board and may not be reduced during the term of office.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and publication as required by law.

Adopted this 9th day of July, 2014

Town of Wood River, Burnett County, Wisconsin.

Chairperson

Supervisor

Supervisor

Attest:

Clerk

Published/Posted: July 12, 2014 (posting in 3 public places within the town within 30 days of adoption is typically sufficient, but see the note below)

****Note: This ordinance must be adopted by the town board and properly posted by the town clerk a minimum of 45 days prior to the referendum, s.60.30(1e)(b), Wis. Stat.**