

Town of Wood River

State of Wisconsin

Ordinance NO 2023-01

Burnett County

An Ordinance relating to the confidentiality of information about income and expenses requested by the assessor in property assessment matters in the

Town of Wood River

Whereas, as part of the Budget Adjustment Act, 1997 /Wisconsin act 237, a number of significant changes regarding property tax assessment appeals and Board of Review procedures were enacted: and

Whereas, Wis Stat. § 70.47(7)(af) of the Wisconsin Statutes was created; and

Whereas, Wis. Stat. § 70.47(7)(af) requires by ordinance for the confidentiality of information about income and expenses that is provided to the Assessor under Wis. Stat. § 70.47(7)(af) and shall provide exceptions for persons using the information in the discharge of duties imposed by law or of the duties of their office or by order of the court,

Now, therefore, the Town of Wood River Burnett County ordains as follows:

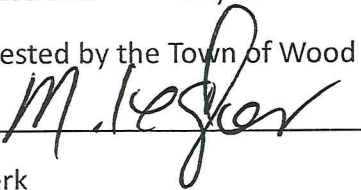
Section 1: Whenever the Assessor in the performance of the Assessor's duties, requests or obtains income and expense information, the information that is provided to the Assessor shall be held by the Assessor on a confidential basis except, however, that the information may be revealed to and used by persons: in the discharge of duties imposed by law; in the discharge of duties imposed by office (including but not limited to use by the Assessor in performance of official duties of the Assessor's office and use by the Board of Review in performance of its official duties); or pursuant to a court order income and expense information provided to the Assessor under Wis. Stat. § 70.47(7)(af), not subject to the right of inspection and copying under Wis. Stat. § 19.35(1).

Section 2: severability – the several sections of this ordinance are declared to be severable. If any section or portion thereof shall be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, unlawful, or unenforceable, such decision shall apply only to the specific section or portion thereof directly specified in the decision and shall not affect the validity of any other provisions, sections, or portions thereof of the ordinance. The remainder of the ordinance shall remain in full force and effect. Any other ordinances whose terms are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed as to those terms that conflict.

Section 3: Effective date – This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and posting or publication as provided by law.

Dated this day of ,2023.

Attested by the Town of Wood River Clerk,


Clerk


Chairman

Appointment of Alternate Members to the Board of Review

Ordinance No. 2023-02

Whereas, Wis Stat. § 70.47(6m)(c) authorizes the appointment of alternate members to serve on the board of review when standing members are removed from the individual cases:

Now, therefore, the Town of Wood River, Burnett County does ordain as follows:

1. Adoption

Pursuant to Wis Stat. § 70.47(6m)(c) and 70.46(1), the Town Board hereby provides for the appointment of alternates to serve on the Town of Wood River Board of Review in the event a standing board member of the Board of Review is removed or unable to serve for any reason.

2. Appointments

The following electors of the Town of Wood River are hereby named as alternates, in the order indicated to serve as alternate Board of Review members:


Alternate 1: Laura McKeag

3. Effective Date

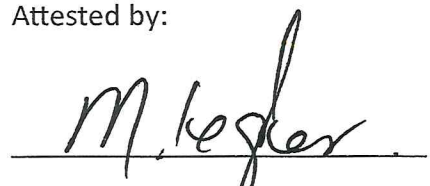
The appointments made in this ordinance are for the year 2023 Board of Review proceedings and effective upon posting as provided by law.

Adopted on this 18th day of April, 2023

By the Town Board of the Town of Wood River


Chairman

Attested by:


Clerk