



FUNDING FOR ANIMAL SHELTER ASSISTANT POSITION

RUSK COUNTY

TO THE RUSK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ROLL CALL Board Members	AYE (Yes)	NAY (No)	Abstain / Excused
1. ALEC HAMPTON		✓	
2. JERRY BILLER		✓	
3. STACY ZIMMER		✓	
4. JOHN MOORE		✓	
5. TERRY WEDWICK	✓		
6. SHERRY WALLACE		✓	
7. SUZANNE VOHS	✓		
8. TOM CUDO	✓		
9. PHIL UNDERSCHUETZ		✓	
10. BRIAN COGGINS		✓	
11. PHIL SCHNEIDER		✓	
12. JIM MEYER	✓		
13. KURT GORSENER	✓		
14. JOHN KALEPP		✓	
15. TOM HANSON	✓		
16. LOIS GOODE	✓		
17. DAVE WILLINGHAM		✓	
18. MIKE RUSSELL		✓	
19. JAMES PLATTETER		✓	
TOTAL	7	12	0

1 **WHEREAS**, the Rusk County Board of Supervisors approved the Animal
2 Shelter Assistant Position per Resolution 07-24 Reclassification of Part-Time
3 Animal Shelter Worker to Full-Time and Change in Job Description based upon
4 the recommendation of the joint committee; and,
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6 **WHEREAS**, it was the understanding of the County that the City would also
7 pass the resolution as the Animal Shelter is jointly managed by Rusk County
8 (“County”) and the City of Ladysmith (“City”) under the City-County Animal
9 Shelter Agreement; and,
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11 **WHEREAS**, operating costs for the Animal Shelter are split 60% to the County
12 and 40% to the City; and,
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14 **WHEREAS**, the City has refused to fund the additional cost of the Animal
15 Shelter Assistant position in 2024.
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17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Rusk County Board of
18 Supervisors approves funding the entire additional cost of the Animal Shelter
19 Assistant position from Contingency.
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BOARD ACTION

Vote Required: Majority Vote of a Quorum

Motion to Approve Adopted

1st Wedwick Defeated

2nd Cudo

No: 12 Yes: 7 Exc: 0

Reviewed by: _____, Corp. Counsel

Reviewed by: Kimie Milk, Finance Director

FISCAL IMPACT: (Note if there is any fiscal impact or not)
Approx. \$10,000-\$14,000 of additional levy for 2024

Certification:

I, Connie Meyer, Clerk of Rusk County, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution that was adopted on the 16 day of April, 2024 by the Rusk County Board of Supervisors.

Connie Meyer
Connie Meyer
County Clerk, Rusk County

SUBMITTED BY:

Supervisor Terry Wedwick,
Animal Control Board Chair

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