

**AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING LES SMITH TO FILL THE CITY COUNCIL SEAT LEFT VACANT BY THE RESIGNATION OF FORMER COUNCILMAN TOM FRISBY.**

**LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS:**

1. A vacancy exists on the City Council due to the resignation of former Councilman Tom Frisby.
2. In accordance with Section 78.460 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, the City Council is to appoint a successor to any councilmember unable to complete his or her term due to "death, resignation or otherwise." The successor is to serve as councilman until the next regular municipal election, which will occur on April 4, 2023.
3. The City Council finds that Les Smith possesses all of the legal qualifications to serve on the City Council and the City Council has selected Les Smith to serve as successor to former Councilman Tom Frisby until the next regular municipal election on April 4, 2023.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** THAT, the City Council, in accordance with the laws of the State of Missouri, appoints LES SMITH, as City Councilman to succeed former Councilman Tom Frisby, whose resignation has left a vacancy on the Council.

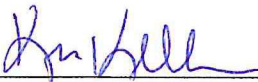
**SECTION 2.** THAT, LES SMITH shall serve as City Councilman until the voters of the City of Gladstone elect a councilmember at the next regular municipal election on April 4, 2023.

**INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MISSOURI, THIS 22ND DAY OF AUGUST 2022.**



Bill Garnos, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kris Keller, City Clerk

First Reading: August 22, 2022

Second Reading: August 22, 2022