

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2023-11.27
SPLIT SHIFTS ON ELECTION DAY

STATE OF WISCONSIN

Town of Blue Mounds

The Town Board of the Town of Blue Mounds, Dane County, Wisconsin, has the specific authority under s. 7.30 (1), Wis. stats., to adopt this ordinance.

This ordinance, adopted by a majority of the town board on a roll call vote with a quorum present and voting and proper notice having been given, provides for the selection of 2 [or more] sets of officials to work at different times on each election day as follows:

- A. There shall be 3 shifts for election workers on all election days. The first shift shall commence at 6:30 a.m. and end at 11:45 a.m. The second shift shall commence at 11:30 a.m. and end at 4:30 p.m. The third shift shall commence at 4:00 p.m. and end with completion of all required election day duties that follow the closure of the polls.

This ordinance is effective upon publication or posting.

The town clerk shall properly post or publish this ordinance as required under s. 60.80, Wis. stats.

Adopted this 11th day of December 20 23

Dennis Jelle

Dennis Jelle, Town Chairman

Mary Ann Bellazzini

Mary Ann Bellazzini, Supervisor 1

Richard VanDornelen

Richard VanDornelen, Supervisor 2

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Attest:

Amanda Burghy

Amanda Burghy, Clerk

*Note: Section 7.30 (1), Wis. stats., requires 7 inspectors for each polling place at each election except that in municipalities where voting machines are used, the municipal governing body may reduce the number of inspectors to 5. However, s. 7.32, Wis. stats., allows the governing body, by resolution, to reduce the number of election officials at a polling place to not less than 3. See the form:

7.32 * Resolution changing number of election officials.

**Note: Section 7.30 (1) (b), Wis. stats., allows each municipality to appoint one additional inspector to serve at each polling place without regard to party affiliation who shall serve as a greeter to answer questions and to direct electors to the proper locations for registration and voting and who shall be available to substitute for other election officials who must leave the room during the voting process.