## **ORDINANCE NO 2022-02-17**

## Establish Temporary Moratorium on Development of Wind Energy Systems in the Town of Washington, Eau Claire County, Wisconsin

- Pursuant to ordinance 2021-07-15 and the statutes cited therein, the town Board finds that in order to preserve or protect the public health or safety, additional time is needed to adopt, or for Eau Claire County to adopt, a comprehensive and lawful ordinance regarding wind energy systems;
- 2. Pursuant to sections 3 and 4 of Ordinance 2021-07-15, the moratorium imposed therein is extended for six months until July 15, 2022, or until Eau Claire County adopts a comprehensive code amendment regulating wind energy systems which is in force, whichever occurs first.
- 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.
- 4. The provisions of the ordinance are severable. If any part or provision of any section, clause, or provision hereof is invalid or if its application to any person or circumstance is invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application.

Adopted this 17<sup>th</sup>day of February, 2022.

Micheal Peterson
Town Chairperson

Janelle Henning