

VILLAGE OF BRADLEY

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AUTHORIZING AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF  
BRADLEY AND JAMES EGGERT

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ADOPTED BY THE  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE  
VILLAGE OF BRADLEY

THIS 10 DAY OF DECEMBER, 2018

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Kankakee County, Illinois this 10 day of DECEMBER, 2018

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**WHEREAS**, the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Bradley, Kankakee County, Illinois, have the authority to adopt resolutions and to promulgate rules and regulations that pertain to its government and affairs and protect the public health, safety, and welfare of its citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 10-2.1-4 of the Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/10-2.1-4) and Section 20-21 of the Village of Bradley Code of Ordinances the Corporate Authorities of the Village have the authority to appoint the Fire Chief for the Village of Bradley Fire Department (the “Department”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Department does not presently have a Fire Chief and the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is in the best interests of the Village and its citizens to appoint an Interim Fire Chief to manage the Department until a permanent Fire Chief can be appointed; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities of the Village have determined that James Eggert (“Eggert”) possesses all qualifications and experience necessary to fully and satisfactorily perform all functions as such Interim Fire Chief; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities of the Village desire to appoint Eggert as the Interim Fire Chief of the Department; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village has negotiated an employment agreement (the “Agreement”) with Eggert, on terms that are reasonable and acceptable to the Village, whereby Eggert shall act as said Interim Fire Chief (a copy of the proposed Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit A and fully incorporated herein); and

**WHEREAS**, Eggert has expressed a desire to enter into the Agreement, as well as a willingness to be bound to perform thereunder; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities of the Village have determined that the execution of the Agreement is necessary and expedient for the Village’s corporate purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities of the Village have determined that the appointment of Eggert as the Interim Fire Chief and the execution of the Agreement are in the best interests of the Village and its citizens.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF BRADLEY, KANKAKEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, PURSUANT TO ITS STATUTORY AUTHORITY, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** The President and Board of Trustees hereby find that all of the recitals contained in the preamble to this Resolution are true, correct, and complete and are hereby incorporated by reference hereto and made a part hereof.

**SECTION 2.** The Corporate Authorities of the Village hereby appoint James Eggert (“Eggert”) to serve and act as the Interim Fire Chief of the Village of Bradley Fire Department for the duration of the Agreement (authorized in Sections 3 and 4, *infra*) and subject to all terms and provisions of thereof.

**SECTION 3.** The proposed Agreement, attached hereto as Exhibit A and fully incorporated herein, is hereby approved in form and substance and the Village President is hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement on behalf of the Village.

**SECTION 4.** The Village President is further authorized to take any and all actions, including but not limited to the execution of any and all documents, that are, in his opinion, necessary to enter into the Agreement with Eggert.

**SECTION 5.** In the event that any provision or provisions, portion or portions, or clause or clauses of this Resolution shall be declared to be invalid or unenforceable by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such adjudication shall in no way affect or impair the validity or enforceability of any of the remaining provisions, portions, or clauses of this Resolution that may be given effect without such invalid or unenforceable provision or provisions, portion or portions, or clause or clauses.

**SECTION 6.** All ordinances, resolutions, motions, or parts thereof, conflicting with any of the provisions of this Resolution, are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

**SECTION 7.** The Village Clerk is hereby directed to publish this Resolution in pamphlet form.

**SECTION 8.** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

**PASSED** by the Board of Trustees on a roll call vote on the 10 day of DECEMBER 2018.

**TRUSTEES:**

GERALD BALTHAZOR	Aye – <u>    </u>	Nay – <u>    </u>	Absent – <u>✓</u>
ROBERT REDMOND	Aye – <u>✓</u>	Nay – <u>    </u>	Absent – <u>    </u>
LORI GADBOIS	Aye – <u>✓</u>	Nay – <u>    </u>	Absent – <u>    </u>
MICHAEL WATSON	Aye – <u>✓</u>	Nay – <u>    </u>	Absent – <u>    </u>
DON BARBER	Aye – <u>✓</u>	Nay – <u>    </u>	Absent – <u>    </u>
NICK ALLEN	Aye – <u>✓</u>	Nay – <u>    </u>	Absent – <u>    </u>

**VILLAGE PRESIDENT:**

BRUCE ADAMS	Aye – <u>    </u>	Nay – <u>    </u>	Absent – <u>    </u>
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<b>TOTALS:</b>	Aye – <u>5</u>	Nay – <u>0</u>	Absent – <u>1</u>
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**ATTEST:**

*Michael J. Lagesse*

MICHAEL J. LAGESSE, VILLAGE CLERK

APPROVED this 10 day of DECEMBER, 2018.

*Bruce W. Adams*  
BRUCE ADAMS, VILLAGE PRESIDENT

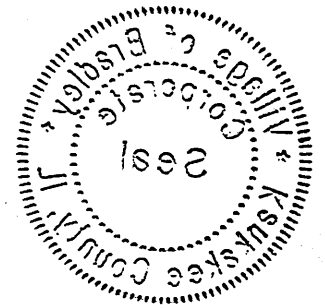


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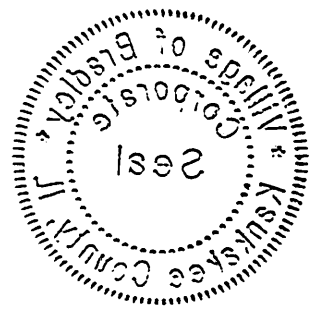
STATE OF ILLINOIS            )  
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COUNTY OF KANKAKEE    )

I, Michael J. LaGesse, Village Clerk of the Village of Bradley, County of Kankakee and State of Illinois, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the attached is a true, perfect, and complete copy of Resolution number R-12-18-1, "A RESOLUTION APPOINTING JAMES EGGERT AS INTERIM FIRE CHIEF AND AUTHORIZING AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF BRADLEY AND JAMES EGGERT," which was adopted by the Village President and Board of Trustees at a meeting held on the 10 day of DEC, 2018.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand in the Village of Bradley, County of Kankakee and State of Illinois, on this 10 day of DEC, 2018.

  
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MICHAEL J. LAGESSE, VILLAGE CLERK





# **EXHIBIT A**