VILLAGE OF LAWTON
COUNTY OF VAN BUREN
STATE OF MICHIGAN

Resolution No. 18-2026
A Resolution Approving Contract for Code Enforcement Officer Inspector Services with Jeremiah Jones

At a regular meeting of the Lawton Village Council, held at Lawton Village Hall—125 S. Main Street in Lawton, Michigan, on this 11th Day of August 2026 at 7:00PM

Present:

Absent:

The following Resolution was offered by Council person Turner and supported by Council person Tanis.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Village Council has reviewed a proposed contract with Jeremiah Jones for the provision of Code Enforcement Officer services; and

WHEREAS, the proposed contract provides for compensation on an hourly basis and establishes an open-ended term beginning upon signing, subject to termination by either party upon ninety (90) days written notice; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council finds that entering into this agreement is in the best interests of the Village of Lawton and its residents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Village Council of the Village of Lawton, County of Van Buren, State of Michigan, as follows:

1. That the Village Council hereby approves the Contract for Code Enforcement Officer between the Village of Lawton and Jeremiah Jones, with a term beginning upon contract signing by both parties.
2. That compensation shall be as set forth in the contract, including:
    - Code Enforcement Services at a rate of $35.00 per hour;
    - With mileage not invoiced.
3. That the contract shall be open-ended and may be renewed or terminated by either party without cause upon ninety (90) days written notice, in accordance with the terms of the agreement.
4. That Jeremiah Jones shall be considered an employee of the Village of Lawton for purposes of coverage under the Village Risk Insurance and representation by the Village Attorney, as provided in the contract.

5. That the Village President Pro-Tem and Village Manager are hereby authorized and directed to execute the contract on behalf of the Village of Lawton and to take any actions necessary to effectuate this resolution.
6. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

AYES: 4
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 1

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED this 11 day of August, 2026.

Village of Lawton

By: Eric Dudek
Eric Dudek, Village President Pro-Tem

Attest: Brittany Rathbun
Brittany Rathbun, Village Clerk