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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PETITION FOR SPECIAL LEGISLATION REGARDING AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 41 OF THE ACTS OF 2012

WHEREAS: Chapter 41 of the Acts of 2012 authorizes the City to appoint certain retired Watertown police officers to perform police details and other duties for the City; an

WHEREAS: The maximum age restriction for such police officers under said Chapter 41 is 65 years of age; and

WHEREAS: The City wishes to increase the age limit to 70 years of age.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the City Council of Watertown hereby authorizes the filing of a petition with the General Court for special legislation to amend Chapter 41 of the Acts of 2012 to increase the maximum age limit for special police officers to 70 years of age, as follows:

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS IN THE CITY OF WATERTOWN

Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by he authority of the same, as follows:

Section 1. Section of chapter 41 of the acts of 2012 is hereby amended by striking out the seconded sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- Notwithstanding the maximum age restriction applicable to regular police officers of Watertown under chapter 32 of the General Laws, the maximum age restriction for said special police officers shall be 70 years of age.

and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the General Court may make clerical or editorial changes of form only to the proposed special act, unless the City Council approves such changes as are consistent with the public purposes of this petition prior to enactment by the General Court.

John H. Horry

Gouncil Member

I hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council for which a quorum was present, the above Order was adopted by a vote of $\underline{\mathscr{G}}$ for, $\underline{\mathscr{G}}$ against, and $\underline{\mathscr{G}}$ present on December 13, 2022.

Marilyn W. Pronovost, Council Clerk

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