

ORDINANCE NO. 1-85

TOWN OF EDGEWATER

DUTIES OF TOWN CONSTABLE

Whereas, effective January 1, 1985, pursuant to 1983 Wis. Act 532, Sec. 60.22(4) the Town Board shall determine the jurisdiction and duties of the town constable and;

Whereas, it is in the public interest and welfare to establish the jurisdiction and duties of the town constable of the Town of Edgewater, as provided herein,

Now, therefore, the Town Board of Supervisors of the Town of Edgewater, Sawyer County, does ordain as follows:

SEC. 1 Statutory Authority:

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- (4) Attend upon sessions of the Circuit Court in his county when required by the Sheriff
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- (7) Cause to be prosecuted all violations of law of which he has knowledge or information
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SEC. 3 Nonexclusivity:

A. Other Ordinance;

Adoption of this ordinance does not preclude the Town Board from adopting any other ordinance or providing for the enforcement of any other law or ordinance relating to the same or other matter

B. Other remedies:

the jurisdiction and duties of the town constable as stated herein shall not preclude the Town Board or any other town officer from proceeding under any ordinance or law or by any other enforcement method to enforce any ordinance, regulation or order

Sec. 4 Severability:

If any provision of this ordinance is invalid or unconstitutional, or if the application of this ordinance to any person or circumstance is invalid or unconstitutional, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not effect the provisions or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid or unconstitutional provision or application

Sec. 5 Effective Date:

This ordinance shall take effect August 1, 1985

THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF EDGEWATER ON JULY 9, 1985.

Filed this 9th day of July, 1985

Leila M. Geist, Clerk

Lawrence Wilkins  
TOWN CHAIRMAN

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