RESOLUTION # 2025 1112 Wisconsin Service Award Program

Resolution to Participate in the Wisconsin Service Award Program

WHEREAS, (The Town of Chicog) (operates a volunteer fire department)/(contracts with a volunteer fire company organized under Chapter 181 or 213)/(authorizes volunteer emergency technicians to provide emergency medical services) and thus utilizes the services of volunteer firefighters and emergency medical technicians; and

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin (State) has designed a service award program (Program), which allows private vendors to offer plans that provide benefits to volunteer firefighters and emergency medical technicians that render fire fighting and emergency medical services to a municipality that participates in the Program; and

WHEREAS, the State will match the annual contributions, made by a municipality choosing to participate in the Program on behalf of its volunteer firefighters and emergency medical technicians, up to a statutory maximum per individual, and

WHEREAS, (<u>The Town of Chicog</u>) wishes to participate in the Program for the benefit of its volunteer firefighters and emergency medical technicians, and agrees to abide by all pertinent state and federal statutes, regulations, rules, and procedures pertaining to the Program, as well as any requirements of the private vendor chosen by (<u>The Town of Chicog</u>); and

WHEREAS, (<u>The Town of Chicog</u>) agrees to develop standards for determining the service required of its volunteer firefighters and emergency medical technicians to qualify for an annual contribution;

NOW, THEREFORE, upon motion duly made and seconded, the $(\underline{Town\ Board\ Members})$ of the $(\underline{The\ Town\ of\ Chicog})$ passed the following Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED that (<u>The Town of Chicog</u>) hereby declares that it shall participate in the State of Wisconsin Service Award Program and shall abide by all pertinent statutes, rules, regulations, procedures, and other requirements of the Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all funds necessary to provide for annual contributions now and in the future under the Program be appropriated at the designated time lines set forth by the State of Wisconsin.

Introduced and adopted this 13 day of November 20 25

APPROVED:

Scott Pahos / Town Chairman

Sue Kowarsch – 2nd Supervisor

Attested By: Teresa Corrie - Town Cler

Brian Berg – 1st Supervisor