## TOWN OF NASHVILLE INDIANA ORDINANCE NO. 2021-06

## AN ORDINANCE ABOLISHING TOWN LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS AND PROVIDING THAT ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS BE ELECTED "AT LARGE"

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 36-5-2-5 provides that a Town Council may establish by ordinance whether its members be elected as representatives of the Town legislative Body Districts in which they reside or by the population of the Town as a whole or a combination of both, and;

**WHEREAS,** The Town of Nashville has heretofore established by ordinance that its membership shall be five members, one elected from each of the three legislative districts and two elected at large (Town of Nashville Indiana Code of Ordinances Section 30.30) and;

**WHEREAS,** Indiana Code 36-5-2-4.1(h) provides that a town with a population of 3500 or less may, by ordinance abolish legislative body districts in any year that a municipal election is not being held and;

**WHEREAS,** There being no municipal election in 2021 and the population of the Town being substantially less than 3500, the Town Council believes that Town governance can be better accomplished if the members were all elected at large;

## It is therefore **ORDAINED** as follows:

- 1. Town Legislative Body Districts 1, 2, and 3 are hereby abolished.
- 2. All members of the Town Council shall be elected at large.

All provisions of Section 30.30 of the Town of Nashville Code of Ordinances (Ord. 1995-12, Am. Ord 2002-08) inconsistent with the terms and intent of this ordinance are hereby **REPEALED.** 

This ordinance shall become effective upon passage and filing with the Clerk of the Brown Circuit Court.

It is so <b>ORDAINED</b> this 17th	day of JUNE 2021	
<b>FILED</b>	President Jane Gore yea nay	abstain
JUN 18 2021	Vice-President Alisha Gredy	abstain
CLERK BROWN CIRCUIT COURT	Council Member Nancy Crocker (yea) nay	abstain
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Bunda K. Yaung	Council Member Dave Rudd  vea nay	abstain
Clerk-Treasurer, Brenda K. Young		