

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-25**

WHEREAS, Mayor Roger Foster, after a courageous battle with cancer, passed away on the morning of July 31, 2019; and,

WHEREAS, with Mayor Foster’s passing, a vacancy was created in the office of the mayor of Crete, Nebraska; and,

WHEREAS, Nebraska state law designates the president of the city council as successor to the office of the mayor when a vacancy exists; and,

WHEREAS, the succession of the president of the city council to the office of mayor will create a vacancy in the elective office of councilmember for the First Ward of the City of Crete, Nebraska.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRETE, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. In accordance with Neb. Rev. Stat. § 32-568(3), the Council of the City of Crete, Nebraska formally recognizes the assumption of the President of the City Council and acting mayor, Dave Bauer, to the office of mayor for the remainder of the unexpired term.

Section 2. Public notice of the vacancy in the elective office of councilmember for the First Ward of the City of Crete, Nebraska shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation stating the office vacated and the length of the unexpired term.

Section 3. The issue of filling such vacancy shall be placed on the agenda for the next regular meeting of the Council; at which time, the Mayor shall submit the name of a qualified registered voter to fill the vacancy for the balance of the unexpired term, subject to Council approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2019.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk