

RESOLUTION NO. 26-1

**A RESOLUTION REGARDING ORGANIZATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
MONTICELLO, ARKANSAS FOR 2026.**

Whereas, Arkansas Code Annotated § 14-43-501, requires that the "governing body elected for each town or city shall annually in January assemble and organize the governing body;" and

Whereas, § 14-43-501 further requires the governing body to "judge the qualifications of its own members."

NOW THEREFORE, be resolved by the City Council of Monticello, Arkansas that for the biennium term beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026, the following were duly elected, and are qualified, as Aldermen of the City Council of Monticello, Arkansas, at an election held November 5, 2025, in Drew County, Arkansas and accepted as members of said City Council of Monticello, Arkansas:

Ward 1, Position 1 - Cedric Leonard

Ward 1, Position 2 - Al Peer

Ward 2, Position 1 - Craig McCray

Ward 2, Position 2 - Claudia Hartness

Ward 3, Position 1 - Michael James

Ward 3, Position 2 - Clarissa Pace

Ward 4, Position 1 - Mark Tiner

Ward 4, Position 2 - Michael Wigley

(End of Resolution)

ADOPTED on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2026.

  
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Jason Akers, Mayor

ATTESTED:

BY:   
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City Clerk/Treasurer