

**Town of Yountville**  
**Resolution Number 23-4209**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL APPOINTING AND APPROVING AN  
EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH THE TOWN MANAGER**

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**Recitals**

- A. The position of Town Manager became vacant on April 1, 2023 and the Town Council by adoption of Resolution Number 23-4191 appointed John Ferons to serve as the Interim Town Manager “to a date not beyond August 1, 2023”; and
- B. Yountville Municipal Code section 2.08.010 provides: “The Town Manager shall be appointed by the Council on the basis of administrative and executive abilities and serve at the pleasure of the Council”; and
- C. After an extensive recruitment process, the Town Council unanimously selected Bradford (“Brad”) Raulston to serve as the next Town Manager effective June 30, 2023; and
- D. The Town Council wishes to appoint and approve an employment agreement with Brad Raulston as Town Manager effective June 30, 2023 and thank John Ferons for his service as Interim Town Manager.

**Now therefore, the Town Council of the Town of Yountville does resolve as follows:**

- 1. The recitals above are true and correct and fully incorporated herein by reference.
- 2. The Town Council hereby appoints Brad Raulston as Town Manager effective June 30, 2023 and approves the employment agreement attached hereto as Exhibit “A”.
- 3. The Town Council hereby thanks John Ferons for his service as Interim Town Manager, which shall end at midnight on June 29, 2023.
- 4. This Resolution is hereby adopted and becomes effective and in full force immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** at a regular meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Yountville, State of California, held on this 6th day of June 2023 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

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Margie Mohler, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Eddy Gomez; Town Clerk