

**TO: Mayor and City Council**

**FROM: Jed Petersen, Public Works Director**

**SUBJECT: Seasonal Public Works Staff 2025**

**MEETING DATE: Tuesday, May 20, 2025**

### **BACKGROUND**

I am writing to formally recommend the approval of Mr. Chuck Widholm for rehire as a seasonal Public Works staff member for the City of Cannon Falls.

Chuck has faithfully served the city in this seasonal capacity for over 20 years. His extensive experience, reliability, and deep sense of pride in his work have made him an invaluable asset to our public works operations. He is especially well known for his attention to detail in mowing and maintaining the city's parks and properties, consistently ensuring that these public spaces are well-kept and visually appealing for residents and visitors alike.

Chuck's dedication and consistent performance have had a positive and visible impact on the overall appearance and reputation of our city spaces. His familiarity with the city's properties and his proven track record makes him an ideal candidate for the seasonal position once again.

### **REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION**

I respectfully request a motion and approval to move forward with the hiring of Chuck Widholm as a seasonal public works staff.