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From: **Janice Stamper** <jshads2@yahoo.com>

Date: Wed, Feb 24, 2021 at 1:04 PM

Subject: Elder Exception Request to Presbytery from Guerrant Memorial PC

To: Jerry Utt <statedclerk@transypby.org>

Cc: Fred Landrum <dfred.landrum@gmail.com>, Dan McIntyre <dan_mc@bellsouth.net>, Shirley Snell <sacsnell@yahoo.com>

Dear Jerry,

The congregation of Guerrant Memorial Presbyterian Church held a congregational meeting on February 7, 2021 and voted to request the Presbytery of Transylvania grant an exception to the elect Elder Dan McIntyre for another term. The church membership has declined and some are getting older so they do not have anyone else able to serve as an elder at this time.

I am attaching a copy of the minutes from the congregational meeting. The date of the meeting is incorrect in the minutes and we will correct that.

Please consider this email as the official letter from me as moderator of the Session. If you need a personally signed letter then please let me know.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
Janice A. Stamper
Moderator, Guerrant Memorial PC Session

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Jerry L. Utt, II
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GUERRANT MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Congregational: Congregational Meeting (Zoom)

Date: February 8, 2021 2:00 PM

Members Present: 6 Members of the congregation present and Presbyter Phillip Lotspeich and Moderator Rev. Janice Stamper

Meeting called to Order by Moderator Rev. Janice Stamper with Prayer

Moderator Rev. Janice Stamper declared that there was a quorum present,

The purpose of the meeting was to find a replacement for Elder Dan McIntyre who had completed his second term.

Reverend Stamper asked if there was anyone who would be willing to accept a nomination for the position. None were forthcoming. Hearing no volunteers she requested a motion to petition the Presbytery for permission to extend Dan's service for another term. Conditions leading to this is that the congregation is very small and most of them have some disabilities that make it difficult to serve.

A motion was made by Shirley Snell and seconded by Patty Landrum to have the Moderator send a letter to the Presbytery requesting permission to extend Dan's term another 3 years. The motion carried.

It was announced by the Moderator that an additional congregational meeting would need to be held to officially elect Dan if the Presbyter granted permission.

There being no other business a motion was made by Fred Landrum and seconded by Dan McIntyre to adjourn.

Meeting was adjourned with prayer by Phillip Lotspeich.