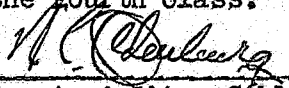


State of Minnesota
County of Sibley

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I, W. C. Oldenburg, Auditor in and for the County of Sibley do hereby certify that the hereto attached is a true and correct copy of the Proceedings on file in my office establishing the Village of Arlington in the County of Sibley as a City of the Fourth Class.


County Auditor, Sibley
County, Minnesota.

(Seal)

Submitted to the office of the
Secretary of the State of Minn-
esota this 19th. day of April
1947.

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PETITION TO ESTABLISH A CITY OF THE FOURTH CLASS
TO BE KNOWN AS THE CITY OF ARLINGTON.

TO THE COUNTY BOARD OF SIBLEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA:

The undersigned inhabitants of contiguous territory, not organized as a city and having a population of not less than one thousand inhabitants and not more than ten thousand inhabitants who are qualified to vote within the territory herein, designated as the territory proposed to be incorporated as a City of the fourth class, do hereby petition your Honorable Board to establish a City of the Fourth Class, and to call a special election to determine whether or not a city of the fourth class shall be established in the following described territory, all situated in Sibley County, to-wit:

Commencing at a point 1124.2 feet North and 33 feet East of the West quarter corner of Section 9 in Township 113, Range 27 West, Sibley County, Minnesota, which point is the NW corner of the Sibley County fair grounds; thence running East 110 feet; thence South 323 feet; thence East 1560.4 feet to the East boundary line of State Trunk Highway No. 5; thence continuing North 85 degrees East 2114 feet to a point in the center of High Island Creek; thence following the center of High Island Creek in a Southerly and Easterly direction approximately 700 feet to the center of the bridge on County Aid Road No. 1, said bridge being approximately 874 feet North of the East quarter corner of said Section 9; thence running due East 555 feet; thence South 874 feet to the present North boundary line of the Village of Arlington; thence due East on the present North boundary line of the Village of Arlington 579.34 feet to the Northeast corner of the Village of Arlington; thence South 1492 feet; thence West 579.34 feet; thence South 1148 feet; thence West 1872.3 feet; thence North 650 feet; thence West 3967.2 feet to a point of intersection with the East boundary line of the public highway now located on the West line of said section 9; thence North on the East boundary line of said highway 3125 feet to the point of beginning.

And your petitioners pray that said territory be divided into two wards, numbered 1 and 2, -ward No. 1 to consist of the following described territory, to-wit:

Commencing at the center of Main Street on the east boundary line of the Village of Arlington in Sibley County, Minn.; thence running South on said East boundary line 300 feet more or less to the Southeast corner of the Arlington Public Cemetery grounds, thence running West 579.34 feet; thence South 1148 feet; thence West 1872.3 feet; thence North 652 feet; thence West 3967.2 feet to the point of intersection with the East boundary line of the public highway now located on the West line of Section 9, Township 113, Range 27 West; thence North on the East boundary line of said highway approximately 1350 feet to the center line of Main Street in the said Village of Arlington extended due West to intersect the West boundary line of said Section Nine (9); thence East on the center line of Main Street in said Village extended 6418.84 feet more or less to place of beginning. Said Ward Number 1 shall include all territory South of Main Street in said Village of Arlington extended.

Said Ward No. 2 to consist of the following described territory, to-wit:

Commencing at a point 1124.2 feet North and 33 feet East of the West Quarter corner of Section 9 in Township 113, Range 27 West, Sibley County Minnesota, which point is the Northwest corner of the Sibley County Fair grounds; thence running East 1110 feet; thence South 323 feet; thence East 1560.4 feet to the East boundary line of State Trunk Highway No.5; thence continuing North 85 degrees East 2,114 feet to a point in the center of High Island Creek; thence following the center of High Island Creek in a Southerly and Westerly direction approximately 700 feet to the center of the Bridge on County Aid Road No.1, said bridge being approximately 874 feet North of the East quarter corner of said Section 9; thence running due East 555 feet; thence South 874 feet to the present North boundary line of the Village of Arlington; thence due East on the present North boundary line of the Village of Arlington 579.34 feet to the Northeast corner of the Village of Arlington; thence South on the East boundary line of said Village of Arlington 625 feet more or less to the center line of Main Street in said Village; thence West on the center line of Main Street in the Village of Arlington extended to the West boundary line of Section 9 in said Township; thence West on the center of Main Street in said village 6418.84 feet more or less to a point of intersection with the East boundary line of the public Highway now located on the West line of said Section 9; thence North on the East boundary line of said highway 1800 feet more or less to the point of beginning; said Ward No.2 to consist of all territory lying North of the center of Main Street in said Village of Arlington extended.

In support of said petition your petitioners state and represent that there are 1195 inhabitants in said above described territory and that 590 voters voted in said territory at the last general election for State officers, and that the residence of each signer on this petition is correctly stated opposite his signature.

WHEREFORE, your petitioners pray that a city of the fourth class, to be known as the City of Arlington, be established in said above described territory and that a special election be called to determine whether or not such city shall be incorporated as the City of Arlington, and that a resolution be adopted approving this petition, and that the time and place of holding such special election be designated in said resolution and specifying the location of the polling place in each ward all as provided in Section 1828-17 Mason's Statutes 1940 Supplement.

Dated, March 6, 1947.

| Petitioners | Residence |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <u>Geo. C. Noack</u> | <u>Arlington, Minnesota</u> |
| <u>C. W. Strebel</u> | <u>Arlington, Minnesota</u> |
| <u>Mabel L. Strebel</u> | <u>Arlington, Minnesota</u> |
| <u>O. S. Vesta</u> | <u>Arlington, Minnesota</u> |
| <u>Gertrude B. Vesta</u> | <u>Arlington, Minnesota</u> |

Petitioners

Residence

| | |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| Henry C. Menzel | Arlington, Minnesota |
| John G. Luff | Arlington, Minnesota |
| A. W. Luff | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Robert Hardel | Arlington, Minnesota |
| C. J. Sylvester | Arlington, Minnesota |
| A. E. Haupt | Arlington, Minnesota |
| E. C. Boettcher | Arlington, Minnesota |
| H. G. Hegdal | Arlington, Minnesota |
| D. W. Timm | Arlington, Minnesota |
| J. L. Wiemann | Arlington, Minnesota |
| O. E. Redman | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Emil Kleist | Arlington, Minnesota |
| W.H. Abraham | Arlington, Minnesota |
| A.R. Bullert | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Henry Wiemann | Arlington, Minnesota |
| R.L. Sander | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Denton Steffer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Peter Miller | Arlington, Minnesota |
| C. F. Timm | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Louis Kill | Arlington, Minnesota |
| A. A. Grimes | Arlington, Minnesota |
| L. Prinz | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Doris Kjelstad | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Florence Kruger | Arlington, Minnesota |
| E.A. Scharping | Arlington, Minnesota |
| H. F. Tuchtenhagen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. H. Tuchtenhagen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. C. Schafer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| C.A. Schafer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Herman Buesing | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Edna Gasta | Arlington, Minnesota |
| R. W. Fisher | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. I.L. Jaerhs | Arlington, Minnesota |
| H. W. Kruger | Arlington, Minnesota |

Petitioners.

Residence.

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| Walter Beseke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| G.W. Bongard | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Emil Schauer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Leslie Renneke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| T. G. Burke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| C.R. Mueller | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Allan E. Mueller | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Arthur A. Strauch | Arlington, Minnesota |
| E.M. Besch | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Bernice Barth | Arlington, Minnesota |
| O.H. Meyer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| O.H. Schwirtz | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Wm. F. Young | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Gilbert J. Hartmann | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Fred C. Stoefen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| John J. Curtin | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Jas. Curtin | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Harry A. Wright | Arlington, Minnesota |
| H.F. Stahl | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Herbert Lieske | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Geo. Dahl | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Wm. Beckmann | Arlington, Minnesota |
| H. J. Nyhammer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Edward Kleist | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Archie Battcher | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Cecelia M. Battcher | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Lillie M. Breitreutz | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Emil Delzer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Leonard Brau | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Harlan P. Jensen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| M. B. Jensen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Kasen Jensen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Pete Jensen | Arlington, Minnesota |

Petitioners.

Residence.

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| Wm. Duehlmeier | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Fred A. Rucks | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ernst Doering | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Frank Abraham | Arlington, Minnesota |
| P. E. Janitschke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| John Theis | Arlington, Minnesota |
| J.H. Henschke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| T.P. Martin | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. T. P. Martin | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Herbert H. Schmidt | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Leo Meyers | Arlington, Minnesota |
| R. W. Mueller | Arlington, Minnesota |
| H. C. Noack | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Kathleen Schafer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Alvin Brandt | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Augusta Tessmer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ida Sickmann | Arlington, Minnesota |
| George Meisner | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Martin Lentz | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Gerhardt Schmidt | Arlington, Minnesota |
| M. F. Noack | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Herbert Immel | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Norbert Rolfzen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Arthur E. Schmidt | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ben Bertrang | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Peter Bertrang | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Russell Bauer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Fred Brueshoff | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Alfred Goebel | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Abe Kleist | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Edward Bach | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Clarence V. Sweeney | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Leo. P. Sweeney | Arlington, Minnesota |

| Petitioners | Residence. |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| K. N. Thomes | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Hub Barge | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Agatha Thomes | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Albert C. Doering | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Marie Haggemiller | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Nick Hipp | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Edwin Spannaus | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Le Roy L. Pinske | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Hubert Pinske | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ernest ^{J.} Nickel | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Art Blake | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Clem Gasta | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Arvid Breyer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Alfred Dahlke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. W. H. Abraham | Arlington, Minnesota |
| F. L. Bandelin | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mary Brockhoff | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Bertha ZumHofe | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Andrew Beseke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Lida Gilhausen | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ella Fenske | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Union Merc. Co. | Arlington, Minnesota |
| E.N. Ehlers | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Minnie Meyer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Don Wieman | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Richard W. Kahle | Arlington, Minneosta |
| Harry Woelpern | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Wm. Sauter | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Fred Matz | Arlington, Minnesota |
| E. R. Spannaus | Arlington, Minnesota |
| John Mehlhop | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Alma Schutz | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Elizabeth Meyers | Arlington, Minnesota |

Petitioners.

Residence

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| Norman G. Lentz | |
| Mrs. H. G. Hegdal | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Math Hagenmiller | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Math. Hagenmiller | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Walter M. Fredrickson | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Clarence V. Sweeney | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Cecilia Olson | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Adolph Pickelmann | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ben A. Meyer | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Joe J. Weckop | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ben G. Luecks | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ted Lueck | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Edw. Weihe | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Anna Barth | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mrs. Albert Doering | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Jonas Doerr | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Mabel Rucks | Arlington, Minnesota |
| W. J. Schneider | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Eddie L Meyers | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Raymond F. Theis | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ernst Wiemann | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Fred G. Meier | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Herman Bullert | Arlington, Minnesota |
| James Monahan | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Edmund Haas | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Emil Wolff | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Raymond F. Luepke | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Ivan Nagel | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Emil Zaske | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Gust P. Knapp | Arlington, Minnesota |
| Adolph Weihe | Arlington, Minnesota |
| | Arlington, Minnesota |
| | Arlington, Minnesota |
| | Arlington, Minnesota |

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)ss
COUNTY OF SIBLEY)

John Luff, Henry Menzel and H. G. Hegdal being each duly sworn, each for himself says, that he is one of the petitioners on the within petition; that he has read said petition and knows the contents thereof and that the statements made in said petition are true of his own knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 6th. day of March 1947.

Henry Menzel

John G. Luff

H.G.Hegdal

O.S.Vesta
O. S. Vesta.
Notary Public, Sibley County, Minn.
My commission expires April 17, 1948.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)ss
COUNTY OF SIBLEY)

A. E. Haupt being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is the person who procured the first 107 signatures to the within petition and that he knows of his own personal knowledge that each signature on said petition procured by him as aforesaid is the genuine signature of the elector whose name purports to be thereto subscribed, and that each signer is an elector duly qualified to vote within the territory designated in the petition as the territory proposed to be incorporated as a city of the fourth class.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 8th. day of March, 1947.

A.E. Haupt

O.S. Vesta
O. S. Vesta.
Notary Public, Sibley County, Minnesota.
My commission expires April 17, 1948.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)ss
County of Sibley)

Elmer Boettcher, being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is the person who circulated the within petition and procured all excepting the first 107 signatures to said petition, that he knows of his own personal knowledge that each signature procured by him on said petition is the genuine signature of the electors whose name purports to be thereto subscribed, and that each signer is an elector duly qualified to vote within the territory proposed to be incorporated as a city of the Fourth Class.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
10th. day of March 1947

Elmer Boettcher

O.S. Vesta (O.S.Vesta)
Notary Public Sibley County, Minnesota
My commission expires April 17, 1948.

PART OF THE PROCEEDINGS HAD BY THE SIBLEY COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AT THEIR MEETING
HELD ON MARCH 12TH. 1947.

WHEREAS, A petition has been filed with the County Auditor of Sibley County, Minnesota, and presented to the County Board of said County at its regular meeting held at the Court House in the Village of Gaylord, Minnesota, on the 12th. day of March 1947, praying that a city of the Fourth Class be established in the territory described in said petition, which embraces the Village of Arlington and adjoining land and,

WHEREAS, The County Board finds that said petition is in due form and complies with the provisions of Section 1828-17 Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1940 Supplement and,

WHEREAS, The County Board finds that said petition is duly signed by not less than one fourth of the qualified voters residing in the territory proposed to be incorporated as a city and voted in said territory at the last preceding general election for state officers, and that said petition has been duly verified as provided by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved that said petition be and the same is hereby approved and that a Special Election be called to determine whether or not such city shall be incorporated as the City of Arlington, said Special election to be held in said territory on the 15th. day of April 1947, and the location of the polling places in each ward shall be as follows:

The polling place in Ward No. 1, being the territory South of Main Street extended, in the Village of Arlington, shall be the Village Hall in said Village, and the polling place in Ward No. 2 being the territory North of Main Street, extended, in said Village, shall be the Power House in said Village, and that the polls shall be open from 8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

That the following named legally qualified voters residing in said proposed City be and are hereby appointed inspectors of election, to-wit: Mrs. Ruby Torrey, Mrs. Edward Brockhoff and Mrs. Agnes Luff, who shall supervise the holding of said election and conduct the same in accordance with the laws applicable to the election of Village officers in such territory.

That the following named legally qualified voters residing in Ward No. 1 in said proposed City, be and are hereby appointed Judges of said election, to-wit: Fred Soeffker, Henry Wiemann, A.W. Lieske, and the following legally qualified voters residing in said proposed City are hereby appointed to act as clerks of said election in said Ward No. 1, to-wit: Clarence Sylvester, Elmer Boettcher, and the following named qualified voters residing in said Ward No. 2 are hereby appointed to act as Judges of said election, to-wit: Edmund Haas, Vern Tuchtenhagen, Carl Paplau, and that the following named legally qualified voters residing in said proposed City be and the same are hereby appointed to act as clerks in said election in said Ward No. 2, to-wit: A.E. Haupt, and Fred Rucks,

That the form of notice of such special election shall be as prescribed in the notice hereto attached, "Marked Exhibit A."

Ray J. Molitor moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution and was seconded by G.W. Antonsen and upon being put to a vote was adopted by unanimous vote of the Board.

"Exhibit A "NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That pursuant to a resolution duly adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Sibley County, Minnesota, a special election will be held on the 15th. day of April 1947, in the Village of Arlington in Sibley County, Minnesota, for the purpose of determining whether or not the Village and adjoining territory as described in the petition on file in the office of the County Auditor of said County shall be incorporated as a city of the Fourth Class.

The polling place for all persons residing in Ward No. 1, being all territory South of Main Street extended in said Village, shall be in the Village Hall in the said Village of Arlington, and the polling place in Ward No. 2, being all territory North of Main Street extended shall be in the Power House in the said Village.

The polls will be open from 8:00 o'clock, A.M. to 8:00 o'clock P.M.

Attest: W.C. Oldenburg
County Auditor and ex-officio
Clerk of the Board.

Fred C Hebeisen
Chairman of the Board.

Filed March 12th. 1947
W. C. Oldenburg
County Auditor

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss
COUNTY OF SIBLEY)

Jonas Doerr, being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is the duly elected, qualified and acting constable in the Village of Arlington.

That on the 17th. day of March, 1947 he posted five copies of the attached petition, resolution and notice of election in five conspicuous places in said proposed city, to-wit:

One on front door of the Town Hall in the Township of Arlington in Sibley County, Minnesota.

One on the front door in the Village Hall in the Village of Arlington in said County.

One on the front door of the Power House in the Village of Arlington in said County.

One on an electric light pole at the Southeast corner of Block 7 in the Village of Arlington in said county.

One on electric light post at the Southeast corner of Block number Five (5) in Streissguth's Addition to the Village of Arlington in said county.

That said notices were all posted in five consecutive places in said proposed city more than twenty days prior to the date of said election.

Jonas Doerr

Subscribed and Sworn to before
me this 27th. day of March, 1947.

O. S. Vesta

O. S. Vesta.

Notary Public, Sibley County, Minn.
My commission expires April 17, 1948

Filed this 14th. day of April
1947.

W. C. Oldenburg,
County Auditor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
County of Sibley.)SS.

.....Louis Kill.....being duly sworn on oath says:that he now is,and during all the times herein stated has been the publisher and printer of the newspaper known as The Arlington Enterprise,and has full knowledge of the facts herein stated.

That for more than one year immediately prior to the publication therein of the printed....Notice of Special Election of.....the Village of Arlington.....hereto attached,said newspaper was printed and published in the English language from its known office of publication within the Village of Arlington,in the County of Sibley,State of Minnesota, on Thursday of each week in column and sheet form equivalent in space to 450 running inches of single column two inches wide;has been issued from a known office established in said place of publication equipped with skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same and the presswork on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community which it purports to serve,was done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in makeup not less than twenty-five percent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve;that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication,and has not been entirely made up of patents,plate matter and advertisements;has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second-class matter in its local postoffice;and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of Sibley County,Minnesota,the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts,showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existance of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

That the....notice.....hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper,and was printed and published therein in the English language,once each week,for.2... successive weeks; that it was first so published on Thursday,the.20th.day of.March 194.7., and thereafter on Thursday of each week to and including the.27th.day of.March.....194.7...; and that the following is a

printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z,both inclusive,and is hereby acknowledged to be the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice to-wit:

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz---8-pt.

.....Louis Kill.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.10th,day of April, 194.7.

.....O.S.Vesta.....
O.S.Vesta

My Commission expires.Apr.17,1948.

Notary Public,Sibley Co.Minnesota

Special Election

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That pursuant to a resolution duly adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Sibley County, Minnesota, a special election will be held on the 15th day of April, 1947 in the Village of Arlington in Sibley County, Minnesota, for the purpose of determining whether or not the Village of Arlington and adjoining territory was described in the petition on file in the office of the County Auditor of said county shall be incorporated as a city of the fourth class.

The polling places for all persons residing in ward No. 1, being all territory South of Main Street extended in said Village, shall be in the Village Hall in the said Village of Arlington, and the polling place in Ward No. 2, being all territory north of Main street extended, shall be in the Power House in said Village.

The polls will be opened from 8:00 o'clock, A. M. to 8:00 o'clock P. M.

Dated March 12, 1947.

W. C. Oldenburg,
County Auditor.

Filed this 14th day of April
1947.

W.C. Oldenburg,
County Auditor.

"Exhibit A"

SPECIAL ELECTION BALLOT
FOR INCORPORATION OF THE CITY
OF ARLINGTON:

Yes () No ()

If you want to vote in favor of the proposition place your crossmark(X) in the square opposite the word "YES". If you want to vote against the proposition place your crossmark in the square opposite the word "NO".

JUDGE'S AND CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

WARD # 1

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)SS
COUNTY OF SIBLEY)

We, the undersigned qualified voters in the territory proposed to be incorporated as the City of Arlington, do hereby certify that we are the duly qualified, appointed, and acting Judges and Clerks respectively in Ward #1 in said territory of the special election held in the Village Hall in the Village of Arlington, Sibley County, Minnesota on the 15th. day of April, 1947 for the purpose of voting on the question "For Incorporation of the City of Arlington".

That the Polls at said election were duly opened at the hour of 8 A.M., on said day, and were kept continuously and uninterruptedly open until the hour of 8 P.M., of the same day; that true and correct sample ballot as used at the election is hereto attached marked "Exhibit A"; that at said election a poll book and talley list were duly kept by us, in which the names of the persons voting were duly kept, and a record of the votes cast was duly tabulated; that upon the closing of the polls at said election the votes cast thereat were duly canvassed, and the result of said canvass was as follows:

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|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Votes Cast..... | <u>207</u> |
| Number of Votes for..... | <u>171</u> |
| Number of Votes against..... | <u>36</u> |
| Defaced and Blank Ballots..... | <u>None</u> |

And we do further certify that more than 3/5 of the votes cast were in the affirmative.

Dated this 15th.day of April, 1947.

Fred A. Soeffker
Henry Wiemann
A.W.Lieske) JUDGES
E.C. Boettcher) CLERKS
Clarence J. Sylvester)

"Exhibit A"
 SPECIAL ELECTION BALLOT
 FOR INCORPORATION OF THE CITY
 OF ARLINGTON:

Yes () No ()

If you want to vote in favor of the proposition place your crossmark (X) in the square opposite the word "YES". If you want to vote against the proposition place your crossmark in the square opposite the word "NO".

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JUDGE'S AND CLERKS CERTIFICATE

WARD # 2

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)SS
 COUNTY OF SIBLEY)

We, the undersigned qualified voters in the territory proposed to be incorporated as the City of Arlington, do hereby certify that we are the duly qualified, appointed, and acting Judges and Clerks respectively in Ward # 2 in said territory of the special election held in the Power House in the Village of Arlington, Sibley County, Minnesota on the 15th. day of April, 1947 for the purpose of voting on the question "For Incorporation of the City of Arlington."

That the polls at said election were duly opened at the hour of 8 A.M., on said day, and were kept continuously and uninterruptedly open until the hour of 8 P.M., of the same day; that true and correct sample ballot as used at the election is hereto attached marked "Exhibit A"; that at said election a poll book and tally list were duly kept by us, in which the names of the persons voting were duly kept, and a record of the votes cast was duly tabulated; that upon the closing of the polls at said election the votes cast thereat were duly canvassed, and the result of said canvass was as follows:

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|-------------------------------|------|
| Total Votes Cast..... | 306 |
| Number of votes for..... | 269 |
| Number of votes against..... | 37 |
| Defaced and Blank Ballots.... | None |

And we do further certify that more than 3/5 of the votes cast were in the affirmative.

Dated this 15th. day of April, 1947.

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| _____ |) | |
| Edmund Hagg | | |
| _____ |) | |
| Vern Tuchtenhagen | | |
| _____ |) | JUDGES |
| Carl Paplau | | |
| _____ |) | CLERKS |
| A.E. Haupt | | |
| _____ |) | |
| Fred A Rucks | | |

INSPECTOR'S CERTIFICATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) SS
 COUNTY OF SIBLEY)

We, the undersigned qualified voters in the territory proposed to be incorporated as the City of Arlington appointed by a resolution of the County Board of Sibley County, Minnesota on the 12th day of March, 1947 do hereby certify that we are the duly qualified appointed, and acting inspectors for the special election held in the Village of Arlington in Sibley County, Minnesota on the 15th day of April, 1947 and the polling place in Ward # 1 in said territory was in the Village Hall in said village and the polling place for Ward #2 was in the power house in said village. That the polls were open from 8 o'clock A.M. to 8 o'clock P.M.

That when the polls were closed the Judges and Clerks of said election counted the votes and recorded the results of the election tabulating the same and delivered said results and tabulations to the undersigned inspectors of election. That thereupon, we the undersigned inspectors of election canvassed the ballots cast thereat and the number cast both for and against said proposition and the result of said canvass was as follows:

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| WARD # 1 | |
| Total Votes Cast | <u>207</u> |
| Votes for Incorporating. | <u>171</u> |
| Votes against Incorporating. | <u>36</u> |
| Defaced & Blank Ballots. | <u>None</u> |
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| WARD # 2 | |
| Total Votes Cast | <u>306</u> |
| Votes for Incorporating. | <u>269</u> |
| Votes against Incorporating. | <u>37</u> |
| Defaced and Blank Ballots. | <u>None</u> |

And we do further certify that more than 3/5 of the votes cast were in the affirmative and that said proposition was thereupon declared to have carried.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1947.

 Ruby Torrey Inspectors
 Agnes Luff Of
 Malinda Brockhoff (Mrs. Ed) Election

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)SS
COUNTY OF SIBLEY)

Mrs. Ruby Torrey, Mrs. Agnes Luff, and Mrs.
Edward Brockhoff, being each duly sworn on oath, says each for
herself that they are the inspectors of election mentioned
in the foregoing certificate, that they have read said certificate
and know the contents thereof and that the same is true of
their own knowledge.

Ruby Torrey INSPECTORS

Agnes Luff Of

Malinda Brockhoff (Mrs. Ed) ELECTION

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 15th.day of April, 1947.

O. S. Vesta
O.S. Vesta
Notary Public Sibley County, Minnesota
My Commission expires April 17, 1948.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
County of Sibley) ss
Village of Arlington)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
15 day of April 19 47)
Fred A Rucks)
Village Clerk

I, Malinda Brockoff
do solemnly swear that I will perform the duties
of Inspector of this election according to law, and
the best of my ability; and will studiously endeavor
to prevent fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting this
election. So help me God.

Malinda Brockhoff

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
County of Sibley) ss
Village of Arlington)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
15 day of April 19 47)
Fred A Rucks)
Village Clerk

I, Ruby Torrey
do solemnly swear that I will perform the duties
of Inspector of this election according to law, and
the best of my ability; and will studiously endeavor
to prevent fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting this
election. So help me God.

Ruby Torrey

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
County of Sibley) ss
Village of Arlington)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
15 day of April 19 47)
Fred A. Rucks)
Village Clerk

I, Agnes Luff
do solemnly swear that I will perform the duties
of Inspector of this election according to law, and
the best of my ability; and will studiously endeavor
to prevent fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting this
election. So help me God.

Agness Luff

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