Special Laws of Minnesota for 1877.

# Chapter 4.

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE VILLAGE OF EXCELSIOR, IN THE COUNTY OF HENNEPIN,

### AND STATE OF MINNESOTA

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. The following described territory in the county of Hennepin and State of Minnesota, to-wit: South half  $(\frac{1}{2})$  of section twenty-seven (27), northeast quarter  $(\frac{1}{4})$  east half  $(\frac{1}{2})$  of east half  $(\frac{1}{2})$  of north-west quarter  $(\frac{1}{4})$ , and lot four  $(\frac{1}{4})$  of section thirty-four  $(\frac{3}{4})$  northwest quarter  $(\frac{1}{4})$ , and north half  $(\frac{1}{2})$  of north-west quarter  $(\frac{1}{4})$  of section thirty-five (35), in township number one hundred and seventeen (117), north range twenty-three (23) west, be and the same is hereby set apart for incorporation as the village of Excelsion.

Sec. 2. That the following named persons are designated as commissioners under the General Laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (1875), providing for the organization of villages in the State of Minnesota, to post notices of the first election, and to conduct the same in said village, to-wit: Charles B. Sheldon, R. B. HcGrath, and Dave Connor.

Sec. 3. That upon organization, as directed in the General Laws aforesaid of this State, the said territory shall constitute the village of Excelsion, and the inhabitants thereof shall theroupon be endowed with all the rights, powers and duties therein prescribed for organizing villages in this State.

Sec. 4. The village council shall have power and authority—
First.—To direct and regulate the planting and preservation of ornamental trees
in the streets, alleys, highways, and public gounds of the village.

Second. To lay out, alter, open, widen, extend, establish, grade, repair, or otherwise improve or keep in repair, streets, alleys, commons, sidewalks, ditches, sewers and public grounds, and they may establish and record with the recorder, grade of streets or sidewalks, with which buildings and directions shall conform.

Third.—To regulate the landing of steemers and other boats; to build wharves and docks, and to make any other improvements for the accommodation of the public, on all the shore of Lake Minnetonka abutting on any street, highway, common, or other public property in the said village of Excelsior, and to have entire control of the same.

Sec. 5. The village council shall have the power and authority to open, lay out, or vacate streets and alleys within the limits of said village, which is conferred by the general laws of the State upon boards of supervisors, of townships, to open, alter, discontinue or lay out roads, and in the matter of opening, laying out or vacating streets or alleys, and the assessment of damages. The common council shall be governed by and act under the general laws of the State, providing for altering, discontinuing and laying out roads; and appeals may be taken in the same manner to the county commissioners as appeals are, under the general laws, taken from the decisions of township supervisors.

Sec. 6. And be it further provided that the village council of the said village of Excelsion are hereby prohibited from granting any license for the vending, dealing in or disposing of spirituous, vinous, malt, or fermented liquors, as provided for in section thirteen (13) of chapter one hundred and thirty-nine (139) of the General Laws



COUNTY AUDITOR

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HENNEPIN COUNTY

Additional area added to the Village of Excelsion from the Township of Excelsion, November 20, 1945, and filed in Book 464 of Misc. Page 142 as document No. 2325583 in the office of the Register of Deeds, Hennepin County, Minnesota which includes Lots 185-301 and E. 2 of Lot 201, Auditor's Sub. No. 135 and Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, and Lots 25 to 32, inclusive, and Lots 39-40-42-43 and 44. Academy Add.

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#### ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to extend the Boundaries of The Village of Excelsion and Incorporate Additional Territory Therein.

The Village Council of Excelsior do ordain:

Section 1. Village Boundaries Extended. -- Pursuant to a petition duly signed by the sole owner of the land abutting upon the Village of Excelsior described as follows:

That part of Lot One Hundred Wight (108), Auditor's Subdivision Number One Hundred and Twenty Hennepin County, Minnesota, lying easterly of the corporate limits of the Village of Excelsion as now located according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for Hennepin County, Minnesota.

the territorial limits of this village are hereby extended to include the aforesaid territory within its said limits and the aforesaid lands shall hereafter be a part of the Village and shall be governed as other territory of the Village is governed.

Section 2. Copy to be filed with the Register of Deeds. -- The Village Clerk is hereby directed to forward a certified copy of this ordinance to the Register of Deeds for record in his office.

Section 3. Effect. The aforesaid territory shall be annexed to the Village upon the adoption hereof.

Passed the Council this 7th day of January, 1947. Approved:

V. C. Arnold. President of Council.

ATTEST:

STEVE EDDY

Clerk

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#### ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO EXTEND THE BOUNDARIES OF THE VILLAGE OF EXCELSIOR AND IN-CORPORATE ADDITIONAL TERRITORY THEREIN.

The Village Council of Excelsior do ordain:

Section 1. Village Boundaries Extended. Pursuant to a petition duly signed by a majority of the owners of the land abutting upon the Village of Excelsion, described as follows:

The West 110 feet of Lot 201. Auditor's Subdivision Number 135, Hennepin County, Minnesota, and Lot 302, Auditor's Subdivision Number 135 Hennepin County, Minnesota,

the territorial limits of this Village are hereby extended to include the aforesaid territory within its said limits and the aforesaid lands shall hereafter be a part of the Village and shall be governed as other territory of the Village is governed.

Section 2. Copy to be filed with the Register of Deeds. The Village Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Ordinance to the Register of Deeds.

Section 3. Effect. The aforesaid territory shall be annexed to the Village upon the adoption hereof.

Passed the Council this 18th day of February, 1947. Approved:

V. C. ARNOLD, President of Council.

Attest: STEVE EDDY.

Clerk.

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EXCELSIOR AND INCORPORATE ADDITIONAL TERRITORY THEREIN.

The village council of Excelsior do ordain:

Section 1. Village Boundaries Extended. -- Fursuant to a petition duly signed by the owner of the land abutting upon the Village of Excelsion described as follows:

Lot Twenty-three (23), "Auditor's Subdivision Number 313, Hennepin County, Minnesota", according to the plat thereof in file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Hennepin County,

the territorial limits of this village are hereby extended to include the aforesaid territory within its said limits and the aforesaid lands shall hereafter be a part of the village and shall be governed as other territory of the village is governed.

Section 2. Copy to be filed with Register of Deeds. The Village Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this ordinance to the register of deeds of Hennepin County.

Section 3. Effect. -- The aforesaid territory shall be annexed to the Village upon the adoption hereof.

Passed the council this 12th day of August, 1947

Approved:

(SEAL)

M. W. LYONS

President of Council

Attest:

STEVE EDDY Clerk

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