

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Whereas, a Certificate of Due Organization of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District, with location at Baudette, Minnesota, as a governmental subdivision of this state and a public body corporate and politic, was issued by this office on the 5th day of June, 1952; thereafter on the thirtieth day of June, 1961 said name was changed to Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District; and

Whereas Fred Oberg, Baudette, Minnesota, Norman Clementson, Baudette, Minnesota, Wallace M. Mason, Williams, Minnesota, Presley G. Williamson, Baudette, Minnesota and John Grove, Roosevelt, Minnesota, presented to this office on the 18th day of May, 1972, an application in the form required by law for a certificate of inclusion of additional territory with said Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District, and

Whereas, the said application was accompanied by a statement from the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission in the form required by law; and

Whereas, the said application and statement have been filed in this office as required by law;

Now, Therefore, it is hereby certified that the additional territory described in said application, namely,

All state-owned lands in Lake of the Woods County including the Northwest Angle

has been duly included within the said Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District.

In Testimony Whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and have
affixed the Great Seal of the
State of Minnesota at the
Capitol in St. Paul, this 18th
day of May, A. D. 1972.

Allen D. Erdahl

SECRETARY OF STATE.

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF INCLUSION OF ADDITIONAL TERRITORY
WITHIN THE LAKE OF THE WOODS SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Hon. Arlen I. Erdahl

Secretary of State

State Office Building, St. Paul, Minnesota

The undersigned supervisors of the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District respectfully represent:

1. That heretofore the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District was duly organized as a governmental subdivision of this State, and a public body corporate and politic, as will more particularly appear by the certificate of organization of said district recorded in your office on the 5th day of June, 1952.

2. That pursuant to the provisions of the Soil Conservation Districts Law (Minnesota Statutes 1949, Chapter 40 and all acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto), a petition for the inclusion of additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District was filed with the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission; that the proceedings specified in the said act were taken pursuant to the said petition as more fully appears in the statement by the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission hereto attached and made a part of this application; that this application is being filed in order that said additional territory may be included within the said district and become a part thereof, as provided by the said act; and that the undersigned are the duly appointed and elected supervisors of the said Soil and Water Conservation District.

3. That the names and official residences of the undersigned supervisors are as follows:

<u>Fred Oberg</u> Name	<u>Baudette</u> Address
<u>Norman Clementson</u> Name	<u>Baudette</u> Address
<u>Wallace M. Mason</u> Name	<u>Williams</u> Address
<u>Presley C. Williamson</u> Name	<u>Baudette</u> Address
<u>John Grove</u> Name	<u>Roosevelt</u> Address

That certified copies of the appointments of the appointed supervisors, and certificates of election of the elected supervisors evidencing their right to office are submitted herewith.

4. That the principal office of the supervisors of the said district is located at Baudette, Minnesota.

5. That the boundaries of the said additional territory were defined by the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission as follows:

All state-owned lands in Lake of the Woods County including the Northwest Angle.

Wherefore, the undersigned supervisors of the said district respectfully request that the Secretary of State make and issue to the undersigned supervisors a certificate, under the seal of the State, of the due inclusion of the said additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District.

Fred Oberg
Norman Clementson
Wallace Mason
Presley C. Williamson
John Grove

STATE OF MINNESOTA }
COUNTY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS } SS

Fred Oberg, Norman Clementson, Wallace M. Mason, Presley G. Williamson, and John Grove, whose names are subscribed to the foregoing application, state that the matters and things therein contained are true and correct.

Fred Oberg

Norman Clementson

Wallace Mason

Presley G. Williamson

John Grove

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of

May, 1972.

Edith O'Connor

Edith O'Connor, County Auditor
Lake of the Woods County
Baudette, Minn.

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Arlen J. Edahl
Secretary of State

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS } SS

I, Edith O'Connor, a County Auditor
in and for the county and state aforesaid do certify that Fred Oberg,
Norman Clementson, Wallace M. Mason, Presley C. Williamson, and
John Grove, whose names are signed to the foregoing application,
are personally known to me and know by me to be the officers as
affirmed therein, and that each has subscribed thereto in my
presence. Given under my hand and seal this 3 day of
May, 1972.

Edith O'Connor

Edith O'Connor, County Auditor
Lake of the Woods County
Baudette, Minn.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Arlen J. Edsall
Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

IN THE MATTER OF THE INCLUSION OF }
ADDITIONAL TERRITORY WITHIN THE }
LAKE OF THE WOODS SOIL AND WATER }
CONSERVATION DISTRICT }

Statement by the
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

Be it known that on the 4th day of April, 1972, a petition for the inclusion of additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District, signed by all of the land occupiers, was duly filed in the office of the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission;

That on the 4th day of April, 1972, the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission did duly determine that there is need in the interest of the public health, safety and welfare, for including the additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District and did define the boundaries of such additional territory;

That in consideration of the fact that all of the land occupiers in the proposed additional territory have signed the above mentioned petition, and that the number of the said land occupiers in the said territory is less than twenty-five which permits the State Commission to take action without first conducting a referendum;

That thereafter on the 4th day of April, 1972, the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission did duly determine that inclusion of the said additional territory within the said district is administratively practicable and feasible;

That the boundaries of the said additional territory were defined by the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission as follows:

All state-owned lands in Lake of the Woods County including the Northwest Angle.

There shall be exempted from the area bounded by the above described boundaries all lands used exclusively for religious, school or burial purposes; and until July 1, 1972, all parts and parcels of lands in cities, towns and villages which lands are used principally for residential purposes or for business purposes other than farming, and all lands in rural or urban areas of three acres or less. After July 1, 1972, the parcels of lands in cities, towns and villages become part of the district involved.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission has caused these presents to be executed by its secretary, this 17th day of May, 1972.

Marshall W. Gualth

Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Arden J. Edsall
Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

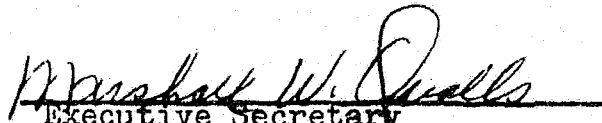
CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

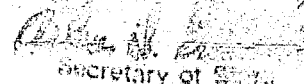
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 14th day of March, 1972,
within the **Lake of the Woods** Soil and Water
Conservation District, **Norman Clementson,**

Baudette, Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor
of the **Lake of the Woods** Soil and Water
Conservation District for the term of **five** years to expire
at the **1977** town election; that thereafter on the **6th** day
of **April**, 1972, the said **Norman Clementson**
entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and
that the said **Norman Clementson** is a duly
qualified supervisor of the said **Lake of the Woods**
Soil and Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and
Water Conservation Commission this **7th** day of **April**, 1972.


Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

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Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 9th day of March, 1971,
within the **Lake of the Woods** Soil and Water
Conservation District, **John Grove**,
Roosevelt , Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor of
the **Lake of the Woods** Soil and Water
Conservation District for the term of five years to expire
at the **1976** town election; that thereafter on the 7th day
of **April** , 1971, the said **John Grove**
entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and that
the said **John Grove** is a duly qualified
supervisor of the said **Lake of the Woods** Soil and
Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and executed
this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and Water Conser-
vation Commission this 8th day of **April** , 1971.

Marshall W. Qualls
Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

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John M. Qualls
Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 10th day of March, 1970,
within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water
Conservation District, Presley Williamson,
Baudette, Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor
of the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water
Conservation District for the term of five years to expire
at the 1975 town election; that thereafter on the 11th day
of March, 1970, the said Presley Williamson
entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and
that the said Presley Williamson is a duly
qualified supervisor of the said Lake of the Woods
Soil and Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and
Water Conservation Commission this 13th day of March, 1970.

Marshall W. Quake
Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

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Secretary of State

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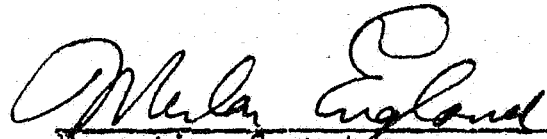
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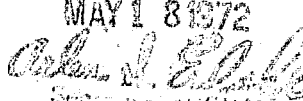
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 11th day of March, 1969,
within the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water**
Conservation District, **Wallace Nason, Williams,**

, Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor of the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water** Conservation District for the term of **5** years to expire at the **1974** town election; that thereafter on the **9th** day of **April**, 1969, the said **Wallace Nason** entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and that the said **Wallace Nason** is a duly qualified supervisor of the said **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water** Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission this **11th** day of **April**, 1969.


Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water Conservation Commission

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Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 12th day of March, 1968,
within the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water**

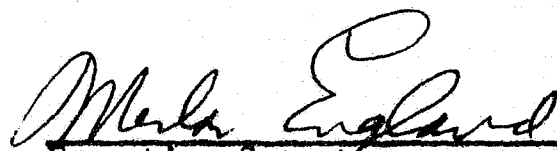
Conservation District, **Fred Oberg**

Baudette, Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor of the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water**

Conservation District for the term of 5 years to expire
at the **1973** town election; that thereafter on the **10th** day
of **April**, 1968, the said **Fred Oberg**

entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and
that the said **Fred Oberg** is a duly
qualified supervisor of the said **East Agassiz Soil and**
Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and
Water Conservation Commission this **15th** day of **April**, 1968.



Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water Conserva-
tion Commission

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Whereas, a Certificate of Due Organization of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District, with location at Baudette, Minnesota, as a governmental subdivision of this state and a public body corporate and politic, was issued by this office on the 5th day of June, 1952; thereafter on the thirtieth day of June, 1961 said name was changed to Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District; and

Whereas, Fred Oberg, Baudette, Minnesota, Norman Clementson, Baudette, Minnesota, Wallace M. Mason, Williams, Minnesota, Presley C. Williamson, Baudette, Minnesota and John Grove, Roosevelt, Minnesota, presented to this office on the 2nd day of February, 1972, an application in the form required by law for a certificate of inclusion of additional territory within said Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District, and

Whereas, the said application was accompanied by a statement from the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission in the form required by law; and

Whereas, the said application and statement have been filed in this office as required by law;

Now, Therefore, it is hereby certified that the additional territory described in said application, namely,

All ceded lands of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in the boundaries of Lake of the Woods County including the Northwest Angle

has been duly included within the said Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District.

In Testimony Whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and have
affixed the Great Seal of the
State of Minnesota at the
Capitol in St. Paul, this
second day of February, A. D.
1972.

Arlen D. Erdahl

SECRETARY OF STATE.

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF INCLUSION OF ADDITIONAL TERRITORY
WITHIN THE LAKE OF THE WOODS SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Hon. Arlen I. Erdahl

Secretary of State

State Office Building, St. Paul, Minnesota

The undersigned supervisors of the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District respectfully represent:

1. That heretofore the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District was duly organized as a governmental subdivision of this State, and a public body corporate and politic, as will more particularly appear by the certificate of organization of said district recorded in your office on the 5th day of June, 1952.

2. That pursuant to the provisions of the Soil Conservation Districts Law (Minnesota Statutes 1949, Chapter 40 and all acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto), a petition for the inclusion of additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District was filed with the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission; that the proceedings specified in the said act were taken pursuant to the said petition as more fully appears in the statement by the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission hereto attached and made a part of this application; that this application is being filed in order that said additional territory may be included within the said district and become a part thereof, as provided by the said act; and that the undersigned are the duly appointed and elected supervisors of the said Soil and Water Conservation District.

3. That the names and official residences of the undersigned supervisors are as follows:

<u>Fred Oberg</u> Name	<u>Baudette</u> Address
<u>Norman Clementson</u> Name	<u>Baudette</u> Address
<u>Wallace M. Mason</u> Name	<u>Williams</u> Address
<u>Presley C. Williamson</u> Name	<u>Baudette</u> Address
<u>John Grove</u> Name	<u>Roosevelt</u> Address

That certified copies of the appointments of the appointed supervisors, and certificates of election of the elected supervisors evidencing their right to office are submitted herewith.

4. That the principal office of the supervisors of the said district is located at Baudette, Minnesota.

5. That the boundaries of the said additional territory were defined by the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission as follows:

All ceded lands of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in the boundaries of Lake of the Woods County including the Northwest Angle.

Wherefore, the undersigned supervisors of the said district respectfully request that the Secretary of State make and issue to the undersigned supervisors a certificate, under the seal of the State, of the due inclusion of the said additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Arlen J. Edsall
Secretary of State

Fred Oberg
Norman Clementson
Wallace Mason
Presley C. Williamson
John Grove

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS)

Fred Oberg, Norman Clementson, Wallace M. Mason, Presley G. Williamson, and John Grove, whose names are subscribed to the foregoing application, state that the matters and things therein contained are true and correct.

Fred Oberg

Norman Clementson

Wallace Mason

Presley G. Williamson

John Grove

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of
December, 1971.

Edith O'Connor

County Auditor
(Title)

Edith O'Connor, County Auditor
Lake of the Woods County
Baudette, Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Arden J. Edsall
Secretary of State

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
COUNTY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS) SS

I, Edith O. Connor, a County Auditor
in and for the county and state aforesaid do certify that Fred Oberg,
Norman Clementson, Wallace M. Mason, Presley C. Williamson, and
John Grove, whose names are signed to the foregoing application,
are personally known to me and known by me to be the officers as
affirmed therein, and that each has subscribed thereto in my
presence. Given under my hand and seal this 8 day of
December, 1971.

Edith O'Connor

County Auditor
Title

Edith O'Connor, County Auditor
Lake of the Woods County
Baudette, Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Arden M. Erdahl
Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

IN THE MATTER OF THE INCLUSION OF)
ADDITIONAL TERRITORY WITHIN THE)
LAKE OF THE WOODS SOIL AND WATER)
CONSERVATION DISTRICT)

Statement by the
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

Be it known that on the 9th day of November, 1971, a petition for the inclusion of additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District, signed by all of the land occupiers, was duly filed in the office of the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission;

That on the 9th day of November, 1971, the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission did duly determine that there is need in the interest of the public health, safety and welfare, for including the additional territory within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District and did define the boundaries of such additional territory;

That in consideration of the fact that all of the land occupiers in the proposed additional territory have signed the above mentioned petition, and that the number of the said land occupiers in the said territory is less than twenty-five which permits the State Commission to take action without first conducting a referendum;

That thereafter on the 9th day of November, 1971, the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission did duly determine that inclusion of the said additional territory within the said district is administratively practicable and feasible;

That the boundaries of the said additional territory were defined by the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission as follows:

All ceded lands of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in the boundaries of Lake of the Woods County including the Northwest Angle.

There shall be exempted from the area bounded by the above described boundaries all lands used exclusively for religious, school or burial purposes; and until July 1, 1972, all parts and parcels of lands in cities, towns and villages which lands are used principally for residential purposes or for business purposes other than farming, and all lands in rural or urban areas of three acres or less. After July 1, 1972, the parcels of lands in cities, towns and villages become part of the district involved.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission has caused these presents to be executed by its secretary, this 1st day of February, 1972.

Marshall W. Swalls
Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
FILED

FEB 2 - 1972

Arlen J. Edsall
Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 9th day of March, 1971,
within the **Lake of the Woods** Soil and Water
Conservation District, **John Grove**,
Roosevelt , Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor of
the **Lake of the Woods** Soil and Water
Conservation District for the term of five years to expire
at the 1976 town election; that thereafter on the 7th day
of **April** , 1971, the said **John Grove**
entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and that
the said **John Grove** is a duly qualified
supervisor of the said **Lake of the Woods** Soil and
Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and executed
this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and Water Conser-
vation Commission this 8th day of **April** , 1971.

Marshall W. Qualls
Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Arthur J. Quinn
Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 10th day of March, 1970,
within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water
Conservation District, Presley Williamson,
Baudette, Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor
of the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water
Conservation District for the term of five years to expire
at the 1975 town election; that thereafter on the 11th day
of March, 1970, the said Presley Williamson
entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and
that the said Presley Williamson is a duly
qualified supervisor of the said Lake of the Woods
Soil and Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and
Water Conservation Commission this 13th day of March, 1970.

Marshall W. Quake
Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water
Conservation Commission

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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FEB 2 - 1972

Arthur J. Sullivan
Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 11th day of March, 1969,
within the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water**

Conservation District, **Wallace Mason, Williams,**

, Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor of the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water**

Conservation District for the term of **5** years to expire
at the **1974** town election; that thereafter on the **9th** day

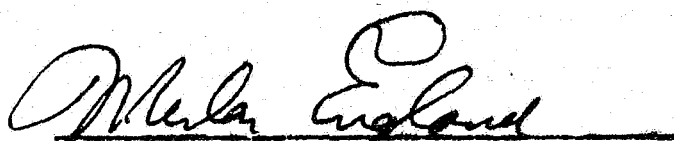
of **April**, 1969, the said **Wallace Mason**

entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and

that the said **Wallace Mason** is a duly

qualified supervisor of the said **Lake of the Woods Soil
and Water** Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and
Water Conservation Commission this **11th** day of **April**, 1969.


Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water Conserva-
tion Commission

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 12th day of March, 1968,
within the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water**

Conservation District, **Fred Oberg**

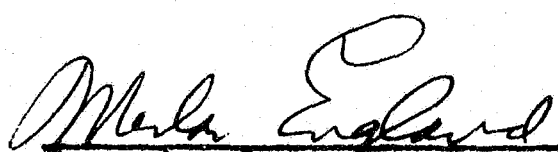
Baudette, Minnesota, was duly elected supervisor of the **Lake of the Woods Soil and Water**

Conservation District for the term of 5 years to expire
at the 1973 town election; that thereafter on the 10th day
of **April**, 1968, the said **Fred Oberg**

entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and

that the said **Fred Oberg** is a duly
qualified supervisor of the said **East Agassiz Soil and**
Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and
Water Conservation Commission this 15th day of **April**, 1968.


Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water Conservation Commission

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Secretary of State

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Minnesota

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at an election held on the 14th day of March, 1967,
within the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water

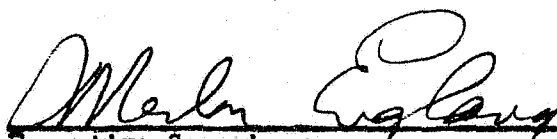
Conservation District, Norman Clementson,
Clementson, Minnesota, was duly elected super-

visor of the Lake of the Woods Soil and Water

Conservation District for the term of 5 years to expire
at the 1972 town election; that thereafter on the 3rd day
of May, 1967, the said Norman Clementson

entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the
said district by taking the prescribed oath of office, and
that the said Norman Clementson is a duly
qualified supervisor of the said Lake of the Woods Soil and
Water Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
executed this certificate as Secretary of the State Soil and
Water Conservation Commission this 4th day of May, 1967.


Executive Secretary
State Soil and Water Conservation Commission

Be it resolved by the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District supervisors that the name of the district be changed from Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District to Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District. Adopted.

State of Minnesota)
) SS
County of Lake of the Woods)

I, Everett Helmstetter, Secretary of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District, do hereby certify that the above resolution relating to the change of the name of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District was adopted by the said district supervisors at a regular meeting held on May 3, 1961 1961, that I have compared it with the original resolution as set forth in the minutes of said meeting and that copy is a true and correct copy of and transcript from said original and the whole thereof. I further certify that said meeting of the board was duly called and held, that a quorum of the members of said board was present thereat, and that said resolution was duly adopted thereat by unanimous vote of the members present.

Signed Everett Helmstetter
Secretary, Lake of the Woods
Soil Conservation District

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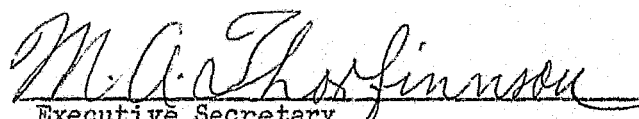
Joseph L. Asanum
Secretary of State

Resolved by the Minnesota State Soil Conservation Committee that the change of name of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District to Lake of the Woods Soil and Water Conservation District, as set forth in resolution adopted by the supervisors of said district May 3, 1961, is hereby approved.

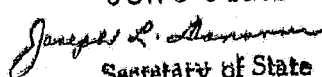
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State of Minnesota)
) SS
County of Ramsey)

I, M. A. Thorfinnson, Secretary of the Minnesota State Soil Conservation Committee, do hereby certify that I have compared the attached copy of resolution relating to the change of name of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District adopted by said committee at a regular meeting thereof held June 26, 1961, with the original resolution as set forth in the minutes of said meeting, and that said copy is a true and correct copy of and transcript from said original and the whole thereof. I further certify that said meeting of said committee was duly called and held, that a quorum of the members of said committee were present thereat, and that said resolution was duly adopted thereat by unanimous vote of the members present.


Executive Secretary
State Soil Conservation Committee

Dated: June 26, 1961

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**Certificate of the Organization of Lake of the Woods
Soil Conservation District**

To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greetings:

WILLIAM, Earl Davis of Bracetown, Minnesota, and Fred
Cheng of Bracetown, Minnesota, the duly appointed supervisors of
the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District, acting pursuant
to the Minnesota Soil Conservation Districts Law, Laws of
Minnesota for 1937, Chapter 441, approved April 26, 1937, and
Laws of Minnesota for 1943, Chapter 274, approved April 2, 1943,
have filed in this office an application subscribed and sworn to
by each of them before an officer authorized by law to take and
certify oaths setting forth: (1) That a petition for the
creation of the District was filed with the State Soil Conserva-
tion Districts Law, and the proceedings specified in said act
were taken pursuant to such petition, that said application was
filed in order to complete the organization of the district as
a governmental subdivision and public body, corporate and politic
and that the State Committee has appointed them as supervisors;
(2) The name and official residence of the district supervisors,
together with a certified copy of the appointments evidencing
their oath of office; (3) Their term of office; (4) The name
which is proposed for the District; and (5) The location and
principal office of the Supervisors of the District; and

Whereas, a statement by the State Conservation Committee
accompanying the above-mentioned application, has been filed in this
office, setting forth that a petition for the creation of the Lake
of the Woods Soil Conservation District was filed with the State
Soil Conservation Committee; that after due notice, a hearing was
held, and the committee duly determined that there is need, in the
interest of public health, safety and welfare, for a soil con-
servation district to function in the proposed territory, and that
the committee defined the boundaries thereof; that then, after due
notice, a referendum was held on the question of the creation of
said district, and the results of said referendum showed a majority
of the votes cast to be in favor of the creation of said district;
and that thereafter the committee duly determined that the operation
of the proposed district is administratively practicable and
feasible. Said referendum also set forth the boundaries of the
district as defined by the State Committee.

Now, therefore, I, Mike Holm, Secretary of State of the
State of Minnesota, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law,
do hereby find, after examination of the application and statement
referred to above, that the name proposed for said district is not
identical with that of any other soil conservation district of the
State or so nearly similar as to lead to confusion or uncertainty;
and

I, Mike Holm, Secretary of State, do therefore, hereby certify that the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District has been duly organized and constitutes a governmental subdivision of this State and a public body, corporate and politic, vested with all of the powers conferred upon such districts by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have
unto set my hand and affix
the Great Seal of the State of
Minnesota, at the Capitol, in
Saint Paul, this fifth day of
June, A. D. 1952.



SECRETARY OF STATE

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION OF
LAKE OF THE WOODS SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Hon. Mike Holm
Secretary of State
State Capitol
St. Paul, Minnesota

Dear Sir:

The undersigned supervisors of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District respectfully represent:

1. That pursuant to the provisions of the Soil Conservation Districts Law (Minnesota Statutes, 1949, Chapter 40 and all acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto) a petition for the creation of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District was filed with the State Soil Conservation Committee; that the proceedings specified in the said act were taken pursuant to the said petition as more fully appears in the statement by the State Soil Conservation Committee hereto attached and made a part of this application; that this application is being filed in order to complete the organization of the said district as a governmental subdivision and a public body, corporate and politic, as provided by the said act; and that the State Soil Conservation Committee has appointed the undersigned as supervisors of the said soil conservation district.

2. That the names and official residences of the undersigned supervisors are as follows:

<u>Ward Davis</u> Name	<u>Graceon,</u> <u>William, Minnesota</u> Address
<u>Fred Oberg</u> Name	<u>Baudette, Minnesota</u> Address

That certified copies of the appointments of the said supervisors, evidencing their right to office are submitted herewith.

3. That the supervisors, Ward Davis and Fred Oberg, have been appointed for terms ending March, 1954 and March, 1953, respectively.
4. That the name which is proposed for the said district is the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District.
5. That the principal office of the supervisors of the said district is located at Baudette, Minnesota

Wherefore, the undersigned supervisors of the said district respectfully request that the Secretary of State make and issue to the undersigned supervisors a certificate, under the seal of the State, of the due organization of the said Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District.

Ward Davis

Fred Oberg

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
COUNTY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS) SS

Ward Davis and Fred Oberg, whose names are subscribed to the foregoing application, state that the matters and things therein contained are true and correct.

Ward Davis

Fred Oberg

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of June, 1952.

F. G. Haag
F. G. Haag, County Auditor
Lake of the Woods County
Baudette, Minn.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA)
COUNTY OF LAKE OF THE WOODS) SS

I, F. G. HAAG, a COUNTY AUDITOR in and for the county and state aforesaid do certify that Ward Davis and Fred Oberg, whose names are signed to the foregoing application, are personally known to me and known by me to be the officers as affirmed therein, and that each has subscribed thereto in my presence. Given under my hand and seal this 3rd day of June, 1952.

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Frank A. Olson
Secretary of State

F. G. Haag
F. G. Haag, County Auditor
Lake of the Woods County
Baudette, Minn.

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OFFICE OF THE STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ORGANIZATION)	Statement by the
OF THE LAKE OF THE WOODS SOIL)	State Soil
CONSERVATION DISTRICT)	Conservation Committee

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

Be it known that on the 8th day of February, 1952, a petition for the organization of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District, signed by more than twenty-five land occupiers was duly filed in the office of the State Soil Conservation Committee;

That on the 14th day of March, 1952, at Williams and Baudette, public hearing was held after due notice of the said hearing had been given as required by law;

That on the 4th day of April, 1952, the State Soil Conservation Committee did duly determine that there is need in the interest of the public health, safety and welfare, for a soil conservation district to function in the proposed territory and did define the boundaries thereof;

That thereafter due notice was given of a referendum to be held within the territory so defined by the Committee on the question of the creation of the said district;

That the said referendum was held within the defined boundaries on the 21st day of April, 1952;

That the result of the referendum showed that a majority of the votes cast in the said referendum were in favor of the creation of the said district;

That thereafter on the 20th day of May, 1952, the State Soil Conservation Committee did duly determine that the operation of the said district is administratively practicable and feasible;

That the boundaries of the said district were defined by the State Soil Conservation Committee as follows:

The townships of Lakewood, Prosper, Chilgren, Zippel, Wheeler, Myhre, McDougal, Potamo, Walhalla, Wabanica, Baudette, Spooner, Gudrid, Rapid River, Boone, Swiftwater, Keil, 157 R 30, 158 R. 30, Rulien and Victory, all in the County of Lake of the Woods, Minnesota.

There shall be exempted from the area bounded by the above described boundaries all lands used exclusively for religious, school or burial purposes; all parts and parcels of lands in cities, towns and villages which lands are used principally for residential purposes or for business purposes other than farming; all lands in rural or urban areas of three acres or less.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the State Soil Conservation Committee has caused these presents to be executed by its secretary under the seal of the committee, this 5th day of June, 1952.

M. A. Thompson
Executive Secretary
State Soil Conservation Committee

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Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at a meeting of the State Soil Conservation Committee, held on the 20th day of May, 1952, at the office of the said Committee at St. Paul, Minnesota, Fred Oberg, of the County of Lake of the Woods, was duly appointed a supervisor of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District for the term to expire at the time of the 1953 spring town election; that thereafter on the 28th day of May, 1952, the said Fred Oberg entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the said Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the State Soil Conservation Committee this 4th day of June, 1952.

M.A. Thodgerson
Secretary
State Soil Conservation Committee

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Wm. A. Thodgerson
Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That at a meeting of the State Soil Conservation Committee, held on the 20th day of May, 1952, at the office of the said Committee at St. Paul, Minnesota, W. A. R. Davis, of the County of Lake of the Woods, was duly appointed a supervisor of the Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District for the term to expire at the time of the 1954 spring town election; that thereafter on the 27th day of May, 1952, the said W. A. R. Davis entered upon the discharge of his duties as supervisor of the said Lake of the Woods Soil Conservation District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the State Soil Conservation Committee this 4th day of June, 1952.

W. A. R. Davis
Secretary
State Soil Conservation Committee

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W. A. R. Davis
Secretary of State