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LEGAL NOTICES

**ORDINANCE NO. 56
AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING
LAND TO THE VILLAGE OF
ST. JOSEPH**

The Village Council of the Village of St. Joseph, Minnesota, do ordain as follows:

That the following lands to-wit: All that part of the Southeast one quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the Northwest one quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Ten (10), Township One Twenty Four (124) Range Twenty Nine (29), described within the following metes and boundary lines, to-wit: Commencing at the Southeast corner of Lot Sixteen (16) of Auditor's Subdivision No. Four (4) and running thence East a distance of Fifty (50) feet, thence running North parallel to the East line of said Lot Sixteen (16) to the Southerly Right of Way line of the Great Northern Railway as the same is now located and constructed over and across said tract, thence running Northwesterly along said Southerly Right of Way line of the Great Northern Railway to the Northeasterly corner of said Lot Sixteen (16), and thence running South along the Easterly line of said Lot Sixteen (16), a distance of 359.60 feet, more or less to the point of beginning, in Stearns County, Minnesota.

abutting upon the incorporated limits of the Village of St. Joseph, be and the same are hereby annexed to said Village and shall become a part of said Village as effectually as if they had been originally a part thereof.

Past by the Council this 10th day of August, 1961.

Roman H. Zwack,
Mayor

Attest:
Robert G. Johnson
Village Clerk

John Knapp,
Village Attorney
Albany, Minnesota

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on 25th day of August, 1961.

State of Minnesota } ss.
COUNTY OF STEARNS

H. M. Harren

being duly sworn, on oath says; that he is, and during all the time herein stated has been the of the newspaper known as ST. JOSEPH DISPATCH and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter stated; that for more than one year prior to the publication therein of

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the hereinafter described, said newspaper was printed and published in the Village of St. Joseph, in the County of Stearns, State of Minnesota, on Friday of each week; that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the Village of St. Joseph from which it purports to be issued as above stated and in newspaper format and in column and sheet form in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued each week from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and equipped with 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 community which it purports to serve has been done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent 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 post office; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of Stearns County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

That the Ordinance hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for 1 successive weeks: that it was first published on Friday the 25th day of August 1961; and thereafter on Friday of each week to and including the

day of , 19; and that the following copy of the lower case alphabet from a to z both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledge as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

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H. M. Harren

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of September 1961

Justice of the Peace

Notary Public

Stearns

County, Minn.

My commission expires December 31, 1962.

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James L. Benson
Secretary of State

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SS.

COUNTY OF STEARNS

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified and acting Village Clerk of the Village of St. Joseph, Minnesota, hereby certify:

1. That I have compared the attached and foregoing copy of Ordinance No. 56, of the Village of St. Joseph, with the original thereof on file and of record in my office, and that the same is a full, true, and correct copy of the ordinance duly adopted by the Village Council on August 10, 1961, and published in the St. Joseph Dispatch, the legal newspaper, and the official publication of the Village of St. Joseph on August 26, 1961.

2. I further certify that a petition requesting the annexation of said property, signed by all of the owners thereof, was filed in my office prior to the adoption of said ordinance.

3. The territory annexed thereby consists entirely of unplatted lands, which do not exceed 200 acres in area.

4. The territory described therein abuts upon the Village limits and none of it was part of any incorporated city, village or township.

5. All of said territory is so conditioned as properly to be subject to Village government.

~~Witness my hand and the seal of said Village this~~ 1 day of September, 1961

Robert G. Johnson
Village Clerk

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James L. Anderson
Secretary of State