

Petition to
Incorporate the
Village of Alberta.

Whereas a petition has been duly presented to the County Board of Stevens County, Minnesota, by twenty-seven legal voters residing within the territory hereinafter described, setting forth that the number of actual residents within said territory, according to a census taken between the 1st and 3rd days of January 1912, is two hundred: That the said territory comprises 800 acres of land: And praying that the following described territory, situate in Stevens County, in the State of Minnesota to-wit:- beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 33, Township 125 Range 43, thence due east two and one-half miles to the Northeast corner of the Northwest quarter of Section 35, said township and range, thence due south one mile to the southeast corner of southwest quarter of section 35 said township and range, thence due east to the northeast corner of northwest quarter of section 2, township 124, range 43, thence due south to southeast corner of southwest quarter of section 11, township 124, range 43, thence due east to northeast corner of section 14, said township and range, thence due south to southeast corner of northeast quarter of section 23, said township and range, thence due west to southwest corner of northwest quarter of section 21, said township and range, thence due north to northwest corner of section 9, said township and range, thence due west to southwest corner of southeast quarter of section 5, said township and range, thence due north to northeast corner of northwest quarter of section 5, said township and range, thence due east to the southwest corner of section 33, township 125, range 43, thence due north to the northwest corner of section 33, township 125, range 43, being the point of beginning, be incorporated into a village to be known and designated as "Alberta," and praying that this Board call an election to be held in said territory, at a time and place to be designated by this Board, as provided by law, at which election the matter of the incorporation of such village be submitted to the electors thereof, as provided by law:

And it appearing to this Board that the said petition is in due form, as required by law, that said petition has been duly filed with this Board for its action thereon, as provided by law, and that no newspaper is published within the territory to be incorporated.

Now, Therefore, be it resolved by the County Board, of Stevens County, aforesaid, that the prayer of the said petitioners in said petition contained here and the same hereby is granted: Be it further resolved that a special election be, and it hereby is called, to be held on the 30th day of January, A. D. 1912, at the Town Hall, in the Town of Alberta, in the Township of Scott in said Stevens County, Minnesota: that due notice of such election be given by posting three notices thereof, as required by law, within the territory to be thus incorporated:

And be it further resolved that such notice of said election be in the form hereto annexed, marked Exhibit A,

And be it further resolved, that the following named persons viz: L. J. Schlattman, G. H. Farwell and Lewis

Larson be, and they are hereby appointed inspectors, they being residents of said territory, who shall act as judges of said election, and conduct the same in accordance with the laws regulating the election of town officers: that the form of ballot to be used at such election shall be as follows, "For incorporation—Yes—No" with a square after each of the last two words in which the voter shall make a cross mark to express his choice: that after the said election has been held the said inspectors shall make and file with the County Auditor a certificate, as required by law, showing the results of such election:

Notice of Special Election:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That pursuant to the attached petition, A Special Election will be held in the territory proposed to be incorporated in the annexed Petition described and set forth, at the Town of Alberta, in the Township of Scott, in Stevens County, Minnesota, at the Town Hall, in said Town of Alberta, on the 30th day of January A. D. 1912, the purpose of such election, and the matter to be determined thereby is, whether or not the territory described and set forth in the annexed petition shall be incorporated as a village under and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter Nine of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905 and all acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto: That at said election the polls will be kept open from the hour of 9 A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M.

The County Board of Stevens County, Minnesota.

By J. H. Devenney, Chairman.
Attest: F. E. Ware, County Auditor of Stevens County, Minnesota.
(Seal)

Exhibit A

**PETITION TO INCORPORATE
THE VILLAGE OF ALBERTA**

To the Honorable County Board of Stevens County, Minnesota, Greeting:

We, the undersigned legal voters residing within the territory hereinafter described, lying and being in the County of Stevens and State of Minnesota, respectfully state and show to your honorable Board as follows:

I. That the number of persons residing within the territory hereinafter described, the census of which was taken between the 1st day of January, 1912 and the 3rd day of January, 1912 were and are 200 persons.

II. The boundary of the territory to compose such incorporation is as follows: beginning at the northwest corner of section thirty-three, Township one hundred twenty five, Range forty-three, thence due east two and one-half miles to the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section thirty-five, said Township and Range, thence due south one mile to the southeast corner of southwest quarter of said section thirty-five, said Township and Range, thence due east to northeast corner of northwest quarter section two, Township one hundred twenty-four, Range forty-three, thence due south to southeast corner of southwest quarter of section eleven, Township one hundred twenty-four, Range forty-three, thence due east to northeast corner of Section fourteen, said Township and Range, thence due south to southeast corner of northeast quarter

of section twenty-three, said Township and Range, thence due west to southwest corner of northwest quarter of section twenty-one, said Township and Range, thence due north to northwest corner of section nine, said Township and Range, thence due west to southwest corner of southeast quarter of section five, said Township and Range, thence due north to northeast corner of northwest quarter of section five, said Township and Range, thence due east to the southwest corner of section thirty-three, Township one hundred twenty-five, Range forty-three, thence due north to the northwest corner of section thirty-three, Township one hundred twenty-five, Range forty-three, being the point of beginning.

III. The quantity embraced in said territory described, is 8000 acres.

IV. The number of persons actually residing within said territory is 200.

V. The name of the village, when so incorporated, shall be "Alberta."

NOWTHEREFORE, We the said legal voters aforesaid residing within the territory above described do hereby respectfully petition your Honorable Board to call an election for the determination of such incorporation pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota, being Chapter nine of the Revised laws of said State for the year 1905, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

Dated this 3rd day of January, 1912.

J. A. Schultz, L. M. Larson, T. A. Maanum, W. Peterson, John Geib, P. H. Foley, C. W. Roberts, A. H. Anderson, Joe Ludwig, Mark Farwell, John Raasch, Victor Peterson, W. M. Roberts, A. F. Huebner Jr. J. W. Forster, Dan Gagen, Ole Gulbranson, Matt Smith, J. P. Smith, Arthur LeSage, Albert Shoff, C. E. Plocker, Claude Brooks, Chas Groskreutz, Calvin Forster, Carl Raasch, W. H. Busse.

State of Minnesota, County of Stevens, SS.

L. M. Larson, J. A. Schultz, and T. A. Maanum being first duly sworn upon oath say, each for himself, that he is one of the petitioners herein: that he is a resident and legal voter of the territory described herein to be incorporated as a village and that he took the census of all the persons residing within said territory described commencing on the 1st day of January, 1912, and concluded their said work in taking said census on the 3rd day of Jan. 1912 and that the whole number of persons residing within said territory at said time were and are 200 persons, and that such census was accurately taken within the dates specified and that the statements made in the petition are true.

L. M. Larson,
J. A. Schultz,
T. A. Maanum.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January, 1912.

F. R. Putnam.

Notary Public, Stevens County, Minnesota.

My commission expires April 10, 1915.

Notarial Seal

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County Auditor of Stevens Co.
F. E. WARE, County Auditor

Morris, Minn.,

State of Minnesota, {
County Of Stevens, { S. S.

I, L. T. Zahl, deputy Sheriff in and for Stevens County, do hereby certify that on the 9th day of January 1912, I posted a copy of the Notice of Election and petition to incorporate the Village of Alberta in the following named places, to-wit:-

One copy upon the Town Hall in Alberta, one copy on the School House in Dist. #19, (on the southwest corner of Sec. 11, Twp. 124, Rg. 43), and one copy on the School House in Dist. #25, (in Sec. 35, Twp. 125, Rg. 43).

Dated at Morris, Minn. this 10th day of January, 1912.

L. T. Zahl
Deputy Sheriff, Stevens County, Minnesota

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Jan. 1912.

* Auditor's *
* Seal. *

F. E. Ware,
County Auditor, Stevens Co. Minn.

AUDITORS OFFICE. } ss.
Stevens Co., Minn. }
Filed this 10 day of Jan 1912
F. E. Ware
CO. AUDITOR.

State of Minnesota,)

County of Stevens.)

SS We, the undersigned, inspectors duly

appointed by the County Board of Stevens County, Minnesota, to act as Judges of the Special election held on the 30th day of January 1912, in the Town of Alberta, in the Township of Scott, in Stevens County, Minnesota, to vote upon the question of the incorporation of the Village of Alberta; having duly acted as such judges at said election and conducted the same, do hereby respectfully report to the County Auditor of Stevens County, Minnesota, viz:

That we, as such inspectors and judges of election, aforesaid, were present at and acted as judges of said election held in the Town Hall in the Town of Alberta, in the Township of Scott, in Stevens County, Minnesota, which was held on the 30th day of January A.D. 1912, that the polls at said election were kept open from the hour of 9 o'clock A.M. to the hour of 5 o'clock P.M. of said day, continuously; that after the said polls were closed, we canvassed the votes cast at said election and found that the total number of votes so cast was Forty (40); that of said votes so cast, Twenty-six (26) were cast in favor of the incorporation of the said Village of Alberta, and Fourteen (14) were cast against the incorporation of said Village of Alberta.

Witness our hands this 31st day of January A.D. 1912.

Inspectors

L. J. Schlattman
L. M. Larson
G. H. Farwell

State of Minnesota,)

County of Stevens.)

SS

L. J. Schlattman

L. M. Larson

G. H. Farwell

being first duly sworn say, each for himself, that he was one of the inspectors and judges duly appointed by the County Board of said County to act as judges at the election held at the Town of Alberta, in the Township of Scott, in Stevens County, aforesaid, that he has read the foregoing report of such election, and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge.

L. J. Schlattman

L. M. Larson

G. H. Farwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January A.D. 1912.

A. H. Andert

Justice of Peace, Town of Scott.

AUDITORS OFFICE,)

Stevens Co., Minn.)

ss.

Filed this 2nd day of Feb. 1912.

A. H. Andert

CO. AUDITOR.

County Auditor of Stevens Co.


F. E. WARE, County Auditor

Morris, Minn.,

State of Minnesota, {
County of Stevens, { S.S.

I, F. E. Ware, County Auditor in and for Stevens County, State of Minnesota, do hereby certify, that I have compared the foregoing with the originals on file in my office, and that the same are true and correct copies of; the Petition to Incorporate the Village of Alberta; the Resolution adopted by the Board of County Commissioners January 4th. 1912, fixing the time and place for holding the Special Election, and the appointment of the Inspectors; the Deputy Sheriffs affidavit of posting of the notices of election, and the Inspectors affidavit of the result of such Election.

Dated at Morris, Minn. this 2nd. day of February, 1912.



County Auditor, Stevens Co. Minn.

State of Minnesota,)
County of Stevens,)
=ss

District Court,
Sixteenth Judicial District.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I, L. P. Norby, Clerk of the District Court for the 16th, Judicial District and County aforesaid, the same being a Court of record, do hereby certify that Adolph H. Andert, or A.H. Andert, is a Justice of the Peace in and for the Township of Scott, County of Stevens, State of Minnesota, that he was elected to said office on the 8th day of March, 1910, for a term of two years, that his official Bond has been filed in this office, as well as his official Oath.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court, Morris,
in said County, this 2nd day of February, A.D. 1912.


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Clerk of District Court.

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