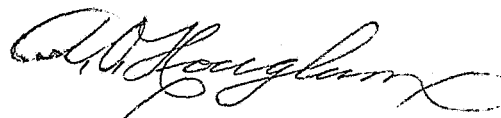


State of Minnesota:  
County of Clay :ss.  
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I, A. O. Houghum, County Auditor in and for the County of Clay and State of Minnesota, hereby certify that the foregoing papers are true and correct copies of the original papers now on file in my office, and of the whole thereof pertaining to the matter of incorporating the village of Comstock, Clay County, Minnesota; and that the aforesaid papers are now certified for immediate transmittal to the Secretary of State, State of Minnesota, in accordance and strict compliance with Section 1208, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913.

Given under my hand and seal at Moorhead, Minnesota, this 29th day of October, A. D. 1921.



County Auditor, Clay Co. Minn.

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County of Clay :ss.  
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Eugene Askegaard being first duly sworn, says that he is and for the past ten years has been a resident within the Township of Holy Cross, Clay County, Minnesota, and that during all of said time has been a resident within the boundaries of the land and territory described in the petition and notice hereto attached, proposed to be incorporated into a Village, to-wit, Comstock, Minnesota; that on the 12th day of September, A. D. 1921, he posted a printed copy of said petition and notice hereto attached, in each of three of the most public places within the land and territory described in said petition and notice, to-wit: One copy thereof at the Askegaard Store, situated on Lot 1, Block 1, Askegaard's First Addition to the Townsite of Comstock; one copy thereof at the P. M. Andersgord store, situated on Lot 25, Block 6, original Townsite of Comstock; one copy thereof upon telephone pole on the Great Northern right of way on the north side of the street known as Broadway as laid out and platted in the Original Townsite of Comstock, and in the plat of Askegaard's First Addition to Comstock, all of said places being within the land and territory proposed to be incorporated as said Village of Comstock.

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 14 day of Sept. 1921.

Eugene Askegaard

A. R. Rustad  
A. R. Rustad,  
Notary Public, Clay Co. Minn.  
My commission expires Nov. 23, 1927.

(SEAL)

*Affidavit of Posting*

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# Petition and Notice!

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF  
THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF  
THE COUNTY OF CLAY, STATE OF  
MINNESOTA.

The undersigned legal voters residing within the territory and upon the lands hereinafter described make this petition to your honorable body to appoint a time and place when and where the voters actually residing upon said lands may vote for or against the incorporation of said lands as a village, under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter nine (9) of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

The lands proposed to be incorporated are situate, lying and being in the township of Holy Cross, in the County of Clay and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: beginning at a point on the section line between sections twenty-one (21) and twenty-eight (28), township 137, range 48, 1500 feet east of the quarter section post on said section line, thence north and parallel with the north and south quarter section line running through said sections 21 and 28, 1327.5 feet, thence west parallel to the said section line between said sections 21 and 28, 3000 feet, thence south and parallel with the north and south quarter section line running through said sections 21 and 28, 2655 feet, thence east and parallel with said section line between sections 21 and 28, 3000 feet, thence north and parallel with said north and south quarter section line running through sections 21 and 28, 1327.5 feet to place of beginning, and containing portions of the southeast and southwest quarters of said section 21 and portions of the northwest and northeast quarters of said section 28, and embracing within its limits the lands platted into lots and blocks by the plats of the Original Townsite of Comstock and of Askegaard's First Addition to Comstock, which said plats have been duly and legally certified according to the laws of the State of Minnesota, and filed in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Clay and State of Minnesota in which said lands lie.

That the unplatted parts of such territory adjoin the platted portions thereof and are so conditioned as properly to be subjected to village government.

And we further certify that a census of the resident population within said territory has been taken and is hereto attached, showing the number of 142 persons actually resident therein.

The name of the village proposed to be incorporated shall be "Comstock".

The name of the voters residing within said territory and signing this

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My commission expires Nov. 16, 1927.

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duly taken and ascertained under the direction of said voters, and that the number of persons actually residing on said lands and territory on the 31st day of August, 1921, was one hundred forty-two (142) persons, and,

WHEREAS, Said petition was duly verified by four signers thereof to the effect that each is an actual resident within the territory described and a legal voter therein, and that the census described in said petition was actually and truthfully taken within the dates specified therein, and that the statements made therein are true, and it appearing that said petition conforms in all respects to the law in such case made and provided,

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The foregoing resolution offered by Commissioner R. B. Webb who moved its adoption, was seconded by Commissioner Martin W. Gee and upon roll call the following members voted "Aye" Ole N. Lee, A. L. Ruud, R. B. Webb, Martin W. Gee, A. J. Wright. Those voting "Nay" None, and the resolution was by the chairman declared adopted.

Dated at Moorhead, Minnesota, this 6th day of September, A. D. 1921.  
The County Board of Clay County, Minnesota.

(SEAL) A. J. Wright, Chairman.

ATTEST:

A. O. Houghlum, County Auditor.

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