A-2205(OA)-1 City of Victoria Town of Laketown

BEFORE THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

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Chairman Vice Chairman Member Ex-Officio Member Ex-Officio Member

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT RESOLUTION BETWEEN THE CITY OF VICTORIA AND THE TOWNSHIP OF LAKETOWN FOR THE ORDERLY ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN LAND TO THE CITY OF VICTORIA

SUPPLEMENTARY FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER

The Minnesota Municipal Commission having made and filed its decision in the above matter on December 9, 1974, the Township of Laketown thereafter petitioned said Commission for a vacation of said decision and proposed amended findings of fact, conclusions of law and order denying the annexation;

WHEREBY, objection having been made been by the City of Victoria to said petition to vacate and the proposed amended findings of fact, conclusions of law and order, the Minnesota Municipal Commission, after reviewing said petition and the objection thereto, hereby confirms its original decision and makes and files the following additional findings of fact, conclusions of law and order.

ADDITIONAL FINDINGS OF FACT

9. That the land to be annexed is suitable for residential development and urban or suburban in nature or about to become so and the annexation would be in the best interests of the property to be annexed and the City of Victoria.

10. That the proposed area for annexation abuts the existing boundary line of the City of Victoria and would be suitable for annexation under the terms and conditions of the Joint Resolution

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for Orderly Annexation, dated March 27, 1972, and on file with the Minnesota Municipal Commission, said resolution having been agreed to and executed by the City of Victoria and Laketown Township.

11. The proposed annexation will not be detrimental to future urbanization plans of Laketown Township.

ADDITIONAL CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. That the annexation would not create a fiscal problem for Laketown Township, taking into consideration sewer assessments, annual sewer bills and the ability of Laketown Township to function as a legal entity and recover assessments already made.

5. That the Commission has the authority pursuant to M.S. 414.067 to order an equitable apportionment of the deferred reserve capacity sewer charges levied against Laketown Township, by the Metropolitan Sewer Board, at the time such charges become due and payable and whenever Laketown Township can ascertain the correct amount to be calculated according to the area to be annexed.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Township of Laketown's Petition for Vacation, of the previous decision, is hereby denied, and the previous order of annexation herein is confirmed in all respects.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that jurisdiction is hereby retained for the purpose of apportioning reserve capacity sewer charges levied against Laketown Township, upon proper application and documentation submitted by the parties.

Dated this dav of 1975

MINNESOTA MUNICIPAL COMMISSION 304 Capitol Square Building St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Howard L. Kaibel, Jr. Executive Secretary

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