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Secretary of State State Office Building St. Paul, Minnesota

Gentlemen:

The undersigned is the city attorney for the City of Warren and I am enclosing a certificate signed by M. H. Sands, the city clerk of the City of Warren regarding recent charter changes which is filed with your office pursuant to M.S.A. 410.11.

Yours very truly,

MYHRE & DRENCKHAHN, P.A.

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CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENTS TO THE REVISED HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF WARREN

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Dated this _____ day of _____ _, 1975 at Warren, Minnesota

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B. All elected officers shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified.

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