Section 3. FILING. The City Clerk is hereby directed to file certified copies of this Ordinance with Minnesota Municipal Commission, the Secretary of State, and the County Auditor for Clay County.

Section 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance takes effect upon its passage and publication and the filing of the certified copies as directed in Section 3.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Moorhead this 19th day of September, 1977.

DWAINE H. HOBERG, Mayor

ATTEST: <u>ATTEST</u> EVERETT B. LECY, City/Clerk

(SEAL)

FIRST READING: September 19, 1977 SECOND READING: October 3, 1977 THIRD READING: October 17, 1977 DATE OF PUBLICATION: November 11, 1977

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2-1 STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CLAY. 8:20 I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the .....Ist ..... ...... day of February A.D. 10. 78 of 8:20 A. M. and ward & Recorded on o'clock ..... Dand R. Lokken County Recorder 171 Deputy. City - mrid

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## ORDINANCE NO. 626

ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOORHEAD TO INCLUDE CERTAIN UNINCORPORATED TERRITORY ABUTTING THEREON.

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WHEREAS, certain territory described below is not presently included within the corporate limits of any incorporated city, village, or borough; and

WHEREAS, this territory is bordered on at least sixty percent (60%) of its boundaries by lands already included within the corporate limits of the City of Moorhead and is deemed to be urban in character; and

WHEREAS, due notice was properly given to the Town Board of Moorhead Township that the City of Moorhead intended to annex the below described land pursuant to M.S.A. 414.03, Subdivision 2, and no objections to the annexation have been received and more than sixty (60) days has elapsed from the service of this notice upon the Town Board,

NOW, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Moorhead, as follows:

Section 1. The City Council does hereby determine (1) that the annexation will be to the best interests of the City and of the territory affected; (2) that the territory described herein abuts upon the City limits and is urban in character; and (3) that none of said territory is now included within the limits of any city, village, or borough.

Section 2. TERRITORY ANNEXED. The corporate limits of the City of Moorhead, Minnesota, are hereby extended to include the unplatted territory described as follows and the same is hereby annexed to and included within the City as effectually as if it had originally been a part therof, which territory now is and has heretofore been bordered on at least sixty percent (60%) of its exterior boundary by territory already included within the City limits:

## Moorhead Township

Lot Fourteen (14), Lillian Briggs Subdivision of the Southwest Quarter of Section 20, Township 139, Range 48, Clay County, Minnesota, containing .14 acres more or less; and the following tract of land,

Beginning at a point 1,318.8 feet North and 809.3 feet West of the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 20, Township 139, Range 48, Clay County, Minnesota, thence West a distance of 150 feet; thence South a distance of 150 feet; thence East a distance of 150 feet; thence North 150 feet more or less to the point of beginning, containing .52 acres more or less.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA MUNICIPAL BOARD Suite 165 Metro Square 7th & Robert Streets St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

March 9, 1978

Mr. Everett Lecy City Clerk Box 779 Moorhead, MN 56560

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## Re: Docket Number A-3102

Ordinance Number 626

City of Moorhead

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Minnesota Municipal Board acknowledges receipt and filing of the above Ordinance and filing fee in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 414, and the Rules of Procedure.

According to law, this annexation is final upon filing a copy of the ordinance with the Town Clerk, County Auditor, Secretary of State and the Municipal Board. (Since the ordinance has already been filed with the Municipal Board, no additional copies are required.)

Please refer to the above docket and ordinance numbers in any future reference to this annexation.

Sincerely yours,

MUNICIPAL BOARD

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Patricia D. Lundy Assistant Executive Secretary

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**c.c.** Secretary of State County Auditor Township Attorney Municipality

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