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Suite 165 Metro Square
7th & Robert Streets
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

November 28, 1978

Ms. Verna Lemmage
City Clerk
6031 Main Street
Rockford, Minnesota 55373

Re: Docket Number A-3399

Ordinance Number dated Oct. 17, 1978

City of Rockford

Ladies and Gentlemen:

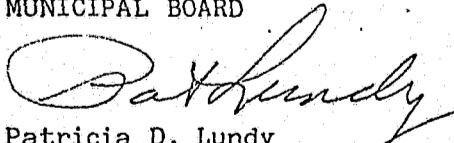
The Minnesota Municipal Board has now processed and approved the above ordinance and filing fee in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 414, and the Rules of Procedure.

According to law, this annexation ordinance must be filed with the Township 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.)

The annexation is final upon the date the ordinance is approved by the Board, which is the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

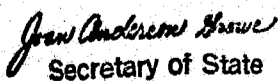
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Patricia D. Lundy
Assistant Executive Director

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cc: Secretary of State
County Auditor
Township
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Joan Anderson Howe
Secretary of State

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CROW RIVER NEWS
Rockford and Osseo, Minnesota

NOTICE

ROCKFORD

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin } SS.
County of Wright }

DON R. LARSON, being duly sworn, on oath says: that he now is and during all the time herein stated has been DON R. LARSON, the publisher and printer of the newspaper known as the Crow River News, and has full knowledge of the facts herein stated.

That for more than one year immediately prior to the publication therein of the printed City of Rockford - An Ordinance providing for annexation of certain land

hereto attached, said newspaper was printed and published in the English language from its known office of publication within the County of Hennepin and County of Wright, State of Minnesota, on Wednesday and Saturday of each week in column and sheet form equivalent in space to 450 running inches of single column 2½ inches wide; has been issued from a known office established in said place of publication equipped with skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same: THE CROW RIVER NEWS has had in its makeup not less than twenty-five percent of its news column devoted to local news of interest to said community it purports to serve, the press work of which has been done in its known place of publication; has contained general news, comments and miscellany; has not duplicated any other publication; has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated at and near its said place of publication to the extent of 240 copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers; has been entered as second class mail matter in local post office of its said place of publication; that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of said county the affidavit of a person having first hand knowledge of the facts constituting its qualifications as a newspaper for publication of legal notices; and that its publishers have complied with all demands of said County Auditor for proofs of its said qualification. A copy of each issue has been filed with the State Historical Society, St. Paul.

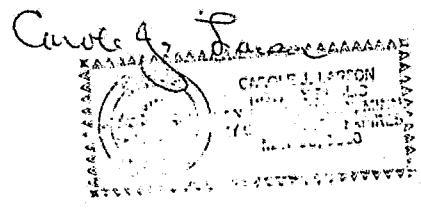
That the printed City of Rockford - An Ordinance providing for annexation of certain land

hereto attached as a part hereof was cut from the columns of said newspaper; was published therein in the English language once a week for 1 successive weeks; that it was first so published on the 1st day of Nov., 1978 and thereafter on of each week to and including the day of , 19 ; and that the following is a copy of the lower case alphabet which is acknowledged to have been the size and kind of type used in the publication of said ordinance notice

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Don R. Larson
Don R. Larson Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Nov., 1978



AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN LAND ABUTTING PETITION OF ALL THE OWNERS OF SUCH LAND THE CITY COUNCIL OF ROCKFORD, MINNESOTA, ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to a petition by all of the owners of certain property comprising less than two hundred (200) acres, legally described as follows:

That part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, Township 119, Range 24, Wright County, Minnesota, described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of the East Half of the Northwest Quarter; thence South 0 degrees 11'06" East (assumed bearing) along the West line of the East Half of the said Northwest Quarter a distance of 1249.05 feet to the actual point of beginning, said point being on the Southerly right-of-way line of Minnesota Trunk Highway No. 55; thence Southeasterly along the said Southerly right-of-way line to a line bearing North 39 degrees 41'48" East from a point on the West line of the East Half of the said Northwest Quarter distant 1552.33 feet South of the Northwest corner of the East Half of the said Northwest Quarter; thence South 39 degrees 41'48" West along the said line to the Northerly right-of-way line of the Soo Line Railway; thence North 46 degrees 48'58" West along the said right-of-way line a distance of 272.50 feet; thence North 40 degrees 01'28" East to the Southerly right-of-way line of said Trunk Highway No. 55; thence Southeasterly along the said right-of-way line to the point of beginning. Subject to the right of a 60.0 foot ingress and egress easement lying Southerly of, parallel with, and adjacent to the Southerly right-of-way line of said Trunk Highway No. 55 and West line of the East Half of the said Northwest Quarter, the City Council has unanimously determined that said property is about to become urban in character;

SECTION 2. The tract hereinbefore described is, by this Ordinance, declared to be annexed to the City of Rockford, Minnesota; and

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and publication, and upon the filing of a copy of this Ordinance with the Minnesota Municipal Board, Rockford Township, Wright County Auditor, and the Secretary of State for the State of Minnesota.
Adopted this 17th day of October, 1978.
Vernon Vergin-Mayor

ATTEST:
Verna Lemmage, Clerk
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