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STATE OF MINNESOTA MUNICIPAL BOARD Suite 165 Metro Square 7th & Robert Straets St. Paul, Minnesota 55101 January 9, 1981

Mr. Dave Venekamp City Clerk/Administrator City Hall 239 Central Avenue Long Prairie, Minnesota 56347

Re: Docket Number A-3772

Ordinance Number 80-12-15-8

Phone: 296-2428

City of Long Prairie

Dear City Clerk:

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.

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Sincerely,

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Patricia D. Lundy Assistant Executive Director

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cc: Secretary of State County Auditor Township Attorney Municipality

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THE CITY OF LONG PRAIRIE LONG PRAIRIE, MINNESOTA 56347 ORDINANCE NO. 80-12-15-8

An Ordinance Extending the Corporate Limits of the City of Long Prairie to Annex and Include Certain Unincorporated, Unplatted Land Abutting Upon the City Limits

WHEREAS, a Petition dated the 13th day of November, 1980, requesting annexation of the real property hereinafter described was duly presented to the City Council of the City of Long Prairie on the 17th day of November, 1980, and

WHEREAS, the land does not exceed Two Hundred (200) acres and is unplatted and adjoins the city limits of the City of Long Prairie, but is not presently included within the limits of any incorporated city, village, or borough, and

WHEREAS, the Petition for Annexation was signed by the sole owner of said real property, and

WHEREAS, no objections to said annexation have been received from the Long Prairie Township Board or the Todd County Board of Commissioners, and

WHEREAS, both the Long Prairie Township Board and the Todd County Board of Commissioners have, by resolution, duly authorized and signed, waived any objections, and waived the Ninety-day objection period, and

WHEREAS, a copy of the Petition for Annexation was filed with the Municipal Board of the State of Minnesota on or about the 19th day of November, 1980, and WHEREAS, a copy of the Petition for Annexation was likewise filed with the Chairman and Clerk of the Long Prairie Township Board on or about November 19, 1980, and

WHEREAS, a copy of the Petition was likewise filed with the Chairman of the Todd County Board of Commissioners and with the County Auditor for Todd County, Minnesota, on or about November 19, 1980, and

WHEREAS, the land described in the Petition abuts the city limits and is situated immediately West and South of said city limits,

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Prairie, Minnesota, does ordain as follows:

- 1. The City Council hereby determines:
 - a. That the annexation of the real property described in the Petition will be in the best interests of the City and of the territory affected.
 - b. That the territory described in the Petition abuts upon the city limits and is urban or suburban in character.
 - c. That none of the territory is now included within the limits of any city, village, or borough.

2. <u>Territory annexed</u>: The corporate limits of the City of Long Prairie, Long Prairie, Minnesota, are hereby extended to include the unplatted land described below, and said tract is hereby annexed to and included within the City of Long Prairie as if it had originally been a part thereof:

> All that part of Northeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter (NE½ of SW½) lying west of Burlington Northern, Inc. (formerly Great Northern Railway Company) right-of-way and East of Vennewitz Creek in Section Twenty (20), Township One Hundred Twenty-nine (129) North, Range Thirty-three (33) West of the Fifth P.M., Todd County, Minnesota.

3. <u>Filing</u>. The City Clerk/Administrator is hereby directed to file certified copies of this ordinance with the Municipal Board of the State of Minnesota and to serve copies of this ordinance upon the Clerk of Long Prairie Township Board, the County Auditor, and such other individuals or governmental agencies as may be required by law.

4. <u>Effective date</u>. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and publication and upon the filing of the certified copy with the Municipal Board as required by Section 3.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Prairie this 15th day of December, 1980.

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