

PETITION PERLEY.

To The Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Norman County, State of Minnesota.

The undersigned citizens of Norman County State of Minnesota, Do most respectfully petition and request your honorable body, First that the undersigned are all electors and now residents upon the land to be incorporated as the Village of Perley, Which said lands are hereinafter more particularly described.

Second: That the number of persons actually residing in said territory so sought to be incorporated have been duly ascertained under direction of your petitioners by a census taken of the resident population of said territory as it is on the 26 day of July 1906, by three of the undersigned petitioners, namely C. H. Hansell, F. S. Wherry, Theo. Odegard, And that the number of said population on said day was 233 persons, actually residing upon the said premises to be incorporated.

Third: That the boundaries of the territory so sought to be incorporated as the Village of Perley, within the courses and distances thereof are as follows, viz:- All of the north east quarter of section 30 Township 143 range 48, Norman County, State of Minnesota, And that said portion of land within said territory as herein described and laid out in streets and alleys

lots and blocks, is described as follows, Commencing at the north west corner of the north east quarter of section 30 thence south sixteen hundred feet (1600) along quarter section line between north east and north west quarter in section 30, thence right angle east 1190 feet to right of way of G. N. Ry. , thence north 1593 feet along west line of right of way which forms east boundary of said plat laid out in lots, alleys and streets to section line between section 30 and section 19, thence west on section line between section 30 and sec 19 1140 ft to point beginning

All in the north east quarter of section 30 township 143 range 48 Norman County State of Minnesota. According to the plat thereof on record in the office of the register of deeds in and for Norman County, State of Minnesota.

Fourth: That the Name under which said Village is proposed to be incorporated is Perley.

Fifth: That said proposed Village of Perley be made a separate election district

Sixth: That said proposed Village of Perley be made a separate assessment district

Therefore your petitioners pray that your honorable body appoint a time and place when and where the electors actually residing upon the within described lands may vote for or against the incorporation of such territory into a village to be known as Perley, and also at the same time and place both for and against whether said proposed village of Perley be made a separate election district, and also at the same time and place vote for or against whether said proposed village of Perley be made a separate assessment district and that you take such steps relative to the incorporating of said village as are required by law,

Perley, Minn June 22, 1906

In appeal to the legal residents of the Village of Perley.

Being the only village in Norman County unorganized, the appeal is put to you for submission, Shall we incorporate and become an independent voting district, an independent people, make our town laws, Be empowered to govern and enforce the laws that shall be enacted by the town officers that shall be elected by the voters residing within the tract to be incorporated into the Village, which shall include the north east quarter of section 30, township 143, range 48, and has a population of 224 or more. The expense all told for the incorporation fee and advertising will probably be around \$25 or \$30.

C. H. Hansell
Theo Odegard
Oliver Distad
J. E. Hovden
C. O. G. Johnson
A. J. Ostby
G. E. Erickson
Ghas. Anderson
E. D. Anderson
L. O. Olson
L. P. Hillesing
J. R. Anderson

J. H. Anderson
L. N. Peterson
C. M. Oseth
O. P. Wiig
J. W. Wells
E. G. Sundstad
Lars Melbostad
Geo. G. Johnson
J. J. Johnson
Hans Vaag
H. K. Herbrandson
F. S. Wherry

A. L. Olson
O. J. Olson
Louis Sontag
M. Nilsen
Iver Scheide
S. S. Dale
Aug. Braag
P. I. Nelson
Cornelius H. Peterson
H. R. Anderson
Nels Distad

State of Minnesota)
County of Norman)

G. H. Hansell, Theo Odegaard and Frank Whirry Being first
duly sworn upon oath deposes and says each for himself that he is one of
the herein attached petitioners for the incorporating Perley and that the
census as therein mentioned was taken by them and that all the facts
contained in said petition are true.

G. H. Hansell
F. H. Whirry
Theo Odegaard

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 27th. day of July A. D. 1906

E. D. Anderson

Notary Public Norman County

(Seal)

My Com Exp. Feb. 1, 1913

Perley, Minn.

1 Nels Distad	66 Willie Wells
2 Mary Distad	67 Benny Wells
3 John Distad	68 Lawrence Wells
4 Julia Distad	69 Fred Wells
5 Norah Distad	70 Albert Wells
6 Amanda Distad	71 James Wells
7 Raymond Distad	72 Severt Dalen
8 Hjelmer Distad	73 Bretha Dalen
9 Stella Distad	74 Clara Dalen
10 G. H. Hansell	75 Sanford Dalen
11 Anna M. Hansell	76 John Erickson
12 Petra Johnson	77 Louis Sontag
13 Johnnie Johnson	78 Charles Anderson
14 Olga Johnson	79 Mrs Lena Tripp
15 B. B. Hvidding	80 Earl Tripp
16 Mrs. Inger Hvidding	81 Lucy Tripp
17 Kari Hvidding	82 C. O. G. Johnson
18 Inger Hvidding	83 Anna Johnson
19 John A Vaag	84 Tomas Johnson
20 Anna A Vaag	85 Ester Johnson
21 Hans A Vaag	86 Bertrina Johnson
22 Berghild Sohl	87 Lenora Johnson
23 E. D. Anderson	88 Petrina Johnson
24 Nellie Anderson	89 Gjart Johnson
25 G. F. Erickson	90 Chester Johnson
26 Lena Erickson	91 Hildred Johnson
27 Arthur Erickson	92 Hjlmar Johnson
28 Mildred Erickson	93 Arnt T. Hanson
29 Nels Moe	94 Nette Hanson
30 Narve Olson	95 Hjalmar Hanson
31 Andrew Thompson	96 Oscar Winter
32 Anna Thompson	97 Ole Wiig
33 Josie Thompson	98 Martha Wiig
34 Clara Thompson	99 Olga Wiig
35 Henry Thompson	100 Johnnie Winter
36 Myrtle Thompson	101 William Wiig
37 Nick Nelson	102 Agne Wiig
38 Christenia Nelson	103 Arthur Wiig
39 Julian Nelson	104 Oscar Wiig
40 Arthur Nelson	105 Iver Schiede
41 Sarah Nelson	106 Mathilda Schiede
42 John H. Anderson	107 Severt Scheide
43 Christina Anderson	108 Mignon Scheide
44 Rudolph Olson	109 Andrew Ostby
45 Sophia Johnson	110 Loranza Ostby
46 Eniar Sunstad	111 Carl Ostby
47 Julius Johnson	112 Alfred Ostby
48 Sam Peterson	113 James Ostby
49 Bertha Peterson	114 Inga Ostby
50 Nels Peterson	115 Allice Ostby
51 Beatrice Peterson	116 Dina Ostby
52 Nelious Peterson	117 Chris Oseth
53 George Johnson	118 Maria Oseth
54 Bertha Krogstad	119 Olga Oseth
55 Sophia Krogstad	120 Amie Oseth
56 Laurine Krogstad	121 Hjalmar Oseth
57 Julia Krogstad	122 Berthina Bowhall
58 Agnes Krogstad	123 Mable Bowhall
59 Norah Krogstad	124 Clara Bowhall
60 Greta Johnson	125 Wallace Bowhall
61 Clara Johnson	126 Hagbart Sand
62 Lula Johnson	127 Alma Sand
63 John Wells	128 Ole Sanden
64 Betsy Wells	129 Anna Sanden
65 Johnnie Wells	130 John Hovden
	131 Letitia Hovden
	132 John O. Sand

133 Sarah Sand	203 Olga Hovland
134 Peter Sand	204 Carl Hovland
135 Iver Sand	205 Christine Anderson
136 Johnie Sand	206 Swen Anderson
137 Hilda Sand	207 Sophia Anderson
138 Emma Sand	208 John Mandal
139 George Sand	209 Jacob Nelson
140 Mat Nelson	210 Albert Storvik
141 Bertha Nelson	211 Mary Storvik
142 Nathalia Nelson	212 P. I. Nelson
143 Lauritz Olson	213 Hans Bjordahl
144 Otto Olson	214 Lena Bjordahl
145 Louise Olson	215 Anna Bjordahl
146 Lenord Olson	216 Anna Bjordahl Bernice Bjordahl
147 Myrtle Olson	217 Andrew Bjordahl
148 Perle Olson	218 Kate Dunkinson
149 Jetta Tonder	219 Lars H. Larson
150 Theo Odegaard	220 Hellen Larson
151 John R. Anderson	221 Hazel Larson
152 Martha Anderson	222 Hannah Ostby
153 Denna Anderson	223 Inize Ostby
154 Ruth Anderson	224 Alfred Hanson
155 Signe Anderson	225 Andrew Hanson
156 Joseph Anderson	226 Gustavas Bragg
157 Olga Anderson	227 Bengt Storo
158 Hans Anderson	228 Johana Soro
159 Nellie Anderson	229 Inger Storo
160 Hannah Anderson	230 Oscar Storo
161 Lars Melbostad	231 Bennie Storo
162 Clara Melbostad	232 Lizzie Snippen
163 Anna Melbostad	233 Hannah Snippen
164 Agnes Melbostad	
165 Selland Melbostad	
166 Herb Herbranson	
167 Sigrud Herbranson	
168 Olander Herbranson	
169 Willie Herbranson	
170 A. L. Olson	
171 Christine Olson	
172 Bertha Olson	
173 Chester Olson	
174 Clara Olson	
175 Myrtle Olson	
176 Chri. Tingstad	
177 Oliver Distad	
178 Mathilda Distad	
179 Mildred Distad	
180 Frank Whirry	
181 Ernestine Wherry	
182 Martha Whirry	
183 Karoline Lundberg	
184 Molly Lundberg	
185 Clara Lundberg	
186 Peter Hjelsing	
187 Hjlmar Lundberg	
188 John Robertson	
189 Lena Robertson	
190 Thorval Robertson	
191 Clarence Robertson	
192 Lawrence Myre	
193 Mrs Lawrence (would not give first name)	
194 Olga Myer	
195 Agne Myer	
196 Fiffen Myer	
197 Dagna Myer	
198 Chris Hovland	
199 Ella Hovland	
200 Oscar Hovland	
201 Adolph Hovland	
202 Alice Hovland	
203 Olga Hovland	
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Whereas a petition has been presented to the County Board of Norman County, State of Minnesota, containing Thirty five names of electors presidents upon the land to be incorporated as a village to be known as Perley, viz: All of the North East quarter of section 30 Township No. 143 range No 48, Norman County, Minnesota, and said portion of land within said territory and herein described and laid out into streets, alleys, lots and blocks is described as follows:- Commencing at north west corner of the north east quarter of section No. 30, thence south sixteen hundred feet (1600) along quarter section line between north east and north west quarter in section No. 30, thence right angle east 1190 feet to right of way of Great Northern Railroad Co, thence north 1593 feet along west line of said right of way which forms east boundary of said plat, laid out in lots, alleys, streets and blocks to section line between section No. 30 and section No. 19, thence west on section line between said section No. 30 and Section No. 19 1140 feet to point of beginning. All in the north east quarter of section No. 30 Township No. 143, range No. 48, Norman County, State of Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on record in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Norman County. And the quantity of land therein contained is 160 acres, which petition is in due form properly verified showing the census having been taken on the 26th. of July 1906, as prescribed by law.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That, ~~1/16~~ Three copies of said petition be posted in three of the most conspicuous places in said territory together with notice attached thereto stating the time and place within the limits of said territory when and where the electors will vote for or against said incorporating forthwith.

Be it resolved further that the time for holding said election be Tuesday the Twenty fifth (25th) day of September A. D. 1906, from 10 o'clock A.M. to 4 o'clock P. M. of that day, and that the place for holding said election be at the Perley Hall on the original townsite of the Village of Perley aforesaid, and be it further resolved that the electors for said proposed village shall have the question submitted to them to be voted on at said election: "Shall the Village of Perley be made a separate election district?" and further that they have the question submitted to them to be voted on at said election, "Shall said Village of Perley be made a separate assessment district?"

And be it further resolved and the County Board of Norman County does hereby appoint Theodore Odgaard, E. D. Anderson and Ole B. Wig, three resident electors of said proposed village, inspectors of said election. Dated at Ada this 24th. day of August A. D. 1906.

Attest

By order of the Board

D. E. Fulton
County Auditor

A. C. Hermanson
Chairman County Board, Norman County

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NOTICE OF ELECTION.

In compliance with the petition on file in my office, a copy of which is hereto attached and herewith posted and made a part hereof, and pursuant to the foregoing resolutions of the County Board of Norman County, State of Minnesota:-

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the electors of the proposed Village of Perley will vote for or against incorporating of the Village of Perley at the Perley Hall within the proposed Village, being on the original town site of the Village of Perley, Norman County, State of Minnesota, from the hour of ^{Ten} ~~11~~ o'clock A. M. to the hour of Four o'clock P. M. on Tuesday the 25th day of September A. D. 1906.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, That at said time and place the electors of the said Village of Perley will vote upon the question: Shall the Village of Perley be under a separate election district,

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, That at the said time and place the said electors of the proposed Village of Perley will vote upon the question* Shall the Village of Perley be under a separate assessment district.

By Order of the County Board of Norman County, Minnesota
Dated Ada, Min. August 24, 1906

N. O. Hermansen
Chairman County Board, Norman County
Minnesota

Attest

V. E. Gulton
County Auditor, Norman County
Minnesota.

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State of Minnesota
County of Norman ^{SS}

J. G. Hansell

being first duly sworn upon oath deposes and says that on the 28
day of August A. D. 1906 he duly posted in ~~7/7/07~~ three of the most
public places within said territory to be incorporated, three copies of
such petition together with the notices of election and the county
Board's order hereto attached, the same being posted as follows:-

One Copy at 1st State Bank of Perley

One Copy at Post Office in Estby & Johnsons Hardware Store

One Copy at The Perley Hotel

J. G. Hansell

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 28th day of August
A. D. 1906

E. D. Anderson
Notary Public Norman County,
Minnesota. My Commission
Expires Feb 1st 1913

Copy of Ballots Used in the Matter of the Incorporation of the Village of Perley, at the election held for that Purpose in the Town Hall in said Village on September 25th. 1906.

Ballot No. 1 Color White

Shall The Village of Perley Be- come A Separate Election District	Yes	No
Mark a cross in the square under yes or no		

Ballot No. 2 Color Yellow

Shall The Village of Perley Be Made a Separate Assessment District.	Yes	No
Mark a cross in the square under yes or no		

Ballot No. 3 Color Blue

Shall Perley Become An Incor- porated Village	Yes	No
Mark a cross in the square under yes or no		

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I Ole B. Wiig and E. D. Anderson and _____
Theodore Odegaard, Judges of Election and Theodore Odegaard
and E. D. Anderson Clerks of Election do solemnly swear that I will
support the Constitution of the United States and Constitution of the State
of Minnesota, and that I will perform the duties of Judges and Clerks of
Election Respectively according to law and the best of my ability and will
strenuously endeavor to prevent fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting
this election; So Help Me God.

Theodore Odegaard
E. D. Anderson
O. B. Wiig

subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th. day of September A. D. 1906.

G. E. Erickson
Notary Public, Norman County, Minn.
My Commission expires Feb. 15, 1913.

State of Minnesota
SS
County of Norman

We, Ole B. Wiig, E. D. Anderson and Theodore Odegaard do hereby
certify that on the 25th. day of September A. D. 1906, the meeting at
election by the electors of the proposed Village of Perley was held at
the time and place specified in the foregoing and attached notice of
election: that we and each of us acted as inspectors and presided at said
election: that said election was held in the manner provided by law and
pursuant to the attached notice, and that we canvassed the ballots cast
at said election:- That the number of votes cast on the question of
the incorporation of said Village was 23, That the number of
ballots having thereon the word "yes" were 21 and that the number
of ballots having thereon the word "no" were 2

We further certify that at said election held at said time and place
pursuant to the notice afore said the question: Shall the Village of
Perley be made a Separate Election District, was balloted upon by the elec-
tors of said proposed Village of Perley and the ballots deposited in ~~se-~~
~~parate~~ and distince ballot box. That the number of ballots cast on said

