

To The Hon. Board of County Commissioners in and for
Morrison County, State of Minnesota.

We the undersigned voters residing within the territory and upon the lands hereinafter described to-wit)--

The ~~South~~ South-west quarter and the West half of the South-east quarter, all in section twelve, and the north-west quarter and the west half of the north-east quarter all in section thirteen, The north-east quarter of Section Fourteen, and the south-east quarter of section eleven, all in Township one hundred twenty-seven of range thirty, all in Morrison County, Minnesota, respectfully request your honorable body to appoint a time and place when and where the Electors actually residing upon said above described lands may vote for or against the incorporation of all of said territory into a village under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Minnesota, to be known as the Village of "Bowlus" in said County of Morrison and State of Minnesota.

The territory to be embraced within the corporate limits of said Village may be more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the north-west corner of the South-east quarter of section eleven, township one hundred twenty-seven of range thirty, thence running east on the half section line to the north-east corner of the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter of section twelve, township one hundred twenty-seven of range thirty a distance of one and one quarter miles, thence due south to the south east corner of the south-west quarter of the north east quarter of section thirteen in township one hundred twenty-seven of range ~~thirty~~ thirty a distance of one mile, thence due west to the center of section fourteen, in township one hundred and twenty-seven of range thirty, a distance of one and one quarter miles, thence due north to the place of beginning a distance of one mile, and containing eight hundred acres of land more or less according to the United States Government Survey thereof

That there actually resides within said described territory Two Hundred fifty-six persons which number has been duly and legally ascertained by your petitioners by a census duly and legally taken of the resident population of said territory above described on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1901, which day was not more than eight weeks prior to the presentation of this petition to your honorable body. That said above described ~~territory~~ territory is not within the limits of any incorporated city or village in

the State of Minnesota:

That a portion of said above described territory has heretofore been duly and legally platted in lots and blocks, Streets and Avenues and ~~Allys~~ Alleys, which said plat has been heretofore duly certified, approved, ~~file~~ filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Morrison County, Minnesota, according to law.

That there resides within said territory above described less than ~~three~~ three thousand persons and more than two hundred persons as will more fully appear by the census heretofore taken of the inhabitants actually residing within said territory hereto attached and made a part hereof.

Signatures.

Joseph Swanlinkavich,
John Ruzicka,
George Sniejek,
Albert A. Barton,
J. J. Stodolka,
P. C. Philip,
J. F. Phol,
Paul Popilek,
Louis Cluchart,
To Popilek,
Martin Czech,
Fred T. Cairnes,
S. A. Dzurik,
V. Shwientek,
Chas Motzka,
M. L. Scwintek,
A. P. Riedele,
Simon Schwintek,
~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
~~JosephXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
Joseph Hismark Kampa,
H. J. Dries,
Barney Kane,
G. W. Scwintek,
Fred Stodolka,
Simon T. Stodolka,
John Stodolka,
H. J. Armstrong,
Thomas Opatz,
O. A. Armstrong,
Frank R. Stodolka.

Resident Electors upon the lands and within the territory heretofore described and to be incorporated into the Village of "Bowlus", in Morrison County, Minnesota.

State of Minnesota, :

ss.

County of Morrison. :

Fred T. Cairnes, Joseph Swanlinkawich and Peter C. Philip, each for himself being first duly sworn deposes and says that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof that the same is true of his own knowledge, and each and every fact therein stated is to affiants

own knowledge true.

That the Census herein referred to was actually taken on the 8th day of August A.D.1908, and that said census was accurately taken at said time.

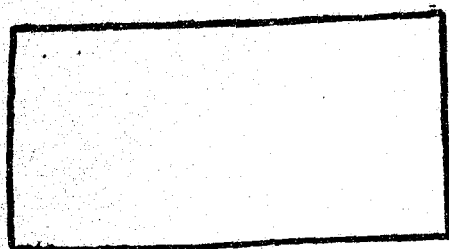
Fred T. Cairnes
Joseph Swalinkowiak
P.C. Philip

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, A.D.1908.

Alb. A. Barton,
Notary Public,
Harrison County, Minn.
My Commission expires
Sept. 1st, 1910.

(Notarial Seal.)

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Fred T. Cairnes
Joseph Swalinkowiak
P.C. Philip

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, A.D.1908.

Alb. A. Barton,
Notary Public,
Morrison County, Minn.
My Commission expires
Sept. 1st, 1910.

(Notarial Seal.)

An accurate census taken on the 8th day of August A.D.1908, by Fred T.Cairnes, Joseph Swanlinkowich and Peter C.Philip of the following described territory to-wit:

The southwest quarter and the west half of the southeast quarter all in section twelve and the northwest quarter and the west half of the north east quarter all in section thirteen, the northeast quarter of section fourteen, and the southeast quarter of section eleven, all in township one hundred twenty-seven, of range thirty, Morrison County, Minnesota, the same being the territory which is desired to be incorporated into the village of "Bowlus", Morrison County, Minnesota.

Names.

Joseph Swalinkowich, Sr., Joseph Swalinkowich Jr.,
Mattie Swalinkowich, Mary J.Swanlinkowich,
George ~~Saxga~~Sniewek, Mary Sniewek, Henry Sniewek, ~~Henry~~
John Ruizick, Edward Krych, Frank Zurawsky, Albert A.Barton,
Joseph Rudek, J.J.Stodolka, Anna Stodolka, Helen Stodolka,
Nancy Stodolka, Anton Bierenk, Jos.J.Kalis, L.Cyrus, Frank Gordon,
Peter C.Philip, Hadwick Philip, Elizabeth Philip, Anna Philip,
Stephen Philip, John Philip, Minnie Philip, Frank Philip, Mike Zalowski,
Jos.F.Phel, Antonio Phel, John Phel, Arnes Phel, Stonek Phel,
Alexander Phel, Elinora Pietrowski, Paul Popilek, Mary Popilek,
Helen Popilek, Anna Popilek, John Popilek, Julius Popilek, Clara Kampa,
I.H.Misfeldt Jr., Louis G.Chishart, Bertha A.Chishart, Louis V.Chishart,
Tom Popilek, Mary Popilek, Baymon Popilek, Martin Czech, Mary Czech, Frank
Czech, Peter Czech, Rochmer Czech, Robert Czech, Fred T.Cairnes, Lora Z.
Cairnes, Constance C.Cairnes, James L.Cairnes, Mary Greely, Rose F.Smith,
S.A.Dzurek, Nellie Dzurek, Edward Dzurek, Louis Dzurek, Elenor Dzurek,
Joseph Dzurek, Vincent Scwintek, Albine Scwintek, Isidore T.Schwintek,
Frances Schwintek, Paulina Schwintek, Simeon Schwintek, Peter Schwintek,
Mary Schwintek, Joseph Schwintek, Rose Scwintek, Emma Scwintek, Albert
Schwintek, I.E.Chamberlain, Olga Chamberlain, Mary Chamberlain, Charley
Motzka, Frank Kaeslar, Math L.Scwintek, Barney Kane, Frank Motzka,
Frank Lenley Young, H.C.Peterson, George Schwintek, Harris Boyle,
John H.Saltzura, Peter Saltzura, Nick Scwintek, John Broadhoob, Mary E.
Larson, Alfred Larson, Anton Ciedeb, Maggie Rieble, Andrew P.Riedele,
Mary Rieble, Louis Hammes, Margaret Hammes, Katie Lampert, Lizzie Bieniek,
Henry J.Dreis, Helen Dreis, Katie Weibel, Mabel Sanders, Mrs Ingeberg Lit
-nstrom, P.E.Johnson, Tom Foley, John Hamon, Conrad Burns, John Brown,
Tom Berry, Simon Schwintek, Margaretta Scwintek, Leo Schwintek, Tilly
Scwintek, Rose Schwintek, Ida Schwintek, Orsa Woolery, Mildred Woolery
Gust Whitenberg, Frank Meyer, Charley Galbraith, L.Lampert, Henry Hylittle
Henry Engstrom, Albert Baker, Chancy Natron, F.J.Fictan, L.B.Johnson,
A.Boon, Joe.Laciare, C.E.Krnaw, John Ford, Nels Myron, Lewis Peters,
Olif Hagen, John Kelly, John Whack, William Moe, Tom Cannon, Lewis Matson,
Richard Fairbank, Edwin Rutra, Charley Aderson, Martin Casper, Charley E
Brickson, Tom Disming, Roman Bailey, Peter Opsted, George Galsel,
Jos Snick, Clarence Knall, Theodore Shosden, Ed. Hedstrom, Henry Morrison,
Charley-Turnar, Olaf Anderson, Charley Jacobs, Mike Bodgerl, Frank
Smith, John Ruberg, James Olson, Tom Donnley, Lewis Snick, John Murphy,
Mike Garven, James Dunn, James Golden, James Marsch, Frank High, Ben ~~Bass~~
Benson, Henry Hoffman, Thomas Lynch, Fred Hatch, Chas.Khaffa, Andrew
Anderson, Thomas Adams, John Lake, Edward Dillen, John McHall, Pat Kelly,
August Johnson, Olix ~~Amix~~ Ardorford, Matt Welsaw, John McGam,
Wm.Sully, James Slattery, Wm.McGaw, John Miller, John Maloon, Thomas
Barry, Frank Miller, Wm.White, Wm.Dean, John Holswick, Chas. Lind,
Anel Hatch, Lewis Fuison, Fred Gunder, John Feron, John Septoni, Frank
Hillman, Frank Schuttes, Mike Lyttle, Frank Lenar, Edward Smith, Julius
Keyo, Peter Ester, John Flim, Steve Carlisle, Axel Braunsen, Fred Jurza ck
John Olevil, Joseph P.Fampo, Pauline Kampa, Toney Kampa, Leo Kampa, Otto
Kampa, Frank Stodolka, Lusia Stodolka, Simon T.Stodolka, Anna Stodolka,
Mike Stodolka, Frank Stodolka, John Stodolka, Henry J.Armstrong, Mary
Armstrong, Otto Armstrong, Elinore Armstrong, John Hanig, Mary Hanig,

Raymond Haring, Thomas Opatz, Lizzie Opatz, John Opatz, Tom Opatz, Jr.,
Peter Opatz, Joseph Opatz, Allen Opatz, Frank Opatz, Tom Polachowski,
Frank Zurowski, Joseph Brodtkorb, Frank Krottoschinski, Theodore Sobiech,
L.V. Sobiech, Paul Basek, Frank Ruedy.

In the Matter of the proposed incorporation of the Village of
"Bowlus," Morrison County, Minnesota.

Whereas a petition for the incorporation of the village of Bowlus, in
Morrison County, Minnesota, and a census of the territory desired to be
incorporated taken on the 8th day of August A.D.1908, has been duly filed
with the Board of County Commissioners in and for said County and State,
and said petition and census having been duly examined, Be it Resolved
that said petition be and the same hereby is approved.

Dated this 10th day of August A.D.1908.

And now Johnson, Chairman.

William A. Butler,

County Auditor and Clerk ExOfficio of Board.

(County Auditors Seal.)

In the matter of the Incorporation of the Village of Bowlus,
Morrison County, Minnesota.

Whereas the petition for the incorporation of the Village of
Bowlus has been filed and approved by the Board of County Commissioners
in and for Morrison County, Minnesota, and an Election called to be held
on the 2nd day of September A.D.1908,

Be It Resolved that A.A.Barton, Fred Cairnes and H.J.Armstrong res-
-idents of the territory to be incorporated and described in the petition
be and they are hereby appointed Inspectors of said Election.

Dated Aug 10-1908.

Andrew Johnson,

Chairman Co.Board.

William A.Butler,

County Auditor and Clerk ExOfficio of Board.

(County Auditors Seal.)

Notice of Election for the Incorporation of the Village of
Bowlus, Morrison County, Minnesota.

The citizens and Electors residing within the territory described
in the attached petition are hereby notified that an election will be
held at the PostOffice in the Store of Cairnes Bros. at Bowlus as the
same is now platted in the town of Two Rivers, Morrison County, Minnesota
on Thursday the 3rd day of September, A.D.1908.

That said election will be held between the hours of 9 o'clock
in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of said day, during
all of which time the polls will be open.

Dated this 10th day of August A.D.1908.

Andrew Johnson, Chairman of Co. Board.

William A. Butler,

County Auditor and Clerk ExOfficio of Board.

(County Auditor's seal.)

In the Matter of the Proceedings for the Proposed Incorporation
of the Village of Bowlus, Minnesota.

State of Minnesota, :
 :SS.
County of Morrison. :

Fred T. Cairnes being duly sworn deposes and says that he is a resident of
Two Rivers in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota,

That he posted notices of the election for determining for or again
-st the incorporation of the village of Bowlus, Morrison County, Minn.
together with a true copy of the petition for the incorporation of said
proposed village:

That one copy of said notice together with one copy of the petition
was posted in each of three of the most public places within the territory
proposed to be incorporated in the village as follows: That One of the
said notices together with one copy of said petition were posted at the
Post Office in front Cairnes Brothers store, That One of the said notices
together with one copy of said petition were posted at the Armstrong
Imp.Co., building. That one of the said notices together with one copy of
said petition were posted at Chas Motzko Blacksmith shop building. That
~~the~~ the notices together with the said copies of the petition were
each and all of them posted at the places above designated, all of which
are in the territory proposed to be incorporated on August 10th, 1908.

Fred T. Cairnes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of Aug. 1908.

Alb. A. Barton,

Notary Public, Morrison Co.,
Minn.

My Commission expires Sept 1st, 1910.

(Notarial Seal.)

and petition were posted at Chas. Motzko Blacksmith shop building. That
the notices together with the said copies of the petition were
and all of them posted at the places above designated, all of which
are in the territory proposed to be incorporated on August 10th, 1908.
Fred T. Cairnes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of Aug. 1908.

Alb. A. Barton,

Notary Public, Morrison Co.,
Minn.
My Commission expires Sept 1st,
1910.

(Notarial Seal.)

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Affidavit of Posting
of notices of election

Office of County Auditor,

County of Morrison, State of Minnesota.

To Mr. A. A. Barton, Fred Cairnes and H. J. Armstrong,

Royalton, Minnesota.

Gentlemen:--

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners held on the 10th day of August, 1908, a petition was presented to the Board, asking that a Special election be called for the purpose of incorporating the Village of Bowlus, and the said petition was by the said board granted ~~and~~ and an election ordered for the 3rd day of September, 1908, between the hours of 9 in the forenoon and 5 in the afternoon.

You will also take notice that you were appointed as Inspectors of said election and it will be your duty to be on hand at the time above set forth.

Given under my hand and official seal of the County Auditor, this 19th day of August, A.D. 1908.

William A. Butler,

County Auditor,

Morrison County,

Minnesota.

(Seal.)

In the matter of the Incorporation of the Village of Bowlus,
Morrison Co., Minn.

State of Minnesota, :
 : ss.
County of Morrison. :

Fred T. Cairnes being duly sworn deposes and says
that he is a resident of the territory described in the petition for the
incorporation of the Village of Bowlus, and that to his own knowledge
there is no newspaper printed or published within said territory.

Fred T. Cairnes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of August, A.D. 1908.

Alb. A. Barton,

Notary Public, Minn.

My commission expires Sept. 1st, ~~x~~
1910.

(Notarial Seal.)

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In the Matter of the Incorporation of the Village of Bowlus,
Morrison Co., Minn.

We the undersigned the duly appointed and qualified Inspectors do hereby certify that on Thursday the 3rd day of September 1908, at the PostOffice in the store of Cairnes Bros., at Bowlus, Morrison County, Minn., between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of said day an election was held for the incorporation of said village of Bowlus that we duly and properly canvassed the ballots cast thereat, and that twenty-two ballots were legally cast, by legal voters of the territory described in the petition herein, That twenty-one of said ballots were cast For Incorporation. That one of said ballots were cast against Incorporation.

Albert A. Barton,
Fred T. Cairnes,
H. J. Armstrong.

State of Minnesota, :
 : ss.
County of Morrison. :

Albert A. Barton, Fred T. Cairnes and H. J. Armstrong each being duly sworn deposes and says that he is one of the inspectors above mentioned and that the statements in the foregoing certificate are true of his own knowledge.

Albert A. Barton,
Fred T. Cairnes,
H. J. Armstrong.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of August, 1908.
H. J. Schwartz,

Notary Public, Minn.
My Commission expires June 13-1911.

(Notarial Seal.)

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Office of County Auditor,

County of Morrison, State of Minnesota.

I the undersigned County Auditor of the County of Morrison in the State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the attached and foregoing papers are exact copies of the original papers on file in my office relative to the Incorporation of the Village of ~~Bellevue~~ Bowlus in Morrison County, Minnesota.

Given under my hand the seal of this office ~~this~~ this 5th day of September A.D. 1908.

William J. Butler

~~County Auditor~~
~~Minnesota~~
County Auditor,
Morrison County,
Minnesota.

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