

PETITION FOR INCORPORATION OF THE
VILLAGE OF MEDFORD

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF STEELE
COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA:

The undersigned 52 electors, residents upon the following described lands which have been platted into lots and blocks, and upon lands adjacent thereto, in the County of Steele and State of Minnesota, and not in any incorporated village, which said plat has been duly and legally certified according to the laws of this state, and filed in the office of the register of Deeds for the County of Steele in which said lands lie, to wit:

Commencing at the southeast^C corner of Section eight (8) Township One Hundred and eight (108), North of Range twenty (20) West; running thence west on the south line of said section eight (8) to the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of said section eight (8); thence north on the west line of east half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the southeast quarter of section eight (8) to the center of Straight River; thence along the center of said river to the center of the main track of the Chicago Rock Island and Pacific Railroad; thence southerly along the center line of said main track of said railroad to the south line of said section ~~xxx~~ nine (9) to place of beginning, also including the right of way along the said Chicago and Rock Island Railroad lying on the east side of said railroad and between the centerline of said river and the south line of said section nine (9);

All of said land being in sections eight (8) and nine (9), Township one hundred and eight (108), north of Range twenty (20), Steele County, Minnesota, and embracing 240 acres of land, the resident population of which is not more than 3000 and not less than 100 actual residents, hereby petition your Honorable Board to appoint a time and place when and where the electors actually residing upon said land may

vote for or against the incorporation under the General Statutes of Minnesota 1923 and acts amendatory thereof, of a Village to be named Medford. The number of persons actually residing in said territory are 335 as has been duly ascertained by a census taken under our direction on the 13th. day of March, 1936, as appears by the verification hereto. The name of this Village shall be the Village of Medford.

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Will Root	E. M. Corson
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STATE OF MINNESOTA }
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R. G. Hosfield, E. S. Linter
and C. E. Corchran, three of the persons who make
the foregoing petition, being first duly sworn say, each
for himself, that the census mentioned in said petition
was accurately taken within and on the dates specified and
that all the statements contained in said petition are true.

R. G. Hosfield

E. S. Linter

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Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 2nd. day of April, 1936.
A.B. Anderson (A.B. Anderson)
Notary Public, Steele County, Minn.
My Commission expires Feb. 1, 1939.
(Notary's Seal)

(ON THE COVER)
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April-14
FILED ~~May~~ 21, 1936
AUDITOR STEELE CO. MINN.

CENSUS TAKEN MARCH 13, 1936

Name	No.in Family	Name	No.in family.
Adams, H.D.	2	Patten E.	5
Bailey P.L.	7	Pawek E.Sr.	2
Bailey Ella	2	Pawek E. Jr.	5
Baker W.G.	1	Pawek A.	4
Baker I.	8	Phillips	6
Baumgart R.	6	Pike J.B.	2
Bednarek F.	3	Pike S.C.	5
Bonaparte N.	4	Poffenberger D.*	7
Boynton W.H.	2	Reimler E.	5
Corchran C.	8	Root W.	6
Corchran E. 4	2	Sandvick H.	5
Cory E.	3	Schultz O.	3
Campbell	3	Staley L.	7
Caswell	5	Thompson H.	2
Davis F.	3	Thorson T.	4
Davis H.	3	Torguson G.	2
Diers W.	2	Torguson	1
Dring Minnie	2	Truessel W.	1
Dring T.	7	Tuttle A.P.	2
Eastling H.Sr.	4	Tuttle Art	7
Eastling H.Jr.	4	Underdahl	5
Ellsworth	4	Villas G.	4
Embury S.	1	Wagner A.	5
Felton Mae	5	Welter N.	2
Green R.	5	Weston C.	5
Haling P.	2	Webb F.	3
Harris	6	White Amanda	5
Hayes C.H.	2	Wilson (section)	5
Heath E.	3	Wilson V.	3
Hollister C.	2	Wohlford J.	2
Hollister Mrs.E.M.	3	Wobbrock J.	4
Hosfield R.G.	5	Corson E.	6
Johnson E.	5		
Johnson P.	5		
Johnsonm W.	4		
Karrow L.	5		
King E.	2		
Kliborn C.	3		
Kleist L.	4		
Kniefel Ben	12		
Kniefel Bern	4		
Kovaleskk J.	2		
Krippner M.	1		
Larson C.	5		
Larson L.	4		
Lee G.C.	7		
Lee G.O.	3		
Lintner E.S.	3		
Luick I.	2		
McGuire J.	2		
McInnis C.	7		
Mostrom C.	6		
		Total	130
		Grand Total	335

Total 205

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Commissioner Claude Langdon offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

RESOLVED, That the County Board of Steele County approve the petition for incorporation of the Village of Medford, made by R.G.Hosfield, E.S.Linter, C.E.Corchran and others bearing date the 2nd. day of April, 1936, and that Monday, the 18th. day of May, 1936, at the Larson Hall, Village of Medford, Medford Township, be fixed as a time and place when and where the electors actually reside upon the land described in said petition may vote for or against the incorporation of the Village to be named the Village of Medford.

Resolved further that the County Board cause a copy of said petition with a notice attached, fixing a time and place for holding such election, to be posted in three (3) public places within the boundaries described in said petition.

Resolved further that Walter Boynton, Walter Diers, and R. G. Hosfield, be appointed, as residents of said territory, three (3) inspectors who shall act as judges of said election and conduct the same, so far as is practicable in accordance with the laws regulating the election of town officers.

Said motion being seconded by Commissioner Fred Manke, was put to vote and carried, and so declared by Wm. Crickmore, the Chairman presiding.

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ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with a petition for that purpose hereto attached, presented by the requisite number of legal voters , an election will be held at the Larson Hall, Village of Medford, Medford Township, Minnesota, said town hall being within the limits of the proposed village as stated in said petition, on Monday, the 18th. day of May, 1936, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 9 P.M., at which time and place the resident electors thereof will vote for or against incorporation under Section 1112, Mason's 1927 Minnesota Statutes, as provided by law.

Dated April 22, 1936.

Wm. Crickmore
Chairman of Board of County
Commissioners of Steele
County, Minnesota.

Lewis F. Winship
County Auditor, Steele
County, Minnesota.

(AUDITOR'S SEAL)

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Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 2nd. day of April 1936.

A.B.Anderson
Notary Public, Steele County, Minn.

My Commission expires Feb.1,1939.

(NOTARIAL SEAL)

STATE OF MINNESOTA }
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I, C.J.Lee, Deputy Sheriff of the County of Steele, State of Minnesota, certify that on the 23rd. day of April, 1936, I posted a copy of the attached Notice of Election and Petition at the following places in the proposed Village of Medford:

- One (1) on the front door of the Larson Hall
- One (1) on the bulletin board at the post office
- One (1) on the bulletin board at the Medford Creamery.

C. J. Lee
Deputy Sheriff, Steele
County, Minnesota.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 23rd. day of April, 1936.

Charles P. Stone (Charles P. Stone)
Notary Public, Steele County, Minn.

My Commission expires April 12, 1943.

(NOTARIAL SEAL)

(ON THE COVER)

ELECTION NOTICE AND PETITION FOR INCORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF
MEDFORD

FILED APR. 23, 1936

AUDITOR STEELE CO. MINN.

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

We, the undersigned, R. G. Hosfield, Walter Diers and Walter Boyington hereby certify that we are the three inspectors who were appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Steele County, Minnesota to act as judges of the election wherein and whereby the voters residing within the territory sought to be incorporated as the Village of Medford voted on the question of incorporation.

We do further certify that said election was held in the Larson Hall, located within the boundaries of said territory, on the 18th day of May, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and nine o'clock in the evening; that we have canvassed the ballots cast at said election; that the number of ballots cast in favor of incorporating said territory as the Village of Medford was 102 and the number of votes cast against incorporating said territory as a Village of Medford was 54.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1936.

R. G. HOSFIELD
WALTER DIERS
WALTER BOYNTON
Judges of Election

State of Minnesota)
County of Steele) ss

R. G. Hosfield, Walter Diers and Walter Boyington, being first duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate; that they have read the same and know the contents thereof, and that the same is true of their own knowledge.

R. G. HOSFIELD
WALTER DIERS
WALTER BOYNTON

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 18th day of May, 1936.

E. C. REIMLER
Notary Public, Steele County, Minn.
My commission expires 8/3/37
(NOTARIAL SEAL)

(ON THE COVER)

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

FILED May 21, 1936
AUDITOR
STEELE CO. MINN.

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF STEELE,

Fifth Judicial District

AUDITOR'S Office.

XPlaintiff**X**

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Auditor's Certificate.
~~Clerk's Certificate.~~

X Clerk's Certificate.

Defendant X

I, Lewis F. Winship, Auditor Clerk of the Steele County,
above named Court, do hereby certify
that I have compared the paper's writing, to which this certificate is attached, with the original

Auditor's

as the same appears of record and on file in the said Clerk's office, at the Court House in said County, in the above entitled cause and that the same is a true and correct copy of the same, and the whole thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and

affixed the seal of said Court at Owatonna, this 21st

day of May A. D. 1936.

Edward Winship

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Auditor.

Deputy.

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