The Village Council of the Village of Preston in the County of Fillmore in the State of Minnesota having duly convened pursuant to due notice in the office of the Mayor of said Village therein at 8 o'clock in the afternoon of the 9th day of May, 1911, and all the members of said Council being present and said Council being duly organized for business it was duly moved and seconded and carried by the unanimous vote of said Council that the said Council certify and report to the County Auditor of said Fillmore County the result of the special election held in the said Village by the electors thereof from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon on the 8th day of May, 1911, pursuant, to the resolutions of this Council of date April 23nd 1911 and of date April 25th 1911, and due notice given as required by said resolutions and the law in such case, for the electors of said Village thereat to determine by their votes, the question whether or not said Village of Preston should become and be a separate election and assessment district separate and apart from the townships of Carimona Carrolton, Fountain and Preston and each thereof, in the words and figures to wit:

State of Minnesota: County of Fillmore: A Village of Preston:

To George E. Weatherill Esqr., in his capacity as County Auditor of said Billmore County.

The Village Courcil of the Village of Preston in said Fillmore County in the State of Minnesota, hereby certify and report, that the corporate limits of the said Village of Preston being composed of the East half of Section One in the township of Carimona; the East half of Section thirty-six in the township of Fountain; all of section thirty-one in the township of Carrolton and all of Section six in the township of Preston, all in said County, and the said Village not being a separate election and assessment district, by resolution of said Council of date April 22nd, 1911, duly adopted by said Council at a duly convened meeting of said Council on the office of the Mayor of said Vil-

931

lage therein, a special election was duly called to be held by the qualified electors of the Village at the Village Hall in said Village between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon on the 8th day of May, 1911, for the electors of said Village at said election at said time and place, to determine by their votes the question whether or not the said Village of Preston should become and be a separate election and assessment district separate and apart from the said townships of Carimona, Carrolton, Fountain and Preston and each thereof: that due notice of the time and place of holding said special election wherein the purpose of said election and the question to be voted upon thereat were plainly stated and submitted to the electors of said Village, was duly given as directed by said resolution of date April 22nd, 1911 and the law in such case required by posting such notice in three of the most public places in the said Village for ten days next before the said day of election and by publishing the said notice for the same time in the Preston Republican, a weekly newspaper printed, published and circulating in said Village and duly designated as the official paper of said Village: that, at a duly convened meeting of seid Council in the office of the Mayor of said Village therein at 8 o'clock P.H. on the 25th day of April 1911 H. A. Larson, George Hopp and Charles Schoenbaum were by resolution of that date duly adopted by said Council duly appointed judges of said special election and E. B. Read and Wm. Kruppenbacher, Recorder of said Village, were also duly appointed as clerks of said special election by said resolution; that, pursuant to said resolution of date April 22nd, 1911 and said notice of election and the law in such case provided, said special election was duly held by the qualified electors of suid Village mf in the the Village Hall in said Village between the hours of nine & clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon on the 8th day of May 1911; that at sid special election, the electors of said Village to determine said question used and voted a ballot in the words and form to-wit:

"BALLOT"

"Shall the Village of Freston in the County of Fillmore in the State of Minnesota, become and be a separate election and assessment district, separate and apart from the townships of Carimona, Carrolton, Fountain and Preston, and each thereof, in said County?"

		Laure of the state				
t.	Yes					- 11
	No					- - -

That said judges and clerks of said election duly appointed as such, duly qualified and performedall their duties as such, respectively, at said election; and duly received from all qualified electors of said Village their ballots, who voted at said election respectively, and deposited the same in one and the same ballot box prepared and used for such ballots only and duly registered the names of such elector voting as by law required; that at the close of the polls at five o'clock P.M. on said day of election said judges and clerks of said election duly counted and canvassed the ballots cast upon said question by the electors voting at said election; that in all there were 190 votes cast upon said question of which 128 were in favor of said question and 62 were against said question and none were irregular and not counted that there were 66 votes more cast in favor of said question than there were against the same at said election: that the question was by the judges of said election then and there upon sexdxquestions such canvass and count of all of said ballots so cast at said election duly declared carried and that said judges have duly certified and reported the result of such special election to this Council as by law in such case required, and that the said Council does hereby so certify and report to said County Auditor as such.

Dated, in said Village of Preston in said Fillmore County the 9th day of May A.D. 19111

	Geo A. Love				
Attest Wm. Kruppenbacher	Mayor of said Village M. M. Blunt				
Recorder of said Village	J. B. Dreier				
	E. T. Schoenbaum				
	Gust Gartner				
Village 	Thos. F. Churchill				
Filed in the office of County Auditor,	Councilmen of said Villag				
May 10th.1911					

Geo. E. Weatherill, County auditor

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF FILLMORE. SS.

· * 135. 4

1

I, Geo. E. Weatherill, County Auditor in and for the above named County and State,

do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed and foregoing with the original..... Certificate of Election of the Village of Preston,

held May 8th.1911.

The se

remaining on file in my office, and the filing thereof, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original and of the whole thereof.

Dated at Preston, in said County this <u>11th</u>. day of <u>Max</u> <u>A. D. 1911</u> *County Auditor County Auditor*

Constant of States