PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY CHARTER OF THE CITY OF WINTHROP, MINNESOTA

"Chapter 4, Section 21st of the Charter of the City of Winthrop, Sibley County, Minnesota, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 21st:

1. The City Council shall, upon the effective date of this Amendment to the City Charter forthwith establish within the City a municipal "On Sale" and "Off Sale" exclusive liquor store as defined by the laws of the State of Minnesota, and shall thereafter maintain and operate such municipal liquor store under such rules and regulations as the Council may adopt.

2. The sale of intoxicating liquor at retail within the City after the effective date of this Amendment, except by or through a municipal liquor store owned and operated by the City, is hereby prohibited.

3. The various parts and provisions of this Amendment shall be severable and the invalidity of any part or provision thereof shall not invalidate any other part or provision thereof.

4. This amendment to the City Charter shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of July, 1946."

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF SIBLEY, SS. CITY OF WINTHROP.

This is to certify that the foregoing proposed amendment to the city charter of the City of Winthrop, Minnesota, was on the 21st day of August, 1945, submitted by the City Council of said City of Winthrop to the qualified voters of the said City of Winthrop at a special election then and there had, in accordance with the laws of this State, at which election said proposed amendment was duly ratified and adopted by a vote of 359 for and 131 against.

Dated at Winthrop, Minnesota, this 28th day of September, 1945.

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Mayor of the City of Winthrop, Sibley County, Minnesota

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