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STATE OF WISCONSIN - PIERCE COUNTY - CIRCUIT COURT.

In the Matter of the Application of Jacob Schultz, S. A. Fleming, Joseph Taylor, V. Brownlee, W. E. Tucker, and C. A. Hager & R. H. Holy/ for an Order Incorporating the Village of Bay City.

> At a Special term of the circuit court in and for Pierce County, Wisconsin, begun and held at the Court House in the City of Durand, Pepin County, Wisconsin on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1909, and on the first day of said Term, Present and Presiding, the Hon. E. W. Helms, Circuit Judge.

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This matter having come on to be heard on the application of Jacob Schultz, S. A. Fleming, Joseph Taylor, V. Brownlee, W. E. T +RHDOUGP Tucker, and C. A. Hager A for an Order incorporating the Village of Bay City out of the territory hereinafter described, and the court having heard all the parties interested, and it duly appearing to the satisfaction of the court that all of the terriory hereinafter described is situate wholly within the town of Isabelle, Pierce County, Fisconsin, and that the quantity of land therein embraced is three hundred and thwenty three and sixty-four one hundredths acres, and that the petitioners are each and all citizens and tax payers of said territory; that on or about the 19th day of August, A. D. 1909, the said petitioners caused an accurate survey and map of said territory hereinafter described to be made by a competent surveyor, to-wit: Belden R. Eaton, which said survey and map was verified by the affidavit of said Belden R. Eaton, and, so verified, was presented to the courtwith and as a part of the petition herein; and it further appearing to the court that on or about the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1909, the said petitioners caused an accurate census of the resident population of said territory to be taken, as it was on said 23rd day of August, A. D. 1909, by R. H. Dodge, a resident of said territory, which said census exhibits the name of every head of a family in said territory, and the name of every person a resident in good faith of said territory on said day, and the lot or quarter section of land on which he resides, which said census was verified by the affidavit of R. H. Dodge, the person by whom the same was taken, and, so verified, was presented to the Court with and as a part of the petition herein; that the number of the population in good faith of the said territory, on said 23rd day of August, A. D. 1909, according to said census was two hundred and fifty four: that heretofore, to-wit: on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1909, the said petitioners caused public notice to be given that on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1909, at a special term of the circuit court for Pierce County, Wisconsin, to be held at the court house in the city of Durand, Pepin County Wisconsin, application would be made for an order incorporating the territory hereinafter described as a village by the name of the village of Bay City, which said notice was given by posting in three of the most public places in said territory, and that said notices remained so posted for a period of more than six weeks, from and after the posting thereof; that by the terms of said notice all persons interested were notified and advised that the survey map and census hereinbefore referred to had been left with R. H. Dodge, at his place of business within said territory, and that the same would remain for the examination of all persons interested at all reasonable hours, which said notice, together with proof of posting as aforesaid was, with, and as a part of said petition, duly presented to the court; that the survey, map and

census of said territory hereinafter described, were, on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1909, left at the place of business of R. H. Dodge within said territory, and there remained until the 6th day of October, 1909, a period of more than five weeks, and that during all of said time the same were open to the inspection of all persons interested at all reasonable hours, as fully appears by the affidavit of R. H. Dodge attached to said survey, map and census and presented to the court with and as a part of the petition herein; and it duly appearing to the court that all the requirements of the statutes have been complied with, NOW THEREFORE, on motion of W. C. Owen Esq., attorney for said petitioners,

IT IS ORDERED, That the territory described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the west line of Lot number four (4), of section number eight (8), in township twenty-four (24) North, of range seventeen (17), west, in Pierce county, Wisconsin, where the same is intersected by the southern boundary line of the right of way of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company, thence proceeding north on the said line to the north west corner of the south east quarter of the south east quarter of section number five, in said township and range; thence east to the north west corner of the south east quarter of the south west quarter of section number four, in said township and range; thence north on the line between the north east quarter of the south west quarter and the north west quarter of the said south west quarter of said section number four, a distance of sixty rods; thence east three and one-third rods; thence in a southeasterly direction a distance of seventy-seven rods, to a point on the north line of the south east quarter of the south west quarter of said section number four fifty rods east from the north west corner of the south east quarter of the south west quarter of said section four; thence east to the north east corner of the

south east quarter of the south west quarter of said section four thener south on the quarter line of the said Lection four to the section line between sections four and nine; thence east on said section line a distance of four hundred and eighty-seven feet to the west bank of the Isabelle creek; thence in a southeasterly direction along the west bank of the Isabelle Creek to a point where three piling are standing on the bank, which said piling are twenty-nine and nine-twelfths (29-9/12) feet distant north west from the north west corner of the iron bridge across said Isabelle creek in the Maiden Rock and Bay City road; thence on a direct line to a red oak tree at the intersection of the west bank of the Isabelle Creek with the southern boundary line of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Companys right of way; thence along the west bank of said Isabelle Creek to the shore of Lake Pepin; thence along the shore of Lake Pepin in a southwesterly direction to the mouth of Mill Slough; thence in a northwesterly direction along the east bank of Mill Slough until it intersects with the southern boundary line of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company's right of way; thence in an easterly direction along the southern boundary line of the right of way of the Chicago, Burlington & Guincy Railroad Company to the place of beginning, be and the same hereby is incorporated as a village by the name of BAY CITY, if the electors shall assent thereto in the manner provided in sections 861, 862, 863, 864, and 865, of the statutes, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That M. H. Dodge, WE. Jucker and C. a. Hagen

residents of said territory above described, shall perform the duties of inspectors of the election provided for by the terms of sections 861, 862, 863, 864, and 865 of the statutes and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto. Dated October 18, 1909. By the Court, Ewtelcus Judge. State of Wisconsin,) Pierce County,) ss. <u>Village of Bay City.</u>)

I. R. H. Dodge, village clerk of the village of Bay City. Pierce County, Wisconsin, do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of an order made by the circuit court in and for incorporating the village of Bay City. Pierce County, Wisconsin/ with the original thereof on file and of record in my office, and that the annexed is a true and correct copy of such original and of the whole thereof. Dated this <u>14</u> day of December, 1909.

> Village Clerk of the Village of Bay City, Pierce County, Wisconsin.

State of Wisconsin.

SS.

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R. H. Dodge, W. E. Tucker and C. A. Hager, being each first duly and severally sworn on oath, each deposes for himself on oath. and says:

That he was by an order of the Circuit Court in and for Pierce County, Wisconsin, dated the 18th day of October, 1909, duly appointed an inspector of an election to be held within and for the territory described in said order, pursuant tosections 861, 862, 863, 864, and 865, of the statutes of the state of Wisconsin; that said election was duly held pursuant to notice theretofore given on the 12th day of November, 1909; that at said election forty-two ballots were cast and that all of said ballots had written thereon the word "Yes", and that said election resulted in favor of the incorporation of said village.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of December, 1909.

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