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STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF McLEOD

PETITION FOR ANNEXATION

I.

The Petitioners, MARVIN J. FIECKE and JILL M. FIECKE, husband and wife, are the owners of the premises described on attached Exhibit "A", which is incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth in full.

II.

That said lands described in the preceding paragraph about the present corporate limits of the City of Winsted. The said lands are unplatted and are approximately less than five (5) (more or less) acres in size. No petition for annexation of any part of said lands is presently before the commission.

III.

The undersigned Petitioners believe that said lands are now or about to become urban or suburban in character and that the annexation of said lands to the City of Winsted would be in the best interest of the City of Winsted. The reasons for the annexation in the above mentioned matter are as follows: Petitioners desire to annex to the City so that they can avail themselves of the City's utilities and services.

IV.

This Petition is brought pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 414.033, Subd. 5.

V.

The Petitioners hereby acknowledge the contents of Minnesota Statutes Section 414.033, Subd. 13, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth in full as Exhibit "B". Petitioners have been discussing the possibility of annexation with the City of Winsted for more than 60 days preceding this date. The Petitioners further waive any 30-day prior notification of the City of Winsted as referred to in Minnesota Statutes Section 414.033, Subd. 13. The Petitioners waive any such prior notification by the City of Winsted that the cost of electric utility service to the Petitioners may change if the land is annexed to the City of Winsted. Petitioners further waive any such prior notification by the City of Winsted including an estimate of the cost impact of any change in electric utility services, including rate changes and assessments as a result of this proposed annexation. The Petitioners waive such reference to Minnesota Statutes Section 414.033, Subd. 13 since they are fully aware of said Statute and the Petitioners are directly involved in the development of the lands to be annexed, including the fact that said lands currently are serviced by McLeod County Cooperative Power and there is a possibility the same may be served by Northern States Power following annexation. The Petitioners acknowledge that the City of Winsted cannot guarantee which electrical utility company will service the lands to be annexed. The Petitioners further certify that they are aware that the City is not able to estimate the cost impact of any annexation, any change in electrical utility company, any rate changes, or assessments which might result from the annexation and/or use of the premises.

WHEREFORE, PETITIONERS PRAY:

I.


That said annexation is approved by the authorities prescribed by law.

II.

That the City of Winsted annex said premises by Ordinance as provided by Law.

Dated at Winsted, Minnesota this 20 day of January, 2000.


Marvin J. Fiecke

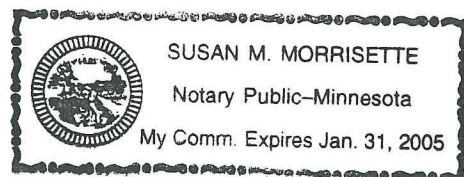

Jill M. Fiecke

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF McLEOD)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 20 day of January, 2000
by Marvin J. Fiecke and Jill M. Fiecke, husband and wife.

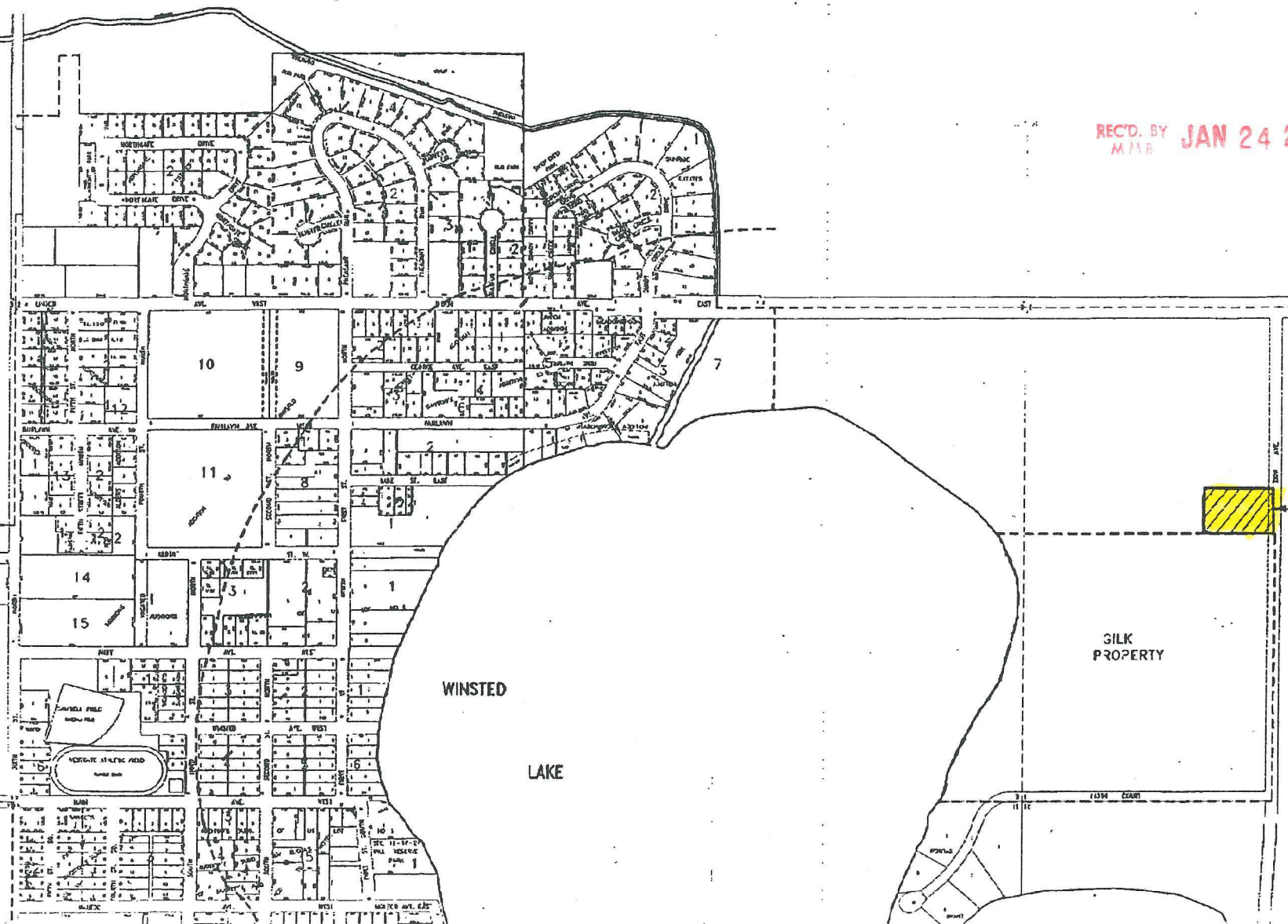

Notary Public

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS DRAFTED BY:
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That part of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 1, Township 117 North, Range 27 West, McLeod County, Minnesota, described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of the South 3 acres of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, with the east line of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter; thence northerly, along said east line of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter 240.00 feet; thence westerly, parallel with said north line of the South 3 Acres of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter 363.00 feet; thence southerly, parallel with said east line 240.00 feet to said north line of said South 3 Acres of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter; thence easterly, along said north line 363.00 feet to the point of beginning.



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