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ORDINANCE No. 00-06

AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING TO THE CITY OF WINSTED, MINNESOTA CERTAIN LANDS IN WINSTED TOWNSHIP ABUTTING THE CITY OWNED BY NORTHERN

STATES POWER COMPANY, A MINNESOTA CORPORATION.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF WINSTED DOES ORDAIN:

Section 1. The City of Winsted has received the Petition to annex certain lands to

the City of Winsted by NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY, A MINNESOTA

CORPORATION, hereinafter referred to as NSP. The land which Petitioner is requesting to

be annexed to the City of Winsted is as stated in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated

herein by reference as though fully set forth in full. All of said lands abut upon the present

territorial limits of the City of Winsted. The City Council of the City of Winsted desires to

annex such lands so as to include said lands within the City of Winsted, County of McLeod and

State of Minnesota and to further adopt an Ordinance annexing said lands to said City of

Winsted. Said parcels of land are currently located in Winsted Township, McLeod County,

Minnesota.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Council of the City of Winsted do hereby determine

that the land referred to in Section 1 above, and legally described in Exhibit "A", abut upon the

present territorial limits of the City of Winsted, are urban in character, and the annexation of

said lands will be to the best interest of the City of Winsted and the territory affected.

Section 3. Therefore, the land referred to in Section 1 above and legally described

in Exhibit "A", is hereby annexed, added to and made a part of the City of Winsted, as

effectually as if they had originally been a part thereof.

<u>Section 4.</u> Both the City of Winsted, Minnesota and the Township of Winsted,

Minnesota have executed Waivers of the statutory 90-day period before a City Ordinance of

Annexation can be adopted.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its official

publication and from and after the filing of a certified copy hereof with the Minnesota

Municipal Board, the Clerk of Winsted Township, the McLeod County Auditor and the

Secretary of State of Minnesota.

Passed by the City Council this 5th day of December, 2000.

Floyd G. Sneer, Mayor

Attest:

Betty Zachmann City Clark

That part of the East Ten (10) acres of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE½ NE½) of Section Ten (10), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Twenty-seven (27) West described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a point Four Hundred Twenty (420) feet South and Fifty (50) feet West of the Northeast corner of said Section, Township and Range, and running West Seventy-five (75) feet, thence South Seventy-five (75) feet, thence East Seventy-five (75) feet, thence North Seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning.

In addition, the following described parcel lies East of the above described premises and also lies under the right-of-way of former State Highway 261, now known as McLeod County 1 (and also is known as Sixth Street South in the City of Winsted, Minnesota):

That part of the East 10 acres of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 10, Township 117 North of Range 27 West described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a point 420 feet South and 50 feet West of the Northeast corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4 of NE 1/4) of Section 10, Township 117 North, Range 27 West, McLeod County, Minnesota, thence East, parallel with the North line of said Northeast Quarter, 50 feet; thence South, along the East line of said Northeast Quarter, 75 feet; thence West, parallel with the North line of said Northeast Quarter, 50 feet; thence North 75 feet to the point of beginning.

The undersigned is City Clerk of the City of Winsted, Minnesota, and in such capacity, certifies that the attached Ordinance No. 00-06 is a true and correct copy of the original Ordinance on file and of record in the Office of the City Clerk, City of Winsted, County of McLeod and State of Minnesota.

Dated: December 28, 2000.

Betty Zachmann

City Clerk

