RECHD. BY SEP 27 1996

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF COSMOS AND THE CITY OF COSMOS DESIGNATING AN UNINCORPORATED AREA AS IN NEED OF ORDERLY ANNEXATION AND CONFERRING JURISDICTION OVER SAID AREA TO THE MINNESOTA MUNICIPAL BOARD PURSUANT TO M.S. 414.0325

JOINT RESOLUTION FOR ORDERLY ANNEXATION

The Township of Cosmos and the City of Cosmos hereby jointly agree to the following:

1. That the following described area in Cosmos Township is subject to orderly annexation pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 414.0325, and the parties hereto designate this area for orderly annexation, to-wit:

North Half of Northwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter, Section 22, Township 117, Range 32, Meeker County, Minnesota.

The total acreage is 20 acres.

2. That the Town Board of the Township of Cosmos and the City Council of the City of Cosmos, upon passage and adoption of this resolution and upon acceptance by the Municipal Board, confer jurisdiction upon the Municipal Board over various provisions contained in this Agreement.

3. That this property which abuts the City of Cosmos is presently urban or suburban in nature or is about to become so. Further, the City of Cosmos is capable of providing services to this area within a reasonable time, and the annexation is in the best interest of the area proposed for annexation. Therefore, the aforementioned property will be immediately annexed to the City of Cosmos.

4. The population change with this annexation shall be 0(zero).

5. Both the Town of Cosmos and the City of Cosmos agree that no alteration of the stated boundaries of this agreement is appropriate. Furthermore, each party agrees that no consideration by the Municipal Board is necessary. Upon receipt of this resolution, passed and adopted by each party, the Municipal Board may review and comment, but shall, within thirty (30) days, order the annexation in accordance with the terms of this joint resolution.

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Approved by the Town of Cosmos this <u>24</u> day of <u>392</u>, , 1996, A.D.

Town of Cosmos BY: <u>Allan Lolmielt</u> Town Board Chairman

BY: Town Board Clerk

Approved by the City of Cosmos this 24 day of 500, 1996, A.D.

City of Cosmos

BY:__ Blachwell Mayor BY:

Drafted By:

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