ORDINANCE NO. 201

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LESTER PRAIRIE TO INCLUDE CERTAIN UNINCORPORATED UNPLATTED LAND ABUTTING UPON THE CITY LIMITS

WHEREAS, a certain Petition for Annexation dated July 23, 1999, requesting annexation of the territory hereinafter described was duly presented to the Council on the 9th day of August, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the quantity of land described within the area described in the petition and bounded as described is less than 200 acres of unplatted land, no part of which is included within the limit of an incorporated city, village or borough; and

WHEREAS, the petition was signed by all the owners of said lands; and

WHEREAS, no objections to the annexation have been received from the County Board, or the governing body of any municipality whose boundaries abut upon the boundaries of the land to be annexed; and the town board of Bergen Township has waived its right to object; and

WHEREAS, a hearing as required by law pursuant to Minnesota Statutes §414.033, Subd. 2(b) has been held on the 13th day of September, 1999 at 7:45 o'clock p.m. after due and proper notice to Bergen Township and all contiguous landowners; and

WHEREAS, the land described in the petition abuts upon the City limits at the South boundary thereof.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF LESTER PRAIRIE, MINNESOTA ORDAINS:

Section 1: The City Council hereby determines (1) that the annexation will be to the best interest of the City and the territory affected; (2) that the territory described herein abuts upon the

City limits and is urban or suburban in character; and (3) that none of said territory is now included within the limits of any city, village or borough.

Section 2: Territory Annexed. The corporate limits of the City are hereby extended to include the unplatted land described as follows and the same is hereby annexed to and included within the City as effectually as if it had originally been part thereof;

The Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 2 and the East Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 11, all in Township 116, Range 27, McLeod County, Minnesota, except that part lying northerly and westerly of the thread of the South Fork of the Crow River as now situated.

Section 3: Filing. The City Clerk is hereby directed to file certified copies of this

Ordinance with the Minnesota Municipal Board, the Secretary of State, McLeod County Auditor,

Bergen Township Clerk and McLeod County Recorder.

Section 4: Effective Date. This ordinance takes effect upon its passage and publication and the filing of the certified copies as directed in Section 3, and after approval by the Minnesota Municipal Board.

Adopted this 13th day of September, 1999.

CITY OF LESTER PRAIRIE

ATTEST

Marilyn Pawelk, City Clerk

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