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IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF LITTLE FALLS AND THE CITY OF LITTLE FALLS DESIGNATING AN UNINCORPORATED AREA AS IN NEED OR ORDERLY ANNEXATION AND CONFERRING JURISDICTION OVER SAID AREA TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION, MUNICIPAL BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS, PURSUANT TO MINNESOTA STATUTE 414.0325

JOINT RESOLUTION FOR ORDERLY ANNEXATION

The Township of Little Falls and the City of Little Falls hereby jointly agree to the

following:

1. That the following described area in Little Falls Township is subject to

orderly annexation pursuant to Minnesota Statute 414.0325, and the parties

hereto designate this area for orderly annexation, to wit:

That part of the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4) of Section 9, Township 40 North, Range 32 West, Morrison County, Minnesota, described as follows: commencing at the southeast corner of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence north along the east line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4) to the southeast corner of Block 1, East Addition to Little Falls, Morrison County, Minnesota; thence west along the south line of said Block 1 to the west line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence south along said west line to the northeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW1/4 NW1/4) of said Section 9; thence west along the north line of said Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter a distance of 115.5 feet; thence south deflecting left 89 degrees 00 minutes 17 seconds, a distance of 611.65 feet to a line hereinafter referred to as Line A; thence east deflecting left 88 degrees 52 minutes 20 seconds, along said Line A, a distance of 615.14 feet to a point hereinafter referred to as Point A; thence south deflecting right 90 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds, a distance of 400.00 feet to the south line of the land described in Document No. 267045; thence east along said south line a distance of 545.00 feet; thence north a distance of 400.00 feet to the actual point of beginning of the land to be described, said point of beginning is 545.00 feet east of said Point A; thence east along the easterly extension of a line drawn from the aforementioned Point A through the point of beginning to the east line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence north along said east line a distance of 916.67 feet: thence west at a right angle to the west line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence south along said west line to the aforementioned Line A; thence east along said Line A to said Point A; thence east a distance of 545.00 feet to the point of beginning; less and except that portion that lies within the right-of-way of U.S. Highway No. 10; also less and

except the east 40.0 feet thereof previously annexed in Document No. 372145. Containing 24.49 acres, more or less.

2. That the Town Board of the Township of Little Falls, and the City Council of the City of Little Falls, upon passage and adoption of this Resolution and upon the acceptance by the Department of Administration, Municipal Boundary Adjustments, confer jurisdiction upon said Department of Administration, Municipal Boundary Adjustments, over the various provisions contained in this Agreement.

3. That this certain property, abuts the City of Little Falls on its northerly, westerly and easterly corporate limits, is presently urban or suburban in nature or is about to become so. Further, the City of Little Falls 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.

4. It is agreed that upon annexation, the City of Little Falls will reimburse, with two yearly payments, the township of Little Falls, one-hundred-and-fifty (150%) of the township's portion of the property taxes due and payable in 2004, (i.e. \$11.59), for a total payment of \$17.39.

5. In accordance with Minnesota Statute 414.0325, Subdivision 1(a) regarding electric utility service notice, the City of Little Falls, notified Minnesota Power Company on October 22, 2004, of our intent to annex said territory, and requested notification if there is a change in the cost of electric utility service as a result of this annexation. On October 26, 2004, Minnesota Power, the electric utility, notified the City of Little Falls that a Franchise Fee will be added to the

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cost of electric utility service for said territory when it is annexed into the City of Little Falls. The property will remain within Minnesota Powers service area as determined by the Minnesota Public Utilities Commissions.

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6. It is therefore agreed that the following property be immediately

annexed to the City of Little Falls, to wit:

That part of the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4) of Section 9, Township 40 North, Range 32 West, Morrison County, Minnesota, described as follows: commencing at the southeast corner of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence north along the east line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4) to the southeast corner of Block 1, East Addition to Little Falls, Morrison County, Minnesota: thence west along the south line of said Block 1 to the west line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence south along said west line to the northeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW1/4 NW1/4) of said Section 9; thence west along the north line of said Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter a distance of 115.5 feet; thence south deflecting left 89 degrees 00 minutes 17 seconds, a distance of 611.65 feet to a line hereinafter referred to as Line A: thence east deflecting left 88 degrees 52 minutes 20 seconds, along said Line A, a distance of 615.14 feet to a point hereinafter referred to as Point A; thence south deflecting right 90 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds, a distance of 400.00 feet to the south line of the land described in Document No. 267045; thence east along said south line a distance of 545.00 feet; thence north a distance of 400.00 feet to the actual point of beginning of the land to be described, said point of beginning is 545.00 feet east of said Point A; thence east along the easterly extension of a line drawn from the aforementioned Point A through the point of beginning to the east line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence north along said east line a distance of 916.67 feet; thence west at a right angle to the west line of said East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E1/2 NW1/4); thence south along said west line to the aforementioned Line A; thence east along said Line A to said Point A; thence east a distance of 545.00 feet to the point of beginning; less and except that portion that lies within the right-of-way of U.S. Highway No. 10; also less and except the east 40.0 feet thereof previously annexed in Document No. 372145. Containing 24.49 acres, more or less.

7. The City and Township certify that the current population in said

property is zero.

8. Both Little Falls Township and the City of Little Falls agree that no

alteration of the stated boundaries of this Agreement is appropriate.

Furthermore, each party agrees that no consideration by the Department of Administration, Municipal Boundary Adjustments, is necessary. Upon receipt of this Resolution, passed and adopted by each party, the Department of Administration, Municipal Boundary Adjustments, may review and comment, but shall, within thirty (30) days, order the annexation in accordance with the terms of this joint Resolution.

Approved by Little Falls Township this 2005. day of LITTLE FALLS TOWNSHIP

By: Chairperson Little Falls Township

By: <u>Jum Clerk</u> Clerk Little Falls Township

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Little Falls, this 10 day of 2005. ATTEST: **CITY OF LITTLE FALLS**

By

Michael C. Doucette Council President

By: Richard N. Carlson City Administrator

Approved this 10 2005. day of By:

Brian D. Mackinac Mayor of Said City

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