RESOLUTION 93-59

Introduced by Councilor Cuden

Seconded by Councilor Bachtle

A JOINT RESOLUTION OF ALBERT LEA TOWNSHIP AND THE CITY OF ALBERT LEA 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

WHEREAS, the Township of Albert Lea and the City of Albert Lea hereby jointly agree to the following; now, therefore

THE CITY OF ALBERT LEA RESOLVES:

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

Commencing at a point 40 rods West of the center of Section 10, Township 102 North of Range 21, West of the Fifty Principal Meridian, thence South 174 feet, thence East 120 feet, thence North 174 feet, thence West 120 feet to the place of beginning, being a part of the $E^{\frac{1}{2}}$ of Lot 8 in a plat or subdivision of the fractional $E^{\frac{1}{2}}$ of the SW $^{\frac{1}{4}}$ of Section 10, Township 102 North of Range 21 West of the 5th P.M., subject to easements for public roads and also subject to well agreement.

- Sec. 2. That the Township of Albert Lea does, upon passage of this resolution and its adoption by the City Council of the City of Albert Lea, Minnesota, and upon acceptance by the Municipal Board, confer jurisdiction upon the Minnesota Municipal Board over the various provisions contained in this agreement.
- Sec. 3. That certain properties abutting the City of Albert Lea are presently urban or suburban in nature or about to become so. Further, the City of Albert Lea is capable of providing services to this area within a reasonable time, or the existing township form of government is not adequate to protect the public health, safety or welfare, or the annexation would be in the best interests of the area proposed for annexation. Therefore, these properties would be immediately annexed to the City of Albert Lea. This area is described as follows:

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- Sec. 4. That the City agrees to investigate the possibility of sharing facilities, equipment, and personnel with the township to forestall the duplication of facilities and to reduce the overall costs of government in the area.
- Sec. 5. That the effect of annexations on population shall be resolved whenever possible by agreement of parties. If there is faiure to reach such agreement, the question shall be resolved by the Minnesota Municipal Board.
- Sec. 6. That no alteration of the area is appropriate, that this resolution sets conditions for annexation and municipal board consideration is not necessary.

- Sec. 7. That planning throughout the orderly annexation area shall be pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 414.0325: Planning and zoning for the area shall be provided by the City of Albert Lea.
- Sec. 8. That any person owning lands annexed to the City pursuant to this agreement shall have all rights provided by statute and Resolution 87-46 of the City of Albert Lea governing special assessments. That the customary hookup charges approved for property in the City shall be used for connection to City utilities.

Introduced, read and passed March 22, 1993.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor

TOWNSHIP OF ALBERT LEA

Passed and adopted by the Township Board of the Township of Albert Lea this $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ day of $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$, 1993.

ATTEST:/

Township Clerk

Its: Chairman

