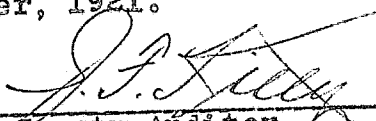


STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
County of Washington.) SS

I, J. F. Kilty, auditor of the County of Wash-
ington and State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the
attached copy is a true and correct copy of petition for
Incorporation of the Village of Birchwood.

Witness my hand and official seal at Stillwa-
ter, this 8th day of September, 1921.



County Auditor,
Washington County, Minnesota.

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Petition for Incorporation.

Village of Birchwood.

To the Board of County Commissioners of
Washington County:

I.

The undersigned, who are voters residing within the territory hereinafter described, petition the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Minnesota, to call an election for the determination of the proposed incorporation as a village of the territory hereinafter described.

The boundaries of the territory to be included in such incorporated village is situated in said Washington County and described as follows, to-wit:

All of Birchwood, Lakewood Park First Division, Lakewood Park, Second Division and Lakewood Park Third Division, all according to the maps and plats thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Washington County.

II.

An accurate census of the resident population within boundaries of said territory was taken on the 25th day of July, 1921, and within eight (8) weeks prior to the presentation of this petition, and the number of actual residents in the territory above described was and is Three Hundred and Sixty-four (364).

III.

The name proposed for said Village is "Village of Birchwood".

IV.

No part of the above described territory is in any incorporated city or village. All of the territory above described has been platted into lots and blocks by plats which have been duly and legally certified according to the laws of the said State and filed in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the

said County of Washington and said territory contains a resident population of not more than Three Thousand (3000) persons nor less than Two Hundred (200) persons. All of said real property aforesaid is so conditioned as properly to be subjected to Village Government. The quantity of land embraced in the territory above described is Two Hundred Forty-six (246) acres.

WHEREFORE the undersigned respectfully petition the County Board of said Washington County to call an election for the determination of the proposed incorporation of the Village of Birchwood.

A. P. Johnson
A. S. Libbey
H. C. Sachse
Theodore Gerving
W. E. Andrews
D. B. Wagner
Thomas Walsh
Claude C. Samson
E. B. McGill
Harry M. Walsh
Fred G. Ohm
H. H. Dornfeld
C. W. Dixon
H. P. Fleming
Herman Brown
F. E. Pfeiffer
A. P. MacGregor
Gordon B. Schurmeier

Richard A. Walsh
Leo Hall
F. W. Geiss
R. A. Stevenson
A. J. Prins
R. A. Walsh, Jr.
A. S. Downey
J. W. Rice
Jos. T. O'Neil
Geo. B. Marzolf
A. A. Haumann
Wm. M. Becker, M.R.
Carl F. Foster
J. V. Slocum
Geo. S. Roberts
Arthur S. Milinowski
T. S. White
Edw. J. Schurmeier

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
County of Washington.) SS

William E. Andrews, Alexander P. McGregor and Claude C. Sampson being first duly sworn on oath, did depose and say, that they are three of the petitioners above named and have signed the foregoing petition; that they have read the contents thereof and that all the statements made in said petition are true; that a census of the resident population within the territory described in said petition was accurately taken on the date specified in said petition.

WILLIAM E. ANDREWS,

ALEXANDER P. MCGREGOR,

CLAUDE C. SAMSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 30th day of July, 1921.

LEE HALL,

Lee Hall, Notary Public, Washington
County, Minnesota, My commission ex-
pires July 31st, 1925. ((SEAL))

Approved as to form August 2nd, 1921.
Reuben G. Thoreen, County Attorney,
By Chester S. Wilson, Ass't County Attorney.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
) SS
County of Washington.)

Lee Hall, being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes and says, that in the Town of Lincoln, in said County and State, on the 6th day of August A. D. 1921, he posted three (3) copies of the annexed petition for incorporation with Notice attached thereto, in three (3) of the most public places, within the boundaries of the Proposed Village of Birchwood described in said petition, to-wit:

One such copy on the Lakewood Station,

One such copy on the Birchwood Station,

One such copy on the Glenview Station,

All of said Stations described being the property of the Minneapolis & St. Paul Suburban Railway Company, and within the boundaries of the proposed Village of Birchwood described in said Petition and Notice.

LEE HALL.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 8th day of August, A.D. 1921.

Harold C. Kerr,

Harold C. Kerr, Notary Public, Ramsey
County, Minn., My commission expires
March 1st, 1924.

(SEAL)

State of Minnesota,)
County of Washington.) SS

J. F. Kilty, being duly sworn says that he is the Auditor of Washington County, Minnesota; that there is not now and at and since the date of posting of the within petition and notice of election as set forth in the within affidavit of posting there has not been any qualified newspaper published within the limits of proposed Village of Birchwood described in said petition.

J. F. Kilty.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 6th day of August, 1921.

A. W. Magnuson,
Reg. of Deeds, Washington County,
Minnesota.

(SEAL)

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO DETERMINE PROPOSED
INCORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF BIRCHWOOD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on Tuesday, the
30th day of AUGUST, 1921, commencing at 9
A.M., at the residence of Lee Hall within the limits of proposed
Village of Birchwood hereinafter mentioned in the Town of Lincoln,
County of Washington and State of Minnesota, and election will be
held to determine and pass upon the proposed incorporation of Vil-
lage of Birchwood, as proposed and described in the annexed peti-
tion.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners of Washington
County, Minnesota.

J. F. KILTY,
County Auditor,
Washington County, Minnesota.

(SEAL)

Approved as to form Aug. 2, 1921.

Reuben G. Thoreen, County Attorney,
By Chester S. Wilson, Ass't Co. Attorney.

WHEREAS, at a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Minnesota, duly called and held at the City of Stillwater in said County on the 2nd day of August, 1921, a petition signed by Wm. E. Andrews, Alexander P. MacGregor, Claude C. Samson and others was duly presented to the Board, proposing the organization of a village within the boundaries of said Washington County to be known as "Village of Birchwood", and it appearing to the Board that said petition is in the form and has been executed and verified in a manner provided by law, it is

RESOLVED, that an election be and the same hereby is called for the determination of said proposed incorporation; that said election shall be held and conducted at the residence of Lee Hall within the limits of said proposed Village in the Town of Lincoln in the County of Washington, Minnesota, on Tuesday the 30th day of August 1921, commencing at 9 o'clock A. M., and the same shall be conducted so far as practicable in accordance with the laws regulating the election of town officers.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that Edw. J. Schurmeier, A.S. Libbey and Theodore Gerving are hereby appointed inspectors to act as Judges of said election.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that not less than twenty (20) days prior to the date herein fixed for said election copies of said petition for incorporation, with a notice attached stating the time and place for holding such election as above fixed, shall be posted in three public places within the boundaries described in said petition, to-wit: One at the Lakewood Station, one at the Birchwood Station and one at the Glenview Station of the Minneapolis, St. Paul Suburban Railway Company.

C. E. Mosier, Chairman.

John Clarey

Andrew Anderson

G. F. Tibbets

Wm. Minogue

Stillwater Minn.
August 2, 1921.

County Commissioners.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
) SS
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.)

I, Edw. J. Schurmeier, judge of the election for the determination of the proposed incorporation of the Village of Birchwood, do solemnly swear that I will perform the duties of judge of election according to law and the best of my ability, and will studiously endeavor to prevent fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting this election. So help me God.

Edw. J. Schurmeier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 30th day of August, 1921.
LEE HALL,
Notary Public, Washington County, Minn.,
My commission expires July 31st, 1925.
(SEAL)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
) SS
County of Washington.)

I, A. S. Libbey, judge of the election for the determination of the proposed incorporation of the Village of Birchwood, do solemnly swear that I will perform the duties of Judge of election according to law and the best of my ability, and will studiously endeavor to prevent fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting this election. So help me God.

A. S. Libbey.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 30th day of August, 1921.
LEE HALL,
Notary Public, Washington County, Minn.,
My commission expires July 31st, 1925.
(SEAL)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
) SS
County of Washington.)

I, Theodore Gerving, judge of the election for the determination of the proposed incorporation of the Village of Birchwood, do solemnly swear that I will perform the duties of judge of election according to law and the best of my ability, and will studiously endeavor to prevent fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting this election. So help me God.

Theodore Gerving.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 30th day of August, 1921.
LEE HALL,
Notary Public, Washington County, Minn.,
My commission expires July 31st, 1925.
(SEAL)

We, the undersigned judges of the election held, commencing at 9 A.M., August 30, 1921, at the residence of Lee Hall within the limits of proposed Village of Birchwood in the Town of Lincoln, Washington County, Minnesota, for the determination of the proposed incorporation of the Village of Birchwood, do hereby certify that we have canvassed the ballots cast at the election; that the number of votes cast in favor of incorporation was Eighty-four -84- , and the number of votes cast against incorporation was four (4).

Edw. J. Schurmeier,

A. S. Libbey,

Theodore Gerving.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
)SS
County of Washington.)

Edw. J. Schurmeier, A. S. Libbey and Theodore Gerving, being first duly sworn, depose and say that they are the judges of the election referred to in the foregoing certificate, and that the facts stated in said certificate are true.

Edw. J. Schurmeier,

A. S. Libbey,

Theodore Gerving.

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 30th day of August, 1921.

LEE HALL,

Notary Public, Washington County, Minn.,
My commission expires July 31st, 1925.

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W. H. Johnson

Secretary of State