

in legent to the filing of said petition with the County Auditor, and that a copy of said notice was posted in a conspicuous place within the limits of said territory as proposed to be annexed to said Corporation for six weeks prior to the time fixed for hearing. It further appearing to the Board that it is right and proper that the prayer of said petition be granted, it is now hereby ordered that the said Corporation may annex said territory, described in said petition to its corporate limits, as in said petition prayed. And it is further ordered that a certified transcript signed by a majority of this Board, of all the order and proceedings of this Board in relation to such annexation be at once transmitted to the Clerk of said Village, together with said petition, map and all other papers, on file relating to said matter. A. J. Frame, Auditor Athens Co. Ohio, John Burson, Jefferson Perry, Abner Juniper County Commissioners

I hereby certify that the above is a true transcript of the proceedings of the Commissioners of Athens County, pertaining to the annexation of territory to the Village of Athens as prayed for in the petition of Joseph M. Wood as Solicitor and Agent of said Village filed in my office June 14th 1894. A. J. Frame, Auditor Athens County Ohio. August 28th 1894.

Proof of Publication

The State of Ohio, Athens Co. vs. Personally appeared in open Court S. S. Burson one of the publishers of The Athens Messenger and Herald and made oath that the notice a copy of which is hereto attached was published in the Athens Messenger and Herald, a newspaper printed in and of general circulation in said County, 1 consecutive week the first publication being on the 22 day of November 1894 and that the said paper was during that time printed and published in said County. S. S. Burson sworn to and subscribed before me the 12th day of December 1894. A. S. Bethel Probate Judge

An Ordinance

Annexing Certain Contiguous Territory to the Corporate limits of the Village of Athens, Ohio. Whereas, On the 30th day of May, 1894, the Village of Athens, Ohio, by an ordinance duly passed, authorizing the annexation of the following described territory to the corporate limits of said Village, to-wit: Situate in the Township of Athens, in the County of Athens, and State of Ohio, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the north-east corner of the Village of Athens; thence following the Village line, south twenty-nine and thirty-five one hundredths (29.35) chains; thence east fifteen and eighty one hundredths (15.81) chains; thence south twenty-two (22) degrees, west ten and eighty one hundredths (10.81) chains to the north line of Morris Avenue in the said Village; thence east on said line forty-eight and forty-three one hundredths (48.43) chains to the Hocking River; thence leaving the Village line north fifty-seven and three fourths (57.75) degrees, east three and twenty-five one hundredths (3.25) chains to the south-west corner of farm lot no. 27; thence north on the west line of said farm lot thirty-seven (37) chains; thence west across farm lots nos. 43, 45 and 46 sixty-three and fifty one hundredths (63.51) chains to the place of beginning, containing 235 Acres more or less. And Whereas, Joseph M. Wood, Solicitor of said Village was by said ordinance authorized and directed to prosecute the proceedings necessary to effect such annexation; and Whereas, On the 30th day of August 1894, said Solicitor, behalf of said Village filed with the Commissioners of Athens County, Ohio, a petition praying for the annexation of said territory to said Village; and Whereas, - Such proceedings were had thereon by said Commissioners that, on the 15th day of August, 1894, said Commissioners ordered that said Corporation might annex said territory to its corporate limits, as prayed for in said petition; and, Whereas, A certified transcript of the proceedings of the said County Commissioners, together with the petition map and other papers relating thereto, are on file with the Clerk of said Village.

Be it ordained, as follows: - Section First: - That the action of said Solicitor, on behalf of said Village in filing said petition and the proceedings there under by said Commissioners be, and the same are hereby approved and that said territory be and the same is hereby annexed to the corporate limits of said Village.

Section Second: - This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and legal publication.

Passed November 19th, 1894. Wm. S. Wilson, Mayor. Attest: - W. P. Golden, Clerk. I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the petition and plat accompanying the same, transcript of the proceedings of the Commissioners of Athens County, Ohio, and ordinance of the Council of the Village of Athens, Ohio in relation to the annexation of the territory, described in said petition to the corporate limits of said Village. W. P. Golden Clerk of The Village of Athens, Ohio.

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