

An Ordinance - It submit to the qualified electors of the incorporated village of New Lexington the question of annexing certain contiguous territory and to provide for such annexation. Passed Feb 22nd 1856.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor, Recorder & Trustees of the incorporated Village of New Lexington, that the question of the annexation of the contiguous territory embraced within the following limits shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said Corporation at the annual municipal election on the first Monday in April next, viz. Commencing at the north west corner of lot number one hundred and thirty (130) in R.C. Huston's 1st Addition to New Lexington thence in a northwesterly direction nearly parallel with Main Street to a point on the south - west side of Brook Street opposite the north east corner of lot number one hundred and fifty six (156) in R.C. Huston's 2^d Addition thence along the south east side of Brook Street to a point opposite the north east corner of lot number one hundred and forty nine (149) in said 2^d addition thence in a northwesterly direction parallel with the north north east line of said lot number 149, to high water mark on the north side of Rush Creek thence along the north side of said creek to a point where the road leading from New Lexington to Somerset crosses said creek to the south west side of said road; thence along the south west side of said road to a point sixty five (65) rods east of the western line of the north west quarter of Section Nine (9) Township Fifteen (15) Range Fifteen (15) thence due south to the north west side of the graded drive road, thence along the north west side of said road to the south west corner of said quarter section, thence South Eight (8) rods thence east one hundred and forty eight (148) rods, thence south forty one (41) rods, thence east twenty eight (28) rods, thence northerly in a direct line, to the north east corner of lot number seventy six (76), thence east to a point opposite the south east corner of lot number one hundred and thirty five (135) thence north to the south east corner of said lot.

Section 2^d And be it further ordained, that the electors voting at said election for municipal officers shall endorse on their ballots either written or printed or partly written and partly printed, the words "For Annexation" or the words "Against Annexation"

Section 3^d And be it further ordained that if a majority of the Electors voting on the question of annexation at said election shall vote For Annexation, then it shall be the duty of the Recorder to enter that fact upon the records of the corporation and to prepare or cause to be prepared such maps, plans and petition, as are prescribed by law, to consummate such annexation, and cause the same to be filed with the Commissioners of Perry County on or before the Monday in May 1856.

The State of Ohio Perry County J^d

J. M. Huston Recorder

James Taylor Mayor

I, Stephen Worley, publisher of the New Lexington Locomotive, a weekly newspaper published in New Lexington in said county, and having a general circulation therein, do make solemn oath that an ordinance of which the annexed is a true copy, was published in said paper for five consecutive weeks immediately preceding the first Monday in April 1856.

Stephen Worley

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the 5th day of May A.D. 1856.

James Taylor J^d

Recorder's Office, New Lexington. May 1st 1856.

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original Ordinance on file in this office passed at a regular meeting of the council on February 22nd 1856. It submit to the qualified electors of the incorporated village of New Lexington the question of annexing certain contiguous territory and to provide for such annexation.

J. M. Huston, Recorder

NOTICE!

Whereas on the 22^d day of February 1856 the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Lexington passed an ordinance to submit to the qualified electors of the incorporated village of New Lexington the question of annexing certain contiguous territory hereinafter described, and whereas at the annual municipal election on the first Monday of April last 91 voters of and ^{with} in said corporation voted for annexation, and 5 voters of and within said corporation voted against annexation and whereas pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the corporate authorities of said incorporated village did on the 2^d day of June 1856 cause to be filed with the Commissioners of Perry County a petition praying for the annexation of the territory described in said ordinance, and petition as follows: - Commencing at the north west corner of lot number one hundred and thirty (130) in R.C. Huston's 1st Addition to New Lexington, thence in a northwesterly direction nearly parallel with Main Street to a point on the south east side of Brook Street opposite the north east corner of lot number one hundred and fifty six (156) in R.C. Huston's 2^d Addition thence along the south east side of Brook Street to a point opposite the north east corner of lot number one hundred and forty nine (149) in said 2^d addition; thence in a north westerly direction parallel with the north east line of said lot number 149, to high water mark on the north side of Rush Creek thence along the north side of said creek to a point where the road leading from New Lexington to Somerset crosses said creek to the south west side of said road; thence along the south west side of said road to a point sixty five (65) rods east of the western line of the north west quarter of section nine (9) Township Fifteen (15) Range Fifteen (15) thence due south to the north west side of the graded drive road; thence along the north west side of said road to the south west corner of said quarter section thence south eight (8) rods; thence east one hundred and forty eight (148) rods; thence south forty one (41) rods thence east twenty eight (28) rods; thence northerly in a direct line to the north east corner of lot number seventy six (76) thence east to a point opposite the south east corner of lot number one hundred and thirty five (135) thence north to the south east corner of said lot, which petition was accompanied with an accurate map of the territory proposed to be annexed.

Now, therefore, all persons interested will take notice that the said petition will be for hearing before said Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor in the Town of Somerset in said County on the 8th day of August 1856 at 10 o'clock P.M. and the hearing will be adjourned from day to day if necessary.

H. J. Bolborn } Agents
A. M. Huston } of
James Taylor } Petitioners

The State of Ohio, Perry County J^d

I, James Taylor, Editor of the Lexington Locomotive, a newspaper printed in said County of general circulation, do make solemn oath that the notice a copy of which is hereto attached, was published in said newspaper for more than six consecutive weeks immediately previous the 8th day of August 1856.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this Aug 8th 1856.

R. J. Hickman Probate Judge

The agents of the corporation of New Lexington, designated by the council to prosecute their petition for the annexation of certain contiguous territory, filed with the Commissioners on the 2nd Monday in June 1856, by leave to change the lines as follows: Commence at the north east corner of lot number one hundred and twenty nine (29) in R.C. Huston's 1st Addition to New Lexington thence parallel with Main Street to the north east side of Water Street, thence along the north east side of said water street to high water mark on the north side of Rush Creek the remainder of the description to remain as described in the plat & petition (Petition filed June 2nd 1856)

James Taylor } Agents
A. M. Huston }
H. J. Bolborn }

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