

INCORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF WHITESTOWN,  
INDIANA

The following proceedings were had on the 5th day of September, 1946, in the Commissioner's Court, Boone County, Indiana.

In the Matter of the Proposed )  
Incorporation of the town of )  
Whitestown, Indiana. )

Order.

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Petition presented, Proof of Posting Notices filed, Census, Survey and map filed, Evidence heard, Petition granted, Town incorporated under name of Whitestown with the assent of the voters, Notice Ordered of an Election to be held at Clarence A. Pipes Skating Rink, on Saturday, October 26, 1946.

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In the Matter of the Proposed )  
Incorporation of the town of )  
Whitestown, Indiana. )

Petition

The undersigned, for their petition herein respectfully show the court that they constitute more than one third of the resident real estate owners and legal voters, respectively, of the territory hereinafter described,

A part of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of Section 19, Township 18 North, Range 2 East of the Second Principal Meridian and also a part of the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of Section 18, Township 18 North, Range 2 East of the Second Principal Meridian and more fully described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of Section 19, Township 18 north, Range 2 East of the Second Principal Meridian and run thence east 145 feet to an Iron Pin, thence north six hundred and ten (610) feet to an Iron Pin, thence East sixteen and one half (16½) feet to an Iron Pin, thence North one thousand and forty (1040) feet to an Iron Pin, thence East Two hundred and fifty four (254) feet to an Iron Pin, thence North one hundred fifty five (155) feet to an Iron Pin, thence East two hundred and sixteen (216) feet to an Iron Pin, thence North ninety eight (98) feet to the West Right of Way Line of the New York Central Railroad, thence south sixty four (64) degrees and six (6) minutes East along the west Right of Way line of said Railroad seventy eight (78) feet, thence north two hundred and sixty eight (268) feet to an Iron Pin; thence east six hundred and eighty four (684) feet to an Iron Pin, thence north fifty four (54) feet, thence east six hundred and fifty three (653) feet to an Iron Pin, thence north four hundred and eighty (480) feet to the center line of the Whitestown-Zionsville Public Road; thence west along the center line of said Public Road one hundred and ten (110) feet; thence north one hundred and fifty five feet to an Iron Pin, thence west and parallel to and one hundred and fifty five (155) feet distant from the center line of the Whitestown-Zionsville Public Road nine hundred and three (903) feet; thence North two hundred and seventy five (275) feet to an Iron Pin, thence north eighty eight (88) degrees forty five (45) minutes West four hundred and eighty (480) feet to a ten (10") inch Box Elder Tree, thence North two hundred (200) feet to an Iron Pin; thence west three hundred and thirty (330) feet to an Iron Pin, thence north seven hundred and seventy five (775) feet to an Iron Pin, thence west two hundred and ninety feet (290) to an Iron Pin, thence south nine hundred and ninety four (994) feet, thence west eleven hundred and forty five (1145) feet to an Iron Pin, thence South one hundred and twenty feet to the East Right of Way Line of the N.Y.C.R.R. Co., thence north sixty four (64) degrees and six minutes (6') west along the East Right of Way Line of said Railroad eight hundred and eighty (880) feet, thence south six hundred and fifteen (615) feet to a point 120 feet north of the south line of the southwest quarter of Section 18, Township 18 North, Range 2 East, thence west 120 feet north of the said south line 855 feet to an Iron Pin, thence south 120 feet to said south line of said section, thence East along said line 525 feet, thence south 325 feet to an Iron Pin, thence east 1544 feet to an Iron Pin, thence south four hundred and



fifty (450) feet, thence east one hundred and thirty six (136) feet, thence south three hundred and sixty eight (368) feet, thence west one hundred and forty (140) feet; thence south one hundred and seventy (170) feet, thence east one hundred and forty (140) feet, thence south three hundred and seventy eight and five tenths feet (378.5) feet to an Iron Pin, thence east four hundred and seventy one (471) feet, thence south eight hundred and ninety one and five tenths (891.5) feet to an Iron Pin, thence East one hundred and sixty one (161) feet to the place of beginning, and containing 121.57 acres, more or less.

That the following named persons are all inhabitants of said territory including those persons owning real estate in the territory above described as well as the legal voters and all other persons residing within such territory, to-wit: Allen, Richard; Allen, Woodrow; Allen, Joseph; Allen, Sarah; Allen, Josie; Allen, Karon Sue; Allen, Ur; Allen, Margaret; Allen, Garold; Allen, Mary; Allen, Charles Lloyd; Allen, Kenneth Lee; Allen, Lynn; Allen, Helen; Allen, Norma Jean; Allen, Jackie Lynn; Allen, Virginia Mae; Allen, Harold Martin; Allen, Margaret June; Allen, Grover; Allen, Ora M.; Allen, Howard; Allen, Bernice; Allen, Judy; Allen, Everett; Allen, Emma; Allen, Pauline; Allen, Henry Carr; Allen, David; Allen, Lester; Allen, Alma; Allen, Johnie; Anderson, Victor; Anderson, Mae; Anderson, Norma; Anderson, Robert; Anderson, Ted; Anderson, Shirley; Allen, Charles E.; Allen, Orpha; Allen, Bonnie; Beatty, Riley; Blacker, Russell; Blacker, Glenn; Blacker, Ronald; Batz, William; Brown, Harold L.; Brown, Mary Rosalyn; Brown, Eddie Harold; Booker, Elma O.; Brandonburg, Eva; Beck, Marie; Beck, Harold; Beck, Mary Rose; Booher, Sylvester J.; Booher, Mark A.; Booher, Karl M.; Booher, Wendell R.; Booher, Quentin D.; Booher, Victor A.; Burns, Edward; Burns, Ida; Byrkett, Ollie; Burtner, Robert E.; Burtner, Sabina; Burtner, Basil E.; Burtner, Delmar; Burtner, Bernard; Burtner, Howard; Byrkett, Jacob R.; Byrkett, \_\_\_\_\_; Bohannon, William; Bohannon, Sarah; Byrkett, Johnie; Carey, Fred; Carey, Rosie; Carey, Charles Edwin; Carey, Robert Owen; Caldwell, Ora Irvin; Caldwell, Gaynelle; Caldwell, Robert Irvin; Copenhagen, Orville; Christy, Clara; Christy, Edna; Cline, Elizabeth; Clingler, Warren Eugene; Clingler, Theda June; Clingler, Dana Jene; Creasy, Calvin; Creasy, Marjorie Gladys; Cragun, Orestes; Cragun, Lula; Cragun, Alyce M.; Cook, Sally M.; Cragun, Omer; Cragun, Ella; Cragun, Hiram; Cragun, Pearl; Dodson, Elsie; Dodson, Ralph; Dodson, Aurel; Dodson, Thomas; Dodson, Dolly; Dodson, Billy Gene; Dodson, Delores Beth; Davis, Max; Davis, Catherine; Dodson, Tryphena C.; Dulin, Claude; Dulin, Virginia; Duncan, John; Duncan, Virginia; Duncan, James; Duncan, Virginia Harriet; Duncan, Peneolpe; Dodson, Leon; Dodson, Helen; Dodson, Barbara Kay; Dodson, Linda Jean; Dodson, Marilyn Anne; Dodson, Juanita Mae; Davis, Venie; Dodson, Wayne; Dodson, Lelia; Enoch, Ben; Enoch, Edythe; Enoch, June Ellen; Essex, Earnest; Essex, Nelia A.; Essex, Anna Ruth; Edwards, Lelia; Essex, George Everett; Essex, Vera; Essex, Barbara Jean; Essex, William Ira; Fulwider, Charles; Fulwider, Hazel; Goodwin, Sarah; Glascock, Howard; Glascock, Naomi; Glascock, Robert Leslie; Glascock, Margaret Jane; Gordon, Glen; Gordon, Maude; Gentry, Ruby; Gentry, Teshia; Gentry, Robert; Good, Marshall; Good, Leola; Golliday, Harlie; Golliday, Emma; Golliday, Marvin; Goodwin, H. A.; Goodwin, Pearl; Gallion, George; Hamm, Donald; Hamm, Katherine; Hamm, Donald Dean; Heinie, Rev. Raymond; Heinie, Flora; Heinie, Ward William; Harvey, Noah; Harvey, Marle; Hine, Albert P.; Hine, Bertha; Hull, Ella; Hull, John R.; Hull, Cora; Hardesty, Russell; Hardesty, Helen; Hardesty, Beverly Sue; Hardesty, James Russell; Hine, Edna; Hamm, Charles; Hamm, Louise H.; Harmon, Dare H.; Harmon, Doris M.; Harmon, Marlene Joyce; Hedge, Cleve; Hedge, Edna Pearl; Hedge, F. Thomas; Hedge, Thelma Hedge; Hedge, James E.; Hedge, Donald L.; Hedge, Pearl L.; Hedge, Ernest E.; Hedge, John D.; Harmon, Ivan E.; Harmon, Martha; Harmon, Sharon Lee; Harmon, Richard Eugene; Harmon, Marion; Harmon, Nellie; Hine, John William; Hardesty, Alice; Hillock, Cleo; Hillock, Eunice; Hillock, Jean Ann; Hand, Clarence; Hand, Violet; Hand, Clarence Jr.; Hand, Irma; Hand, Phyllis; Hancock, Homer; Hancock, J. Robert; Hancock, Mary Louise; Hancock, Robert Joe; Hancock, John Edwin; Hancock, Flora Suann; Hager, Gertie; Harshbarger, Elsie; Isenhour, Goldie; Isenhour, Rosker; Isenhour, Hazel; Isenhour, Leonard; Jackson, Fern; Jackson, Jackie; Jackson, Lillie; Johnson, Laurence; Johnson, Graham; Johnson, Maurice; Kouns, Vonda; Klingler, Alva; Klingler, Lora; Livengood, Ida; Little, Dora; Linville, Bonnie; Linville, Wendell; Laughner, Linus A.; Laughner, Jennie; Laughner, Clyde O.; Laughner, Gertrude L.; Laughner, Charles B.; Laughner, Minnie A.; Losey, Rachel; Livengood, Elvira; Livengood, Carl; Livengood, Gaynell; Laughner, Edward; Livengood, Harold;



Livengood, Le Annah; Martin, Bertha; Moore, Rolla; Moore, Nancy E.; McKenna, J. E.;  
 McKenna, Virginia; McKenna, Patricia Ann; Millikan, Bertha; Mitchell, Mary Ellen;  
 McClaine, Lorris; McClaine, Violet; McClaine, Frances; McClaine, Martha; McClaine,  
 Elizabeth; McClaine, Charles; McClaine, Vivian; McClaine, Janice; McClaine, James  
 Douglas; McKinney, Bonnie; Murphy, Vera; McMakin, Ida B.; McMakin, Robert G.; McMakin,  
 Catherine E.; McClaine, James D.; McClaine, Mary Frances; Mink, Patricia; Mendenhall,  
 Allison Lee; Mendenhall, Ethel G.; Morton, Iacy; Neese, Minnie; Neese, Betty; Neese,  
 Rosemary; Newman, Louis; Newman, Kenneth Wayne; Newman, Louis William; Newman, Melvin  
 Edward; Nease, Lloyd B.; Nease, Elizabeth V.; Nease, Lloyd W.; Neese, Clyde E. Sr.;  
 Nease, Harold J.; Nease, Virginia K.; Nease, Barbara Jeannie; Nease, Lilah Joyce;  
 Neese, John; Neese, Blance; Neese, Loren; Neese, John Jr.; Neese, Dalton Eugene; Neese,  
 Billie Lee; Neal, Bruce; Neal, Floy; Neal, Frank; Neese, Webster; Neese, Rosa; Neese,  
 Adelbert; Neese, June; Ottinger, Rush E.; Ottinger, Fern; Ottinger, Gloria Dean;  
 O'Connor, Timothy; Osler, Ruby; Powell, Alonzo; Powell, Mattie; Pollard, Allen; Pollard,  
 May; Pipes, John W.; Pipes, Georgia; Pettit, Roy; Pettit, Dorothy; Pettit, Joan; Pettit,  
 LeRoy, Pettit; Pettit, Jimmy; Pipes, William H.; Pipes, Frances N.; Pipes, Velma Marilyn;  
 Pipes, Jackie Olaf; Pipes, John William; Pipes, Janet Sue; Pipes, Loren; Pipes, Pauline;  
 Pipes, Judith Kay; Pipes, Clarence A.; Pipes, Cyrena A.; Pipes, Millard; Pipes, Ann;  
 Pipes, Wilson; Pipes, Mary; Pipes, Thomas Marling; Pipes, Shirley; Pipes, Charles; Pipes,  
 Isaac; Pipes, Betty; Pipes, Billie; Pipes, Norma; Reynolds, Earl; Reynolds, Irene;  
 Reynolds, Nancy Lou; Reynolds, Larry Joe; Reynolds, Marion; Reynolds, Floyd; Riddell,  
 John M.; Riddell, Dortha; Riddell, Robert E.; Rees, Blanchard; Rees, Fay; Rees, Jimmie;  
 Rees, Wilma Jean; Riddle, Morris; Riddle, Geneva; Riddle, Linda Kay; Reed, Cora; Reiber,  
 Gracie; Shoemaker, Ama; Sortor, Donald; Sortor, Elma; Sortor, Donald Jr.; Stantz, Lewis;  
 Stantz, Verda; Stantz, Martha; Stantz, Marvin; Stantz, Donald Wayne; Sloan, Mildred;  
 Sloan, Shirley Rae; Spencer, Simeon N.; Spencer, Verna; Sortor, Claude; Sortor, Adeline;  
 Stum, Jason; Stum, Edyth; Stum, John; Stum, Harry Basil; Sortor, Ora M. L. V.; Sortor,  
 Alice M.; Sortor, Minnice C.; Sortor, Cathryn E.; Sanders, Alva; Sanders, Cora; Sanders,  
 Robert; Sanders, Leona; Sanders, Janet Sue; Shirley, Charley; Shirley, Nora; Staton,  
 Fred; Smiley, Charles N.; Smiley, Ruth E.; Smiley, Larry Lee; Smiley, Sally Lou; Shirley,  
 James H.; Shirley, May; Shirley, James V.; Shaw, Roy; Shaw, Otha; Shaw, Emma; Shaw, Mary;  
 Shaw, Carol; Shaw, Claudia; Scering, Ora I.; Scering, Lidia E.; Smith, Omer W.; Scott,  
 Ernest; Scott, Ethel; Schroeder, Bessie; Scott, Nellie; Shoemaker, C. W.; Scott, Hallie F.;  
 Scott, Betty; Scott, Mary Frances; Scott, Joan; Stephens, Levon; Stephens, Virginia;  
 Stephens, Bill; Stephens, Carolyn; Stephens, Jim; Stephens, Clarence; Thompson, Archie;  
 Thompson, Elizabeth; Thompson, Jeanne; Thompson, Judith; Tolley, Mabel I.; Tolley,  
 Allison Lee; Todd, James; Todd, Mary M.; Thurman, Harold; Thurman, Mozelle; Thistlethwait,  
 James; Thistlethwait, Patricia; Thistlethwait, Patricia Lee; Voorhies, Katherine; Van Hook,  
 Harry; Van Hook, Maude; Van Hook, B. Nadine; Van Hook, Mary A.; Van Hook, Norman; Van Hook,  
 James; Van Hook, Phyllis; Van Hook, Marilyn; Van Hook, Katherine C.; Van Hook, Judith Ann;  
 Wallace, Georgia; Wallace, Roy; Whistler, Elmer; Whistler, Betty; Wardle, Mae R.; Wardle,  
 Sharon Kaye; Wilson, Isaac; Wilson, Ella; Wilson, Faye; Wilson, Edward; Wilson, Bernice;  
 Wilson, Terry; Wilson, Larry; Wilson, Sharon; Wilson, Bobby Dean; Williams, E. A.;  
 Williams, Jessie; Walton, Arthur; Walton, Audrey; Walton, Wanda Illene; Walton, John  
 Hubert; Wurtzler, Herbert; Wurtzler, Pansy; Wolf, Nellie; Wilson, Ernest J.; Wilson,  
 Rosena; Whitmore, Arthur; Whitmore, Eunice; Whitmore, Vivienne; Whitmore, Warran; Whitmore,  
 John; Whitmore, Janet Jean; Wilson, Robert; Wilson, Laura Mae; Wilson, Patty; Wheat,  
 Horace; Wheat, Ortha; Wheat, Martha; Shirling, Earl L.; Shirling, Helen; Shirling, David;  
 Shirling, Ida.

That these petitioners have caused an accurate survey and map to be made of the real  
 estate above described by the surveyor of Boone County, Indiana and a census to be pre-  
 pared, exhibiting the name of every head of a family residing within such territory and  
 the number of persons then belonging to such family and every real estate owner re-  
 siding within such territory and owning real estate therein duly verified as provided  
 by law that such survey may and census have been left at a convenient place within  
 said territory, to-wit: Clyde O. Laughner's Drug Store for examination by all persons  
 therein interested.

Said petitioners further say that the territory above described includes the  
 unincorporated town of Whitestown, which has been in existence for many years; that



it will be to the best interests of all persons residing within said territory to incorporate said town.

Wherefore, these petitioners pray that an election be ordered to determine whether or not said town should be incorporated as a municipal corporation under the laws of the State of Indiana and that they have all other proper relief in the premises.

R.L.O. Clyde O. Laughner  
" Gertrude L. Laughner  
" A. T. Whitmore  
" Hallie F. Scott  
" H. D. Wheat  
" Cleo Hillock  
" Fred Carey  
" Ernest B. Rees  
L.V. John Duncan  
R.L.O. Carl Livengood  
" Sara E. Allen  
" Otha Shaw  
" Pauline H. Pipes  
" Harold J. Nease  
" Virginia K. Nease  
L.V. Virginia W. Duncan  
" Edward S. Laughner  
" Thos. Dodson  
" Dolly Dodson  
" Bert Enoch  
R.L.O. Eunice Whitmore  
" May Shirley  
" Rush E. Ottinger  
L.V. Clyde E. Neese, Sr.  
R.L.O. Clara Christy  
" Edna Adair  
L.V. Laurene Adair  
" Bryan W. Pipes  
" John M. Riddell  
R.L.O. Jason J. Stum  
" Eddyth Stum  
L.V. Dorothy Riddell  
" Katherine Voorhies  
R.L.O. James Shirley  
" Marshall Good  
" Leola May Good  
L.V. Marie Beck  
R.L.O. Edward N. Wilson  
" Bernice Wilson  
" Robert Sanders  
" Leona Sanders  
" Isaac J. Pipes  
" William H. Pipes  
" Lon Powell  
" Martha A. Powell  
L.V. Martha McDaniel  
R.L.O. Rowena Wilson  
" Frances Pipes  
L.V. George McDaniel  
R.L.O. Fay E. Reese  
" Fred Carey  
" Clarence B. Hand  
" Donald M. Sortor

R.L.O. Harold Livengood  
" Le Annah Livengood  
" Theda June Clingler  
" Ivan E. Harmon  
" C. A. Pipes  
" Martha Harmon  
" John Pipes  
" Harlie Golliday  
L.V. Alva Klingler  
R.L.O. Ur Allen  
" Wendell Linville  
" Elma L. Sortor  
" Bertha E. Martin  
" E. L. Shirling  
" Joel R. Hancock  
L.V. Cathryn Sortor  
L.V. Anna Belcher  
L.V. Charles Belcher  
L.V. Georgia Wallace  
" Roy C. Wallace  
R.L.O. Marion Harmon  
" Roy Pettit  
" Bertha Millikan  
L.V. John C. Whitman  
R.L.O. Martha Wheat  
" Cyrena B. Pipes  
L.V. James Todd  
" Nellie Harmon  
" Omer W. Smith  
R.L.O. Elizabeth Scott  
" Helen Shirling  
L.V. Mary E. Allen  
" Sabina Burtner  
R.L.O. Ernest Wilson  
" Arthur Walton  
" Audrey Walton  
L.V. Pansy Wurtzler  
R.L.O. Herbert M. Wurtzler  
" Charles E. Carey  
" Ortha Wheat  
" Minnie C. Sortor  
" Gertrude B. Dodd  
" Chas. E. Allen  
" Gaynell Livengood  
" Victor Anderson  
" Betty J. Pipes  
L.V. Alyce M. Sortor  
R.L.O. Mary J. Pipes  
L.V. Ora M. Sortor  
" Icie Morton  
" Clarence Stephens  
" Levon Stephens  
" Virginia Stephens



R.L.O. Leon Dodson  
 " Helen Dodson  
 " Lillie G. Jackson  
 L.V. Mae R. Wardle  
 R.L.O. Goldie Isenhour  
 " Everett O. Allen  
 " Warren E. Clingler  
 " Roy N. Shaw  
 L.V. Russell Blacker  
 " Glenna Blacker  
 R.L.O. Robert G. McMakin  
 " Ida B. McMakin  
 " Oma Shoemaker  
 " Gerald Allen  
 L.V. Aurel Dodson  
 " L. M. Johnson

R.L.O. Mrs. Emma Golladay  
 " Ollie Byrkett  
 " John Byrkett  
 " Bonnie Linville  
 " Margaret Allen  
 L.V. Lynn Allen  
 " Helen Allen  
 R.L.O. Lura Wyrick  
 L.V. Elizabeth Thompson  
 " Archie Thompson  
 R.L.O. Fern Jackson  
 L.V. Vera Murphy  
 R.L.O. Betty Whistler  
 " Elmer Whistler

State of Indiana, County of Boone, SS:

CLYDE O. LAUGHNER, being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says that he is one of the petitioners in the above entitled matter and that he makes this affidavit for and in behalf of himself and all other petitioners; that the things alleged and set forth in said petition are true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of September, 1946.

"Seal"

My commission expires September 8, 1946.

Clyde O. Laughner

Roy W. Adney, Notary Public

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The following proceedings were had on the 7th day of October, 1946 in the Commissioner's Court, Boone County, Indiana.

In the Matter of the Petition )  
 of Clyde O. Laughner, et al )  
 for the Incorporation of the )  
 town of Whitestown, Indiana. )

ORDER

Comes now the petitioners and file a survey and map of the territory proposed to be incorporated, which said survey was made by Arthur MacArthur, Surveyor of Boone County, Indiana and duly verified as provided by law.

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 of Clyde O. Laughner, et al )  
 for the Incorporation of the )  
 town of Whitestown, Indiana. )

Survey  
 Proposed Corporate Limits  
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 Indiana.

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