

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE ANNEXATION OF TOWNSHIP ROADS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Whereas, in a letter dated April 8, 2015, the Bloom Township Trustees asked Village Council, among other things, to agree to not annex Market Street between the old Village Corporation Line and the Stoney Bluff Subdivision Corporation Line for a period of twenty (20) years; and

Whereas, While Council has no intention of annexing this section of Market Street, Council believes such agreement would disenfranchise the current or future owners of the adjacent properties with regards to their annexation rights; and

Whereas, Council would like to make it clear that there are no plans to annex this section of Market Street, or any township road; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF LITHOPOLIS, FAIRFIELD COUNTY, STATE OF OHIO;

Section 1. Council states unequivocally that there are no plans to annex this section of Market Street or any township road.

Section 2. Council will not unilaterally initiate any annexation proceedings for this section of Market Street.

Section 3. In the event the adjacent property owners petition the Village for annexation of their property, including the underlying roadway, the Village will encourage the property owners to exclude the road and right of way from the annexation, but ultimately the decision to include any property is solely owners.

Section 4. This resolution is hereby declared an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare in that this Resolution needs to be delivered to the Bloom Township Trustees at their next meeting on May 13, 2015.

DATE PASSED: May 12, 2015

ATTEST: Jacinta Flowers SIGNED
CLERK

[Signature]
MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
[Signature]
JON BROWNING
VILLAGE SOLICITOR