

Resolution 2022-15

RESOLUTION TO ANNEX PROPERTY INTO THE LINCOLN COUNTY RURAL FIRE DISTRICT

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR LINCOLN COUNTY, MONTANA FINDS:

- 1. A petition conforming to the ownership requirements of 7-33-2125(1)(a) MCA was presented to the trustees of the Lincoln County Rural Fire District (LCRFD) for annexation of the described property into the fire district: See attached Exhibit A; and
- 2. On May 25, 2022 the LCRFD submitted the petition for inclusion into its fire district to the county commission; and
- 3. The property listed in the application has been verified by the Lincoln County Land Specialist as being within the proposed area for annexation; and
- 4. The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners did approve and pass RESOLUTION 2022-14 INTENT FOR ANNEXATION on June 1, 2022; and
- Pursuant to 7-1-2121 MCA, a NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING was published in The Kootenai Valley Record on June 8 and 15, 2022, and was posted on two courthouse bulletin boards and county website/public notices; and
- 6. Pursuant to 7-33-2125(1)(b), the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners held a hearing on June 22, 2022 at 9:30am in the Commissioners Chamber, Lincoln County Courthouse.
- 7. Section 7-33-2125(2) MCA states, "On the date set for the hearing, the board of county commissioners shall consider the petition and any objections to the annexations. The board shall approve the annexation unless a protest petition signed by at least 40% of the owners of real property in the area proposed for annexation and owners of property representing 40% or more of the taxable value of the property in the area proposed for annexation is presented at the hearing, in which case the annexation must be disapproved; and
- 8. The County Commission did hear protests and public comments relating to the proposed annexation on June 22, 2022 and no protest petition was submitted; and

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THE BOARD RESOLVES:

That the following described property (see attached Exhibit A) are annexed to the Lincoln County Rural Fire District in accordance with 7-33-2125 MCA.

THE BOARD FURTHER RESOLVES:

- 1. If a provision of this resolution conflicts with a provision of a previously adopted resolution, this resolution will prevail.
- 2. This resolution and its various sections, clauses and paragraphs are severable. If any part, sentence, clause or phrase is adjudged to be unconstitutional or invalid, the remainder of the resolution will not be affected.
- 3. This resolution will be effective immediately upon adoption, in accordance with § 7-5-123, MCA.
- 4. This Board directs that this resolution be entered into the minutes and signed by the Chair of the Board in accordance with § 7-5-121, MCA.

END OF RESOLUTION

Approved as to Form:

Marcia Boris, County Attorney

Date presented to the Board 22 Approved () Disapproved () Amended ()

Adopted this 22^{n} day of June, 2022.

LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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ATTEST:

Robin Benson, Clerk of the Board

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2022 Granite Rural Fire Annexation Proposal EXHIBIT A

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US Forest Service
Montana State Trust Lands

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