# Review of Petition to Annex 46+/- acres from Norwich Township to the City of Hilliard by Thomas L. Hart, Esq. Case #ANX-EXP2-19-13 (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & PLANNING)

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners of Franklin County, State of Ohio, proceeded to journalize the petition that Thomas L. Hart, Esq. filed on behalf of the Washington Township Board of Trustees and the Hilliard City School District on August 16, 2013 and solicited to and/or been heard by all persons desiring to be reviewed for or against the granting of the Expedited Type 2 petition, and having considered all the facts with reference thereto, being fully advised, and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners make the following findings based upon the exhibits and testimony presented at the review of this matter:

- 1. The petition does meet all the requirements set forth in, and was filed in the manner provided in, section 709.021 of the Revised Code.
- 2. The persons who signed the petition are owners of the real estate located in the territory proposed for annexation and constitute all of the owners of real estate in that territory.
- 3. The territory proposed for annexation does not exceed five hundred acres.
- 4. The territory proposed for annexation shares a contiguous boundary with the municipal corporation to which annexation is proposed for a continuous length of at least five percent of the perimeter of the territory proposed for annexation.
- 5. The annexation will not create an unincorporated area of the township that is completely surrounded by the territory proposed for annexation.
- 6. The municipal corporation to which annexation is proposed has agreed to provide to the territory proposed for annexation the services specified in the relevant service resolution no. 13-R-71, passed on August 26, 2013 by the City of Hilliard.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

That, in accordance with the findings made in the preamble, which are incorporated herein, the prayer of the Petition be *approved*, and the territory sought to be annexed by the petition filed herein *shall* be annexed to the City of Hilliard, in accordance with the law; that the orders and proceedings of this board relating to the Petition, and map and description attached thereto, and all papers on file relating to this matter be delivered forthwith to the Clerk of Council, City of Hilliard, Ohio.

Prepared by: D. Anthony Hray

C: Economic Development & Planning Department

#### SIGNATURE SHEET

Resolution No. 0716-13

September 17, 2013

REVIEW OF PETITION TO ANNEX 46+/- ACRES FROM NORWICH TOWNSHIP TO THE CITY OF HILLIARD BY THOMAS L. HART, ESQ. CASE #ANX-EXP2-19-13

(Economic Development and Planning)

Upon the motion of Commissioner Marilyn Brown, seconded by Commissioner Paula Brooks:

#### Voting:

John O'Grady, President Aye Paula Brooks Aye Marilyn Brown Aye

**Board of County Commissioners** Franklin County, Ohio

#### CERTIFICATE OF CLERK

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of a resolution acted upon by the Board of County Commissioners, Franklin County, Ohio on the date noted above.

Shannon Z Cross, Clerk Board of County Commissioners

Franklin County, Ohio



**Commissioner** John O' Grady · **Commissioner** Paula Brooks · **Commissioner** Marilyn Brown President

**Economic Development & Planning Department**James Schimmer, Director

#### RESOLUTION SUMMARY

REVIEW OF PETITION TO ANNEX 46 +/- ACRES FROM NORWICH TOWNSHIP TO THE CITY OF HILLIARD BY THOMAS L. HART, ESQ.

#### **Description:**

Attached is a resolution to consider the annexation of 46-acres, more or less, from Norwich Township to the city of Hilliard. The petition case number is ANX-EXP2-19-13.

#### Applicant/Agent:

Thomas L. Hart, Esq.

#### Owner:

Washington Township Board of Trustees/Hilliard City School District

#### Site:

4676 and 4678 Cosgray Road (200-000010 and 200-000040)

#### Additional Information:

The site is contiguous to the city of Hilliard on three (3) sides.

#### Analysis:

The applicant <u>has</u> met all statutory requirements outlined in Section 709.021 of the Ohio Revised Code. The applicant <u>has</u> provided proof of notification, and timeline and <u>has</u> provided a service resolution from the city of Hilliard stating the services that will be provided once the annexation has been approved. The city of Hilliard has agreed to provide the territory proposed for annexation the services specified in the relevant service resolution no. 13-R-71 passed August 26, 2013.

#### **Recommendation:**

Pending any questions, staff would request your <u>approval</u> of this annexation.



**Commissioner** John O'Grady · **Commissioner** Paula Brooks · **Commissioner** Marilyn Brown President

**Economic Development & Planning Department**James Schimmer, Director

#### MEMO JOURNALIZATION

**TO:** Shannon Zee Cross, County Clerk

Franklin County Commissioners Office

**FROM:** D. Anthony Hray, Planner

Franklin County Economic Development & Planning Department

**CC:** James Schimmer, Director

Franklin County Economic Development & Planning Department

**RE:** Description of Expedited Type 2 annexation case to be

journalized on the August 20, 2013 General Session Agenda for

a hearing on September 17, 2013.

<u>Case #ANX-EXP2-19-13</u>- An Expedited Type 2 annexation ANX-EXP2-19-13 was filed in our office on August 16, 2013. The petition is requesting to annex 46 +/- acres from Norwich Township to the city of Hilliard. The agent is Thomas L. Hart, Esq. Site: 4676 and 4678 Cosgray Road (200-

000010 and 200-000040)



Commissioners Marilyn Brown, President Paula Brooks John O'Grady

**Economic Development & Planning Department** 

Application for

**Expedited Type 2** 

# **Annexation Petition**

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4676 and 4678 Cosgray Road Parcel ID(s)	Hilliard, OH	Case #
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200-000010/200-000040	46+/- acres	19-13
From Township :Norwich Twp.	To Municipality	
	City of Hilliard	
Property Owner Information		Hearing date:
Name Washington Twp. Board	of Trustees/Hilliard City School Dist	Hearing date: 9.\$.13
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Property Owner

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Property Owner Washington Twp. Bd. Trustees

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Franklin County Engineer Dean C. Ringle PE PS

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ACCEPTABLE
DEAN C. RINGLE, P.E., P.S.
FRANKLIN COUNTY ENGINEER
By Date 8 12 12

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Description of a 46 acre parcel of land

FROM: NORWICH TOWNSHIP

TO: THE CITY OF HILLIARD

Franklin County Planning Department Franklin County, OH ANK-CKP2-19-13

Situated in the State of Ohio, County of Franklin, Township of Norwich, in Virginia Military Survey No. 6366, and being all of a 43.352 acre tract of land, conveyed to The Washington Township Board of Trustees [Auditors Tax Parcel 200-000010-00] of record in Official Record 16080, Page G02, and also being all of a 2.00 acre tract of land, conveyed to Hilliard City School District [Auditors Tax Parcel 200-000040-00] of record in Instrument Number 200309120291637, also a portion of Hilliard City School District Tracts, all references to records being on file in the Office of the Recorder, Franklin County, Ohio, Said 46 acres being more fully described herein;

Beginning at a point in the Norwich-Washington Township Line, at the northwest corner of a 0.5720 acre tract of land, conveyed to Corey Pangborn and Lindsay Diewald of record in Instrument Number 201111170150476, being on the east right-of-way line of Cosgray Road (60 feet wide) and being the southwest corner of a 2.504 acre tract of land, conveyed to Bryan D. and Tammie L. Gholson of record in Official Record 26522, Page D16.

Thence South along the east right-of-way line of Cosgray Road (60 feet wide) and along the west line of said 0.5720 acre tract, the west line of a 5.787 acre tract of land, conveyed to Verna Baldridge of record in Instrument Number 201107280094031, the west line of a 0.6890 acre tract of land, conveyed to William E. Herron of record in Instrument Number 200802270029224, the west line of a 6.00 acre tract of land, conveyed to Benjamin Hofecker of record in Instrument Number 200909170135128, the west line of a 5.010 acre tract of land, conveyed to Hilliard City School District of record in Instrument Number 200308040245631, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 03-16 (Instrument Number 200305300160722), a distance of 929 feet to a point at the northwest corner of a 2.00 acre tract of land, conveyed to Hilliard City School District of record in Instrument Number 200309120291637.

Thence East along the north line of said 2.00 acre tract, also being the south line of said 5.010 acre tract, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 03-16 (Instrument Number 200305300160722), a distance of 349 feet to a point at the northeast corner of said 2.00 acre tract and at the northwesterly corner of a 40.2772 acre tract of land, conveyed to Hilliard City School District of record in Instrument Number 200308040245628;

Thence South along the east line of said 2.00 acre tract, also being a westerly line of said 40.2772 acre tract, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 03-16 (Instrument Number 200305300160722), a distance of 230 feet to the southeast corner of said 2.00 acre tract;

Thence West along the south line of said 2.00 acre tract, also being a northerly line of said 40.2772 acre tract, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in

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Ordinance 03-16 (Instrument Number 200305300160722), a distance of 349 feet to a point on the east right-of-way line of Cosgray Road;

Thence South along the east right-of-way line of said Cosgray Road and along an east line of said 40.2772 acre tract, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 03-16 (Instrument Number 200305300160722), a distance of 414 feet to a point at the northwest corner of a 76.3211 acre tract of land, conveyed to Hilliard City School District of record in Instrument Number 200308040245623;

Thence West along a jog in the east right-of-way line of said Cosgray Road and along a west line of said 76.3211 acre tract, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 03-16 (Instrument Number 200305300160722), a distance of 5 feet.

Thence South along the east right-of-way line of said Cosgray Road and along a west line of said 76.3211 acre tract, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 03-16 (Instrument Number 200305300160722), a distance of 82 feet to a point;

Thence south westerly, crossing said Cosgray Road and along the south line of said 43.352 acre tract and along the north line of said 1.645 acre tract a distance of 384' to a point at the east right-of-way line of an 6.2043 acre tract of land conveyed to City of Hilliard of record in Official Record 33218, Page D16 and on an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 96-73 (Instrument Number 199707110045166);

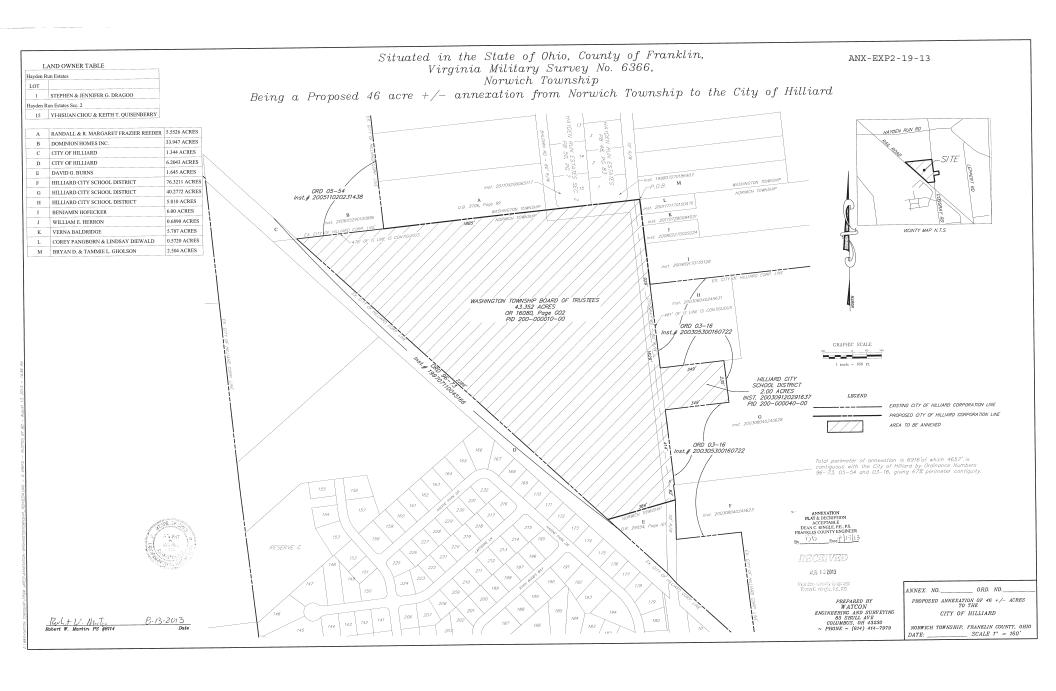
Thence north westerly along the southwest line of said 43.352 acre tract and along the east right-of-way line of said 6.2043 acre tract, and along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 96-73 (Instrument Number 199707110045166), a distance of 2289 feet to a point at the northwest corner of said 43.352 acre tract, and at the southwest corner of a 33.947 acre tract of land conveyed to Dominion Homes of record in Instrument Number 200605240100886;

Thence east along a north line of said 43.352 acre tract, along the south line of said 33.947 acre tract, and partially along an existing City of Hilliard Corporation line as established in Ordinance 05-54 (Instrument Number 200511020231438), along the south line of a 5.5526 acre tract of land conveyed to Randall and R. Margaret Frazier Reeder of record in Deed Book 3706, Page 99, along the south line of Hayden Run Estates Section No. 2 of record in Plat Book 50, Page 7, along the south line of Hayden Run Estates of record in Plat Book 48, Page 83 and crossing said Cosgray Road, a distance of 1885 feet to the place of beginning containing 46 acres +/-.

The above description was prepared by Watcon Engineering in August of 2013, from the best available County records. This information was not derived from an actual field survey. The above description is not valid for the transfer of real property, and is not to be utilized in place of a Boundary Survey as defined by the Ohio Administrative Code in Chapter 4733-37.

Robert W. Martin &-13-

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A RESOLUTION INDICATING WHAT SERVICES THE CITY OF HILLIARD WILL PROVIDE TO THE 46.0± ACRES LOCATED IN NORWICH TOWNSHIP, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO, UPON ANNEXATION TO THE CITY, AND TO PROVIDE FOR BUFFER REQUIREMENTS.

WHEREAS, on August 16, 2013, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 709.023, two property owners, the Washington Township Board of Trustee and the Hilliard City School District, seeking the annexation of 46.0± acres of real property in Norwich Township, Franklin County, Ohio, contiguous to the City of Hilliard, filed a Petition for Annexation of its property to the City of Hilliard with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, a copy of which is **attached** hereto as Exhibit "A", notice of which was duly served upon the City of Hilliard as prescribed by law; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 709.023(C) provides that within twenty days after the date that the petition is filed, the municipal corporation to which annexation is sought shall adopt a Resolution stating what services the municipal corporation will provide to the territory seeking annexation and an approximate date by which it will provide those services; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 709.023(C) also provides that within that same twenty day period, a municipal corporation shall adopt an ordinance or resolution stating that, if the territory is annexed and becomes subject to zoning by the municipal corporation and that if the municipality corporation's zoning permits uses in the annexed territory that the municipal corporation determines are clearly incompatible with the uses permitted under current county or township zoning regulations in the adjacent land remaining in the township from which the territory was annexed, the municipal corporation shall require, in the zoning ordinance permitting the incompatible uses, the owner of the annexed territory to provide a buffer separating the use of the annexed territory and the adjacent land remaining within the township.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Hilliard, Ohio that:

**SECTION 1.** In the event that the proposed  $46.0 \pm \text{acres}$  (the "Property") is annexed to the City of Hilliard, Ohio, the City will provide to the Property the full range of municipal services available to the residents of, and to the property within, the City of Hilliard, including but not limited to police protection, mayor's court, public works and street maintenance, residential refuse collection, planning, building, zoning and engineering services, and parks and recreation, all of which can be provided immediately upon the effective date of the annexation as provided by law. Should it be determined that as a result of the annexation, the boundary line between the township and the City divides or segments a street or highway so as to create

a road maintenance problem the City, as a condition of the annexation, shall assume the maintenance of that street or highway or otherwise correct the problem.

**SECTION 2.** The County Commissioners have previously requested information on the status of water and sewer services to and within suburbs of the City of Columbus. The proposed annexation area is included within the boundaries of the area of the City of Hilliard's Water Service Contract and Sewerage Contract with the City of Columbus and those services are provided in accordance with the terms and conditions of those contracts. The City of Hilliard shall be under no obligation to extend water or sewer lines to any of the Property at the cost of the City or in contravention of the contracts.

**SECTION 3.** If the Property is annexed and becomes subject to the City of Hilliard zoning and the City zoning permits uses in the annexed territory that the City determines are clearly incompatible with the uses permitted under applicable county or township zoning regulations in effect at the time of the filing of the petition on the land adjacent to the annexed territory remaining in the unincorporated area of Norwich Township, then the City of Hilliard will require the owner or owners of the annexed territory to provide a buffer separating the use of the annexed territory and the adjacent land remaining within Norwich Township.

**SECTION 4.** The Clerk of Council is hereby directed to forward and file certified copies of this Resolution with the Franklin County Board of County Commissioners and to send a copy to the Agent for the Petitioner for annexation, within twenty days following the date that the petition was filed.

**SIGNED:** 

**SECTION 5.** This Resolution is effective upon its adoption.

Lynne M. Fasone  Lynne M. Fasone  Clerk of Council	Brett A. Sciotto President of Council
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	APPROVED:
Tracy L. Bradford Director of Law	Donald Charland
Director of Law	Donald J. Schonhardt Mayor

Resolution 13-R-71

ATTEST:

VOTE:	Yea	Nay	Abstain
Ashenhurst	- V		
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hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy
of Resention 13-R-71 duly adopted

by the Council of the City of Hilliard

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