

Resolution relating to the annexation of territory proposed for incorporation as the Village of French Island.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, a Petition for Incorporation of the Town of Campbell, La Crosse County, as the Village of French Island, was filed with the La Crosse County Circuit Court on December 6, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the territory included for incorporation is described in the attached Petition for Incorporation; and

WHEREAS, such territory is contiguous to the City of La Crosse; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse finds the incorporation of this territory to be contrary to the interests of the city and the metropolitan area as it will result in the duplication of municipal facilities and services; and

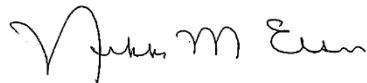
WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse provides certain services to the Town of Campbell and has the capacity to serve the area proposed for incorporation as the Village of French Island.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that the City of La Crosse, pursuant to sec. 66.0203(6), Wis. Stat., hereby declares its willingness to annex the territory described in the incorporation petition.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be filed at or prior to the hearing on the incorporation petition, or any adjournment granted for this purpose by the court.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that it hereby further authorizes the Legal Department and additional City staff, to take any and all steps necessary to challenge any such incorporation, including affirmation of steps already taken regarding the incorporation petition.

I, Nikki M. Elsen, certify that this resolution was duly and officially adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse on February 13, 2025.



*Nikki M. Elsen, WCMC, City Clerk
City of La Crosse, Wisconsin*