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Delaware County Clerk of Circuit Court

May 19, 2008

Delaware County Commissioners 100 W. Main Street Muncie, IN 47305

To whom it may concern,

As discussed in our meeting, I have examined the petition filed on February 4, 2008. The petition contains 2159 signatures. The Clerk checked all of the 360 pages to make sure that they contained the signatures of Delaware County residents.

The number of votes cast in Delaware County during the 2006 General Election for the office of Secretary of State were 32,285. 5% percent of the total vote cast would be 1614. The Petitioners have provided the necessary amount of signatures to the County Commissioners.

Also, certified copies of the Resolution to the twelve township Trustees & Assessors were certified by the Clerk of Circuit Court on February 12, 2008. Copies were mailed by the Clerk to the twelve township Trustees.

The Clerk's office also verified if registered voters signed the petitions. About 100 pages of the petition were verified by the Clerk's Office. The remaining registered voters will be checked by the Voter Registration Office.

Respectfully,

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PETITION FOR DELAWARE COUNTY REORGANIZATION

1. In accordance with IC 36-1.5-4-11, the petitioning voters of Delaware County, Indiana hereby propose that the political subdivision, Delaware County and the twelve (12) Delaware County Township political subdivisions reorganize in accordance with IC 36-1.5-4-1 (a) (8). In accordance with IC 36-1.5-4-3 (2), said reorganization will involve the consolidation all or any of the Offices, Departments and/or Services of the participating political subdivisions into the Delaware County, Indiana political subdivision to whatever extent the appointed Committee may identify as relevant, valid and within the scope and jurisdiction of IC 36-1.5. The participating political subdivisions associated with this Petition are Delaware County, Indiana as well as the following listed Delaware County Township political subdivisions:

A. Center Township
E. Harrison Township
I. Liberty Township
B. Washington Township
F. Hamilton Township
J. Salem Township
C. Union Township
G. Delaware Township
K. Monroe Township
D. Niles Township
L. Perry Township

- 2. Once the reorganization of Delaware County, Indiana political subdivision is complete, the affected Offices, Departments and/or Services of the twelve (12) Delaware County Township political subdivisions as originally organized prior to reorganization shall be abolished and cease to exist.
- 3. The last Delaware County, Indiana general election where ballots were cast for the Indiana Secretary of State occurred in November 2006, and there were 32,285 total votes tabulated.
- 4. If any part of this petition is deemed to not be in compliance with state law it does not change the intent of the petition nor the acceptance of the petition by the legislative authority.

d Voter	One Registered Voter Per Number	
Registered Voter	Name	Address of Real Property or Registered Voter
	1. Signature:	Printed Address:
	Printed:	
	Date Signed:	Township:
	2. Signature:	Printed Address:
	Printed:	
	Date Signed:	Township:
	3. <u>Signature:</u>	Printed Address:
	Printed:	
	Date Signed:	Township:
	4. Signature:	Printed Address:
	Printed:	
	Date Signed:	Township:
	5. Signature:	Printed Address:
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	6. Signature:	Printed Address:
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