

Murray City

Proceedings For Incorporation

Logan, Ohio, Tuesday December 2nd 1890

The Board of Commissioners of Hocking County, Ohio, met this ^{day} in regular quarterly session, present John T. Nutter, George Marks, and F. J. Kreig also Nelson Armstrong Auditor In the matter of a petition of Robert Masters and John Spencer for the incorporation of the Village of Murray City Ward Township Hocking Co., Ohio; the following petition was this day presented to the Board.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Hocking County, Ohio.

We the undersigned represent to your Honorable Board that we are Electors of the territory hereinafter described, that said territory contains Four hundred and Forty-nine inhabitants, that a part of said territory hereinafter described, has already been laid out into town lots and a plat of said lots lawfully acknowledged and recorded, is known as the Village of Murray City, and we further represent that for the better regulation government and improvement of said Village it is necessary that the same should be incorporated.

That the territory included in the following described tract and not laid out into Town Lots is adjacent to said town lots, and should be included within the limits of the incorporation bounds of said Village - We therefore pray your Hon. Board to grant an order of incorporation of the following described territory, a correct plat of which is herewith filed and marked "Exhibit A." Situated in the township of Ward County of Hocking and State of Ohio, bounded as follows: Being a part of Fractional Lot No. 1, Section No. 4 Township No. 13 Range 15 Ohio Company's Purchase Hocking County, Ohio, and a part of Fractional Lots No. 6-7-8 and 9 Section No. 3 same Township and Range.

Beginning at the North East corner of said lot No. 1 Section 4, and North East corner of Watkins's Addition to the Village of Murray City, thence West 8.00 chs. to the North West corner of said addition, thence West 17.81 chs., thence South 41.1/2 E. 6.00, thence S. 55 3/4 E. 1.14 chs., thence S. 28 3/4 E. 8.41 chs., thence S. 39 E. 7.66 chs., thence S. 13 1/2 E. 8.62 chs., thence S. 20. W. 16.60 chs., to the South line of Fractional lot No. 6, thence East 17.57 chs., to the South East corner of same lot No. 6, thence North 53.70 chs., to beginning, containing 80.89 acres.

That the above described territory be incorporated as a Village and that the name of the same be incorporated as Village of Murray City. And we hereby appoint Robt. Masters and John Spencer our Agents to present this petition to your Honorable Board. Nov. 26th 1890.

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