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SANGAMON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

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THE VILLAGE OF CHATHAM**

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WHEREAS, the Village of Chatham (hereinafter “Village”) is an Illinois Municipal Corporation existing and operating under the Illinois Municipal Code and the laws of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Meredith and Mary Branham (hereinafter “Owner”) is the owner of record of certain real property, legally described on **Exhibit 1** to this Ordinance (hereinafter “Unincorporated Territory”); and

WHEREAS, Owner and Village have entered into a valid Pre-annexation Agreement attached hereto as **Exhibit 2**; and

WHEREAS, said Pre-annexation Agreement is conditioned upon the Unincorporated Territory becoming contiguous to the Village on or before the expiration of the twenty-year term of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, Article 11 Division 15.1 of the Illinois Municipal Code of 1961 as amended (65 ILCS 5/11-15.1-1 et seq.) provides that corporate authorities of a municipality may enter into annexation agreements with owners of land of unincorporated territory, and that any such agreements shall be binding upon the successor owners of record; and,

WHEREAS, the Village is authorized to annex the Unincorporated Territory pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/7-1-1 et seq; and

WHEREAS, the Unincorporated Territory is not within the corporate limits of any municipality; and

WHEREAS, the Unincorporated Territory is contiguous to the Village; and

WHEREAS, at the time the valid and existing Pre-annexation Agreement was executed, Owner were the only electors residing in the Unincorporated Territory; and

WHEREAS, the Unincorporated Territory is currently within a fire protection district and public library district; however, the Village does not provide either fire protection services or a public library; and

WHEREAS, the President and Board of Trustees of the Village have determined it to be in the best interest of the Village to annex the Unincorporated Territory in accordance with the Pre-annexation Agreement attached hereto.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Chatham, Sangamon County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1. Recitals. The foregoing recitals shall be and are hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Ordinance as if fully set forth in this Section 1.

Section 2. Annexation. The property described in **Exhibit 1** shall be, and is hereby, annexed to the Village of Chatham in accordance with the Pre-annexation Agreement.

Section 3. Authorization. The Village Clerk shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to record in the Office of the Sangamon County Recorder of Deeds promptly after the effective date of this Ordinance, a certified copy of this Ordinance, including an accurate map of the annexed territory in compliance with the Municipal Code, and any other documents as required by law including affidavits of service as may be required by law. The Village Manager shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to notify the Election Authorities, as defined in Section 7-1-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/7-1-1, and the United States Post Office branches serving the Parcel of the annexation by registered or certified mail within 30 days after the effective

date of this Ordinance. A document of annexation shall also be filed with the County Clerk as required by law.

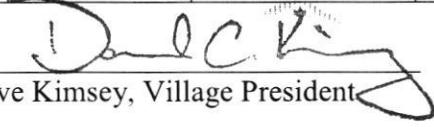
Section 4. Severability. In the event that any section, clause, provision, or part of this Ordinance shall be found and determined to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, all valid parts that are severable from the invalid parts shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 5. Repeal and Savings Clause. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall affect any rights, action, or causes of action which shall have accrued to the Village of Chatham prior to the effective date of this Ordinance.

Section 6. Effectiveness. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

SO ORDAINED this 24 day of May, 2022, at Chatham, Sangamon County, Illinois.

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
KRISTEN CHIARO	✓			
ANDREW DETMERS	✓			
MEREDITH FERGUSON	✓			
JOHN FLETCHER	✓			
BRETT GERGER				✓
TIM NICE	✓			
DAVE KIMSEY				
TOTAL	5	—	—	1


 Dave Kimsey, Village President

Attest:

 Dan Holden, Village Clerk



**EXHIBIT 1
LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

LOT 3
ILLINI TRAIL MINOR SUB
(59,737.74 SQ FT)

PIN: 29-09.0-480-003
Address: 217 Fox Creek Lane, Chatham, IL

EXHIBIT 2
PRE-ANNEXATION AGREEMENT

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Pursuant to legislative authorization found in Article 11 Division 15.1 of the Illinois Municipal Code as amended, (65 ILCS 5/11-15.1-1 et seq.) and for and in consideration of the mutual promises herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned Village of Chatham, Illinois, a Municipal Corporation, hereinafter referred to as "Village" and Meredith & Mary Roseann Branham, hereinafter referred to as "Owner" enter into this Pre-Annexation Agreement ("Agreement") for the annexation of property into the Village.

WHEREAS, Owner is the owner of record of a parcel of land with the common address of 217 Fox Creek Ln ; and,

WHEREAS, the Owner is desirous of having said Premises annexed to the Village and the Village is desirous of annexing said Premises; and,

WHEREAS, said Premises is not within the corporate limits of any municipality; and,

WHEREAS, said Premises is not yet contiguous to the Village; and,

WHEREAS, the Owner is desirous of having said premises zoned in a similar manner to its current zoning upon annexation to the Village; and,

WHEREAS, the parties wish to set forth certain other obligations and requirements for the annexation as set forth in this Agreement; and,

WHEREAS, all notices required to be given under the Illinois Municipal Code to enter into this Agreement, have been given.

WHEREAS, Owner has filed a duly executed Petition for Annexation, which was incorporated in a previous Pre-Annexation Agreement, which has since expired.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Village and Owner agree as follows:

1. ANNEXATION.

A. Owner shall maintain on file with the Village a duly executed Petition for Annexation, in accordance with the provisions of Section 7-1-8 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/7-1-8).

B. When the Property becomes contiguous to the Village, the Village shall pass an Ordinance annexing the Property into the Village, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Agreement.

C. Upon execution of this Agreement, the Village shall permit the Owner to receive utilities service from the Village, pursuant to the Village of Chatham Code of Ordinances ("Village Code").

D. During the term of this Agreement, the Village shall charge Owner utility rates equivalent to the rate charged to similar properties situated within the corporate limits of the Village.

2. ZONING.

Owner, as a condition of this Agreement, desires that the Property be zoned by the Village closest to its current zoning. Within 45 days of annexation, the Village agrees to zone the property in the classification that nearest resembles the zoning classification of the Property at the time of annexation to the Village, subsequent to, and subject to, any public hearings required by the Village Code and the Illinois Municipal Code.

3. OBLIGATION TO DEVELOP PER CODE.

In the construction and use of improvements on the subject property the Owner shall comply with all zoning subdivision, building, mechanical and other applicable codes, and ordinances of the Village of Chatham in effect at that time as well as the obligations contained within this Agreement.

4. COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS

The covenants and agreements contained in the Agreement shall be deemed to be covenants running with the land during the term of this Agreement, shall inure to the benefit and be binding upon the heirs, successors and assigns of the parties hereto.

5. TERM

This Agreement shall be in effect for twenty (20) years from the date of its execution.

6. NOTICES

Any and all notices required or desired to be given hereunder shall be in writing and shall be delivered personally or sent via certified or registered mail, postage pre-paid and addressed as follows:

Village of Chatham
Attn: Village Manager
116 E. Mulberry Street
Chatham, IL 62629

Owner:
Meredith & Mary Roseann Branham
217 Fox Creek Ln
Chatham, Illinois 62629

or to such other person or address as a party may designate in a like manner.

7. ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES

The Village agrees to adopt such ordinances as may be required to give legal effect to the matters contained in this Agreement.

8. GENERAL PROVISIONS

The following general provisions shall apply to this Agreement:

- A. Time of the Essence. Time is of the essence in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. Rights Cumulative. Unless expressly provided to the contrary in this Agreement, each and every one of the rights, remedies, and benefits provided by this Agreement shall be cumulative and shall not be exclusive of any other rights, remedies, and benefits allowed by law.
- C. Non-Waiver. The Village shall be under no obligation to exercise any of the rights granted to it in this Agreement. The failure of the Village to exercise at any time any right granted to the Village shall not be deemed or construed to be a waiver of that right, nor shall the failure void or affect the Village's right to enforce that right or any other right.
- D. Consents. Unless otherwise provided in this Agreement, whenever the consent, permission, authorization, approval, acknowledgement, or similar indication of assent of any party to this Agreement, or of any duly authorized officer, employee, agent, or representative of any party to this Agreement, is required in this Agreement, the consent, permission, authorization, approval, acknowledgement, or similar indication of assent shall be in writing.
- E. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by, and enforced in accordance with, the internal laws, but not the conflicts of laws rules, of the State of Illinois.
- F. Severability. It is hereby expressed to be the intent of the parties to this Agreement that should any provision, covenant, agreement, or portion of this Agreement or its application to any person or property be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of this Agreement and the validity, enforceability, and application to any person or property shall not be impaired thereby, but the remaining provisions shall be interpreted, applied, and enforced so

as to achieve, as near as may be, the purpose and intent of this Agreement to the greatest extent permitted by applicable law.

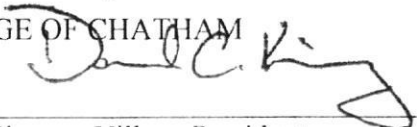
- G. Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes any and all prior agreements and negotiations between the parties, whether written or oral, relating to the subject matter of this Agreement.
- H. Interpretation. This Agreement shall be construed without regard to the identity of the party who drafted the various provisions of this Agreement. Moreover, each and every provision of this Agreement shall be construed as though all parties to this Agreement participated equally in the drafting of this Agreement. As a result of the foregoing, any rule or construction that a document is to be construed against the drafting party shall not be applicable to this Agreement.
- I. Exhibits. The Exhibits attached to this Agreement are, by this reference, incorporated in, and made a part of this Agreement. In the event of a conflict between an exhibit and the text of this Agreement, the text of this Agreement shall control.
- J. Amendments and Modifications. No amendment or modification to this Agreement shall be effective until it is reduced to writing and approved and executed by all parties to this Agreement in accordance with all applicable statutory procedures.
- K. Changes in Laws. Unless otherwise provided in this Agreement, any reference to the Requirements of Law shall be deemed to include any modifications of, or amendments to, the Requirements of Law that may occur in the future.
- L. Authority to Execute. The Village hereby warrants and represents to the Owner that the Persons executing this Agreement on its behalf have been properly authorized to do so by the Corporate Authorities. The Owner hereby warrants and represents to the Village (i) that he is the record and beneficial owner of fee simple title to the Property, (ii) except for a mortgage on the property, no other person has any legal, beneficial, contractual, or security interest in the Premises and that annexing the property is not a violation of the security interests, (iii) that he has the full and complete right, power, and authority to enter into this Agreement and to agree to the terms, provisions, and conditions set forth in this Agreement and to bind the Premises as set forth in this Agreement, (iv) that all legal actions needed to authorize the execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement have been taken, and (v) that neither the execution of this Agreement nor the performance of the obligations assumed by the Owner will (a) result in a breach or default under any agreement to which the Owner is a party or to which it or the Premises is bound or (b) violate any statute, law, restriction, court order, or agreement to which the Owner or the Premises is subject.
- M. Enforcement. The parties to this Agreement may, in law or in equity, by suit, action, mandamus, or any other proceeding, including without limitation specific

performance, enforce or compel the performance of this Agreement; provided, however, that the Owners agree that they will not seek, and does not have the right to seek, to recover a judgment for monetary damages against the Village, or any of its elected or appointed officials, officers, employees, agents, representatives, engineers, or attorneys, on account of the negotiation, execution, or breach of this Agreement.

- N. No Third-Party Beneficiaries. No claim as a third-party beneficiary under this Agreement by any person shall be made, or be valid, against the Village or the Owner.
- O. Recording. After the Owner has paid to the Village an amount sufficient to cover the cost of recording this Agreement, all necessary plats, the affidavit of service of notice as required by Section 7-1-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/7-1-1, and the Annexation Ordinance, the Village shall promptly cause this Agreement to be recorded in the office of the Recorder of Sangamon County.

EXECUTED and ADOPTED this 10th day of May, 2022, at Chatham, Illinois.

VILLAGE OF CHATHAM

By: 
David Kimsey, Village President

Attest:

By: 
Village Clerk

OWNER:


Meredith & Mary Roseann Branham

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GIS FEE 18.00

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JOSHUA A LANGFELDER
SANGAMON COUNTY RECORDER

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