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RESOLUTION NO. 49 OF THE TOWN BOARD
OF THE TOWN OF DELAVAN

WHEREAS, certain residents of the Town of Delavan have petitioned for the incorporation of a portion of the Town of Delavan as the Village of Delavan Lake; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Delavan has studied the impacts of the incorporation on the Town of Delavan; and

WHEREAS, the advantages of the incorporation of the Village to the residents of the area of the Village and to the remainder of the Town of Delavan greatly outweigh any disadvantages of such incorporation; and

WHEREAS, those advantages include the continuation of a single governing jurisdiction over Delavan Lake, the ability of the residents of the Delavan Lake area to continue to determine the development around Delavan Lake, the ability of residents constituting the Delavan Lake Sanitary District to have greater authority over their governmental body, and the ability of the remainder of the Town to continue to operate as a more rural town; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has reviewed the Delavan Lake Area Governance Study completed by the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission, and finds that the study shows little adverse impact on the Town of such incorporation; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board held a special Town Board meeting to obtain input from residents of the Town regarding the proposed Village incorporation on May 31, 1989, and no persons in attendance at the meeting indicated opposition to the Village incorporation, while many residents indicated support for the Village incorporation; and

WHEREAS, pending proceedings for incorporation include a hearing before the Department of Development and further proceedings in the Circuit Court for Walworth County;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Delavan does hereby resolve:

1. RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Delavan has determined to support the proposed incorporation of the Village of Delavan Lake.
2. RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Delavan finds that there will be no adverse impacts on the remainder of the Town in the event that the Village of Delavan Lake is incorporated.
3. RESOLVED, that the Delavan Lake area residents and the Delavan Lake area community ought to retain the ability of self-governance, a right which may only be retained through a Village incorporation.

4. RESOLVED, that the incorporation of the Village of Delavan Lake is in the best interests of the Town of Delavan and the residents of the Town of Delavan.

Approved this 10th day of July, 1989.

Wayne K. Bofur
Town Board Chairman

Astoria J. Keller
Town Clerk