



State of Arkansas SECRETARY OF STATE

April 27, 2000

The Honorable Paulette Dunn Jackson County Clerk 208 Main Street Newport, AR 72112

Dear Ms. Dunn:

The Following Information has been recorded and filed in the Office of the Secretary of State:

Date: 04/27/2000

County: Jackson

City: Diaz

Annexation:

Ordinance No. -

2000~4

Co. Order No.

Plat

~ X~~Amends Ordinance #46 of 1979

Election

- X-Election results from 1979 for detachment.

Island

Incorporation:

Ordinance No.

Co. Order No.

Plat

Election

Census Information

1st Class City

2nd Class City

Incorporated Town

I have forwarded this information to the Arkansas Municipal League. If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me at 1-800-482-1127 or 682-3451.

Sincerely,

Tena Arnold

Election Services Representative



Paulette Dunn

County and Probate Clerk Jackson County Courthouse

208 Main Street Newport, Arkansas 72112 (870) 523-7420

April 26, 2000

Secretary of State Annexation Division State Capitol Little Rock, AR 72201-1094

RE: Detachment of Certain Areas from the City of Diaz

To Whom It May Concern:

During the recent preparation of precinct maps for Jackson County it was discovered that the city limits of Diaz, according to the Arkansas State Highway Map, were incorrect. This information prompted further investigation. In July 1978 the City of Diaz by Ordinance # 41 and Ordinance # 43 called for a special election to annex certain areas to the City of Diaz. The voters in the general election, which was held on November 7, 1978, approved these annexations. Although I do not find evidence in the County Court Case of receipt of this annexation from the Secretary of State, I assume that this was submitted since the Arkansas State Highway reflects this in the city limits.

Following the annexation by election, it was determined that certain land in the corporate limits of the City of Diaz annexed by Ordinance # 43 were inadvertently included in the ordinance. Residents of the area petitioned the City of Diaz to detach this territory. The Board of Aldermen by Ordinance # 46 dated April 2, 1979 called for an election to be held on June 19, 1979 for detachment. A certified copy of the Abstract of Election and a copy of the Ballot are attached for your reference. In conversation with your office, I am told that no record exists of this detachment being filed with the Secretary of State.

While working on my precinct maps, it was found that an error existed in the legal description of the detachment. On April 3, 2000, the Board of Aldermen of the City of Diaz by Ordinance # 2000-4 has amended Ordinance # 46 to correct this clerical error. I am submitting to you the following for your immediate attention to this matter:

1. Copy of City of Diaz Ordinance No. 46 dated April 2, 1979

2. Certified Abstract of Election held on June 19, 1979 for Detachment

3. Copy of City of Diaz Ordinance # 2000-4 Amending Ordinance # 46 dated April 3, 2000 with attached map.

If further information is needed on this issue, please let me know.

Sincerely,

County Clerk

Saulette Dunn Paulette Dunn

cc: Arkansas Public Service Commission Mayor Bobby Lassiter, City of Diaz

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P.O. BOX 136 DIAZ, ARKANSAS 7204 PHONE (870) 523-8559 EMAIL: dlaz3405@lpa.ni

ORDINANCE #2000-4 Amending Ordinance #46

An Ordinance for the purpose of amending Ordinance #46 to correct a clerical error in the legal description and declaring an emergency.

Whereas, the City of Diaz is a City of the second class located and situated in Jackson County, Arkansas, and

Whereas, it is necessary to amend the legal description in Ordinance #46 to read as follows:(Language underlined is new language, language stricken is to be stricken)

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter AND of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 27, Township 12 North, Range 3 West, all being situated in Jackson County, Arkansas.

Passed this	3	day of	april	2000.
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ordinance no. 46

AN ORDINANCE DETACHING CERTAIN AREAS FROM THE CITY OF DIAZ, ARKANSAS, MORE SPECIFICALLY BEING LANDS IN THE SOUTH AND WEST PORTION OF THE PRESENT CORPORATE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF DIAZ, ARKANSAS

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Diaz, Arkansas;

Whereas, Act 1 of 1875 of the Acts of Arkansas grants authority to a municipality for the detachment of territory; and,

Whereas, part of certain land in the present corporate limits of the City of Diaz, Arkansas, were annexed by Ordinance No. 43 was inadvertently included in the ordinance; and,

Whereas, residents of said territory have petitioned the Board of Aldermen that this territory be detached from the corporate limits of the City of Diaz, Arkansas; and,

Whereas, it was not the intention of the Board of Aldermen to have included said territory in the aforementioned annexation ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the following described territory being within the corporate limits of the City of Diaz, Arkansas are hereby detached from the City of Diaz, Arkansas, said lands lying and being situate in Jackson County, Arkansas, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 27, Township 12 North, Range 3 West, all being situated in Jackson County, Arkansas.



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In accordance with the provisions of Act No. 1 of the Acts of Arkansas of 1875, it is hereby determined that an election upon this ordinance shall be had and that the date of said election shall be on the Acts of May of May 1979. The City Clerk is hereby instructed to notify the election commission to place the issue on the ballot for said election with the ballot designation to be as follows:

- 1. For detachment from the City of Diaz, Arkansas, more specifically being lands in the South and West portion of the present corporate boundaries of the City of Diaz, Arkansas.
- 2. Against detachment from the City of Diaz, Arkansas, more specifically being lands in the South and West portion of the present corporate boundaries of the City of Diaz, Arkansas.

Those people eligible to vote in said election will be those that live in the City of Diaz, Arkansas.

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

DATED this 2 day of april

1979.

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

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