

PETITION FOR ANNEXATION

TO: City Clerk
City of Onalaska
415 Main Street
Onalaska, WI 54650

TO: City Clerk
Town of Onalaska
W7052 Second Street
Onalaska, WI 54650

We, the undersigned, _____
(Printed Name(s))

do hereby respectively petition the City of Onalaska, Wisconsin, to annex the real estate described hereinafter to the City of Onalaska, which is to be detached from the township of Onalaska, County of LaCrosse, Wisconsin to the City of Onalaska and that the subject property be zoned _____ upon annexation.

The property, which is the subject of this petition, is contiguous to the current boundaries of the City of Onalaska. A complete and accurate legal description and a scaled map of the area is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as EXHIBIT "A".

This instrument constitutes a Petition for direct annexation pursuant to Section 66.0217(2), Wisconsin Statutes. The number of electors residing within the boundaries of this property is _____ and the undersigned are the sole owners and fee title holders to these properties. Therefore, pursuant to Section 66.0217(4), no notice or publication is required.

A copy of this Petition is being mailed to the State of Wisconsin, Department of Administration, for review as required by Section 66.0217(6), Wisconsin Statutes along with the requisite Department of Administration annexation fee. See Annexation Review Fee Guide.

A complete and detailed legal description and map must accommodate this petition at the time of application in order for it to be placed on the Plan Commission Meeting agenda. Short forms or abbreviated legal descriptions will not be accepted. Maps must be to scale and dimensioned.

SIGNATURES OF PETITIONERS ADDRESS OF PROPERTY DATE OF SIGNATURE

Tax Parcel Identification Numbers: _____
Contact Person: _____ Telephone () _____
Address: _____ Email: _____

<i>For office use:</i> Date: _____ Initials: _____ Enclosures: <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Description <input type="checkbox"/> Map
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415 Main Street, Onalaska, WI 54650 Land Use & Development Director 608-781-9590

AFFIDAVIT OF CIRCULATOR

I, _____ being duly sworn, state: I reside at _____, Wisconsin.

I personally circulated the attached petition in the town(s) of _____, _____, La Crosse County, Wisconsin, commencing on the _____ day of _____, 20____ and terminating on the _____ day of _____, 20____, and personally obtained each signature on this petition. I know that each person who signed is an elector or owner of the property located in the territory proposed for annexation and signed the petition with full knowledge of its content of the date indicated opposite his or her name. I know their respective residences given. I reside in the area described above. I am aware that falsifying this affidavit is punishable under Sections 12.13(3)(a) and 946.32(1)(a) of the Wisconsin statutes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Notary Public Expires: _____
State: WI County: La Crosse

Signature of Circulator

Request for Annexation Review

Wisconsin Department of Administration

WI Dept. of Administration
Municipal Boundary Review
101 E. Wilson Street, 9th Floor
Madison WI 53703
608-264-6102 Fax: 608-264-6104
wimunicipalboundaryreview@wi.gov
<http://doa.wi.gov/municipalboundaryreview/>

Petitioner Information

Name: _____
Address: _____

Email: _____

Office use only:

Petitioners phone:

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Town clerk's phone:
608-783-4958

City/Village clerk's phone:
608-781-9530

1. Town where property is located: Town of Onalaska
2. Petitioned City or Village: City of Onalaska
3. County where property is located: La Crosse
4. Population of the territory to be annexed: _____
5. Area (in acres) of the territory to be annexed: _____
6. Tax parcel number(s) of territory to be annexed (if the territory is part or all of an existing parcel): _____

Contact Information if different than petitioner:

Representative's Name and Address:

City State Zip

Phone: - -

E-mail:

Surveyor or Engineering Firm's Name & Address:

City State Zip

Phone: - -

E-mail:

Required Items to be provided with submission (to be completed by petitioner):

1. Legal Description meeting the requirements of [s.66.0217 \(1\) \(c\)](#) [see attached annexation guide]
2. Map meeting the requirements of [s. 66.0217 \(1\) \(g\)](#) [see attached annexation guide]
3. Signed Petition or Notice of Intent to Circulate is included
4. Indicate Statutory annexation method used:
 - Unanimous per [s. 66.0217 \(2\)](#), or,
OR
 - Direct by one-half approval per [s. 66.0217 \(3\)](#)
5. Check or money order covering review fee [see next page for fee calculation]

Annexation Review Fee Schedule

A Guide for Calculating the Fee Required by ss.16.53 (4) and 66.0217, Wis. Stats.

Required Fees

There is an initial filing fee and a variable review fee

\$ _____ **Initial Filing Fee** (required with the first submittal of all petitions)
\$200 – 2 acres or less
\$350 – 2.01 acres or more

\$ _____ **Review Fee** (required with all annexation submittals except those that consist ONLY of road right-of-way)
\$200 – 2 acres or less
\$600 – 2.01 to 10 acres
\$800 – 10.01 to 50 acres
\$1,000 – 50.01 to 100 acres
\$1,400 – 100.01 to 200 acres
\$2,000 – 200.01 to 500 acres
\$4,000 – Over 500 acres

\$ _____ **TOTAL FEE DUE (Add the Filing Fee to the Review Fee)**

Attach check or money order here, payable to: **Department of Administration**

**THE DEPARTMENT WILL NOT PROCESS
AN ANNEXATION PETITION THAT IS NOT ACCOMPANIED
BY THE REQUIRED FEE.**

**THE DEPARTMENT'S 20-DAY STATUTORY REVIEW PERIOD
COMMENCES UPON RECEIPT OF THE PETITION AND REVIEW FEE**

ANNEXATION SUBMITTAL GUIDE

s. 66.0217 (5) THE PETITION

- State the purpose of the petition: -Direct annexation by unanimous approval; OR
-Direct annexation by one-half approval; OR
-Annexation by referendum.
- Petition must be signed by: -All owners and electors, if by unanimous approval.
-See [66.0217 \(3\) \(a\)](#), if by one-half approval.
-See [66.0217 \(3\) \(b\)](#), if by referendum.
- State the population of the land to be annexed.

[It is beneficial to include Parcel ID or Tax numbers, the parcel area, and identify the annexee (Town) and annexor (Village or City) in the petition.]

s. 66.0217 (1) (c) THE DESCRIPTION

- The annexation petition must include a legal description of the land to be annexed. The land must be described by reference to the government lot, private claim, quarter-section, section, town and range in which the land lies. The land must be further described by metes and bounds commencing from a monumented corner of the section or quarter-section, or the monumented end of a private claim or federal reservation, in which the land lies; OR
- If the land is wholly and entirely within a lot or lots, or all of a block or blocks of a recorded subdivision plat or certified survey map, it must be described by reference to the lot (s) and/or block (s) therein, along with the name of the plat or the number, volume, page, and County of the certified survey map.
- The land may NOT be described by: -Aliquot part;
-Reference to any other document (plat of survey, deed, etc.);
-Exception or Inclusion;
-Parcel ID or tax number.

s. 66.0217 (1) (g) THE MAP

- The map shall be an **accurate reflection** of the legal description of the parcel being annexed. As such, it must show:
-A tie line from the parcel to the monumented corner of the section or quarter-section, or the monumented end of a private claim or federal reservation, in which the parcel lies. The corner and monument must be identified.
-Bearings and distances along all parcel boundaries as described.
-All adjoining as referenced in the description.
- The map must include a **graphic scale**.
- The map must show and identify the existing municipal boundary, in relation to the parcel being annexed.

[It is beneficial to include a North arrow, and identify adjacent streets and parcels on the map.]

s. 66.0217 FILING

- The petition must be filed with the Clerk of the annexing City or Village and with the Clerk of the Town in which the land is located.
- If the annexation is by one-half approval, or by referendum, the petitioner must post notice of the proposed annexation as required by [s. 66.0217 \(4\)](#).
- If the lands being annexed are within a County of 50,000 or greater population, the petition must also be filed with the Department of Administration for review

[Note that no municipality within a County of 50,000 or greater population may enact an annexation ordinance prior to receiving a review determination from the Department of Administration.]