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**Annexation to the City of Benton
Of
October 18, 1977**

I certify I am the duly qualified City Clerk of the City of Benton, Kentucky, and the foregoing
1 page of Ordinance of October 18, 1977 is a true, correct and complete copy, duly
adopted by the City Council at a convened meeting held on October 18, 1977, all as appears in
the official records of the said City of Benton, Kentucky.

WITNESS, my hand and the Seal of the City of Benton, this the 18 day
of August, 2015.


Michele Edwards
Benton City Clerk

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RECEIVED AND FILED
DATE Sept 9, 2015

ALISON LUNDERGAN GRIMES
SECRETARY OF STATE
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BY Gandie Adkins

FILED

6/21, 1977

W. J. BRIEN, JR., CLERK
MARSHALL CIRCUIT COURT

For Bryan Lee

ORDINANCE DEFINING THE BOUNDARY OF TERRITORY
PROPOSED TO BE ANNEXED AND MADE A PART OF THE
CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF BENTON, KENTUCKY

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Benton, Kentucky, pursuant to Chapter 81 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, is required to by ordinance accurately define territory proposed to be annexed, and

WHEREAS, the ordinance must be published as required by law and the statutory procedures complied with prior to actual ordinance annexation of the defined area.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Benton, Kentucky, doth ordain as follows:

The following property to be annexed, added to, taken in and made a part of the corporate limits of the City of Benton, Marshall County, Kentucky, is defined as follows:

A 12 acre tract known as the WEST ADDITION TO MERRYWOOD SUBDIVISION and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the West line of Lot No. 17 of Merrywood Subdivision No. 2, said point being the Northeast corner of the 12 acre tract known as the West Addition to Merrywood Subdivision; thence, S. 2° 00' E. a distance of 660' to a point marked by a corner post; thence, N. 89° 46' W. a distance of 804' to a point marked with a corner post set in the East line of the John Sutherland property; thence, N. 0° 31' W. a distance of 660' to a point marked with a corner post in the South line of the Joe Clark property; thence, S. 89° 46' E. a distance of 788' to a point, said point being the point of beginning.

Upon passing of this ordinance and publication of same in accordance with Chapter 424 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, a petition will be filed in the Marshall Circuit Court in the name of the City of Benton, Kentucky, praying for a judgment to annex the territory.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Benton, Kentucky, on this the 2nd day of May, 1977.

ATTEST:

Frank Dunn
Frank Dunn, City Clerk

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE
FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND
CORRECT COPY AS APPEARS OF
RECORD IN MY OFFICE.

CARLA MARSHALL
MARSHALL COUNTY CIRCUIT CLERK
BY *Carla Marshall*

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COY CREASON, MAYOR

Adv. 6, 1977
MAY 6, 1977
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MARSHALL CIRCUIT COURT
Civil Action No. 4786

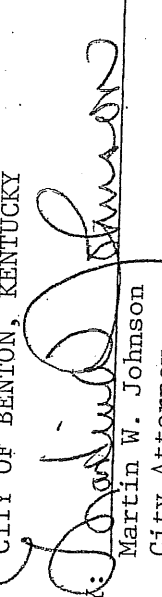
IN RE: PETITION OF THE CITY OF BENTON, MARSHALL COUNTY, KENTUCKY,
SEEKING A JUDGMENT TO ANNEX UNINCORPORATED TERRITORY
INTO THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF SAID CITY.

Comes the City of Benton, Marshall County, Kentucky, and pursuant to KRS 81.210 petitions the Court for a judgment permitting annexation of unincorporated territory.

1. On May 2, 1977, at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Benton, Marshall County, Kentucky, an ordinance was passed proposing annexation of property, the description of which is set forth in a copy of said ordinance attached hereto as Exhibit A and is adopted by reference. The ordinance is dated May 2, 1977, and pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 424, a copy of same, in its entirety, was duly published in the Tribune-Courier, a newspaper of general circulation in Marshall County, Kentucky, on the 6th day of May, 1977; a copy of the ordinance as published is attached hereto as B.
2. Said territory proposed to be annexed and incorporated into the City of Benton is described in Exhibits A and B attached hereto, which description is adopted by reference and made a part hereof as if set out verbatim.
3. The proposed extension of the corporate limits of the City of Benton is in the interest of the City, the residents of the area proposed to be annexed and will cause no material injury to the owners of real estate within the area proposed to be annexed.

WHEREFORE, the City of Benton, Kentucky, prays for a judgment to annex the hereinabove referred to property and for any and all other relief to which it may appear to be entitled.

CITY OF BENTON, KENTUCKY

By: 
Martin W. Johnson
City Attorney

MARSHALL CIRCUIT COURT
Civil Action NO. 4786

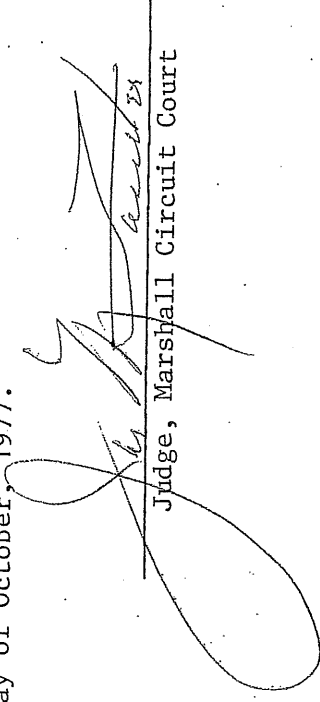
IN RE: Petition of the City of Benton, Marshall County, Kentucky, Seeking a Judgement to Annex Unincorporated Territory Into the Corporate Limits of Said City.

JUDGEMENT

This matter coming on to be heard upon the Motion of the Petitioner, City of Benton, and it appearing to the Court that the petition filed herein was timely filed pursuant to KRS 81.210; that same was duly advertised in the Tribune-Courier, a newspaper of general circulation in Marshall County, Kentucky; that no objections to said annexation have been filed by any property owner within the area sought to be annexed; and it further appearing to the Court that the extension of corporate limits set forth in the petition filed herein is in the best interest of the city and will cause no material injury to property owners within the area to be annexed; and the Court being otherwise sufficiently advised;

Now THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the annexation proposed by the City of Benton of the property described in the petition filed herein is hereby adjudged and the area described therein is ordered to be a part and portion of the corporate limits of the City of Benton upon compliance with the provisions of KRS 81.210 further pertaining thereto.

Entered this the 17th day of October, 1977.


Judge, Marshall Circuit Court

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE
FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND
CORRECT COPY AS APPEARS OF
RECORD IN MY OFFICE.

CARLA MARSHALL
MARSHALL COUNTY CIRCUIT CLERK
BY 

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING UNINCORPORATED PROPERTY
INTO THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF
BENTON, KENTUCKY

The City Council of the City of Benton, Kentucky, does hereby
ORDAIN as follows:

That pursuant to Chapter 81 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes and
in conformity with a Judgement and Order in favor of the City of Benton,
Kentucky, in Civil Action No. 4786 in the October Term of the Marshall
Circuit Court, the following described tract of land adjoining and
touching the corporate limits of the City of Benton, Marshall County,
Kentucky, is hereby annexed, added to, taken in and made a part of the
City of Benton which tract is more particularly described as follows:

A 12 acre tract known as the WEST ADDITION TO MERRYWOOD
SUBDIVISION and being more particularly described as
follows:

Beginning at a point in the West line of Lot No. 17 of
Merrywood Subdivision No. 2, said point being the
Northeast corner of the 12 acre tract known as the West
Addition to Merrywood Subdivision; thence, S. 20° 00' E.
a distance of 660' to a point marked by a corner post;
thence, N. 89° 46' W. a distance of 804' to a point marked
with a corner post set in the East line of the John
Sutherland property; thence, N. 00° 31' W. a distance of
660' to a point marked with a corner post in the South line of
the Joe Clark property; thence, S. 89° 46' E. a distance of 782'
to a point said point being the point of beginning.

Passed by the Council of the City of Benton, Kentucky, on this
the 18th day of October, 1977.

ATTEST:

Frank Dunn
Frank Dunn, City Clerk

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Coy Creason, Mayor

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ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS
INCLUDED WITH SUBMISSION.

To research the filing, contact the
Office of Secretary of State.