STILLWATER COUNTY

RESOLUTION NO. 2011- 45

A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE ANNEXATION OF ADJACENT LANDS INTO THE COLUMBUS RURAL FIRE DISTRICT # 3

WHEREAS, pursuant to §7-33-2125 (a), MCA, the Columbus Fire District Board of Trustees met on June 8, 2010 and approved a petition for a proposed annexation of lands into the Columbus Rural Fire District #3, and;

WHEREAS, the Commissioners received a petition on November 23, 2011, by Rich Cowger, *et al*, which sets forth the boundaries of proposed lands to be annexed into the Columbus Rural Fire District #3; and

WHEREAS, the petition was certified by the Clerk and Recorder, which met the requirements of §7-33-2125 (a), MCA, and was signed by the owners of 40% or more of the taxable value of property within the proposed area to be annexed; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners officially accepted the petition on November 29, 2011, which was deemed valid by the Stillwater County Clerk & Recorder; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §7-1-2122(a), MCA, notice was given by mail to all taxpaying freeholders whose properties lay within the proposed area for annexation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §7-1-2121, MCA, a notice of public hearing was published in the Stillwater County News to run the weeks of December 1, 2011, and December 8, 2011; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §7-33-2125(2), MCA, the Board of Commissioners held a public hearing, on the annexation of the proposed lands into the district, on Thursday, December 22, 2011, at 1:30 p.m., in the Commissioners Chambers, 400 3rd Ave North, Columbus, Montana; and

WHEREAS, all persons appearing were given an opportunity to speak at the public hearing and no objections were heard.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the proposed lands are described as:

Beginning at the NW corner Section 13, T1N, R19E, W 6 miles to the NW corner Section 13, T1N, R18E, N 1 miles, W 1 mile, N 4 miles to the NE corner Section 22, T2N, R18E, W 2 miles to the NW corner Section 21, T2N, R18E, S 3 miles to the SW corner Section 33, T2N, R18E, W 2 miles to the NW corner Section 6, T1N, R18E, S 6 miles to the SW corner Section 31, T1N, R18E, W 1 mile to the NW corner Section 6, T1S, R18E, S 12 miles to the SW corner Section 31, T2S, R18E, S 1-1/2 miles, E ¼ mile, S ½ mile, E ¾ mile to the SE corner Section 7, T3S, R18E, N 6 miles, to the NE corner Section 18, T2S, R18E, E 1 mile, S 1 mile to the SW corner Section 16, T2S, R18E, E 2 miles, N 3 miles to the SE corner Section 34, T1S, R18E, N ¼ mile to the centerline of the Yellowstone River, following the river W to the NE corner Section 28, T1S, R18E, E 2 miles to the SE corner Section 23, N 1 mile, E 1 mile, S 1 mile to the SW corner Section 19, T1S, R19E, E 2 miles to the SE corner Section 20, T1S, R19E, N 1 mile, E 3 miles, N 5 miles to the NE corner Section 27, T1N, R19E, E 1 mile, N 1 mile, E 1 mile, N 1 mile, W 1 mile to the NW corner Section 13, T1N, R 19 E, which is the point of the beginning.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Board of County Commissioners, Stillwater County hereby certifies that the annexation of adjacent territory not contained in a fire district, has been formed pursuant to §7-33-2125, MCA.

DATED this 27 day of December, 2011.

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STILLWATER COUNTY

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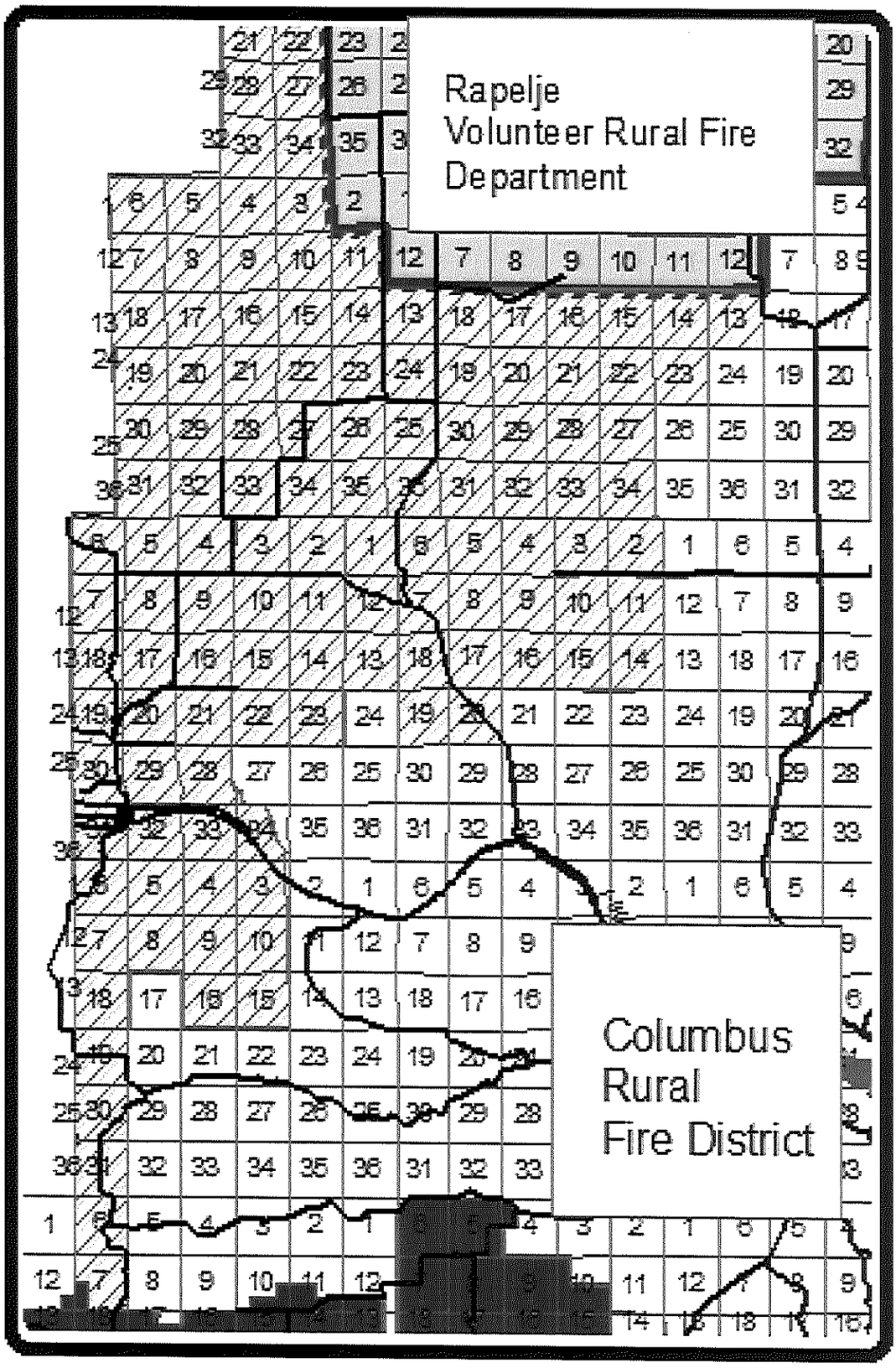

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