## Resolution 2018-09 Bridgewater Township Northfield Annexation Agreement Resolution

**WHEREAS,** Bridgewater Township and Northfield entered into an Orderly Annexation Agreement in August, 1999, and

**WHEREAS,** the Annexation Agreement between Bridgewater Township and Northfield expires on December 31, 2019, and

**WHEREAS,** Northfield's 2008 Comprehensive Plan designates portions of Bridgewater Township as Priority Growth Areas and/or Urban Expansion Areas, and

**WHEREAS,** Minnesota Statute 462.3535 (Community-Based Planning) subd 5 states that "After an urban growth area has been identified in a county or city plan, a city shall negotiate, as part of the comprehensive planning process and in coordination with the county, an orderly annexation agreement with the township containing the affected unincorporated areas located within the identified urban growth area."

THEREFORE, Be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Bridgewater Township inquires

- 1. Whether the City of Northfield intends to enter into discussion to establish a new Orderly Annexation Agreement, and if so,
- 2. When might those discussions be initiated?

Gary Ebling, Chair

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Yes No Abstain Absent

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