

**AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING CERTAIN MISSOURI STATE
HIGHWAY ROUTE M RIGHT-OF-WAY, INTO THE CITY OF REPUBLIC**

WHEREAS, on the 12th day of June, 2006, City of Republic, presented a verified petition requesting annexation to the governing body of the City of Republic; and

WHEREAS, on the 12th day of June, 2006, the Aldermen of the City of Republic passed and approved a Resolution establishing the date and time which a Public Hearing would be held concerning the proposed annexation; and

WHEREAS, the realty described in such petition is adjacent and contiguous to the present corporate limits of the City of Republic, Missouri; and

WHEREAS, the Aldermen of the City of Republic held a Public Hearing on said petition on June 26th , 2006, such hearing being held not less than fourteen (14) days nor more than sixty (60) days after the receipt of the petition requesting annexation; and

WHEREAS, at said Public Hearing, all interested persons, corporations or political subdivisions were afforded the opportunity to present evidence regarding the proposed annexation; and

WHEREAS, notice of a said Public Hearing was published on the 14th day of June 2006, in *The Republic Monitor*, a newspaper of general circulation authorized to publish legal notices, such Public Hearing being held not less than seven (7) days after the date of publication of such notice; and

WHEREAS, no written objections to the proposed annexation were filed with the Board of Aldermen within fourteen (14) days after the date of said Public Hearing; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen has found that the proposed annexation is reasonable and necessary to the proper development of the City of Republic and the City has the ability to furnish normal municipal services to the area within a reasonable time.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF REPUBLIC, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: The following described realty is hereby annexed into, and made a part of, the City of Republic, Missouri, and its boundaries are hereby extended to include the same:

ALL THAT PORTION OF STATE ROUTE M AS IT NOW EXISTS, LYING WITHIN SECTIONS 11 AND 14, TOWNSHIP 28N, RANGE 23W, GREENE COUNTY, MISSOURI, EXCEPT THAT PART CURRENTLY INSIDE THE CITY LIMITS OF REPUBLIC, MISSOURI.

SECTION 2: The City Clerk is hereby directed to cause three (3) certified copies of this Ordinance to be filed with the Clerk of Greene County. Also, at the direction of the Board of Aldermen, and pursuant to authority heretofore granted by the Board of Aldermen this ordinance authorizes the Mayor on behalf of the City of Republic Missouri to sign the MoDOT Voluntary Annexation Petition.

SECTION 3: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its date of passage.

Passed and approved at a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Republic, Missouri, this ____ day of _____, 2006.

ATTEST:

Brenda Jackson, City Clerk

James H. Collins, Mayor

Approved for Board Action: _____, City Administrator

Approved as to Form: _____, City Attorney