

Resolution providing for the advancement of the Incorporated Village of  
 Martins Ferry Ohio to a City of the Second Class  
 Be it resolved by the Council of the Incorporated Village of Martins Ferry Ohio  
 that in compliance with the laws in such case made and provided, the inhabitants of the  
 Incorporated Village of Martins Ferry Ohio have decided upon the advancement of said Village  
 to a City of the Second Class, and hereby direct the Clerk of said Village to certify this resolution  
 to the Recorder of Belmont County Ohio, Passed April 7<sup>th</sup> 1880

R. F. Glendon, Clerk W. C. Mitchell Mayor

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of said Resolution  
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official Seal on this  
 7<sup>th</sup> Day of April A.D. 1880  
 Received for Record April 11<sup>th</sup> 1880 at 12 P.M. Seal Richard F. Glendon  
 Recorded June 10<sup>th</sup> 1880 Clerk of said Village  
W. S. Hobbs Recorder

Certificate of Election  
 To the Members of Council of the Incorporated Village of Martins Ferry Ohio  
 This is to certify that at an election held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> Day of April A.D. 1880  
 in the Village of Martins Ferry in Belmont County Ohio for the purpose of deciding by  
 vote the proposition of Advancement of the said Village to a City of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Class as  
 authorized by Council Jan 6<sup>th</sup> 1880 resulted as follows:

For Advancement had	563	Votes
Against Advancement had	32	Votes
Majority in favor of Advancement	531	Votes

Done at my office in said Village on the 7<sup>th</sup> Day of April A.D. 1880  
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