Order No. 9166

File: 43(A)7

Before:

The Local Authorities Board for the Province of Alberta

In the matter of The Municipal Government, Act:

And in the matter of an application by the majority of owners, petitioning for the annexation of certain lands lying within the County of Newell No: 4 to the TownofBrooks.

Upon the application of the majority of owners of certain territory petitioning the Board for annexation of that territory to the Town of Brooks, in the Province of Alberta, for the purpose of residential development.

The Council of the Town of Brooks endorsed the 'annexation application and the Medicine Hat Regional Planning Commission recommended favourable consideration of the application.

The Board has also received consent to the application from the County of Newell No. 4 and Alberta Transportation.

It appears to the Board that, the application should be granted for the reasons stated by the applicants.

It is ordered therefore as follows:

I. That there be annexed to the Town of Brooks, in the Province of Alberta, and thereupon be separated from the County of Newell No. 4, the following described lands:

The east half of the south-east .quarter of section 4, township 19, range 14, west of the fourth meridian excepting thereout:

- (a) Road as shown on Road Plan 6094 G.X.;
- (b) Wayside Kitchen Site as shown on Plan 1276 I.X.;
- (c) Plan of Subdivision as shown on Plan 3049 H.C.;
- (d) Those lands described in Transfer 4123 1.0.

(A sketch showing the general location of the annexed lands is attached as Schedule "A".)

II. That any taxes owing to the County of Newell No. 4 as at December 31, 1976, in respect of the aforementioned properties shall transfer to and become payable to the Town of Brooks together with any lawful penalties and costs levied thereon in respect of such taxes; however, upon the Town of Brooks collecting any or all of such taxes, penalties or costs, such collections shall forthwith be paid by the town to the County of Newell No. 4.

III. That the assessor for the Town of Brooks shall for taxation purposes in the year 1977, re-assess the annexed lands and assessable improvements thereon, which are by this Order annexed to the town so that the assessment thereof shall be fair and equitable with other lands and assessable improvements in the Town of Brooks.

IV. That the chief provincial assessor, appointed pursuant to the provisions of The Municipalities Assessment and Equalization Act shall for taxation or grant purposes commencing in the year 1977, re-assess or re-value, as the case may be, all properties that are assessable or subject to valuation under the terms of The Electric Power and Pipe Line Assessment Act and The Municipal and Provincial Properties Valuation Act, and which lie within the areas that are by this Order

annexed to the Town of Brooks, so that the assessment or valuation shall be fair and equitable with properties of a similar nature.

V. That the effective date of this Order is the 1st day of January, 1977.

Dated and signed at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 12th day of January, 1977.

Certified a true copy,

B. CLARK, Secretary.

LOCAL **AUTHORITIES** BOARD, D. **A.** BANCROFT, Chairman, T. LAUDER, Acting Member.'

