

also cause the publication aforesaid to be proved to our Governor in Council; then in the case of a village, our Governor may, by proclamation, erect the Village into a Town, by a name to be given thereto in the proclamation.

And further, that our Governor may divide the new Town into wards, with proper names and boundaries, but no town shall have less than three wards, and no ward less than five hundred inhabitants.

And whereas a census of the Village of Strathroy, in the County of Middlesex, has heretofore been taken under the authority of a by-law of the Council thereof; and whereas it appears by the census return taken under such by-law, that the said Village of Strathroy contains over three thousand inhabitants; and whereas it has been represented and shown to us that the Council of the said Village of Strathroy did for three months after the census return, insert a notice in a newspaper published in the said Village, setting forth in such notice the intention of the Council to apply for the erection of the said Village into a Town, and stating the limits intended to be included therein, and the Council of said Village caused the census returns to be certified to our Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, under the signature of the head of the Corporation and under the corporate seal thereof, and also caused the publication aforesaid to be proved to our Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

Now know ye, that having taken the premises into Our Royal consideration: We do, by this Our Royal Proclamation, and in the exercise of the powers in us vested in this behalf, as well as by the said recited Act as by Our Royal Prerogative, or otherwise howsoever, proclaim and appoint that the said Village of Strathroy, in the County of Middlesex, be, and the same is hereby erected into a Town, by the name of the Town of Strathroy; the boundaries whereof are as follows: That is to say, commencing at the North-East corner of lot number twenty-five in the fourth concession

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