ORDINANCE 110—VILLAGE OF STETSONVILLE
AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE KEEPING OF RAISING OF MINK
WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF STETSONVILLE, WISCONSIN

Whereas, There has been for a considerable period of time several establishments within the corporate limits of the Village of Stetsonville for the raising and processing of mink; and,

Whereas, It appears that other persons are contemplating the establishment of additional places within the Village of Stetsonville for the keeping and raising of mink; and

Whereas, Such establishments are unsanitary in their operation and are offensive to residential properties adjoining the same and creating a nuisance inimical to the health and general welfare of the Village of Stetsonville.

NOW THEREFORE the Village Board of the Village of Stetsonville does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. No persons, firm or corporation shall after the effective date of this ordinance establish any place for the keeping of mink animals in captivity within the corporate limits of the Village of Stetsonville.

SECTION 2. All food supplies kept for the feeding of mink now being kept on the existing establishments within the corporate limits of the Village of Stetsonville shall be kept in covered containers so that the food is not accessible to rodents, flies and other insect pests.

SECTION 3. All cages, pens, runways and enclosures for the keeping or containing of mink in existing establishments within the Village of Stetsonville shall be kept in a clean sanitary condition so that no offensive odors may arise therefrom and the breeding of flies and other insect pests may be prevented.

SECTION 4. All garbage, waste, manure and offal shall remain upon the premises of these existing mink establishments in the Village of Stetsonville for the period of no longer than 48 hours. During such period of time such garbage, waste, manure and other offal shall be kept in containers so as to be inaccessible to rats, flies and other insect pests. Such garbage, wastes, manure and offal shall, at the end of such 48-hour period, be disposed of by the operator of such mink establishment in such a manner as will not be offensive to adjoining property owners and so that such disposal will not be inimical to the health and well-being of the residents of the Village of Stetsonville.

SECTION 5. Penalties. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall forfeit to the Village of Stetsonville a sum of money not in excess of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) together along with the costs of the action, and in default of the payment of such forfeiture and costs, shall be imprisoned in the County Jail of Taylor County, until the forfeiture and costs be paid but not to exceed three months. Each day that any person, firm or corporation violates the provision of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its passing and posting pursuant to law.

Dated this _____day of September 1954.

/s/ Harold Hauser, Village President

Attest: /s/ Frederick Amacher, Village Clerk