

Gainesville, Genesee Co. NY
[now in Wyoming Co.]

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Gainesville, County of Genesee and state of New York held pursuant to legal notice, at the school house at the centre of said town—chose Rufus Conable and Ira F. Pratt as presiding officers of said meeting—voted to form themselves into a society by the name of the first Universalist Society of the town of Gainesville—

Voted that Nyrum Reynolds, Rufus F. Whitney, Augustus B. Cravath, Rufus Conable and Daniel Wheeler be trustees of said Society—

We the presiding officers do hereby certify that the above is a true record of the proceedings of said meeting—Witness our hands and seals at Gainesville this 27th day of November 1837—

Nyrum Reynolds attest

Rufus Conable
Ira F. Pratt

Genesee County

On this 28th day of November 1837 came before me the subscriber[,] a Judge of Genesee County[,] Nyrum Reynolds to me personally known and being duly sworn says that he lives in the town of Gainesville in said county and that he is acquainted with Rufus Conable & Ira F. Pratt and that he knows them to be the same persons described in and who executed the above instrument in writing and that they acknowledged that they executed the same and that he subscribed his name as a witness thereto.

John Chatfield

A true copy of the original recorded 29th November 1837 at 3 o'clock P.M. and examined.

B. Young Dep. Clerk

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