Morristown, St. Lawrence Co. NY (Brier Hill)

State of New York St. Lawrence County

We the undersigned two of the members of the Society hereafter mentioned do hereby certify that on the fourteenth day of February 1859 the male persons of full age who have statedly worshiped with the said society met at the place of public worship heretofore occupied by the said society in the town of Morristown in the said county for the purpose of incorporating themselves & did then & there elect by plurality of voices Jeremiah Davis[,] Abram A. S. Davis & Charles Moyer as Trustees of the said society. And the said persons did then & there also determine by plurality of voices that the said Trustees & their successors shall forever hereafter be called & known by the name & title of "The Trustees of the First Universalist Society of Brier Hill."

Witness our hands & seals this the fourteenth day of February 1859[.]

Leví C. Coonradt Jeremiah Davís

Signed & sealed in the presence of Alfred S. Carter

St. Lawrence County

On this the sixteenth day of February 1859 personally appeared before me [Alfred S. Carter] to me well known, who being duly sworn did depose & say that he resides in the town of Morristown in said county; that he is acquainted with Jeremiah Davis & Levi C. Coonradt and knows them to be the persons who executed the within certificate[,] that he was present and saw them & each of them sign, seal and execute the same, and that they each and every [one] of them acknowledged the execution thereof to him, whereupon he became the subscribing witness thereof.

William V. Battel
Justice of the Peace

Recorded Feb. 17, 1859 at 2 P.M.

T. H. Ferris Dep Clerk

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