November 7, 1997

Phil E. Lindaman Staples City Clerk Staples City Hall 611 Iowa Avenue North Staples, MN 56479

Docket Number: A-5864

City of Staples M.S. 414.033, Subd. 2(3) Ordinance Number 407

Dear Mr. Lindaman

The Minnesota Municipal Board has now processed and approved the above ordinance in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 414, and the Rules of Procedure.

The law requires that a copy of the annexation ordinance must be delivered immediately by the governing body of the municipality to the appropriate county auditor or auditors, and filed with the township and the Secretary of State. We recommend that you also file the annexation ordinance with the County Recorder. If you have population in the affected area, please contact the State Demographer's Office at (612) 296-4100 for forms.

The annexation is final upon the date the ordinance is approved by the Board, which is the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

MUNICIPAL BOARD

Patricia D. Lundy Assistant Director

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cc: Todd County Auditor Staples Township Clerk State Demographer's Office Secretary of State