Larry Kruse
Baxter City Administrator
Baxter City Hall
P. O. Box 2626
Baxter, MN 56425-2626

July 28, 2000

Docket Number: A-6300

City of Baxter M.S. 414.033, Subd. 2(3) Ordinance No. 71.8

Dear Mr. Kruse:

The Director of the Office of Strategic and Long Range Planning has 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. We recommend that you also file the annexation ordinance with the County Recorder. *This office will file a copy of the ordinance with the Secretary of State*. If you have population in the affected area, please contact the State Demographer's Office at (651) 296-9036 for forms.

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

Sincerely,

Office of Strategic and Long Range Planning

Christine M. Scotillo
Executive Director
Municipal Boundary Adjustments

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cc: Crow Wing County Auditor
John W. Person, Baxter City Attorney
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James J. Thomson, Attorney for the City of Brainerd
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State Demographer's Office
Secretary of State