

BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF
STRATEGIC AND LONG RANGE PLANNING
OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR)	<u>NOTICE OF</u>
THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN LAND TO)	<u>HEARING CANCELLATION</u>
THE CITY OF CANNON FALLS PURSUANT)	<u>AND</u>
TO MINNESOTA STATUTES 414)	<u>ORDER TO DISMISS</u>

WHEREAS, on July 26, 2001, a resolution requesting the annexation of certain property to the City of Cannon Falls was filed with the Office of Strategic and Long-Range Planning (hereinafter referred to as "Minnesota Planning") pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 414.031, Subd. 1(a); and

WHEREAS, on May 12, 2000, the Director of Minnesota Planning, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 414.01, Subd. 16, ordered the City of Cannon Falls and the Town of Cannon Falls to meet up to three times over a period of sixty days to address resolution of contested issues; and

WHEREAS, after due and appropriate legal notice, a hearing was convened on the petition on September 17, 2001 and was continued to an indefinite date to allow the parties time to complete the directed meetings; and

WHEREAS, on October 25, 2001, Minnesota Planning received a request from the City of Cannon Falls to withdraw its petition for annexation; and

WHEREAS, on October 29, 2001, the Director of Minnesota Planning granted petitioner City of Cannon Falls' request to withdraw its petition and canceled the continued hearing;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: That the City of Cannon Falls request to withdraw
it's petition for annexation of certain property to the City of Cannon Falls described as:

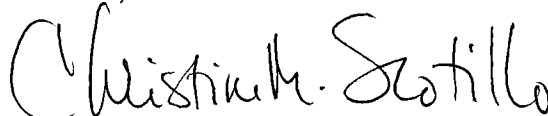
Part of Lot 10 in Section 29, in Township 112 North, Range 17 West of the Fifth
Principal Meridian in the County of Goodhue, State of Minnesota, described as
follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Government Lot 10, thence west
along the north line of said Lot 10, 24 rods, thence south to a point 60 rods north
of the south line of said Lot 10, thence east 24 rods, thence north to the point of
beginning.

is hereby granted;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That the continued hearing is canceled, and the file
is closed without prejudice.

Dated this 29th day of October, 2001.

For the Director of the Office of Strategic
and Long Range Planning
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Municipal Boundary Adjustments