

March 10, 2005

Joel Erickson
Lonsdale City Administrator
Lonsdale City Hall
415 Central Street West
P.O. Box 357
Lonsdale, MN 55046-0357

Docket Number: A-7244

City of Lonsdale
M.S. 414.033, Subd. 2(3)
Ordinance No. 2005-162

Dear Mr. Erickson:

On March 10, 2005, the Office of Administrative Hearings has approved the above ordinance in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 414, and the Rules of Procedure. The annexation is final upon the date the ordinance is approved.

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.** However, you must now complete the election precinct boundary change process in coordination with the Office of 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.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

Christine M. Scotillo
Executive Director
Municipal Boundary Adjustments

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c: Rice County Auditor
Wheatland Township Clerk
Tom Washa, Intern City Planner
State Demographer's Office
Secretary of State