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September 11, 2012

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VIA E-MAIL
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Docket Number: A-7816

City of North Mankato
M.S. 414.033, Subd. 2(2)
Ordinance No. 44, 4th Series

Dear Ms. Gehrke:

On September 11, 2012, the Office of Administrative Hearings 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.

That pursuant to the Annexation Reimbursement Agreement signed by the City of North Mankato on January 16, 2007 and Belgrade Township on January 9, 2007, the City of North Mankato will reimburse Belgrade Township an annual amount based on the property taxes collected by Belgrade Township in the last year it collected taxes on any land annexed valued over \$50,000 for a period not to exceed five years.

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If you have any questions, please contact me or Star Holman at 651-361-7909 or star.holman@state.mn.us.

Sincerely,



Timothy J. O'Malley
Assistant Chief Administrative Law Judge
Municipal Boundary Adjustment Unit

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