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March 14, 2013

Susan Lundell, Deputy City Clerk Ortonville City Hall 315 Madison Ave Ortonville, MN 56278

Docket Number: A-7829

VIA E-MAIL (sue.lundell@cityofortonville.org)

City of Ortonville M.S. 414.033, Subd. 2(3) Ordinance No. 12-07 (Hedge Property; 118.26 acres)

Dear Ms. Lundell:

On March 14, 2013, 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*. You must now contact the Secretary of State's Office to complete the election precinct boundary change. If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact the Brad Neuhauser at 651-556-0648 or brad.neuhauser@state.mn.us.

I have sent a memorandum to counsel for the city, township, and petitioners concerning the Ortonville ordinances (Docket Nos. A-7829 - A-7834). This memorandum has been scanned and uploaded to the Municipal Boundary Adjustment Unit's database (BARS) as part of the Correspondence under Scanned Procedural Documents for each docket. The BARS database can be found at http://www.mba.state.mn.us/Docket.html.

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If you have any questions regarding the above-referenced docket, 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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