STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Annexation of Certain Land to the City of Melrose from Melrose Township (A-7908)

ORDER APPROVING ANNEXATION ORDINANCE

On October 16, 2014, the City of Melrose (City) adopted Ordinance Number 10-16-2014-1 (Ordinance) which approved the Petition for Annexation of Everardo Botello Ramirez and Maria Botello Ramirez to annex certain real property (Property) legally described as follows:

Part of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), Township One Hundred Twenty-six (126) North of Range Thirty-three (33) West, Stearns County, Minnesota as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the NE¼ of said Section 35; thence running Easterly on and along the South line of the NE¼ a distance of 535 feet to the point of beginning of the tract herein described; thence running Easterly on and along said South line of the NE¼ a distance of 150 feet; thence running Northerly on a line parallel with the West line of said NE¼ a distance of 206 feet; thence running Westerly at a right angle 150 feet; thence running Southerly approximately 206 feet to the point of beginning (the "Subject Premises") Parcel No. 21.12551.0000.

Based upon a review of the Ordinance, the Chief Administrative Law Judge makes the following:

ORDER

- 1. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.033, the Ordinance is deemed adequate in all legal respects and properly supports this Order.
- 2. Pursuant to the terms of the Ordinance and this Order, the Property is annexed to the City of Melrose.
- 3. Pursuant to the agreement of the parties and as allowed by Minn. Stat. § 414.036, the City will reimburse Melrose Township (Township) for all or part of the Property annexed at the rate of \$247.82 per year for two years. The Township has not levied any special assessments against the Property for which reimbursement is required.

Dated: November 20, 2014

TAMMY L. PUST

Chief Administrative Law Judge