

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Annexation of  
Certain Real Property to the City of  
Melrose from Grove Township  
(MBAU Docket A-8139)

**ORDER APPROVING  
ANNEXATION ORDINANCE**

On May 17, 2018, the City of Melrose (City) adopted Ordinance Number 05-17-2018-2 (Ordinance) annexing certain real property (Property) from Grove Township (Township) legally described as follows:

That part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section 3, Township 125 North, Range 33 West, Stearns County, Minnesota, which lies southerly of the south line of Block Two (2) of Darmac Acres, according to the plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Stearns County Recorder, and northwesterly of the northwesterly right of way line of County State Aid Highway 13, according to Stearns County Highway Right of Way Plat Number 35, on file and of record in the office of the Stearns County Recorder.

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

**ORDER**

1. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.033 (2016), 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.
3. Pursuant to the agreement of the parties and as allowed by Minn. Stat. § 414.036 (2016), the City will reimburse the Township \$98.88 each year for two years.

Dated: May 29, 2018



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TAMMY L. PUST  
Chief Administrative Law Judge

## **NOTICE**

This Order is the final administrative order in this case under Minn. Stat. §§ 414.033, .07, .09, .12 (2016). Minn. Stat. § 414.033, subd. 7 requires that a copy of the annexation ordinance be filed with the Township, the appropriate county auditor(s), and the Secretary of State.

Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.07, subd. 2, any person aggrieved by this Order may appeal to Stearns County District Court by filing an Application for Review with the Court Administrator within 30 days of this Order. An appeal does not stay the effect of this Order.

Any party may submit a written request for an amendment of this Order within seven days from the date of the mailing of the Order pursuant to Minn. R. 6000.3100 (2017). However, no request for amendment shall extend the time of appeal from this Order.