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VIA E-MAIL (paul@sgslawyers.com)

Re: D-491 Florence/Shelburne Township (Thooft Property; 39.19 acres)

Dear Mr. Stoneberg:

The Office of Administrative Hearings - Municipal Boundary Adjustment Unit acknowledges receipt of the petition for detachment. Please refer to the above docket number in future communications regarding this proposed boundary adjustment.

It is the responsibility of the initiating party to meet all necessary requirements before the detachment can be accepted for filing. As discussed with your assistant Darla, you will be submitting a check in the amount of \$75.95 to fulfill the remainder of the filling fee requirement.

If a resolution is received from the City of Florence by April 17, 2012 supporting the detachment, no hearing is necessary. Minn. Stat. §414.06 Subd. 2.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

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Starlene J. Holman State Program Administrator, Senior Municipal Boundary Adjustment Unit <u>star.holman@state.mn.us</u> 651-361-7909

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c: Shirley Pagel, Florence City Clerk (sspagel@woodstocktel.net)



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(VIA E-MAIL)

Shirley Pagel Florence City Clerk 1764 State Highway 23 Russell, MN 56169-3033

Re: D-491 Florence/Shelburne Township (Thooft Property; 39.19 acres)

Dear Ms. Pagel:

The Office of Administrative Hearings - Municipal Boundary Adjustment Unit has received the above-referenced petition for detachment of property from the City of Florence. Please refer to the above docket number in future communications regarding this proposed boundary adjustment.

Because there is considerable paperwork and expense with a hearing, the Office of Administrative Hearings - Municipal Boundary Adjustments Unit would appreciate hearing from the city as to their position on the detachment petition by April 17, 2012. If a resolution is received from the City of Florence by April 17, 2012 supporting the detachment, no hearing is necessary. Minn. Stat. §414.06 Subd. 2.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

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