STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Orderly Annexation of Certain Real Property to the City of Bemidji from Northern Township (MBAU Docket OA-1117-3)

ORDER APPROVING ANNEXATION

A joint resolution or orderly annexation (Joint Resolution to Designate) was adopted by the City of Bemidji (City) on November 1, 2004, and by Bemidji and Northern Townships on November 8, 2004, pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.0325 (2014) designating certain real property for annexation. The Joint Resolution to Designate was amended by A Joint Resolution Amending the Orderly Annexation Agreement (OA-1117) Entered Into by the Communities in 2004 (Amendment to Joint Resolution), adopted by the City on December 21, 2010, by Bemidji Township on March 16, 2011, and by Northern Township on December 13, 2010.

Resolution Number 5977 adopted by the City on November 2, 2015, requests annexation of certain real property (Property) referred to as Northern Township Phase II Properties described as follows:

Section 28, Township 147N, Range 33W, less North One-Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ NW¼), and less Government Lot 1.

North One-Half (N½) of Section 33, Township 147N, Range 33W, less previous annexed tracts.

Based upon a review of the Joint Resolution to Designate, the Amendment to Joint Resolution, and Resolution Number 5977, the Chief Administrative Law Judge makes the following:

ORDER

- 1. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.0325, Resolution Number 5977 is deemed adequate in all legal respects and properly supports this Order.
- 2. Pursuant to the terms of the Joint Resolution to Designate, the Amendment to Joint Resolution, Resolution Number 5977, 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 (2014), the City will reimburse Northern Township as stated in the Joint Resolution to Designate and the Amendment to Joint Resolution.

Dated: November 30, 2015

s/Tammy L. Pust

TAMMY L. PUST Chief Administrative Law Judge

NOTICE

This Order is the final administrative order in this case under Minn. Stat. §§ 414.0325, .07, .09, .12 (2014). Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.07, subd. 2, any person aggrieved by this Order may appeal to Beltrami 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 (2015). However, no request for amendment shall extend the time of appeal from this Order.

For questions concerning this Order, please contact Star Holman at the Office of Administrative Hearings at *star.holman*@*state.mn.us* or 651-361-7909.