OA-658-4 Grand Rapids City Resolution No. 03-55

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

STATE OF MINNESOTA

BEFORE THE ACTING DIRECTOR OF

STRATEGIC AND LONG RANGE PLANNING

IN THE MATTER OF THE ORDERLY ANNEXATION) AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF GRAND) RAPIDS AND THE TOWN OF GRAND RAPIDS) PURSUANT TO MINNESOTA STATUTES 414)

<u>ORDER</u>

WHEREAS, a joint resolution for orderly annexation was adopted by the City of Grand Rapids and the Town of Grand Rapids; and

WHEREAS, a resolution was received from the City of Grand Rapids indicating their

desire that certain property be annexed to the City of Grand Rapids pursuant to M.S. 414.0325;

and

WHEREAS, M.S. 414.0325 states that in certain circumstances the Director of Strategic

and Long Range Planning may review and comment, but shall within 30 days order the

annexation pursuant to said subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, on September 12, 2003, the Acting Director has reviewed and accepted the

resolution for orderly annexation;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: That the following described property is hereby annexed in accordance with the terms of the joint resolution to the City of Grand Rapids, Minnesota, the same as if it had originally been made a part thereof:

All of Huntley Addition; All of Gilbert Addition; All of Singing Pines Court Addition; All of First Addition to Singing Pines Court, All of Mississippi Heights Addition; All of Remer-DeSchepper Addition; All of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 18, Township 55, Range 25; All of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 18, Township 55, Range 25; All of Government Lot 4 of Section 18, Township 55, Range 25; All of Government Lot 2 of Section 18, Township 55, Range 25; All of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 18, Township 55, Range 25; All of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 18, Township 55, Range 25; All of the NE ¼ of Section 19, Township 55, Range 25; All of Section 19, Township 55, Range 25; All of Government Lot 7 of Section 19, Township 55, Range 25.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That the tax rate of the City of Grand Rapids on the

property herein ordered annexed shall be increased in substantially equal proportions over a

period of five years to equality with the tax rate of the property already within the city.

Dated this 12th day of September, 2003.

For the Acting Director 658 Cedar Street - Room 300 St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

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