OA-742-1 Nashwauk City Signed 2-12-01 Town Signed 2-13-01

BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF

STRATEGIC AND LONG RANGE PLANNING

OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

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

ORDER

WHEREAS, a joint resolution for orderly annexation was adopted by the City of

Nashwauk and the Town of Nashwauk: and

WHEREAS, said joint resolution requests that certain property be annexed to the

City of Nashwauk pursuant to M.S. 414.0325, Subd. 1: and

WHEREAS, M.S. 414.0325, M.S. 414.11, and M.S. 414.12 states that in certain

circumstances the Director of the Office of Strategic and Long Range Planning may

review and comment, but shall within 30 days order the annexation of land pursuant to

said subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2001, the Director of the Office of Strategic and Long

Range Planning 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 resolution to the City of Nashwauk,

Minnesota, the same as if it had originally been made a part thereof:

Section 35, Township 57 North, Range 22 West, The Whole Section, Section 26, Township 57 North, Range 22 West, The Whole Section, Section 27, Township 57 North, Range 22 West, The Whole Section, Section 28, Township 57 North, Range 22 West, The Whole Section, Section 36, Township 57 North, Range 22 West, The Whole Section, Section 25, Township 57 North, Range 22 West, The

South Half of Section lying South of the City of Keewatin.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That the tax rate of the City of Nashwauk on the property herein ordered annexed shall be increased in substantially equal proportions over a period of six years to equality with the tax rate of the property already within the city.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That the effective date of this order is March 16, 2001.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 2001.

For the Director of the Office of Strategic and Long Range Planning 658 Cedar Street - Room 300 St. Paul, MN 55155

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