## STATE OF MINNESOTA

## OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR THE )	NOTICE OF
INCORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NEW SCANDIA)	RECONVENED HEARING
PURSUANT TO MINNESOTA STATUTES 414 )	

A public evidentiary hearing concerning this Petition will be held on Wednesday, July 19, 2006, and Thursday, July 20, 2006 beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the New Scandia Township Board Room, 14727 - 209<sup>th</sup> Street North, Scandia, Minnesota. The hearing will be before Administrative Law Judge James LaFave.

This is a continuation of a hearing originally held on February 14, 2006. It is not necessary that a person have attended that hearing in order to participate in this hearing.

The only formal party to this proceeding is New Scandia Township, Attorney for New Scandia Township; David Hebert. The Township has petitioned the State for authority to incorporate certain land. Persons appearing at the hearing should bring all evidence, including any records or other documents, which they would like to have considered. The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the procedure set out in Minn. Rules, Chapter 6000. A copy of the Rules may be purchased from the Minnesota Bookstore, telephone: 651/297-3000. The Rules are also located on the Internet at www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us.

Any person interested in this matter will be given an opportunity to present oral statements and to submit written data on July 20<sup>th</sup> beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the New Scandia Township Community Room.

Persons seeking more information about the hearing procedure should contact Judge

LaFave at 612/341-7600.

The property proposed for incorporation is as follows:

Sections 1 through 36, Township 32 North, Range 20 West, Washington County, Minnesota except that part of Section 36 lying within the corporate boundary of the City of Marine on St. Croix, Minnesota.

AND

All those parts of Sections 5, 6, 7, 17, 18, 19, 30, 31 and 32, Township 32 North, Range 19 West lying within Washington County, Minnesota except those parts of Sections 31 and 32 lying within the corporate boundary of the City of Marine on St. Croix, Minnesota.

Following the close of the hearing, the Administrative Law Judge will issue a written final decision pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 414 and the October 18, 2005 referral from the Director of Municipal Boundary Adjustments.

Information concerning the proposed incorporation may be reviewed by contacting the Administrative Law Judge or Brenda Eklund, Acting Township Clerk, Town of New Scandia, telephone: 651/433-2274.

If you need an accommodation for a disability in order to participate in this hearing process, please contact the Administrative Law Judge at 612/341-7600 (voice), 612/341-7346 (TDD), or by e-mail addressed to: <u>James.Lafave@state.mn.us</u>.

Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006.

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

Christine M. Scotillo
Executive Director

Municipal Boundary Adjustments