

## MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

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Docket Number: A-7790

City of Dodge Center M.S. 414.033, Subd. 3 Ordinance No. 108, 2<sup>nd</sup> Series

Dear Mr. Mattson:

On August 7, 2012, the Office of Administrative Hearings approved the above ordinance in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 414, and the Rules of Procedure. The annexation is final upon the date the ordinance is approved.

The law requires that a copy of the annexation ordinance must be delivered immediately by the governing body of the municipality to the appropriate county auditor. We recommend that you also file the annexation ordinance with the County Recorder. *This office will file a copy of the ordinance with the Secretary of State.* However, you must now complete the election precinct boundary change process in coordination with the Office of the Secretary of State.

That pursuant to the letter dated July 3, 2012, and signed by the City of Dodge Center and Wasioja Township, the City of Dodge Center will reimburse Wasioja Township a lump sum payment of \$555.06.

If you have any questions, please contact me or Star Holman at 651-361-7909 or <u>star.holman@state.mn.us</u>.

Sincerely Timothy J. O'Malley

Assistant Chief Administrative Law Judge Municipal Boundary Adjustment Unit

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