STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Annexation of Certain Real Property to the City of Worthington from Worthington Township (MBAU Docket A-8496)

ORDER APPROVING ANNEXATION ORDINANCE

On October 14, 2024, the City of Worthington (City) adopted Ordinance No. 1207 (Ordinance) annexing certain real property (Property) from Worthington Township (Township) legally described as follows:

That part of the W¹/₂ NW¹/₄ of Section 14, Township 102N, Range 40W, Nobles County, Minnesota, described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said Section 14; thence on an assumed bearing of south 89°55'59" east, along the north line of said Section, a distance of 1,152.83 feet; thence south 00°11 '09" east, a distance of 2,639.30 feet to the East-West Quarter line of said Section; thence south 89°30'06" west, along said East-West Quarter line, a distance of 1,152.83 feet to the West Quarter corner of said Section; thence north 00°11 '09" west, along the west line of said Section, a distance of 2,650.67 feet to the Point of Beginning. Except those lands already in the City of Worthington, Nobles County, Minnesota.

Based upon a review of the Ordinance, the Administrative Law Judge makes the following:

ORDER

1. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.033 (2024), the Ordinance is deemed adequate in all legal respects and properly supports this Order.

2. Pursuant to the terms of the Ordinance and this Order, the Property is **ANNEXED** to the City.

3. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.036 (2024), the City will reimburse the Township \$410.17 each year for two years as stated in the Ordinance.

4. The City must file a copy of the Ordinance with the Township, the appropriate county auditor, and the Secretary of State as required by Minn. Stat. § 414.033, subd. 7.

Dated: January 29, 2025

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JÉSSICA A. PALMER-DENIC Administrative Law Judge

NOTICE

This Order is the final administrative order in this case under Minn. Stat. §§ 414.033, .07, .09, .12 (2024). Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.07, subd. 2, any person aggrieved by this Order may appeal to Nobles 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 (2023). However, no request for amendment shall extend the time of appeal from this Order.