

OA-1209-1 Holdingford
City Signed Resolution 4-11-05
Town Signed Resolution 5-3-05

STATE OF MINNESOTA

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ORDERLY ANNEXATION)
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF HOLDINGFORD)
AND THE TOWN OF HOLDING PURSUANT TO) ORDER
MINNESOTA STATUTES 414)

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

WHEREAS, said joint resolution requests that certain property be annexed to the City of Holdingford 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 of land pursuant to said subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, Reorganization Order No. 192, effective March 8, 2005, has transferred the duties of the Director to the Chief Administrative Law Judge.

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2005, the Chief Administrative Law Judge 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 Holdingford, Minnesota, the same as if it had originally been made a part thereof:

The Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE ¼ SE ¼) of Section 17,
Township 126, Range 30, Stearns County, Minnesota

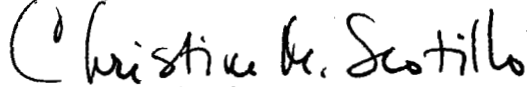
AND

That part of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NW ¼ SE ¼) of
Section Seventeen (17), Township One Hundred Twenty-six (126) North, Range

Thirty (30) West, described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$; thence Westerly along the North line thereof a distance of 233.00 feet, more or less, to the centerline of the South Branch of Two Rivers; thence Southeasterly along said centerline a distance of 853 feet, more or less, to the East line of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$; thence Northerly along said East line a distance of 756.00 feet, more or less to the point of beginning.

Dated this 18th day of October, 2005.

For the Chief Administrative Law Judge
658 Cedar Street - Room 300
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Christine M. Scotillo".

Christine M. Scotillo
Executive Director
Municipal Boundary Adjustments