STATE OF MINNESOTA

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ORDERLY ANNEXATION)		
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF FARMINGTON)		
AND THE TOWN OF EMPIRE PURSUANT TO)	<u>ORDER</u>	
MINNESOTA STATUTES 414)		

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

WHEREAS, said joint resolution requests that certain property be annexed to the City of Farmington 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; and

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2006, the Chief Administrative Law Judge 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 joint resolution to the City of Farmington, Minnesota, the same

as if it had originally been made a part thereof:

Lot 3 and those parts of Lots 4 and 5 lying easterly of a straight line drawn from a point on the north line of said Lot 4 distant 28 feet west of the northeast corner of said Lot 4 to the southeast corner of said Lot 5, all in Dooley Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Registrar of Titles, Dakota County, Minnesota.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That pursuant to Minn. Stat. 414.036, the Town of Empire will not be reimbursed by the City of Farmington in accordance with the terms of Joint Resolution R119-06 signed by the City of Farmington and the Town of Empire on October 24, 2006.

Dated this 21st day of November, 2006.

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

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Municipal Boundary Adjustments