

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ORDERLY ANNEXATION)
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF RANIER)
AND KOOCHICHING COUNTY PURSUANT TO) NOTICE OF HEARING
MINNESOTA STATUTES 414)

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 414, as amended, before the Chief Administrative Law Judge, in the above-entitled matter.

The hearing will convene at 9:00 a.m. on the 11th day of September, 2009, in the Ranier Community Building, 2099 Spruce Street, Ranier, Minnesota. The evidentiary part of the hearing will be continued to an indefinite date. All persons shall be given an opportunity to be heard orally and to submit written data, statements or arguments concerning the above-entitled matter when this hearing is reconvened at a future date. The right to testify and the admission of testimony and other evidence shall be governed by the Rules of the Minnesota Municipal Board and any other Statutes or rules that may be applicable.

The property proposed for annexation is described as follows:

All of Section 36, Township 71 North, Range 24 West, EXCEPT those parcels in the NW¹/₄ of NW¹/₄ which are in the International Falls City Limits and EXCEPT the NE¹/₄ of SE¹/₄ and the NW¹/₄ of SE¹/₄.

All of Section 25, Township 71 North, Range 24 West, EXCEPT those parcels previously incorporated by the City of Ranier.

NW¹/₄ and SW¹/₄ of Section 31, Township 71 North, Range 23 West.

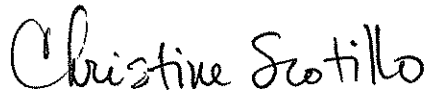
NW¹/₄ and SW¹/₄ of Section 30, Township 71 North, Range 23 West, EXCEPT those parcels previously incorporated by the City of Ranier.

After all testimony is complete and the record is closed, the Chief Administrative Law Judge will issue findings and an order in accordance with Minnesota Statutes Chapter 414. Any other person, group of persons, or governmental agency residing in, owning property in, or exercising jurisdiction over the subject area that submits a timely request, and is determined by the presiding judge to have a direct legal interest that will be affected by the outcome of this proceeding may become a party. A party bears a portion of the hearing costs.

For special accommodations, please contact the Office of Administrative Hearings at (651) 361-7900; or Greater Minnesota TTY 1-800-627-3529.

Dated this 18th day of August, 2009.

For the Chief Administrative Law Judge
P. O. Box 64620
St. Paul, Minnesota 55164-0620

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

Christine M. Scotillo
Executive Director
Municipal Boundary Adjustments