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VIA EMAIL

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The Honorable Edgar Oerichbauer
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Re: OA-1449-1 Ranier/Rainy Lake Unorganized Territory
(Joint Resolution Between City of Ranier and Koochiching County; 1,142 acres)

Dear Mr. Hanka, Mayor Oerichbauer, Ms. Jaksa, and Mr. Boyle:

On September 15, 2009, after reviewing the file, the Assistant Chief Administrative Law Judge, in his capacity as the Chief Administrative Law Judge, delegated the authority and responsibility under Minnesota Statutes Sec. 414.01 to 414.09 to conduct hearings and issue orders, including the final decision in this matter to the Office of Administrative Hearings' Administrative Law Division, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Sec. 414.12 Subd. 2(a).

The Office of Administrative Hearings will assign an administrative law judge to this matter and you will be notified accordingly by that office.

Sincerely,

Christine M. Scotillo
Executive Director
Municipal Boundary Adjustments

CMS:sjh

c: Kim Nuthak, Ranier City Clerk (Via EMail)