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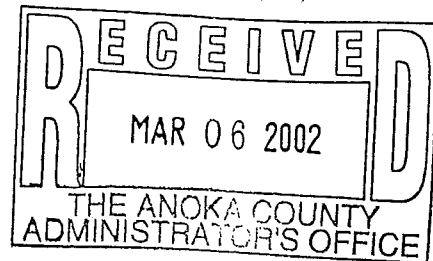
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March 5, 2002



Steve Jankowski, Chair
Lower Rum River Watershed Management Organization
2015 First Avenue
Anoka, MN 55303

Re: Resolution adopted by Anoka County Board of Commissioners

Dear Mr. Jankowski:

Enclosed is a copy of the resolution transferring jurisdiction of County Ditch #43 and County Ditch # 66 (#3) to the Lower Rum River Watershed Management Commission.

In the recitals section of the resolution, the Anoka County Board of Commissioners indicates that the transfer of County Ditch #43 and County Ditch # 66 (#3) to the Lower Rum River Watershed Management Commission is in the public interest and would be for the public welfare.

Under the terms of the resolution, jurisdiction of these ditches will transfer upon adoption of a resolution by the Lower Rum River Watershed Management Commission accepting jurisdiction of these county drainage systems. When the Lower Rum River Watershed Management Commission accepts jurisdiction of these county ditches, please forward a copy of the resolution to the Anoka County Board of Commissioners.

It would also be helpful if you would send a copy of the resolution to my attention and to Jon Olson, Anoka County Public Services Division Manager.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Pamela McCabe
Assistant Anoka County Attorney

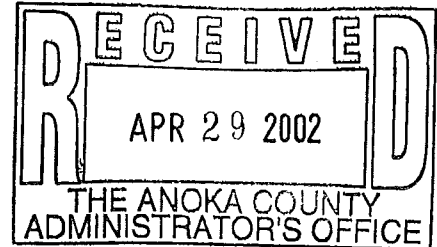
cc: Jay McLinden, Anoka County Administrator
Jon Olson, Anoka County Public Services Division Manager

cc: Doug Fischer
Harry Horum

LOWER RUM RIVER WATERSHED MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION
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April 25, 2002

Ms. Pamela McCabe
Assistant Anoka County Attorney
Anoka County Government Center
2100 Third Avenue
Anoka, MN 55303-2265



Subject: Jurisdiction transfer of County Ditch #43 and County Ditch #66 (#3)

Dear Ms. McCabe:

As requested in your March 5, 2002 letter, enclosed is a copy of LRRWMO Resolution 02-1 relating to the acceptance of the transfer of jurisdiction of County Ditch No. 43 and County Ditch No. 66 aka County Ditch No. 3. This Resolution was adopted by the LRRWMO at its meeting of April 18, 2002.

A copy of the resolution has also been forwarded to Jon Olson, Anoka County Public Services Division Manager.

Please advise of the process that should be followed to complete this jurisdiction transfer. If you would like additional information, or have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (763) 427-1410.

Sincerely,

Steve Jankowski
Chair *iw*

Enclosure: Resolution No. 02-1

cc: LRRWMO
Charlie LeFevere, Kennedy & Graven
✓ Jon Olson, Anoka County Public Services Division Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 02-1

STATE OF MINNESOTA
LOWER RUM RIVER WATERSHED MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION

A RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE
TRANSFER OF JURISDICTION OF COUNTY DITCH NO. 43
AND COUNTY DITCH NO. 66 AKA COUNTY DITCH NO. 3

WHEREAS, a request was made by the City of Ramsey to the Lower Rum River Watershed Management Organization (LRRWMO) to petition Anoka County for the transfer of jurisdiction of County Ditch No. 43 and County Ditch No. 66, aka County Ditch No. 3, so that such ditches could be maintained and used as a part of the City's storm water management system; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ramsey and the LRRWMO have entered into a Joint Powers Agreement relating to the use and maintenance of such ditches; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the request of the City of Ramsey and the Joint Powers Agreement referred to above, the LRRWMO petitioned Anoka County for the transfer of jurisdiction of County Ditch No. 43 and County Ditch No. 66, aka County Ditch No. 3, to the LRRWMO, all pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Sections 103B.211 and 103D.625; and

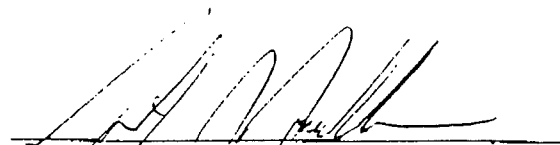
WHEREAS, following due notice and a public hearing, on February 26, 2002, the Anoka County Board adopted Resolution No. 2002-26 determining that the transfer of the ditches referred to above would be in the public interest and for the public welfare, and that County Ditch No. 43 and County Ditch No. 66, aka County Ditch No. 3, would be transferred to the LRRWMO upon the adoption of a resolution by the LRRWMO accepting the transfer of such jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the LRRWMO has determined that the transfer of such ditches to the LRRWMO is in the best interests of the public;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED By the Board of Commissioners of the Lower Rum River Watershed Management Organization as follows:

1. The transfer of jurisdiction of County Ditch No. 43 and County Ditch No. 66, aka County Ditch No. 3, is hereby accepted.
2. The Commission secretary is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Anoka County Attorney.

Adopted the 18TH day of April, 2002.


Steve Jankowski, Chair

Attest:


Todd Haas, Secretary