

STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN DISTRICT COURT - CIVIL DIVISION

COUNTY OF WASECA

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

In the matter of the Application of
Stacey Marie Larson and Ronald George
William Purcell, Sr. a/k/a Ronald G.
Purcell on behalf of themselves and all
other voters of the County of Waseca,
for a Writ of Mandamus,
Petitioners.

FINDINGS OF FACT
ORDER
File: C0-02-320

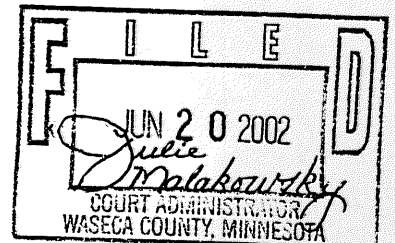
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This matter came before the Court in chambers upon the June 18, 2002 Affidavit and Petition of Joan Manthe, Waseca County Auditor.

Upon all the records and proceedings, this Court hereby makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Court received the June 18, 2002 Affidavit and Petition of Joan Manthe, Waseca County Auditor, and the attached June 18, 2002 Resolution of the Waseca County Board of Commissioners (Exhibit #1) and Plan E, a redistricting plan adopted by the Waseca County Board of Commissioners on June 18, 2002 (Exhibit #2).
2. Plan E complies with the redistricting standards required by Minnesota Statute 375.02, Subd 1.
3. The June 21, 2002 hearing in District Court to permit the Waseca County Board of Commissioners to show cause why its May 7, 2002 redistricting plan should not be revised is no longer necessary, since the Waseca County Board of Commissioners on June 18, 2002 adopted a revised redistricting plan that complies with Minnesota law.

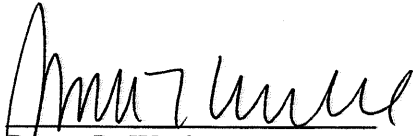


4. Joan Manthe, Waseca County Auditor, petitioned the District Court for an order authorizing her to post and publish all necessary notices and information regarding the county elections in Waseca County as soon as possible and practicable, and no later than five days prior to July 2, 2002.

ORDERS

1. The Waseca County Auditor is hereby ordered and authorized to post and publish all county election notices required by Minnesota Statutes as soon as possible and practicable, and no later than five days before July 2, 2002.
2. The June 21, 2002 hearing in District Court in the above entitled matter is hereby stricken from the Waseca County District Court calendar.

Dated this 20th day of June, 2002.


Renee L. Worke
Judge of District Court