

**ANOKA COUNTY  
BOARD MEETING  
SUMMARY**

The Anoka County Board met on May 24, 2016. Standing county committee information reports and action items were considered, and action was taken as necessary. The following resolutions were adopted: #2016-61 Right-of-Way, #2016-62 Economic Assistance Payments, #2016-63 Privacy Officials, #2016-64 Split Residential Parcel, #2016-65 to 67 Tax-Forfeit Property, #2016-68 Accept Donation, #2016-69 Grant Agreement Signatory, and #2016-70 Library Director Appointment. A full copy of the agenda, minutes, accounts, and claims greater than \$2000 may be found on the Anoka County Web site: [www.anokacounty.us](http://www.anokacounty.us)

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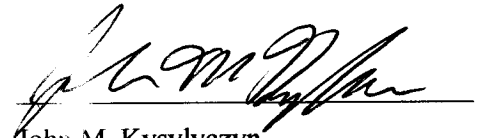
State of Minnesota, County of Anoka

John M. Kysylyczyn, being duly sworn on oath says that he is the owner and publisher of the newspaper known as the Anoka County Record, and has full knowledge of the facts which are stated below:

(A) The newspaper has complied with all the requirements constituting qualifications as a qualified newspaper, as provided by Minnesota Statutes 331A and other applicable laws.

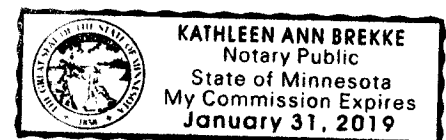
(B) The printed statement(s) attached was(were) printed and published on the following day(s) and date(s):

Tuesday, June 21, 2016



John M. Kysylyczyn,  
Owner & Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me on  
this 21st day of June, 2016



Notary Public

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**JASON MEREDITH YORT  
MISTY DAWN MCCORMICK**

STATE OF MINNESOTA DISTRICT COURT  
COUNTY OF ANOKA TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Anthony C. Palumbo, Plaintiff,  
Anoka County Attorney,  
vs.  
Diet. Ct. File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
**SUMMONS**

2000 Cadillac Eldorado Touring CP,  
MN LIC 947MDE, VIN 1G8E1294Y8700458,  
and Jason Meredith Yort, and Misty Dawn McCormick,  
the Registered Owner,  
Defendants.

**THIS SUMMONS IS DIRECTED TO:** Jason Meredith Yort, 12999  
39th Avenue, Becker, MN 55308 and Misty Dawn McCormick,  
121 Heavy Road, Unit A, Big Lake, MN 55309 and 832 - 11899  
Lane NE, Blaine, MN 55434.

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against you. The Plaintiff's Complaint against you is attached to  
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the date on which you received this Summons. You must send  
a copy of your Answer to the person who signed this summons  
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Assistant Anoka County Attorney  
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Anoka, Minnesota 55303

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the story, and the Court may decide against you and award the Plaintiff  
everything asked for in the Complaint. If you do not want to contest  
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Dated: 3/29/16

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COUNTY OF ANOKA TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Anthony C. Palumbo, Plaintiff,  
Anoka County Attorney,  
vs.  
Diet. Ct. File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
**COMPLAINT PETITIONING THE  
COURT FOR FORFEITURE PURSUANT  
TO MINN. STAT. § 609.531-609.5317**

2000 Cadillac Eldorado Touring CP,  
MN LIC 947MDE, VIN 1G8E1294Y8700458,  
and Jason Meredith Yort, and Misty Dawn McCormick,  
the Registered Owner,  
Defendants.

Anthony C. Palumbo, Anoka County Attorney, Plaintiff, for his  
complaint states the following:

1. That the basis for the present forfeiture action is the violation of  
Minn. Stat. § 609.487, a criminal offense involving Fleeing a Peace  
Officer in a Motor Vehicle, occurring on or about February 19, 2016,  
in the County of Anoka, State of Minnesota that did endanger life  
or property; and
2. That the Anoka County Attorney's Office filed criminal charges  
against Jason Meredith Yort for violation of Minn. Stat. § 609.487 in  
State v. Jason Meredith Yort, Anoka County District Court File No.  
02-CR-16-00285 (criminal complaint attached); and
3. That the above-described defendant property was used in the  
commission of the offense and did endanger life or property; and
4. That the above-described defendant property was seized by the  
Anoka Police Department on February 19, 2016; and
5. That Misty Dawn McCormick is the registered owner of the  
defendant property;  
and
6. That Misty Dawn McCormick, the registered owner of the

defendant property, has not contacted the Anoka Police Department  
concerning the seizure, and  
7. That the above defendant property was seized by the Anoka  
Police Department when defendant Jason Meredith Yort fled the  
scene, following the commission of the offense of Minn. Stat. §  
609.487, a criminal offense involving Fleeing a Peace Officer in a  
Motor Vehicle that did endanger life or property; and  
8. That the above defendant property is in the custody of the Anoka  
Police Department subject to these proceedings.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests the following relief pursuant to  
Minn. Stat. § 609.531 - 609.5317; that this court declare the interest  
of Misty Dawn McCormick in the defendant property be forfeited;  
that the court order the ownership of the defendant property transfer  
to the Anoka Police Department for official use or disposition as  
required or allowed for by law pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 609.5315.

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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT:**  
The undersigned hereby acknowledges that costs, disbursements,  
and reasonable attorney and witness fees may be awarded  
pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 549.21 subd. 2, to the party against whom  
the allegations in this pleading are asserted.

/s/ Kelsey Kelley  
Kelsey R. Kelley

STATE OF MINNESOTA DISTRICT COURT  
COUNTY OF ANOKA 10TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
Prosecutor File No. GA-2016-00285  
Court File No. 02-CR-16-1806

State of Minnesota, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
JASON MEREDITH YORT DOB: 03/21/1977  
12099 39th Avenue  
Becker, MN 55308  
Defendant.

The Complainant submits this complaint to the Court and states  
that there is probable cause to believe Defendant committed the  
following offense(s):

**COUNT 1**  
Charge: Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor Vehicle  
Minnesota Statute: 609.487.3  
Maximum Sentence: 0-3 Years Plus 1 Day and/or \$1,500.00 -  
\$5,000.00  
Offense Level: Felony  
Offense Date (on or about): 02/19/2016  
Control #(CR#): 16002127  
Charge Description: On or about February 19, 2016 in the County  
of Anoka, Minnesota, JASON MEREDITH YORT, did by means of a  
motor vehicle flee or attempt to flee a peace officer who is acting in  
the lawful discharge of an official duty, and the perpetrator knows or  
should reasonably know the same to be a peace officer.

**STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE:**  
On February 19, 2016, Officer Sorteberg of the Anoka Police  
Department was on routine patrol when he observed a white  
Cadillac approaching his squad car. As the vehicle passed Officer  
Sorteberg, he recognized the driver as JASON MEREDITH YORT  
(DOB 3/21/1977), hereinafter Defendant. Officer Sorteberg was  
aware that Defendant had fled from police on February 6, 2016,  
and either a warrant or a probable cause pickup was active for  
Defendant.

The Cadillac pulled into a driveway at 837 Brisbin Street, City of  
Anoka, County of Anoka, State of Minnesota. Officer Sorteberg  
confirmed that Defendant had an active felony warrant. Officer  
Sorteberg exited his squad car with his firearm drawn and loudly  
yelled, "please put your hands in the air." Defendant put the vehicle  
in reverse and backed out of the driveway at a high rate of speed,  
nearly running over Officer Sorteberg and a female who was also  
standing in the driveway.  
Defendant fled from Brisbin Street to 10th Avenue northbound,  
traveling at approximately 90 mph and without stopping for any of  
the posted stop signs. Defendant eventually stopped the vehicle in  
the area of Adams Street and Seventh Avenue, then fled on foot.  
It appeared Defendant was attempting to run on foot back to the  
address at 837 Brisbin Street. Despite significant efforts, including  
a tracking K9 unit, officers were not able to locate Defendant.  
Defendant has an active felony warrant and has now fled from  
police on at least two occasions. The State respectfully requests a  
warrant to ensure his presence in court.

**SIGNATURES AND APPROVALS**

Complainant requests that Defendant, subject to bailor conditions  
of release, be:  
(1) arrested or that other lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's  
appearance in court; or  
(2) detained, if already in custody, pending further proceedings;  
and that said Defendant otherwise be dealt with according to law.  
Complainant declares under penalty of perjury that everything  
stated in this document is true and correct. Minn. Stat. § 358.116;  
Minn. R. Crim. P. 2.01, subd. 1,2.

Complainant Justin Anderson  
Sergeant 03/17/2016 12:47 PM  
275 Harrison St Anoka County, Minnesota  
Anoka, MN 55303  
Badge: 5

Being authorized to prosecute the offenses charged, I approve this  
complaint.

Prosecuting Attorney Laura M. Schwartz Electronically Signed:  
Assistant County Atty 03/17/2016 12:40 PM  
2100 3rd Ave  
Anoka, MN 55303-2265  
(763) 323-5550

**FINDING OF PROBABLE CAUSE**

From the above sworn facts, and any supporting affidavits  
or supplemental sworn testimony, I, the issuing Officer, have  
determined that probable cause exists to support, subject to bailor  
conditions of release where applicable, Defendant's arrest or other  
lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's appearance in court,  
or Defendant's detention, if already in custody, pending further  
proceedings. Defendant is therefore charged with the above-stated  
offense(s).

**SUMMONS**  
THEREFORE YOU, THE DEFENDANT, ARE SUMMONED TO  
appear on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ AM/PM before the above-  
named court at 325 E Main Street, Anoka, MN 55303 to answer  
this complaint.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR in response to this SUMMONS, a  
WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST shall be issued.

**WARRANT**

To the Sheriff of the above-named county, or other person  
authorized to execute this warrant: I order, in the name of the State  
of Minnesota, that the Defendant be apprehended and arrested  
without delay and brought promptly before the court (in session),  
and if not, before a Judge or Judicial Officer of such court without  
unnecessary delay, and in any event not later than 36 hours after  
the arrest or as soon as such Judge or Judicial Officer is available  
to be dealt with according to law.

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**ORDER OF DETENTION**

Since the Defendant is already in custody, I order, subject to bailor  
conditions of release, that the Defendant continue to be detained  
pending further proceedings.

Bail: \$1,000.00  
Conditions of Release:  
This complaint, duly subscribed and sworn to or signed under  
penalty of perjury, is issued by the undersigned Judicial Officer  
as of the following date: March 17, 2016.

Judicial Officer Lawrence Johnson Electronically Signed:  
Judge 03/17/2016 01:58 PM  
Sworn testimony has been given before the Judicial Officer by the  
following witnesses:

COUNTY OF ANOKA  
STATE OF MINNESOTA  
State of Minnesota  
Plaintiff  
vs.  
Jason Meredith Yort  
Defendant  
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE  
I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this  
Warrant upon the Defendant herein named  
Signature of Authorized Service Agent

**DEFENDANT FACT SHEET**  
Name: Jason Meredith Yort  
DOB: 03/21/1977  
Address: 12099 39th Avenue  
Becker, MN 55308

Alias Names/DOB:  
SID:  
Fingerprints Required per Statute:  
Fingerprint match to Criminal History Record:  
Handgun Permit:  
Driver's License #: Q067122667613 (MN)  
License Plate #: 947MDE (MN)  
Vehicle Info: 2000 Cadillac Eldorado Passenger Vehicle  
Alcohol Concentration:

**STATUTE AND OFFENSE GRID**  
Cnt Nbr: 1  
Statute Type: Charge  
Offense Date(s): 2/19/2016  
Statute Nbrs and Description: 609.487.3  
Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor  
Vehicle  
Offense Level: Felony  
MOC: E2700  
GOC  
Controlling Agencies: MN002100  
Case Numbers: 16002127  
(Published 6/7, 8/14, 8/21, 2016 Anoka County Record #141)

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- Tuesday, June 7, 2016
- Tuesday, June 14, 2016
- Tuesday, June 21, 2016

*John M. Kysylyczyn*

John M. Kysylyczyn,  
Owner & Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me on  
this 21st day of June, 2016



*Kathleen Brekke*  
Notary Public

Lowest classified rate paid by  
commercial users:  
Per column inch: \$5

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TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests the following relief pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 609.531 - 609.5317; that this court declare the interest of Misty Dawn McCormick in the defendant property be forfeited; that the court order the ownership of the defendant property transfer to the Anoka Police Department for official use or disposition as required or allowed for by law pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 609.5315.

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Dated: 3/29/16

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF ANOKA

DISTRICT COURT  
10TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Prosecutor File No. CA-2016-00285  
Court File No. 02-CR-16-1806

State of Minnesota,  
Plaintiff,

COMPLAINT  
Warrant

vs.

JASON MEREDITH YORT DOB: 03/21/1977  
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Defendant.

The Complainant submits this complaint to the Court and states that there is probable cause to believe Defendant committed the following offense(s):

**COUNT I**

**Charge: Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor Vehicle**  
Minnesota Statute: 609.487.3

*Maximum Sentence:* 0-3 Years Plus 1 Day and/or \$1,500.00 - \$5,000.00

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Bail: \$10,000.00

Conditions of Release:

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Judicial Officer    Lawrence Johnson    Electronically Signed:  
Judge    03/17/2016 01 :58 PM

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**LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE**  
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6. That Misty Dawn McCormick, the registered owner of the

that there was no probable cause to believe defendant committed the following offense(s):

**COUNT I**

**Charge: Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor Vehicle**

Minnesota Statute: 609.487.3

Maximum Sentence: 0-3 Years Plus 1 Day and/or \$1,500.00 - \$5,000.00

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 02/19/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16002127

Charge Description: On or about February 19 2016 in the County of Anoka, Minnesota, JASON MEREDITH YORT, did by means of a motor vehicle flee or attempt to flee a peace officer who is acting in the lawful discharge of an official duty, and the perpetrator knows or should reasonably know the same to be a peace officer.

**STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE:**

On February 19, 2016, Officer Sorteberg of the Anoka Police Department was on routine patrol when he observed a white Cadillac approaching his squad car. As the vehicle passed Officer Sorteberg, he recognized the driver as **JASON MEREDITH YORT (DOB 3/21/1977)**, hereinafter Defendant. Officer Sorteberg was aware that Defendant had fled from police on February 6, 2016, and either a warrant or a probable cause pickup was active for Defendant.

The Cadillac pulled into a driveway at 837 Brisbin Street, City of Anoka, County of Anoka, State of Minnesota. Officer Sorteberg confirmed that Defendant had an active felony warrant. Officer Sorteberg exited his squad car with his firearm drawn and loudly yelled, "please put your hands in the air." Defendant put the vehicle in reverse and backed out of the driveway at a high rate of speed, nearly running over Officer Sorteberg and a female who was also standing in the driveway.

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275 Harrison St Anoka County, Minnesota  
Anoka, MN 55303  
Badge: 5

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*I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Warrant upon the Defendant herein named.*  
Signature of Authorized Service Agent:

**DEFENDANT FACT SHEET**

Name: Jason Meredith Yort  
DOB: 03/21/1977  
Address: 12099 39th Avenue  
Becker, MN 55308  
Alias Names/DOB:  
SID:  
Fingerprints Required per Statute: Yes  
Fingerprint match to Criminal History Record: No  
Handgun Permit: No  
Driver's License #: Q067122667613 (MN)  
License Plate #: 947MDE (MN)  
Vehicle Info: 2000 Cadillac Eldorado Passenger Vehicle  
Alcohol Concentration:

**STATUTE AND OFFENSE GRID**

Cnt Nbr: 1  
Statute Type: Charge  
Offense Date(s): 2/19/2015  
Statute Nbrs and Description: 609.487.3  
Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor Vehicle  
Offense Level: Felony  
MOC: E2700  
GOC  
Controlling Agencies: MN0020100  
Case Numbers: 16002127

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**PUBLIC NOTICE TO ANOKA COUNTY**

On May 6, 2016, I, James D. Kiewel received notice of a tax forfeiture action that was delivered to my private home, and directed to: "ALL PERSONS WITH A LEGAL INTEREST IN THE PARCEL OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE FOLLOWING NOTICE".

The Tax Forfeiture notice, dated May 2, 2016 regarding my private home at 1627 Rice Creek Road, Fridley, MN 55432, was from Jonell M. Sawyer, Anoka County Property Tax Administrator.

The lawful description of the parcel of land upon which my private home is located is described as follows:

That part of lot Number 6, Auditor's Subdivision Number 22, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the South line distant 145.0 feet West of the Southeast corner thereof; thence West along said South line 82.0 feet; thence North parallel with the East line of said lot 6, 190.00 feet; thence East parallel to said South line 82 feet; thence South to the point of beginning, a distance of 190.00 feet. Anoka County, Minnesota

After receiving the May 6th notice of tax forfeiture action, it became apparent to me that Anoka County Property Tax Administrator, Jonell M. Sawyer, incorrectly identified Federal National Mortgage Association as a corporate property owner subject to a delinquent tax and property forfeiture.

Federal National Mortgage Association has quit their claim and interest in this now private property and has identified James Kiewel as the owner of the property. There is now no longer any corporate interest in the property.

This notice puts Jonell M. Sawyer, Anoka County Property Tax Administrator and the State of Minnesota on notice that:

I, James D. Kiewel, am the exclusive

private citizen owner of the private home located upon the above described parcel of land. (Published 6/14, 6/21, 2016 Anoka County Record) #447

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State of Minnesota, County of Anoka

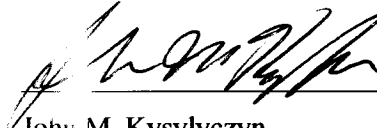
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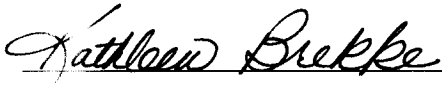
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John M. Kysylyczyn,  
Owner & Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 21st day of June, 2016



  
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1. Assumed Name:  
**El Camino Vintage**
2. Principal Place of Business:

**4042 Monroe St  
NE Columbia  
Heights, MN 55421**

3. Nameholder(s):  
**Erika Rene Tenjack  
Chad Michael  
Tenjack  
4042 Monroe St NE  
Columbia Heights  
55421**

4. I certify that I am authorized to sign this certificate and I further certify that I understand that by signing this certificate, I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Minnesota Statutes section 609.48 as if I had signed this certificate under oath.

FILED: 6/6/2016,  
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/s/ Erika Tenjack  
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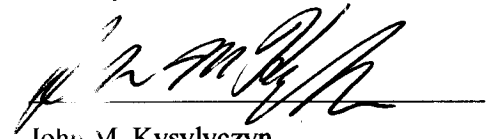
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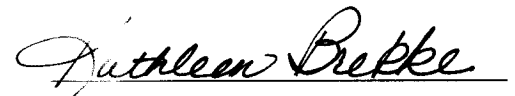
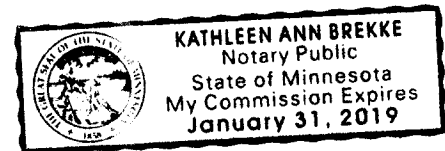
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on  
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Kathleen Brekke  
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1. Assumed Name:  
**Ruechies**
2. Principal Place of Business:  
**2639 11th Ave  
Anoka, MN 55303**
3. Nameholder(s):  
**Nicole Smith  
Jahon Douglas  
2639 11th Ave  
Anoka, MN 55303**

4. I certify that I am authorized to sign this certificate and I further certify that I understand that by signing this certificate, I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Minnesota Statutes section 609.48 as if I had signed this certificate under oath.

FILED: 3/7/2016,  
# 875349200045  
/s/ Nicole Smith,  
Nameholder  
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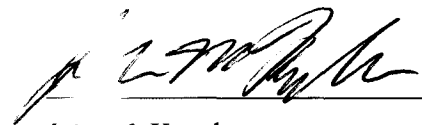
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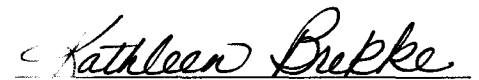
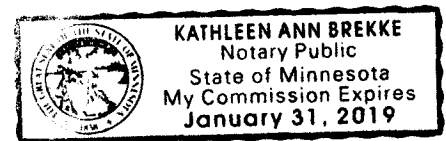
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