

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of Amendments to Rules
Governing the Mississippi River Corridor
Critical Area

**ORDER ON REVIEW
OF RULES UNDER
MINN. STAT. § 14.388
AND MINN. R. 1400.2400**

This matter came before Administrative Law Judge James E. LaFave upon the application of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (Department) for a legal review under Minn. Stat. § 14.388 (2018) and Minn. R. 1400.2400 (2017).

On November 27, 2018, the Department filed documents with the Office of Administrative Hearings seeking review and approval of the above-entitled rules.

Based upon a review of the written submissions by the Department,

IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED THAT:

1. The rules were adopted in compliance with the procedural requirements of Minn. Stat. §§ 14.001-.70 (2018) and Minn. R. 1400.2000-.8613 (2017).
2. According to Minn. Stat. § 14.388, the Department has the statutory authority to adopt these proposed rules using the exempt rulemaking process.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

The adopted rules are **APPROVED**.

Dated: December 11, 2018


JAMES E. LAFAVE
Administrative Law Judge