Writ of Special Election

Writ of Special Election to fill a vacancy in the office of State Representative for District 30A in Sherburne and Wright Counties and of a special primary to nominate candidates for the special election

To the People of the State of Minnesota and particularly those residing in District 30A in Sherburne and Wright Counties; to the Secretary of State of Minnesota; to the auditor of Sherburne and Wright Counties; to all election officials in District 30A; and to all others who may be concerned.

There is a vacancy in the office of State Representative for District 30A of the State of Minnesota, caused by the resignation of Representative Nick Zerwas effective December 6, 2019. A special election is necessary to fill this vacancy to ensure representation for the citizens of District 30A.

I, Tim Walz, as Governor of the State of Minnesota, acting under the authority and direction vested in me by the Minnesota Constitution, Article IV, section 4, Minnesota Statutes 2019, sections 204D.17 to 204D.27, 351.01, 351.02, 351.055, and other relevant statutes, direct that:

1. A special election to fill the vacancy will be held in District 30A on Tuesday, February 4, 2020.

2. A special primary, if necessary, for nomination of candidates for the office of State Representative for District 30A will be held on Tuesday, January 14, 2020.

3. Affidavits of candidacy and nominating petitions for District 30A must be filed with the Secretary of State or the county auditor of Sherburne and Wright Counties from Tuesday, December 3, 2019 until 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 10, 2019.

4. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2019, section 204D.23, subdivision 5, affidavits of withdrawal for District 30A may be filed with the same official who received the affidavit of candidacy until 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 11, 2019.
5. Notices of this special election and special primary must be given, the nomination and
election of candidates must be conducted, and all related actions must be done as
provided by Minnesota Statutes 2019, sections 204D.17 to 204D.27, and other applicable
laws.

Signed on November 27, 2019.

Tim Walz
Governor

Filed According to Law:

Steve Simon
Secretary of State