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STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF ANOKA

DISTRICT COURT

TENTE JUDICIAL DISTRICT

In the Matter of the Fetition of the Board of Managers of the Rice Creek Watershed District for the Transfer of Judicial Ditch No. 1 of Anoka and Ramsey Counties to said Board

ORDER File No. 6327 3694/

The above entitled matter came on for hearing before the undersigned, one of the Judges of the Tenth Judicial District, at the Court House in the City of Anoka, County of Anoka, State of Minnesota, at 9:30 A. M. on June 7, 1974.

Frank J. Murray appeared for and on behalf of the petitioner, The appearance was made in objection to the petition.

The Court, having heard the testimony of witnesses who appeared for and on behalf of the petitioner, having duly considered the matter and having been fully advised in the premises, makes the following

FINDINGS OF FACT

I.

The Rice Creek Watershed District was established by the Minnesota Water Resources Board on the 18th day of January, 1972.

II.

That Judicial Ditch No. 1 of Anoke and Ramsey Counties are within the territory of said Watershed District and as tributary to Rice Creek.

III.

That publication of notice of hearing of the within petition was duly made in the New Brighton Bulletin and Circulating Pines, papers of general circulation in the area of said Judicial Ditch.

IV.

That the Board of Managers of the said District have developed extensive information relative to water, watercourses and the general water conditions and probles within the said District.

That said Judicial Ditch No. 1 of Anoka and Ramsey Counties is a part of the overall water and water control problem of the District.

VI.

The transfer of said Judicial Ditch No. 1 would provide for a coordinated and planned relationship between the improvements to said drainage system and the comprehensive plant for said District

VII.

That the Board of Managers of the said District have engineering and other assistance to provide for the care and maintenance of said drainage system.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Court has jurisdiction of the within matter and that all jurisdictional requirements have been met.

II.

That it would be in the public welfare and public interest and would serve the purposes of M. S. Chapter 112 if the Board of Managers of the Rice Creek Watershed District take over Judicial Ditch No. 1 of Anoka and Ramsey Counties.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED

That the Board of Managers of the Rice Creek Watershed District take over Judicial Ditch No. 1 of Anoka and Ramsey Counties, Minnesota, together with the right to repair, maintain and improve the same.

Dated this 2 day of June, 1974.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF ANOKA Certified to be a true and correct copy of the original of file and of record in my office.

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RAYMOND NILSSON, Clerk of District Court

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Judge of District Court



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