

State of Minnesota

SECRETARY OF STATE

Boundary Correction Order

Minnesota House of Representative Districts 42B and 43B

Hennepin County requested that the Secretary of State act under Minnesota Statutes, section 2.91, subdivision 2, to order a correction to the boundary between Minnesota House of Representative Districts 42B and 43B, for the reason that the boundary between the two districts is not properly named and is ambiguous.

The legislative district boundary currently encloses all of the municipality of Medicine Lake, with the exception of one census block. Census block 270530265164009 is the only portion of Medicine Lake not included in House District 42B, and the Special Court Redistricting Panel did not list Medicine Lake as a jurisdiction split by a legislative district.

Because this legislative district boundary is ambiguous and not properly named in the Special Court Redistricting Panel's description, this request meets the requirements of the Minnesota Statutes, section 2.91, subdivision 2. In order to resolve the ambiguity in favor of creating districts of convenient, contiguous territory of substantially equal population, I exercise my authority under Minn. Stat. § 2.91, subd. 2, to order a correction and correct the boundary between Minnesota House of Representative Districts 42B and 43B. The boundary is now to follow the municipal boundary between Medicine Lake and Plymouth. This will result in census block 270530265164009, being moved into District 42B. As census block 270530265164009 has zero population, this will not impact the population of each district.

Dated: March 31, 2022



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steve Simon".

Steve Simon
Secretary of State

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