**STATE OF MINNESOTA**

***Before the*
<DRAINAGE AUTHORITY NAME>
SITTING AS THE DRAINAGE AUTHORITY FOR
<NAME OF DRAINAGE SYSTEM>**

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| **In the Matter of:****the Removal of Property from <name of drainage system>** | **PETITION FOR REMOVAL OF PROPERTY FROM <NAME OF DRAINAGE PROJECT OR SYSTEM>** |

Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103E.805, Petitioners seek to remove benefited property from the <name of drainage system> drainage system. For their Petition, the undersigned Petitioners state and allege the following:

1. Petitioners are the owners of the following described real property currently within the benefitted area of <name of drainage system>:

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| **Property Description** | **Property Owners** | **Address** |
| 1. |  |  |
| 2. |  |  |
| 3. |  |  |

[Note: It is helpful if the petition describes the circumstances that would support a decision of the drainage authority to grant the petition to remove the property from the benefitted area of the drainage system. The burden is on the petitioner to demonstrate that the factors found in Minn. Stat. § 103E.805, subd. 3(b) support granting the petition.]

1. Waters from the petitioners’ properties described above have been diverted from the drainage system. Petitioners’ property cannot significantly or regularly use the drainage system. <Provide further explanation supporting this conclusion>.
2. Petitioners’ property described above is not benefited by the drainage system. <Provide further explanation supporting this conclusion>.
3. Removing petitioners’ property from the drainage system will not prejudice the property owners and property remaining on the system. <Provide further explanation supporting this conclusion>.

1. To the best of petitioners’ knowledge, there are no outstanding drainage liens or assessments on the property related to the drainage system.
2. This Petition may be signed in counterparts.

Respectfully submitted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ by:

[Note: All signatories to the Petition must indicate the capacity in which they sign, i.e. owner, co-owner, corporate official, or government lot. In the case of a partnership, only one general partner needs sign. In the case of a corporation, only one corporate official need sign. In the case of co-ownership, all co-owners must sign. In the case of a trust, all trustees must sign. Be sure all signature blocks are fully completed. If you are unsure of whom must sign please contact the petitioner’s attorney.]

| **Owner Signature** | **Property Owned** | **Mailing Address** | **Dated** |
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| \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_<Owner Name> | <Property Descriptions> | <Street Address><City>, <State>, <Zip> | \_\_\_\_\_\_ |