STATE OF MINNESOTA **DISTRICT COURT**

COUNTY OF DAKOTA **FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

IN RE: THE APPOINTMENT OF DAKOTA
COUNTY CONCILIATION COURT REFEREES **ORDER**

WHEREAS, the appointment of referees to preside over conciliation court cases would help ensure more adequate judicial resources to process and dispose of cases filed each year in the First Judicial District, and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes Section 491A.03, Subd. 1 authorizes the chief judge of the district to appoint suitable persons to act as referees in conciliation court upon such terms and conditions as established by the chief judge of the judicial district;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

1. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 491A.03, Subd. 1, the following attorneys, who have completed the necessary training to serve as referees in conciliation court, are appointed to act as referees in Dakota County Conciliation Court:

   Roger Kramer

   Candy Dale

   Bill Tilton

   Pat Biren

   Linc Deter

   Reed Mackenzie

   Janet Stellpflug

   Randi LaFleur

   Jim Lindell

   Bill Harper

   James VanderLinden

   Marcus Yira

2. The referees shall not receive any compensation or remuneration for serving in the position of a Conciliation Court Referee.

3. If at any time any of the above appointees fails to remain in good standing with the Board of Professional Responsibility, that person shall immediately cease acting as a referee and shall notify the chief judge of the district and the Dakota County Court Administrator.

4. Each appointee shall attend such training as is approved by the Dakota County judges.

5. This appointment shall be effective July 1, 2014 and the appointees may preside over conciliation court proceedings and trials as assigned by the Dakota County Court Administrator or her designee from and after July 1, 2014 until June 30, 2015.

6. The appointees shall not preside over any matter that does not meet the requirements of a conciliation court matter pursuant to Minnesota Statute Section 491A.01.

June 26, 2014

BY THE COURT:

Terrence Conkel
First Judicial District Chief Judge

STATE OF MINNESOTA **DISTRICT COURT**

COUNTY OF DAKOTA **FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

IN RE: THE APPOINTMENT OF DAKOTA COUNTY CONCILIATION COURT REFEREES

ORDER

WHEREAS, according to the judicial weighted caseload study, the courts of the First Judicial District have fewer judges than needed to process and dispose of the cases filed each year in the district courts located in the seven counties of the First Judicial District, including Dakota County District Court, and

WHEREAS, the appointment of referees to preside over conciliation court cases would help ensure more adequate judicial resources to process and dispose of cases filed each year in the First Judicial District, and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes Section 491A.03, Subd. 1 authorizes the chief judge of the district to appoint suitable persons to act as referees in conciliation court upon such terms and conditions as established by the chief judge of the judicial district;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

1. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 491A.03, Subd. 1, the following attorneys, who have completed the necessary training to serve as referees in conciliation court, are appointed to act as referees in Dakota County Conciliation Court:

   David Allgeyer
   Michael Warren
   Ansis Viksnins
   Jonathon Bye
   James Lockhart
   George Singer
   Ronald Vaske
   John Laravuso
   David L. Sasseville
   Kim M. Ruckdaschel-Haley
   Chris Sullivan
   Samuel J. H. Sigelman
   Christopher A. Grgurich
   Aby, Elizabeth
   Costley, Kevin
   Ekman, John
   Hittner, Nicole
   Wahi, Richelle

2. The referees shall not receive any compensation or remuneration for serving in the position of a Conciliation Court Referee.

3. If at any time any of the above appointees fails to remain in good standing with the Board of Professional Responsibility, that person shall immediately cease acting as a referee and shall notify the chief judge of the district and the Dakota County Court Administrator.

4. Each appointee shall attend such training as is approved by the Dakota County judges.

5. This appointment shall be effective July 1, 2014 and the appointees may preside over conciliation court proceedings and trials as assigned by the Dakota County Court Administrator or her designee from and after July 1, 2014 until June 30, 2015.

6. The appointees shall not preside over any matter that does not meet the requirements of a conciliation court matter pursuant to Minnesota Statute Section 491A.01.

June 23 , 2014

BY THE COURT:

Terrence E. Conkel

Terrence Conkel
First Judicial District Chief Judge