To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, a Certificate of Due Organization of the Burns-Homer Pleasant Soil Conservation District was issued by this office on the 3rd day of May, 1938, and whereas a resolution changing the name of the district to Burns-Homer-Pleasant Soil and Water Conservation District was filed in this office on the 14th day of April, 1958; and

WHEREAS, a Certificate of Consolidation forming the Winona Soil Conservation District was issued by this office on the 10th day of January, 1958, and whereas, a resolution changing the name of the district to Winona Soil and Water Conservation District was filed in this office on the 8th day of April, 1958; and

WHEREAS, the Burns-Homer-Pleasant Soil and Water Conservation District and the Winona Soil and Water Conservation District did adopt resolutions requesting that said soil and water conservation districts be consolidated into one district to be known as the Winona County Soil and Water Conservation District; and

WHEREAS, The Minnesota Soil and Water Conservation Board, on the 10th day of June, 1986, by resolution granted the consolidation of said districts into one soil and water conservation district to be known as the Winona County Soil and Water Conservation District, effective June 30, 1986; and

WHEREAS, copies of said resolutions have been filed in this office;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joan Anderson Growe, Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota, by virtue of the powers and duties vested in me by law, do hereby certify that the territory comprising the two soil and water conservation districts has been duly consolidated into one district known as the Winona County Soil and Water Conservation District.

WITNESS my official signature hereunto subscribed and the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota hereunto affixed this 30th day of June, 1986.

Joan Anderson Growe
Secretary of State