#### **Minnesota Department of Natural Resources**



# DECISION RECORD OFFICIAL NOTICE AND ORDER

Designation and undesignation of forest roads in the Rum River State Forest pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes*, Section 89.71, Subdivision 1.

### DESIGNATION OF FOREST ROADS IN THE RUM RIVER STATE FOREST IN MILLE LACS AND KANABEC COUNTIES, MINNESOTA

NOTICE PUBLISHED: JANUARY 8, 2007 EFFECTIVE DATE: SEPTEMBER 1, 2007

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources orders the designation of forest roads identified in *Exhibit A*, attached hereto and incorporated herein, in the Rum River State Forest.

#### **WHEREAS:**

- 1. *Minnesota Statutes*, Section 89.71, Subd. 1, provides that the commissioner may designate or undesignate forest roads by written order filed with the Secretary of State and published in the State Register.
- 2. The agency held public meetings in both Mille Lacs and Kanabec Counties and received written comments and submissions regarding public use of the Rum River State Forest. This information has been incorporated into the Final Forest Classification and Motor Route Designation Plan for the forest.
- 3. All notice and procedural requirements in Minnesota Statutes, and other applicable rules and law have been complied with.
- 4. The forest road designations are needed and reasonable.

**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED** that the forest roads identified in *Exhibit A*, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are hereby designated pursuant to authority vested in me by Minnesota law.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the designation of those forest roads identified in *Exhibit A*, shall become effective on September 1, 2007.

A copy of this order shall be filed with the Secretary of State.

Date 12/27/06 Gene Merriam, Commissioner
Department of Natural Resources

Signed copy on file with MN Secretary of State – Refer to No. 0701664

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## Exhibit A: Rum River State Forest State Forest Road Designations December 2006

