**STATE OF MINNESOTA** 

Executive Department



Writ of Special Election

## Writ of Special Election to fill a vacancy in the office of State Representative for District 27B in Anoka, Isanti, Mille Lacs, and Sherburne Counties and of a special primary to nominate candidates for the special election

To the People of the State of Minnesota and particularly those residing in District 27B in Anoka, Isanti, Mille Lacs, and Sherburne Counties; to the Secretary of State of Minnesota; to the auditors of Anoka, Isanti, Mille Lacs, and Sherburne Counties; to all election officials in District 27B; and to all others who may be concerned.

There is a vacancy in the office of State Representative for District 27B of the State of Minnesota, caused by the resignation of Representative Kurt Daudt, effective February 11, 2024, at 11:59 p.m. A special election is necessary to fill this vacancy to ensure representation for the citizens of District 27B.

I, Tim Walz, as Governor of the State of Minnesota, acting under the authority and direction vested in me by the Minnesota Constitution, Article IV, section 4, Minnesota Statutes 2023, sections 204D.17 to 204D.27, 351.01, 351.02, 351.055, and other relevant statutes, direct that:

- 1. A special election to fill the vacancy will be held in District 27B on Tuesday, March 19, 2024.
- 2. A special primary, if necessary, for nomination of candidates for the office of State Representative for District 27B will be held on Thursday, February 29, 2024.
- 3. Affidavits of candidacy and nominating petitions for District 27B must be filed with the Secretary of State or the county auditor of Anoka, Isanti, Mille Lacs, and Sherburne Counties from Wednesday, February 14, 2024, until 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 15, 2024.
- 4. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2023, section 204D.23, subdivision 5, affidavits of withdrawal for District 27B may be filed with the same official who received the affidavit of candidacy until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 16, 2024.

5. Notices of this special election and special primary must be given, the nomination and election of candidates must be conducted, and all related actions must be done as provided by Minnesota Statutes 2023, sections 204D.17 to 204D.27, and other applicable laws.

Signed on February 13, 2024.

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Tim Walz Governor

Filed According to Law:

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Steve Simon Secretary of State

Filed February 13, 2024 Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State Steve Simon