

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Department of Natural Resources  
Division of Waters

In the Matter of Proposed Adoption  
of Amendments to the Rules for  
the Cannon Scenic and Recreational  
River, Minn. Rules 1983 6105.1610  
and 6105.1680

STATEMENT OF NEED  
FOR AND REASONABLENESS  
OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Whereas, it has been determined that the proposed amendments to the above mentioned rules are non-controversial in nature; and

Whereas, pursuant to Minn. Stat. §14.23, the agency shall prepare a statement of need and reasonableness of the proposed amendments and have the same available to the public;

Therefore, to fulfill the requirements of Minn. Stat. §14.23:

- I. The proposed amendments to Minn. Rule 1983 6105.1610, Subpart 10. Item A (see attached) will correct typographical errors that improperly reference: Performance criteria for the extraction of sand and gravel, as found in Minn. Rule 1983 6105.1610, Subpart 5; and, Guidelines for reducing the effects of litter, as found in Minn. Rule 1983 6105.1610, Subpart 6.

These amendments are reasonable and needed because they correct obvious typographical errors and correctly reference the subparts of Minn. Rule 1983 6105.1610 as originally intended.

- II. The proposed amendments to Minn. Rule 1983 6105.1680 will remove approximately 16.4 acres from the Cannon Scenic and Recreational River Land Use District in Section 30, T112N, R19W of Dakota County (see attached map). This amendment is needed because:
  - a. The Parcel being removed from the district contains agricultural service uses that under the terms of the land use controls associated with the district, are not permitted and therefore not allowed to expand their scope of operation; and
  - b. The removal of this parcel will allow the agricultural service uses to expand subject to conditional use permits issued by the county and pursuant to its shoreland ordinance.

This amendment is reasonable because:

- i) The amendment will not jeopardize the intent and purpose of designating the Cannon River and its lands as a component of the State Wild and Scenic Rivers System;
- ii) Land to be removed from the County's Recreational River District will be retained in the County's Natural Environment River District I shoreland ordinance jurisdiction; and

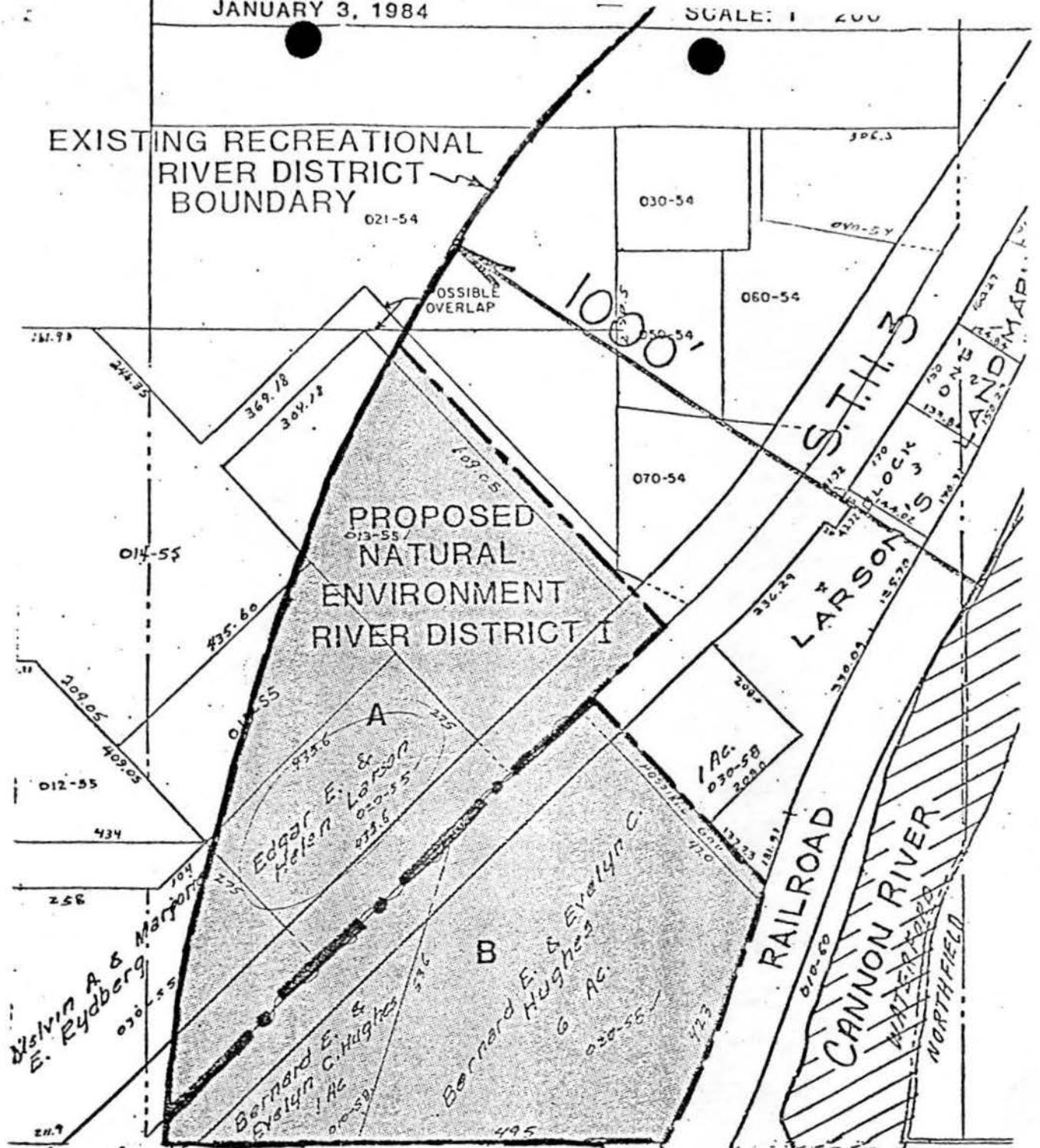
iii) The Natural Environment River District I zoning provisions will be no less restrictive than what would apply under Recreational River District zoning provisions, with the exception of allowing agricultural services as conditionally permitted uses in the Natural Environment River District I. No other commercial uses will be allowed in the district.

This concludes the statement of need for and reasonableness of the proposed amendments to Minn. Rules 1983 6105.1610 and 6105.1680.

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EXISTING RECREATIONAL RIVER DISTRICT BOUNDARY



PROPOSED NATURAL ENVIRONMENT RIVER DISTRICT I

CITY OF NORTHFIELD

- KEY**
- EXISTING BOUNDARY ———
  - PROPOSED BOUNDARY BY COUNTY - - - - -
  - ORIGINAL BOUNDARY PROPOSED BY ONR —●—
- SCALE: 1" = 200'