

BMS

BUREAU OF MEDIATION SERVICES
State of Minnesota

IN THE MATTER OF A PETITION FOR
DETERMINATION OF AN APPROPRIATE
UNIT AND CERTIFICATION AS EXCLUSIVE
REPRESENTATIVE

February 26, 2013

Great River Regional Library, St. Cloud, Minnesota
- and -
AFSCME Council 65, Nashwauk, Minnesota

BMS Case No. 13PCE0601

CERTIFICATION OF EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE

The tabulated results of a certification election conducted among eligible employees falling within the following bargaining unit are: \

All employees employed by the Great River Regional Library, St. Cloud, Minnesota, who are public employees within the meaning of Minn. Stat. 179A.03, sub d. 14, excluding Branch Manager, Branch Assistants, Patron Services Specialist, Patron Services Librarians, technical Services Specialists, Library-Technical Services, Library Aides, supervisory and confidential employees.

ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES	(41)
VOTES FOR AFSCME COUNCIL 65	(24)
VOTES FOR NO REPRESENTATIVE	(13)
TOTAL VOTES TABULATED	(37)

Based on these election results, **IT IS CERTIFIED THAT AFSCME COUNCIL 65, NASHWAUK, MINNESOTA**, is the exclusive representative for the employees falling within the above described bargaining unit.

On January 28, 2013 the parties agreed that in the event of a positive election result in the above-described bargaining unit that unit would be merged into the existing bargaining unit which was defined as:

All Patron Service Specialists, Patron Service Librarians, Technical Service Specialists, and Librarian-Technical Services, employed by the Great River Regional Library, St. Cloud, Minnesota, who are public employees within the meaning of Minn. Stat. 179A.03, subd. 14, excluding supervisory, confidential and all other employees.

Therefore, based upon the positive election results from February 26, 2013 and the Stipulations of the Parties received from the respective representatives on January 28, 2013 the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Council No. 65, Nashwauk, Minnesota, is the certified exclusive representative for the employees of the Great River Regional Library falling within the following bargaining unit:

All employees employed by the Great River Regional Library, St. Cloud, Minnesota who are public employees within the meaning of Minn. Stat. 179A.03, subd. 14, excluding Branch Managers, Branch Assistants, Library Aides, supervisory, and confidential employees.

The Maintenance of Status Quo Order issued by the Bureau on **January 30, 2013** is hereby vacated.

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