

TO: Bishop Jen Nagel
Minneapolis Area Synod Council

Date: _____

REQUEST AND STATEMENT FOR RETIRED STATUS For Pastors and Deacons

“Retired status is an ecclesial determination granted by the Synod Council in keeping with its constitutional authority. Such determinations are not necessarily dependent upon a rostered [leader] receiving retirement benefits.”

(Manual of Policies and Procedures for Management of the Rosters, November 2010)

I request that I be granted the status of “Retired” on the Roster of:

Ministers of Word and Sacrament _____ Ministers of Word and Service _____

of the Minneapolis Area Synod, ELCA.

I will resign from

_____ effective _____

(Name of Employer and Position)

My mailing address, phone and email will be:

Phone: _____ Email: _____

My congregation membership will be at:

(Street address, City, State, Zip Code)

I understand that I remain accountable to the Bishop of the Minneapolis Area Synod and will continue to meet the criteria and standards of this church for its rostered leaders. *Please print, sign by hand, then scan and email to k.ohm@mpls-synod.org, or mail to the Minneapolis Area Synod office (122 W Franklin Ave, #600, Minneapolis, MN 55404).*

(Signature of Rostered Leader)

(Print Full Name)