

To the Minnesota State Auditor:

1. TO REPEAL THE UNFUNDED MADATE OF H.A.V.A. FOR SHOOKS TOWNSHIP IN BELTRAMI COUNTY MINNESOTA.

Whereas;

Shooks Township operates on a small limited tax base and has no means to heat the Town hall during the winter months and maintain the temperature required by the H.A.V.A. mandates;

Whereas;

Shooks is forced to provide for mail-in ballots and lose local control which opens the voting process to fraud and abuse;

Whereas;

Under the mail-in ballot process, the Shooks Township voters would lose their right to come to their polling place and participate in the voting process to cast their ballots;

Whereas;

The Shooks Township Board of Supervisors would lose an important function of Township government, of personal contact with the township voters;

Whereas;

The unfounded H.A.V.A. mandates would place Shooks Township¹ at financial risk;

THEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED;

That the Shooks Township Board of Supervisors support exempting Shooks Township from the H.A.V.A. mandates.

SIGNED

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