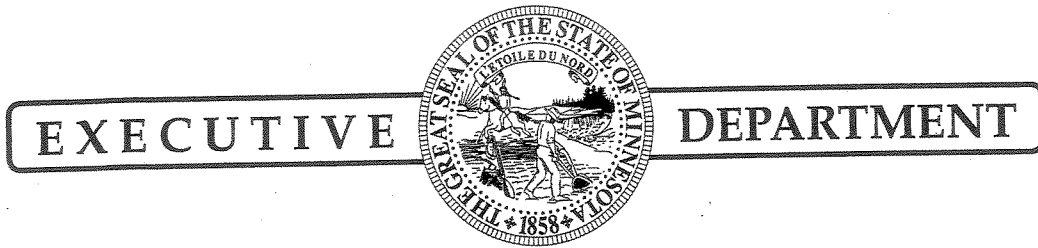


# STATE of MINNESOTA



TIM PAWLENTY  
GOVERNOR

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

VERNAE HASBARGEN **RECEIVED**

JUN 15 2009

2553 360<sup>th</sup> Street  
Breckenridge, Minnesota 56520  
County of Wilkin  
Congressional District Seven

President of the Senate

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of:

*Member*

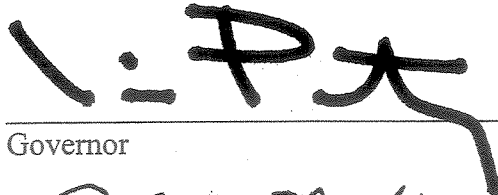
**BOARD OF THE PERPICH CENTER FOR ARTS EDUCATION**

Effective: June 17, 2009  
Term Expires: January 7, 2013

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, June 12, 2009.



  
Governor

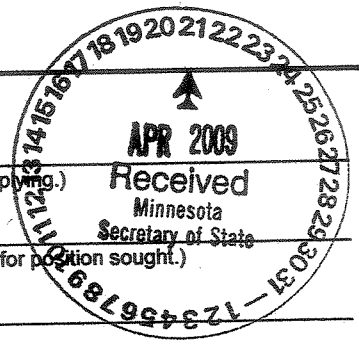
  
Secretary of State

Replacing: Sonja Peterson

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

All information on this form is available to the public upon request.



Agency Name: \* Board of the Perpich Center for Arts Education  
 (Name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position Sought: BOARD MEMBER  
 (Membership position sought or enter "member" if no specific requirements exist for position sought.)

Applicant Name: \* Vernae Hasbargen  
 (First Name) (Last Name)

Preferred Mailing Address: \* 2553 360<sup>th</sup> St. Breckenridge MN 56520  
 (Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Cell Phone: \* (320) 766-4211 Home Phone: (218) 643-6511

E-MAIL: \* Vernae@mnea.org or Vernae.hasbargen@yahoo.com

County: Wilkin MN House of Rep District: 9B U.S. House of Rep District: 7<sup>th</sup>

\* Indicates information that will appear on the Office of the Secretary of State web site: [www.sos.state.mn.us](http://www.sos.state.mn.us)

Have you ever been convicted of a felony: Yes  No

Did the Appointing Authority suggest you submit your application? YES  NO

Please attach a current resume or a biographical statement containing work history, education, community activities, etc., and any other information the Applicant or Nominating Person feels would be helpful to the Appointing Authority.

Sonja Peterson 9-13 term

OPTIONAL STATISTICAL INFORMATION

The following information is optional and voluntary. Information is collected for, and compiled in, the annual report on the open appointments process pursuant to Minnesota Statutes §15.0597.

Sex:  Female  Male Political Party:  Democratic-Farmer-Labor  Independence  Republican  Other \_\_\_\_\_  No party preference

Disability:  Yes  No Race\*:  African American / Black  American Indian / Alaska Native  Asian  Hispanic  Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander  White  Other Race \_\_\_\_\_

National Origin: \_\_\_\_\_ (\* Select as many as apply)  
 (Country of Origin or Principle Tribe)

I swear that, to the best of my knowledge, the above information is correct and that I satisfy all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Vernae Hasbargen (Signature of Applicant)\* 4/14/09 (Date) JUN 15 2009

\* If another person or group is nominating the applicant, the applicant's signature indicates consent to nomination.

MAIL, FAX, OR SUBMIT APPLICATION IN PERSON, TO: Office of the Secretary of State, Open Appointments  
 180 State Office Building  
 100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd  
 St. Paul, MN 55155-1299

FAX: (651) 296-9075  
 Phone: (651) 297-5845  
 Email: [open.appointments@state.mn.us](mailto:open.appointments@state.mn.us)

President of the Senate

Applicants will not receive an acknowledgement of submitted applications; the appointing authority will notify you if an interview is desired.

By request, this application will be made available in alternative format (for example, braille, large print, audio tape, or computer disk.)

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Vernae Hasbargen is a nonprofit leader serving on the boards of Clearway Minnesota; MinnPost.com; and the District #846 and the North Dakota State College of Science Foundations. She is an advisor to the Freeman Forum at the Humphrey Institute of the University of Minnesota.

Hasbargen received a BA degree from Concordia College in Moorhead and was a secondary and technical college teacher, a marketing director of an agricultural company, and executive director of the Minnesota Rural Education Association. She and her husband operate a farm in Wilkin County.

Hasbargen was chair of the Breckenridge School Board, served as vice-chair of the Minnesota Council of Nonprofits, is a Blandin Foundation trustee-emeriti.

While with MREA, Hasbargen worked at the state and national level on education policy and collaborated with the Perpich Center on recruiting rural students and integrating the arts into Minnesota's graduation standards.

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