

**State of Minnesota**

**District Court**

County \_\_\_\_\_

Judicial District: \_\_\_\_\_  
Court File Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Case Type: Dissolution

**In Re the Marriage of:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Petitioner

And

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Respondent

**Summons (Check One)**

**Without Real Estate**

**With Real Estate**

STATE OF MINNESOTA )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)SS  
(County where Affidavit signed)

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED RESPONDENT:

**WARNING: Your spouse (husband or wife) has filed a lawsuit against you for dissolution of your marriage. A copy of the paperwork regarding the lawsuit is served on you with this summons. This summons is an official document from the court that affects your rights. Read this summons carefully. If you do not understand it, contact an attorney for legal advice.**

1. The Petitioner (your spouse) has filed a lawsuit against you asking for a dissolution of your marriage (divorce). A copy of the *Petition for Dissolution of Marriage* is attached to this *Summons*.
2. You must serve upon Petitioner and file with the Court a written *Answer* to the *Petition for Dissolution of Marriage*, and you must pay the required filing fee. Answer forms are available from the Court Administrator’s office. You must serve your *Answer* upon Petitioner **within thirty (30) days** of the date you were served with this *Summons*, not counting the day of service. If you do not serve and file your *Answer*, the Court may give your spouse everything he or she is asking for in the *Petition for Dissolution of Marriage*.
3.  This proceeding involves, affects, or brings into question the real property located at the following address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ County, State of \_\_\_\_\_