RECORD CHECKS

382.16 Records are public; copies. The several judges having probate jurisdiction, county auditors, county recorders, and court administrators of the district court, during the hours when their respective offices are open, or are required by law to be kept open, shall exhibit any papers, files, or records of their office or in their official custody, for the inspection of any person demanding the same, free of charge, except in cases where fees are provided by law, and then upon tender of such fees.

The several county auditors, judges having probate jurisdiction, and clerks of the district court, during the hours when their respective offices are required by law to be open, shall furnish to any person demanding the same a certified copy of any record, file, or paper in their office or in their official custody upon tender of such fees therefor as are by law allowed to county recorders for like services.

Rule 30.02 Subd. 3 Court Order required

- (B) Public. A court order is required before any inspection, copying, disclosure or release to the public of the record of a child. Before any court order is made the court must find that inspection, copying, disclosure or release is:
 - (1) in the best interests of the child; or
 - (2) in the interests of public safety; or
 - (3) necessary for the functioning of the juvenile court system.

WE DO NOT MAINTAIN CRIMINAL/CIVIL HISTORY FILES. WE DO NOT SEARCH OUR RECORDS FOR A CERTAIN DEFENDANT. OUR RECORDS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AND YOU MAY COME INTO THE OFFICE AND SEARCH THE LEDGER BOOKS OR DO A COMPUTER SEARCH FOR A CERTAIN INDIVIDUAL. IF AT THAT TIME YOU FIND THE PERSON YOU ARE LOOKING FOR WE WILL GIVE YOU THE FILE TO LOOK AT.

WE ARE ON THE COMPUTER SYSTEM AS OF JANUARY 1ST, 1988. ANYTHING PRIOR TO THAT DATE WILL BE FOUND IN THE LEDGER BOOKS.

THERE ARE 3 LOCATIONS THAT YOU CAN USE THE PUBLIC ACCESS COMPUTER

JUDICIAL CENTER 1560 W HWY 55 HASTINGS MN 55033 TELEPHONE # 651-438-8141

WESTERN SERVICE CENTER 14955 GALAXIE AVE APPLE VALLEY MN 55124 TELEPHONE # 952-891-7256

NORTHERN SERVICE CENTER 1 MENDOTA ROAD W STE 140 WEST ST PAUL MN 55118 TELEPHONE # 651-554-6200