

## MEDIA RELEASE

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### “THE CLOSING OF THE SOUTH ST. PAUL STOCKYARDS” ON *INSIGHT 7*

Starting Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup> through June 4<sup>th</sup>, cable viewers in Northern Dakota County can tune in to *Insight 7* on Channel 14. *Insight 7* is the news magazine program featuring all local stories for the seven-city area. *Insight 7* appears on Channel 14 Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and Sundays at 1 and 7 p.m.; Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays at 4 and 10 p.m.

**Headlines:** We tell you that John Remkus started his new position as West St. Paul City Manager in April and Veterans Memorial Community Center Ice Arena will close down both ice sheets for maintenance from May 5-Aug. 3. The Dakota County Board of Commissioners passed a ¼ percent sales tax and that the city-owned Mendota Heights Par 3 golf course exceeded the city's expectations and operated at a net profit. We inform you that Inver Hills Community College received the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities Innovative Partnering and Collaboration Award for its Cisco Systems training initiatives. The River Heights Chamber of Commerce awarded its annual Small Business of the Year Award to Town Square Television at the Annual Small Business Luncheon and Trade Show at the Mendakota Country Club in Mendota Heights April 25th.

**In Your World:** Mark and Dennis talk about the closing of the South St. Paul Stockyards

**In Your World:** Dan shows you a staff written and student performed play at Henry Sibley High School

**Minnesota DNR Report:** Tells you about the Trout in the Classroom Program

**Insight 7 Sports:** Toby takes a look at the new mercy rule in high school football and basketball

**90 Seconds of Local History:** Bill tells the story of the 40 Acres in Dakota County

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