## Land Resources and Parks Department Staff Report

Town Rezoning Petition # 2022-1005 Filing Date: December 15, 2022

Committee Review Date: January 23, 2023

#### Owner:

Jay-Vee Wulff Family Farms LLC c/o Joann Stommel W8851 E Jason Dt. Beaver Dam, WI 53916

#### Location:

PIN# 042-1217-0144-002

Property Location: Lot 1, CSM 5786, V38, p173, located in part of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼, Section 1, Town of Theresa, the site address being N9308 Mohawk Rd.

#### **Applicants Request**

A petition to rezone 2-acres of land from the A-1 Farmland Preservation Zoning District to the A-2 general Agricultural Zoning District has been submitted by the Town of Theresa Town Board to the Dodge County Board of Supervisors for approval. The proposed 2-acre lot to be rezoned will contain an existing residence which is intended for non-farm residential use.

#### **Land Use Code Provisions:**

According to 60.62(3) Wisconsin Statutes, in counties having a county zoning ordinance, no Town zoning ordinance or amendment of a Town zoning ordinance may be adopted under this section unless approved by the county board. The Land Resources and Parks Committee is responsible for reviewing Town rezoning amendment requests and for recommending that the County Board of Supervisors approve or deny such petitions.

#### Physical Features of Site

The features of the property that relate to the granting or denial of the rezoning petition are as follows:

The proposed lot to be rezoned is not located within the County's Zoning Jurisdiction.

The topography of the site is rolling with slopes ranging from 0 to 18%;

Land Use, Site: Residential and agricultural.

Land Use, Area: Agricultural with scattered residences along Mohawk Road.

Designated Archaeological Site: Yes ☐ No ☒

The proposal is consistent with the Dodge County Comprehensive Plan:

The site is designated as agricultural according to the County's Future Land Use Map which can
include a limited amount of residential development, but where the predominant land use would be
agricultural in nature.

#### STAFF ADVISORY:

This staff advisory is only advice to the Land Resources and Parks Committee. The Committee may or may not consider the advice of the staff and decision making authority is vested in the Committee only.

<u>Town Rezoning Petition</u>
The staff believes that the Town Board has followed the proper procedures outlined in their Zoning Ordinance in order to approve the rezoning request. In addition, the proposed rezoning petition is consistent with the County's Comprehensive Plan as the site is designated as general agriculture which may allow for limited residential development. Therefore, staff recommends the committee report favorably on the town rezoning petition.

### **Dodge County Land Resources and Parks Committee Decision**

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW Based upon the facts presented in the application and by the County staff, the committee concludes that:
Does the application contain sufficient information necessary to make a decision on the Town rezoning petition?
☐ Yes ☐ No - The following additional information is required: ————————————————————————————————————
Is there sufficient evidence in the record to show that the town has followed the proper procedures in order to recommend approval of the town rezoning petition?
Yes – According to the information on record in this matter, the Town has followed the proper procedures in order to approve the Town rezoning petition;

No; based on the information submitted with the application, it appears that the town did not

follow the proper procedures in approving the rezoning petition.

Comments

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Vote Dale Macheel Donna Maly Ben Priesgen Dan Siegmann Mary Bobholz – Chair	☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes	☐ No ☐ No ☐ No ☐ No ☐ No	☐ Abstain ☐ Abstain ☐ Abstain ☐ Abstain ☐ Abstain ☐ Abstain	☐ Not Present	
Motion (Carried / Denied) Dodge County Land Resources a	ind Parks Con	nmittee			
SignedChairperson		_ Attest	Secretary		
Dated:					
Filed					

#### **RESOLUTION #**

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF DODGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN MEMBERS:

WHEREAS, Dodge County, a Body Corporate under the laws of the State of Wisconsin, had adopted a comprehensive zoning ordinance which is in full force and effect, and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Theresa has adopted a Town Zoning Ordinance for said town, the power to adopt a Town Zoning Ordinance having been granted by a referendum vote of the electors of the Town of Theresa held at the time of a regular annual town meeting, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 60.62(3) of the Wisconsin Statutes adoption and amendment of a town zoning ordinance by a town board is subject to approval of the county board in counties having a zoning ordinance in force and effect, and

WHEREAS, a public hearing as to the proposed amendment to the Town Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Theresa was held by the Town Plan Commission of the Town of Theresa on November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022, the proposed amendment to the zoning ordinance of the Town of Theresa having been adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Theresa on December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the amendment to Section 2.6 of the Town Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Theresa as represented by the attached page and made a part of this resolution be and hereby is approved, by the Board of Supervisors of Dodge County, Wisconsin.

All of which is respectfully submitted this 6 day of December, 2022.

Dodge County Board Supervisor





## TOWN OF THERESA PLAN COMMISSION November 30, 2022

The November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022 meeting of the Plan Commission was called to order by Chairman Jim Krieger at 8:00 p.m. Other board members present were Todd Bodden, Dan Schmidt, Dan Duthie, Rick Steger, Fred Fink, and Jeff Justman. The minutes from the October 12<sup>th</sup> Plan Commission meeting were read by the clerk. Rick Steger motioned to approve the minutes and Dan Duthie seconded. Motion carried (7 ayes).

Petitioner: Anthony Wulff

Owner: Anthony and James Wulff

Chairman Krieger read the Conditional Use application to create a 2 acre parcel from a 32.88 acre parcel. The property is in the A1 Farmland Preservation district and is located at N9308 Mohawk rd., Theresa, in tax key 042-1217-0144-002.

Anthony Wulff explained that his uncle was buying the house and he and his dad wanted to keep the farm buildings with 30.88 acres of land. There is enough space between the farm buildings and house to separate them. There are also existing separate driveways. Town of Theresa Zoning Ordinance sections 4.13 and 4.3 were read.

Vote: 7 Yes, 0 No

The Conditional Use application to create the parcels was approved.

Petitioner: JayVee Wulff Family Farms, LLC Owner: Anthony Wulff and James Wulff

Chairman Krieger read the Rezoning application to rezone the newly created 2 acre parcel from A-1 Farmland Preservation to A-2 General Agriculture. The remaining 30.88 acre parcel will stay as A-1 Farmland Preservation. Section 9.6 of the Town of Theresa Zoning Ordinance was reviewed.

Vote: 7 Yes, 0 No

The rezoning of 2 acres in tax key 042-1217-0144-002 from A-1 Farmland Preservation to A-2 General Agriculture was approved.

Diane Koch, who has been leading the Comprehensive Planning Committee, presented the draft version of the updated Town of Theresa Comprehensive Plan. Each of the chapters was reviewed and changes were discussed.

Rick Steger motioned to adjourn the meeting and Todd Bodden seconded the motion. Motion carried (7 yes, 0 no). The meeting was duly adjourned at 9:35 pm.

Respectfully Submitted, Diane Steger



#### **DODGE COUNTY** LAND RESOURCES & PARKS DEPARTMENT

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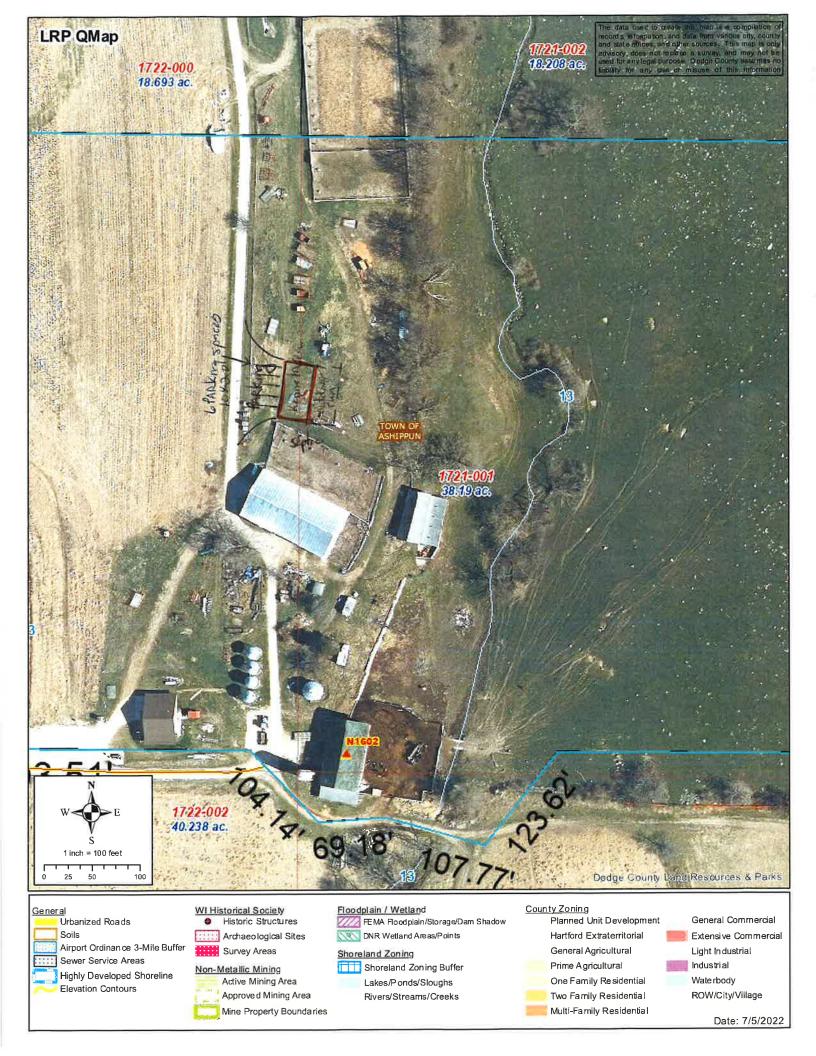
## **CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION**

THIS AREA FOR	OFFICE USE ONLY
Activity No.	Permit Issued Date
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Application Date:	Receipt.#: 79 - 0005
7-5-2022	Sanitary Permit #:

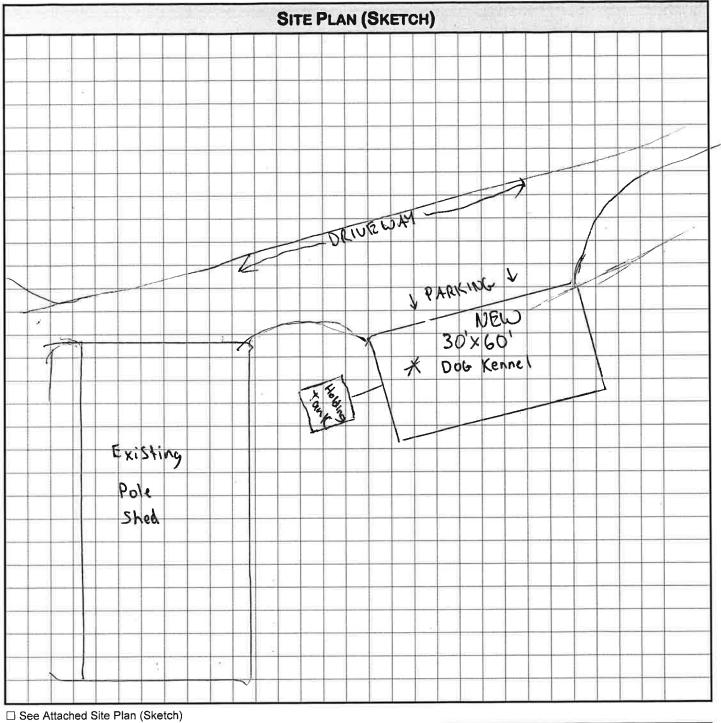
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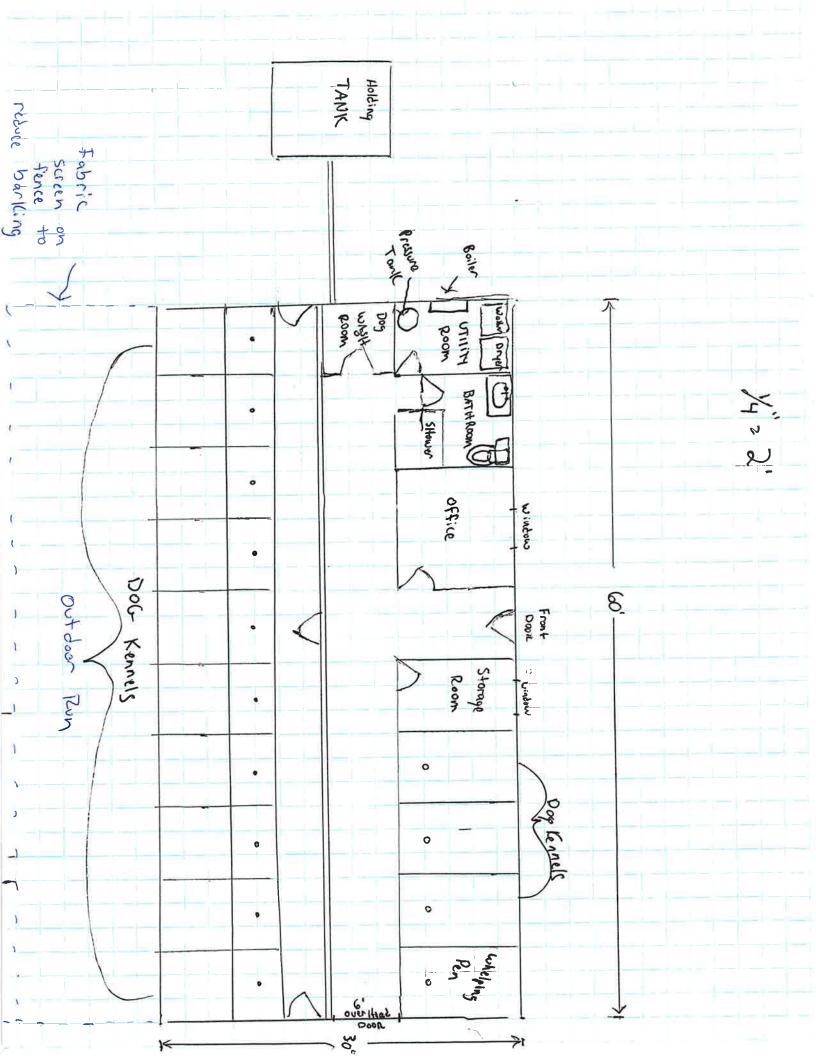
Please complete page 1 and 2 of this application form and submit the application form with all of the required information listed in the "Application Checklist" for your project. PRINT OR TYPE. Use blue or black ink, do not use pencil. The Dodge County Land Resources and Parks Department will not consider your application unless you complete and submit this application form, the applicable information listed in the "application checklist" for your proposed project and the application fee. Personally identifiable information on this form will pad be used for any other purpose, but it must be made available to requesters under Wisconsin's open records law [s.19.31-19.39, Wis, Stats.].

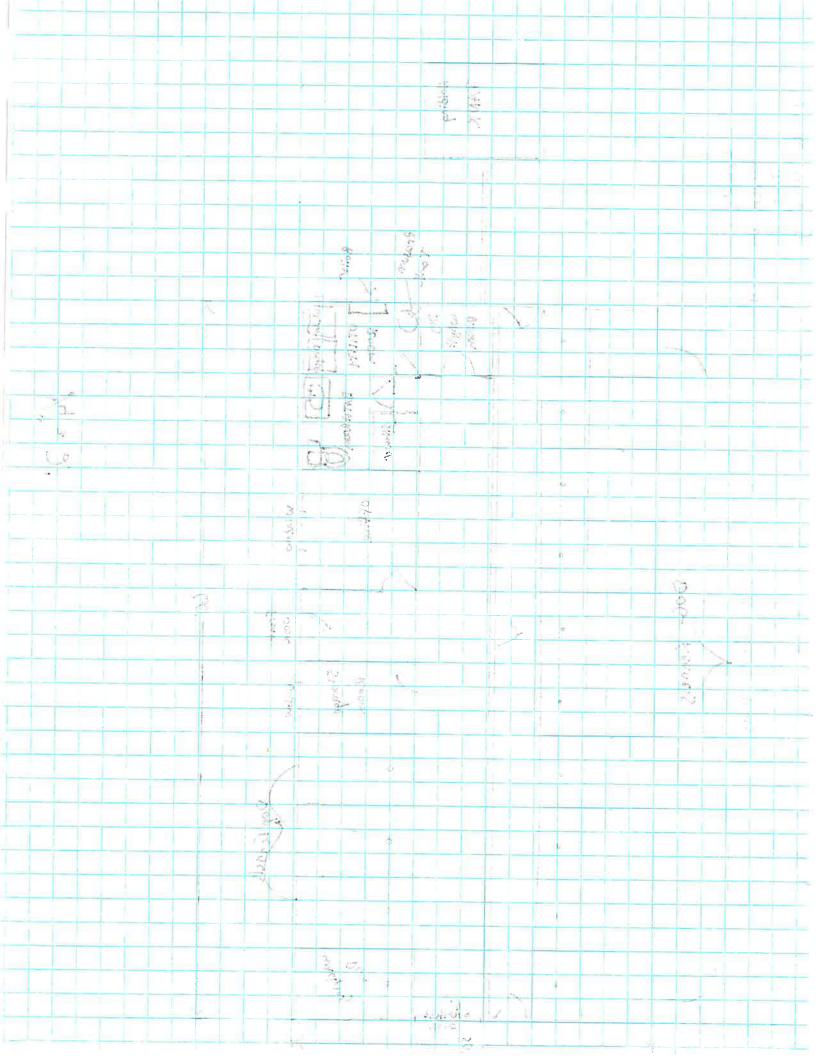
(1) NAMES & MAILING ADDRE	ESSES (2) PROPERTY DESCRIPTION	
Applicant (Agent) Ody Kehl	Parcel Identification Number (PIN)	
Street Address  W3797 Strange Rd  City · State · ZipCode	Town T N R  A Shippun 69 /7  1/4 Section Acreage Lot (Block)	
Iron Ridge WI 53035	5 NE Pho 17 38	
Property Owner (If different from applicant)  Jody 4 Tincthy Kehl  Street Address	Subdivision or CSM (Volume/Page/Lot)  Address Of Property (DO NOT Include City/State/ZipCode)	
w 2365 Clereland Rd		
Neosho WI 53059	Is this property connected to public sewer? ☐ Yes 🗹 No	
(3) PROPERTY USE	(4) PROPOSED PROJECT	
Current Use Of Property		
☐ Vacant Property	□ Non-Farm Residential Lot □ Single Family Residence	
☐ Single-Family Residential	☐ Two-Family Residence ☐ Multi-Family Residence	
Active-Working Farm Operation	☐ Tavern or Restaurant ☐ Professional Office	
☐ Business • Industrial • Commercial • (Describe t	below) □ Non-Metallic Mine/Quarry □ Wind Tower	
Other	Create/Expand Business ☐ Wildlife Pond > 2-acres	
☐ Wireless Communications Tower		
DNR Notice   □ Contractor's Offices and Storage Yards		
DNR NOTICE: You are responsible for complying with State and Federal laws concerning construction on or near wetlands, lakes and streams. Wetlands that are not associated with open water can be difficult to identify. Failure to comply may result in removal or modification of construction that violates the law or other penalties or costs. For more information, visit the Department of Natural Resources Wetlands Identification Web Page (www.dnr.state.wi.us) or contact a Department of Natural Resources Service Center.		
	(5) CERTIFICATE	
I, the undersigned, hereby apply for a Conditional Use Permit and certify that all the information both above and attached is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I affirm that I have read the DNR Notice shown above. I affirm that all work performed will be done in accordance with the Dodge County Land Use Code and with all other applicable laws and regulations. I hereby authorize members of the Dodge County Land Resources and Parks Department to enter the above-described property for purposes of obtaining information pertinent to my application request and to conduct land use code inspections.  Signature  Daytime Contact Number (90) 387 - 1545		
AREA BELOW THIS LINE FOR OFFICE USE ONLY		
PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT & PARKS COMMITTEE ACTION		
Date of Decision	Decision	
APPROVED CONDITIONS	Land Resources and Parks Department	
☐ Denied	Date:	





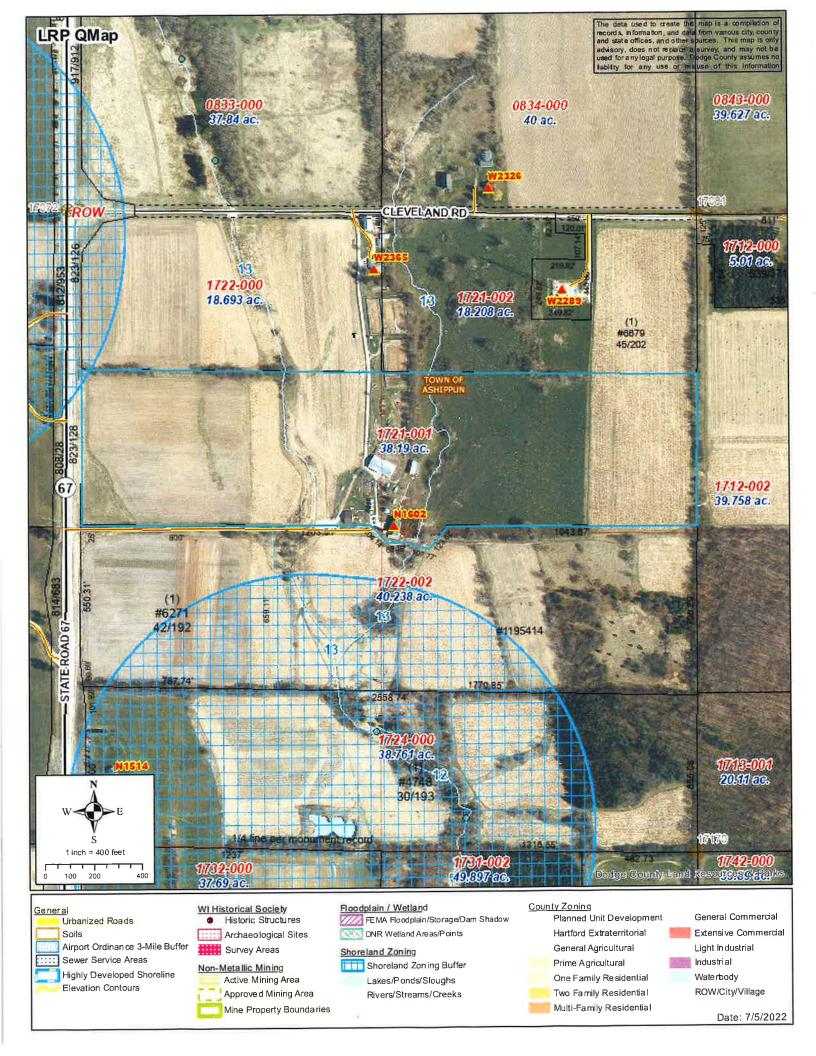






## Dog Kennel

- Jody Kehl W3797 Strange Re Iron Ridge WI 53035 920:382-1545
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- 3 part time employees
- lighting will be flush mount soffit LED lighting
- 3000 gal Holding Tank
- All dog waste from Kennel will be directed to holding tank
- No Hazardous waste
- will use floor cleaners or sanitizers
- Dogs will have an outdoor run while will be screened to help reduce banking.
- Will also use anti banking methods in facility
  to elimanate most noise, (bank collars, misters, etc.)
- Maximum 15 dogs
- Outdoor dog run screened to reduce banking
- 6 car parking space
- Normal operating hours 8 am 4 pm





Industry Services Division 4822 Madison Yards Way Madison, WI 53705 P.O. Box 7302 Madison, WI 53707

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Sanitary Permit Application

Project Address (if different than mailing address) N1602 Hwy 67 Neosho wi 53059

purposes in accordance with the Privacy Law, s. 15.04(1)(m), Stats. I. Application Information - Please Print All Information e Creek Bame Preserve LLC / Jody Kehl

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City, State		Zip Code	Phone Number
Neosho	WI	53059	920382-1545

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Subdivision Name		

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Public/Commercial – Describe Use	Kennel-Canine

	City of
CSM Number	Village of

Transfer to New Owner

Village of	
Town of	Ashippon

List Previous Permit Number and Date Issued

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V. Responsibility Statement- I, the undersigned, assume responsibility for installation of the POWTS shown on the attached plans. Plumber's Name (Print) Plumber's Signature

MP/MPRS Number **Business Phone Number** 

teilbach Plumber's Address (Street, City, State, Zip Code)

W5674 State Juneau W1 53039

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## Land Resources and Parks Department Staff Report

County Conditional Use Permit Application # 2022-0559

Filing Date: July 5, 2022

Hearing Date: January 23, 2023

#### Applicant (Agent):

Jody Kehl/ Cackle Creek Game Preserve LLC W3797 Strange Road Iron Ridge, WI 53035

#### Owner:

Jody Kehl/ Cackle Creek Game Preserve LLC W3797 Strange Road Iron Ridge, WI 53035ame and address

#### Location

PIN# 002-0917-1721-001

Location: Part of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼, Section 17, T9N, R17E, Town of Ashippun, the site address being N1602 State Highway 67.

#### **Applicants Request**

An application for a County Conditional Use Permit under the Dodge County Land Use Code, was made by the applicant to allow the establishment of a kennel facility within the A-2 General Agricultural Zoning District. The operation of a kennel was not part of the original Conditional Use Permit for the game farm that is currently being operated on the property.

#### **Project Details**

An application for a County Conditional Use Permit under the Dodge County Land Use Code, was made by the applicant to allow the establishment of a kennel facility within the A-2 General Agricultural Zoning District. The applicant is proposing 60' x 30' kennel to house a maximum 15 dogs. Each dog is to have their own outdoor run visually screened to reduce barking. Anti-barking methods will be utilized indoors as well in the form of bark collars or misters. Three part time employees are proposed. Six parking spaces are proposed. Operating hours are proposed to be 8 am. to 4 pm. The kennel may be open up to 7 days of the week, depending on client's need.

A 4000 gallon holding tank has been permitted and all dog waste will go into it. A local State licensed waste hauler has been contracted to haul away and process and dispose of the waste.

The current game farm operation provides pheasants, chukars and bobwhite quail for clients to hunt on their property. Most birds are raised on site. The game farm is open every day except Tuesday. The kennel services will be in addition to the game farm services.

#### **County Jurisdiction**

The County has Zoning Jurisdiction over this site as the Town of Ashippun has adopted the County's Land Use Code.

The County has Shoreland Jurisdiction over a portion of this farm, but not this particular lot.

• The proposed lot is not designated as wetlands.

#### **Review Criteria**

1. Subsections 2.3.6.A through 2.3.6.H of the Land Use Code details procedural matters, the approval criteria and the form for the conditional use permit application. The Committee shall authorize the Land Use Administrator to issue a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) for conditional uses after review and a public hearing, provided that such conditional uses or structure are found to be in accordance with the purpose and intent of this Code and the approval criteria provided in Section 2.3.6.F and are found not to be hazardous, harmful, offensive, or otherwise adverse to the environment or the value of the area.

#### **Land Use Code Provisions:**

1. Section 3.6 and Table 3.6-1 of the Land Use Code identifies "Kennels" as a conditional use in the A-2, General Agriculture Zoning District.

#### **Purpose Statement**

The purpose of the A-2 General Agricultural Zoning District is to promote areas for agriculture which are transitional, allowing for expansion of urban areas limited to rural residential development, and the conversion of agricultural land to other related uses, subject to appropriate standards.

#### **Physical Features of Site**

The features of the proposed construction and property that relate to the granting or denial of the conditional use permit request are as follows:

The County has Zoning Jurisdiction over this site as the Town of Ashippun has adopted the County's Land Use Code. The site is located within the A-2, General Agriculture Zoning District.

The County has Shoreland Jurisdiction over a portion of 155 acre farm, but not on the lot of the proposed kennel.

No portions of the farm are designated as wetlands.

The proposed kennel is not located within the County's Floodplain jurisdiction.

The proposed kennel is 900' from the closest property line and 1030' to the closest neighboring house.

The topography of the 155 acre site is rolling with slopes ranging from 6-30%;

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Land Use, Site: Agricultural	
Land Use, Area: Agricultural with scattered resider	nces along STH 67 and Cleveland Road.
Designated Archaeological Site: Yes	No 🗌
Town Recommendation: Approve	Deny No recommendation submitted

#### STAFF ADVISORY:

This staff advisory is only advice to the Land Resources and Parks Committee. The Committee may or may not consider the advice of the staff and decision making authority is vested in the Committee only.

The staff has reviewed the proposal for compliance with the criteria listed in Sections 2.3.6.F. The staff comments are listed in Exhibit A for review by the committee.

It is the staff's position that the project is in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Dodge County Land Use Code and the staff believes that the Committee can make the findings necessary under Section 2.3.6.F of the code that are required to approve the Conditional Use Permit for this project. If approved with the following conditions, the staff believes that the project will not have an adverse effect on the adjacent land owners, the community or the environment and the proposal will be consistent with the purpose and intent of the Code.

#### **CONDITIONS:**

- 1. It shall be the responsibility of the applicant to obtain the required County land use and sanitary permits and approvals that may be required for the proposed project prior to beginning construction and prior to housing shelter animals on this site.
- 2. The kennel shall be conducted without offensive noise, vibration, dust, smoke, odor, glare, lighting or the risk of fire, explosion or other accident and shall not be detrimental to the public health, safety or general welfare of the immediate neighborhood or community.
- 3. In the event that noise or odor problems or any other objectionable influence associated with the dog kennel facility arise, this permit shall be subject to review by the Land Resources and Parks Committee. The Committee may attach additional conditions that it deems necessary to mitigate said noise, odor or other objectionable influences to the maximum extent practicable.
- 4. Any significant change to the proposed kennel facility on this site, any future expansion or any significant change to the site plan submitted with the application may require that a new conditional use permit be issued.
- 5. The decision of the Committee shall expire one year after the decision is filed with the Department unless construction has been diligently pursued, a Certificate of Zoning Compliance has been issued, the use is established, or the Conditional Use Permit is renewed, for a period not to exceed one year.
- 6. The Conditional Use Permit shall also expire upon termination of a project or if the rights granted by the permit are discontinued for 180 consecutive days.

#### **EXHIBIT A**

#### **Staff Review Comments**

The staff has reviewed the proposal for compliance with the criteria listed in Section 2.3.6.F of the code. The staff comments are as follows:

- **2.3.6.F.2** Is the project compatible with adjacent uses in terms of scale, site design, operating characteristics (hours of operation, traffic generation, lighting, noise, odor, dust, and other external impacts);
  - It is the staff's position that if the project is constructed in compliance with the development standards of the code, the proposal will be compatible with the adjacent uses;
- 2.3.6.F.3 Will the proposed use be significantly detrimental to the public health, safety, and welfare?
  - It is the staff's position that if the project is constructed in compliance with the development standards
    of the code, the proposal will not have a significant detrimental impact on the adjacent properties or the
    community;
- **2.3.6.F.4** Will the project cause substantial diminution in value of other property in the neighborhood in which it is to be located;
  - It is the staff's position that the project will not have an adverse impact on the value of other property in the area;
- **2.3.6.F.5** Are public safety, transportation and utility facilities and services available to serve the subject property while maintaining sufficient levels of service for existing development?
  - It is the staff's position that there are adequate public facilities to serve the property;
- **2.3.6.F.6** Are there adequate assurances of continuing maintenance for the project?
  - It is the staff's position that the assurances that continued maintenance for the project is adequate.
- **2.3.6.F.7** Will any significant adverse impacts on the natural environment be mitigated to the maximum practical extent?
  - It is the staff's position that any adverse impacts on the natural environment will be mitigated to the maximum practical extent through the use of bark mitigation measures inside and outside of the kennel.
- **2.3.6.F.8** The proposed use will not be located in any hazard areas, including floodplains, floodways, etc., unless any potential danger is mitigated to the maximum extent possible, and to the satisfaction of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources;
  - It is the staff's position that the proposed use will not be located in any hazard areas, including floodplains, floodways, etc.
- **2.3.6.F.1** Does the proposed project comply with all applicable provisions of this Code;
  - It is the staff's position that the proposed project complies with the applicable provisions of the code.

#### **Dodge County Land Resources and Parks Committee Decision**

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#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Based on the facts presented in the application and at the public hearing the Committee concludes that:

#### 2.3.6.F General Approval Criteria for Conditional Use Permits

Conditional Use Permits shall be approved by the Committee if they find that all of the following criteria have been met:

**2.3.6.F.2** Is the project compatible with adjacent uses in terms of scale, site design and operating characteristics? (hours of operation, traffic generation, lighting, noise, odor, dust, and other external impacts);

	If not, what measures can be taken to mitigate any potential conflicts?
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(Yes/	No)

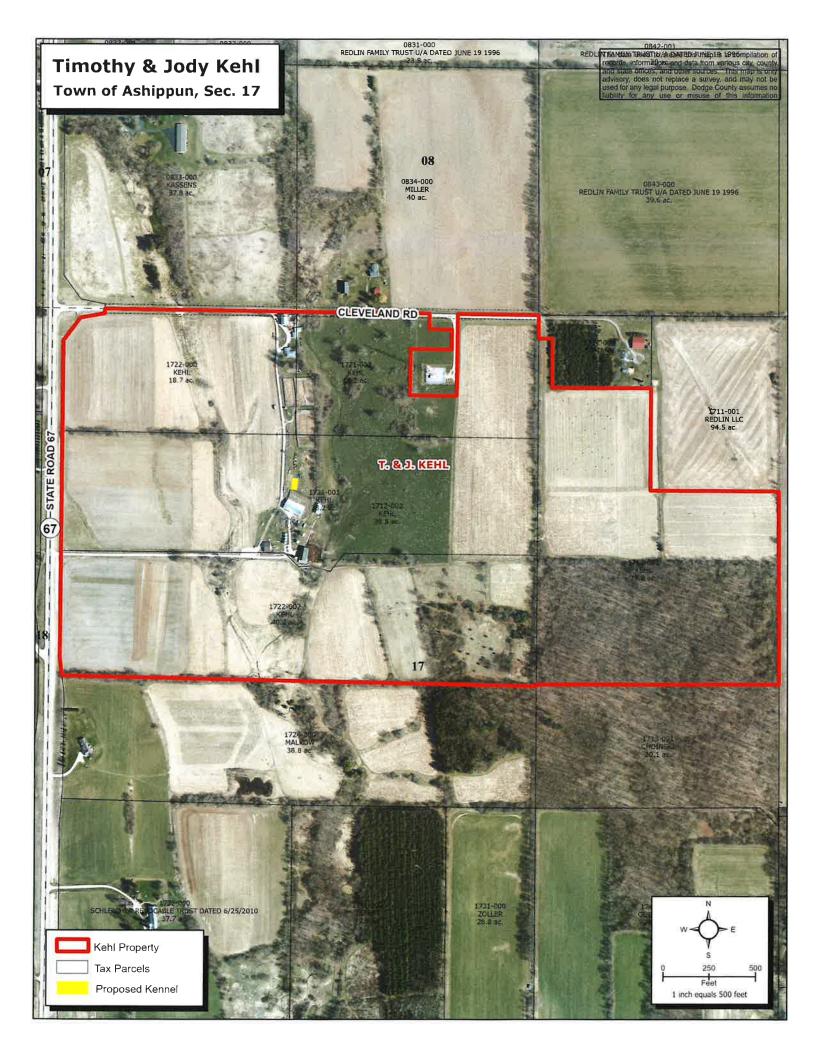
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<b>2.3.6.F.4</b> Will the project can it is to be located;	ause a substantial decrease in value of other property in the ne	ighborhood in which
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	ty, transportation and utility facilities and services available to sufficient levels of service for existing development?	o serve the subject
(Yes / No / Not Appli If not, what c	icable) can be done to ensure facilities and services will be available?	
(Yes / No/ Not Applic	cable) neasures can be taken to ensure continued maintenance?	
2.3.6.F.7 Will there be any	significant adverse impacts on the natural environment that req	uire mitigation?
(Yes / No) If yes, what new ironment?	measures can be taken to mitigate the potential adverse impact: ?	s on the
	ated in any hazard areas? (floodplains, floodways, steep slopes,	, etc)
(Yes / No) If yes, are the	ere any measures that need to be taken to mitigate any potentia	al dangers?

2.3.6.F.1 Does the proposed project comply with all applicable provisions of this Code?
(Yes / No)  If not, what changes must be made to bring the project into compliance with the code?
Are any conditions for approval needed in this case to mitigate any potential adverse impacts on the adjacent properties, the environment or the community?
(Yes/No)
<ol> <li>It shall be the responsibility of the applicant to obtain the required County land use and sanitary permits and approvals that may be required for the proposed project prior to beginning construction and prior to housing shelter animals on this site.</li> <li>The kennel shall be conducted without offensive noise, vibration, dust, smoke, odor, glare, lighting or the risk of fire, explosion or other accident and shall not be detrimental to the public health, safety or general welfare of the immediate neighborhood or community.</li> <li>In the event that noise or odor problems or any other objectionable influence associated with the dog kennel facility arise, this permit shall be subject to review by the Land Resources and Parks Committee. The Committee may attach additional conditions that it deems necessary to mitigate said noise, odor or other objectionable influences to the maximum extent practicable.</li> <li>Any significant change to the proposed kennel facility on this site, any future expansion or any significant change to the site plan submitted with the application may require that a new conditional use permit be issued.</li> <li>The decision of the Committee shall expire one year after the decision is filed with the Department unless construction has been diligently pursued, a Certificate of Zoning Compliance has been issued, the use is established, or the Conditional Use Permit is renewed, for a period not to exceed one year.</li> <li>The Conditional Use Permit shall also expire upon termination of a project or if the rights granted by the permit are discontinued for 180 consecutive days.</li> </ol> Others
Does the committee believe that the Conditional Use Permit Request meets the approval criteria in Section 2.3.6.F of the County Land Use Code? (Yes / No)
Motion byto approve the conditional use permit request based upon the previously mentioned findings and conditions.
Motion second

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Dodge County	Land Resources and	Parks Comn	nittee			
Signed	Chairperson		Attest	Secretary		
Dated:			Filed:			



# Land Resources and Parks Department Staff Report

County Rezoning Petition # 2022-1003

Filing Date: December 15, 2022 Hearing Date: January 23, 2023

#### Applicant (Agent):

Stan Jones 818 N Church St. Watertown, WI 53098

#### Owner:

Wilcrest LLC W2252 Harver Ct. Brownsville, WI 53006

#### Location

PIN# 014-1013-2021-000

Part of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼, Section 20, Town of Elba, located along the south side of STH 60 approximately 900 feet west of the intersection of STH 60 and Ninabuck Road.

#### **Applicants Request**

The owner would like to sell this property in the future and potential buyers of the parcel have requested assurances from the County that the existing agricultural driveway access located along the east edge of this property can be upgraded to a residential access to allow access to the upland portion of this property for future residential use of the property. The existing agricultural driveway is designated as a wetland according to the Wisconsin Wetland Inventory Maps and the current shoreland protection ordinance provisions prohibit filling and grading within the wetland associated with the upgrade of this agricultural driveway to a residential driveway unless the driveway is removed from the wetland district.

A rezoning petition has been submitted by the applicant under the Dodge County Shoreland Protection Ordinance in order they be allowed to rezone an approximate 11' X 563' strip of land (0.142-acres) out of the wetland district in order to allow filling and grading of the agricultural driveway area that will be associated with the conversion of this agricultural driveway to a residential driveway. The proposed upgrade to the driveway is intended to provide residential access to the upland area on this lot.

#### **Review and Procedural Provisions**

- 1. Subsections 14.3(1) through 14.3(9) of the Dodge County Shoreland Protection Ordinance details the procedural matters, the approval criteria and the form for the petition. The Committee must hold a public hearing and report to the County Board.
- 2. Subsection 14.3(2) of the Ordinance states that a petition for rezoning may be made by any property owner in the area to be affected by the rezoning.
- 3. Subsection 14.3(9) of the Ordinance lists the approval criteria the committee must consider when acting on a rezoning petition.

#### **Shoreland Protection Ordinance Provisions**

Section 3.3 of the Dodge County Shoreland Protection Ordinance lists the permitted uses within the wetland district. According to Section 3.3(3)(a) of this Ordinance, filling and grading associated with the maintenance or construction of a road/driveway that is located within a wetland is only allowed for silvicultural or agricultural cultivation activities. According to this section, the construction and maintenance of roads which are

necessary to conduct silvicultural activities or agricultural cultivation, would be an allowed use within the wetland district provided that:

- The road cannot as a practical matter be located outside the wetland:
- The road is designed and constructed to minimize adverse impact upon the natural functions of the wetland enumerated in section 3.52;

Section 3.4 of the Ordinance deals with prohibited uses.

Per Section 3.4 Any use not listed in sections 3.31, 3.32 or 3.33 is prohibited, unless the wetland or portion of the wetland has been rezoned by amendment of this ordinance in accordance with section 3.5 of this ordinance and s. 59.69(5)(e), Wis. Stats.

According to Section 3.5(2) of the Ordinance, a wetland, or a portion thereof, in the shoreland-wetland district shall not be rezoned if the proposed rezoning may result in a significant adverse impact upon any of the following:

- (a) Storm and flood water storage capacity;
- (b) Maintenance of dry season stream flow, the discharge of groundwater to a wetland, the recharge of groundwater from a wetland to another area, or the flow of groundwater through a wetland;
- (c) Filtering or storage of sediments, nutrients, heavy metals or organic compounds that would otherwise drain into navigable waters;
- (d) Shoreline protection against soil erosion;
- (e) Fish spawning, breeding, nursery or feeding grounds;
- (f) Wildlife habitat; or
- (g) Wetlands both within the boundary of designated areas of special natural resource interest and those wetlands which are in proximity to or have a direct hydrologic connection to such designated areas as defined in NR 103.04 which can be accessed at the following web site: http://www.legis.state.wi.us/rsb/code/nr/nr103.pdf.

### **Purpose Statements**

The purpose of the wetland district is to maintain safe and healthful conditions, to prevent water pollution, to protect fish spawning grounds and wildlife habitat, to preserve shore cover and natural beauty and to control building and development in wetlands whenever possible. When development is permitted in a wetland district, the development should occur in a manner that minimizes adverse impacts upon the wetland.

#### **Physical Features of Site**

The features of the proposed construction and property that relate to the rezoning request are as follows:

The staff notes that a filling and grading project, which included the filling and grading on the surface of the agricultural driveway and the installation of a replacement culvert within the agricultural driveway, has already been completed on this site. The County has no records of any permits or approvals having been issued for this filling project by the County and the project would be considered a violation of the Shoreland Protection Ordinance. If the rezoning petition is approved by the County, the owner will be required to obtain the County, State, Federal and local permits and approvals that are required for the filling and grading project that has been completed for the filling and grading project.

The County has Zoning Jurisdiction over this site as the Town of Elba has adopted the County's Land Use Code.

• The site is located within the A-1 Prime Agricultural Zoning District;

The County has Shoreland Jurisdiction over this site as portions of the site are designated as wetlands on the Wetland Inventory Maps.

• Portions of the site are designated as wetlands;

The site is not located within the County's Floodplain jurisdiction.

The topography of the site is gently rolling with slopes ranging from 0%;

Land Use, Site: Agricultural and open space wetland recreational.

Land Use, Area: Agricultural with scattered residences along STH 60 and Oxbow Road.

Designated Archaeological Site: Yes ☐ No ☒

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- The road cannot as a practical matter be located outside the wetland;
- The road is designed and constructed to minimize adverse impact upon the natural functions of the wetland enumerated in section 3.52;

According to County records, the agricultural driveway first appeared on this site on the June 19, 1978 aerial photos. The County Shoreland-Wetland Zoning Ordinance and Wetland Inventory Maps were approved by the County on August 21, 1984. Therefore, according to the County records, the agricultural driveway was in existence prior to the adoption of the County's Wetland District regulations and has been maintained as an agricultural access driveway since the time of its installation.

Section 3.4 of the Ordinance deals with prohibited uses.

Per Section 3.4 Any use not listed in sections 3.31, 3.32 or 3.33 is prohibited, unless the wetland or portion of the wetland has been rezoned by amendment of this ordinance in accordance with section 3.5 of this ordinance and s. 59.69(5)(e), Wis. Stats. Filling and grading associated with the construction of a residential or commercial driveway is not listed as an allowed use within the wetland district, and is therefore prohibited by the Ordinance.

• It is therefore, the County's position that since the project area is located within a wetland district, the County would be prohibited from issuing a land use permit to allow a filling project that would be required to upgrade this driveway to a residential or commercial access unless the project area is rezoned out of the wetland zoning district.

The proposal is not consistent with the Dodge County Comprehensive Plan:

The area to be removed from the wetland is designated as conservancy according to the County's
Future Land Use Map. Crop harvesting and pasturing are recognized as acceptable activities in the
Conservancy category. Development should not occur within nor encroach on these areas other than
for open space preservation, conservation, or passive recreational purposes as may be allowed under
applicable zoning regulations.

#### **Wetland Delineation Report**

At the request of the owner, Ruekert & Mielke, Inc. conducted a wetland delineation within the designated driveway project area. The delineation was completed to determine the extent of the wetlands within the project area to allow for proposed upgrades to an existing farm filed access road. Based on the wetland delineation by Ruekert & Mielke, Inc., one wetland feature was identified within the project area as shown in Exhibit B. The proposed area to be removed from the wetland district is designated as an emergent /wet meadow wetland and grazed emergent meadow wetland.

According to the Report, Therean Stautz, the lead delineator and report author, is a Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) Assured Delineator. His work is not subject to concurrence review by the WDNR. It was also noted that per communication with United States Army Corp of Engineers (USACE) staff, requests for federal concurrence are not recommended unless the project will be associated with a wetland fill permit application. Wetlands and/or waterways are potentially subject to federal regulation under the jurisdiction of the USACE, state regulation under the jurisdiction of the WDNR, and local regulation under the County.

ARMY CORP Recommendation:	Approve	Deny 🗌	No recommendation submitted $\[ igspace \]$
DNR Recommendation:	Approve	Deny 🗌	No recommendation submitted $\boxtimes$

#### **DNR Notice Requirements**

In accord with Section 14.3(11) Shoreland Protection Ordinance

If the Department of Natural Resources notifies the Committee that a proposed text or map amendment to the shoreland-wetland district provisions of this Ordinance may have a significant adverse impact upon any of the criteria listed in this ordinance, the rezoning petition or amendment, if approved by the County Board, shall contain the following provision:

"This amendment shall not take effect until more than 30 days have elapsed after written notice of the County Board's approval of this amendment is mailed to the Department of Natural Resources. During that 30-day period the Department of Natural Resources may notify the County Board that it will adopt a superseding shoreland ordinance for the County under s. 59.692(6), Wis. Stats. If the Department of Natural Resources does so notify the County Board, the effect of this amendment shall be stayed until the adoption procedure is completed or otherwise terminated."

#### **STAFF ADVISORY:**

This staff advisory is only advice to the Land Resources and Parks Committee. The Committee may or may not consider the advice of the staff and decision making authority is vested in the Committee only.

The staff has reviewed the petition for compliance with the approval criteria listed in Section 14.3(9) and the staff comments are listed in Exhibit A for review by the committee.

It is the staff's position that the road/driveway cannot as a practical matter be located outside the wetland. Access to the upland area on this property is obtained over the existing agricultural access road/driveway. It is also the staff's position that since the agricultural driveway and the culvert were in existence prior to the adoption of the wetland ordinance regulations, and provided that the road/driveway project is restricted to the area of the existing road/driveway bed, the existing culvert is replaced with a culvert of the same size and is installed at the same elevation, and the applicant receives all of the applicable State, Federal and Local permits and approvals for the filling and grading project that was done on this site, the proposed development of this driveway and the upland site will not have a significant adverse impact upon surrounding properties or the natural environment, including air, water, noise, stormwater management, soils, wildlife, and wetland vegetation. Therefore, it is the staff's opinion that the committee will be able to make the findings necessary under Section 14.3(9) of the Ordinance in order to submit a favorable recommendation to the County Board to remove the project site from the wetland district.

#### **EXHIBIT A**

#### **Staff Review Comments – Rezoning Petition:**

The staff has reviewed the petition for compliance with the approval criteria listed in Section 14.3(9) of the Ordinance and the staff has the following comments:

#### 14.3(9)(a) Approval Criteria Rezoning Petition

In acting on a rezoning petition, the County Board of Supervisors shall consider the stated purpose of the Ordinance and shall approve the rezoning petition only if it finds that:

- (a) Adequate public facilities and services (including sewage and waste disposal, water, gas, electricity, schools, police and fire protection, and roads and transportation, as applicable) will be available to serve the subject property while maintaining adequate levels of service to existing development;
  - It is the staff's position that there are adequate public facilities and services to serve the residential use of this lot.
  - A soil test report has been filed for this property indicating that the upland area is suitable for a POWTS System.
  - Documentation has been submitted by Jerry Hepp Excavating. It is his opinion that the driveway in its current condition is suitable for a residential driveway.
  - Documentation has been submitted by Kraig Biefeld, fire chief for a fire department that provided coverage in Dodge County has inspected the driveway and they indicates that the driveway is suitable for emergency fire apparatus.
- (b) Provision of public facilities to accommodate development will not place an unreasonable burden on the ability of affected local units of government to provide them;
  - It is the staff's position that the proposed development project will not place an unreasonable burden on the ability of the Town to provide adequate public facilities or services provided the driveway to the proposed development site is constructed in accord with the applicable standards that will support residential and emergency vehicles;
- (c) The proposed development will not result in significant adverse impacts upon surrounding properties or the natural environment, including air, water, noise, stormwater management, soils, wildlife, and vegetation;
  - It is the staff's position that if the driveway and the culvert were in existence prior to the adoption of
    the wetland ordinance regulations, and provided that any new filling and grading project is done
    within the existing road/driveway bed, a culvert of the same size is replaced at the same elevation,
    and the applicant receives the applicable State, Federal and Local permits and approvals for the
    project, the proposed development will not result in significant adverse impacts upon surrounding
    properties or the natural environment, including air, water, noise, stormwater management, soils,
    wildlife, and vegetation
- (d) The land proposed to be removed from the wetland district is suitable for development and will not cause unreasonable soil erosion or have an unreasonable adverse effect on rare or irreplaceable natural areas;
  - It is the staff's position that the area to be rezoned for the potential residential driveway is suitable for development and if the land is developed in accord with the land use code provisions, the project will not cause unreasonable soil erosion;

- (e) The proposed rezoning is consistent with the Dodge County Comprehensive Plan and the stated purposes of this Ordinance;
  - It is the staff's position that the area to be removed from the wetland district is not consistent with the Dodge County Comprehensive Plan. The area to be removed from the wetland is designated as conservancy according to the County's Future Land Use Map. Crop harvesting and pasturing are recognized as acceptable activities in the Conservancy category. Development should not occur within nor encroach on these areas other than for open space preservation, conservation, or passive recreational purposes as may be allowed under applicable zoning regulations.
- (f) The proposed rezoning will not be used to legitimize, a nonconforming use or structure;
  - According to Section 3.4 of the Shoreland Protection Ordinance, any use not listed in sections 3.31, 3.32 or 3.33 is prohibited, unless the wetland or portion of the wetland has been rezoned by amendment of this Ordinance in accordance with Section 3.5 of this Ordinance and Section 59.69(5)€, Wis. Stats.
  - If the project area is rezoned, without meeting the criteria listed in Section 3.5(2) of the Ordinance, the rezoning would be used to legitimize a nonconforming use of the driveway.
- (g) The proposed rezoning is the minimum action necessary to accomplish the intent of the petition, and a variance, or Conditional Use Permit could not be used to achieve the same result.
  - It is the staff's position that the proposed rezoning is one of the steps necessary to accomplish the intent of the petition;
- (h) For all proposed rezoning petitions that will remove land from the wetland district the wetland or a portion thereof, in the shoreland-wetland district shall not be rezoned if the proposed rezoning may result in a significant impact upon any of the following:
  - (1) Storm and flood water storage capacity;
    - It is the staff's position that if the driveway and the culvert were in existence prior to the adoption of the wetland ordinance regulations, and provided that any new filling and grading project is done within the existing road/driveway bed, and a culvert of the same size is replaced at the same elevation, the stormwater and/or floodwater storage capacity of this wetland would not be changed significantly and would not result in a significant adverse impact upon the storm and flood water storage capacity of the wetland.
  - (2) Maintenance of dry season stream flow, the discharge of groundwater to a wetland, the recharge of groundwater from a wetland to another area, or the flow of groundwater through a wetland;
    - It is the staff's position that if the driveway and the culvert were in existence prior to the adoption of the wetland ordinance regulations and provided that any new filling and grading project is done within the existing road/driveway bed, and a culvert of the same size is replaced at the same elevation, the dry season stream flow, the discharge of groundwater to the wetland, the recharge of groundwater from a wetland to another area, or the flow of groundwater through the wetland would not be adversely affected by filling/maintaining the driveway bed area;
  - (3) Filtering or storage of sediments, nutrients, heavy metals or organic compounds that would otherwise drain into navigable waters;
    - It is the staff's position that the filtering and storage capacity of the wetland would not substantially affected by filling and grading of this existing agricultural driveway provided no new wetland area are filled.

- (4) Shoreline protection against soil erosion;
  - It is the staff's position that any county permits required for the filling and grading and culvert installation will be required to comply with the applicable shoreline protection and soil erosion standards of the code.
- (5) Fish spawning, breeding, nursery or feeding grounds;
  - It is the staff's position that if any new filling and grading project is done within the existing road/driveway bed, and a culvert of the same size is replaced at the same elevation, any existing fish spawning, breeding, nursery or feeding grounds would not be affected by the project.
- (6) Wildlife habitat; or
  - It is the staff's position that if any new filling and grading project is done within the existing road/driveway bed, and a culvert of the same size is replaced at the same elevation, wildlife habitat would not be affected by the project.
- (7) Wetland both within the boundary of designated areas of special natural resource interest and those wetlands which are in proximity to or have a direct hydrologic connection to such designated areas as defined in NR 103.04 which can be accessed at the following web site: http://www.legis.state.wi.us/rsb/code/nr/nr103.pdf.
  - It is the staff's position that if any new filling and grading project is done within the existing road/driveway bed, and a culvert of the same size is replaced at the same elevation, wildlife habitat would not be affected by the project.

#### **Dodge County Land Resources and Parks Committee Decision**

County Rezoning Petition # 2022-1003 Filing Date: December 15, 2022

Hearing Date: January 23, 2023

#### Applicant (Agent):

Stan Jones 818 N Church St. Watertown, WI 53098

#### Owner:

Wilcrest LLC W2252 Harver Ct. Brownsville, WI 53006

#### **Location**

PIN# 014-1013-2021-000

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#### **Applicants Request**

The owner would like to sell this property in the future and potential buyers of the parcel have requested assurances from the County that the existing agricultural driveway access located along the east edge of this property can be upgraded to a residential access to allow access to the upland portion of this property for future residential use of the property. The existing agricultural driveway is designated as a wetland according to the Wisconsin Wetland Inventory Maps and the current shoreland protection ordinance provisions prohibit filling and grading within the wetland associated with the upgrade of this agricultural driveway to a residential driveway unless the driveway is removed from the wetland district.

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#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Based upon the facts presented in the application and at the public hearing the committee concludes that:

#### 14.3(9) Approval Criteria – Rezoning Petition

(a) Are there adequate public facilities and services available to serve the subject property while maintain adequate levels of service to existing development? (sewage and waste disposal, water, gas, electric schools, police and fire protection, and roads and transportation, as applicable)	_
(Yes / No); Comments	

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(Yes / No); Comments		
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(d) Is the land	proposed for rezoning suitable for development?	
(Yes / No); Comments		
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(e) Is the proportion	posal consistent with the Dodge County Comprehensive Plan and the sta	ted purposed of this
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thereof, in the shoreland-wetland district shall not be rezoned if the proposed rezoning petitions that will remove land from the wetland district the thereof, in the shoreland-wetland district shall not be rezoned if the proposed rezoning significant impact upon any of the following:	-
(1) Will the proposed rezoning petition result in a significant adverse impact upon the storage capacity of the Wetland?	storm and flood water
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(2) Will the proposed rezoning petition result in a significant adverse impact upon the season stream flow, the discharge of groundwater to a wetland, the recharge of groundwater through a wetland?	
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(3) Will the proposed rezoning petition result in a significant adverse impact upon the sediments, nutrients, heavy metals or organic compounds that would otherwise drain into (Yes / No)	
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(4) Will the proposed rezoning petition protect the shoreline from soil erosion?	
( Yes / No ) Comments	_ _
(5) Will the proposed rezoning petition protect fish spawning, breeding, nursery or feeding	— ng grounds?
( Yes / No ) Comments	_ _
(6) Will the proposed rezoning petition protect wildlife habitat?	_
( Yes / No ) Comments	 
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(7) Will the proposed rezoning petition protect areas of special recreational, scenic or scientific interes including scarce wetland types?
( Yes / No ) Comments
<b>14.3(11)</b> Did the Department of Natural Resources notify the Committee that the proposed map amendmen to the shoreland-wetland district provisions of this code will have a significant adverse impact upon any of the criteria listed in Section 14.3(9) of this ordinance?
(Yes/No)
If yes, then the committee report to the County Board shall contain the following provision:
"This amendment shall not take effect until more than 30 days have elapsed after written notice of the Count Board's approval of this amendment is mailed to the Department of Natural Resources. During that 30-da period the Department of Natural Resources may notify the County Board that it will adopt a supersedin shoreland ordinance for the county under s. 59.692(6), Wis. Stats. If the Department of Natural Resource does so notify the County Board, the effect of this amendment shall be stayed until the adoption procedure is completed or otherwise terminated."
Does the application contain sufficient information necessary to make a decision on the rezoning petition?
Yes; No - the following additional information is needed before a decision can be made:
Committee Action
Based upon the facts presented in the application and at the public hearing, does the committee believe that the criteria in Section 14.3(9) can be met for this proposal?
( Yes / No )
Motion byto submit a (favorable / unfavorable) recommendation to the County Board of Supervisors on the rezoning petition as proposed.
Motion second
Vote         Dale Macheel       Yes       No       Abstain       Not Present         Donna Maly       Yes       No       Abstain       Not Present         Ben Priesgen       Yes       No       Abstain       Not Present         Dan Siegmann       Yes       No       Abstain       Not Present         Mary Bobholz – Chair       Yes       No       Abstain       Not Present
Motion (Carried / Denied)

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## **ORDER AND DETERMINATION – REZONING PETITION**

On the basis of committee:	of the above findings of fact, conclu	sions of law and the record in this rezoning matter, the
	proposed. An ordinance shall also	endation to the County Board on the rezoning petition as to be drafted effectuating the recommendation of the all be submitted to the Board for approval;
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		on the proposed petition and requested the applicant to regarding the wetland delineation report for this site;
Dodge County	/ Planning, Development and Parks	s Committee
Signed	Chairperson	Attest Secretary
Dated:		
Filed:		



# DODGE COUNTY LAND RESOURCES & PARKS DEPARTMENT 127 E. OAK STREET • JUNEAU, WI 53039

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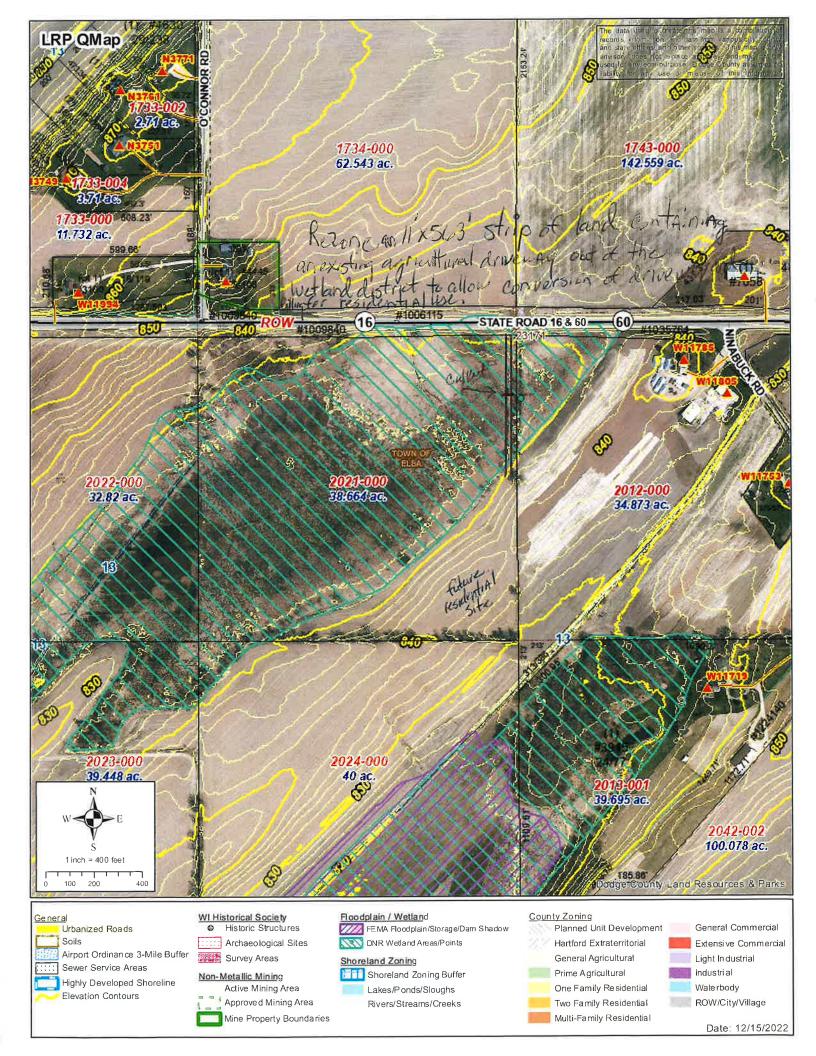
# **REZONING PETITION**

Names & Mailing Addresses	PROPERTY DESCRIPTION				
Petitioner (Agent)	Parcel Identification Number (PIN)				
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Property Owner (If different from petitioner)  W: Crest LLC (William Buskz)		CSM (Volume/P			
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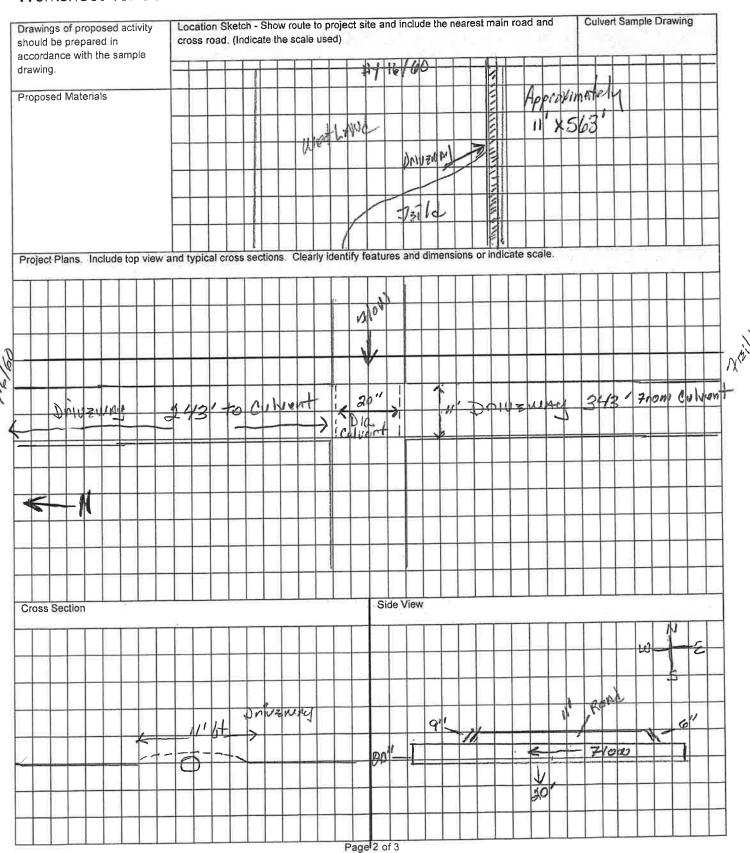
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This Supplemental Information Worksheet is to be used in conjunction with your County Wetland Rezoning application to document what work is being planned for the area to be rezoned out of the Wetland District.. This worksheet must be used if your project involves filling, dredging, or excavating within a wetland district.

Attach additional sheets if necessary

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Aerial photos may be obtained from our office or by using the County	y's "GIS Webmap Tool" (see Using the GIS Webmap Tool below)
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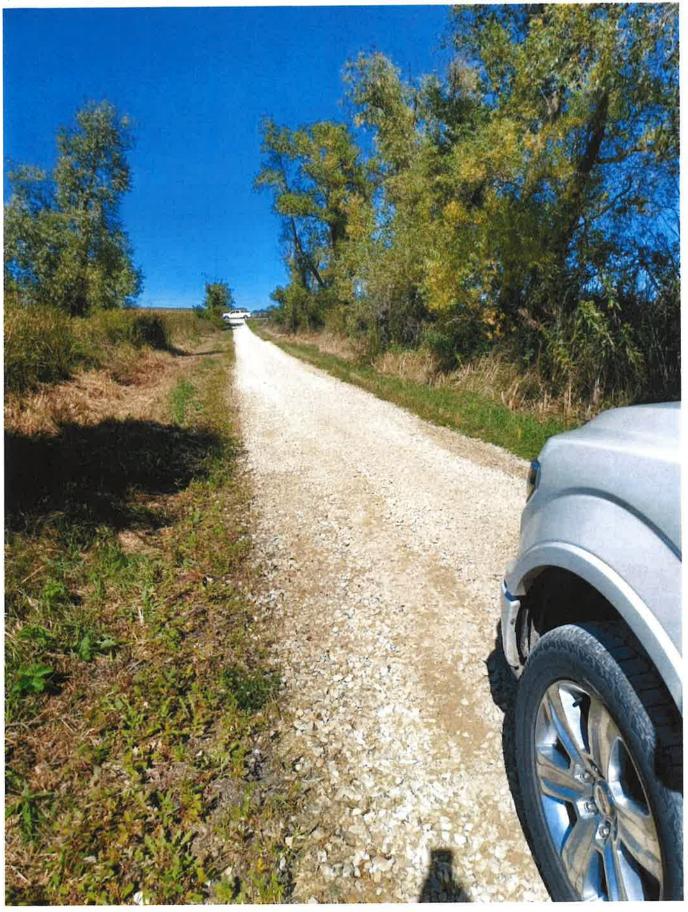
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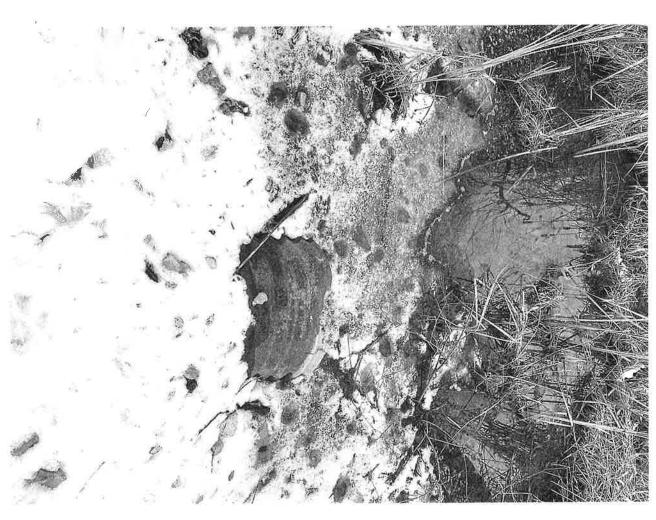








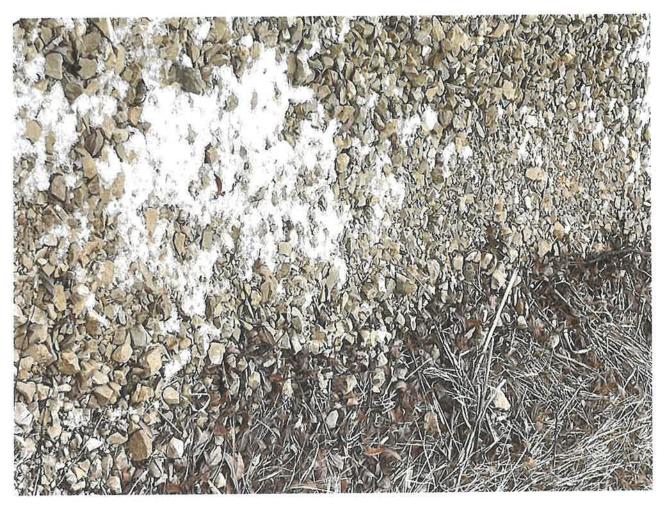
















**Hwy 16 Driveway Wetland Delineation Report** 

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# HWY 16 DRIVEWAY WETLAND DELINEATION REPORT

#### 1.0 Introduction and Statement of Qualifications

On behalf of Mr. William Buske, Ruekert & Mielke, Inc. (R/M) conducted a wetland delineation within a designated Project Area (Appendix A, Figure 1). The Project Area is approximately 0.9 acres and located in Section 20, Township 10N, Range 13E in the Town of Elba, Dodge County, Wisconsin.

The purpose of the wetland delineation was to determine the extent of wetlands within the Project Area for upgrades to an existing farm field access road. The wetland delineation field investigation was conducted by R/M ecologists Theran Stautz, PWS and Kaley DuCoeur on April 13, 2021. One wetland feature was identified within the Project Area: a wet meadow/sedge meadow/shallow marsh complex (Wetland  $1-32,037.3~{\rm ft}^2$ ) (Appendix A, Figure 2). Theran Stautz was the lead investigator for the wetland delineation and author of this report.

R/M staff have decades of experience providing client support for federal and state environmental permits, zoning and conditional use approvals, and background studies, surveys and data collection needed to achieve project objectives.

Theran Stautz is a Senior Ecologist with a B.S. degree in Natural Resources from the University of Wisconsin – Madison and has over 17 years of ecological experience conducting wetland delineations, monitoring, native habitat restoration, and forestry. He is a Professional Wetland Scientist (PWS) with the Society of Wetland Scientists, and a Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) Assured Wetland Delineator.

Kaley DuCoeur is a Senior Ecologist with a B.S. degree in Environmental Science from California University of Pennsylvania and has over 7 years of ecological field experience conducting native and invasive species surveys, native plant restorations, wetland restorations, storm water and erosion control device inspections, wetland delineations, and rare, threatened and endangered species surveys. She also performs project management of and compiles complex permitting for both linear and non-linear projects throughout Wisconsin, West Virginia, and Pennsylvania.

## 2.0 Methods

The work conducted for this wetland and waterway delineation was conducted in accordance with the guidelines of the 1987 Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual (Environmental Laboratory, 1987) and the Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Northcentral and Northeast Region (Version 2.0, 2012) and in general accordance with WDNR guidelines. National Wetland Indicator status and taxonomic nomenclature were prepared in accordance with The National Wetland Plant List (Version 3.4, 2018). National Wetland Indicator status was assigned in accordance with the Northcentral and Northeast Region. Indicators of hydric soil are based on the Field Indicators of Hydric Soils in the United States (Version 8.2, 2018). This report was prepared by R/M in general accordance with the guidelines set forth in the "Guidance for Submittal of Delineation Reports to the St. Paul District Corps of Engineers and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources" document, issued March 4, 2015.

#### 2.1 Desktop Review

Prior to conducting fieldwork, several resources were reviewed including the ESRI World Topographic Map (Appendix A, Figure 1), Contour Map (Appendix A, Figure 3), Wisconsin Wetland Inventory (WWI) and Waterways Map (Appendix A, Figure 4), Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) Soil Survey and Wetland Indicator Soils Map (Appendix A, Figure 5) and Aerial Photo Maps (Appendix A, Figures 6A-C).

The Antecedent Precipitation Tool (APT) and recent daily precipitation data were used to determine if antecedent hydrologic conditions at the time of the site visit were normal, wetter, or drier than the normal range (Appendix B).

The NRCS Web Soil Survey was used to generate a list of soil map units and all associated components occurring within the Project Area (Appendix C). This list was analyzed for soil map units and components that are hydric.

#### 2.2 Field Investigation

Sampling points were placed in areas exhibiting wetland and upland characteristics to document the presence and/or absence of wetlands and to provide support for the delineated wetland boundaries. At each sampling point, data were collected to document the vegetation, soil profile and hydric soil indicators, and wetland hydrology indicators.

In accordance with the National Wetland Plant List (Version 3.4, 2018), plant species were identified at each sample point. Wetland indicator status for each was assigned, as applicable: obligate wetland (OBL), facultative wetland (FACW), facultative (FAC), facultative upland (FACU), or upland (UPL). Soil pits were dug to the depth needed to document wetland hydrology and hydric soil indicators or confirm the absence of indicators. Soil color was determined using a Munsell soil color chart, and the soil pit was left open for at least a half hour to allow for the observation of wetland hydrology indicators.

Photos were taken of each sampling point and representative upland and wetland areas (Appendix D). Sampling point data was entered into the EcoBot wetland data collection application and data sheets for the Northcentral Northeast Regional Supplement were generated (Appendix E).

The wetland boundaries were delineated and staked using wire pin flags and/or flagging tape. Upland-wetland boundaries were evaluated in accordance with differences in the abundance of hydrophytic and non-hydrophytic vegetation, presence or absence of hydric soil indicators, presence or absence of hydrological indicators, topography, and professional judgement. A Trimble R2 survey -grade GPS unit with ESRI ArcGIS Field Maps was used to locate the wetland boundaries and sampling points.

## 3.0 Results

## 3.1 Desktop Review

The ESRI World Topographic Map (Figure 1) indicates the Project Area is located within Town of Elba, Dodge County. One contiguous wetland bisected by an access road is shown within the Project Area. The Dodge County two-foot contours indicate elevations ranging from 828 to 836 feet above sea level. The delineated wetland boundary occurs near the 830 foot contour.

The WDNR WWI indicates an emergent / wet meadow (E1K) and a grazed emergent / wet meadow (E1Kg) within the Project Area.

Aerial imagery was reviewed for the years 1999, 2006, 2013, 2015, 2017, and 2020. This review determined that the existing access road is located within a historical wetland. This wetland still exists to the east and west of the access road. The access road was constructed prior to 1999.

The APT determined that antecedent precipitation was normal. Precipitation for the 14 days prior to the April 13th site visit was 1.66 inches. Based on this analysis, the antecedent hydrologic conditions were within the normal range for this time of year.

## 3.2 Field Investigation

#### 3.2.1 Site Description

Based on the desktop review, areas with potential wetland indicators in the Project Area were evaluated in the field by R/M ecologists on April 13, 2021. No agency consultation or wetland delineations are on record for this Project Area.

The Project Area consists of an existing and recently improved access road, a culvert, the ingress/egress from the highway, wetland, and farmland. From north to south, the project area generally starts upland, drops into the wetland and then exits to upland. Precipitation of 1.25 inch was recorded within 48 hours prior to the site visit.

Five sampling points were established to document upland and wetland communities within the Project Area. One wetland feature was delineated within the Project Area: a wet meadow/sedge meadow/shallow marsh complex (Wetland  $1 - 32,037.3 \text{ ft}^2$ ).

#### 3.2.2 Uplands

Upland plant communities observed in the Project Area include mowed road right-of-ways, farm field edge, and access roads. Dominant vegetation includes reed canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*), Kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*), and bur oak (Quercus macrocarpa).

Normal circumstances are not present at the Sampling Point 1 and 5. Sampling Point 1 is regularly mowed and Sampling Point 5 is within an upland field edge and access road. Wetland hydrology was present at Sampling Point 1, which may be due to recent rain fall. Hydric soil indicators were not observed at either upland sampling point.

## 3.2.3 Wetlands

#### Wet Meadow / Sedge Meadow / Shallow Marsh Complex

The delineated wetland is approximately 0.74 acres in size (within the project area). The wetland is mapped by the WWI as emergent/wet meadow wetland and grazed emergent/wet meadow wetland. Sampling Points 2, 3 and 4 are located within the wetland.

The dominant vegetation at the sampling points within the wetland are reed canary grass, broom sedge (*Carex scoparia*), sawtooth sunflower (*Helianthus grosseserratus*), grey dogwood (*Cornus foemina*), fire cherry (*Prunus pensylvanica*), box elder (*Acer negundo*), and black willow (*Salix nigra*). The shallow marsh portion of the wetland is dominated by hybrid cattail (*Typha x glauca*).

Two primary (High Water Table and Saturation) and two secondary wetland hydrology indicators (Geomorphic Position and FAC-Neutral Test) are present at the sampling points.

The soil profiles meet the Thick Dark Surface and Loamy Mucky Mineral hydric soil indicators.

## 3.2.4 Wetland Susceptibility Per NR 151

Appendix F lists a professional opinion on wetland susceptibility, based on a request by the WDNR, to do so per revised NR 151 guidance (Guidance #3800-2015-02). Wetland 1 is *moderately* susceptible. Wetland susceptibility definitions can be found in Appendix F. Please note that the final determination of wetland susceptibility rests with the WDNR.

#### 4.0 Conclusions

Based on the wetland delineation completed by R/M, one wetland feature was identified within the Project Area: a wet meadow/sedge meadow/shallow marsh (Wetland  $1 - 32,037.3 \text{ ft}^2$ ).

Wetlands and/or waterways are potentially subject to federal regulation under the jurisdiction of the USACE, state regulation under the jurisdiction of WDNR, and local regulation under the jurisdiction of a county, town, city, or village. Earth-disturbing activities in a delineated wetland or below the Ordinary High-Water Mark of other aquatic resources may require USACE and WDNR permits, as well as local government permits. Waterways, when present, may be subject to Wis. Admin. Code Ch. NR 151 regulation.

Theran Stautz, lead delineator and report author, is a WDNR Assured Wetland Delineator. His work is not subject to concurrence review by the WDNR. Per communication with USACE staff, requests for federal concurrence are not recommended unless the project will be associated with a wetland fill permit application.

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Project Name Hwy 16 Driveway Site Location

Town of Elba, Dodge County

Project No. 5214-10000

Photo No.

Date

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Description

Sampling Point 2 on the left, Sampling Point 1 on the right. Viewing west along the wetland/ upland boundary.



Photo No. 0413211038a

4/13/2021

Date

Description

Looking south toward Sampling Point 1 (foreground), northern wetland boundary (pink flags), Sampling Point 2, and access road.





Project Name Hwy 16 Driveway

Site Location Town of Elba, Dodge County

Project No. 5214-10000

Photo No.

Date

0413211039 **HDR** 

4/13/2021

Description

Sampling Point 3, wet meadow/sedge meadow/shallow marsh complex. Viewing southwest.



Date Photo No.

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4/13/2021

Description

Recently installed culvert midway along access road, viewing southeast.



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Project Name Hwy 16 Driveway Site Location

Town of Elba, Dodge County

Project No. 5214-10000

Photo No.

Date

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4/13/2021

Description

Debris from recently installed culvert midway along access road, viewing east.



Photo No.	Date
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Description

Sampling Point 4., wet meadow/sedge meadow/shallow marsh complex. Viewing south. Upland and sampling point 5 in the background.





Project Name Hwy 16 Driveway Site Location

Town of Elba, Dodge County

Project No 5214-10000

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Sampling Point 5 (foreground), southern wetland boundary (pink flags), and access road. Viewing north.



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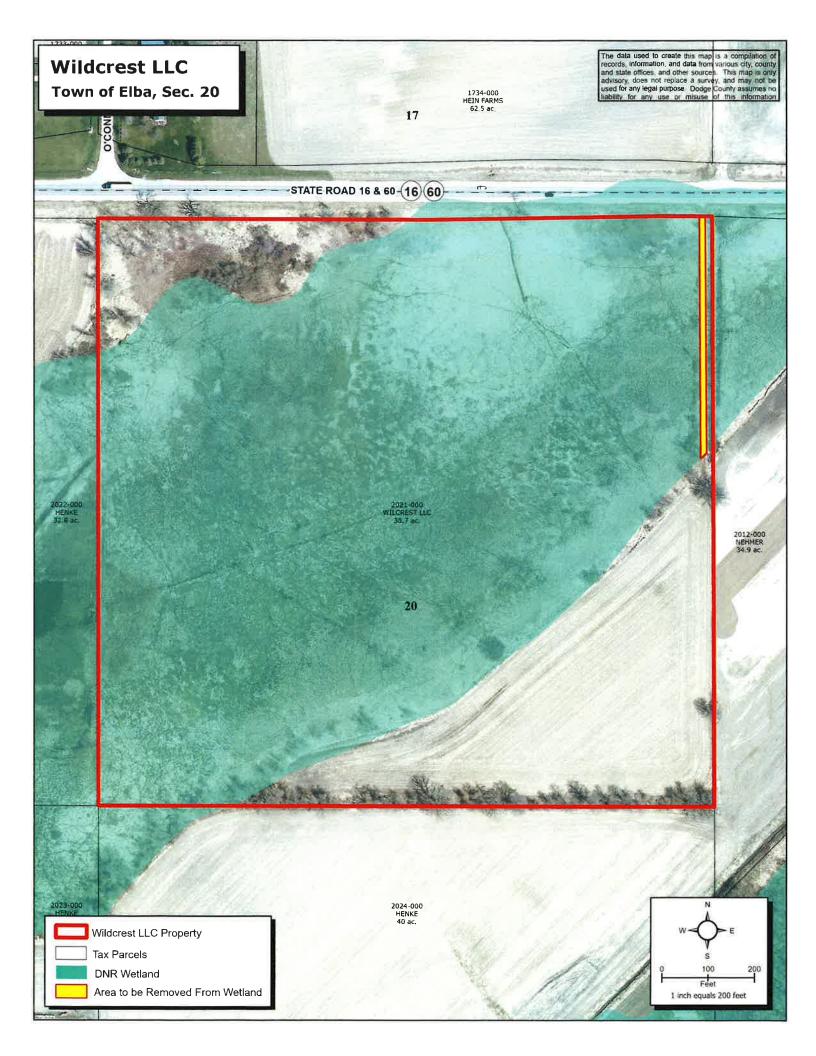
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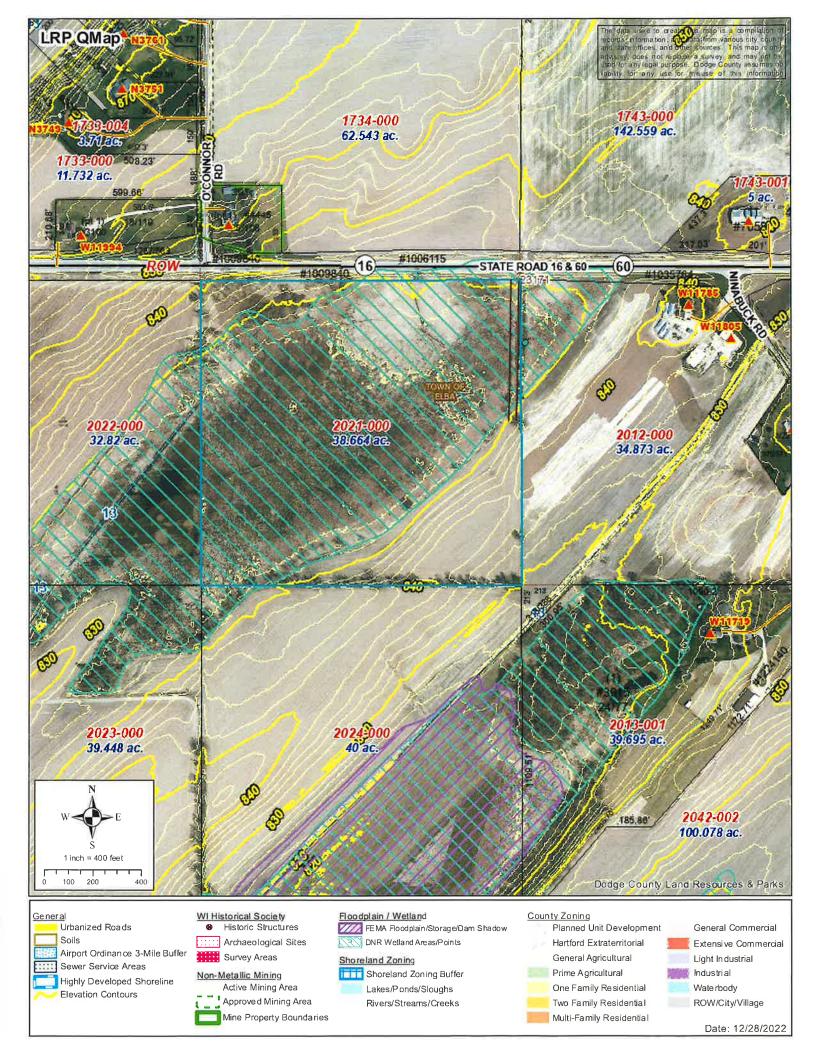
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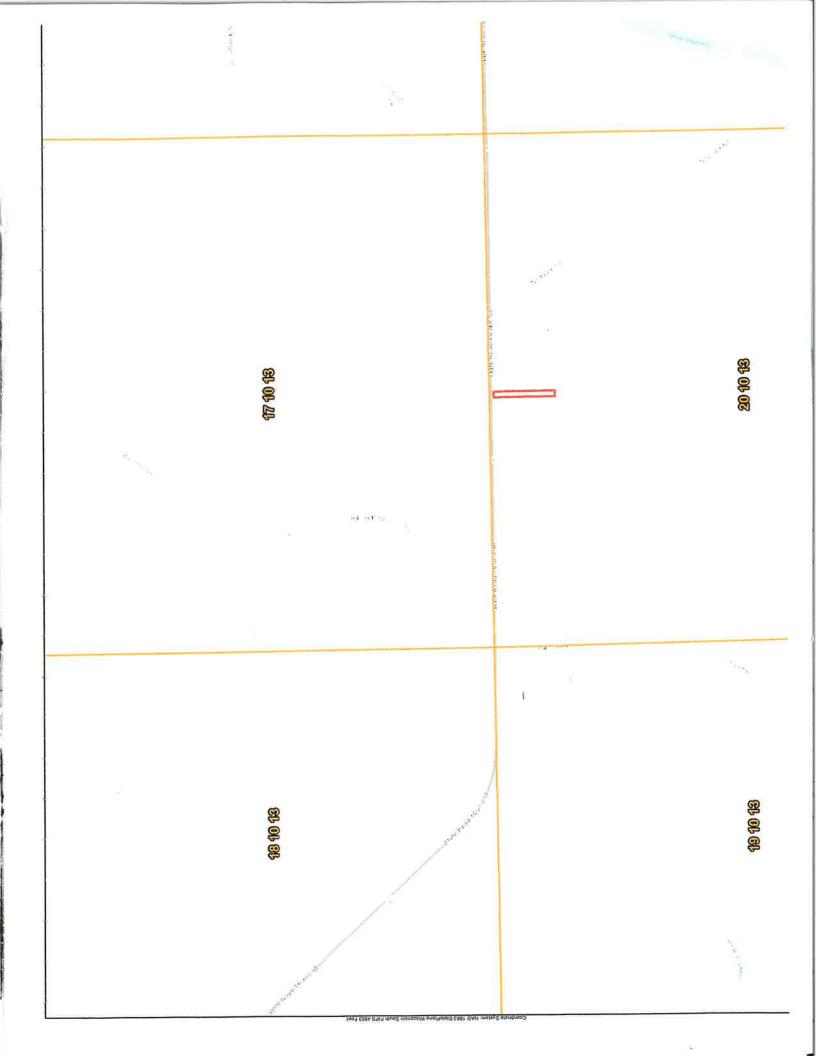


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Appendix A: Figures

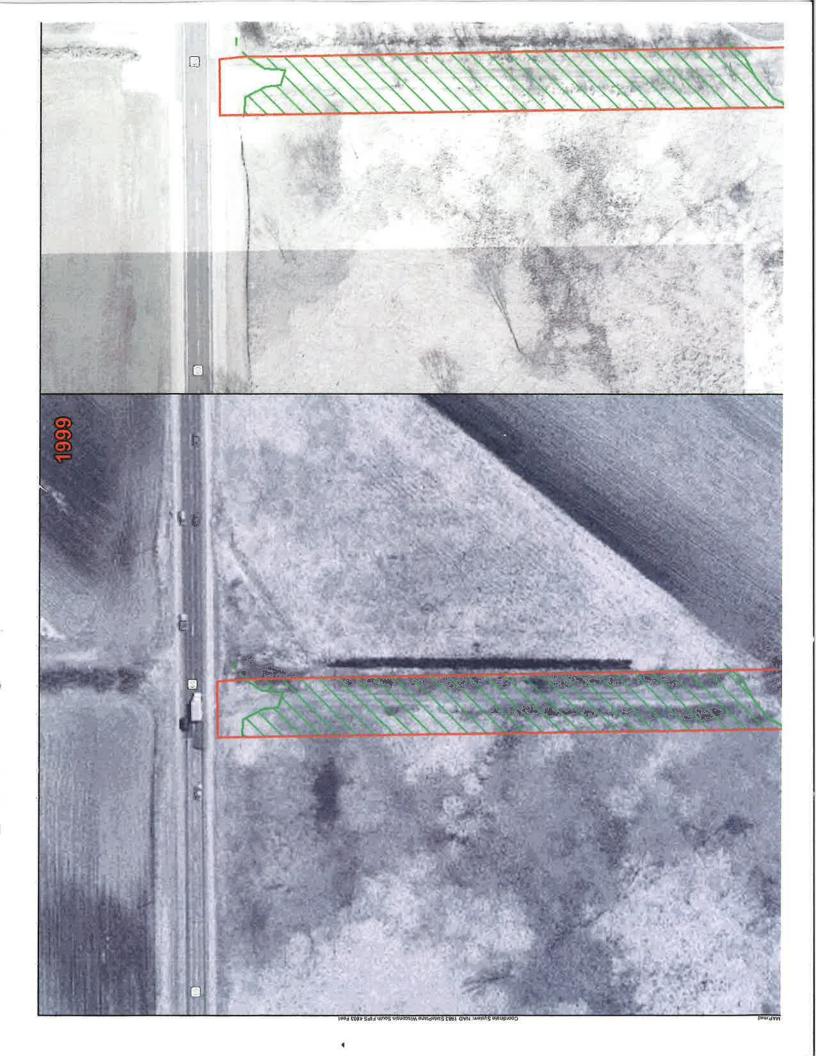


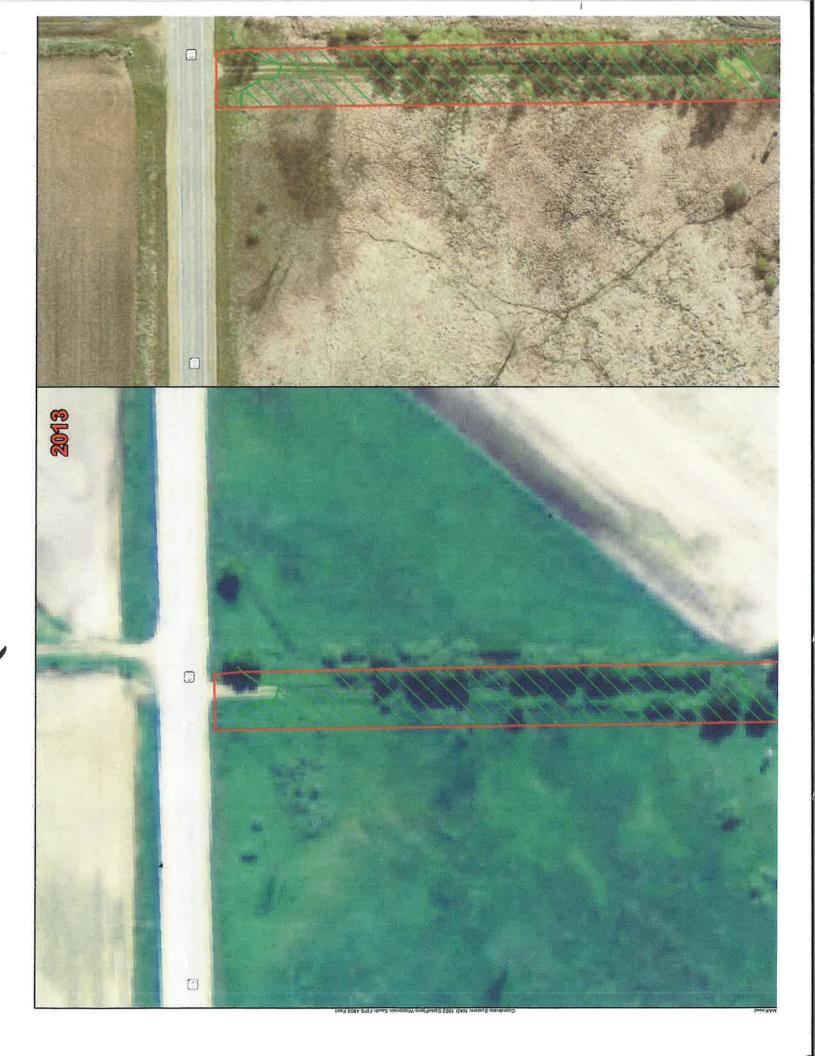














# DODGE COUNTY LAND RESOURCES AND PARKS COMMITTEE MINUTES December 12, 2022

The Dodge County Land Resources and Parks Committee met on **December 12, 2022** at 7:00 p.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup> Floor of the Administration Building, Juneau, Wisconsin.

**Call to Order:** Chair Mary Bobholz called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

**Members present:** Mary Bobholz, Dale Macheel, Donna Maly and Dan Siegmann.

Members absent: Benjamin Priesgen

**Staff present:** Bill Ehlenbeck - Director, Joseph Giebel – Manager of Code Administration,

Others present: David Frohling – County Board Supervisor, Members of the public for the public hearings.

The Chairman asked the staff to confirm compliance with the open meeting laws and the public hearing notice requirements. Mr. Giebel noted that the meeting was properly noticed in accord with the open meeting law and noted that the required notices for the public hearings listed on the agenda were posted, mailed and published in accord with the statute and code requirements.

#### LAND INFORMATION

A. Approve spending on EVAAL Soil Erosion Vulnerability Assessment in the amount of \$28,900.

## Resolution #2022-12-200L

Resolved that the Agreement for Professional Services through Ayres Associates Inc for a Soil Erosion Vulnerability Assessment to produce 43 HUC12 (Hydrologic Unit Codes) at a cost of \$28,900.00 is hereby approved. The proposal by Ayres is the second phase of producing derivative products from the 2017 LiDAR with a culvert inventory completed in 2022 (was required to complete this second dataset). A total of \$35,500.00 was budgeted in 2023 for additional LiDAR derivative products. \$1068.00 is anticipated to be funded from a 2023 WLIP Grant with the remaining \$27,832 to be paid for through monies collected from retained fees. This money is non-lapsing and is to be used for Land Information programs with no impact on the general fund.

The Land Information Manager is hereby authorized to execute the Professional Services Agreement with Ayres Associates Inc for a Soil Erosion Vulnerability Assessment to produce 43 HUC12 (Hydrologic Unit Codes) in the amount of \$28,900.00 according to the November 17, 2022 Agreement for Professional Services. Costs are to be charged to account 100-10-82-8230-00000-00-526700, CONTRACTUAL SERVICES.

Motion by Mary Bobholz to approve Resolution #2022-12-12-200L as proposed.

Second by Donna Maly Vote: 3:1 (Dan Siegmann) Motion carried.

The hearing procedures were read into the record.

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

**Steven Gentz, agent for Gentz Living Trust and Clarence Arndt** – Request to rezone a total of approximately 14.2-acres of land from the A-1 Prime Agricultural Zoning District to the A-2 General Agricultural Zoning District to allow for the creation of an approximate 14.2-acre non-farm residential lot. The site to be rezoned is known as Lot 1, CSM 7068 in V48 P244, and unplated lands being located in part of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼, Section 31, Town of Oak Grove, the site address being W7271 County Road I.

Motion by Mary Bobholz to submit a favorable recommendation to the County Board of Supervisors on the request to rezone a total of approximately 14.2-acres of land from the A-1 Prime Agricultural Zoning District to the A-2 General Agricultural Zoning District to allow for the creation of an approximate 14.2-acre non-farm residential lot.

Second by Dale Macheel Vote 4-0 Motion carried.

A favorable recommendation shall be forwarded to the County Board on the rezoning petition as proposed. An ordinance shall also be drafted effectuating the recommendation of the committee and said ordinance shall be submitted to the Board for approval;

## **TOWN REZONING REQUESTS**

Town Rezoning Petition – **Lila Vanderloop** – Part of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼, Section 18, Town of Theresa, Dodge County, Wisconsin. A petition to rezone approximately 4.54-acres of land under the Town of Theresa Zoning Ordinance, from the A-1 Farmland Preservation Zoning District to the A-2 General Agricultural Zoning District has been submitted by the Town of Theresa Town Board to the Dodge County Board of Supervisors for approval to allow for the creation of a non-farm residential lot. Committee review and recommendation to the County Board.

Motion by Mary Bobholz to submit a favorable recommendation to the County Board of Supervisors on the request to rezone approximately 4.54-acres of land under the Town of Theresa Zoning Ordinance, from the A-1 Farmland Preservation Zoning District to the A-2 General Agricultural Zoning District to allow for the creation of a non-farm residential lot.

Second by San Siegmann Vote 4-0 Motion carried.

A favorable recommendation shall be forwarded to the County Board on the rezoning petition as proposed.

## **TOWN REZONING REQUESTS**

Town Rezoning Petition – **Richard and Diane Steger** – Part of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼, Section 15, Town of Theresa, Dodge County, Wisconsin. A petition to rezone approximately 66.75-acres of land under the Town of Theresa Zoning Ordinance, from the R-D Rural Development, A-2 General Agricultural and the R-2 Residential Zoning District to the R-D Rural Development Zoning District has been submitted by the Town of Theresa Town Board to the Dodge County Board of Supervisors for approval to bring the recently enlarged lot under the same zoning district. Committee review and recommendation to the County Board.

Motion by Mary Bobholz to submit a favorable recommendation to the County Board of Supervisors for the request to rezone approximately 66.75-acres of land under the Town of Theresa Zoning Ordinance, from the R-D Rural Development, A-2 General Agricultural and the R-2 Residential Zoning District to the R-D Rural Development Zoning District to bring the recently enlarged lot under the same zoning district.

Second by Dale Macheel Vote 4-0 Motion carried.

A favorable recommendation shall be forwarded to the County Board on the rezoning petition as proposed.

## **PARK SYSTEM**

A. Park Plan Update

Bill Ehlenbeck provided the Committee with an update on the Park Plan. Focus groups are scheduled for this week. Three one-hour sessions will be held between 4 and 7 PM. The parks survey will be open through next week. After the survey is closed, the staff will meet with the consultant to discuss the survey and focus group responses.

B. Review and approve proposed 2023 Equipment Resolutions;

#### Resolution #2022-12-12-100P

Resolved that the State Contract bid from John Deere Company through Mid-State Equipment, for a 2023 John Deere Gator XUV835M for Derge Park at a cost of \$19,968.23 is hereby approved. The John Deere Gator XUV835M was reviewed against the closest comparable Kubota RTV X900. With comparable prices, the John Deere Gator XUV835M is determined to be the most advantageous for Dodge County based on cost; available accessories, maintenance, and efficiency and to maintain uniformity with current equipment. The bid for the John Deere Gator XUV835M includes the trade in of a 2000 John Deere TS 4x2 Gator, valued at \$2039.37. Requested options and accessories are listed in the attached quote. A net total of \$20,200 has been budgeted for this purpose.

The Land Resources and Parks Director is hereby authorized to purchase a 2023 John Deere Gator XUV835M according to the November 28, 2022 quote in the amount of \$19,968.23. Costs are to be charged to account 100-50-82-8240-00000-14-586000, Capital Machinery & Equipment.

Motion by Mary Bobholz to approve Resolution #2022-12-12-100P as proposed.

Second by Donna Maly Vote: 4-0 Motion carried.

## Resolution #2022-12-12-200P

Resolved that the SourceWell Contract #031121 – SCG offered through Mid-State Equipment, for two 2023 Scag Turf Tiger II Zero Turn Mowers for Astico Park and Derge Park at a cost of \$25,730.00 is hereby approved. The Scag Turf Tiger II Zero Turn Mowers were reviewed against the closest comparable, John Deere Z970R ZTrak. With comparable prices, the Scag Turf Tiger II Zero Turn Mowers were determined to be the most advantageous for Dodge County based on cost, available accessories,

maintenance, efficiency and to maintain uniformity with current equipment. The bid for the Scag Turf Tiger II Zero Turn Mowers includes the trade in of a 2011 Kubota ZD 331 Diesel Zero Turn Mower, valued at \$2,500.00 and the trade in of a 2014 Kubota ZD 326 Diesel Zero Turn Mower valued at \$2,500.00. Requested options and accessories are listed in the quote. A net total of \$30,000.00 has been budgeted for this purpose, including \$15,000.00 for Astico Park and \$15,000.00 for Derge Park.

The Land Resources and Parks Director is hereby authorized to purchase two 2023 Scag Turf Tiger II Zero Turn Mowers according to the November 30, 2022 quote in the amount of \$25,730.00. Costs are to be charged to account 100-50-82-8240-00000-11-586000, Capital Machinery & Equipment (12,865.00) and account 100-50-82-8240-00000-14-586000, Capital Machinery & Equipment (12,865.00)

## **ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS**

- 1. Anticipated Budget Carryovers;
  - Bill Ehlenbeck provided the Committee with a handout showing the estimated 2022 budget carryover amounts for the Department. Bill stated that per policy, the estimated carryover amounts were provided to Finance Department and presented to the Finance Committee. Final amounts will be determined by February and brought to County Board.
- 2. The minutes from the November 28, 2022 meeting were reviewed by the Committee.

Motion by Donna Maly to approve the minutes as written.

Second by Mary Bobholz Vote: 4-0 Motion carried.

- 3. No Committee Member Reports
- 4. No additional Per Diems.

## **FUTURE MEETING SCHEDULE**

Meeting adjourned at 7:49 PM n m

- 1. The December 26, 2022 meeting has been cancelled.
- Monday, January 9, 2023 7:00 p.m. Rooms 1H/1I 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Administration Building
   Juneau, WI Public Hearings

Motion by order of the Chair to adjourn the meeting.

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Respectfully Submitted,
Secretary

Disclaimer: The above minutes may be approved, amended or corrected at the next committee meeting.

## **Land Resources and Parks Department**

January 23, 2023

## Request for extension of land use and conditional use permit permits due to COVID related issues

The Department continues to receive requests from Dodge County residents for flexibility in the permit expiration dates for land use and conditional use permits or for a reduced permit fee for permit renewal applications for those projects that have been delayed for COVID related reasons.

The current Land Use Code requirements are as follows:

## **Land Use Permits**

## 2.3.5.H Expiration of Approval

All Land Use Permits shall expire within one year.

#### 2.3.6.1 Expiration of Conditional Use Permits

Once granted, a conditional use permit shall remain in effect as long as the conditions upon which the permit was issued are followed, however, the County may impose conditions such as the permit's duration, transfer or renewal, in addition to any other conditions specified in the Code.

- **2.3.6.I.1** The decision of the Committee to approve or conditionally approve a Conditional Use Permit request shall expire one year after the decision is filed with the Department or at such alternative time specified in the approval unless:
- **2.3.6.I.1.a** Construction has been diligently pursued;
- 2.3.6.I.1.b A Certificate of Zoning Compliance has been issued;
- **2.3.6.l.1.c.** The use is established; or
- **2.3.6.I.1.d** The Conditional Use Permit is renewed, for a period not to exceed one year.
- **2.3.6.I.2** A Conditional Use Permit also shall expire upon termination of a project or if the rights granted by the permit are discontinued for 180 consecutive days.

If a permit expires, the applicant is currently required to submit an application for a new permit and the fee is based on the proposed construction cost of the remaining portion of the project to be completed.

The staff is requesting input from the Committee to determine if the Committee believes that the Code should be amended to allow for the extension of land use or conditional use permit for an extended period of time or if an amendment to the fee ordinance could be done to establish a lower the fee for a permit renewal application to reduce the financial impact on the applicant if a project cannot be completed within 1 year.

Current fee: Land Use Permit: \$50.00 plus \$2.00 per \$1000.00 cost of construction

Conditional Use Permit: \$350.00