

# LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION 88 SOUTH PARK AVE. LE CENTER, MINNESOTA 56057 507-357-8538

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

# TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

# NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD.

**DATE:** JULY 13, 2017

TIME: 7:00 PM

PLACE: ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES BUILDING, 515 SOUTH MAPLE AVE, LE CENTER, MN

**PURPOSE:** To hear testimony from interested parties and consider Rezoning and Conditional Use Permit Applications and other questions pertaining to and as provided by the Zoning Ordinance of Le Sueur County as described below. *Information regarding the applications is available for review at the Environmental Services Building during normal business hours.* 

ITEM #1 Planning Commission Notice of Public Hearing

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ITEM #4 Lone Oak Farm Inc-Schwartz, Grading, Excavating and filling Packet

ITEM #5 Lone Oak Farm Inc Feedlot Packet

ITEM #6 Blue Sky Dairy Packet

ITEM #7 Mankato Landshapes-Boots Packet

ITEM #8 DRAFT June 8, 2017 Meeting Minutes

# APPLICANT OR REPRESENTATIVE MUST BE PRESENT IN ORDER FOR THE APPLICATION TO BE HEARD.

KATHY BROCKWAY, LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING ADMINISTRATOR MICHELLE R. METTLER, ASSISTANT PLANNING & ZONING ADMINISTRATOR



# Le Sueur County, MN

Thursday, July 13, 2017 Regular session

Item 1

**Planning Commission Notice of Public Hearing** 

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

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County, as described below.

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business hours and on the website on or after JULY 3, 2017.

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KATHY BROCKWAY, LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING ADMINISTRATOR MICHELLE R. METTLER, ASSISTANT PLANNING & ZONING ADMINISTRATOR



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# **Planning Commission Agenda**

**Meeting Agenda** 

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

# LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA

ORGANIZATION: LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING/ZONING COMMISSION

MEETING DATE: July 13, 2017

MEETING PLACE: Le Sueur County Environmental Service

Beginning Time: 7:00 P.M. Ending Time: Approx. 9:00 P.M.

If you CANNOT be at the meeting, contact MINDY at 357-8538

### AGENDA:

Meeting Called to Order.

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### MINUTES-WARRANTS

**ADJOURN Approximately 9:00 P.M.** 

Planning & Zoning Commission Public Hearing Procedure: The Chairman calls the meeting to order, then calls the item to be heard and asks the Applicant or representative present to come to the podium to answer any questions or present any comments. The Chairman opens the meeting to the public. Each speaker comes to the podium and states their name for the record prior to making a statement or posing a question. All questions or comments are to be directed to the board, NOT THE APPLICANT. After the public comments the Planning Commission publicly discusses the information and reviews the findings before making a motion. All meetings are recorded.



# Le Sueur County, MN

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Item 1

**Novel Energy-Vetter Packet** 

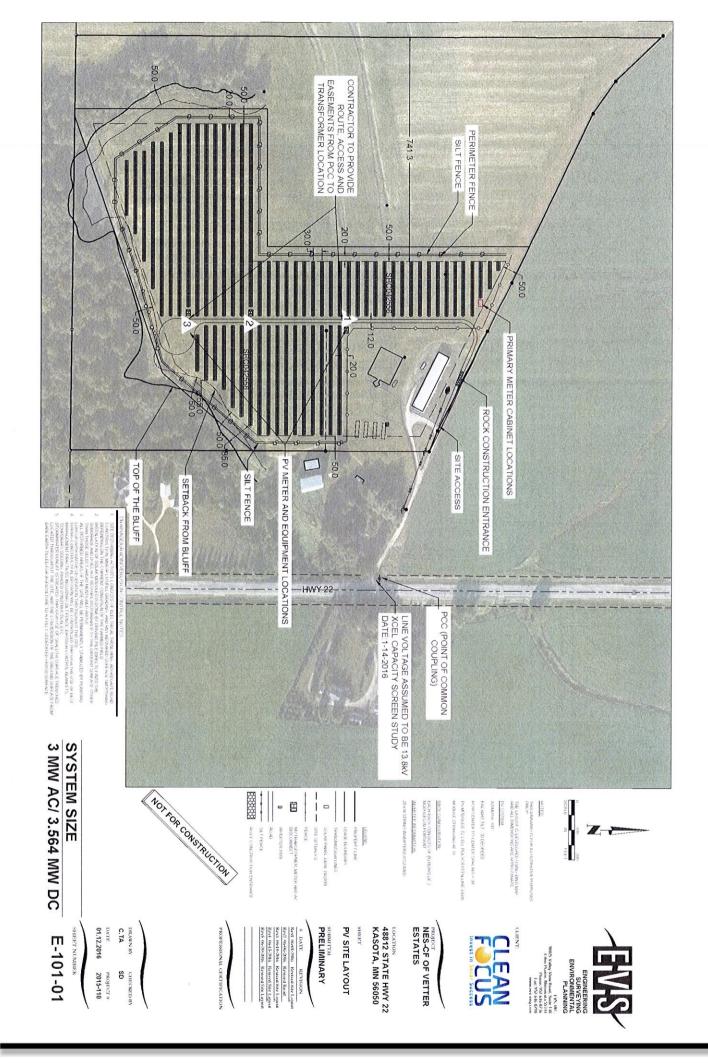
Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler



# Vetter Highway 22, 3MW Megawatt Solar Garden A Novel Energy Solutions Project

# Introduction

On August 2, 2016, the Le Sueur County Board of Commissioners approved a 3MW Solar Garden on the Vetter Property (Please see attached Conditional Use Permit). CF Novel Solar Gardens Eleven LLC still plans on constructing the Community Solar Garden, but, the project has not moved forward as quickly as expected due to the fact that interconnection with Xcel Energy hasn't moved as quickly as anticipated. The easement for Xcel has been finalized, however, Xcel is still upgrading their infrastructure. CF Novel Solar Gardens Eleven LLC is hereby requesting an extension to Conditional Use Permit #16155.



# CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT

# LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING 88 SOUTH PARK AVENUE LE CENTER MN 56057 Direct Dial (507) 357-8538 Fax (507) 357-8541

PPLICATION DATE: 6/13/2016 0 DAY RULING DATE: 8/1/2016 PPLICANT: NOVEL ENERGY SOLUTION DDRESS: 1628 2ND AVE SE ROCHESTER MN ZIP: PHONE: 507-961-350 011: 48812 ST HWY 22, KASOTA, MN	PERMIT NUMBE  TIONS PROPERTY O  ADDRESS: CITY: 55904 STATE: PHONE:	R: 16155 FEE: \$796.00  **FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE**  DWNER: VETTER ENTERPRISES LL  33201 SHANASKA CREEK RD  ST PETER  MN ZIP: 56082
PARCEL #: 05.116.7500  SEC: 16 SUBDIV:  IWP: 109 LOT:  RANGE: 26 BLOCK:  QTR/QTR: ROAD:	NA NA ST HWY 22	TOWNSHIP: KASOTA DISTRICT: A/A post Overlay FEMA PANEL # 27079C0355D, FLOOD ZONE: X & SULLSIDE
I (We), the undersigned, owner(s) and or a petition your Honorable Bodies to grant a thereof, the following facts are presented:  1.) Reason for Requested Control TO ALLOW THE APPLICANT	Conditional Use Permit	
of zoning permits. Add	Conditional Use Permi	t. RE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO ISSUANCE
LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND PUBLIC HEARING DATE:	ND ZONING AUTHORITY  7/14/2016	ACTION: Approved
AS WRITTEN  COUNTY BOARD DATE:	8-2-16	WITH CONDITIONS  ACTION: Approved  WITH CONDITIONS
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LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION August 2, 2016

TO:

LE SUEUR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

FROM:

LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

SUBJECT:

"REQUEST FOR ACTION"

The Planning Commission recommends your action on the following item:

ITEM #1: NOVEL ENERGY SOLUTIONS, ROCHESTER, MN (APPLICANT); VETTER ENTERPRISES, LLC, ST. PETER, MN (OWNER): Request that the County grant a Conditional Use Permit to allow the applicant to construct a 3MW solar garden in an Agricultural "A" District. Property is located in the SW1/4, Section 16, Kasota Township.

Based on the information submitted by the applicant, as required by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, the Planning Commission developed the following findings for this request:

Therefore, the Planning Commission recommends approval of the application with the following conditions:

- 1. Approval of site from the FAA prior to construction, if negative response from the FAA, the panels will either be eliminated or moved to the west of the property.
- 2. If site plan changes the applicants shall submit a new drawing to the Department.
- 3. A bond is submitted to the County for decommissioning of the project.

ACTION:

ITEM#1: PAPROVED 5-0

DATE: 8/2/16

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S SIGNATURE:

# FINDINGS OF FACT

WHEREAS, NOVEL ENERGY SOLUTIONS, ROCHESTER, MN (APPLICANT); VETTER ENTERPRISES, LLC, ST. PETER, MN (OWNER), has applied for a Conditional Use Permit to allow the applicant to construct a 3MW solar garden in an Agricultural "A" District. Property is located in the SW1/4,

WHEREAS, the Le Sueur County Planning and Zoning Commission held on public hearing on July 14, 2016 in order to hear public testimony from the applicants as well as interested parties pertaining to and as provided by the Zoning Ordinance of Le Sueur County.

WHEREAS, the Le Sueur County Planning and Zoning Commission, acting as an advisory board to the Le Sueur County Board of Commissioners recommends approval of the application with conditions due to the following findings:

- 1. With the imposition of the conditions, the conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminishes and impairs property values within the immediate vicinity. Agreed.
- 2. With the imposition of the conditions, the establishment of the conditional use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for uses predominant in the area. Agreed.
- 3. With the imposition of the conditions, adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities are being provided. Agreed.
- 4. With the imposition of the conditions, adequate measures will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use. Agreed.
- 5. With the imposition of the conditions, adequate measures will be taken to prevent and control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result. Agreed.
- 6. With the imposition of the conditions, the Conditional Use Permit consistent with and supported by the statement of purposes, policies, goals and objectives in the Ordinance? Agreed.
- 7. The Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan?

  The current Land Use Plan as adopted in 2009, does not make reference to the use as requested.

WHEREAS, On August 2, 2016, at their regularly scheduled meeting, the Le Sueur County Board of Commissioners APPROVED/DENIED the Conditional Use Permit application as requested by NOVEL ENERGY SOLUTIONS, ROCHESTER, MN (APPLICANT); VETTER ENTERPRISES, LLC, ST. PETER, MN (OWNER).

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, the following Findings of Fact were adopted at the August 2, 2016 Le Sueur County Board meeting in order to protect the public health, safety and general welfare of the citizens of Le Sueur County.

- 1. With the imposition of the conditions, the conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminishes and impairs property values within the immediate vicinity.
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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** by the Le Sueur County Board of Commissioners that based on the above Findings of Fact, a Conditional Use Permit to allow the applicant to construct a 3MW solar garden in an Agricultural "A" District. Property is located in the SW1/4, Section 16, Kasota Township, is approved/denied-

ATTEST:	
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John King Chairman, Le Sueun County Board of Commissioners.

Darrell Pettis, Le Sueur County Administrator

DATE: 8/2/16



# Vetter Highway 22, 3MW Megawatt Solar Garden A Novel Energy Solutions Project

# Introduction

Novel Energy Solutions (NES) works to make affordable clean energy available to farms, companies, non-profit organizations, and individuals alike.

We understand that changing government policies and rapid technological developments can make even a small clean energy project appear overwhelming. Our experienced team helps communities make sense of available clean energy technologies, utility incentives, government programs, and financing options. We will assist in devising and implementing a clean energy plan that will both reduce your community's carbon footprint and keep electric utility dollars local.

Community Solar Gardens are supported by the State of Minnesota as a renewable energy supply. The Xcel Energy program was approved by the State of Minnesota as part of the renewable energy jobs package in 2013. The purpose of constructing a community solar garden (solar array) will be to generate offsite solar energy that will be connected directly to the electric grid for the direct benefit of subscribers to the solar garden.

This proposed site is constructed to produce three megawatts (3MW) of electric generation. The electrical energy will be distributed directly to the existing electrical grid for subscribers to the energy produced by the system. The impact to the area is anticipated to be low. Construction and setup are not invasive. The system will reduce the carbon footprint and greenhouse gas emissions of the end users equal to 854 tons of waste hauled to landfills, over six million passenger vehicle miles driven or 2,383 metric tons of greenhouse gas emissions. Subscribers to the community solar garden will save millions of dollars over the 25 year life of the system which can be saved and spent locally in support of the local economy.

Community solar gardens offer numerous benefits to the community. These multi-million dollar construction projects create jobs, and enhance the tax base. NES works with local contractors for various components of the project as needed. Subscribers have an opportunity to keep electric dollars in the area to support the local economy. Land owners have a new option that brings value to their property without impacting the underlying nature of the land. Land owners and the community have an opportunity to be leaders in renewable energy that sets an example for others to follow, and leaves a positive lasting legacy. Distributed solar generation, energy produced at multiple locations across the grid helps prevent line loss and dependence on carbon-based fuel sources. Careful siting standards



protects the integrity of the land, increases production which increases local revenues and savings, and ensures positive neighbor relations.

Solar panels and systems have been used in the United States for over forty years and have gained in popularity as the cost of solar energy becomes competitive with traditional fossil fuels, and because of the environmental benefits. Solar systems are more widely found on the east and west coasts of the United States due to higher electric costs than Minnesota and the Midwest. Solar systems have been found to be good neighbor land use due to their passive nature, no negative impact on neighbor property values, and benefits to the environment and local economy. The proposed solar systems will not change the underlying nature of the land.

# **Project Description**

The parcel is owned by Brian R., Kevin, and Timothy Vetter

PID#051097900 - Sec 16 Twp 109 Range 26

Legal Description: See attached

Array located on 16 acres in the Agriculture Zoning District

Parcel Description: Parcel is agricultural use. Surrounding property is primarily agricultural use with some residential. Residential properties on the east of the parcel are bordered by trees, and homes generally face away from the proposed solar array. Existing trees will significantly mitigate direct visual impact.

Site access will be off an existing roadway off Highway 22.

# Equipment

Novel Energy Systems uses only Tier-1, 300-320 Watt, multicrystalline solar panels. Bloomberg New Energy Finance rates solar panels in tiers based on a variety of factors including financeability. All tier-1 panels used have a 25 year warranty. Panels will be tilted at a 30 degree angle, and not exceed 12 feet in height. Panels will feed inverters which ultimately connect to the electric grid at a point of interconnection located on the existing road access to the site. All equipment complies with the Minnesota State Electric Code. Panels are non-reflective with a south facing orientation.

Posts will be pounded or screwed into the ground at a depth adequate to handle engineered loads and mitigate frost heave. Posts can be pulled from the ground at the end of the system's useful life. Racking, panel, and inverter manufacturers will be site specific depending on engineering, topography and array layout. Xcel Energy will provide final approval of interconnection equipment including



transformers, meters, disconnects, utility poles and wires as required by the company's interconnection tariff. All equipment is engineered to meet industry, state and federal standards.

Transformers and related equipment will be placed on concrete slab on grade sized 21'x14', with one pad for each 1MW. Xcel Energy required poles will be standard electric utility poles with overhead wires. All non-Xcel Energy equipment, materials, supplies, concrete, etc. can be removed at the end of the useful life of the project.

All equipment must meet Xcel Energy standards for safety and interconnection, and UL listed. Program requirements include adequate levels of insurance coverage, signed interconnection agreement as required by the MN Public Utilities Commission for 25 years and continual production monitoring.

# Site Appearance & Impact

The parcel will consist of a 3MW Solar Garden and 12,960 solar panels. The installation will include rows of solar panel with rows separated by 19 feet. The attached layout provides the proposed layout which is subject to engineering and final Xcel approval. The final layout will continue to meet all Le Sueur County requirements and performance standards.

Through all of our projects, NES works with the property owner and permitting authority on any screening and buffering required by Ordinance or preferred by the property owner if multiple options are available. Absent specific requests from Le Sueur County, Kasota Township, or the property owner a 6' chain linked fence will be installed surrounding the entire site. Gated access will be provided with a key code for Xcel Energy and emergency response personnel.

Grade and fill will only occur at the cement pads for the electrical gear, and some work at the main access point to the site. Posts pounded or screwed in the ground of various lengths will accommodate the terrain change without the need for grade and fill activities.

Following construction of the arrays and any other project requirements, vegetation is established to ensure soil stabilization, improve storm water quality, and for site beautification. Low Maintenance Turf MNDOT 260 or similar seed mix is utilized. Native grasses or specific pollinator plantings will be considered upon request of the property owner as long as solar production and maintenance is not compromised. Once established, this site will filtrate surface waters and minimize erosion even better than traditional crop lands. On-going maintenance to control weeds or unsightly conditions will be performed by or contracted by NES. Being a Minnesota owned and operated company provides greater assurance of proper site maintenance.

A viewshed analysis will be performed on neighboring properties to determine if screening is needed. Where screening is needed, NES will add slats to the fence, however we will work with the neighbors and the property owner in the event other screening options are preferred such as smaller evergreen trees or bushes that blend into the local flora.



# **Hydrological Features**

There are no identified wetlands per the MN DNR Public Waters Inventory or National Wetland Inventory Maps at the array location. Storm water management will be handled by the current best practices. An NPDES permit is not anticipated to be required as less than 1 acre of land is expected to be disturbed per NPDES regulations. Le Sueur County will be notified and receive a copy of the NPDES permit in the event >1 acre will be disturbed.

# **Geology and Soils**

Novel Energy Solutions has completed research relating to the soil types and depth as identified in the Minnesota Geological Survey Surficial Geologic Mapping Mosaic and/or direct borings. This will determine bedrock depth and identify all soils in the project scope. This data will be utilized in the engineering of the posts and racking to ensure adequate wind, snow, and other load factors. Soil review and analysis shows excellent soil types for a solar array.

# Potential to Effect the Environment and Public Health

This project is focused on bring additional green energy to a large number of people in Minnesota. The proposed solar array is passive with only small fans in the inverters to prevent overheating, and are designed to capture the sun's rays, not reflect them. Solar panels have an equivalent glare factor as a body of water. Potential neighbor glare issues will be handled through project screening on a case by case basis. Research on potential environmental and public health issues will be through the State of Minnesota and the Federal government data bases to ensure compliance. The addition of year-round ground cover will provide improved storm water control over traditional row cropping providing improved soil retention and greater water infiltration.

# **Decommissioning & Restoration Plan**

Within ninety (90) days of the end of the project useful life, decommissioning will include the removal of all of the solar arrays, cables, electrical components, accessory structures, fencing and other ancillary facilities owned by the solar garden. Since this project includes the establishment of vegetation on site, the soil will be excellent for agricultural utilization upon decommissioning. At year 26, there is almost equal salvage value in the panels and equipment than the costs associated with removing the system.

Detailed decommissioning includes:

- All cables and conduit will be removed
- PV modules will be removed from racking sold or transported to a recycling facility



- Racking equipment will be dismantled and removed, and either re-used or sold for scrap
- Inverters, transformers, switchgear, etc. will be re-sold or scrapped per industry best practices and regulations
- Concrete foundations will be broken down and removed
- The security fence will be removed
- The site will be returned to its current state

# Conclusion

We are excited to complete this project in a strong partnership with the Vetters and Le Sueur County. Novel Energy Solutions is committed to following best practices and all state, federal and local rules and regulations to develop a community solar garden providing the many benefits to the local community.



# Le Sueur County, MN

Thursday, July 13, 2017 Regular session

# Item 2

Lone Oak Farm Inc-Schwartz, Grading, Excavating and filling Packet

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

# STAFF REPORT

### GENERAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT/OWNER:

Lone Oak Farm Inc. Greg & Joan Schwartz

911 ADDRESS:

28678 354th St. Le Sueur MN 56058

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Grading, Excavating and Filling of approximately 18,997 cubic yards of material in an Agricultural

District

ZONING ORDINANCE SECTIONS: Sections 8 and 18

AG DISTRICT PURPOSE: The Agriculture (A) District is established for areas where agriculture uses are seen as the best and highest long term use of the land. The land itself needs to be preserved for primarily agricultural activities. These areas should avoid existing cities, residential zones and subdivisions. They should be large contiguous land areas with mostly prime soils. Rezoning should only be considered on the zone's borders in order to maintain the Zoning integrity of the District. Dwellings that are allowed should be on the edges of the open farmland where possible or utilize existing abandoned farm sites. The total number of Dwellings shall not exceed sixteen (16) per section of land with the exception of Transfer of Development Right and lots of record. Transfer of development rights may be utilized to exceed the permitted housing density of one dwelling per quarter-quarter section (40 acres), provided that the density does not exceed four dwellings per quarter-quarter section in the receiving quarter-quarter section. Lots of Record. shall be exempt from density standards.

# **GOALS AND POLICIES:**

Goal #1: Le Sueur County contains some of the most productive agricultural soils in Minnesota and should adopt and enforce land use goals and policies that conserve and protect agricultural resources and uses.

Objective 1: The County will protect the best of its agricultural land as a resource for long term agricultural use.

Action 1:

The County will continue using an Agricultural District with the ultimate aim being to preserve large contiguous

agricultural land tracts for agricultural use.

#### SITE INFORMATION

LOCATION:

Property is located in the NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 4 & 9, Sharon Township.

ZONING:

Agricultural "A" District

**GENERAL SITE** 

**DESCRIPTION:** 

East:

Ag land

ACCESS:

**Existing Access** 

EXISTING LAND USE WITHIN 1/4 MILE:

North: Ag

Ag Ag South: Ag

West: Ag

# TOWNSHIP BOARD NOTIFICATION

The applicant contacted Ronda Schleeve, Sharon Township Board member on May 9, 2017.

# NATURAL RESOURCES INFORMATION

SHORELAND:

The proposal is not located within the Shoreland District.

WETLANDS:

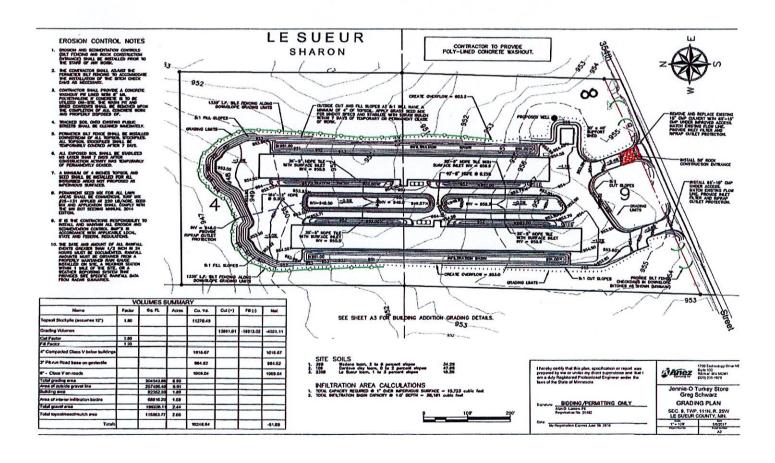
According to the National Wetlands Inventory, No wetlands located in the quarter-quarter section where the project is

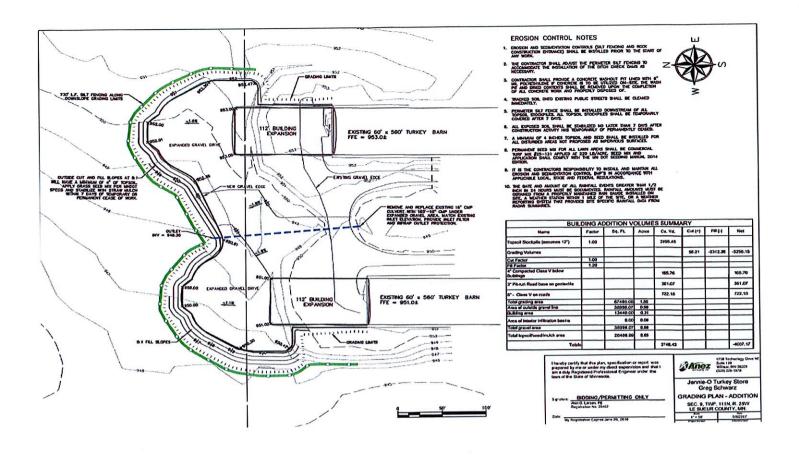
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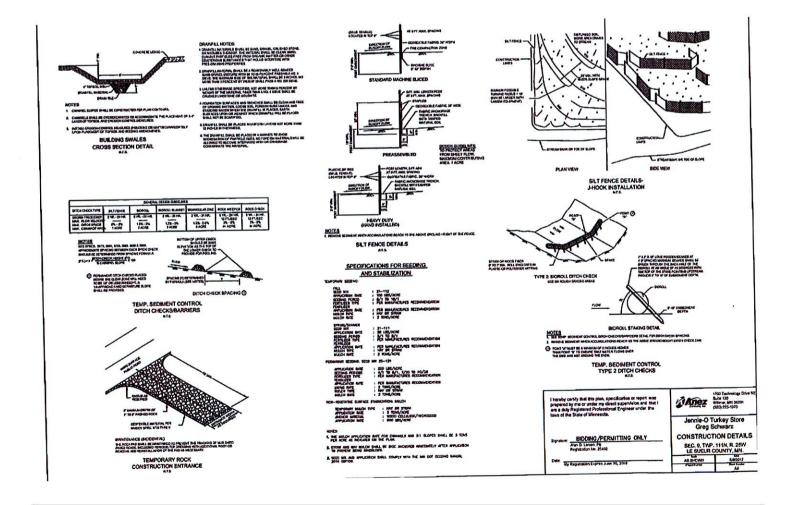
# **ATTACHMENTS**

Application, Criteria Form, Narrative, Surveys, Insurance on file with the Department.









# PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION CONSIDERATIONS

The Planning Commission and staff shall consider possible adverse effects of the proposed conditional use and what additional requirements may be necessary to reduce such adverse effects. Its judgment shall be based upon the following factors to include, but not limited to:

- 1. Relationship to County plans.
- 2. The geographical area involved.
- 3. Whether such use will negatively affect surrounding properties in the area in which it is proposed.
- 4. The character of the surrounding area.
- 5. The demonstrated need for such use.
- 6. Whether the proposed use would cause odors, dust, flies, vermin, smoke, gas, noise, or vibration or would impose hazards to life or property in the neighborhood.
- 7. Whether such use would inherently lead to or encourage disturbing influences in the neighborhood.
- 8. Whether stored equipment or materials would be screened and whether there would be continuous operation within the visible range of surrounding residences.
- 9. Abatement of Environmental Hazards as regulated in this Ordinance
- 10. Other factors impacting the public health, safety and welfare.

### PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION FINDINGS

Based on the information submitted by the applicant, contained in this report, and as required by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, the following findings have been developed for this request: (Please circle one for each item: Agree, Disagree, Not Applicable.)

- The conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminishes and impairs property values within the immediate vicinity.
- 2. The establishment of the conditional use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for uses predominant in the area.
- 3. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been or are being provided.
- Adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.
- 5. Adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent and control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.
- 6. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with and supported by the statement of purposes, policies, goals and objectives in the Ordinance?
- 7. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan?

Recommend (circle one) approval / denial / table / of Conditional Use Permit.

# LE SUEUR COUNTY CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT CRITERIA

Land Owner: GREGORY & JOAN SCHWARZ

Conditional Use Permit #: 17169

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Applicant: LONE OAK FARM INC

# Le Sueur County

Conditional Use Application-Grading, Excavating & Filling

Activities that involve topographic alterations in all districts shall conform to the standards in Section 18 of the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance. Activities within a shoreland district shall conform to the standards in Section 13 of the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance.

In addition any activities in any type wetland shall be evaluated in accordance with the Wetland Conservation Act (WCA) regulations, as administered by the Le Sueur County Soil & Water Conservation District (SWCD).

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e. Appointment is necessary.

Applications will not be accepted by mail.

	Conditional Use Permit \$ 750 After-The-Fact fee is <b>doubled.</b> Filing Fee \$ 46
	Additional Fees: Special Meeting \$2,000 After-The-Fact Penalty \$1,500 OR 10% of improvement, whichever is greater
VII.	Type of Request: Grading, Excavating or Filling.
	□ Non-Shoreland □ Within Bluff Impact Zone □ Within Bluff Cubic yards of material movement: □ Within Bluff Cubic yards of material movement: Cubic yards of material movement: TOTAL cubic yards of material movement:  18,997.07  18,997.07
	□ Shoreland- Outside Shore Impact Zone Cubic yards of material movement: Uithin Shore Impact Zone Cubic yards of material movement: Uithin Bluff Impact Zone Cubic yards of material movement: Uithin Bluff Cubic yards of material movement: TOTAL cubic yards of material movement:
	☐ Assurance security shall be required for projects that are >1500 cubic yards.
VIII.	Description of Request:
	a. A full description of request with detailed information including what operations are to occur and what general types of equipment may be used in the operation must be attached.
	b. Complete the following in relationship to the proposed Conditional Use Permit.
	ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT: No environmental impact is anticipated
	2. ADVERSE IMPACT ON SURROUNDING AREAS: See Description of Request
	3. STORMWATER RUNOFF: _There will be no change to existing stormwater run-off patterns
	4. DOES ANY PART OF THE PROJECT EXTEND BELOW OHWL:NO
	5. WETLAND IMPACT: No wetland impacts
	6. SLOPE STABILITY: Grading will occur to avoid steep slopes when possible
	7. CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE:see attached
	8. MEET ALL APPLICABLE COUNTY STATE & FEDERAL REGULATIONS:  (For example additional licensing and/or permitting) Meets all county, state and federal regulations
IX.	Site Plan: Shall include but not limited to the following:
	<ul> <li>Parcels &lt; 5 AC = 2-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.</li> <li>Parcels 5-20 AC = 5-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.</li> <li>Parcels &gt;20 AC = 10-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.</li> <li>Location of grading, excavating, and/or filling sites.</li> <li>Location of areas for obtaining fill or disposing of excavated materials.</li> <li>Tree inventory of all trees, indicating trees to be cut or removed.  (Caliper of 6 inches or greater measured 4.5 feet from ground level)BY:  North point  Lake  Existing Structures  Proposed Structures  Well  Property Lines  Wetland  Lot Dimensions  Access (size &amp; location)  Road Right-Of-Way  Stream  Ponds  Drainage</li> </ul>

VI. Fees: Must be paid at the time of application.

• Site plan & As-Built must be completed by a surveyor or professional engineer.

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# X. Restoration Plan: Shall include but not limited to the following:

- Areas of restoration shall include the application of a minimum of 4 inches of topsoil or similar material that will support plant growth. (Must be included in cubic yards calculation of material.)
- Reseeded areas indicated with type of vegetation. (Shall meet minimum standards by the SWCD))
- Tree replacement plan. (Areas located within the Bluff Impact Zone, Bluff, Shoreland & Conservancy Distircts)
  - Root zone of existing trees shall be preserved and protected during development.
  - Replace one tree for every tree that is removed.
  - Replacement trees shall have a minimum caliper of 2 inches at 4.5 feet from ground level.

# XI. Attachments: Shall include but not limited to:

- a. Description of Request-See Part VIII for full details and requirements.
- b. Site Plan-See Part IX for full details and requirements.
- Full Legal Description-Not abbreviated description from tax statement.
- d. Access approval-Attach approval in writing from proper road authority.
- e. Township Notification-See Part IV for details and requirements.
- f. Septic System Compliance Inspection
- Erosion Control Plan-Attach completed and signed plan including map.
- h. Restoration Plan-See Part X for full details and requirements.
  - Approved Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan
    - Must meet NPDES requirements and prepared by a licensed professional engineer.

# XII. Procedure:

The Planning & Zoning Commission shall hold a public hearing on the proposed Conditional Use Permit at a scheduled Planning and Zoning Commission meeting.

The Planning and Zoning Commission is an advisory board to the County Board of Commissioners and will make a recommendation to the County Board.

The Department shall report the finings and recommendations of the Planning Commission to the County Board for final decision.

Action by the County Board shall be a majority vote of its members.

The Department shall notify the applicant and/or landowner in writing of the County Board decision.

A certified copy of the Conditional Use Permit shall be filed with the Le Sueur County Recorder be the Department.

# XIII. Signatures:

I hereby certify with my signature that all data contained herein as well as all supporting data are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant signature

Applicant signature

Date

I hereby certify with my signature that all data contained herein as well as all supporting data are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Property Owner signature

<u>6-7-2017</u> Date

# OFFICE USE ONLY

# Request: GRADING, EXCAVATING & FILLING

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# **DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST**

Lone Oak Farm, Inc, 30012 Lexington Rd, Le Sueur, MN is applying for a Conditional Use Permit for Grading, Excavation and Filling during construction of additions of 60' x 112' to the existing barns on the site locate in the NE ¼ of the NW ¼, Section 9, Sharon Township and for the construction of two 60' x 672' total confinement turkey barns located in the NW ¼ of the NE ¼, Section 9, Sharon Township. The site is located at 28678 354<sup>th</sup> St, Le Sueur, MN.

The total area disturbed is approximately 8.54 acres and requires coverage under the Minnesota Construction Storm Water General Permit (MNR100001). Coverage has been applied for and is in effect as of May 19, 2017.

The total impervious area after construction will be approximately 5.44 acres and will consist of the proposed turkey barns and the gravel drives and parking areas. Stormwater run-off will be routed to infiltration areas between and outside the barns. These infiltration areas have been designed to hold greater than 1" of stormwater run-off for the entire impervious area. Culverts installed in the east end of the infiltration areas will allow a timed-release of the stormwater that does not immediately infiltrate

Le Sueur County GIS data shows County Ditch No 56 lies approximately 400 feet to the west of the site. It is unknown if this had been an open drainage ditch at one time. The land is currently farmed. The grading design maintains the overall drainage pattern of the site.

Construction is expected to begin in fall 2017 with the installation of stormwater erosion prevention and sediment control Best Management Practices (BMPs), including silt fence and top soil stripping and stockpiling. Soils excavated during mass grading of the site will be transported and placed for fill during construction of the drives, parking areas and building pads. The project would include the movement of approximately 18,997.07 cubic yards of material. Excess dirt from the site will be excavated and used to supply fill for the southern side of the site and the southwest entrance drive and mortality dumpster pad. It is anticipated that all fill material will originate from the leveling and excavation activities done on site. No off-site material will be needed for construction. Refer to the Grading and Erosion Plan for excavation and fill locations.

Equipment used for grading will include excavators, graders, dozers and scrapers. Final grading may be performed with skid-steers and utility vehicles.

Concrete construction will include placement of the concrete for the barn footings, perimeter walls and floors. The project will conclude with the construction of the buildings and final grading which will coincide with stormwater treatment provisions and establishment of a permanent vegetative cover.

### **Adverse Impacts**

No adverse impacts are expected from the grading, excavating and filling of the site. Silt fencing will be placed on the downslope of the site at the time of construction to reduce or eliminate any soil erosion. Riprap will be used to provide outlet protection. Rock will be used on any new driveway entrances to reduce potential soil erosion. After construction of the site is complete a grass seed mix stabilized with straw mulch will be planted to create an infiltration area for water runoff in the infiltration basins and on the perimeter of the site.



01-Jun-17

Jennie-O Turkey Store,Steve Fladeboe 2505 Willmar Ave SW Willmar, MN 562012711

RE: NPDES/SDS General Stormwater Permit for Construction Activity (MNR100001) Application Permit ID Number: C00046213 Project Name: JOTS - Schwarz Site

The JOTS - Schwarz Site Protection CSW project has been granted coverage by the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)/State Disposal System (SDS) Stormwater Permit (Permit) for Construction Activity. Permit coverage is effective for this project on Fri May 19, 2017.

You are required to comply with the terms of the Permit to prevent erosion and control sediment from your site with the procedures established in your Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP). You are also required to upgrade your SWPPP and erosion prevention and sediment control Best Management Practices (BMPs) as site and weather conditions dictate throughout the entire term of the project.

Once all construction activity has been completed at this project, you must submit a Notice of Termination (NOT) form to the MPCA within 30 days of meeting the conditions outlined in Part II (C) of the permit. Please check the MPCA website (http://www.pca.state.mn.us/water/stormwater) or call to request an NOT form and fact sheet.

Please save this letter for your records. If you have any questions about permit coverage for this project, please contact the Construction Stormwater Program at 651-757-2119 or toll free at 800-657-3804.





01-Jun-17

Greg Schwarz,Landowner 30012 Lexington Rd. Le Sueur Sharon Township, MN 56058

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# COVERAGE CARD

# National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System/State Disposal System General Permit MNR100001 **Construction Stormwater**

The Construction site identified below is covered under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System/State Disposal System General Permit MNR100001 and is authorized by the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) to discharge stormwater associated with construction activities.

Permit ID Number: C00046213

Owner: Landowner

General Contractor: Jennie-O Turkey Store

Project Name: JOTS - Schwarz Site

Permit Coverage Date: 05/19/2017

http://www.pca.state.mn.us/stormwater, or call the Construction Stormwater Program at 651-757-2119 or toll free at 800-657-3804 If you have questions regarding the stormwater program for construction activity, please access the MPCA Stormwater website at





520 Lafayette Road North St. Paul, MN 55155-4194

# SWPPP Template for Feedlot Construction Activities

**Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)** 

Doc Type: Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan

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l.	General con	struction activity informa	ation			
	Project name:	Jennie-O Turkey Store - Greg	g Schwarz	Re	gistration Number:	
	Project location	•				
	County: Le Sue	eur Town	ship: Sharon		Section: 9	¼ Sect.: NE
	Total number of	acres to be disturbed: 8.5	(tenths of a	n acre)		
	Estimated const	truction start date: 5/22/2017		Estimated	construction end date:	10/1/2017
	Pre-construction	n acres of impervious surface:	0	(tenths of an		ervious surface include:
	Post-construction	on acres of impervious surface:	5.5	(tenths of an	Parking lots     Rooftops	<ul> <li>Other concrete, asphalt, or</li> </ul>
	Total new imper	rvious surface acres (Post – Pre):	5.5	(tenths of an	acre) • Driveways	gravel areas
II.	Receiving w	aters				
	List all waters wit either during or a	thin one mile (nearest straight line of	distance) that a	e likely to re	ceive stormwater runoff f	from the project site
	Receiving wat	ers within one mile of project				
	Water body ID <sup>1</sup>	Name of water body	(ditch, pond, w lake, stream	etland, fen,	Special water? <sup>1</sup> (See Stormwater Permit Appendix A)	Impaired Water? <sup>1,2</sup> (See Stormwater Permit Appendix A)
		Unnamed intermittent stream	Ditch		☐ Yes   No	☐ Yes ☒ No
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	<ul> <li>Water body ID and special and impaired waters information can be obtained with the Construction Stormwater Special Waters search tool available on the MPCA website at: <a href="http://pca-gis02.pca.state.mn.us/CSW/index.html">http://pca-gis02.pca.state.mn.us/CSW/index.html</a>.</li> <li>Impaired water for the following pollutant(s) or stressor(s): phosphorus, turbidity, dissolved oxygen, or biotic impairment</li> </ul>					
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#### Project plans and maps III.

Attach to this SWPPP site maps and/or plan sheets that depict the following features:

- The project location and construction limits.
- Location and type of all receiving waters, including wetlands, drainage ditches, stormwater ponds or basins, etc. that will receive runoff from the project. Use arrows showing the direction of flow and distance to the water body.
- Existing and final grades, including dividing lines and direction of flow for all pre and post-construction stormwater runoff drainage areas located within the project limits.
- Soil types at the site.
- Locations of impervious surfaces.
- Locations of areas not to be disturbed (e.g., buffer zones, wetlands, etc.).
- Steep slope locations.
- Locations of areas where construction will be phased to minimize duration of exposed soils.
- Locations of all temporary and permanent erosion and sediment controls.
- Standard details for erosion and sediment control Best Management Practices (BMPs) to be installed at the site.
- Portions of the site that drain to a public water with Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) work in water restrictions for fish spawning timeframes.
- Locations of Buffer zones.
- Locations of potential pollution-generating activities.

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٧.	Temporary erosion prevention practices
	Indicate/describe the types of temporary erosion prevention BMPs expected to be implemented on this site during construction:  ☐ Check dams ☐ Rip rap ☐ Construction phasing ☐ Vegetative buffers ☐ Terracing ☐ Erosion blankets ☐ Minimize soil disturbance ☐ Other (Describe):
	Describe below installation techniques, procedures, and timelines for implementation of erosion prevention practices (Include estimated quantity of materials):
	Erosion prevention practices will include minimizing the area of disturbance, construction scheduling and duration, and minimizing the entrance of stormwater run-off generated off-site. Grading practices, including the use of earthen berms and swales, and the installation of filter logs and silt fencing will direct and control storm water on site and prevent off-site run-off from entering the site.
٧.	Temporary sediment control practices
	Indicate/describe the methods of sediment control BMPs to be implemented at this site during construction to minimize sediment impacts to surface waters, including tile intakes:
	⊠Silt fence       ⊠Rock construction entrance       □Vegetative buffers         ⊠Fiber logs       □Construction phasing       ⊠Minimize soil disturbance/compaction         □Other (Describe):       □
	Describe below installation techniques, procedures, and timelines for implementation of temporary sediment control practices (Include estimated quantity of materials):
	Filter logs and silt fencing will be utilized at the site as temporary sediment control. Silt fencing shall be installed, at a minimum, at the grading limits. fiber logs will be installed in low areas, swales and at culvert outlets to serve as energy dissipators. Trapped sediment must be removed from all silt fencing before the deposit reaches 1/3 of the above ground fence height. Operation of equipment on areas that have been final graded and/or stabilized will be prohibited to avoid excessive soil compaction. A rock construction entrance shall be installed to prevent tracking sediment on public roads.
	Dewatering:
	Describe below measures to be used to treat/dispose of turbid or sediment-laden water and method to prevent erosion or scour of discharge points when dewatering is required at the site:
	Dewatering activities, if necessary, will direct sediment-laden water to a splash-block or other energy dissipation system and settling basin or ponding area surrounded by filtration material (ie. silt fence, fiber logs, straw bales) to treat the water prior to discharge to a grassed or vegetated ditch.  JUN 0 7 2017
	Temporary sediment basin:  When the project includes 10 or more acres draining to a common location (5 acres or more if the site is within 1 mile of a special or impaired water) a temporary sediment basin required. Attach to this SWPPP plans for design and construction of the basin.

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VI.	Permanent stormwater management system			
	When the project results in one acre or more acres of new impervious surfaces a permanent stormwater management system is required. Indicate which option will be employed at the facility:			
	Option 1: A water quality volume of <b>one inch of runoff</b> from the cumulative new impervious surfaces will be collected and contained within a permitted feedlot component such as a liquid manure storage area or vegetated infiltration area.			
	Option 2: A separate stormwater management system will be constructed and will account for the following:			
<ul> <li>a water quality volume of one inch of runoff from the cumulative new impervious surfaces must be through infiltration unless site specific circumstances are not favorable for the use of infiltration.</li> <li>Common instances when infiltration is not favorable include:         <ul> <li>Karst susceptibility</li> <li>High water table</li> </ul> </li> <li>Soils with large clay content (i.e., 60%+)</li> <li>Soils in hydrologic group D</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>If infiltration of stormwater is not favorable, identify the alternative method to handle stormwater:</li> </ul>			
	☐ Sedimentation Basin ☐ Filtration ☐ Combination of Practices			
	Other (Describe):			
	<ul> <li>Attach design parameters for the planned permanent stormwater management system, including         <ul> <li>location</li> <li>basin depth</li> <li>volume calculations</li> <li>design of pre-treatment devices</li> </ul> </li> <li>Attach design parameters for the planned permanent stormwater management system, including         <ul> <li>outlet configurations</li> <li>discharge rate calculation</li> <li>timing of installation</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
	For more design information consult the Minnesota Stormwater Manual on the MPCA website at <a href="http://stormwater.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/Main_Page">http://stormwater.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/Main_Page</a> .			
	<ul> <li>For infiltration or filtration systems attach information about soil type and distance to the seasonal water table or bedrock (from bottom of the basin) in the location of the infiltration or filtration system.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>For projects that discharge to trout streams, including tributaries to trout streams, attach a method of incorporating temperature controls into the permanent stormwater management system:</li> </ul>			
VII.	Additional considerations (as applicable)			
	Long Produce to any			
	Impaired waters:			
	Attach to this SWPPP any additional BMPs or other specific construction related implementation activities identified in an approved Total Maximum Daily Load and Waste Load Allocations.			
	Special waters:			
	Describe below any additional stormwater mitigation measures that will be implemented when discharge is to special waters:			
	Not applicable			
	Environmental review:  Describe below any stormwater mitigation measures that will be implemented, as a result of an environmental review, endangered or threatened species review or archeological site review:			
	Not applicable			
	Karst:			
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Describe below any additional (or different) stormwater management measures required for karst or drinking water supply management areas to protect groundwater standards:

Not applicable



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Pollution prevention management measures
<ul> <li>Indicate/describe practices for storage and disposal of the following to minimize exposure to stormwater:</li> <li>solid waste</li> <li>pesticides, herbicides, insecticides, fertilizers, treatment chemical, and landscape materials</li> <li>hazardous materials or toxic waste (e.g., oil, fuel, hydraulic fluids, paint solvents, petroleum-based products, wood preservative, additives, curing compounds, and acids)</li> <li>building products with a potential to leach pollutants</li> </ul>
Store in areas protected from precipitation and dispose of materials in accordance with applicable rules and regulations
Other (Describe):
Sanitary wastes
Indicate/describe management of sanitary wastes:
☐ Temporary facilities will be used and waste disposed of in accordance with applicable rules and regulations and the facilities will be located away from the active construction area to minimize accidental tipping by equipment.
Existing permanent facilities currently exist at/near the construction site and will be available to construction personnel
Other (Describe):
<ul> <li>Vehicle Wastes</li> <li>Wastes related to vehicles will be handled as follows: <ul> <li>Materials will be on hand to minimize effects from spills related to re-fueling of equipment. Spills will be cleaned up promptly and reported to the Minnesota Duty Officer as required.</li> <li>Runoff from exterior vehicle washing will be routed to in-place control structures. No engine de-greasing will take place.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Concrete washout
Concrete washout will take place in accordance with the guidance provided in the MPCA's concrete, paint, stucco, and other washout guidance facsheet available at <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=7397">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=7397</a> .
Inspections and Records
Construction BMPs:
Identify the trained* individual(s) responsible for installing, supervising, repairing, inspecting, and maintaining erosion prevention and sediment control BMPs at the site:
Company name: Site contact:

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prevention and sediment control BMPs at the site:					
Company name:		Site contact:			
Phone:	Email:				
* Attach training documentation					
Permanent stormwater management system:					
Identify individual(s) responsible for operation and mainte	enance of per	manent stormwater controls at the site:			
□ Feedlot operator □ Other:					
Company name: LONE OAKFARM INC.		Site contact: Greg Schwarz			
Company name: LONE OAKFARM INC.  Phone: (6/2) 756-2148	Email:	lone oak 12@ gmil. com			
Inspections procedures and recordkeeping					
All inspections and record keeping procedures will follow	the requirem	ents specified in the Minnesota General Stormwater			

Permit for Construction Activity (MN R100001).

#### Final Stabilization Χ.

Indicate/describe the methods of final stabilization to be implemented following completion of construction activites:

- ☐ Uniform perennial vegetative cover (70% of expected final growth before removal of temporary/measures)
- Permanent stormwater controls are installed and functional (if system is required)

☐ Other (Describe):

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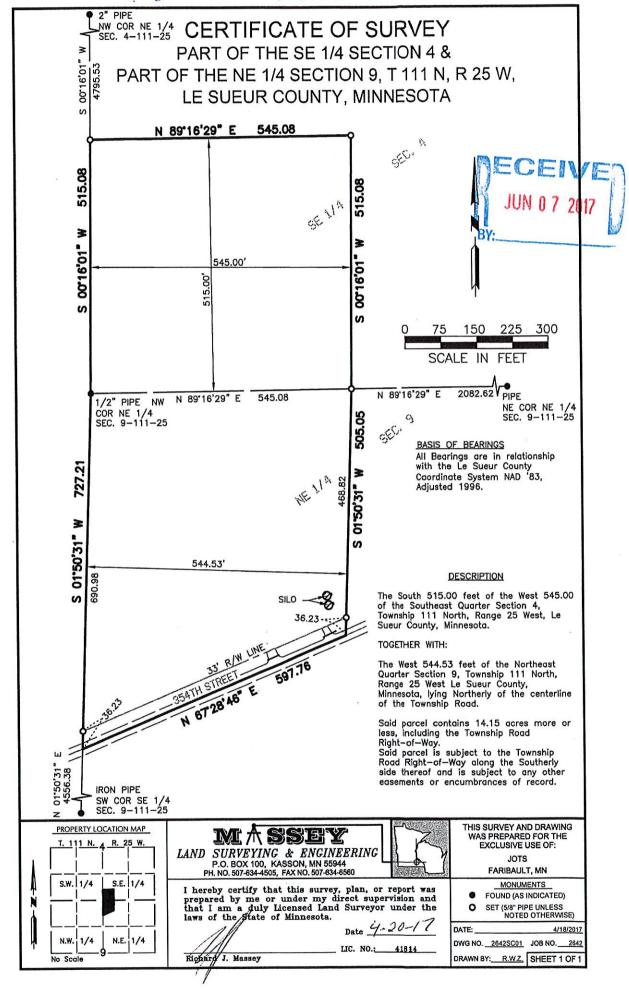
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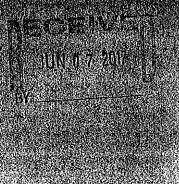
New barn location.

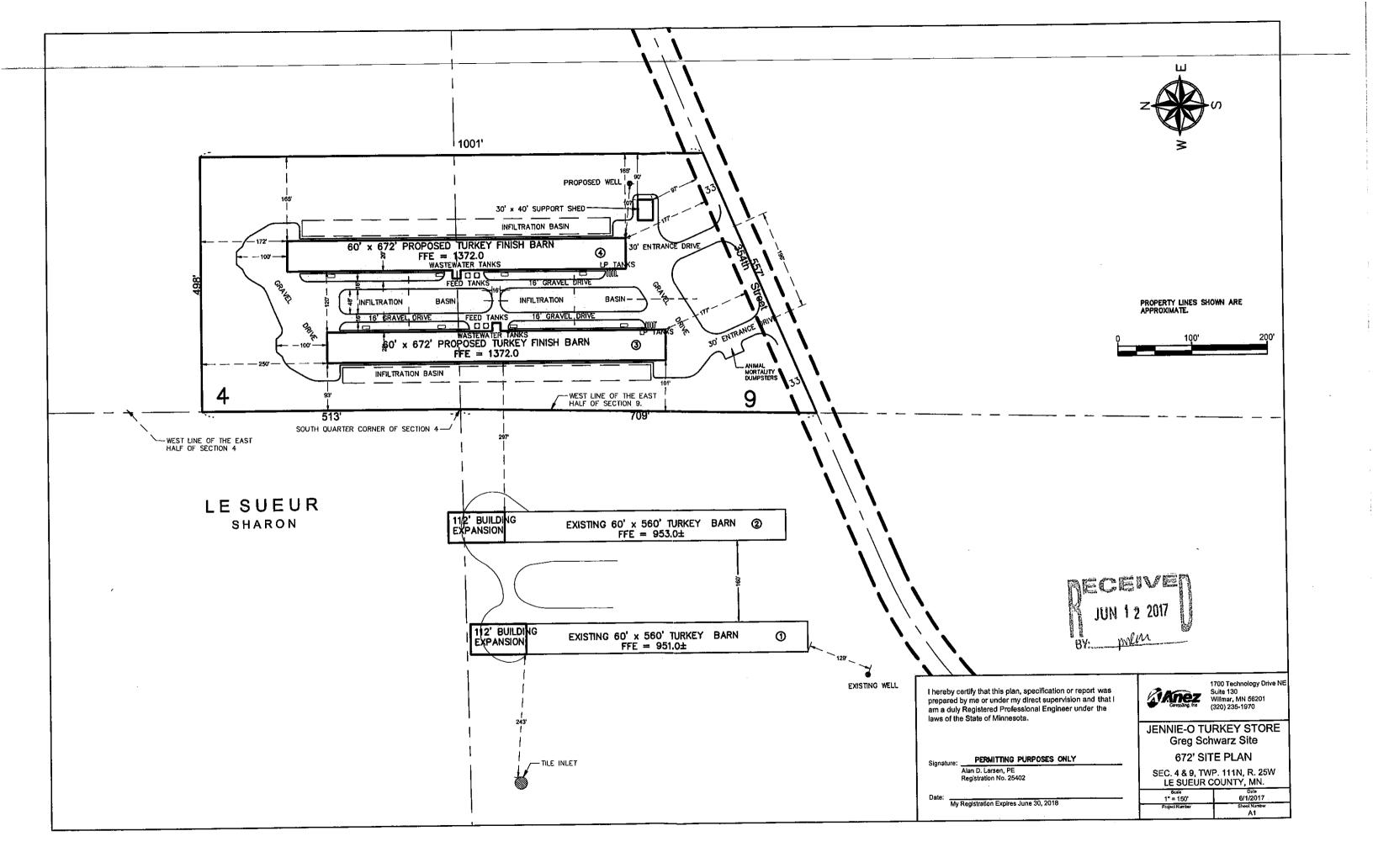


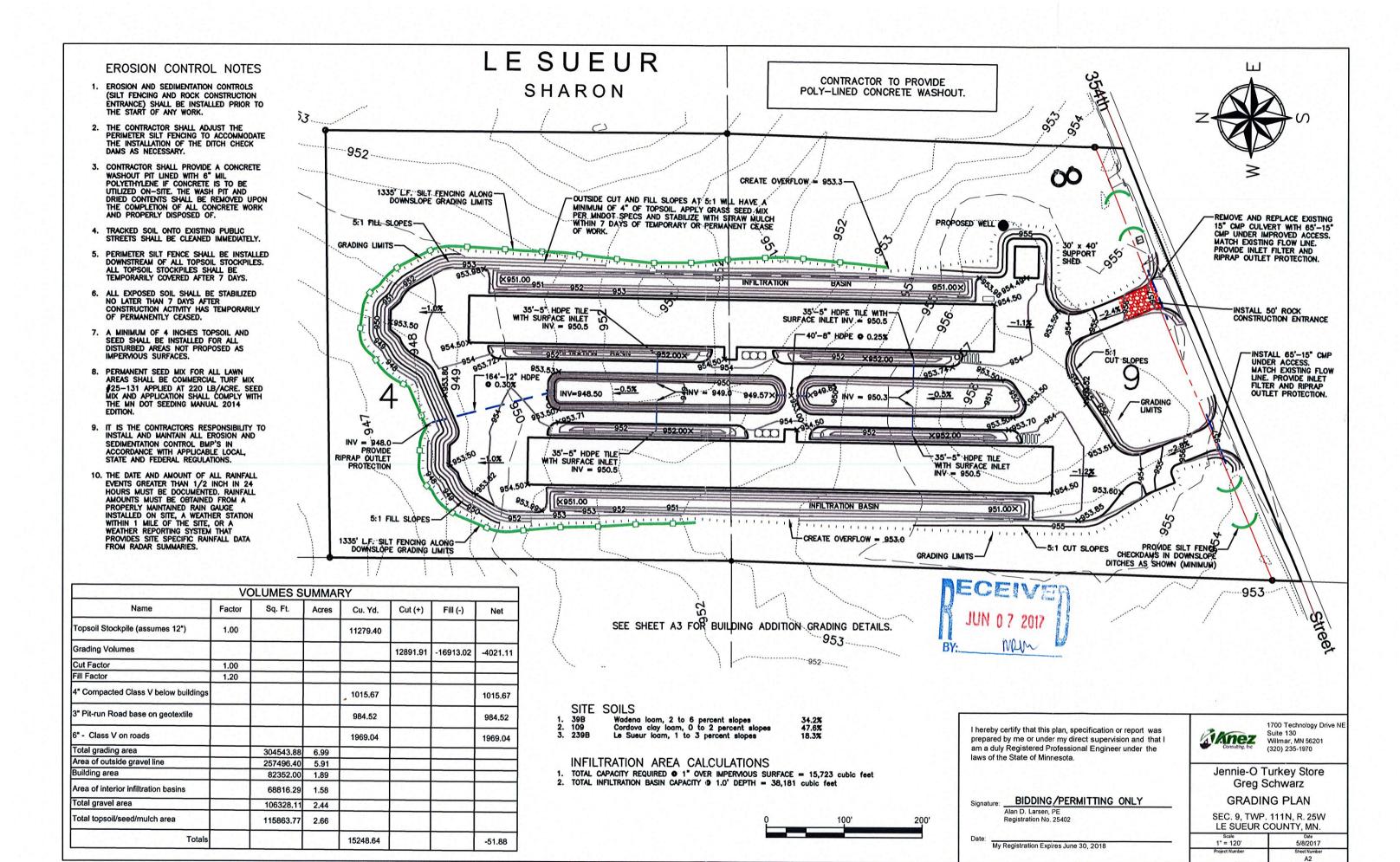
Greg Schwarz has permission to continue to use access driveways for his turkey barn site located on 354<sup>th</sup> St near Le Sueur

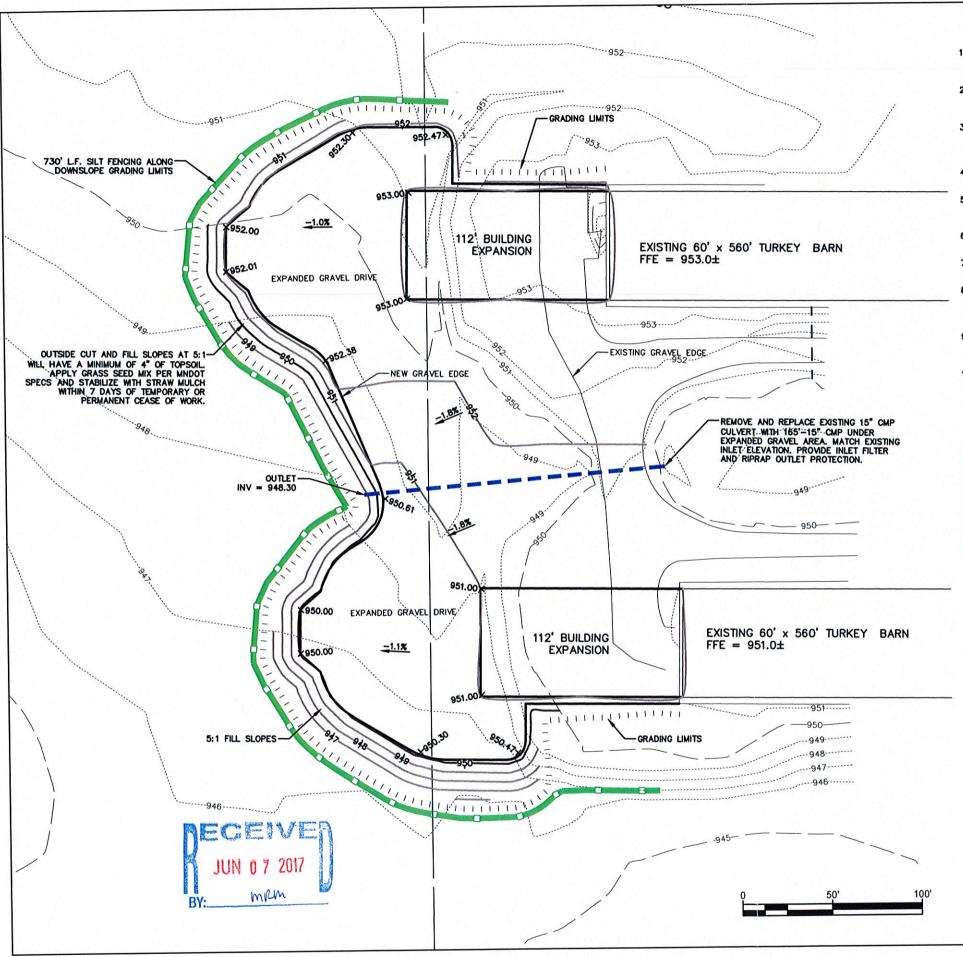
Sharon Township Supervisor

Mari Mayo









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### **EROSION CONTROL NOTES**

- 1. EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROLS (SILT FENCING AND ROCK CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE) SHALL BE INSTALLED PRIOR TO THE START OF
- 2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ADJUST THE PERIMETER SILT FENCING TO ACCOMMODATE THE INSTALLATION OF THE DITCH CHECK DAMS AS NECESSARY.
- CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE A CONCRETE WASHOUT PIT LINED WITH 6" MIL POLYETHYLENE IF CONCRETE IS TO BE UTILIZED ON-SITE. THE WASH PIT AND DRIED CONTENTS SHALL BE REMOVED UPON THE COMPLETION OF ALL CONCRETE WORK AND PROPERLY DISPOSED OF.
- 4. TRACKED SOIL ONTO EXISTING PUBLIC STREETS SHALL BE CLEANED IMMEDIATELY.
- PERIMETER SILT FENCE SHALL BE INSTALLED DOWNSTREAM OF ALL TOPSOIL STOCKPILES. ALL TOPSOIL STOCKPILES SHALL BE TEMPORARILY COVERED AFTER 7 DAYS.
- 6. ALL EXPOSED SOIL SHALL BE STABILIZED NO LATER THAN 7 DAYS AFTER CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY HAS TEMPORARILY OF PERMANENTLY CEASED.
- A MINIMUM OF 4 INCHES TOPSOIL AND SEED SHALL BE INSTALLED FOR ALL DISTURBED AREAS NOT PROPOSED AS IMPERVIOUS SURFACES.
- 8. PERMANENT SEED MIX FOR ALL LAWN AREAS SHALL BE COMMERCIAL TURF MIX \$25-131 APPLIED AT 220 LB/ACRE. SEED MIX AND APPLICATION SHALL COMPLY WITH THE MIN DOT SEEDING MANUAL 2014
- 9. IT IS THE CONTRACTORS RESPONSIBILITY TO INSTALL AND MAINTAIN ALL EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL BMP'S IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS.
- 10. THE DATE AND AMOUNT OF ALL RAINFALL EVENTS GREATER THAN 1/2 INCH IN 24 HOURS MUST BE DOCUMENTED. RAINFALL AMOUNTS MUST BE OBTAINED FROM A PROPERLY MAINTAINED RAIN GAUGE INSTALLED ON SITE, A WEATHER STATION WITHIN 1 MILE OF THE SITE, OR A WEATHER

BUIL	DING AD	DITION V	OLUME	S SUMM/	ARY		
Name	Factor	Sq. Ft.	Acres	Cu. Yd.	Cut (+)	Fill (-)	Ne
Topsoil Stockpile (assumes 12")	1.00			2499.45			
Grading Volumes					56.21	-5312.36	-525
Cut Factor	1.00						
Fill Factor	1.20						17.7
4" Compacted Class V below Buildings				165.76			165
3" Pit-run Road base on geotextile				361.07			361
6" - Class V on roads				722.15			722
Total grading area	100	67485.06	1.55				-
Area of outside gravel line		38996.07	0.90				
Building area	100	13440.00	0.31			1.5	
Area of interior infiltration basins		0.00	0.00				

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I hereby certify that this plan, specification or report was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly Registered Professional Engineer under the laws of the State of Minnesota.

BIDDING/PERMITTING ONLY Alan D. Larsen, PE Registration No. 25402

Totals

Total gravel area

Total topsoil/seed/mulch area

Date: My Registration Expires June 30, 2018

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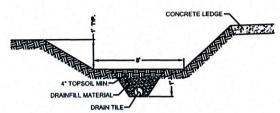
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Jennie-O Turkey Store Greg Schwarz

GRADING PLAN - ADDIT

SEC. 9, TWP. 111N, R. 25W LE SUEUR COUNTY, MN.

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### NOTES:

- 1. CHANNEL SLOPES SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED PER PLAN CONTOURS
- CHANNELS SHALL BE OVEREXCAVATED TO ACCOMMODATE THE PLACEMENT OF A 4\* LAYER OF TOPSOIL AND EROSION CONTROL MEASURES.
- INSTALL EROSION CONTROL MEASURES (MULCHING OR MATTING) IMMEDIATELY UPON PLACEMENT OF TOPSOIL AND SEEDING AMENDMENTS.

**BUILDING SWALES CROSS SECTION DETAIL** 

### DRAINFILL NOTES:

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1. DRAINFILL MATERIALS SHALL BE SAND, GRAVEL, CRUSHED STONE, OR MIXTURES THEREOF. THE MATERIAL SHALL BE CLEAN, HARD, DURABLE PARTICLES FREE FROM ORGANIC MATTER OR OTHER DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES THAT WOULD INTERFERE WITH FREE-DRAINING PROPERTIES.

DRAINFILL MATERIAL SHALL BE A REASONABLY WELL GRADED SAND-GRAVEL MIXTURE WITH 50 TO 85 PERCENT PASSING A NO. 4 SIEVE, THE MAXIMUM SIZE OF THE MATERIAL SHALL BE 3 INCHES, NO

3. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, NOT MORE THAN 5 PERCENT BY WEIGHT OF THE MATERIAL FINER THAN A NO. 4 SIEVE SHALL BE CRUSHED LIMESTONE OR DOLOMITE.

4. FOUNDATION SURFACES AND TRENCHES SHALL BE CLEAN AND FREE OF ORGANIC MATTER, LOOSE SOIL, FOREION SUBSTANCES, AND STANDING WATER WHEN THE DRAINFILL IS PLACED. EARTH SURFACES UPON OR AGAINST WHICH DRAINFILL WILL BE PLACED SHALL NOT BE SCARIFIED.

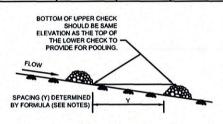
5. DRAINFILL SHALL BE PLACED IN UNIFORM LAYERS NOT MORE THAN 12 INCHES IN THICKNESS.

6. THE DRAINFILL SHALL BE PLACED IN A MANNER TO AVOID SEGREGATION OF PARTICLE SIZES, NO FOREIGN MATERIALS WILL BE ALLOWED TO BECOME INTERMIXED WITH OR OTHERWISE CONTAMINATE THE MATERIAL.

		GENER	AL DESIGN GUIDELINE	S		
DITCH CHECK TYPE	SILT FENCE	BIOROLL	BIOROLL BLANKET	TRIANGULAR DIKE	ROCK WEEPER	ROCK CHECK
STORM FREQUENCY: MAX. FLOW VELOCIT MAX. DITCH GRADE: MAX. DRAINAGE ARE	0%5%	2 YR 24 HR.  1.5% - 3% 2 ACRE	2 YR 24 HR. 	2 YR 24 HR.  1.5% - 2.0% 4 ACRE	5 YR 24 HR. 12 FTJ/SEC 3% - 5% 4+ ACRE	5 YR 24 HR 12 FT/SEC 3% - 5% 4+ ACRE

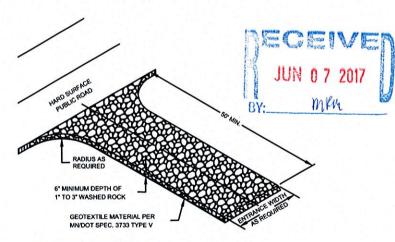
NOTES SEE SPECS. 2573, 3601, 3733, 3885, 3886 & 3889. APPROXIMATE SPACING BETWEEN EACH DITCH CHECK SHOULD BE DETERMINED FROM SPACING FORMULA: (FT.) = Y = DITCH CHECK HEIGHT (FT) % CHANNEL SLOPE 100

 PERMANENT DITCH CHECKS PLACED
WITHIN THE CLEAR ZONE WILL NEED
TO BE 18" OR LESS IN HEIGHT. A
1:6 APPROACH AND DEPARTURE SLOPE SHALL BE PROVIDED.



DITCH CHECK SPACING ①

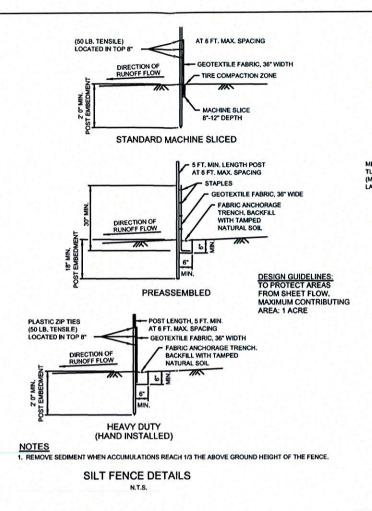
### TEMP. SEDIMENT CONTROL DITCH CHECKS/BARRIERS



### MAINTENANCE (INCIDENTAL)

THE ROCK PAD SHALL BE MAINTAINED TO PREVENT THE TRACKING OF MUD ONTO PAVED ROADS, INCLUDING PERIODIC TOP DRESSING WITH ADDITIONAL ROCK OR REMOVAL AND REINSTALLATION OF THE PAD AS NECESSARY.

TEMPORARY ROCK CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE



### SPECIFICATIONS FOR SEEDING AND STABILIZATION

### TEMPORARY SEEDING:

FALL
SEED MIX
APPLICATION RATE
SEEDING PERIOD
FERTILIZER TYPE
FERTILIZER
APPLICATION RATE
MULCH TYPE
MULCH RATE 21-112 100 LBS/ACRE 8/1 TO 10/1 PER MANUFACTURES RECOMMENDATION PER MANUFACTURES RECOMMENDATION HAY OR STRAW
2 TONS/ACRE SPRING/SUMMER SEED MIX APPLICATION RATE SEEDING PERIOD
FERTILIZER TYPE
FERTILIZER
APPLICATION RATE
MULCH TYPE
MULCH RATE 5/1 TO 8/1 PER MANUFACTURES RECOMMENDATION PER MANUFACTURES RECOMMENDATION HAY OR STRAW : 2 TONS/ACRE

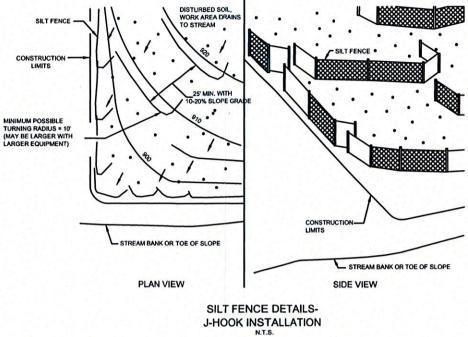
### PERMANANT SEEDING: SEED MIX 25-131

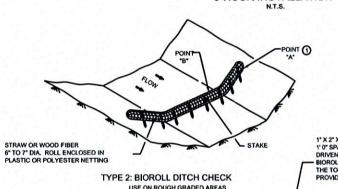
220 LBS/ACRE 4/1 TO 6/1, 7/20 TO 10/20 PER MANUFACTURES RECOMMENDATION APPLICATION RATE SEEDING PERIODS
FERTILIZER TYPE
FERTILIZER
APPLICATION RATE PER MANUFACTURES RECOMMENDATION LIMING RATE MULCH TYPE MULCH RATE 2 TONS/ACRE NON-VEGETATIVE SURFACE STABILIZATION: MULCH

TEMPORARY MULCH TYPE HAY OR STRAY APPLICATION RATE 3 TONS/ACRE WOOD CELLULOSE/HYDROSEED

### NOTES:

- THE MULCH APPLICATION RATE FOR CHANNELS AND 3:1 SLOPES SHALL BE 3 TONS PER ACRE AS INDICATED ON THE PLAN.
- STRAW AND HAY MULCH SHALL BE DISC ANCHORED IMMEDIATELY AFTER APPLICATION TO PREVENT BEING WINDBLOWN.
- 3, SEED MIX AND APPLICATION SHALL COMPLY WITH THE MN DOT SEEDING MANUAL 2014 EDITION.





1" X 2" X 18" LONG WOODEN STAKES AT 1"0" SPACING MAXIMUM. STAKES SHALL BE DRIVEN THROUGH THE BACK HALF OF THE BIOROLL AT AN ANGLE OF 45 DEGREES WITH THE TOP OF THE STAKE POINTING UPSTREA! PROVIDE 8" TO 10" OF EMBEDMENT DEPTH. 1-10' EMBEOMENT

### **BIOROLL STAKING DETAIL**

- NOTES

  1. SEE TEMP. SEDIMENT CONTROL DITCH CHECKS/BARROERS DETAIL FOR DITCH CHECK SPACING. 2. REMOVE SEDIMENT WHEN ACCUMULATIONS REACH 1/3 THE ABOVE GROUND HEIGHT DITCH CHECK DAM.
- POINT "A" MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 6 INCHES HIGHER THAN POINT "B" TO ENSURE THAT WATER FLOWS OVER THE DIKE AND NOT AROUND THE ENDS.

### TEMP. SEDIMENT CONTROL TYPE 2 DITCH CHECKS

I hereby certify that this plan, specification or report was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly Registered Professional Engineer under the laws of the State of Minnesota.

Signature: BIDDING/PERMITTING ONLY Alan D. Larsen, PE Registration No. 25402

My Registration Expires June 30, 2018



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CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

SEC. 9, TWP. 111N, R. 25W LE SUEUR COUNTY, MN.

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### Le Sueur County, MN

Thursday, July 13, 2017 Regular session

Item 3

Lone Oak Farm Inc Feedlot Packet

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

### CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION #17170 LE SUEUR COUNTY

IN AN AGRICULTURAL ZONING DISTRICT, AN EXPANSION AND CONSTRUCTION OF AN EXISTING REGISTERED ANIMAL FEEDLOT CAPABLE OF HOUSING 981 ANIMAL UNITS (54,500 HEAD OF TURKEYS OVER 5 POUNDS)

> NAME: LONE OAK FARM, INC. GREGORY AND JOAN SCHWARZ

Subject:

Conditional Use Permit Application #17170

Applicant:

LONE OAK FARM, INC.

Property Owner:

GREGORY AND JOAN SCHWARZ

Location:

Existing: NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 9, Sharon Township

Expansion: NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 9, Sharon Township and

SE ¼ of the SW ¼ and the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 4, Sharon Township

**Existing Zoning:** 

A- AGRICULTURAL

Date of Hearing:

JULY 13, 2017

Reported by:

Kathy Brockway-Le Sueur County P & Z Administrator

Amy Beatty- Le Sueur County Feedlot Officer

### **Applicant Received:**

The applicant has received copies of the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance Sections 8: Agriculture District, Section 16: Animal Feedlot and Manure Management, and Section 21: Conditional Use Permit.

### **Township Notification:**

The applicant contacted Ronda Schleeve, Sharon Township Clerk on May 31, 2017.

### Zoning District:

The Agriculture (A) District is established for areas where agriculture uses are seen as the best and highest long term use of the land. The land itself needs to be preserved for primarily agricultural activities. These areas should avoid existing cities, residential zones, and subdivisions. They should be large contiguous land areas with mostly prime soils. Rezoning should only be considered on the zone's borders in order to maintain the Zoning integrity of the District. Dwellings that are allowed should be on the edges of the open farmland where possible or utilize existing abandoned farm sites. The total number of Dwellings shall not exceed sixteen (16) per section of land with the exception of Transfer of Development Right and lots of record. Transfer of development rights may be utilized to exceed the permitted housing density of one dwelling per quarter-quarter section (40 acres), provided that the density does not exceed four dwellings per quarter-quarter section in the receiving quarter-quarter section. Lots of Record shall be exempt from density standards.

Goal 1: Le Sueur County contains some of the most productive agricultural soils in Minnesota and should adopt and enforce land use goals and policies that conserve and protect agricultural resources and uses.

The County will protect the best of its agricultural land as a resource for long term agricultural use.

Policy:

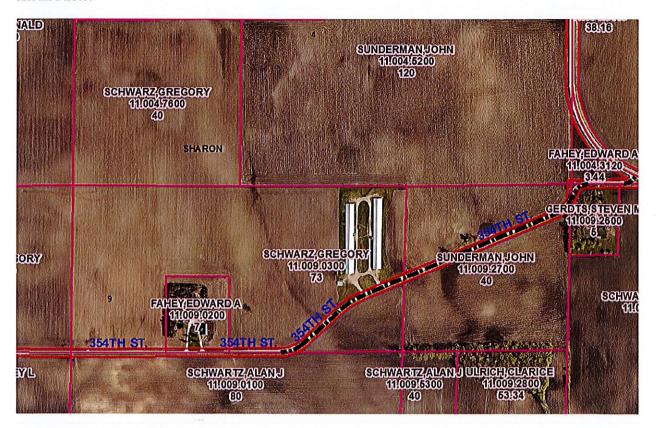
Policy:

An adequate supply of healthy livestock is essential to the well being of Le Sueur County. The location of livestock feedlots and non-feedlot uses too close to one another can cause conflicts. An effort to combine local needs with state feedlot regulations will ensure local involvement in this issue, help provide minimal disruption to existing agricultural businesses, and help provide rules to protect the environment.

### Site Information:

The existing registered animal feedlot is located on a parcel in the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 9, Sharon Township. The expansion of the animal feedlot will be in NW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 9, Sharon Township and SE ¼ of the SW ¼ and the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 4, Sharon Township. The property address for the existing and proposed expansion of the animal feedlot is 28678 354<sup>th</sup> Street, Le Sueur.

### **Aerial Photo:**



### **Surrounding Land Uses:**

The predominant use of the surrounding land is:

North: Ag

South: Ag

East: Ag

West: Ag

Shoreland:

The existing registered animal feedlot is not located within the Shoreland Zoning District.

Wetlands:

No wetlands are located in the quarter-quarter section where the proposed registered animal

feedlot is located.

### Request:

The applicant is requesting to expand and construct an existing animal feedlot capable of housing 981 animal units or 54,500 head of turkeys over five pounds. See attached narrative from the applicant.

### **Animal Feedlot Permit Application:**

The applicant's animal feedlot permit application was received by the county feedlot officer prior to and on June 7, 2017 and was comprised of:

- 1. Construction Short-Form Permit Application
- 2. Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan
- 3. Emergency Response Plan
- 4. Manure Management Plan

Per Minn. Stat. §116.07, subd. 7(a), as amended in 2003:

(a) A person who applies to the pollution control agency or a county board for a permit to construct or expand a feedlot with a capacity of 500 animal units or more shall, not less than 20 business days before the date on which a permit is issued, provide notice to each resident and owner of real property within 5,000 feet of the perimeter of the proposed feedlot. The notice may be delivered by first class mail, in person, or by the publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the affected area and must include information on the type of livestock and the proposed capacity of the feedlot.

The applicant's notification was published in the Le Sueur News Herald's May10, 2017 edition.

### **County and State Requirements:**

In an Agricultural Zoning District, a registered animal feedlot may house up to 3,000 animal units through the Conditional Use Permit process.

• The applicant is requesting to expand and construct an existing animal feedlot capable of housing 981 animal units or 54,500 head of turkeys over five pounds in an Agricultural Zoning District.

For a registered animal feedlot between 101 to 2,000 animal units, the minimum lot size and suitable area acreage is ten (10) acres.

- The existing animal feedlot is located on a 73 acre parcel and has a suitable acre acreage of 73 acres.
- The applicant submitted a Certificate of Survey showing a parcel where the proposed expansion will be constructed. This parcel has a total acreage of 14.15 acres and a suitable area acreage of 14.15.

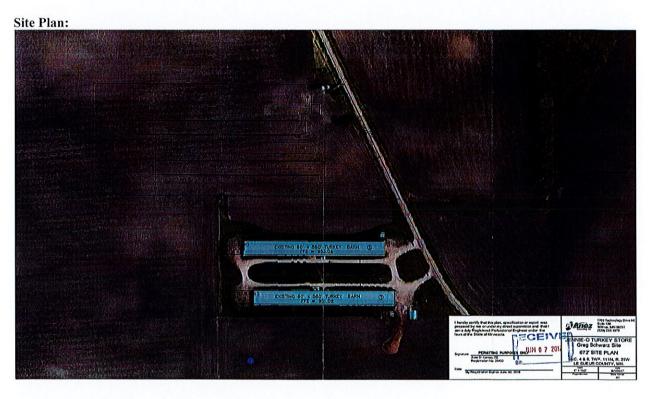
Per Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2005, subpart 1 and Chapter 4410.4300, subpart 29, the site meets or exceeds the following requirements for the proposed registered animal feedlot.

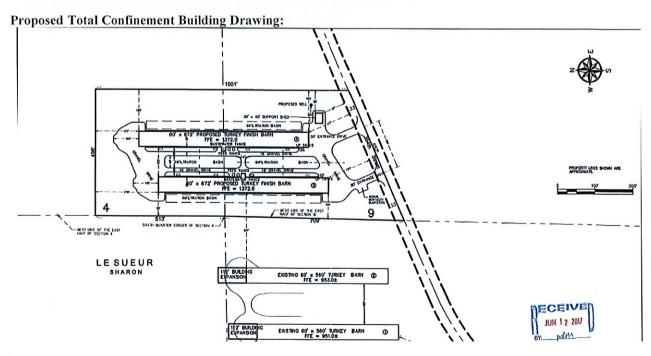
- The existing and proposed expansion of the animal feedlot facility is not
  - o Within 1,000 feet of a lake or within 300 feet of a stream;
  - Located within a delineated floodplain;
  - o Located in a state or federally designated wild and scenic river district, a Minnesota River Project Riverbend Area, or the Mississippi Headwaters Area; and
  - Located in a drinking water supply management area.
- The applicant will meet or exceed the following setback requirements as listed in the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, Section 16 for the animal feedlot's total confinement buildings.
  - Well required 100 feet;
    - Existing total confinement buildings: 129 feet to total confinement building #1;
    - Proposed total confinement buildings: 107 feet to total confinement building #4:
  - o Property Lines required 100 feet;
    - 172 feet from proposed total confinement building #4 to the north property line;
    - 165 feet from proposed total confinement building #4 to the east property line;
    - The landowner owns the land within 600 or more feet of the existing and proposed total confinement buildings to the nearest property line.
  - o Road right-of-way required 100 feet;
    - 177 feet to the proposed total confinement buildings #3 and #4;
  - Cemetery required 500 feet; and
    - No cemetery within 500 feet of the animal feedlot;
  - Existing school, park, golf course, licensed campground, or residential zoning district required 1,000 feet.
    - No existing school, park, golf course, licensed campground, or residential zoning district within 1,000 feet of the animal feedlot.
  - o Existing dwellings required 1,000 feet.
    - The existing and proposed animal feedlot's total confinement buildings to existing dwellings are more than 1,000 feet.

### **Existing and Proposed Animal Feedlot Structures:**

- Existing Total Confinement Buildings:
  - The two (2) existing total confinement buildings measure 60 feet x 560 feet. It is proposed to construct a 60 foot x 112 foot addition onto each of the buildings. After the addition, each of the existing buildings will house 13,625 head of turkeys over five pounds.
  - The two existing total confinement buildings' poultry barn floors will be both soil-lined (existing) and concrete (addition) and when constructed, will meet the requirements of Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2120, subparts 2 (for concrete) and 3 (for soil).
  - The litter or turkey manure will be in the total confinement buildings until the turkeys are ready to be marketed. On average, the litter in each of the buildings will measure 60 feet by 672 feet by 1 inch.
- Proposed Total Confinement Buildings:
  - The two (2) proposed total confinement buildings will measure 60 feet x 672 feet. Each of the proposed buildings will house 13,625 head of turkeys over five pounds.
  - The two (2) proposed total confinement buildings' poultry barn floors will be constructed of concrete and when constructed, will meet the requirements of Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2120, subpart 2.

- The litter or turkey manure will be in the total confinement buildings until the turkeys are ready to be marketed. On average, the litter in each of the buildings will measure 60 feet by 672 feet by 1 inch.
- The applicant is proposing to install four-2,000 gallon precast tanks (sewage tanks) per building to collect and store wash water from barn cleanings. Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020 defines these tanks as liquid manure storage areas (LMSA) or more specifically"Limited Risk LMSA" that provide for temporary manure storage or processing. Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2100, subpart 1.D. and E. provides an exemption to the locational restrictions and most of the design requirements of Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2100 for certain LMSAs that provide for temporary storage or processing of waste. The exemption is only applicable to LMSAs constructed entirely of concrete and in non-karst susceptible areas, a maximum allowable volume of 20,000 gallons. Design plans and specifications for limited risk LMSAs are subject to Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2100, subpart 3, items C and D, subpart 4, item I, J, and N, subpart 5, item A, and subpart 7. These design plans and specifications are required to be submitted for review and approval. In this case, when a pre-cast tank is proposed, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) will approve a manufacturer certification that the pre-cast tank meets the requirements of Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7080 for use as sewage tank in lieu of the typical design information for a poured in place concrete lined LMSA.





### Manure Management Plan:

A manure management plan and a manure management plan requirements when ownership of manure is transferred have been submitted to and reviewed by Department staff. A copy is on file in the office of the Le Sueur County Feedlot Officer. A plan is required to be prepared by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, Section 16.

All of the manure generated from the existing registered animal feedlot site will be

- · Land applied on land owned and/or rented by Mr. Schwarz; or
- All or partially transferred to area cropland managers for stockpiling and land application.

### **Odor Control:**

An Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan has been submitted to and reviewed by Department staff. A copy is on file in the office of the Le Sueur County Feedlot Officer. A plan is required to be prepared by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, Section 16.

Based upon the Department's technical review, all application components have been submitted and are found to be complete.

### Feedlot Officer Findings:

- The animal feedlot shall be operated in a manner consistent with the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance and Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020. Any deviation may necessitate modification of its Conditional Use Permit.
- 2. Per Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2120, subpart 6, notification shall be made to the Department three (3) business days prior to onset of construction and within three (3) business days following completion of construction of the poultry barn floors.
- 3. The limited risk liquid manure storage areas shall conform to Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7080, be installed per the manufacturer's specifications, and be tested for watertightness either at the plant or on-site. The sewage tank identification form and watertight testing form shall be submitted to the county feedlot officer. There shall be, on file with the county feedlot officer, a signed service contract between the animal feedlot owner and the appropriately licensed company who will be pumping the limited risk liquid manure storage areas. The pumping records shall be made available to the county feedlot officer upon request.
- 4. All animal manure from the operation shall be utilized in accordance to its Manure Management Plan and stockpiled and land applied per Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020 and the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance.
- 5. Animal mortality disposal shall meet the requirements of the Minnesota Board of Animal Health.
- 6. The permit holder shall allow the County Feedlot Officer or assigned representee to inspect the site whenever necessary upon notification to permit holder.
- No animals shall be brought into the newly constructed portion of the facility until all conditions have been met.
- 8. All applicable requirements as stated in Section 16, Subdivision 9, Standards for Conditional Use Permits, and any additional standards or requirements imposed by the Le Sueur County Board of Commissioners shall be met.

### **ATTACHMENTS**

Application, Criteria Form, Narrative, MPCA Permitting Requirements, Twp Notification, Publication, Maps

### PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION CONSIDERATIONS

The Planning Commission and staff shall consider possible adverse effects of the proposed conditional use and what additional requirements may be necessary to reduce such adverse effects. Its judgment shall be based upon the following factors to include, but not limited to:

- 1. Relationship to County plans.
- 2. The geographical area involved.
- 3. Whether such use will negatively affect surrounding properties in the area in which it is proposed.
- 4. The character of the surrounding area.
- 5. The demonstrated need for such use.
- 6. Whether the proposed use would cause odors, dust, flies, vermin, smoke, gas, noise, or vibration or would impose hazards to life or property in the neighborhood.
- 7. Whether such use would inherently lead to or encourage disturbing influences in the neighborhood.
- 8. Whether stored equipment or materials would be screened and whether there would be continuous operation within the visible range of surrounding residences.
- 9. Abatement of Environmental Hazards as regulated in this Ordinance.
- 10. Other factors impacting the public health, safety, and welfare.

### PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION FINDINGS

Based on the information submitted by the applicant, contained in this report, and as required by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, the following findings have been developed for this request: (Please circle one for each item: Agree, Disagree, Not Applicable.)

- 1. The conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminishes and impairs property values within the immediate vicinity.
- 2. The establishment of the conditional use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for uses predominant in the area.
- 3. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been or are being provided.
- 4. Adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.
- 5. Adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent and control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.
- 6. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with and supported by the statement of purposes, policies, goals and objectives in the Ordinance?
- 7. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan?

Recommend (circle one) approval / denial / table / of Conditional Use Permit.

### Le Sueur County

Conditional Use Application Applicant: Name Lone Oak Farm, Inc. Mailing Address 30012 Lexington Rd City Le Sueur State MN Zip 56058 Phone # 507-665-2777 Phone # II. Landowner: Name Gregory & Joan Schwarz Mailing Address 30012 Lexington Rd City Le Sueur State MN 56058 Zip Property Address 28678 354th St City Le Sueur State MN 56058 Phone # 507-665-2777 Phone # III. Parcel Information: Parcel Number 11.009.0300 11.009.2700 11.004.5200 Parcel Acreage 73, 40, 120 Attach Full Legal Description (NOT abbreviated description from tax statement) Township Sharon Section 9 Subdivision Lot Block Township Notification: Township must be notified of proposed use prior to application. IV. Township notified on \_ May 9, 2017 (Township Name) Board Member Ronda Schleeve \_\_\_\_ regarding the proposed use. (Name) V. **Quantities and Submittal Formats:** a. One (1) reproducible 8.5" x 11" copy of the request and all other supporting documents. b. Twenty three (23) copies must be submitted, if any documents are in color, an aerial, or larger than 8.5" x 11" in size. c. Electronic version of any supporting documents if available. c. Additional copies may be requested as deemed necessary by the Department. d. Application must be made in person by the applicant and/or landowner no later than 12 P.M. on the date of application deadline. e. Appointment is necessary. Applications will not be accepted by mail. VI. Fees: Must be paid at the time of application. Conditional Use Permit \$ 750 After-The-Fact fee is doubled. Filing Fee **Additional Fees:** Special Meeting \$ 2,000 After-The-Fact Penalty \$ 1,500 OR 10% of improvement, whichever is greater

VII.	Ту	pe	e of Request:						
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		5.	SECURITY PLANS: locked d	oors					
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	<ul> <li>Parking (Size &amp; location-if applicable to application)</li> <li>Landscape, screening and buffering (if applicable to application)</li> <li>Location of significant trees to be removed (if applicable to application)</li> <li>JUN 0 7 2017</li> </ul>								

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Attachments: shall include but not limited to:

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### LE SUEUR COUNTY CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT CRITERIA

Land Owner: GREGORY & JOAN SCHWARZ

Conditional Use Permit #: 17170

Applicant: LONG OAK FARMS INC

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### **Description of Request**

Lone Oak Farm, Inc, 30012 Lexington Rd St, Le Sueur, MN, 56058 is applying for a Conditional Use Permit to construct two 60' x 672' total confinement turkey barns on 40 acres in the NW % of the NE %, section 9, Sharon Township. The site is located on 354<sup>th</sup> St.

The site has two existing  $60' \times 560'$  total confinement turkey barns housing 24,700 turkeys over five pounds or 444.6 animal units. The applicant is also proposing to construct  $60' \times 112'$  additions with concrete floors on to the north end of the existing barns on the site. The existing barns are located in the NE  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the NW  $\frac{1}{2}$  of section 9. There are 73 acres in this parcel.

Each barn will house 13,625 turkeys over five pounds. There will be a total of 54,500 turkeys over five pounds on the site. The total animal units for the site will be 981.

Manure will be stored in the barns until the time of cleanout. Cleanouts are determined by the time of the year and number of flocks through the barn. Barns will be empty of turkeys at cleanout time. The applicant has sufficient land application acres for the litter produced. Litter may also be made available to local farmers for stockpiling and application on their fields. MPCA guidelines for stockpiling and field application will be followed. Manure is land applied by a B & H Trucking & Spreading. Their CAWT license number is: 20052499

After the barns are cleaned and swept workers will wash the barns. Drain water will be collected from each barn in a 2000 gallon tank located next to each barn. These tanks will then be pumped by a licensed waste handling company. The drain water is then either land applied or disposed of at a municipal waste facility. Tanks will be installed as per manufacturer's specifications and meet the standards for MN Rules and Regulations for vacuum testing and burying depth. These tanks are considered Low Risk LMSAs.





### Animal Feedlot or Manure Storage Area Permit Application

### **CSF and Interim Permit Program**

Doc Type: Permit Application

**Applicability:** To obtain a construction short form (CSF) or interim permit, you must complete and submit this form to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA), or to the County Feedlot Officer (CFO) in delegated counties.

Keep a copy of this application form and all submittals for your records.

		Feedlot Registration	Number: 079-66561
I. Permit type and reason	on for application		
Please indicate which type of feedle	ot permit you are applying fo	or (choose only one)	
□ Construction Short Form		☐ Interim (correcting a pollution h	azard)
Please indicate the reason for the p	permit application (choose o	nlv one)	
New Permit (No existing CSF or interim permit)			
Permit Modification (Changes to sites with an existing C	SF or interim permit)		
Permit Extension - Current CSF (Work not completed prior to permit Indicate below the reason(s) the	or Interim Permit Number:		
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		Additional owner – attach addit	
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Phone: 507-665-2777			A STATE OF THE STA
Email:	Zip: <u>56058</u>	Phone:	Zip:
Note: The term owner includes all person	h to this application the names,	Email:  or title to an animal feedlot or manure storm addresses, and phone numbers of all addresses.  Contact person for day-to	age area (including lessees or litional owners.
Site Name: Lone Oak Farm, Inc			r-day activities
☐ Facility is a MN Ag Water Quality	Certified Farm (MAWOCD)	Name: Greg Schwarz	
Complete if facility address is different that		Street: 30012 Lexington Rd	
Street: 28678 354 <sup>th</sup> St	i trie primary owner address:	City: Le Sueur	State: MN
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		(General letters/notices may be sent by	e-mail where one is indicated.)
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### IV. Facility location

County: Le Sueur Township name: Sharon

Township (26 – 71 or 101 – 168)	Range (1 – 51)	Section (1 – 36)	1/4 Section (160 acre) (NW, NE, SW, SE)	1/4 of 1/4 Section (40 acre) (NW, NE, SW, SE)
			NW - 9, existing barns, NE - 9, new barns, Sec 4, New	NE - 9, existing barns, NW - 9, new barns, S1/2 - 4, New
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1.	Is any part of the facility within 1,000 feet of any type of surface waters?  If Yes, complete a. and b. below:  a. List the name of the surface water feature:	☐ Yes ⊠ No
	<ul> <li>b. Select the type of surface water feature below:</li> <li>☐ Lake/Pond larger than 25 acres</li> <li>☐ Wetland</li> <li>☐ Drainage ditch</li> <li>☐ Other</li> <li>☐ River/Stream</li> <li>☐ Yes</li> <li>☐ No</li> </ul>	
2.	Is any part of the facility located within a delineated flood plain (100 year flood)?	☐ Yes ⊠ No
3.	Is any part of the facility located within designated shoreland?	☐ Yes ⊠ No
4.	Is any part of the facility located within 1,000 feet of a karst feature? (sinkholes, caves, disappearing springs, resurgent springs, karst windows, dry valleys, or blind valleys) If Yes, complete a. and b. below:	☐ Yes ⊠ No
	a. Are there 4 or more sinkholes within 1,000 feet?	
	b. Is any part of the facility within 300 feet of a known sinkhole?	
5.	Is any part of the facility located within 1,000 feet of the following types of wells:  If Yes, select the applicable well type below:  a community water supply well	☐ Yes ⊠ No
	a well serving a public school as defined under Minn. Stat. § 120A.05	
	a well serving a private school excluding home school sites	
	a well serving a licensed child care center where the well is vulnerable (Minn. R. 4720.5550, subp. 2)	
6.	Is any part of the facility located within 1,000 feet of an open tile intake?	Yes □ No

### VI. Environmental Review (complete when construction or expansion is proposed)

Mandatory environmental review is required when the addition of 1,000 or more animal units (AU) is proposed as part of the construction/expansion at any facility. The threshold when environmental review is mandatory is reduced to 500 AU when any part of the facility is located within a "sensitive area". The facility is within a sensitive area when any of the following apply.

- Any part of the facility is within a delineated floodplain (yes to question 2 above)
- Any part of the facility is within designated shoreland (yes to question 3 above)
- Any part of the facility is within 1,000 feet of a karst feature (yes to question 4 above)
- Any part of the facility is within a vulnerable drinking water supply management area
- Any part of the facility is within a federal, state, or local wild and scenic river district
- Any part of the facility is located within the Minnesota River Project Riverbend area or the Mississippi headwaters area

Additionally mandatory environmental review is required for "Phased actions". Phased actions are defined under Minnesota law (Minn. R. ch. 4410) as two or more projects located in the same geographic area and constructed sequentially within three years of each other by the same proposer. When this is the case, the animal units from all projects are combined to determine if environmental review is required. The following will assist the MPCA to evaluate if your project qualifies as a "phased action".

- no required the residence in the contract of the property of
Do you have ownership interest in another livestock operation that was constructed/expanded within the past three years or are you substantially certain you will be constructing/expanding another livestock operation within the next three years?
☐ Yes    No
If Yes, how far away (straight-line distance) is it located from the project proposed in this application?miles

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### VII. Animal numbers and animal unit (AU) calculation

Complete the table below to identify the **maximum** number of animals housed at that facility. All animal numbers and animal sizes used to complete this table should reflect the animal holding **capacity** of the facility even if the facility does not currently house or propose to house that number of animals. At no time is the number of animals at the facility allowed to exceed the capacity provided below without first obtaining a permit or permit modification.

Current Capacity - List the current head count capacity for each animal type in column 3 below. For sites with a permit, this should match the currently permitted number of animals. Next, multiply the AU Factor in column 2 by the number of animals listed in column 3 to get the Current AU Capacity for each animal type (column 4). Finally, add together all AU's in column 4 to get a total at the bottom of the chart. If this application is for a brand-new feedlot site leave columns 3 and 4 blank. (ie. bare piece of ground)

**Final Capacity** - List the final head count **capacity** for each animal type in column 5 below. This number should include current animals plus or minus any expansion or reduction in each animal type. This should reflect the maximum AU capacity requested with this permit application. Next, multiply the AU Factor in column 2 by the number of animals listed in column 5 to get the *Final AU Capacity* for each animal type (column 6). Finally, add together all AU's in column 6 to get a total at the bottom of the chart.

		Current facility capacity		Final facility capacity (Current +/- Changes)	
1. Animal type	2. Animal unit factor	3. Head count	4. Animal units = column 2 x column 3	5. Head count	6. Animal uni = column 2 x column 5
A. Dairy cattle				. roug oount	x column s
Mature cow (milked or dry) over 1,000 lbs.	1.4				
Mature cow (milked or dry) under 1,000 lbs.	1.0				- 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10
Heifer	0.7				
Calf	0.2				
B. Veal					
Veal	0.2				
C. Beef cattle					
Slaughter steer/heifer, stock cow, or bull	1.0				
Feeder cattle (stocker or backgrounding), heifer	0.7				
Cow and calf pair	1.2				
Calf (weaned)	0.2				
D. Swine					
Over 300 lbs.	0.4				
Between 55 and 300 lbs.	0.3				
Under 55 lbs.	0.05				
E. Horses	0.00				
Horse	1.0				
F. Sheep	1.0				
Sheep or Lamb	0.1				
G. Chickens with a <i>liquid</i> manure system	0.1				
Layer Hens or Broilers	0.033				
H. Chickens with a <i>dry</i> manure system	0.033		The second second	Demi H & H Spare ED	
Broilers over 5 lbs.	0.005		Samuel Louis	Port W Kry	
Broilers under 5 lbs.	0.003			0 7 2017	
Layer Hens over 5 lbs.			JUN JUN	0 7 2017	
Layer Hens under 5 lbs.	0.005		OV.	638	7
. Turkeys	0.003		BY:		
Over 5 lbs.	0.040	0.4700			
Under 5 lbs.	0.018	24700	444.6	54,500	981
J. Ducks	0.005				
Duck (with a liquid manure handling system)	0.01				
Duck (with a dry manure handling system)	0.01				
	0.01	- 11, -2			
C. Animals not listed in A to J (AU factor in column 2 Animal type:	2 = average v	veight of the anir	mal type divided b	y 1,000 lbs.)	
Fotal animal unit capacity			0 1111		
Add all numbers in column 4 for Current AU total			Current AU capacity		Final AU capacity
Add all numbers in column 6 for Final AU total			444.6		981

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### VIII. Animal holding areas

Complete the table below for all your animal holding areas. If you have more than six animal holding areas on your site, continue your list on an additional copy of this page.

Animal holding area ID		List each aniı	mal holding a	rea in a separ	ate column	
Facility Site Sketch ID (i.e., #1, A, Barn 1)	1	2	3	4		
Status: (check one box only)  Proposed - not permitted previously  Approved - permitted but not yet operational  Existing - current operational component  Modifying - change to a permitted component	☐Proposed☐Approved☐Existing☐Modifying☐Eliminating	☐Proposed☐Approved☐Existing☐Modifying☐Eliminating	☐ Proposed☐ Approved☐ Existing☐ Modifying☐ Eliminating☐	⊠Proposed □Approved □Existing □Modifying □Eliminating	□ Proposed □ Approved □ Existing □ Modifying □ Eliminating	□ Proposed □ Approved □ Existing □ Modifying □ Eliminating
Distance to nearest well (ft.)	120'	200'	>100'	>100'		
Pasture Access	☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ☒ No		☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
Type of animal holding areas (indicate dimensions and floor type)		Nrite approxim	ate dimension th or area with t	s in feet in the	space below	Yes No
Total confinement barn (slatted floor)						
Total confinement barn (solid floor)	60'x672"	60'x672'	60'x672'	60'x672'		
Partial confinement barn						11 2 11 11
Open lot with runoff controls						
Open lot without runoff controls						
Animal Holding Area Floor Type (check all that apply)	⊠Concrete □Asphalt ⊠Soil □Other	⊠Concrete □Asphalt ⊠Soil □Other	⊠Concrete □Asphalt □Soil □Other	⊠Concrete □Asphalt □Soil □Other	☐Concrete☐Asphalt☐Soil☐Other	☐Concrete ☐Asphalt ☐Soil ☐Other
Indicate	a the mavimum	canacity /num	show of animals	\ - <b>6 1</b>		
Animal numbers The total ne	umber of all anir	nals listed shou	nber of animals Id match the fina	of each anima	al holding area	- 0
Mature dairy cows (over 1,000 lbs.)	arm arm	nare neter error	ia materi trie ime	ai ariirriai riurribe	as listed on pag	e 3
Mature dairy cows (under 1,000 lbs.)						
Dairy heifers						7
Dairy calves						
Veal						
Slaughter steer/heifer, stock cow or bull						
Feeder cattle-stocker/background/heifer						
Cow and calf pair						
Beef calves (weaned)						
Swine over 300 lbs.	1111 - 1211					
Swine between 55 and 300 lbs.						
Swine under 55 lbs.						
Horses						
Sheep or lamb						
All chickens with liquid manure system						
Broiler chickens over 5 lbs dry system						
Broiler chickens under 5 lbs dry system						
Laying hens over 5 lbs dry system						
Laying hens under 5 lbs dry system			-1			
	13625	13625	12625	42005		
Turkeys - under 5 lbs.	10020	13020	13625	13625		
Ducks						
Other:						



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### IX. Manure handling, feed storage, and dead animal areas

Complete the table below for your manure storage, feed/silage storage areas and dead animal disposal areas on your site. If you have more than six manure storage, feed/silage storage, and dead animal management areas on your site, continue your list on an additional copy of this page.

Manure, feed, or dead animal areas	List each ma	nure handling,	feed storage,	and dead anima	al area in a sep	arate column
Facility Site Sketch ID (i.e., #1, A, Basin 1)	1	2	3	4	5	
Status: (check one box only)	Proposed	Proposed	⊠Proposed	☑Proposed	⊠Proposed	□Proposed
Proposed - not permitted previously	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved
Approved - permitted but not yet operational Existing - current operational component	☐Existing ☑Modifying	☐Existing ☑Modifying	☐Existing ☐Modifying	☐Existing ☐Modifying	☐Existing ☐Modifying	☐Existing ☐Modifying
Modifying - change to a permitted component	Eliminating	Eliminating	Eliminating	Eliminating	Eliminating	Eliminating
Distance to nearest well (ft.)	120"	200'	>100'	>100'	>100'	
Type of liquid manure or process wast	13. 15. 15. 1			nensions in fee		no low
storage/treatment areas (indicate dimensi				olume with units		
Earthen or GCL lined basin						
Below barn concrete tank						
In-ground concrete tank/basin (outdoor)						
Above-ground concrete tank						
Synthetic lined (HDPE, EPDM, etc.) basin						
Steel tank (i.e., slurry-store)						
Composite lined (2 liner types) basin/tank						
Vegetated Infiltration Area						
Other (describe):						
Type of solid manure, feed storage, an				ensions in feet		
animal areas (indicate dimensions and floor	type)	(widt	h x length or are	ea with units for	irregular shapes ⊺	?
Permanent Stockpile						
Dead Animal Management Area					8'x8' dumpster	
Covered Feed Storage Area						
Uncovered Feed Storage Area						
Sweet Corn Silage Storage Storage Pad Area						,1
Tonnage on site at any one time						
Other (describe): Manure pack on floor	60'x672'x1"	60'x672"x1'	60'x672x1"	60'x672x1"		
Stockpile, Feed Storage, or	☐Concrete	☐Concrete	□ Concrete	□ Concrete	☐Concrete	☐Concrete
Mortality Area Floor/Liner Type	☐ Asphalt	Asphalt	Asphalt	Asphalt	Asphalt	Asphalt
(check all that apply)	⊠Soil □Other	⊠Soil ☐Other	□Soil □Other	□Soil □Other	⊠Soil ☐Other	□Soil □Other
X. Changes to groundwater  If groundwater monitoring is required at the monitoring plan. In order to request change in the Elimination of monitoring in the Change to sample testing protocology. Change to sample testing protocology when a change is requested, please inclusted analysis and justification for the change in the MPCA for an animal feedlot with a capabate meeting has occurred or is school to the copy of the meeting minutes must be protocological plants.  A copy of the meeting minutes must be protocological protocolo	e facility, this appear to the groun of the feedlo pacity of 300 or aduled to occur:	oplication can redwater monitoring the control of t	quest changes ng plan, please mpling frequenc documentation f (complete only hold a public mits.	to the MPCA-ap indicate the type by from a qualified pricable seeting prior to is JUN  BY:	or of change requestrongers of change requestrongers of a feet 0 7 2017	ested. provides a
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### XII. 500 or more AU: Notice to residents and property owners within 5,000 feet

When required. A notice is required in either of the following situations:

- Construction of a new feedlot, or manure storage area, which will have a capacity of 500 AU or more.
- Expansion of an existing feedlot, or manure storage area, which currently has, or will have upon completion of the expansion, a capacity of 500 AU or more.

Notice methods. The owner shall not less than 20 business days before the anticipated issuance date of the permit, provide notice to each resident and each owner of real property within 5,000 feet of the perimeter of the proposed facility. This notice *must* include, at a minimum, the information provided in Minn. R. 7020.2000, subp.4.

An example notice can be found in the factsheet Permit Notification Requirements – Feedlots with more than 500 Animal Units available on the MPCA website http://www.pca.state.mn.us/feedlots.

Verification of notice. The MPCA must verify that this notice has been completed prior to permit issuance. Documentation that this notice has been completed can be provided with the permit application (preferred) or submitted at a later date, prior to permit

### When the notice has been completed prior to this application

Please include with this application one of the following to provide verification that the required notice has been completed:

- An affidavit of publication from a newspaper of general circulation used to provide this notification.
- A list of all parties, with their location, that were notified by certified mail and copies of all signed mail return receipts.
- A list of all parties, with their location, that were personally visited with a date and signature from each party and certification signed by a notary public indicating in detail what was discussed.

### When the notice has not been completed prior to this application

Please include with this permit application both of the following:

- A copy of the content of the notification
- Date notification is scheduled to occur:

May 10, 2017

Note: The permit cannot be issued prior to receiving verification that the notice has actually taken place. This verification must be one of the three items listed above.

### XIII. Certifications and signature

### Notification to local officials

The Applicant certifies that, if the application includes construction of a new facility or expansion of an existing facility, all local zoning authorities have been notified in accordance with Minn. R. 7020.2000 subp. 5.

### Construction Stormwater (CSW) Requirements

The Applicant certifies that, if construction will disturb 5 or more acres, they have made a separate application for a CSW permit. For construction activities that disturb at least 1 acre but less than 5 acres, the Applicant certifies to comply with the requirements of the current CSW NPDES general permit (Minn. R. 7090.2020 provides permit coverage even though no application has been made).

### Need for NPDES or SDS permit

If the MPCA determines that a NPDES or SDS permit is required, the Applicant certifies that this application will serve as an application for a NPDES or SDS permit, as appropriate. The Applicant agrees to submit additional information, as requested by the MPCA, in order to complete the NPDES or SDS permit application process including payment of the applicable permit application fee.

I hereby certify that the design, construction, and operation of the facility will be in accordance with this application and plans, specifications, reports, and related communications approved by the MPCA, and in accordance with applicable permit conditions or regulations/standards of the MPCA. I also certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision and the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for

The person that signs this application must be one of the following:

A. For a corporation, a principal executive officer of at least the level of vice president

<ul><li>B. For a partnership, a general partner</li><li>C. For a sole proprietorship, the proprietor</li></ul>	the level of vice president  JUN 0 7 2017
Print name: Greg Schwarz	
Office phone: _ 507-665-2777	_ Time official title: _Owner
Signature:	Cell phone:
A "wet signature" is required. No reproductions (i.e.,	Date:
To sign up for electronic communications including the MPCA feed <a href="https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNPCA/subscriber/new">https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNPCA/subscriber/new</a> .	llot newsletters, please go to the MPCA website at
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Required enclosures (Permit applications submitted without all required enclosures are incomplete.)

- A site sketch/aerial photograph indicating the location of the existing and proposed facility components.
- A Manure/Nutrient Management Plan (MMP) The following are optional forms to assist with MMP development: ⊠в. When all manure is transferred to another entity for utilization, complete a MMP using the optional form below:

Transferred Ownership MMP: <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=3763">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=3763</a>

When any portion of manure is applied to land owned, rented, or leased by the applicant(s), or applied to other land where nutrient application decisions are made by the applicant(s), complete a MMP using the optional spreadsheet form below:

MPCA Manure Management Planner: <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=3548">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=3548</a>

Notes: The transferred ownership MMP form is incorporated into the spreadsheet to account for instances when only

A paper version is available at: <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=23197">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=23197</a>

- ☐ C. Plans and Specifications for construction, modification, or expansion of any liquid manure storage area.
- Conditional Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EAW) Fee When the project requires environmental review and is located in a county that has not accepted delegation of the county feedlot program, there is a fee of \$4,650 for processing of an Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EAW) that must be included with this permit application. (Check payable to: Minnesota Pollution Control Agency)
- Optional Verification of the notifications required in part XII of this application. If not submitted with the application, the ΣE. MPCA must receive the verification prior to permit issuance. It is strongly recommended that the applicable verifications be included with the permit application.

### Permit application submittal

Please mail the completed permit application and all necessary attachments to either the County Feedlot Officer (CFO) or the MPCA as indicated in the chart below. Mailing addresses for the MPCA offices are below.

County	Mail To:	County	Mail To:	10.	
Aitkin	MPCA – Rochester	Isanti		County	Mail To:
Anoka	MPCA – Rochester	Itasca	MPCA – Rochester		CFO – County
Becker	MPCA – Mankato	Jackson	MPCA – Rochester	Polk	CFO – County
Beltrami	MPCA – Mankato	Kanabec	CFO – County	Pope	CFO – County
Benton	MPCA – Rochester	Kandiyohi	MPCA – Rochester	Ramsey	MPCA – Rocheste
Big Stone	CFO – County	Kittson	CFO – County	Red Lake	CFO – County
Blue Earth	CFO – County		CFO – County	Redwood	MPCA – Rochester
Brown	CFO – County	Koochiching	MPCA – Rochester	Renville	CFO – County
Carlton	MPCA – Rochester	Lac Qui Parle	CFO – County	Rice	CFO – County
Carver	CFO – County	Lake	MPCA – Rochester	Rock	CFO – County
Cass	MPCA – Rochester	Lake Of The Woods	CFO – County	Roseau	MPCA – Mankato
Chippewa	MPCA – Rochester	Le Sueur	CFO – County	St. Louis	MPCA – Rochester
Chisago	MPCA – Rochester	Lincoln	CFO – County	Scott	MPCA – Rochester
Clay	CFO – County	Lyon	CFO – County	Sherburne	MPCA – Rochester
Clearwater	MPCA – Mankato	Mahnomen	MPCA – Mankato	Sibley	CFO – County
Cook		Marshall	CFO – County	Stearns	CFO – County
Cottonwood	MPCA – Rochester	Martin	CFO – County	Steele	CFO – County
Crow Wing	CFO – County	McLeod	CFO – County	Stevens	CFO – County
Dakota	MPCA – Rochester	Meeker	CFO – County	Swift	CEO County
Dodge	MPCA – Rochester	Mille Lacs	MPCA – Rochester	Todd	CFO - County
Douglas	CFO – County	Morrison	CFO – County	Traverse	CFO – County
-aribault	CFO – County	Mower	CFO – County	Wabasha	CFO – County
illmore	CFO – County	Murray	CFO – County	Wadena	MPCA – Rochester
reeborn	CFO – County	Nicollet	CFO – County	Waseca	CFO – County
	CFO – County	Nobles	CFO – County	Washington	CFO – County
Goodhue	CFO – County	Norman	CFO – County	Watonwan	MPCA – Rochester
Prant .	MPCA – Mankato	Olmsted	MPCA – Rochester		CFO – County
lennepin	MPCA – Rochester	Otter Tail		Wilkin	MPCA – Mankato
louston	CFO – County		CFO – County	Winona	CFO – County
Hubbard	11561			Wright	CFO – County
		L	wi OA – Rochester	Yellow Medicine	CFO – County

### MPCA - Rochester Mailing Address

MPCA Feedlot Permit Coordinator 18 Woodlake Drive SE Rochester, MN 55904

MPCA – Mankato Mailing Address

MPCA Feedlot Permit Coordinator 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 2165 Mankato, MN 56001 BY:

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### Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan

### **NPDES/SDS Permit Program**

Feedlot Program

Doc Type: Permit Application

Purpose: This Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan is incorporated into the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)/ State Disposal System (SDS) Permit and made an enforceable part of the permit and submitted to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MCPA).

Facility name:	Lone Oak Farm, Inc	Feedlot registration no.	079-66561	
Owner/Operator	name: Greg Schwarz	Feedlot permit no.		

### Methods/Practices Used to Minimize Air Emissions and Facility Odor Sources and Anticipated Odor Control Strategies

Choose at least one option for each emission source at the facility (Minn. R. 7020.0505, subp 4.B(1)(a) & (c))

	Site sketch identification number	Practices employed to	Complaint	response protocol
	(from permit application) and List of air emissions/Odor source(s)	minimize emissions	Odor potential (Without BMPs*)	Anticipated odor control strategies**
ID#	Type of Air Emission/Odor Source	List number(s) from below	High, Med, or Low	List number(s) from below
1	Total Confinement Barn	3, 6-10	Med	24, 28
2	Total Confinement Barn	3, 6-10	Med	24, 28
3	Total Confinement Barn	3, 6-10	Med	24, 28
4	Total Confinement Barn	3, 6-10	Med	24, 28
5	Dead Animal Handling Area	13	High	28
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				
11				
12				
13				
14				
15				

<sup>\*</sup>BMP = Best Management Practices

### Practices applicable to multiple odor/emissions sources

- 1. Develop a neighbor relations plan
- 2. Disperse/mix air with tree plantings
- 3. Establish adequate separation distances
- 4. Treatment of escaping air with control technologies
- 5. Reduce nutrient waste with diet manipulation

### Animal holding area(s) specific

- 6. Maintain clean, dry floors to eliminate manure buildup
- 7. Eliminate manure buildup under gates, feeders, etc.
- 8 Promptly clean up any spilled feed
- 9. Reduce feed waste/water losses
- 10. Maintain exhaust fans and avoid manure and dust accumulation
- 11. Use spray oil to reduce dust
- 12. Higher oil and fat content in feed to reduce dust

### Dead animal holding/processing area(s) specific

- 13. Manage mortalities as required by MN Board of Animal Health
- 14. Compost/manage mortalities in an enclosed structure
- 15. Use enclosed and refrigerated dead animal holding area

### Solid and Liquid Manure Storage Area(s) Specific

- 16. Maintain crust on basin by switching to organic bedding
- 17. Cover liquid manure storage area with straw
- 18. Notify neighbors of manure agitation periods and avoid holidays
- 19. Cover liquid manure storage area with synthetic cover
- 20. Addition of chemicals to manure to reduce odor/emissions
- 21. Add straw or other bedding material to reduce odor/ emissions
- 22. Separate solids with settling basin or liquid/solid separate
- 23. Anaerobic digestion
- 24. Reduce length of time stockpile/manure pack is maintained JUN 0 7
- 25. Solid manure composting
- 26. Cover the solid manure stockpile
- 27. Incinerate solid manure at approved/permitted facility

### Other practices

28.	I will consult the MPCA/CFO to identify changes that can be made to
	reduce odors following complaints
	(anticipated odor control strategies column only)

29.	Other

30.	Other:
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<sup>\*\*</sup> In the event that odor complaints are received and validated by the MPCA/County Feedlot Officer (CFO), the facility/ownership agrees to implement the identified practices identified in this column, pursuant to MPCA request/approval.

### Response to Documented Exceedance(s)

(Minn. R. 7020.0505, subp 4.B(1)(b))

Initial here: GS,

by initialing here I indicate that I have read, understand, and agree to the requirements/procedures outlined below. (initial is required for all facilities using this form)

In the event testing/monitoring conducted by the MPCA/County identify emissions in excess of standards set in applicable Minnesota Rules, Statutes, or other directives, the facility/ownership agrees to submit a plan of action following MPCA's request, which provides technical documentation that one (or more) of the following technologies will effectively control emissions in the short term as well as into the future:

### Liquid Manure Storage Areas (LMSA)

- Chemical additions to the LMSA
- Maintain natural crusting (blow straw to promote crusting if necessary)
- · Maintain a straw cover
- Permeable synthetic cover (floating geo-textile, etc.)
- Impermeable synthetic cover (floating High Density Polyethylene [HDPE], etc.)
- Anaerobic digester
- Treatment of escaping air with odor control technologies

### Solid Manure Storage Areas

- Cover manure stockpiles with synthetic covers
- Remove manure packs more frequently
- Eliminate stockpiling by more frequent land application
- Incinerate solid manure for electricity
- · Composting solid manure

### **Animal Holding Areas**

- Utilize bio-filters or other odor control technology for power ventilated buildings
- Decrease the amount of manure buildup in the animal holding areas

### **Dead Animal Handling/Processing Areas**

- Utilize enclosed and refrigerated dead animal holding area prior to rendering pick-up
- Animal mortality composting

The MPCA will, at its discretion, consider alternatives to the technologies listed above provided proper technical documentation is submitted that illustrates the alternative will undoubtedly minimize the emissions. The MPCA reserves the right to disapprove of the alternative if the MPCA deems the technical documentation incomplete or inaccurate or if the MPCA deems the alternative unsuitable for the unique circumstances at the facility.

The plan of action must identify when the technology will be installed and fully operational and should also identify what temporary measures can be taken to minimize emissions in the event the chosen technology will take a significant amount of time to install and make fully operational. The plan of action will be immediately implemented following approval by the MPCA and become part of this air emission and odor management plan and subsequently an enforceable part of the facility's NPDES/SDS Permit.





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### **Emergency Response Plan**

### **NPDES and SDS Permit Program**

Feedlot Program

Doc Type: Permit Application

Applicability: This Emergency Response Plan is to be used in case of an emergency spill, leak, or failure at the production facility or land application area and to assist with response to catastrophic animal mortality events (barn fires, tornadoes, etc.). You must submit this form as part of an application for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) or State Disposal System (SDS) feedlot permit coverage.

Facility name: Lone Oak Farm, Inc	F	eedlot registration no.: (	079-66561
Owner/Operator name: Greg Schwarz	F	eedlot permit no.:	
List of critical phone numbers and cor	ntacts		
	Contact person (or Company)	Phone number	
Emergency contacts			
Fire/Ambulance		911	
County Sheriff	Le Sueur Co	507-357-4440	
Agency contacts			
Minnesota Duty Officer		1-800-422-0798	Provide the
<ul> <li>Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) Field Office</li> </ul>	Mankato	507-389-5977	Minnesota Duty Officer:
<ul> <li>County Feedlot Officer (CFO)</li> </ul>	Amy Beatty	507-357-8538	Your contact
<ul> <li>Board of Animal Health Contact</li> </ul>	Dr. Greg Suskovic	651-238-2503	information
Other contacts			
<ul> <li>Insurance company</li> </ul>			<ul> <li>Incident location, date, and time</li> </ul>
Gopher State One Call		1-800-252-1166	The second secon
<ul> <li>Anez Consulting, Inc</li> </ul>	Jeff	320-235-1970	For spills
Local vendors for spill and/or catastrophic	mortality response assistance		- spill type
Manure pumper			- spill amount
<ul> <li>Manure loading equipment</li> </ul>	Greg Schwarz	507-665-2777	- surface water or
<ul> <li>Earth moving equipment</li> </ul>	Greg Schwarz	507-665-2777	field tile impacted
Tiling equipment	Greg Schwarz	507-665-2777	Progress made in
<ul> <li>Containment/Absorption materials (hay, straw, cornstalks, sawdust)</li> </ul>	Greg Schwarz	507-665-2777	response to the spill or catastrophic
			mortality event

### Manure Spill Emergency Response Procedures\*

- 1. Immediately stop the source of a liquid manure leak or spill:
  - Turn off pumps or valves
  - · Clamp hoses or park tractor on hoses
- 2. Contain spilled manure:
  - · Use skid loader or tractor with blade to make berms
  - · Install bale checks and block downstream culverts
  - Insert sleeves around tile intakes (or plug/cap)
  - Use tillage equipment to work ground ahead of spill
  - · Use absorptive materials
- 3. Make necessary phone calls as listed in the chart above:
  - Notify Minnesota Duty Officer at 1-800-422-0798
  - Notify sheriff's office if spilled on public roads or right-of-ways

### Cleanup:

- Clean up spill immediately from road and roadside
- Clean up all material, including the contaminated soil, as soon as possible by scraping, or by other means
- Land apply manure at agronomic rates or place manure back in the manure storage area/ solid manure stockpile
- Follow recommendations of MPCA staff and/or CFO
- · Restore site to its original conditions
- If rain is expected prior to completion of cleanup; actions need to be taken to contain manure contaminated runoff from solid manure spills
- 5. Document your actions:
  - Keep records of all actions related to the spill and follow up activities

\*A detailed site map should be displayed on site to assist employees identify sensitive receptors near the facility (surface water, wells, tile intakes, etc.).

### **Catastrophic Animal Mortality Response**

- 1. Make necessary phone calls as listed in the chart above:
  - Notify Minnesota Duty Officer at 1-800-422-0798
  - · Notify Minnesota Board of Animal Health
  - Notify MPCA and CFO
- 2. Cleanup
  - Dispose of mortalities according to recommendations of MN Board of Animal Health Representative
  - Locate disposal area for mortalities to prevent impacts to surface and/or groundwater (consult MPCA/CFO)
- 3. Document your actions
  - Keep records of all actions related to the animal mortality disposal activities

If burial of animal mortalities is necessary, the burial site must meet the following:

- Located 1000 feet from lakes and 300 feet from rivers and streams
- Mortalities are not buried within 5 feet of the seasonal water table
- Mortalities are not buried within 10 feet of karst susceptible bedrock
- · Soils are not sandy or gravelly

Describe approximate location(s) of potential burial site(s) below:
9-T111-R25



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TTY 651-282-5332 or 800-657-3864

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Anez Consulting, Inc. 1700 Technology Dr. NE, #130 Willmar, MN 56201



Ronda Schleeve Sharon Township Clerk 29008 E Hwy 112 Le Sueur, MN 56058

Dear Ronda,

This letter is to inform Sharon Township that Greg Schwarz, 30012 Lexington Rd, Le Sueur, MN 56058 has applied to Le Sueur County to modify a feedlot permit with over 500 animal units.

The feedlot is located in the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ and the NW ¼ of the NE ¼, Section 9, Sharon Township, Le Sueur County and is permitted for 24,700 turkeys over 5 pounds. (444.6 AU)

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The total animal units will be 981.

Sincerely,

Jeff Bauman

Ag Nutrient Consultant jeff@anezconsulting.com

(320) 262 - 5713 office

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### LE SUEUR NEWS-HERALD

PRE PAID LEGAL 311 S MINNESOTA AVE ST PETER MN 56082

REFERENCE: 52760 4102756

FEEDLOT PERM

I do solemnly swear that a copy of the notice, as per the clipping attached, was published in the regular and entire edition of the Le Sueur News Herald, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Le Sueur, County of Le Sueur, State of Minnesota, and not in any supplement. The newspaper has complied with all the requrements constituting qualifications as a legal newspaper, as provided by Minnesota statutes 331A.02, 331A.07, and all other applicable laws, as amended. The attached advertisement appeared in the issue(s) listed below.

Authorized Agent

Sworn to before me this

Sueur County, Minnesota

PUBLISHED ON: 05/10

KIM M FAVRO

Notary Public-Minnesota My Commission Expires Jan 31, 2022

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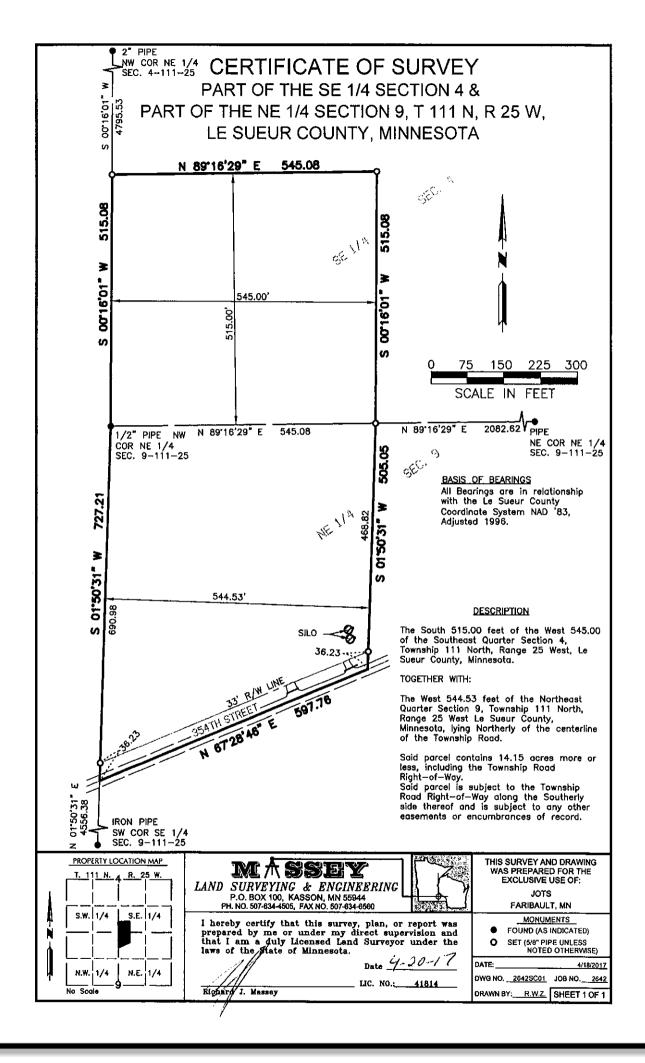
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# Manure Storage, Handling, and Testing Information

Facility Name: Lone Oak Farm, Inc

Owner/Operator Name: Greg Schwarz

10/12/16

Version 7.05 Last Updated:

NPDES or SDS Permit? No Date Last Revised: 5/31/2017

Registration Number: 079-66561 Permit Number:

Manure Sources	Manure Source #1	Manure Source #2	Manure Source #3	Manure Source #4
Description of Manure Source Group sources with similar nutrient content if they have identical animal type, water usage, feed rations, and manure storage	Existing Turkey Barns	New Turkey Barns		
Livestock Information				
Predominate Animal Type (Contributing to Manure Source)	Turkeys	Turkeys		
Average Animal Weight	25 lbs	25 lbs	sql	sql
Animal Number	27,250	27,250		
Length of Time Livestock Spend In Facility	350 days/yr	350 days/yr	days/yr	days/yr
Additional Animal Type (Contributing to Manure Source)				
Average Animal Weight	sql	Sql	sql	sql
Animal Number				
Length of Time Livestock Spend In Facility	days/yr	days/yr	days/yr	days/yr
Storage Information	Spile of the spile			
Storage Type	Litter	Litter		
Capacity	2,000 tons	2,000 tons		
Storage Length	365 days	365 days		
Application Methods				
Commercial Applicator (Yes/No or Name)	B & H Trucking & Spreading	B & H Trucking & Spreading		
Spreader Type	Solids Spreader	Solids Spreader		
How Volume/Tonnage Determined per Load	Spreader Volume	Spreader Volume		
How Application Rate is Calibrated	Acres Covered by One Load	Acres Covered by One Load		
Manure Analysis - Existing facilities should use actual manure test r	se actual manure test results			
Sampling Frequency	Every Year	Every Year		
Sampling Methods	Stockpile Composite	Stockpile Composite		
Date Last Analyzed	11/04/16			
Basis for N,P, & K Values Below	This Year's Sample	Estimate		
Total N - (do not enter lab estimated availability)	43 lbs/ton	43 lbs/ton		
Total P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> - (do not enter lab estimated availability)	44 lbs/ton	44 lbs/ton		
Total K <sub>2</sub> O - (do not enter lab estimated availability)	34 lbs/ton	34 lbs/ton		
Annual Generation - Existing facilities should use actual production values	use actual production values			
Total Manure Produced per Year (Estimated)	2,310 tons	2,310 tons		
Total Manure Produced per Year (Actual)	2,000 tons	2,000 tons		
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# Sensitive Features Management Worksheet

This worksheet identifies all allowable techniques that can be used to provide protection to sensitive features as required in Minnesota Rules and/or permit conditions. One of the following measures must be employed for the applicable sensitive feature. Any of the identified practices are acceptable.

Option A - Inject or incorporate within 24 hours and prior to rainfall within 300 ft, observe a 25 ft non-manured setback, and avoid long term soil P build-up Option B - Inject or incorporate within 24 hours and prior to rainfall within 300 ft.

Option C - 35 ft grassed buffer

Option D - 100 ft setback with at least 16.5 ft as grassed buffer

### **Drainage Ditches**

Option A - Inject or incorporate within 24 hours and prior to rainfall within 300 ft, observe a 25 ft non-manured setback, and avoid long term soil P build-up

Option C -

Option D - Protective Berm (prohibits runoff from entering the ditch) 100 ft setback with at least 16.5 ft as grassed buffer

## akes, Rivers, and Streams

Option A - Inject or incorporate within 24 hours and prior to rainfall within 300 ft, observe a 25 ft non-manured setback, and avoid long term soil P build-up

Intermittent Streams and/or Public Waters Wetlands (over 10 acres) Option C - 100 ft setback with at least 16.5 ft as grassed buffer

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### Vells, Mines, or Quarry

Option A - 50 ft setback - minimum (100 ft if NPDES permitted)

### Sinkholes

Option A - Inject or incorporate within 24 hours and prior to rainfall upslope and within 300 ft and observe a 50 ft non-manured setback (100 ft non-manured setback for NPDES)

Option A - A cover crop will be planted on all fields that receive manure applications during June, July, and August Application of Manure During the Summer Months (June, July, and August)

## Other Conduits to Water

Option A - Inject or incorporate within 24 hours and prior to rainfall within 300 ft, observe a 25 ft non-manured setback, and avoid long term soil P build-up

Option C - 100 ft setback with at least 16.5 ft as grassed buffer

Option D - Protective Berm (prohibits runoff from entering the waters)

## Option A - Fall Application onto fields that are dominated by coarse-textured soils shall be delayed until soil temperatures in the upper six (6) inches, are less than Early Fall Land Application - Unless otherwise required, this only applies to early fall manure application at NPDES or SDS permitted facilities 50 degrees Fahrenheit, unless otherwise first approved by the MPCA.

Soil Erosion Conservation Measures - Required for ANY field used for winter application and for ALL fields at NPDES permitted sites

Option A - Establish grassed waterways

Option B - Contour stripcropping Option C - No-Till cropping

Option D - Terracing

Option F - Use rotations that include other than row crops (alfalfa, grass, etc) Option E - Meet tolerable soil erosion rates ("T") as defined by NRCS

Plant a cover crop on bare ground Option J - Sediment control basin Option K -

Contour buffer strip

Option I -

Option H - Field edge buffers

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provide protection to the following areas. This worksheet will assist you in identifying which techniques will be used to provide protection to Even though no specific measures are required in Minnesota Rule, a complete MMP is required to identify measures that will be used to the following sensitive features even though no specific practices are required in Minnesota Rules.

One of the following measures will be employed for the applicable sensitive feature. Any of the identified practices are acceptable. This worksheet identifies possible techniques that can be used to provide protection to the following sensitive features.

# Wetlands Under 10 Acres (uncultivated)

No specific state requirements unless a public waters wetland or other permit conditions apply.

Observe a non-manured setback Option A -

Maintain a grass buffer Option B -

Incorporate manure near the wetland Option C -

Prevent long term soil P buildup Option D -

Utilize soil conservation practices Option E -

Other:

Option F -

# Public Well Management Area & Drinking Water Supply Management Areas

No specific state requirements unless other permit conditions apply

Observe a non-manured setback Option A - Follow practices recommended in city wellhead protection plan Option B -

Soil nitrate test will be used to refine nitrogen rate management decisions Option C -

Apply no earlier than late October or when soil temperatures are less than 50°F Option D -

Option E -

# Shallow Bedrock - less than 3 feet of soil over limestone bedrock

Option A - Use composted manure or other process which kill bacteria No specific state requirements unless other permit conditions apply

Maximize separation between fractured bedrock and manure Option B -

Incorporate manure Option C -

Other: Option D -

# -loodplain

No specific state requirements unless other permit conditions apply.

Option A - Avoid manure application during peak flooding periods

Incorporate or inject manure when there is a risk of flooding Option B -

Avoid winter-time manure applications Option C -

Option D -





This worksheet identifies all allowable techniques that will be used to manage soil phosphorus levels as required in Minnesota Rules. Based upon the soil test results for the field(s), one of the following measures will be employed to manage soil phosphorus levels on land where manure will be applied. Any of the identified practices are acceptable.

# Soil Phosphorus: 76-150 ppm Bray or 61-120 ppm Olsen

Option A - Manure will NOT be applied within 300 ft of open tile intakes, lakes, streams, intermittent streams,

public waters wetlands, or drainage ditches without protective berms (indicate setbacks on aerial photos)

Option B - Use the University of MN soil P index and apply to fields with a low or very low rating and maintain or reduce soil P over six years The Minnesota Soil Phosphorus Index can be found at: https://www.swac.umn.edu/extension-outreach/phosphorusloss Option C - I will follow all NRCS 590 standards in accordance with the table below and maintain or reduce soil P over six years

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Option A - Manure will NOT be applied within 300 ft of open tile intakes (NPDES Permits only), lakes, streams, intermittent streams,

public waters wetlands, or drainage ditches without protective berms (indicate setbacks on aerial photos)

Option B - I will maintain or reduce soil P levels in this field over a six year period. (Example calculations are provided below)

Ex. 170 bu Corn [170 \* 0.34] = 58 lbs P removed/year & 45 bu Soybeans [45 \* 0.82] = 37 lbs P removed/year (Average of 48 lbs P removed/yr) Step 1 - Multiply expected crop yields by the P removal of the crop (Table C of this planner) and determine the average crop P removal over 6 years

Step 2 - Determine the amount of P that is typically applied in manure applications

Step 3 - Divide step 2 by the average in step 1. (112 lbs P applied/48 lbs P removed = 2.3) Then take 6 years divided by this result and round down. Ex. 112 lbs P applied/48 lbs P removed = 2.3 THEN 6 years/2.3 = 2.6 (round down to 2 out of 6 years manure can be applied) Ex. 4000 gals/ac \* 35 lbs P/1000 gals \* 0.8 = 112 lbs P applied

# 6 Year Soil Phosphorus Management Plan

When soil phosphorus levels are required to be maintained (or reduced) over a 6 year period, one of the following crop rotation sceanrios will be employed for the applicable field or area near senstive features. You must complete at least one rotation below or indicate that manure will not be applied within 300 feet of sensitive features.

Manure will not be applied within 300 ft of open tile intakes, lakes, streams, intermittent streams, public waters wetlands, or drainage ditches without protective berms (when checked there is no need to complete scenarios below - text will be gray if not applicable due to extremely high soil Ptest)

	Scenario 1	Scenario 2	Scenario 3	Scenario 4	Scenario 5	Scenario 6	Scenario 7	Sconorio 8
Crop (Year 1)	Corn	Corn	Com					oceliano
Yield	200 bu	200 bu	200 bu					
Manure Application Source (1-12) & Rate	1 3 tons	1 5 tons	2 3.25 tons					
2 <sup>nd</sup> Manure Application								
Fertilizer P (total)	sql	sql	sql					
Crop (Year 2)	Corn	Com	Soybeans					
Yield	200 bu	200 bu	55 bu					
Manure Application Source (1-12) & Rate	1 2 tons							
2 <sup>nd</sup> Manure Application								
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Crop (Year 3)	Soybeans	Soybeans	Com					
Yield	55 bu	25 bu	200 bu					
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# Crop and Nutrient Planning Worksheet (Fields 1-35)

to August 31, 2018

Cropping Year: September 1, 2017

Crop Land Manager's Name:

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Field Information		Crop II	Crop Information		<u> </u>	Last Year's Manure App (Nutrients for 2017 Grop)	anure App 2017 Crop)		Nutrie	ant Reco	mmend	Nutrient Recommendations and Credits	and Cre	dits		Irrigated Sands Alternate N Needs	Sands N Needs
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# Nutrient Application Planning Worksheet (Fields 1-25)



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### MMP for Transferred Manure Ownership



Please answer the following questions: Is the portion of manure that is transferred from the feedlot facility applied onto land that is owned, leased, or rented by the feedlot owner/operator? Yes ✓ No For manure application sites not owned, leased, or rented by the feedlot owner/operator; have you as the feedlot owner/operator or employees working under your direction been given control of the field and nutrient planning decisions, including planning for manure application rates, timing, and methods? Yes No No Name of feedlot facility or operator: Lone Oak Farm, Inc. Registration No.: 079-66561 Permit No.: Describe the manure storage and handling system and the expected amount of manure and nutrients that will need to be land applied. How is the manure stored and handled? What happens to the manure from the time it is generated to the time it is either sold or land applied? Where is it kept? For how long? This information is found on the Manure Storage, Handling, and Testing Information worksheet How many months can manure be stored before the storage capacity is exceeded? b) This information is found on the Manure Storage, Handling, and Testing Information worksheet When will manure be provided to the recipient? Any month of the year depending on cleanout schedule Which months do you expect that manure will be applied? April, May, September, October, November How much manure is removed from barns or storage areas per year and will need to be land-applied? This information is found on the Manure Storage, Handling, and Testing Information worksheet How much of this manure will be transferred ownership? The amount of manure remaining as identified within the table at the bottom of the Nutrient Application worksheet How much nitrogen and phosphorus will need to be land applied per year? f) This information is found on the Manure Storage, Handling, and Testing Information worksheet For new or expanding feedlot facilities, how will you ensure that there is enough land available for spreading manure in accordance with allowable rates; and that land owners are willing to accept/purchase the manure? Agreement with local farmer Describe the manure application methods and equipment. What are the anticpated methods of manure application? (check all that apply) Broadcast with Incorporation ☐ Broadcast without Incorporation ☐ Unknown JUN 0 7 2017 Injection Describe your nutrient testing methods, the frequency of testing, and the expected nutrient content of the manure. How often will manure be sampled and sent to a laboratory for nutrient analysis? for the first three years and once every four years thereafter. At a minimum, annually Sampling will also be done when conditions change that may alter the nutrient content of the manure. How will manure samples be collected to ensure that representative samples are obtained for nutrient analysis? In accordance with University of Minnesota Extension Guidelines What is the expected nutrient content of manure to be collected? This information is found on the Manure Storage, Handling, and Testing Information worksheet Describe how Minnesota's manure application requirements will be provided to manure recipients. Attach a copy of the manure application requirements that you will provide to all recipients of your transferred manure. I will use the MPCA developed guidance in Attachment A or an equivalent form that I have attached. How will you, as a feedlot owner/operator, maintain records associated with the manure transfer and land application sites/rates? I will use the MPCA developed guidance in Attachment B or an equivalent form that I have attached.

c) How will you provide the manure recipient with manure nutrient test results and expected nutrient content? I will use the MPCA developed guidance in Attachment B or an equivalent form that I have attached.

# Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

License Number: 20052499

Registration/Permit Number: 079-66561

# Land Application of Manure Records (Fields 1-19)

Be sure to make any changes necessary to represent the actual nutirent application (including dates of manure application) that occurred during the indicated crop year. Cropping Year: September 1,

2017 2016 to August 31,

Name of Licensed Commercial Animal Waste Technician Used: B & H Trucking & Spreading

Name of Facility Where Manure is Generated: Lone Oak Farm, Inc

Crop Land Manger's Name:

This Year **Application Rate** Units of Test **Phosphorus** Total Available P (lb P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>/ac) lbs/ton lbs/ton 140 175 140 40 40 140 09 Manure P This Year's Fertilizer P Applied ¥ This Year 34 143 143 34 Nitrogen Application 49 143 35 49 43 95 98 140 95 95 40 40 N eldslisvA Istol Rates (Ib N/ac) 44 40 ۵ 44 95 95 96 95 95 Manure M This Year's ast Year's Manure z 43 43 49 49 I 43 43 43 1 43 40 40 1 ١ Carry-Over N Date Last Analyzed Fertilizer M Applied + Urrigation Water M 00 001 00 40 40 11/4/2016 Incorp. within 4 days within 4 days Incorp. within 4 days Manure Analysis Results - Entries must represent manure applied. (A recent sample, or a running average, can be used) Application and (Typically Applied 9/1/2016 to 8/31/2017) Incorporation Method of Manure Application Information (Nutrients for the 2017 Crop) Incorp. Per Acre 2 ı 9 1 4 1 4 4 1 Storage Type 4 Application Rate Litter Application Dates of 10/20 10/23 11/2 10/21 10/22 11/4 Manure Source (1-12) (based on soil test data) **Animal Type** 0 27 0 0 0 P2O5 Needs (Ib/ac) **Poultry** Poultry N Needs (Ib/ac) (removal for legumes) 180 140 263 180 180 180 180 140 263 263 140 140 263 263 263 140 140 180 (crop receiving manure) 210 210 210 210 210 210 22 75 15 Expected Yield Crop Information Soybeans Soybeans 2016 Crop Soybeans Soybeans Crop Most Harvested Soybeans Soybeans Recently Corn Som Som Corn Corn Corn Corn Corn Corn Corn **Crops Grov** Crop Grown to 2017 Crop Corn Utilize the Nutrients Soybeans Soybeans Soybeans Soybeans Applied Soybeans Com Com Com Corn Com Com Corn Corn Com Com Description Med/High Med/High Med/High Med/High Med/High Med/High Organic Med/High Med/High Med/High Med/High Med/High Med/High Test required once every 4 yrs) Soil Testing Information Phosphorus Olsen Olsen Olsen Existing Turkey Barns Soil Test Bray Average Bray Bray Bray Bray Bray Field Bray 54 Bray (mdd) New Turkey Barns 6 15 33 28 13 15 43 22 43 20 2006 2014 2014 2015 2015 Recent Test 2014 2013 2015 2013 Year of Most 38 8 80 66 74 34 30 Acres Actually Used 38 Field Information Manure Source #12: Manure Source #2: Manure Source #11 Manure Source #1: Manure Source #3: Manure Source #4: Manure Source #5: Manure Source #6: Manure Source #7: Manure Source #8: Manure Source #9: Manure Source #10 Thelemann West Thelemann East Source ID Field ID Example nny Antonsen rieves GG25 est of Grove est of Don's AM 45/6 PA 106 nt W40 int E40 LR 40 S 130 **JM 82** 65

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### MANURE ANALYSIS REPORT

LONE OAK FARMS INC 30012 LEXINGTON ROAD LESUEUR MN 56058

Date Received: Nov Date Reported: Nov 9 2016

Account #: WO #: 17-10396 Lab #: 16-N11842

SAMPLE INFORMATION

Producer: GREG SCHWARZ

Site Name: Sample ID: JIM

MVTL

Animal Species: TURKEY

Site No:

ANALYTE	ANAL AS REC	YSIS EIVED	TOTAL NUTRI lbs/1000 gal	ENTS lbs/Ton
Moisture, Total Nitrogen, Total Ammonium-N Nitrogen, Organic Phosphorus as P2O5 Potassium as K2O Sulfur Zinc Iron Copper Manganese Calcium Magnesium	45.2 2.46 0.89 1.57 2.45 2.07 3310 154 411 182 188 11100 3810	SEIVED  % % % % ppm ppm ppm ppm ppm ppm ppm pp	205 74.3 131 205 173 27.6 1.3 3.4 1.5 1.6 92.4 31.8	49.2 17.8 31.4 49.0 41.4 6.6 0.3 0.8 0.4 0.4 22.1 7.6
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	None	< 4 days	< 12 hours	Sweep	Knife	
N	92	113	144	NA	NA	
P2O5	164	164	164	164	164	
K2O	156	156	156	156	156	

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None < 4 days < 12 hours 22 27 34 39 39 39 37 37 37

<sup>\*</sup> Based on University of Minnesota Estimated 1st Year Availabilities.

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Date Received: Nov 4 2016 Date Reported: Nov 9 2016

Account #: WO #: 17-10396 Lab #: 16-N11843

SAMPLE INFORMATION

Producer: GREG SCHWARZ

Site Name: Sample ID: DON Animal Species: TURKEY

Site No:

ANALYTE	ANALYSIS AS RECEIVED	TOTAL NUTRIENTS lbs/1000 gal lbs/Ton			
Moisture, Total Nitrogen, Total Ammonium-N Nitrogen, Organic Phosphorus as P205 Potassium as K20 Sulfur Zinc Iron Copper Manganese Calcium Magnesium Sodium	49.2 % 1.42 % 0.65 % 0.77 % 1.82 % 1.44 % 2300 ppm 124 ppm 5250 ppm 114 ppm 327 ppm 11000 ppm 4030 ppm	119 54.3 64.3 152 120 19.2 1.0 43.8 1.0 2.7 92.1 33.6 13.4	28.4 13.0 15.4 36.4 28.8 4.6 0.2 10.5 0.2 0.7 22.1 8.1 3.2		

### Estimated 1st Year Available Nutrients \*

		lbs/1000gal						
	В	Broadcast / Incorporated			ected			
	None	< 4 days	< 12 hours	Sweep	Knife			
N	53	65	83	NA	NA			
P2O5	122	122	122	122	122			
K2O	108	108	108	108	108			

	lbs/ton						
Broadcast / Incorporated							
None	< 4 days	< 12 hours					
13	16	20					
29	29	29					
26	26	26					

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Date Received: Nov 4 2016 Date Reported: Nov 9 2016

Account #: WO #: 17-10396

Lab #: 16-N11844

SAMPLE INFORMATION

Producer: GREG SCHWARZ

Site Name:

Sample ID: DON-2

Animal Species: TURKEY

Site No:

ANALYTE	ANALYSIS AS RECEIVED	TOTAL NUTRIENTS lbs/1000 gal lbs/Ton
Moisture, Total Nitrogen, Total Ammonium-N Nitrogen, Organic Phosphorus as P205 Potassium as K20 Sulfur Zinc Iron Copper Manganese Calcium Magnesium Sodium	58.7 % 2.70 % 0.94 % 1.76 % 2.10 % 1.52 % 2500 ppm 120 ppm 304 ppm 128 ppm 153 ppm 10900 ppm 3090 ppm 3090 ppm	225       54.0         78.5       18.8         147       35.2         175       42.0         127       30.4         20.8       5.0         1.0       0.2         2.5       0.6         1.1       0.3         1.3       0.3         91.1       21.8         25.8       6.2         16.8       4.0

### Estimated 1st Year Available Nutrients \*

		lbs/1000gal						
	В	roadcast / Incor	Injected					
	None	< 4 days	< 12 hours	Sweep	Knife			
N	101	124	158	NA	NA			
P2O5	140	140	140	140	140			
K2O	114	114	114	114	114			

<sup>\*</sup> Based on University of Minnesota Estimated 1st Year Availabilities.

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Broadcast / Incorporated							
None	< 4 days	< 12 hours					
24	30	38					
34	34	34					
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Date Received: Nov 4 2016 Date Reported: Nov 9 2016

Account #: WO #: 17-10396 Lab #: 16-N11871

SAMPLE INFORMATION

Producer: GREG SCHWARZ

Site Name: Sample ID: ES Animal Species: TURKEY

Site No:

ANALYTE	ANAI AS REC	LYSIS CEIVED	TOTAL NUTRIENTS lbs/1000 gal lbs/Ton			
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	lbs/1000gal							
	В	roadcast / Incor	Inj	ected				
	None	< 4 days	< 12 hours	Sweep	Knife			
N	78	96	122	NA	NA			
P2O5	160	160	160	160	160			
K2O	135	135	135	135	135			
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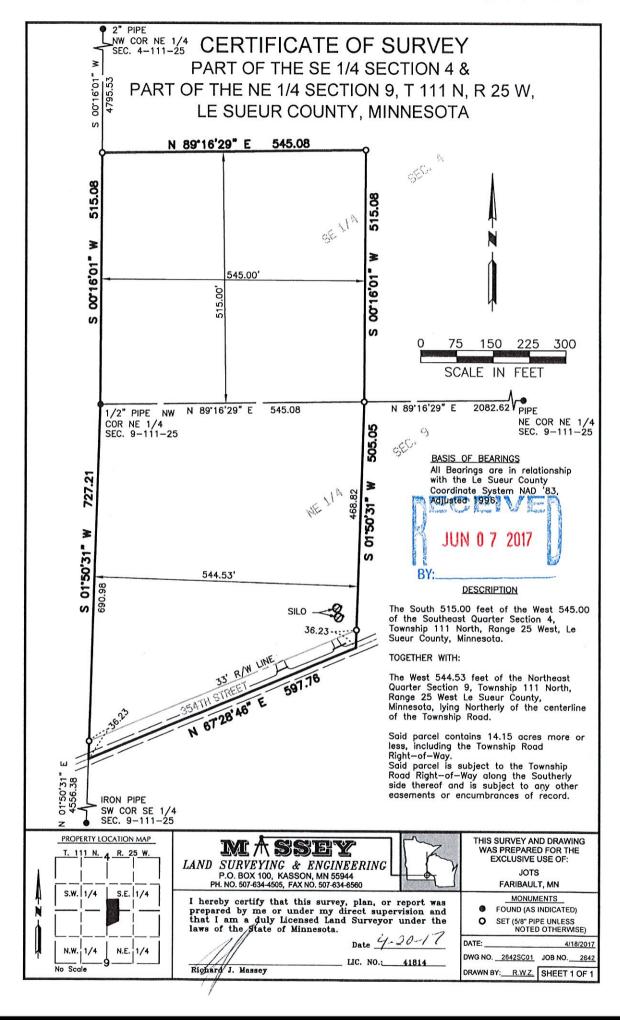
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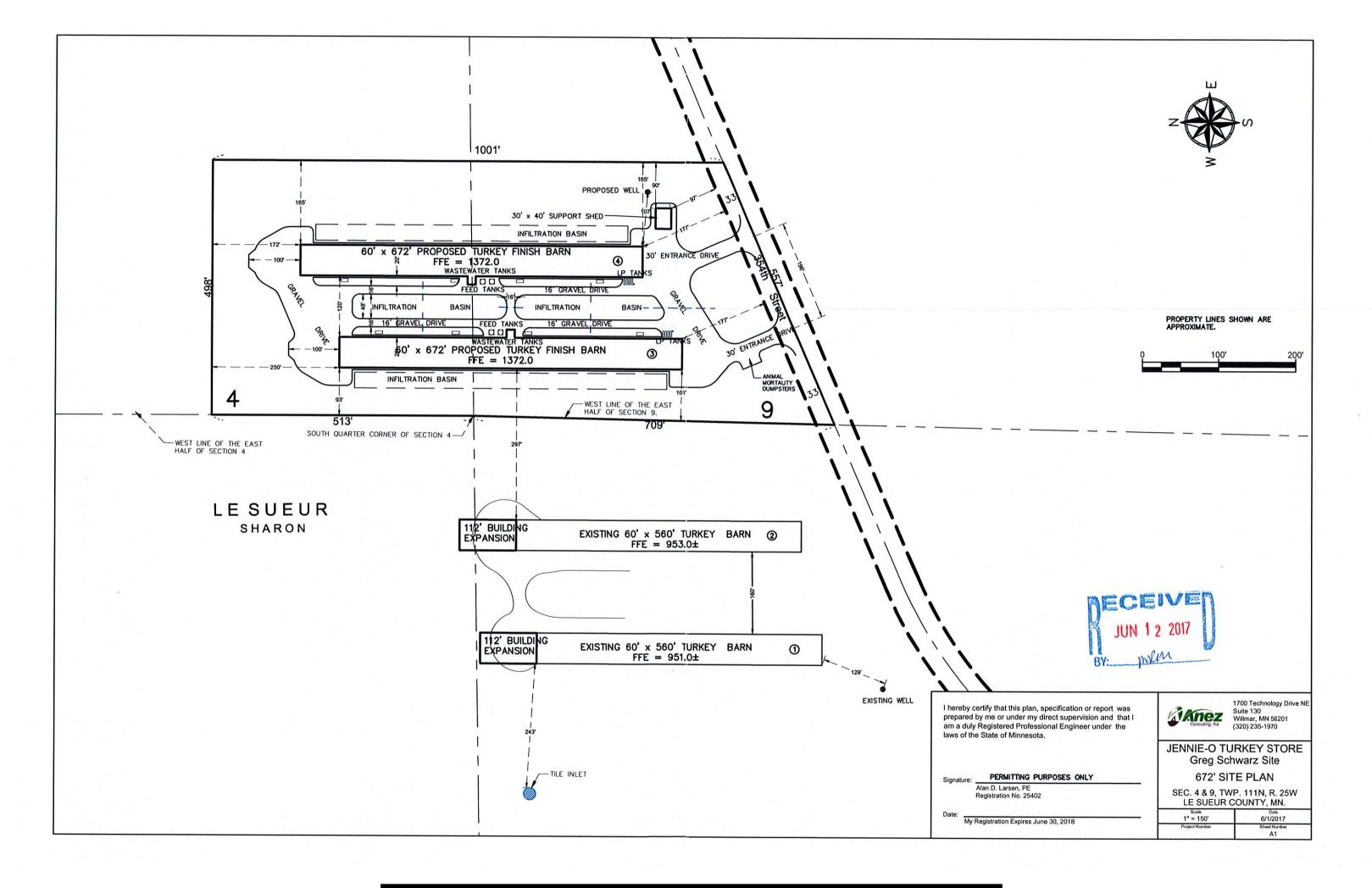
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# Le Sueur County, MN

Thursday, July 13, 2017 Regular session

Item 4

**Blue Sky Dairy Packet** 

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

# CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION #17175 LE SUEUR COUNTY

IN AGRICULTURAL AND CONSERVANCY
ZONING DISTRICTS,
AN EXPANSION OF AN EXISTING, REGISTERED
ANIMAL FEEDLOT CAPABLE OF HOUSING
1,505.8 ANIMAL UNITS
(1,067 HEAD OF MATURE DAIRY CATTLE OVER
1,000 POUNDS AND 60 HEAD OF DAIRY CALVES)

NAME: BLUE SKY DAIRY, LLC BLUE SKY DAIRY, LLC Subject: Conditional Use Permit Application #17175

**Applicant:** BLUE SKY DAIRY, LLC

Property Owner: BLUE SKY DAIRY, LLC

Location: SW1/4 OF SECTION 26, CLEVELAND TOWNSHIP

Existing Zoning: A- AGRICULTURAL, C-CONSERVANCY, SP-SPECIAL PROTECTION

Date of Hearing: JULY 13, 2017

**Reported by:** Kathy Brockway-Le Sueur County P & Z Administrator

Amy Beatty- Le Sueur County Feedlot Officer

### **Applicant Received:**

The applicant has received copies of the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance Section 7: Conservancy District, Section 8: Agriculture District, Section 16: Animal Feedlot and Manure Management, and Section 21: Conditional Use Permit.

### Township Notification:

The applicant contacted, Susan Ely, Cleveland Township Board on February 28, 2017.

### Variance Approved: May 18, 2017

The County granted a Use Variance from the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance to allow the applicant to expand a legal non-conforming feedlot by 6 animal units (AU) from 1493.8 AU to 1499.8 AU in the Conservancy "C" Special Protection "SP" and Agriculture "A" Districts.

### **Zoning District:**

The Agriculture (A) District is established for areas where agriculture uses are seen as the best and highest long term use of the land. The land itself needs to be preserved for primarily agricultural activities. These areas should avoid existing cities, residential zones, and subdivisions. They should be large contiguous land areas with mostly prime soils. Rezoning should only be considered on the zone's borders in order to maintain the Zoning integrity of the District. Dwellings that are allowed should be on the edges of the open farmland where possible or utilize existing abandoned farm sites. The total number of Dwellings shall not exceed sixteen (16) per section of land with the exception of Transfer of Development Right and lots of record. Transfer of development rights may be utilized to exceed the permitted housing density of one dwelling per quarter-quarter section (40 acres), provided that the density does not exceed four dwellings per quarter-quarter section in the receiving quarter-quarter section. Lots of Record shall be exempt from density standards.

The Conservancy (C) District is established for areas that typically contain significant water courses and associated features such as bluffs, woods and flood plain that are best left mostly in existing natural ground cover. Dwellings, livestock production, and other intense land uses should be kept to a minimum. Housing density should be the same as in the Agriculture (A) District. Rezoning should only be considered on the zone's borders in order to maintain the Zoning integrity with the Conservancy (C) District. However, transfer of development rights may be utilized to exceed the permitted housing density of one dwelling per quarter-quarter section (40 acres), provided the density does not exceed four dwellings per quarter-quarter section in the receiving quarter-quarter section. Lots of Record shall be exempt from density standards.

SPECIAL PROTECTION (SP) DISTRICT- Lands within this Zoning District include shoreland areas adjacent to Recreational Development (RD) and Natural Environment (NE) lakes, agricultural and transitional rivers and tributary streams where agriculture or open space is the predominant use. The water feature needs protection from development and agriculture uses should utilize best management practices that prevent or reduce nonpoint source pollution to surface or groundwater. Housing density should be the same as in the Agriculture (A) District. Dwellings, livestock production and other intense land uses should be kept to a minimum. However, transfer of development rights may be utilized to exceed the permitted housing density of one dwelling per quarter-quarter section (40 acres), providing that the density does not exceed four dwellings per quarter-quarter section in the receiving quarter-quarter section. Lots of record shall be exempt from density standards.

Goal 1: Le Sueur County contains some of the most productive agricultural soils in Minnesota and should adopt and enforce land use goals and policies that conserve and protect agricultural resources and uses.

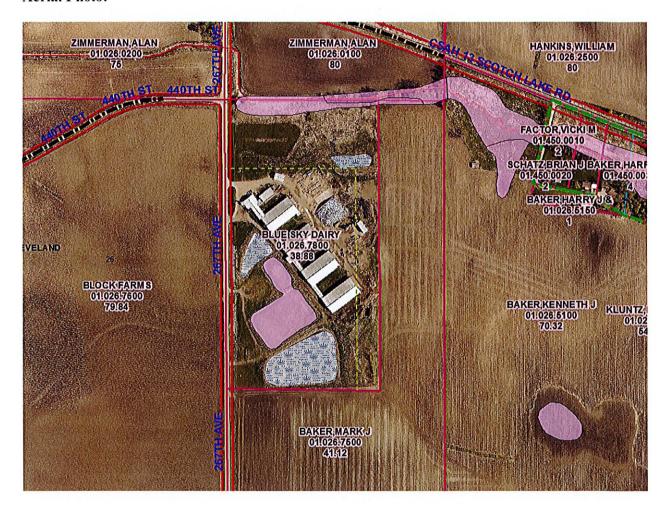
Policy: The County will protect the best of its agricultural land as a resource for long term agricultural use.

Policy: An adequate supply of healthy livestock is essential to the well being of Le Sueur County. The location of livestock feedlots and non-feedlot uses too close to one another can cause conflicts. An effort to combine local needs with state feedlot regulations will ensure local involvement in this issue, help provide minimal disruption to existing agricultural businesses, and help provide rules to protect the environment.

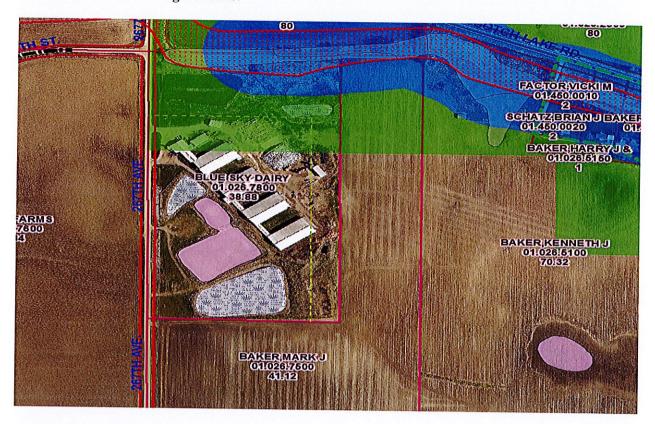
### **Site Information:**

The existing, registered animal feedlot is located on a parcel in the SW ¼ of Section 26, Cleveland Township and parcel address 44625 267<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Cleveland.

### **Aerial Photo:**



### **Aerial Photo with Zoning Districts:**



### **Surrounding Land Uses:**

The predominant use of the surrounding land is

North: Ag/Special Protection-Shoreland (Cherry Creek/County Ditch 65)

East: Ag

South: Ag West: Ag

Shoreland:

The existing registered animal feedlot and the proposed structures are not located

within a Shoreland Zoning District.

Wetlands:

There are wetlands are located in the quarter-quarter section where the existing

registered animal feedlot is located.

### Request:

The applicant is requesting to expand an existing, registered animal feedlot from 1,499.8 animal units or 1,067 head of mature dairy cattle over 1,000 pounds and 30 head of dairy calves to 1,505.8 animal units or 1,067 head of mature dairy cattle over 1,000 pounds and 60 head of dairy calves and to construct a permanent solid manure stockpile site. See attached narrative from the applicant.

### **Animal Feedlot Permit Application:**

Because this animal feedlot is registered at more than 1,000 animal units, the application is also being reviewed by Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) feedlot staff and engineer for completeness.

The applicant's permit application was received by the county feedlot officer and MPCA feedlot staff and engineer prior to and on June 12, 2017 and was comprised of:

- 1. Individual NPDES Permit Application
- 2. Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan
- 3. Animal Mortality Plan
- 4. Emergency Response Plan

- 5. Manure Management Plan Requirements When Ownership of Manure is Transferred. Blue Sky Dairy, LLC will be transferring 100% of the manure generated to cropland managers.
- 6. Permanent solid manure stockpile site plans prepared by Alan D. Larsen, P.E. with Anez Consulting, Inc.

Per Minn. Stat. §116.07, subd. 7(a), as amended in 2003:

(a) A person who applies to the pollution control agency or a county board for a permit to construct or expand a feedlot with a capacity of 500 animal units or more shall, not less than 20 business days before the date on which a permit is issued, provide notice to each resident and owner of real property within 5,000 feet of the perimeter of the proposed feedlot. The notice may be delivered by first class mail, in person, or by the publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the affected area and must include information on the type of livestock and the proposed capacity of the feedlot.

The applicant's notification was published in the Le Center Leader's March 15, 2017 edition.

### County and State Requirements:

- Expansion of an existing, registered animal feedlot may expand up to 3,000 animal units through the Conditional Use Permit process located in the Agricultural Zoning District.
- Expansion of an existing, registered animal feedlot may expand up to 500 animal units through the Conditional Use Permit process located in the Conservancy Zoning District.
  - The applicant is requesting to expand the existing registered animal feedlot from 1,499.8 animal units or 1,067 head of mature dairy cattle over 1,000 pounds and 30 head of dairy calves to 1,505.8 animal units or 1,067 head of mature dairy cattle over 1,000 pounds and 60 head of dairy calves and to construct a permanent solid manure stockpile site.
  - At the May 18, 2017, Le Sueur County Board of Adjustment meeting, Blue Sky Dairy, LLC was granted a variance to:
    - Expand a legal non-conforming animal feedlot in a Conservancy Zoning District from 1,499.8 to 1505.8 animal units (expansion of 6 animal units).

For a registered animal feedlot between 101 to 2,000 animal units, the minimum lot size and suitable area acreage is ten (10) acres.

- The applicant submitted a Certificate of Survey showing a parcel with a total acreage of 38.88 acres.
- There are at least 25 suitable area acres on the parcel.

Per Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2005, subpart 1 and Chapter 4410.4300, subpart 29, the site meets or exceeds the following requirements for the expansion of the existing registered animal feedlot in an Agricultural and Conservancy Zoning Districts. The proposed expansion of the existing animal feedlot facility is not

- Within 1,000 feet of a lake or within 300 feet of a stream;
- Located within a delineated floodplain;
- Located in a state or federally designated wild and scenic river district, a Minnesota River Project Riverbend Area, or the Mississippi Headwaters Area; and
- Located in a drinking water supply management area.

The applicant will meet or exceed the following setback requirements as listed in the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, Section 16 for the **proposed** calf hut area and permanent stockpile site.

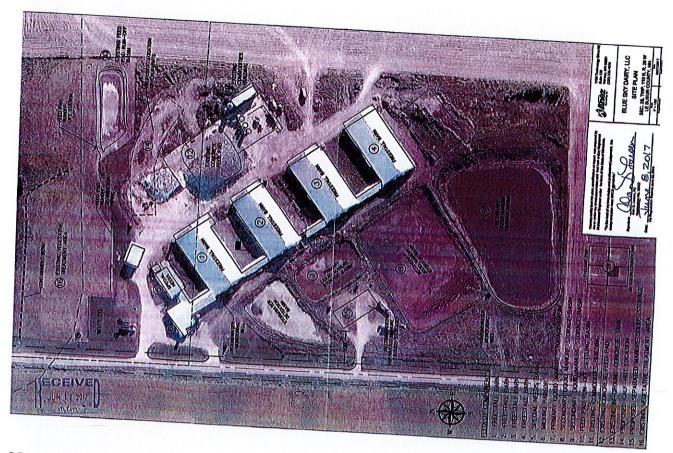
- Well 100 feet.
  - The calf hut area is proposed to be constructed 370 feet from the well and the permanent stockpile site 730 feet from the well.
- North, South, and East Property Lines 100 feet.
  - The calf hut area is proposed to be 100 feet from the east property line. The calf hut area and permanent stockpile will be approximately 400 feet to the north and south property lines.

- Road right-of-way 100 feet.
  - The permanent stockpile site is proposed to be 100 feet from the 267<sup>th</sup> Avenue road right-of-way.
- Cemetery 500 feet.
  - There are no cemeteries within 500 feet of the existing animal feedlot.
- School, park, golf course, or licensed campground 1,000 feet.
  - There are no schools, parks, golf courses, or licensed campgrounds within 1,000 feet of the existing animal feedlot.
- Existing dwellings 1,000 feet.
  - The closest existing dwelling is approximately 1,100 feet from the existing dwelling.

### Existing and Proposed Animal Feedlot Structures (see attached site plan):

- Existing Animal Feedlot Buildings and Components.
  - There are four (4) existing total confinement buildings each measuring 120 feet x 264 feet. Each building houses 254 head of dairy cows.
  - There is an existing 48 foot x 90 foot total confinement building (special needs) that house 51 head of dairy cows.
  - There is an existing 50 foot x 250 foot building that houses the milking parlor.
  - There are three (3) earthen manure storage basins measuring
    - 120 feet x 220 feet x 9 feet:
    - 260 feet x 380 feet x 9 feet; and
    - 332 feet x 380 feet x 14 feet.
  - There is one feed pad run-off control basin measuring 25 feet x 10 feet x 4 feet.
  - There are two feed storage areas:
    - A 30 foot x 84 foot commodities building; and
    - A 300 foot x 400 foot concrete feed storage pad.
  - An existing 19 foot x 23 foot x 8 foot below grade concrete manure tank (temporary pit to hold manure prior to being transferred to the primary manure storage basin).
- New Animal Feedlot Buildings and Components.
  - A proposed 3,150 square foot area in which the 60 head of dairy calves will be housed within calf huts.
  - A proposed 60 foot x 130 foot permanent stockpile area. The plans and specifications for the permanent stockpile were prepared by Alan D. Larsen, P.E. with Anez Consulting, Inc.

### Site Plan:



### Manure Management Plan:

The manure management plan requirements when ownership of manure is transferred has been submitted to and reviewed by Department staff. A copy is on file in the office of the Le Sueur County Feedlot Officer. A plan is required to be prepared by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, Section 16. In addition, all liquid manure shall be injected or incorporated within twenty-four (24) hours.

All of the manure will be transferred to area cropland managers.

### **Odor Control:**

An Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan has been submitted to and reviewed by Department staff. A copy is on file in the office of the Le Sueur County Feedlot Officer. A plan is required to be prepared by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, Section 16.

Based upon the Department's review, all application components have been submitted.

MPCA feedlot staff and engineer will complete the technical review of the animal feedlot individual NPDES permit application.

### **Feedlot Officer Findings:**

- The animal feedlot shall be operated in a manner consistent with the Le Sueur County Zoning
  Ordinance and Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020 and its National Pollutant Discharge
  Elimination System (NPDES) Permit. Any deviation may necessitate modification of its
  Conditional Use Permit.
- 2. Per Minnesota Administrative Rules, Chapter 7020.2125, subpart 4.E, notification shall be made to the MPCA commissioner and Department of the intent to construct the permanent stockpile a

minimum of three days prior to commencement of construction and within three days following completion of construction.

- 3. All animal manure from the operation shall be utilized in accordance to its Manure Management Plan and NPDES Permit.
- 4. Animal mortalities shall meet the requirements of the Minnesota Board of Animal Health.
- The permit holder shall allow the County Feedlot Officer or assigned representee to inspect the site whenever necessary upon notification to permit holder.
- 6. No animals shall be brought into the newly constructed portion of the facility until all conditions
- 7. All applicable requirements as stated in Section 16, Subdivision 9, Standards for Conditional Use Permits, and any additional standards or requirements imposed by the Le Sueur County Board of Commissioners shall be met.

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Staff Report, Application, Criteria Form, Narrative, MPCA Requirements, Maps

## PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION CONSIDERATIONS

The Planning Commission and staff shall consider possible adverse effects of the proposed conditional use and what additional requirements may be necessary to reduce such adverse effects. Its judgment shall be based upon the following factors to include, but not limited to:

- 1. Relationship to County plans.
- 2. The geographical area involved.
- 3. Whether such use will negatively affect surrounding properties in the area in which it is
- 4. The character of the surrounding area.
- 5. The demonstrated need for such use.
- 6. Whether the proposed use would cause odors, dust, flies, vermin, smoke, gas, noise, or vibration or would impose hazards to life or property in the neighborhood.
- 7. Whether such use would inherently lead to or encourage disturbing influences in the
- 8. Whether stored equipment or materials would be screened and whether there would be continuous operation within the visible range of surrounding residences.
- 9. Abatement of Environmental Hazards as regulated in this Ordinance.
- 10. Other factors impacting the public health, safety, and welfare.

## PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION FINDINGS

Based on the information submitted by the applicant, contained in this report, and as required by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, the following findings have been developed for this request: (Please circle one for each item: Agree, Disagree, Not Applicable.)

- The conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminishes and impairs property values within the immediate vicinity.
- The establishment of the conditional use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for uses predominant in the area.
- Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been or are being provided.

- Adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.
- 5. Adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent and control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.
- 6. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with and supported by the statement of purposes, policies, goals and objectives in the Ordinance?
- 7. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan?

Recommend (circle one) approval / denial / table / of Conditional Use Permit.

## LE SUEUR COUNTY CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT CRITERIA

Conditional Use Permit #: 17175

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COUNTY BOARD MEETING DATE

# Le Sueur County

Conditional Use Application Ī. Applicant: Name Blue Sky Dairy LLC, - Steve Smith Mailing Address PO Box 51 City Courtland State MN Zip 56021 Phone # 507-359-2133 Phone # II. Landowner: Name Blue Sky Dairy, LLC Mailing Address PO Box 51 City Courtland State MN Zip 56021 Property Address 44625 267th Ave City Cleveland State MN Zip 56017 Phone # 507-359-2133 Phone # Parcel Information: III. Parcel Number 01.928.7800 Parcel Acreage 38.88 Attach Full Legal Description (NOT abbreviated description from tax statement) Township Cleveland Section 26 Subdivision Lot Block Township Notification: Township must be notified of proposed use prior to application. IV. Cleveland Township notified on (Township Name) (Date) Board Member Susan Ely \_\_ regarding the proposed use. (Name) V. **Quantities and Submittal Formats:** a. One (1) reproducible 8.5" x 11" copy of the request and all other supporting documents. b. Twenty three (23) copies must be submitted, if any documents are in color, an aerial, or larger than 8.5" x 11" in size. c. Electronic version of any supporting documents if available. c. Additional copies may be requested as deemed necessary by the Department. d. Application must be made in person by the applicant and/or landowner no later than 12 P.M. on the date of application deadline. e. Appointment is necessary. Applications will not be accepted by mail. Fees: Must be paid at the time of application. Conditional Use Permit \$ 750 After-The-Fact fee is doubled. Filing Fee \$ 46 **Additional Fees:** Special Meeting \$ 2,000 After-The-Fact Penalty \$ 1,500 OR 10% of improvement, whichever is greater my / 2M

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	3.	LIST OF PUBLIC HEALT	H PLANS:							
		i. Water Supply:	Private well							
		ii. Toilet facilities: _	currently on si	te, no addtional facilities ad	dded.					
		iii. Solid Waste Colle	ection: Waste is o	collected in a dumpster and picked u	p by local waste handling company.					
	4.	FIRE PREVENTION: Cl	eveland Fire depart	ment for coverage, no other fire pre	vention measures					
	5.	SECURITY PLANS:	ocked doors							
	6.	RETAIL SALES: Nor	е							
	7.	FOOD OR ALCOHOL SE	RVED OR FOR SA	ALE: None						
	8. DESCRIBE IF THE APPLICANT REQUESTS THE COUNTY TO PROVIDE ANY SERVICES OR COUNTY PERSONNEL: (For example, pedestrian and/or vehicular traffic control.) None requested									
	9.	SOUND AMPLIFICATION None	, PUBLIC ADDRE	SS SYSTEM, PLAYING OF MUSIC	C:					
	10.	EXTERIOR LIGHTING:	No additonal li	ghting will be added						
	11.	PARKING AND LOADING	: Parking an	d loading take place on site	e off road.					
	12.	signage: None								
	13.	ROAD ACCESS: (Approv	ed by the road auth	nority) 267th Ave	2.00 ~					
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Blue Sky Dairy, LLC, 44625 267<sup>th</sup> Ave, Cleveland, MN is applying for a Conditional Use Permit to construct a 60′ x 130′ permanent stockpile pad with 10 ft walls on three sides and add 30 dairy calves (6 AU) on 38.8 acres in the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec 26, Cleveland Township. The location of the new stockpile pad is number 15 on the site plan. The calf hutch area is number 14 on the site plan. The site is located on 267<sup>th</sup> Ave south of Scotch Lake Road.

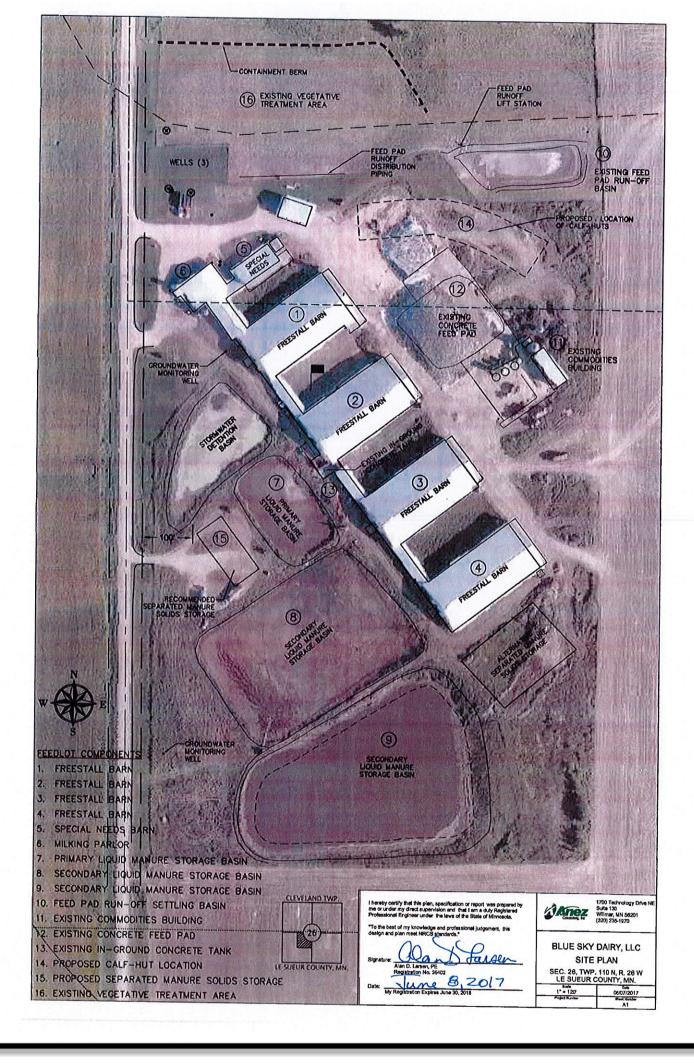
The site currently is permitted for 1067 dairy cows over 1,000 pounds (1499.8 AU) and 30 head of calves (6 AU). With the addition of the 30 calves the total animal units will be 1505.8.

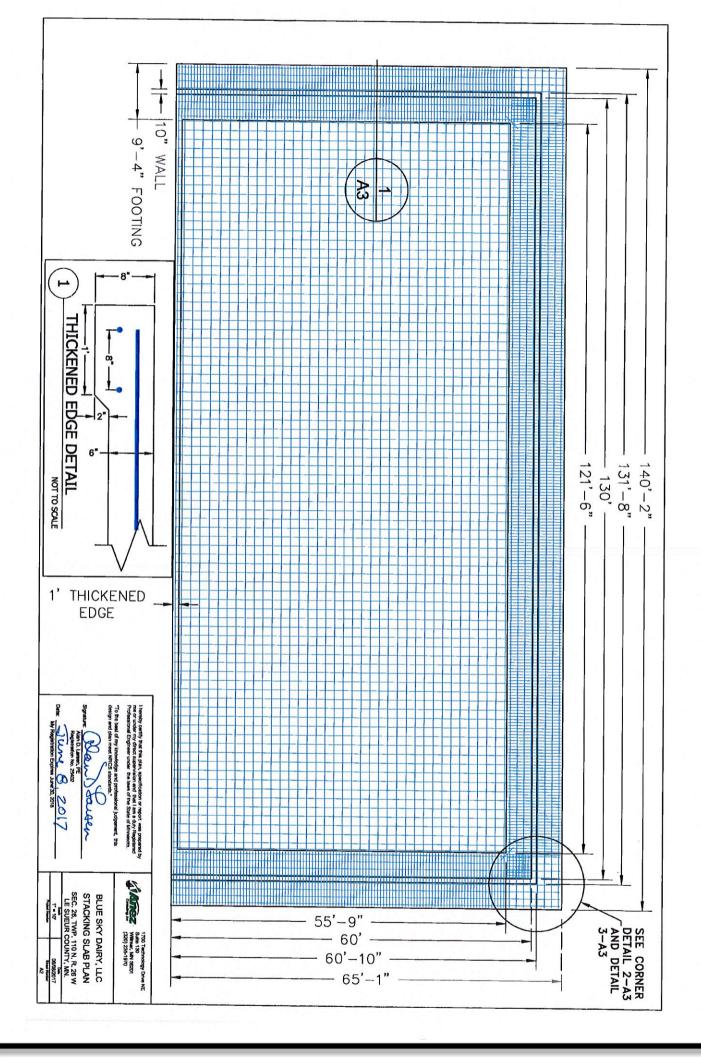
The location of the calf hutch area was chosen so that an existing feed pad runoff containment area can be used for any potential runoff from the calf hutch area. NPDES permits do not allow any discharge from the site. Manure from the calf hutches can be cleaned and hauled directly to the field or to the permanent stockpile pad.

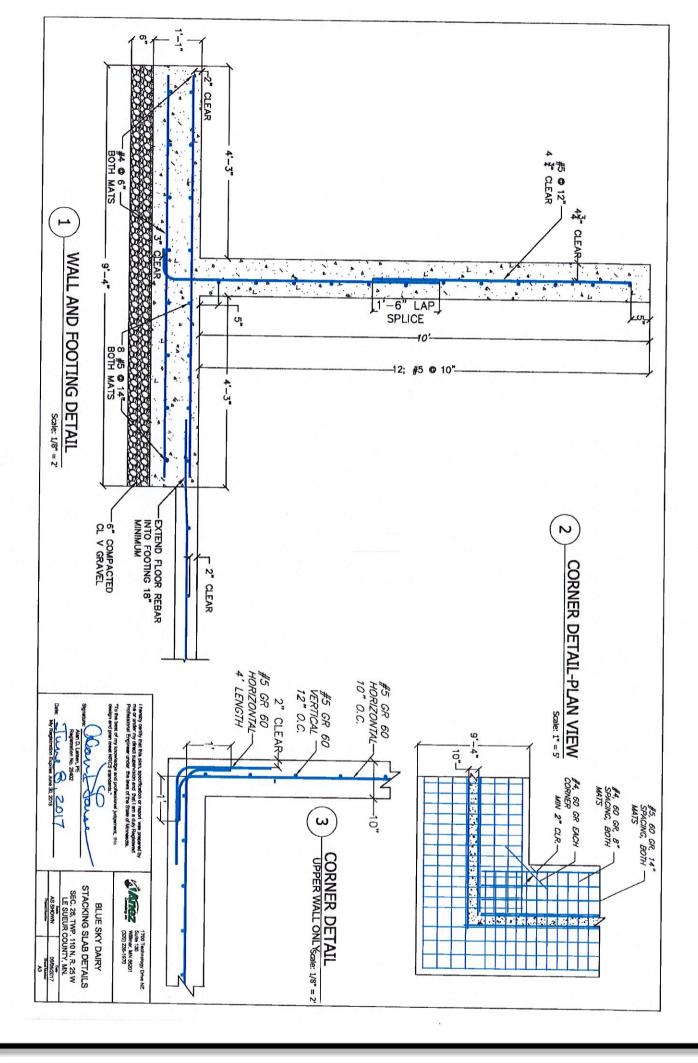
The addition of the stockpile pad will address a potential pollution concern from Minnesota Pollution Control Agency as identified on a site visit by MPCA in December 2016. The pad will allow for manure to be stockpiled in compliance with Minnesota 7020 rules regarding permanent stockpiles. The stockpile pad is designed to slope towards the back of the structure to contain any potential runoff.

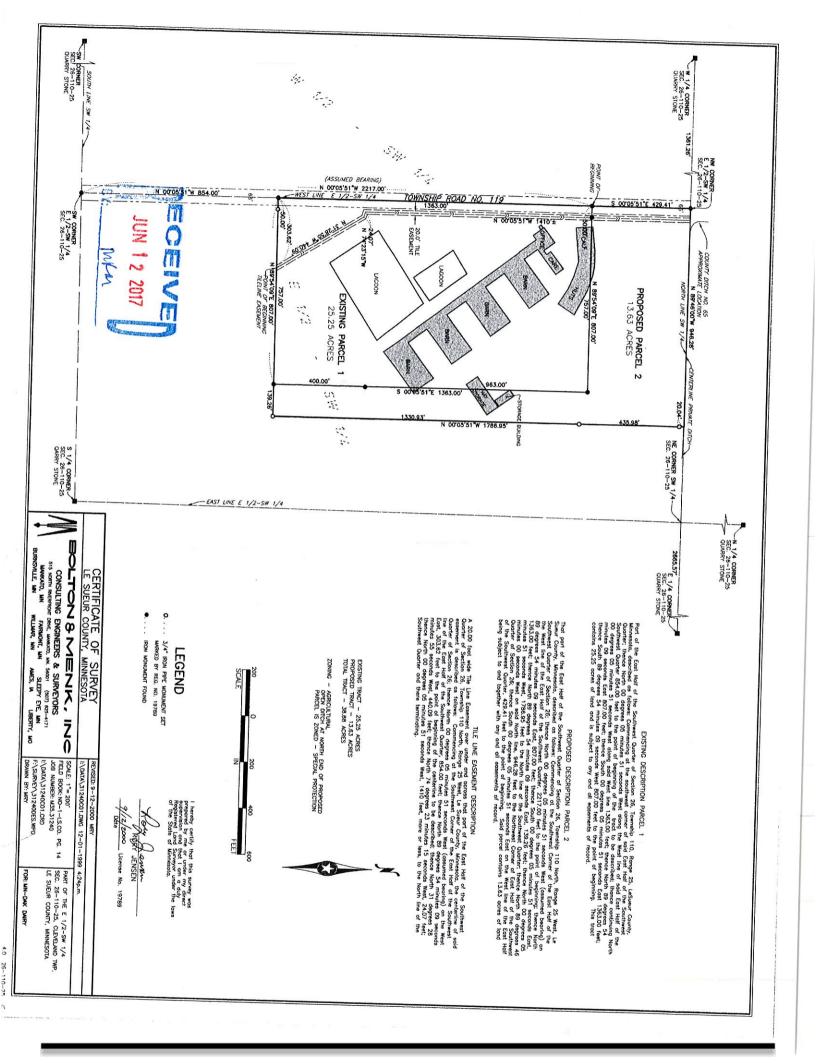
Blue Sky Dairy is now under new ownership as of October, 2016. The new owners are dedicated to keeping the site compliant with state and local rules regarding feedlots.











Blue Sky Dairy has permission to continue to use the access driveways for their site located on 267<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Pat McCabe

Cleveland Township Supervisor



Anez Consulting, Inc. 1700 Technology Dr. NE, #130 Willmar, MN 56201



Susan Ely Cleveland Township Clerk 41862 271st Ave Cleveland, MN 56017

Dear Ms. Ely,

This letter is to inform Cleveland Township that Blue Sky Dairy, LLC, 44625 267<sup>th</sup> Ave, Cleveland, MN has applied to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency to modify a feedlot permit of 500 animal units or more. This letter replaces a previously mailing.

The facility is located E ½ of the SW ¼ of Section 26, Cleveland Township, Le Sueur County, Minnesota.

The facility is currently permitted for 1067 head of dairy cows over 1000 pounds (1493.8 AU) and 30 head of calves (6 AU) all in total confinement. Manure storage for the facility consists of four liquid earthen basins. 1 - 120'x220'x9', 1 - 260'x380'x9', 1 - 332'x380'x14' and 1 - 25'x10'x4'. There is also an in-ground 19'x23'x8' concrete tank liquid manure storage tank and a 30'x50' permanent stockpile area.

The applicant is proposing to construct a 60' x 130' permanent stockpile area and re-locate the calf hutches to an 1800 sq ft area in partial confinement with manure pack on ground with runoff controls. The applicant is also proposing to add 30 calves (6 AU) to the permit.

There will be an increase of 6 animal units. The total animal units will be 1505.8.

Sincerely,

Jeff Bauman

Ag Nutrient Consultant jeff@anezconsulting.com

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## Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan

### NPDES/SDS Permit Program

Feedlot Program

Doc Type: Permit Application

Purpose: This Air Emissions and Odor Management Plan is incorporated into the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)/ State Disposal System (SDS) Permit and made an enforceable part of the permit and submitted to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MCPA).

Facility name: Blue Sky Dairy LLC		Feedlot registration no.	079-50004	
Owner/Operator	name: Blue Sky Dairy, LLC	Feedlot permit no.	MNG440677	

## Methods/Practices Used to Minimize Air Emissions and Facility Odor Sources and Anticipated Odor Control Strategies

	Site sketch identification number	Practices employed to	Complaint i	response protocol	
	(from permit application) and List of air emissions/Odor source(s)	minimize emissions	Odor potential (Without BMPs*)	Anticipated odor control strategies**	
ID#	Type of Air Emission/Odor Source	List number(s) from below	High, Med, or Low	List number(s) from below	
1	Total Confinement Barn	6-10	Low	28	
2	Total Confinement Barn	6-10	Low	28	
3	Total Confinement Barn	6-10	Low	28	
4	Total Confinement Barn	6-10	Low	28	
5	Total Confinement Barn	6-10	Low	28	
6	Total Confinement Barn	6-10	Low	28	
7	Outdoor Liquid Storage Structure	22	Med	28	
8	Outdoor Liquid Storage Structure	22	Med	28	
9	Outdoor Liquid Storage Structure	22	Low	28	
10	Other				
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14	Partial Confinement Barn with Open Lot	21	Low	28	
15	Manure Stockpile	24	Med	28	

<sup>\*</sup>BMP = Best Management Practices

### Practices applicable to multiple odor/emissions sources

- 1. Develop a neighbor relations plan
- 2. Disperse/mix air with tree plantings
- 3. Establish adequate separation distances
- Treatment of escaping air with control technologies
- 5. Reduce nutrient waste with diet manipulation

#### Animal holding area(s) specific

- 6. Maintain clean, dry floors to eliminate manure buildup
- 7. Eliminate manure buildup under gates, feeders, etc.
- 8. Promptly clean up any spilled feed
- 9. Reduce feed waste/water losses
- 10. Maintain exhaust fans and avoid manure and dust accumulation
- 11. Use spray oil to reduce dust
- 12. Higher oil and fat content in feed to reduce dust

### Dead animal holding/processing area(s) specific

- 13. Manage mortalities as required by MN Board of Animal Health
- 14. Compost/manage mortalities in an enclosed structure
- 15. Use enclosed and refrigerated dead animal holding area

#### Solid and Liquid Manure Storage Area(s) Specific

- 16. Maintain crust on basin by switching to organic bedding
- 17. Cover liquid manure storage area with straw
- 18. Notify neighbors of manure agitation periods and avoid holidays
- 19. Cover liquid manure storage area with synthetic cover
- 20. Addition of chemicals to manure to reduce odor/emissions
- 21. Add straw or other bedding material to reduce odor/ emissions
- 22. Separate solids with settling basin or liquid/solid separate
- 23. Anaerobic digestion
- 24. Reduce length of time stockpile/manure back is maintained
- 25. Solid manure composting
- 26. Cover the solid manure stockpile
- 27. Incinerate solid manure at approved/permitted facility www.

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#### Other practices

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	reduce odors following complaints
	(anticipated odor control strategies column only)

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<sup>\*\*</sup> In the event that odor complaints are received and validated by the MPCA/County Feedlot Officer (CFO), the facility/ownership agrees to implement the identified practices identified in this column, pursuant to MPCA request/approval.

### Response to Documented Exceedance(s)

(Minn. R. 7020.0505, subp 4.B(1)(b))

Initial here: SS,

by initialing here I indicate that I have read, understand, and agree to the requirements/procedures outlined below. (initial is required for all facilities using this form)

In the event testing/monitoring conducted by the MPCA/County identify emissions in excess of standards set in applicable Minnesota Rules, Statutes, or other directives, the facility/ownership agrees to submit a plan of action following MPCA's request. which provides technical documentation that one (or more) of the following technologies will effectively control emissions in the short term as well as into the future:

### Liquid Manure Storage Areas (LMSA)

- Chemical additions to the LMSA
- Maintain natural crusting (blow straw to promote crusting if necessary)
- Maintain a straw cover
- Permeable synthetic cover (floating geo-textile, etc.)
- Impermeable synthetic cover (floating High Density Polyethylene [HDPE], etc.)
- Anaerobic digester
- Treatment of escaping air with odor control technologies

#### **Solid Manure Storage Areas**

- Cover manure stockpiles with synthetic covers
- Remove manure packs more frequently
- Eliminate stockpiling by more frequent land application
- Incinerate solid manure for electricity
- Composting solid manure

#### **Animal Holding Areas**

- Utilize bio-filters or other odor control technology for power ventilated buildings
- Decrease the amount of manure buildup in the animal holding areas

#### Dead Animal Handling/Processing Areas

- Utilize enclosed and refrigerated dead animal holding area prior to rendering pick-up
- Animal mortality composting

The MPCA will, at its discretion, consider alternatives to the technologies listed above provided proper technical documentation is submitted that illustrates the alternative will undoubtedly minimize the emissions. The MPCA reserves the right to disapprove of the alternative if the MPCA deems the technical documentation incomplete or inaccurate or if the MPCA deems the alternative unsuitable for the unique circumstances at the facility.

The plan of action must identify when the technology will be installed and fully operational and should also identify what temporary measures can be taken to minimize emissions in the event the chosen technology will take a significant amount of time to install and make fully operational. The plan of action will be immediately implemented following approval by the MPCA and become part of this air emission and odor management plan and subsequently an enforceable part of the facility's NPDES/SDS Permit.



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# 2017 Individual NPDES Permit Application

Blue Sky Dairy, LLC 44625 267th Avenue Cleveland, MN 56017







1700 Technology Dr. NE, Suite 130 Willmar, MN 56201 320-235-1970



520 Lafayette Road North St. Paul, MN 55155-4194

## Animal Feedlot or Manure Storage Area Permit Application

**NPDES and SDS Permit Program** 

Doc Type: Permit Application

Applicability: You must submit this form to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) for Issuance, reissuance, and major modification of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) or State Disposal System (SDS) feedlot permit coverage. A separate application form exists for minor modification requests.

A fact sheet that explains major and minor permit modifications is available at: http://www.pca.state.mn.us/zihy6a1

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		Township (26 – 71 or 101 – 168)	Range (1 – 51)	Section (1 – 36)	1/4 Section (160 acre) (NW, NE, SW, SE)	% of % Section (40 a (NW, NE, SW, SE	cre)
		T 110 N	R 25 W	26	sw	E1/2	<u></u>
VI.	S	ensitive Features					<del></del>
	1.		within 1 000 fo	ot of any time			
		If Yes, complete a, and b	. below:	et or any type of	or surface waters?		🛛 Yes 🗌 No
		a. List the name of the su	rface water fe	eature:			
		b. Select the type of surfa	ace water feat	ure helow:			
			han 25 acres	☐ Wetland	☑ Drainage ditch [  00 feet of the river/strear	Other	
	2.	Is any part of the facility lo	ocated within a	delinated #s	ad alla's trans	n? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
	3.	Is any part of the facility is	sooted will the		od plain (100 year flood)?		☐ Yes ⊠ No
	4.	Is any part of the facility to	ocated within (	designated sho	reland?		☐ Yes ☒ No
	٦.	Is any part of the facility to (sinkholes, cayes, disappear)	ocated within 1	,000 feet of a	carst feature?		
		(sinkholes, caves, disappearing of the same of the sam	helow <sup>,</sup>	irgent springs, ka	arst windows, dry valleys, or	blind valleys)	☐ Yes ☒ No
		a. Are there 4 or more sin	kholes within	1 000 foot?		_	
		b. Is any part of the facility	within 300 fe	et of a known o	inkholo2	☐ Yes ☐ No	
	5.	Is any part of the facility to	cated within 4	or or a known s	inknoie?	☐ Yes ☐ No	
		Is any part of the facility lo	ble well trock	,000 feet of the	following types of wells:		☐ Yes ☒ No
		☐ a community water s	nuuly well nie well type t	pelow:			
		a well serving a publi	c school as 49	Spod under the			
		a well serving a priva	te school evel	under Mi	nn. Stat. § 120A.05		
		a well serving a licens	sed child care	Center where t	hound!:		
	6.	Is any part of the facility I	ocatod within	4 000 C + C	ne well is vulnerable (Min	n. R. 4720.5550, subp. 2)	)
		ls any part of the facility I	ocated Willill	i,uuu teet of ar	open tile intake?		⊠ Yes □ No
VII.	Env	ironmental Review					
Mand	atory	environmental review is req	uired when the	e addition of 4	000		
constr	ruction	environmental review is req n/expansion at any facility. T s located within a "sensitive	he threshold	e addition of 1,1 When environm	UUU or more animal units lental review is mandator	(AU) is proposed as p	art of the
me ia						y is reduced to 500 At	I when any part of
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•	OU	y part of the facility is within	1,000 feet of	a karst feature	(Ves to augotion 4 -have	Λ.	
•		y barr or the racility is within	a vuinerable	drinking water e	Supply management	;)	
•	(11)	A barr or rue lacility is Mithiu	a federal, stat	le, or local wild	and coopie street at a		
•	An	y part of the facility is locate mandatory environmental re	d within the M	innesota River	Project Riverhand area	andla Bar a a	
Additio	nally	mandatory environmental re . 4410) as two or more proje	eview is requir	ed for "Dhasad	office Repend area (	or the Mississippi head	waters area
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		have ownership interest in a substantially certain you wil ⊠ No					ree years or
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	If Yes	s, how far away (straight-line	distance) is it le	ocated from the	nroject proposal talle		
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## VIII. Animal numbers and animal unit (AU) calculation

Complete the table below to identify the maximum number of animals housed at that facility. All animal numbers and animal sizes used to complete this table should reflect the animal holding capacity of the facility even if the facility does not currently house or propose to house that number of animals. At no time is the number of animals at the facility allowed to exceed the capacity provided below without first obtaining a permit or permit modification.

Existing facility - List the existing facility head count capacity for each existing animal type in column 3 below. Next, multiply the AU Factor in column 2 by the number of animals listed in column 3 to get the Existing AU Capacity for each animal type (column 4). Add the AU capacity numbers in column 4 for a total and enter the existing total at the bottom of the chart. If the facility currently does not have animal holding areas leave columns 3 and 4 blank.

Proposed facility - List the proposed facility head count capacity for each animal type in column 5 below. This number should include existing animals plus or minus any expansion or reduction in each animal type. Next, multiply the AU Factor in column 2 by the number of animals listed in column 5 to get the *Proposed AU Capacity* for each animal type (column 6). Add the AU capacity numbers in column 6 for the Final AU Total and enter the total at the bottom of column 6.

			Existing facility capacity		Proposed facility capaci (Existing +/- Changes)	
_	1. Animal type	2. Animal unit factor	3. Head count	4. Animal units = column 2 x column 3	5. Head count	6. Animal unit = column 2 x column 5
<u>A.</u>	Dairy cattle					× column :
	Mature cow (milked or dry) over 1,000 lbs.	1.4	1067	1,493.8	1067	1,493.8
_	Mature cow (milked or dry) under 1,000 lbs.	1.0				
_	Heifer	0.7				<del> </del>
_	Calf	0.2	30	6	60	12
В.	Veal			<u> </u>		
	Veal	0.2				
Ç.	Beef cattle					
	Slaughter steer/heifer, stock cow, or bull	1.0			<u> </u>	T
	Feeder cattle (stocker or backgrounding), heifer	0.7	<del></del>	<del> </del>		
	Cow and calf pair	1.2				
	Calf (weaned)	0.2		<del>                                     </del>		
<u>)</u> .	Swine			<del></del>		
	Over 300 lbs.	0.4				
	Between 55 and 300 lbs.	0.3				
	Under 55 lbs.	0.05				
Ε.	Horses	5.50				
	Horse	1.0				
	Sheep	1.0				
	Sheep or Lamb	0.1				
<del>)</del> .	Chickens with a liquid manure system	0.1				
	Layer Hens or Broilers	0.033				
_	Chickens with a <i>dry</i> manure system	0.033		[		
	Broilers over 5 lbs.	0.005				
_	Broilers under 5 lbs.	0.005				
_	Layer Hens over 5 lbs.	0.003				
_	Layer Hens under 5 lbs.	0.005	<u> </u>			
_	Turkeys	0.003				
	Over 5 lbs.					
_	Under 5 lbs.	0.018				
		0.005				
_	Ducks	<del></del>				
	Duck (with a liquid manure handling system)	0.01				
	Duck (with a dry manure handling system)	0.01				
. 1	Animals not listed in A to J (AU factor in column 2	= average w	eight of the anim	nal type divided by	/ 1,000 lbs.)	
	Animal type:			T		
	al animal unit capacity Add all numbers in column 4 for Existing AU total	<del>-</del>		Existing AU capacity		Final AU capacity
	Add all numbers in column 6 for Final AU total			1499.8	İ	1505.8

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## IX. Animal holding areas

Complete the table below for all your animal holding areas (Existing, New, and/or To Be Eliminated). If you have more than six animal holding areas on your site, continue your list on an additional copy of this page.

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ber of all animals	listed should match	inimals) of each	animal holding are	ea _
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Complete the table below for all your a	nimal halding ar	:000 /C:	ulatina N		5 Fr : 4 B		
Complete the table below for all your a If you have more than six animal holding	ng areas on your	eas (⊑) r site, c	xisting, N ontinue y	ew, and/or 10 our list on an	Be Eliminated) additional copy	of this page.	
Pasture Access: Do any animals at t	he facility have a		-		· <del></del>		
Animal holding area ID	<del>,</del>	List	each ai	nimal holdin	g area in a se	eparate colui	mn
Facility Site Sketch ID (i.e., #1, A, Barn 1)	14						
Status ("Existing", "New", or "Eliminating")	New						
Distance to nearest well (ft.)	370						
Type of animal holding areas (indicate dimensions)		Write	approx	imate dimens	lons in feet in vith units for irre	the space bel	'ow
Total confinement barn (slatted floor)	_	T	MIGHT X 10	ingth of alea v	ann anns for irre	guiar sriapes)	<del></del>
Total confinement barn (solid floor)	<del>-</del>	<del> </del>		<del> </del>	· <u> </u>	_	
Partial confinement barn	Calf Hutches (3,150 sq. ft) w/ runoff control						
Open lot with runoff controls		T	· ·		<del></del>	<del></del>	
Open lot without runoff controls	<del> </del>	<del> </del> -		-	<del></del>		<del>-  </del>
Animai numbers The total	cate the maximu al number of all a	um car Inimals	pacity (n listed sh	umber of anii ould match the	nals) of each a e final animal nu	nimal holding umbers listed o	area on page 3
Mature dairy cows (over 1,000 lbs.)	<u> </u>						
Mature dairy cows (under 1,000 lbs.)	<del> </del>	<u> </u>	<u></u>				
Dairy heifers							
Dairy calves	60						
Veal		<u>                                      </u>					
Slaughter steer/heifer, stock cow or bull							
Feeder cattle-stocker/background/heifer							
Cow and calf pair							
Beef calves (weaned)							
Swine over 300 lbs.							
Swine between 55 and 300 lbs.							
Swine under 55 lbs.							
Horses							
Sheep or lamb		<u></u>					
All chickens with liquid manure system							
Broiler chickens over 5 lbs dry system		_			-		
Broiler chickens under 5 lbs dry system							
Laying hens over 5 lbs dry system							
Laying hens under 5 lbs dry system		L					
Turkeys - over 5 lbs.	_						
Turkeys - under 5 lbs.		<u> </u>					
Ducks							
Other:							_
animai noiung areas	licate from the l	ist bel	ow the le	etter(s) of the for each cate	<b>applicable air</b> gory below for e	emission con	ntrol strategy(s)
Odor control strategies currently employed	D,E						
Possible additional odor control strategies** (must indicate at least one practice)	J						
Potential practices employed to mini	mize emissions	odors/	from an	imal holding	areas		
<ul> <li>A. Disperse/mix air with tree plantings</li> <li>B. Treatment of escaping air with control of the cont</li></ul>		G.	Eliminate	manure buildup	in feed to reduce under gates, feed d avoid manure ar	ders, etc	Man
Promptly clean up any spilled feed     Regular removal of manure		I.	Use spra	y oil to reduce di			
K. Other:							

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This satisfies the requirement of Minn. R.7020.0505 subp. 4 item B (1) for an air emissions plan for the animal holding area. The response to documented exceedances portion of the plan is satisfied within the certification text of this application.

### Manure Handling, Feed Storage, and Dead Animal Areas X.

Complete the table below for your manure storage, feed/sllage storage areas and dead animal disposal areas on your site. If you have more than six manure storage, feed/sllage storage, and dead animal disposal areas on your site, continue your list on an

Manure, feed, or dead animal areas	List each	Manue hand	lan to a r			
Facility Site Sketch ID (i.e., #1, A. Basin 1)	7	8	ing, feed storage	, and dead a	nimal area in a	separate co
Status ("Existing", "New", or "Eliminating")	Existing	Existing	<del>-   9</del>	10	_   11	12
Distance to nearest well (ft.)	563'	790'	Existing	Existing	Existing	Existing
Liquid waste storage/treatment area (manure and process wastewater)		Write app	1080'	570' nensions in t	eet in the spac	300'
Earthen or GCL lined basin	120'x220'x9'	1,472,477	MIGHT A GEPTIT OF V	olume with un	its for irregular	shapes)
Below barn concrete tank	120 1220 19	260'x380'x9'	332'x380'x14'	25'x10'x4'		<del></del>
In-ground concrete tank/basin (outdoor)		<del>-  </del>	<del>-</del>			
Above-ground concrete tank	<del>                                     </del>	<del> </del>				
Synthetic lined (HDPE, EPDM, etc.) basin	<u> </u>	+	<del></del>	<del> </del>		
Steel tank (i.e., slurry-store)		<del></del>		·		
Composite lined (2 liner types) basin/tank	T	<del></del>	<del></del>	ļ <u>.</u> .		
Vegetated Infiltration Area	<del></del>	<del>- </del>		<del></del>		
Other (describe):						
Solid manure, feed, and dead animal	areas	Write ap	proximate dimer	sions in feet	in the space I	Delow
Permanent Stockpile				WILL WITH STOF	ırı eyular shape	s)
Dead Animal Management Area Covered Feed Storage Area					+	-
			_		30'x84'	7.70
Incovered Feed Storage Area weet Corn Silage Storage			<del>                                     </del>		30 884	300'x400'
Storage Pad Area	}				<del> </del>	<del>- </del>
Tonnage on site at any one time						
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ther (describe):					-	
ir emissions plan for liquid and olid manure storage areas* dor control strategies currently employed	(this is not require	ed for feed storag	e letter(s) of the gy for each catego g areas, vegetative	Xry below for e infiltration areas	each manure st	orage area)
essible additional odor control strategies**	0		E	E	To book arming	nagririant alas
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otential practices employed to mi	nimize emiss	ions/odors fr	Om manura eta			
quid Storage Area Specific (basins, p	oits etc.)					
Maintain crust on basin by using organi	nis, <del>d</del> ic.,	PTECTICES &	applicable to soli	id <b>or</b> liquid st	orage areas	
Cover liquid manure storage area with a	c beading	K. Notify no	eighbors of manur	e application p	eriods and avoi	d holidavs
Cover liquid manuse storage area with a	straw	L. Disperse	mix air with tree	plantings	_	
Cover liquid manure storage area with s	synthetic cover	M. Add stra	w or other bedding	a material to re	educe odor/ omi	onione
Anaerobic digestion		N. Treatme	nt of escaping air	With control to	obnologica	991011S
Separate solids with settling basin or liquiseparator	uid/solid	O. I will con	sult the MPCA to i	dontify observe	- Al-	
Utilize a pit additive to break down solids	_	odors	110 MA CA (O)	dentily change	es that can be n	nade to reduc
lid Storage Area Specific (stockpiles)	1	P. Other:				
Reduce length of time stockpile is mainta	ained	_				
Solid manure composting		Q. Other:				
Cover the solid manure stockpile		-			<del></del>	
Inclnerate solid manure at approved/pen	mitted facility	R. Other:				
This satisfies the requirement of Minn. R.702 documented exceedances portion of the plan in the event that odor complaints are received.	0.0505 subp. 4 its	Ab - (1) 101 all all	emissions plan for	manure storage	areas The reco	onea to
n the event that odor complaints are received implemented pursuant to MPCA request/appr	d and validated by	y the MPCA/Coun	ty Feedlot Officer (0	ari. DFO), the practi	ces identified will	be
The state will be seen as a second of the						
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## XI. Manure Handling, Feed Storage, and Dead Animal Areas

Complete the table below for your manure storage, feed/silage storage areas and dead animal disposal areas on your site. If you additional copy of this page.

Facility Site Sketch ID (i.e., #1, A, Basin 1)	#13	<u>инало идин</u>	mig, reed Stora	ige, and dead	animal area in a	separate co
Status ("Existing", "New", or "Eliminating")	<del> </del>	-   "17	#15			
Distance to nearest well (ft.)	Existing 617	New	New			
iquid waste storage/treatment areas	<del></del>	370' Write at	730'	dimensions is	feet in the spac	
manure and process wastewater) arthen or GCL lined basin		(width x	length x depth of	r volume with	units for irregular s	e below
Below barn concrete tank	<del>                                       </del>				- In ogular s	inapes)
In-ground concrete tank/basin (outdoor)	19' x 23' x 8'					<del></del>
Above-ground concrete tank	<del></del>					<del></del>
Synthetic lined (HDPE, EPDM, etc.) basin	<del></del>	<u> </u>				
Steel tank (i.e., slurry-store)	<del> </del>					
Composite lined (2 liner types) basin/tank	<del> </del>	<del>-  </del>				
/egetated Infiltration Area	<del> </del>					
Other (describe):		<del> </del>				
olid manure, feed, and dead animal a	15000	Write a	pproximate din	nensions in fe	et in the space b	elow
ermanent Stockpile	30' x 50'	( <u>wic</u>	au x ieriyui or al	ea with units fo	or irregular shapes	s)
ead Animal Management Area	30 X 30	<del></del>	60'x130'			
overed Feed Storage Area		<del></del>	<del>-  </del>			
ncovered Feed Storage Area		<del> </del>				
weet Corn Silage Storage		<del> </del>	<del></del>	<del></del>		
Storage Pad Area						
Tonnage on site at any one time						
ther (describe): Manure pack on ground th runoff controls		1				<del> </del>
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quid Storage Area Specific (basins, p	its etc.)					
Maintain crust on basin by using organ	11.5, <del>6</del> 10.)	Practices	s applicable to	solid <b>or</b> liquid	storage areas	
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XI	III. Notifi	ications and Public Meet	ings	
Th	e notification	ns identified in items A and B are r	equired to	o be done before permit issuance.
A.	500 or m	ore AU: Notice to residents	and pro	perty owners within 5,000 feet of a proposed project
	When req	uired. A notice is required in eithe	er of the f	following situations:
				storage area, which will have a capacity of 500 AU or more.
	• E	Expansion of an existing feedlot, xpansion, a capacity of 500 AU or	or manur	e storage area, which currently has, or will have upon completion of the
	1101100 10 0	othods. The owner shall not less the ach resident and each owner of redde, at a minimum, the information	ai brober	islness days before the anticipated Issuance date of the permit, provide ty within 5,000 feet of the perimeter of the proposed facility. This notice in Minn. R. 7020.2000, subp.4.
	An example		neet Perm	olf Notification Regularements - Foodlots with more than 500 Auto-144
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	The MPCA completed	must verify that this notice has be can be provided with the permit ap	en comp oplication	leted prior to permit issuance. Documentation that this notice has been (preferred) or submitted at a later date, prior to permit issuance.
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	:	An affidavit of publication from a	newspa	per of general circulation used to provide this notification.
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	•	A list of all parties, with their local certification signed by a notary p	ation, that public indi	t were personally visited with a date and signature from each party and icating in detall what was discussed.
	When the r	notice has not been completed p	rior to th	nis application
	Please	include with this permit application	n the follo	wing:
	•	A copy of the content of the notif	fication	
	•	Date notification is scheduled to	occur:	
	No	te: The permit cannot be Issued p This verification must be one of	orior to recof the thre	ceiving verification that the notice has actually taken place. se Items listed above.
В.	Non-deleg	ated county public meeting r	minutes	(Minn. Stat. § 116.07, subd. 7(I))
	A county wh		f the feed	lot program must hold a public mostly a minute.
	Date meetin	g has occurred or is scheduled to	occur:	
	Verification	of public meeting.		
	A copy of the issuance.	e meeting minutes must be provide	ed to the I	MPCA for verification of completion of this requirement prior to permit
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### XIII. Certification and signature

### General permit

The Applicant certifies that, if this is an application is for a general permit, they are familiar with the requirements of the general permit. The Applicant understands that if the MPCA determines the facility does not meet the criteria for coverage under the general permit; this application will be used as an application for an individual Permit.

### Notification to local officials

The Applicant certifies that, if the application includes construction of a new facility or expansion of an existing facility, all local zoning authorities have been notified in accordance with Minn. R. 7020.2000 subp. 5.

### Operation and Maintenance Plan

The Applicant certifies that the following operation and maintenance measures will be employed:

- Operate and maintain manure storage areas according to the approved design plans including:
  - Repair of damage
    Maintenance of freeboard
- Control vegetation and tree growth with frequent mowing Access only at designated points (i.e. concrete ramps)
- No discharge (unless approved)
- Divert surface water flow away from and prevent pooling near manure storage areas
- Operate manure storage area capacity to be consistent with the approved manure management plan
- Perform routine maintenance of manure handling/transfer equipment
- Minimize erosion and sediment transport with vegetative buffers and/or gravel/rock energy dissipation
- Minimize stormwater contact with sources of pollution
- Operate animal mortality management areas according to MN Board of Animal Health and other applicable requirements
- Dispose of solid and hazardous waste according to applicable regulations
- Perform groundwater monitoring according to the MPCA approved plan

## Air Emissions Plan - response to documented exceedances ( Minn. R. 7020.0505 subp. 4, item B (1)(b))

The Applicant certifies that, if ambient air quality monitoring indicates an exceedance of the Hydrogen Sulfide Standard, they will submit a report, at the MPCA's request, that provides documentation that one of the following will control the emissions.

### Liquid manure storage areas

- Chemical additions
- Natural crusting
- Straw cover
- Synthetic cover (i.e., HDPE)
- Treatment of escaping air

### Solid manure storage areas

- Synthetic cover
- Frequent manure removal
- Frequent land application
- Incineration
- Composting

The report will provide evidence that the technology will control the emissions, indicate when the technology will be installed and fully operational, and indicate what temporary measures will be taken to minimize emissions prior to installation. Alternatives may be approved at the discretion of the MPCA. The report will be immediately implemented upon MPCA approval.

### Construction Stormwater (CSW) Permit

The Applicant certifies that, if this application is for a NPDES permit where construction activities will disturb one or more acres of land, it will also serve as an application for the general CSW NPDES permit, as referenced in the feedlot NPDES permit, unless a separate application for CSW NPDES permit coverage has been made. The Applicant agrees to comply with the requirements of the CSW NPDES permit.

### Applicant signature

I hereby certify that the design, construction, and operation of the facility will be in accordance with this application and plans, specifications, reports, and related communications approved by the MPCA, and in accordance with applicable permit conditions or regulations/standards of the MPCA.

I also certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision and the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

The person that signs this application must be one of the following:

- A. For a corporation, a principal executive officer of at least the level of vice president
- B. For a partnership, a general partner
- C. For a sole proprietorship, the proprietor

Print name: Office phone:		Print official title:
		Cell phone:
Signature:		Date:
To sign up for electroni	communications including	reminders for annual reports as well as MPCA feedlot newsletters and other
MPCA communications	, please go to the MPCA we	bsite at https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNPCA/subscriber/new

## Required enclosures (Permit applications submitted without all required enclosures are incomplete.)

- A. A site sketch/aerial photograph indicating the location of the existing and proposed facility components.
- B. A Manure/Nutrient Management Plan (MMP) submitted on the MPCA's standardized form.
  The MPCA has developed a free Microsoft Excel based spreadsheet tool to help develop a MMP that meets all applicable

requirements and utilizes the standardized form; it is available on the MPCA website at: <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/gp0r69c">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/gp0r69c</a> Click on the "Spreadsheet: MPCA Manure Management Planner" link.

You must save it to your computer for it to function properly (i.e., click "save as" when prompted).

Paper forms are available at: http://www.pca.state.mn.us/gp0r69c.

- C. Plans and Specifications for construction, modification, or expansion of any liquid manure storage area.
- D. Emergency Response Plan for response to manure spills and catastrophic animal mortality events. The plan must be completed using the MPCA's form available at: <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=3754">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=3754</a>.
- E. Permit application fee: (Check payable to: Minnesota Pollution Control Agency)

•	General Permit Coverage Issuance	\$620
•	General Permit Coverage Major Modification	\$620
•	Individual Permit Issuance	\$1,860
•	Individual Permit Reissuance	\$620
•	Individual Permit Major Modification	\$1,860

Note: There is an additional fee of \$4,650 for processing of an Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EAW) (when required). The EAW fee must be paid via a separate check.

□ F. Conditional – Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP). Development of a SWPPP is required when construction disturbs one or more acres at any feedlot site. The SWPPP must be available at the construction site but does not need to be submitted with this application unless the construction disturbs 50 acres or more of land and this application is for an NPDES permit.

The MPCA has developed a form to assist in development of a SWPPP it is available at: <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?qid=3485">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?qid=3485</a>.

G. Optional – Verification of the notifications required in part XIII of this application. If not submitted with the application, the MPCA must receive the verification prior to permit issuance. It is strongly recommended that the applicable verifications be included with the permit application.

### Permit Application Submittal to MPCA

Please mail the completed permit application, permit application fee, and all necessary attachments to the MPCA office contact indicated in the chart below

If a permit application is for a facility in multiple counties you can submit it to either office.

For facilities located in the following counties:		For facilities located in the following counties:			For facilities located in the following counties:	
Big Stone Chippewa Cottonwood Jackson Kandiyohi Lac qui Parle Lincoln Lyon McLeod Meeker Murray	Nobles Pipestone Redwood Renville Rock Stearns Swift Yellow Medicine	Aitkin Anoka Benton Blue Earth Brown Carlton Carver Cass Chlsago Cook Crow Wing Dakota Dodge	Fillmore Freebom Goodhue Hennepin Houston Isanti Itasca Kanabec Koochiching Lake Mille Lacs Morrison Mower	Olmsted Pine Ramsey Rice Scott Sherburne St. Louis Steele Todd Wabasha Wadena Washington Winona Wright	Becker Beltraml Clay Clearwater Douglas Faribault Grant Hubbard Kittson Lake of the Woods Le Sueur Mahnomen Marshall Martin	Nicollet Norman Otter Tall Pennington Polk Pope Red Lake Roseau Sibley Stevens Traverse Waseca Watonwan Wilkin
Please mail your completed permit application, fee, and attachments to:		Please mail your completed permit application, fee, and attachments to:			Please mail your completed permit application, fee, and attachments to:	
MPCA Feedlot I 1601 E Highway Willmar, MN 562		MPCA Feedlo 18 Woodlake Rochester, M		nator	MPCA Feedlot Perm 12 Civic Center Plaza Mankato, MN 56001	it Coordinator

Keep a copy of this application form and all submittals for your records.

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## **Emergency Response Plan**

### **NPDES and SDS Permit Program**

Feedlot Program

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**Applicability:** This Emergency Response Plan is to be used in case of an emergency spill, leak, or failure at the production facility or land application area and to assist with response to catastrophic animal mortality events (barn fires, tornadoes, etc.). You must submit this form as part of an application for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) or State Disposal System (SDS) feedlot permit coverage.

Facility name: Blue Si	ky Dairy LLC	Feed	llot registration no.: _(	)79-50004	
Owner/Operator name:	Blue Sky Dairy LL	.C Feed	Feedlot permit no.: MN G440677		
List of critical phone	numbers and con	tacts			
		Contact person (or Company)	Phone number		
Emergency contacts					
<ul> <li>Fire/Ambulance</li> </ul>			911		
<ul> <li>County Sheriff</li> </ul>		Le Sueur County	507-357-4440		
Agency contacts					
<ul> <li>Minnesota Duty C</li> </ul>	Officer		1-800-422-0798	Provide the	
<ul> <li>Minnesota Pollution (MPCA) Field Office</li> </ul>		Mankato	507-389-5977	Minnesota Duty Officer:	
<ul> <li>County Feedlot Off</li> </ul>	ficer (CFO)	Amy Beatty	507-357-8538	Your contact	
<ul> <li>Board of Animal He</li> </ul>	ealth Contact	Dr. Greg Suskovic	651-238-2503	information	
Other contacts				Incident location,	
<ul> <li>Insurance compan</li> </ul>	y			date, and time	
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<ul> <li>Anez Consulting, In</li> </ul>	nc	Al or Jeff	320-235-1970	For spills	
Local vendors for spill	and/or catastrophic	mortality response assistance		- spill type	
<ul> <li>Manure pumper</li> </ul>		C & J Hotovec	507-381-6433	- spill amount	
<ul> <li>Manure loading eq</li> </ul>	uipment	C & J Hotovec	507-381-6433	- surface water or	
<ul> <li>Earth moving equipment</li> </ul>	oment	C & J Hotovec	507-381-6433	field tile impacted	
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<ul> <li>Containment/Abso (hay, straw, cornsta</li> </ul>		C & J Hotovec	507-381-6433	response to the spill or catastrophic mortality event	

### Manure Spill Emergency Response Procedures\*

- 1. Immediately stop the source of a liquid manure leak or spill:
  - · Turn off pumps or valves
  - · Clamp hoses or park tractor on hoses
- 2. Contain spilled manure:
  - · Use skid loader or tractor with blade to make berms
  - · Install bale checks and block downstream culverts
  - · Insert sleeves around tile intakes (or plug/cap)
  - Use tillage equipment to work ground ahead of spill
  - · Use absorptive materials
- 3. Make necessary phone calls as listed in the chart above:
  - Notify Minnesota Duty Officer at 1-800-422-0798
  - · Notify sheriff's office if spilled on public roads or right-of-ways

### 4. Cleanup:

- · Clean up spill immediately from road and roadside
- Clean up all material, including the contaminated soil, as soon as possible by scraping, or by other means
- Land apply manure at agronomic rates or place manure back in the manure storage area/ solid manure stockpile
- Follow recommendations of MPCA staff and/or CFO
- · Restore site to its original conditions
- If rain is expected prior to completion of cleanup; actions need to be taken to contain manure contaminated runoff from solid manure spills
- Document your actions:
  - Keep records of all actions related to the spill and follow up activities

\*A detailed site map should be displayed on site to assist employees identify sensitive receptors near the facility (surface water, wells, tile intakes, etc.).

#### **Catastrophic Animal Mortality Response**

- 1. Make necessary phone calls as listed in the chart above:
  - Notify Minnesota Duty Officer at 1-800-422-0798
  - · Notify Minnesota Board of Animal Health
  - Notify MPCA and CFO
- 2. Cleanup
  - Dispose of mortalities according to recommendations of MN Board of Animal Health Representative
  - Locate disposal area for mortalities to prevent impacts to surface and/or groundwater (consult MPCA/CFO)
- 3. Document your actions
  - Keep records of all actions related to the animal mortality disposal activities

If burial of animal mortalities is necessary, the burial site must meet the following:

- Located 1000 feet from lakes and 300 feet from rivers and streams
- · Mortalities are not buried within 5 feet of the seasonal water table
- · Mortalities are not buried within 10 feet of karst susceptible bedrock
- · Soils are not sandy or gravelly

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## Manure Management Plan (MMP) Requirements when Ownership of Manure is Transferred

**Feedlot Program** 

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### Are you transferring ownership of manure?

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		f)	How many pounds of nitrogen (N) and phosphorus ( $P_2O_5$ ) will need to be land applied per year? (Multiply the expected nutrient content from Part 3.c) by the amount of manure land applied from Part 1.d) to get your answer.) (e.g., 77 pounds N + 1,000 gallons x 1,300,000 gallons = 100,100 pounds of N or alternatively 45 pounds per ton x 3,000 tons = 135,000 pounds of N) (figure $P_2O_5$ using the same calculations)
			N: _120,350 lbs N P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> : 53,342 lbs P
			For new or expanding feedlot facilities, is there enough land potentially available for spreading manure in accordance with allowable rates?   Yes No
			How will you ensure that enough land owners in the area are willing to purchase your manure or otherwise receive your manure? (e.g., enough land to allow spreading in accordance with state nutrient rate limits)
			Agreements with area land operators
	2. [	)esc	cribe the manure application methods and equipment.
	E	)	How will the manure be applied? What method(s) and type(s) of equipment do you expect will be used for manure application by the recipient of your manure, if known?
			Manure is appled by drag hose or solids spreader and immediately incorporated
	3. D	esc be	ribe your nutrient testing methods, the frequency of testing, and the expected nutrient content of the manure applied.
	a)	) F	low often will manure be sampled and sent to a laboratory for nutrient analysis? (Minimum state requirements are: annual sampling at NPDES-permitted facilities; annual sampling for the first three years and once every four years for other feedlots.)
		E	each field that manure is applied on has a manure test taken for that field
	b)	H (e	low will the manure samples be collected to ensure that representative samples are obtained for nutrient analysis? e.g., How many subsamples? When collected? Where collected? University of Minnesota Extension Service
			lanure is collected at pumping time from the manure pump
	c)		hat is the expected nutrient content of manure to be collected? (e.g., What is the nitrogen and phosphorus content expected from each major type of manure storage area?
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		731	nother form is used to show recipients the pounds of nutrients applied
	b)	dif	ow will you, as a feedlot owner/operator, maintain records associated with the manure transfer and land application es/rates? Will you use MPCA recordkeeping forms for transferred ownership (Attachment B) or will you use a perfect form? Note: Attachments A and B can be obtained from MPCA offices or on the MPCA website at p://www.pca.state.mn.us/hot/feedlot-management.html.
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	c)	Ho: You	w will you provide the manure recipient with manure nutrient test results and expected manure nutrient content? u may use Attachment B or other forms which include test results.
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X	cate with a check mark the anticipated method(s) of dead animal disposal. Rendering								
	Carcasses at the pick-up point will comply with the following:								
	Kept in an animal-proof, enclosed area.								
	At least 200 yards from a neighbor's buildings.								
	Picked up within 72 hours (7 days if refrigerated to less then 45 degrees).								
	• Other:								
	Composting								
	The composting area will comply with the following:								
	<ul> <li>Built on an impervious, weight-bearing pad that is large enough to allow equipment to maneuver.</li> <li>Note: Class V gravel material is not considered to be impervious.</li> </ul>								
	<ul> <li>Covered with a roof to prevent excessive moisture on the composting material, but if sawdust or other water-repelling material is used as the bulking agent, a roof may not be necessary.</li> </ul>								
	Built of rot-resistant material that is strong enough to withstand the force exerted by equipment.  Large enough to handle each double parent and the force exerted by equipment.								
	of two (2) heat cycles.								
	• Other:								
]	Burial								
	The following operational practices will be implemented:								
	Stay 5 feet above seasonal high water table.								
	Stay 1000 feet away from lakes and 300 feet away from rivers, streams, ditches, etc.								
	<ul> <li>Be covered immediately with enough soil to keep scavengers out (three feet is sufficient).</li> </ul>								
	Not be placed in sandy or gravelly soil types.								
	<ul> <li>Maintain at least 10 feet vertical separation between dead animals and bedrock.</li> </ul>								
	Other:								
]	ncineration								
7	The incinerator will meet the following:								
	Capable of producing emissions not to exceed 20 percent opacity.								
	Fitted with an afterburner that maintains flue gases at 1,200 degrees Fahrenheit for at least 0.3 seconds.								
	Ash from the incinerator must be handled in such a manner as to prevent particulate matter from becoming airborne.								
1 6	Other Method								
,	he following operational practices will be implemented (describe the alternative method below):								

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# Notice of Application To Permit A Livestock Feedlot

Notice is hereby given per Minnesota Statue 116.07 subd, 7 (a) that

Blue Sky Dairy, LLC 44625 267<sup>th</sup> Ave Cleveland, MN 56017

has made application to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency to modify a feedlot permit with a capacity of 500 animal units or more.

The facility is located E ½ of the SW ¼ of Section 26, Cleveland Township, Le Sueur County, Minnesota.

The facility is currently permitted for 1067 head of dairy cows over 1000 pounds (1493.8 AU) and 30 head of calves (6 AU) all in total confinement. Manure storage for the facility consists of four liquid earthen basins. 1 - 120'x220'x9', 1 - 260'x380'x9', 1 - 332'x380'x14' and 1 - 25'x10'x4'. There is also an in-ground 19'x23'x8' concrete tank liquid manure storage tank and a 30'x50' permanent stockpile area.

The applicant is proposing to construct a  $60' \times 130'$  permanent stockpile area and re-locate the calf hutches to a 3150 sq. ft. area in partial confinement with manure pack on ground with runoff controls. The applicant is also proposing to add 30 calves (6 AU) to the permit.

There will be an increase of 6 animal units. The total animal units will be 1505.8.

This publication shall constitute as notice to each resident and each owner of real property within 5000 feet of the perimeter of the proposed feedlot as required by Minnesota State Law.

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## Le Sueur County, MN

Thursday, July 13, 2017 Regular session

Item 5

**Mankato Landshapes-Boots Packet** 

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

## STAFF REPORT

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

APPLICANT:

MANKATO LANDSHAPES INC

OWNER:

Steven and Elizabeth Boots

911 ADDRESS:

6106 Shamrock Dr. Madison Lake MN 56063

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Allow grading, excavating, and filling of approximately 12.5 cubic yards of material within a bluff for a bluff stabilization project and stairs in the bluff in a Recreational Residential "RR" District, on a Recreational Development "RD" lake, Lake Washington.

**ZONING ORDINANCE SECTIONS: 13.2, 18** 

#### DISTRICT PURPOSE:

The intent of the Recreational Residential (RR) District is to preserve areas which have natural characteristics suitable for both passive and active recreational usage. Also, it is the intent of this district to manage areas suitable for residential development of varying types, including permanent and seasonal housing. Some non-residential uses with minimal impacts on residential uses are allowed if properly managed under conditional use procedures.

GOALS AND POLICIES:

The current Land Use Plan as adopted in 2007 references shoreland development.

Goal 2:

Le Sueur County should adopt and enforce land use goals and policies that conserve and restore its natural resources, bring protections to the ecological systems of the natural environment, and prevent the premature development of natural resource areas.

Policy:

Utilize shorelands on Recreational Development Lakes (RD) for housing, but with a focus on development design that

protects the resource.

### **DEFINITIONS:**

Bluff - A topographic feature such as a hill, cliff, or embankment in which the slope rises at least fifteen (15) feet from the toe of the bluff to the top of the bluff and the grade of the slope from the toe of the bluff to the top of the bluff averages 18 percent or greater. The percent of the slope is defined as the change in elevation (rise) over a distance (run).

### SITE INFORMATION

LOCATION:

Lot 4, Block 3, Connors Point Subdivision, Section 7, Washington Township.

**ZONING:** 

Recreational Residential "RR"

**GENERAL SITE** 

**DESCRIPTION:** 

Shoreland, residential

ACCESS:

Existing access off Shamrock Drive

### **EXISTING LAND USE WITHIN 1/4 MILE:**

North:

Residential

South: Residential/Lake Washington

East:

Residential/Lake Washington

West: Lake Washington

### TOWNSHIP BOARD NOTIFICATION

Applicant notified Robert Kaveny, Washington Township Board on June 9, 2017.

### NATURAL RESOURCES INFORMATION

**SHORELAND:** The proposal is located within the Shoreland District.

WETLANDS: According to the National Wetlands Inventory, No wetlands located in the quarter-quarter section where the project

is proposed.

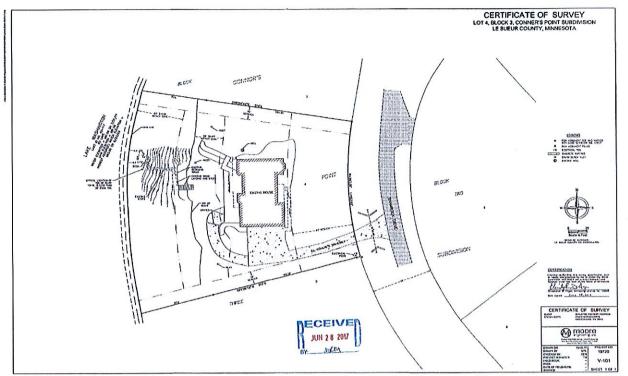
### **ATTACHMENTS**

Application, Criteria Form, Letter Joshua Mankowski, Narrative, Erosion Control Plan, Photos

## AERIAL PHOTO/SITE PLANS-EXISTING AND PROPOSED

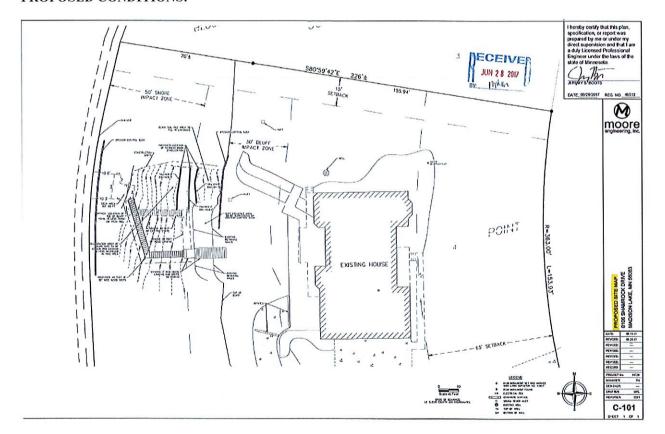


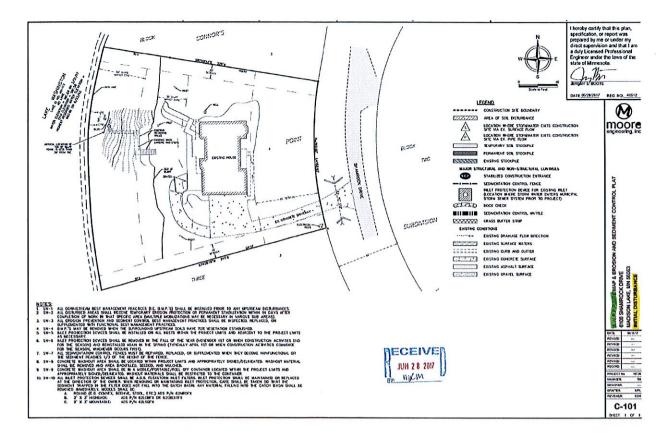
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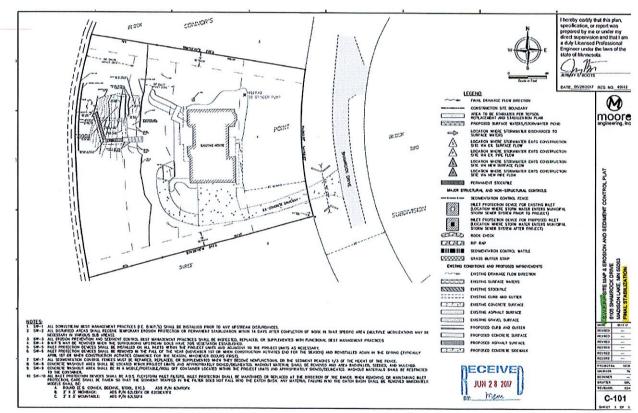


Existing conditions

### PROPOSED CONDITIONS:







### PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION CONSIDERATIONS

The Planning Commission and staff shall consider possible adverse effects of the proposed conditional use and what additional requirements may be necessary to reduce such adverse effects. Its judgment shall be based upon the following factors to include, but not limited to:

- 1. Relationship to County plans.
- 2. The geographical area involved.
- 3. Whether such use will negatively affect surrounding properties in the area in which it is proposed.

- 4. The character of the surrounding area.
- 5. The demonstrated need for such use.
- 6. Whether the proposed use would cause odors, dust, flies, vermin, smoke, gas, noise, or vibration or would impose hazards to life or property in the neighborhood.
- 7. Whether such use would inherently lead to or encourage disturbing influences in the neighborhood.
- 8. Whether stored equipment or materials would be screened and whether there would be continuous operation within the visible range of surrounding residences.
- 9. Abatement of Environmental Hazards as regulated in this Ordinance
- 10. Other factors impacting the public health, safety and welfare.

### PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION CONDITIONS

The Planning Commission shall recommend such conditions relating to the granting of said Conditional Use Permit, as they deem necessary to carry out the intent and purpose of this Ordinance or recommend that the request be denied. Such recommendation shall be in writing. The conditions may include, but are not limited to the following:

- 1. Increasing the required lot size or yard dimension.
- 2. Limiting the height, size, or location of the structures.
- 3. Controlling the location, size, and number of vehicle access points.
- 4. Increasing the street width.
- 5. Increasing the number of required off-street parking space.
- 6. Limiting the number, size, location, or lighting of signs.
- 7. Requiring diking, fencing, screening, landscaping or other facilities to protect adjacent or nearby property.
- 8. Designating sites for open space.

### PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION FINDINGS

Based on the information submitted by the applicant, contained in this report, and as required by the Le Sueur County Zoning Ordinance, the following findings have been developed for this request:

(Please circle one for each item: Agree, Disagree, Not Applicable.)

- 1. The conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminishes and impairs property values within the immediate vicinity.
- 2. The establishment of the conditional use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for uses predominant in the area.
- 3. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been or are being provided.
- 4. Adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.
- 5. Adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent and control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.
- 6. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with and supported by the statement of purposes, policies, goals and objectives in the Ordinance?
- 7. Is the Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan?

Recommend (circle one) approval / denial / table / of Conditional Use Permit.

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	Mailing Address 60505 216世 ST.
	City EAGLE LAKE State MN Zip 56024
	Phone # (507) 625-6044 Phone # (507) 317-8232 WKE
	(807) 381-2678 TODD
II.	Landowner:
	Name STEVEN & ELIZABETH BOOTS
	Mailing Address 6106 SHAMROOK DR.
	City MADISON LAKE State MN Zip 56063
	Property Address 6106 SHAMROCK DR
	City MADISON LAKE State MN Zip 56063
	Phone # (507) 382 - 4968 Phone # (507) 243 - 4231
III.	Parcel Information: 47,900 Seft. Parcel Number 13.450.0240 Parcel Acreage 1.09
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	Attach Full Legal Description (NOT abbreviated description from tax statement)
	Township WASHINGTON Section 7 SE QUAD.
	Subdivision CONNERS POINT Lot 4 Block 3
IV.	Township Notification: Township must be notified of proposed use prior to application.
	Township notified on 6-9-17
	(Township Name) (Date)
	Board Member Koloont Kavewy regarding the proposed use.
	(Name)
V.	Quantities and Submittal Formats:
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- a. One (1) reproducible 8.5" x 11" copy of the request and all other supporting documents.
- b. Twenty Three (23) copies must be submitted, if any documents are in color, an aerial, or larger than 8.5" x 11" in size.
- c. Electronic version of any supporting documents if available.
- c. Additional copies may be requested as deemed necessary by the Department.
- d. **Application must be made in person** by the applicant and/or landowner no later than 12 P.M. on the date of application deadline.
- e. Appointment is necessary.
- f. Applications will not be accepted by mail.

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			<ul><li>River</li><li>Wetland</li></ul>	<ul><li>Proposed Structures</li><li>Lot Dimensions</li></ul>	<ul><li>Well</li><li>Access (size &amp; location)</li></ul>		
		•	<ul> <li>Stream</li> </ul>	• Ponds	Easements     Drainage		
		Site plan & As-Built mu	ıst be comp	oleted by a surveyor or profe	essional engineer.		

VI. Fees: Must be paid at the time of application.

#### Restoration Plan: Shall include but not limited to the following: X.

- Areas of restoration shall include the application of a minimum of 4 inches of topsoil or similar material that will support plant growth. (Must be included in cubic yards calculation of material.)
- Reseeded areas indicated with type of vegetation. (Shall meet minimum standards by the SWCD))
- Tree replacement plan. (Areas located within the Bluff Impact Zone, Bluff, Shoreland & Conservancy Distircts)
  - Root zone of existing trees shall be preserved and protected during development.

Description of Request-See Part VIII for full details and requirements.

- Replace one tree for every tree that is removed.
- Replacement trees shall have a minimum caliper of 2 inches at 4.5 feet from ground level.

XI.	Attachments:	Shall	include	but i	not li	hatimi	to
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Site Plan-See Part IX for full details and requirements. Full Legal Description-Not abbreviated description from tax statement. Access approval-Attach approval in writing from proper road authority. e. Township Notification-See Part IV for details and requirements. Septic System Compliance Inspection N/AErosion Control Plan-Attach completed and signed plan including map. Restoration Plan-See Part X for full details and requirements. **Approved Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan** 

#### XII. Procedure:

The Planning & Zoning Commission shall hold a public hearing on the proposed Conditional Use Permit at a scheduled Planning and Zoning Commission meeting.

-Must meet NPDES requirements and prepared by a licensed professional engineer.

The Planning and Zoning Commission is an advisory board to the County Board of Commissioners and will make a recommendation to the County Board.

The Department shall report the finings and recommendations of the Planning Commission to the County Board for final decision.

Action by the County Board shall be a majority vote of its members.

The Department shall notify the applicant and/or landowner in writing of the County Board decision.

A certified copy of the Conditional Use Permit shall be filed with the Le Sueur County Recorder by the Department.

### XIII.

Signatures:	
I hereby certify with my signature that all data contained herein correct to the best of my knowledge.	as well as all supporting data are true and
4/1/1/1	6/9/2017
Applicant signature	Date
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Property Owner signature	Date ' /

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## **LE SUEUR COUNTY CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT CRITERIA**

Conditional Use Permit #: 17177

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### LE SUEUR COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES 88 SOUTH PARK AVE. LE CENTER, MINNESOTA 56057-1600

Phone (507) 357-8540 (direct line)

Fax (507) 357-8541

Date: 06/30/2017

To: Le Sueur County Planning and Zoning Commission

From: Joshua Mankowski, Environmental Resources Specialist

### Applicant:

Mankato Landshapes Inc.

### Property owner:

Steven & Elizabeth Boots

### Property:

13.450.0240

### **Description:**

Application for a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) to allow the Grading, Excavating, and Filling of approximately 13.2 cubic yards of material in a Bluff for the construction of stairs and detached deck in the Bluff, and for a bank stabilization project.

#### **Recommendation:**

It would be my recommendation to approve this application with the condition(s) listed below. Where there are less intrusive means for installing uprights posts, installing concrete footings in an acceptable construction practice. The use of a Filtrexx Bank Stabilization system has been successful in similar situations and can provide a much more natural appearance than a traditional retaining wall. Once construction is completed, the Filtrexx system is seeded and will eventually be covered in native vegetation.

### Condition(s):

- 1. Use special care to protect holes for footings, keep covered when not actively working on footings.
- 2. As stated in the narrative, plant disturbed areas and the Filtrexx Bank Stabilization with native vegetation.

Sincerely,

Joshua Mankowski

Le Sueur County

**Environmental Resources Specialist** 

### Mankato Landshapes, Inc.

60505 - 216<sup>th</sup> Street Eagle Lake, MN 56024



Lic. # 20580092 Ph. (507) 625-6044 Fax (507) 257-3520

# Le Sueur County Conditional Use Application – Grading, Excavating & Filling

Landowner:

Steven & Elizabeth Boots 6106 Shamrock Dr. Madison Lake, MN 56063 Parcel Number: 13.450.0240

(507) 243 – 4231 (507) 382 – 4968

VII. Type of Request: Grading, Excavating or Filling. CALCULATIONS
-Please note that all the different zones overlap each other in this project so you cannot simply add them all together for the exact total material movement.

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A)	Non Shoreland Within Bluff Impact Zone Within Bluff Total cubic ya	cubic yards of movement cubic yards of movement cubic yards of movement rds of material movement	0 0 0 0				
B)	Shoreland (1000' from OHWL of Outside Shore Impact Zone	the lake) cubic yards of movement	11.10				
	-Black dirt fill soil for the Filtrexx Bank Stabilization. This replaces some of the from the landslide. This is located between the erosion sock shown on the plan a top of the bluff, and the bottom existing concrete block retaining wall on the blue						
	30' length x 6' width x 2' depth = 30' length x 6' wide x 2' depth = 24' 6.66 cubic yards + 4.44 cubic yards	0/2 for slope = $120/27 = 4.44$					
	Within Shore Impact Zone cubic yards of movement 1.40 (50' up from OHWL) -Auger (14) 10"dia. x 48" deep holes for step/landings posts. This soil will then be raked out next to the augured holes, and native perennial seed mix will be broadcasted over the soil.						
	.833" length x .833" width x 4' dept = <b>1.40 cubic yards</b>	h = 2.77 / 27 = .10 cubic yards	per post x 14 posts				

Within Bluff Impact Zone

cubic yards of movement\_\_

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(slopes with 18% or greater)

-Auger (14) 10" dia. x 42" deep holes for steps/landings posts. This soil will then be raked out next to the augured holes, and native perennial seed mix will broad casted over the soil.

.833" length x .833" width x 4' depth = 2.77 / 27 = .10 cubic yards per post x 14 posts = 1.40 cubic yards

-Black dirt fill soil for the Filtrexx Bank Stabilization. This replaces some of the soil from the landslide.

30' length x 6' width x 2' depth = 360 / 2 for slope = 180 / 27 = 6.66 cubic yards 20' length x 6' wide x 2' depth = 240 / 2 for slope = 120 / 27 = 4.44 cubic yards

1.40 cubic yards + 6.66 cubic yards + 4.44 cubic yards = 12.50 Total Cubic Yards for within bluff

These zones all overlap, so the actual total cubic yards of movement 12.50

### VIII. Description of Request

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In 2016 rain caused a landslide on the properties bluff. Due to the landslide the existing wood steps and landings were damaged beyond repair, the motorized chair system was damaged beyond repair, and the bluffs stability was compromised in some areas.

We propose to install new wood steps and wood landings near the damaged steps and landings going down the hillside to the lake shore for access. All construction will follow the documentation in <u>SUBDIVISION 5. Design Criteria</u>, Shoreland Alterations and <u>Special Provisions</u> there is a portion 6. Stairways, Lifts, Landings, and Paths listing the criteria we must follow to install the steps and landings. Equipment and materials used for installing the steps and landings would be standard hand tools needed for this type of carpentry construction. Such as, hammers, drills, circular saws, levels, tape measures, lumber, concrete, brackets, screws, etc. After construction we will install a native perennial seed mix MN State DOT 35-241 & MN State DOT 36-211 over any disturbed areas. See steps and landings layout plan, and seed mixes document.

The existing steps and landings will be removed and disposed of at a landfill. Once the material is hauled away we will restore the space by installing a native perennial seed mix MN State DOT 35-241 & MN State DOT 36-211 with erosion blankets over the seeded areas. This will help stabilize the eroded bank. See

The area that had the motorized chair lift will also have a native perennial seed mix MN State DOT 35-241 & MN State DOT 36-211 installed with erosion blankets installed over the seeded areas. This will help stabilize the eroded bank.

Due to the landslide we need to stabilize a portion of the bluff that is severely eroding. We propose to take a natural approach to solving this problem by using the **Filtrexx Bank Stabilization** method. This will create three tiers, and new soil will be filled between



the tiers replacing some of the soil lost. Native seed mix MN State DOT 35-241 & MN State DOT 36-211 and erosion netting will be installed over the area. The 1<sup>st</sup> tier is 50' long x 2' tall, 2<sup>nd</sup> tier is 30' long x 24" tall, and the 3<sup>rd</sup> tier is 20' long x 24" tall. Equipment and materials needed are erosion grow socks, wood mulch, native seed mix, black dirt, hammers, stakes, erosion netting, and anchors. See included documentation for Filtrexx bank stabilization and seed mixes.

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### 1. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT:

- -This includes the space under the proposed steps and landings (320 sqft). The steps and landings will be built over ground that currently has perennial plant cover. Some of these plants may not survive due to construction. After construction we will install a native perennial seed mix over any disturbed areas. -The Filtrexx Bank Stabilization will increase the current plant growth on the bluff,
- and stabilize the bluff's existing unstable condition.
- -Once the existing steps are removed we will install native perennial seed mix with erosion blankets over that area.
- -We will install a native perennial seed mix over the area that used to have the motorized chair lift.
- 2. ADVERSE IMPACT ON SURROUNDING AREAS: This project will not affect the surrounding areas. The only impact would be the actual areas of installation.
- 3. STORMWATER RUNOFF: This project will help manage storm water runoff by establishing native vegetation over an existing eroded bluff / hillside, and installing the Filtrexx bank stabilization. If nothing was done here then rain will continue to compromise the stability / erode the area.
- 4. DOES ANY PART OF THE PROJECT EXTEND BELOW THE OHWL: No.
- **5. WETLAND IMPACT:** The area of construction does not include any wetlands.
- 6. SLOPE STABILITY: The existing slopes stability is compromised due to the 2016 landslide. The new steps and landings are proposed to be moved away from the landslide area as shown on the layout. Installation of the Filtrexx Bank Stabilization will increase stability with the Filtrexx GroSocks, anchor system, native plant material, and fill soil. We also will install a native perennial seed mix with erosion blankets over the area of the existing steps & landings and the motorized chair system.
- 7. **CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE:** See attached Property Owners, and Contractors certificate of insurance.
- 8. MEET ALL APPLICABLE COUNTY STATE & FEDERAL REGULATIONS: We will follow all the county, state, and federal regulations.



## Mankato Landshapes, Inc.

60505 – 216<sup>th</sup> Street Eagle Lake, MN 56024



Lic. # BC580092 Ph. (507) 625-6044 Fax (507) 257-3520

June 6, 2017

Steve Boots 6106 Shamrock Dr Madison Lake, MN 56063

Cell Phone: 507 -382 - 4968

Email: steveboots2003@yahoo.com

Please note that this project has potential unknown problems due to the unstable hillside, so we are offering our best estimate for a COST ALLOWANCE. Some portions may be slightly more or less in cost on the final invoice.

-Please note that we will not need any major equipment on the lawn, but any amount of foot traffic for construction can damage turf. We can assess any damage at the end of construction and offer pricing for lawn restoration if needed.

## 1. This portion is for the stairways and landings as shown on the design.

- -Includes removal and disposal of the existing steps and landings.
- -Does not include any work on the lowest existing deck landing that we understand is already supported and usable.
- -Includes installation of framing, steps and railing.
- -Pressure Treated Lumber
- -Stairs from the existing upper platform to the lower deck.
- -Support posts to be 4x4 treated, set below frost line with 10" poured footings to be 4' into the ground.
- -Treated boards to be 5/4" x 6" pressure treated lumber (2 x 12 treated stringers)
- -Tread boards to be fastened with premium exsterior wood screws.
- -Handrail to be 36" tall with vertical handrail
- -Spindles to be 2" x 2" x 42", on both sides of steps
- -Deck steps to be 4 foot wide
- -Owner is responsible for building permit

Total cost of materials and labor (including tax)

\$13,523.00

## 2. This portion is for hillside restoration as shown on the design.

-We propose to install filtrexx Bank Stabilization where needed between the block retaining walls, and the tree line to the North.

-staples

Total cost of materials and labor (including tax)

\$7,986.43

OVERALL TOTAL PROJECT COST (Tax Included)

\$21,509.43

Thank you for Choosing Mankato Landshapes, Inc. to bid your proposed project! Enclosed is a contract for you to sign upon acceptance of this proposal. Once you have signed it, please return it to the address listed above so the work may be scheduled. If you have any questions, please call us at 625-6044.

Sincerely,

Luke Erickson
Designer, Sales
Mankato Landshapes, Inc.
Cell: (507) 317 – 8232
lukeeson@hotmail.com

Todd Rieck President Mankato Landshapes, Inc Cell: (507) 381 - 2678 Office: (507) 625 - 6044 trieck@hickorytech.net

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60505 – 216<sup>th</sup> Street Eagle Lake, MN 56024



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# Le Sueur County Conditional Use Application – Grading, Excavating & Filling

Landowner:

(507)382 - 4968

Steven & Elizabeth Boots 6106 Shamrock Dr. Madison Lake, MN 56063 Parcel Number: 13.450.0240 (507) 243 – 4231

X. Restoration Plan: We will follow the required restoration procedures as listed in the Conditional Use Application.

The existing steps and landings will be removed and disposed of at a landfill. Once the material is hauled away we will restore the space by installing a native perennial seed mix MN State DOT 35-241 & MN State DOT 36-211 with erosion blankets over the seeded areas. This will help stabilize the eroded bank. See included documentation on the seed mixes.

The area that had the motorized chair lift will have a native perennial seed mix MN State DOT 35-241 & MN State DOT 36-211 installed with erosion blankets installed over the seeded areas. This will help stabilize the eroded bank. See included documentation on the seed mixes.

Due to the landslide we need to stabilize a portion of the bluff that is severely eroding. We propose to take a natural approach to solving this problem by using the Filtrexx Bank Stabilization method. This will create three tiers, and new black soil will be filled between the tiers that native seed mix MN State DOT 35-241 & MN State DOT 36-211 will be installed over. See included documentation on the Filtrexx Bank Stabilization method, and seed mixes.

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## XI. c. Full Legal Description (not abbreviated description from tax statement).

Washington Township, Section 7 SE quadrant Lot 4, Block 3 Conner's Point Subdivision, Le Sueur County, MN. The area of the lot is 47,900 square feet. or 1.09 Acres

## LE SUEUR COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES 88 SOUTH PARK AVE.

#### LE CENTER, MINNESOTA 56057-1620

(507) 357-2251 FAX (507) 357-8541

#### **Erosion and Sediment Control Plan**

Goal: To control erosion and prevent sediment and other pollutants from entering the lakes, streams, wetlands, and storm drain systems during construction.

Property Owner: STEVEN & ELIZABETH BOOTSPID: 13.450.0240
Mailing Address: 6106 SHAMPOCK DR MADISON LAKE MN 56063
Property Address: 6106 SHAMROCK DR MADISON WAKE MN 56063
Phone: (507) 243-4231 Mobile/Cell: (507) 382-4968
Responsible party for Implementation/Inspection: MANKATO LANDSHAPES, INC.
Address: 60505 216 ST. EAGLE LAKE, MN 56024
Phone: (507 ) 625 - 6044 Mobile/Cell: (507 ) 317 - 8232

#### **Erosion & Sediment Control Measures**

- 1. Maintain existing vegetation whenever possible and minimize the area of disturbance. Retain and protect trees to enhance future landscaping efforts and to reduce raindrop impact. (Vegetation is the best and most cost-effective erosion control practice).
- 2. Install all erosion and sediment control practices prior to any soil disturbing activities, when applicable.
- 3. Phase construction activities to minimize the areas disturbed at one time. This will also allow completed areas to be stabilized and re-vegetated before disturbing adjacent sites.
- 4. Maintain and protect all natural waterways. Retain at least a 20-foot wide strip of natural vegetation along all waterways to filter out sediment and other pollutants.
- 5. Minimize the use of impermeable surfaces such as roofs, driveways, parking lots and roads. The Environmental Resources staff must approve all storm water runoff plans.
- 6. Use rock rip-rap at both the outlet and inlet ends of culverts to prevent scour erosion.
- 7. Limit construction equipment to designated areas to control soil compaction.
- 8. Install silt fence on the down-slope perimeter of all disturbed areas according to the attached installation instructions. Sensitive areas such as wetlands, drainage swales and shoreland areas should also be protected with silt fence.
- 9. Install straw bale checks or rock check dams in areas of concentrated flow.
- 10. Cover any stockpiled topsoil with plastic or other impervious covering. Use stockpiled topsoil as earthen berms to serve as temporary sediment basins.



11. Mulch all disturbed areas at the rate of one 50-pound bale of straw per 500 square feet. On slopes 4:1 or steeper use the following erosion control blankets that have been pinned to the slope according to the manufacturer's instructions:

2:1 slopes or steeper

Straw/Coconut Blanket or High Velocity Wood Blanket

3:1 slopes or steeper

Wood or Straw Blanket with net on both sides

4:1 slopes or steeper Flat areas

Wood or Straw Mulch blanket with net on one side

Straw Mulch w/disc anchoring

- 12. Seed all disturbed areas within seven days of final grading and temporary seed/mulch all areas that will be left inactive for more than seven days. Do not seed later than September 1<sup>st</sup>. Areas that need to be seeded after this date should be dormant seeded in late October or early November. See the attached instruction sheet for recommended mixtures and rates. The use of native plant materials, including trees and shrubs, is encouraged. Native species will provide good vegetative cover that is adapted to our soils and climate.
- 13. Apply fertilizer according to soil test recommendations.
- Install water bars on access roads to prevent concentrated water from flowing down the road and eroding gravel.
- 15. Attach a site map showing the location of all erosion control practices, property lines, roads, lakes, watercourses, wetlands, on-site systems and building locations.

Note: To reduce mud transported onto paved roads, a rock construction entrance may be required. This will require a six-inch layer of 1-2 inch diameter washed rock a minimum of 50 feet in length.

## Inspection and Maintenance

- 16. Inspect the construction site every 7 days and within 24 hours after every rain event to ensure the practices are working properly (i.e. silt fences, water bars).
- 17. Clean out the silt fences when they are 1/3 full of sediment or replace with functional silt fences within 24 hours.
- 18. Clean out sediment basins on a regular basis to maintain capacity.

I agree to install, inspect and maintain the above practices to accomplish the goal of preventing erosion.

(Property Owner)

son Responsible for Implementation)

6/19/3017 (Date)

6/9/2017

If you have any questions, please contact Environmental Services, at 507-357-8538.

JUN 12 2017

BY:

MAN

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Erosion and Sediment Control Plan: We will follow the required restoration procedures as listed in the Conditional Use Application.

- -Install erosion control sock along the lake shore past the entire construction area.
- -Install erosion control sock along the top of the bluff line past the entire construction area.
- -No black dirt will be staged on site. We will haul in the fill soil needed and immediately install that soil.
- -All bare dirt in the areas listed in the project's description will be covered with a native perennial seed mix and erosion blankets. This will establish a solid plant cover that will stabilize the bank, and prevent further erosion.
- -Filtrexx Bank Stabilization will be installed where listed in the project's description. This will help stabilize the bluff and prevent further erosion.
- -See included plan for the location of the erosion control measures described above.



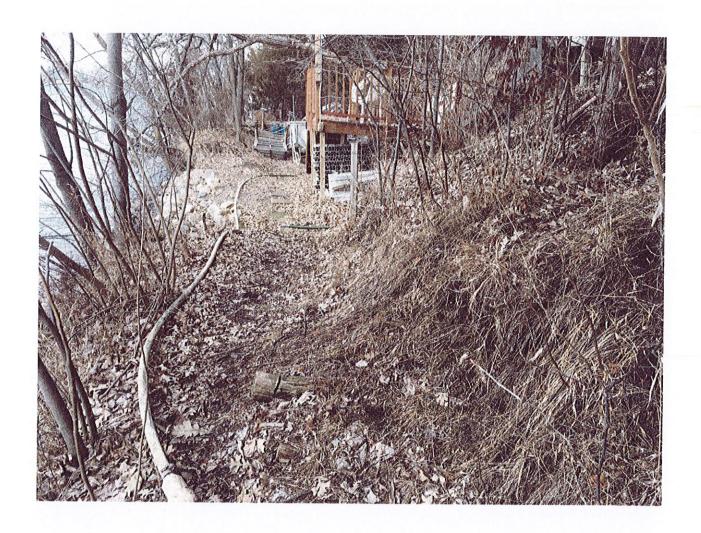




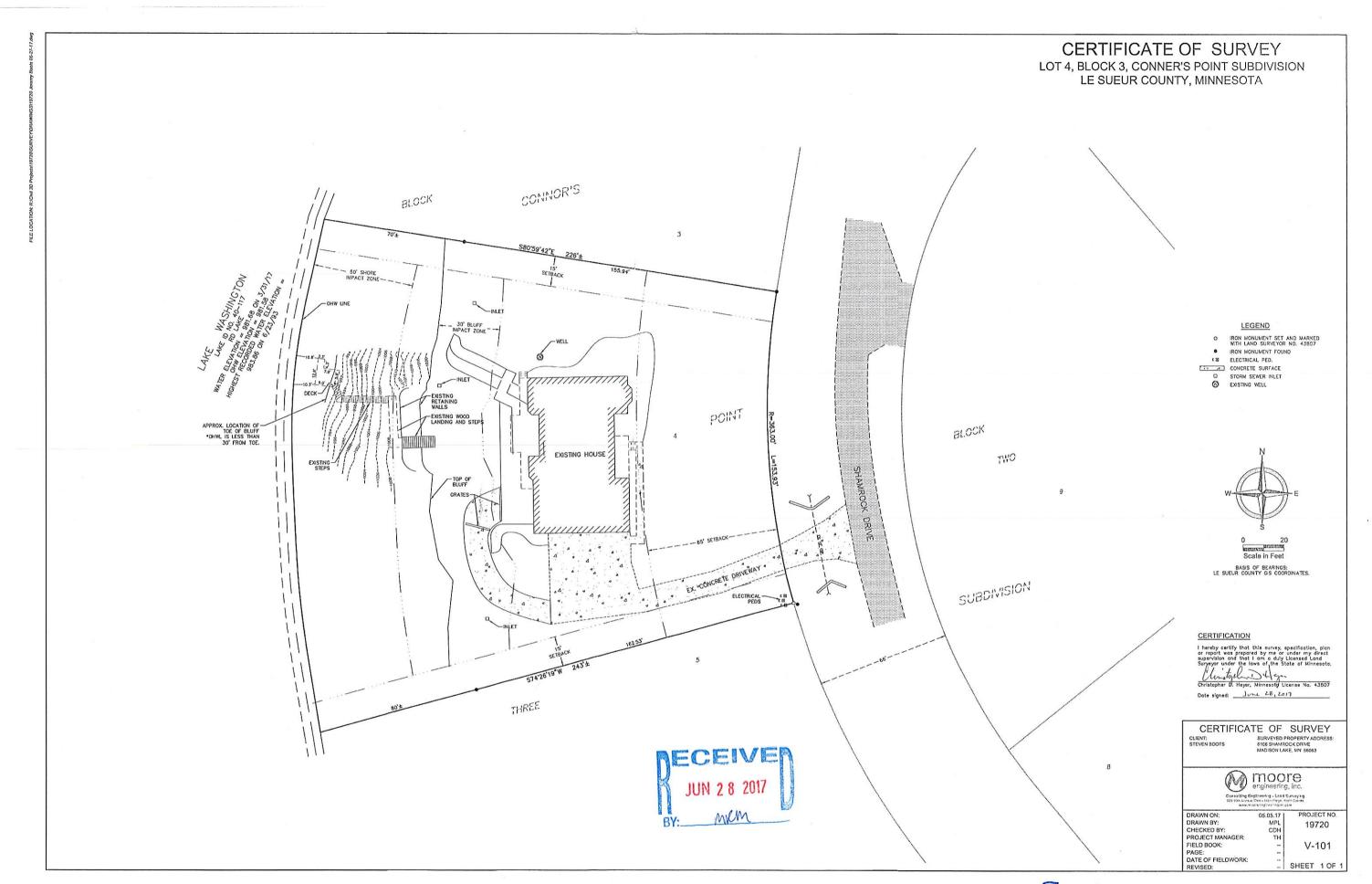




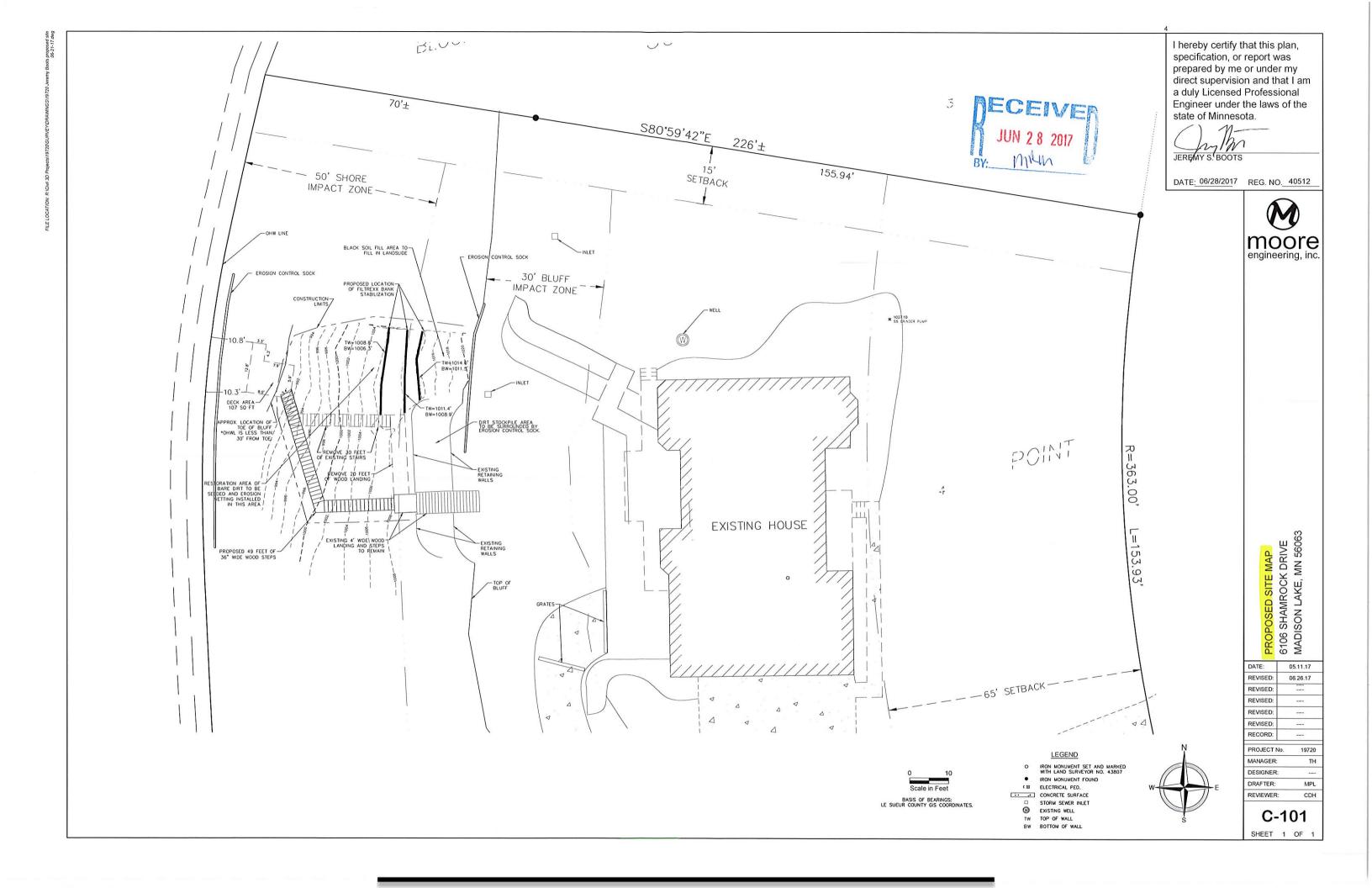


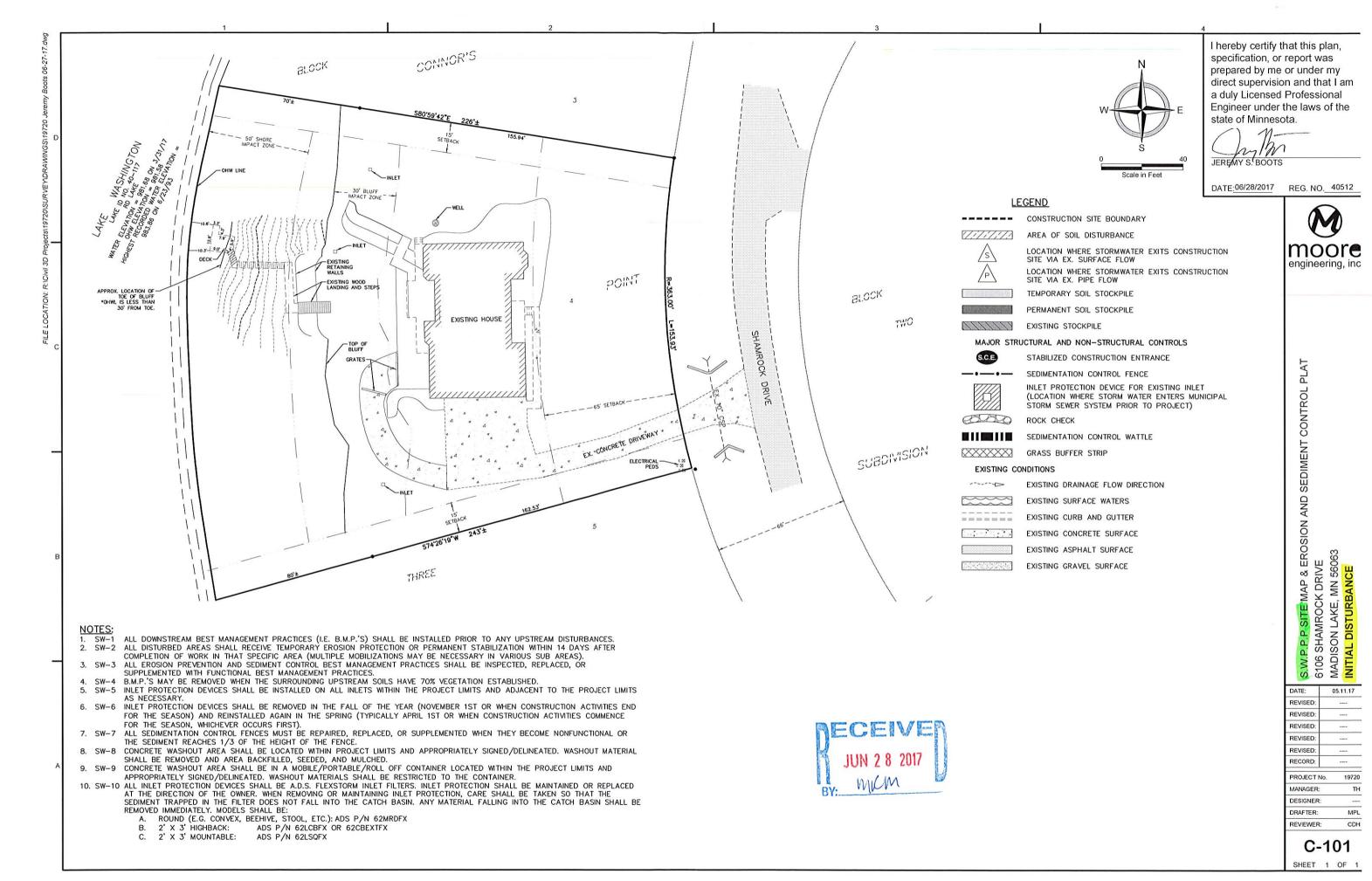




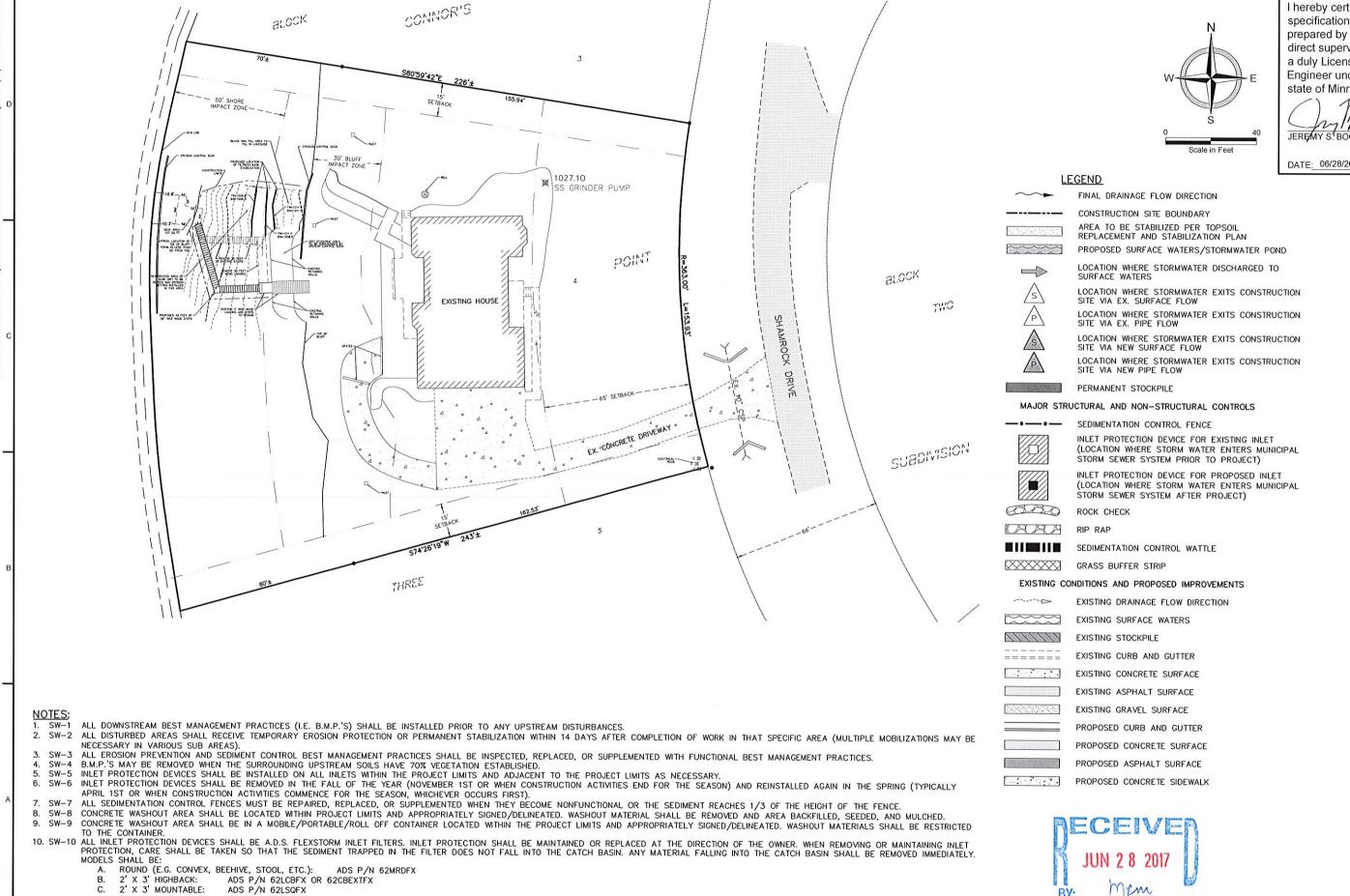


Existing conditions





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I hereby certify that this plan, specification, or report was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly Licensed Professional Engineer under the laws of the state of Minnesota.

JEREMY S. BOOTS

DATE: 06/28/2017 REG. NO. 40512



engineering, inc

**PLAT** CONTROL SEDIMENT AND

EROSION S.W.P.P.P.SITE MAP & ERO\$
8106 SHAMROCK DRIVE
MADISON LAKE, MN 56063
FINAL STABILIZATION 6

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## Le Sueur County, MN

Thursday, July 13, 2017 Regular session

Item 1

**DRAFT June 8, 2017 Meeting Minutes** 

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

### LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION 88 SOUTH PARK AVE. LE CENTER, MINNESOTA 56057

**June 8, 2017** 

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeanne Doheny, Don Rynda, Shirley Katzenmeyer, Doug Krenik,

Al Gehrke, Pam Tietz, Commissioner Wetzel

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Don Reak

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Kathy Brockway, Commissioner Connolly.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Chairperson, Jeanne Doheny.

ITEM #1: WATERVILLE SOLAR HOLDINGS LLC, MINNEAPOLIS, MN (APPLICANT); JAY & BETSY CHAMBERS, MEDFORD, MN (OWNER): Request that the County grant an extension of an existing Conditional Use Permit #16089 for the establishment of a 5 megawatt solar garden in an Agriculture "A" District. Property is located in the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Section 34, Waterville Township.

Kathy Brockway presented power point presentation. Jeff Paulson, representing Waterville Solar Holdings LLC, was present for application.

TOWNSHIP: Waterville Township-no objections to the extension. DNR: N/A LETTERS: Joshua Mankowski, LSC Resource Specialist (see file)

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

Discussion was held regarding: time frame, closing on the parcel late this month, start construction with a completion by the end of 2017, but asking for the 1-year extension, interconnection agreements signed, working with Northern States Power Company and Xcel Energy.

Motion was made by Doug Krenik to approve a l-year extension. Seconded by Al Gehrke. Motion approved. Motion carried.

ITEM #2: MIKE FINLEY, JANESVILLE, MN (APPLICANT\OWNER): Requests that the County grant a Conditional Use Permit to allow the applicant to replace three retaining walls within the bluff, bluff impact zone, and shore impact zone; grading, excavating and filling of approximately 103 cubic yards of material within the shore impact zone to replace stairs and construct a pervious patio in a Recreational Residential "RR" District and a Flood Plain Flood Fringe "FF" Overlay District on a Recreational Development Lake, Lake Frances . Property is located in the SW 1/4, Section 34, Elysian Township.

Kathy Brockway presented power point presentation. Wayne James, James Brothers Construction was present for application.

TOWNSHIP: Applicants notified through the application process. DNR: no comments LETTERS: Joshua Mankowski, LSC Resource Specialist (see file)

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

Discussion was held regarding: DNR issued a permit for the rip rap project below the ordinary high water level, project is necessary in order to stabilize the bluff, sloping down towards the lake, trees tipping into the water, current retaining walls have been in place for 50-60 years, failing, engineered retaining walls, tile drainage discussion at length, pervious patio placement vs. deck, placement of tile, replace existing stairways, make safer access to the lake, stone steps, types of equipment necessary for construction, parking.

Findings by majority roll call vote:

1. The conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminishes and impairs property values within the immediate vicinity.

Agreed

- 2. The establishment of the conditional use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for uses predominant in the area. **Agreed**
- 3. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been provided. Agreed
- **4.** Adequate measures will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use. **Agreed**
- 5. Adequate measures will be taken to prevent and control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result. <u>Agreed</u>
- **6.** The Conditional Use Permit consistent with and supported by the statement of purposes, policies, goals and objectives in the Ordinance? **Agreed**
- 7. The Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan? <u>Agreed</u>

Motion was made by Shirley Katzenmeyer to approve the application with the following conditions:

- Work with Joshua Mankowski, LSC Resource Specialist regarding the best option for the patio or deck prior to June 27, 2017 County Board Meeting;
- Screening per Joshua Mankowski's letter.

Seconded by Al Gehrke. Motion approved. Motion carried.

ITEM #3: TI ZACK CONCRETE INC, LE CENTER, MN (APPLICANT); STEVE RUTT, LE CENTER, MN (OWNER): Request that the County grant a Conditional Use Permit to allow the applicant to operate a construction company in an Agriculture "A" District. Property is located in the NE 1/4, Section 33, Lexington Township.

Kathy Brockway presented power point presentation. Steve Rutt was present for application.

TOWNSHIP: Notified through the application process. DNR: N/A LETTERS: N/A

PUBLIC COMMENT: Kathy Brockway indicated that she received 3 phone calls/office visits regarding the application, no one objected to the business however, stated that dust can be an issued.

Discussion was held regarding: Ordinance revision in 2013 to allow construction companies through the conditional use permit process within the Agricultural District, plans to add an additional shed on the property for storage, clean the property up, most work is within a 4-state region, employees commute from their homes, 5-office employees and 1 mechanic on-site daily, dust control, applied 600 ft. of dust control last year and again this year.

Findings by majority roll call vote:

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7. The Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan? Agreed

Motion was made by Al Gehrke to approve the application with the condition: Continue dust control methods. Seconded by Doug Krenik. Motion approved. Motion carried.

ITEM #4: WARRIOR DASH (RED FROGEVENTS LLC), CHICAGO, IL (APPLICANT); RANDY VOSS, LE SUEUR, MN (OWNER): Request that the County grant a Conditional Use Permit to allow the applicant to host a special event in an Agriculture "A" District, and a Mineral Resources "MR" Overlay District. Property is located in the NE 1/4, Section 30, Sharon Township.

Kathy Brockway presented power point presentation. John Beck representing Red Frogevents was present for application.

TOWNSHIP: Notified through the application process DNR: N/A LETTERS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: Donna Kiewatt, questioned whether they were going to be utilizing their property this year.

Discussion was held regarding: date of event, annual event, miscommunications within their Chicago office as to permitting, no significant changes from the event held in 2016,1-day event, hours of event, medical team on-site, parking, security, traffic, attendance 6000-8000 participants with a couple thousand spectators.

Findings by majority roll call vote:

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- 7. The Conditional Use Permit consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan? Agreed

Motion was made by Shirley Katzenmeyer to approve the application with the following condition:

- Notification to the department in writing within 60-days of hosting the event each year (with date and times of the event);
- The applicants shall be required to amend the conditional use permit if significant changes are made to the event such as but not limited to: number of days of event, vendors, property expansion, substantial increase in participants.

Seconded by Pam Tietz. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Pam Tietz to approve the minutes from the May 11, 2017 meeting. Seconded by Don Rynda. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Election of Vice Chairperson: Doug Krenik nominated Shirley Katzenmeyer. Pam Tietz. Seconded. Motion approved. Motion Carried.

Election of Secretary: Shirley Katzenmeyer nominated Pam Tietz. Al Gehrke Seconded. Motion approved. Motion Carried.

Motion to adjourn meeting by Al Gehrke. Seconded by Don Rynda. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Shirley Katzenmeyer by Kathy Brockway

Tape of meeting is on file in the Le Sueur County Environmental Services Office

