

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: SEPTEMBER 10, 2015

TIME: 7:00 PM

PLACE: LE SUEUR COUNTY 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 and Zoning Commission Notice of Public Hearing
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- ITEM #3 Seely Packet
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- ITEM #5 Solheid Packet
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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, September 10, 2015 Regular session

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Planning and Zoning Commission Notice of Public Hearing

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

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Planning and Zoning Commission 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: September 10, 2015

MEETING PLACE: Le Sueur County Environmental Service

Beginning Time: 7:00 P.M. Ending Time: Approx. 8:30 P.M.

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

AGENDA:

Meeting Called to Order.

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MINUTES-WARRANTS

ADJOURN 8:30 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.



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Seely Packet

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

GENERAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT/OWNER: Chris Seely

911 ADDRESS: 27684 Lake Jefferson Road, Cleveland MN 56017

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Allow grading, excavating, and filling of 500 cubic yards of material outside the shore impact zone.

ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

The intent of the Special Protection (SP) District is to guide the wise development and utilization of shorelands of public waters for the preservation of water quality, natural characteristics, economic values and the general health, safety and welfare of all public waters in the unincorporated areas of the County. Further, the purpose of this district is to manage areas unsuitable for development due to wet soils, steep slopes or large areas of exposed bedrock; and to manage areas of unique natural and biological characteristics in accordance with compatible uses.

ZONING DISTRICT PURPOSE:

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.

GOALS AND POLICIES:

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.

ZONING ORDINANCE SECTIONS: Section 13.1, Section 18, Subdivision 3.

ORDINANCE REQUIREMENT:

Grading, excavating or filling activities, excluding small capacity rain gardens, involving the movement of more than fifty (50) cubic yards of material that is not in connection with another permitted use, or within shore or bluff impact zones involving the movement of more than ten (10) cubic yards of material, including but not limited to, rip rap, sand and gravel. Activities associated with the maintenance or improvement of public roads are exempt.

Conditional Use	Conditional Use Requirements
>50 cubic yards outside Bluff and Shore	
Impact Zones	<u>Parcels < 5 acres:</u> Scaled site plan w/ 2-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography. As-Built upon completion.
	Site Plan(s) and As-Built completed by a surveyor or engineer.

TOWNSHIP BOARD NOTIFICATION

The applicant contacted John Kluntz, Cleveland Township Board member on October 28, 2014.

SITE INFORMATION

LOCATION: 4.53 acres, Government Lot 1, Section 34, Cleveland Township & Government Lot 3, Section 3, Cleveland Township.

ZONING: Special Protection "SP" District, on a Natural Environment "NE" lake, Lake Henry

GENERAL SITE

DESCRIPTION: Lakeshore, existing building site, scattered residential

ACCESS: New off Lake Jefferson Road (approved by the Asst. County Highway Engineer)

EXISTING LAND USE WITHIN ¼ MILE:

North: AgSouth:Lake JeffersonEast: Lake HenryWest:Ag

LAKE: Lake Henry, Natural Environment

Natural Environment Lake - Lakes that usually have less than one hundred fifty (150) total acres, less than sixty (60) acres per mile of shoreline, and less than three (3) dwellings per mile of shoreline. They may have some winter kill of fish; may have shallow, swampy shoreline; and are less than fifteen (15) feet deep.

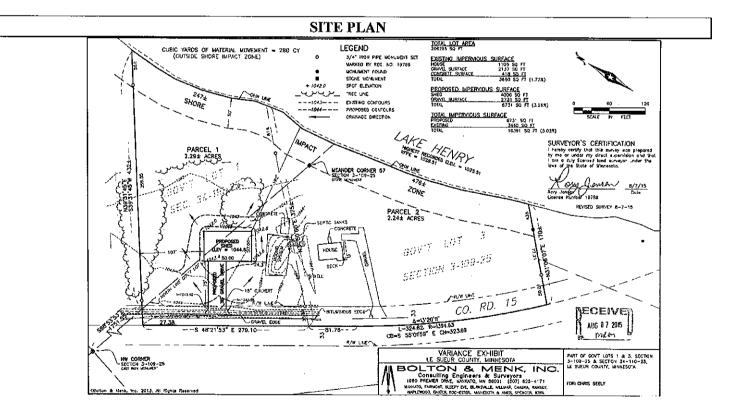
RFPE: Regulatory Flood Protection Elevation: <u>1028.51</u> Lowest floor must meet RFPE.

VARIANCE: Variance from the Ordinary High Water Level (OHWL)granted in July of 2015 with the condition to add additional screening between the shed and the lake.

NATURAL RESOURCES INFORMATION

SHORELAND: The proposal is located within the Shoreland District.

WETLANDS: According to the National Wetlands Inventory, Type 3 wetlands located in the quarter-quarter section where the project is proposed.



AERIAL PHOTO

ATTACHMENTS

Application, narrative, survey, erosion control plan, letter from LSC Resource Specialist

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.
 A D NA
- 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. A D NA

- 3. The adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been or are being provided. A D NA
- The 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. A D NA

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

Applicant: CHRISTOPHER SEELY

Date: 09-10-15

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main the goals of safety, health and the general welfare of the public. If all answers are ""YES" by a majority of the Planning Commission, the criteria for granting of the Conditional Use Permit request have been met. The Conditional Use Permit will

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COUNTY BOARD MEETING DATE:	DENIED
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PZ CHAIRPERSON

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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).

I.	Applicant: Name Christopher D. Seely
	Mailing Address 27684 Lake Setterson Rd,
	City <u>Cleveland</u> State <u>MN</u> Zip <u>56017</u>
	Phone # $507 - 317 - 2820$ Phone # $507 - 312 - 0167$
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111.	Landowner: // Name //
	Name Mailing Address
	Mailing Address State Zip
	CityState Zip
	Property Address State Zip City Phone #
111.	Parcel Information:
	Parcel Number 01.103.76/0 Parcel Acreage 4.53 acres
	Attach Full Legal Description (NOT abbreviated description from tax statement)
	Township 110 address Section
	Subdivision Lot Block
IV.	Township Notification: Township must be notified of proposed use prior to application.
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	Cleve and Township notified on (Date)
	(Township Name) (Date)
	Board Member <u>John Kluntz</u> regarding the proposed use.
	(Name)
V.	Quantifica and Balancittal Format
W	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.
- f. Applications will not be accepted by mail.

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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.
- c. 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
- g. 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 by 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.

1 Applicant signature

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

VI. 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

VII. Type of Request: Grading, Excavating or Filling.

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□ 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.

	1.	ENVIRONMENTAL IMPAC	T: <u>See</u>	attached	
	2.	ADVERSE IMPACT ON SI		EAS:/	
	3.	STORMWATER RUNOFF:			
	4.	DOES ANY PART OF THE	PROJECT EXTEN	ID BELOW OHWL:	
	5.	WETLAND IMPACT:	11		
	6.	SLOPE STABILITY:	11	/	
	7.	CERTIFICATE OF INSUR	ANCE: NO +	- required	
	8.	MEET ALL APPLICABLE (For example additional lice		FEDERAL REGULATIONS:	quired
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• Site plan & As-Built must be completed by a surveyor or professional engineer.

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OFFICE USE ONLY

Request: GRADING, EXCAVATING & FILLING

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Request Description	Access Approval	Septic Comp Insp / Design	
Site Plan	Control Plan	Meeting Reg / ATF / Spec	
Full Legal		@Fee \$ 796-	
J Ordinance	Other	Penalty \$	
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Application Complete <u>Michaele</u> KM2446 Planning & Zoning Department Signature

0-10-15 Date

1510) Permit #

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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: 8/21/2015

To: Le Sueur County Planning and Zoning Commission

From: Joshua Mankowski, Environmental Resources Specialist

Applicant: Christopher D Seely

Property owner: Christopher D Seely

Property: 01.103.7610

Description: Request is for a Conditional Use Permit to allow for the movement of 500 Cubic Yards of material to construct a suitable foundation for a 50x80 ft. shed. The project is located near Lake Henry, a Natural Environment lake located in a Special Protection District.

Recommendation: I recommend approval of the Conditional Use Permit. An OHWL Setback Variance was approved July 16^{th} 2015 with the condition that he work with staff to add additional screening between the shed and the lake.

Sincerely,

Joshua Mankowski Le Sueur County Environmental Resources Specialist

Full Description for Conditional Use Permit

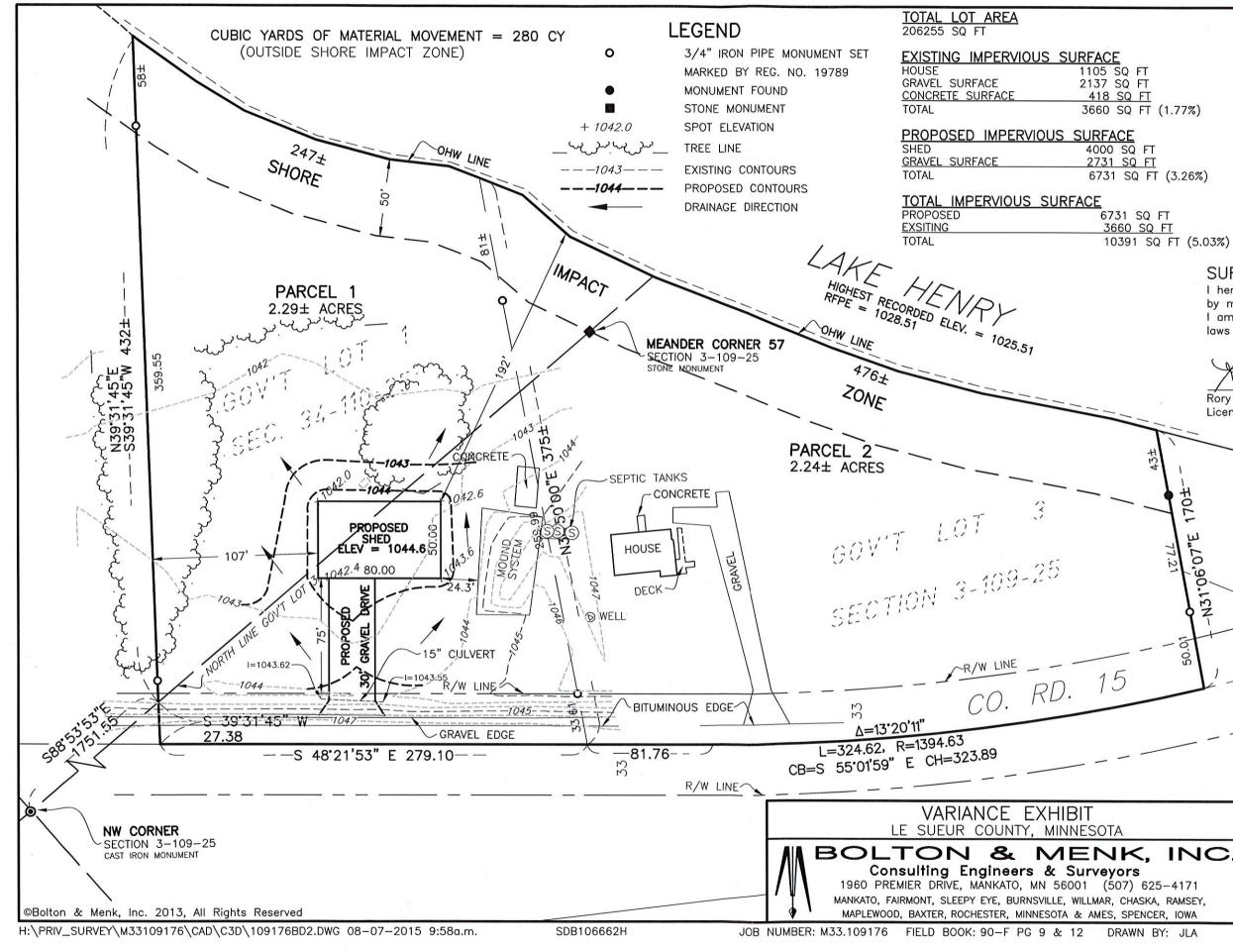
I, Christopher Seely have hired the Zimmermans to create a shed pad and driveway for my accessory structure. This project will be calling for a total of 500 cubic yards of total material movement, therefore exceeding the 50 cubic yards allowed without obtaining a Conditional Use Permit. The Zimmermans shall complete this task by using an excavator, a dozer, and dump trucks. They will be scraping off topsoil that will later be used to slope away from the building and provide me with minimum of 4inches of back dirt to be used for reseeding. The Zimmermans will then be hauling in 350 yards of a dirt and sand fill for the driveway and shed pad from their pit located near their farm by German Lake. The pad will be elevated 1 foot from original height of ground. There will be a silt fence in place to prevent any possible erosion from entering the lake. This project will have no environmental or adverse impact on the surrounding areas. No trees will need to be removed and any water will run away from the building and settle out before reaching the lake. This project will not be extending below the OHWL. There will be no wetland impact and will also not be affecting any slope stability.

Sincerely,

Christopher Seely

Christopher Seely





3660 SQ FT (1.77%) 60 120 6731 SQ FT (3.26%) SCALE IN FEET 6731 SQ FT 3660 SQ FT 10391 SQ FT (5.03%) SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that this survey was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly licensed land surveyor under the laws of the State of Minnesota. anten or 8/7/15 Rory Jensen Date License Number 19789 REVISED SURVEY 8-7-15 170 ш .06'07" N31 6 05 ECEIVE AUG 0 7 2015 men BY: PART OF GOV'T LOTS 1 & 3, SECTION 3-109-25 & SECTION 34-110-25. LE SUEUR COUNTY, MINNESOTA FOR: CHRIS SEELY 4.0 S3-T109-R25-10,21 S34-T110-R25-33 DRAWN BY: JLA

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

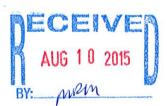
Goal: To control erosion and prevent sediment and other pollutants from entering the lakes, streams, wetlands, and storm drain systems during construction.

Property Owner:	Christopher Seely PID: 01.103.2050 27684 Lake Jetterson Rol, Cheveland, MN 56017
Mailing Address:	27684 Lake Jetterson Rol, Cleveland, MN 5601)
Property Address:	N 7 7 7
Phone:()	Mobile/Cell:(507) 317 - 2820

Responsib	le party for Implementation/Inspection	://		
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Phone:	M	Iobile/Cell:(//	 "	

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 atone 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 otherpollutants.
- 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.
- Install silt fence on the down-slope perimeter of all disturbed areas according to the attached installation instructions. Sensitive areas such as wetlands, dramage 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	Wood or Straw Mulch blanket with net on one side
Flat areas	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 1st. 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.
- 14. 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.

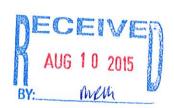
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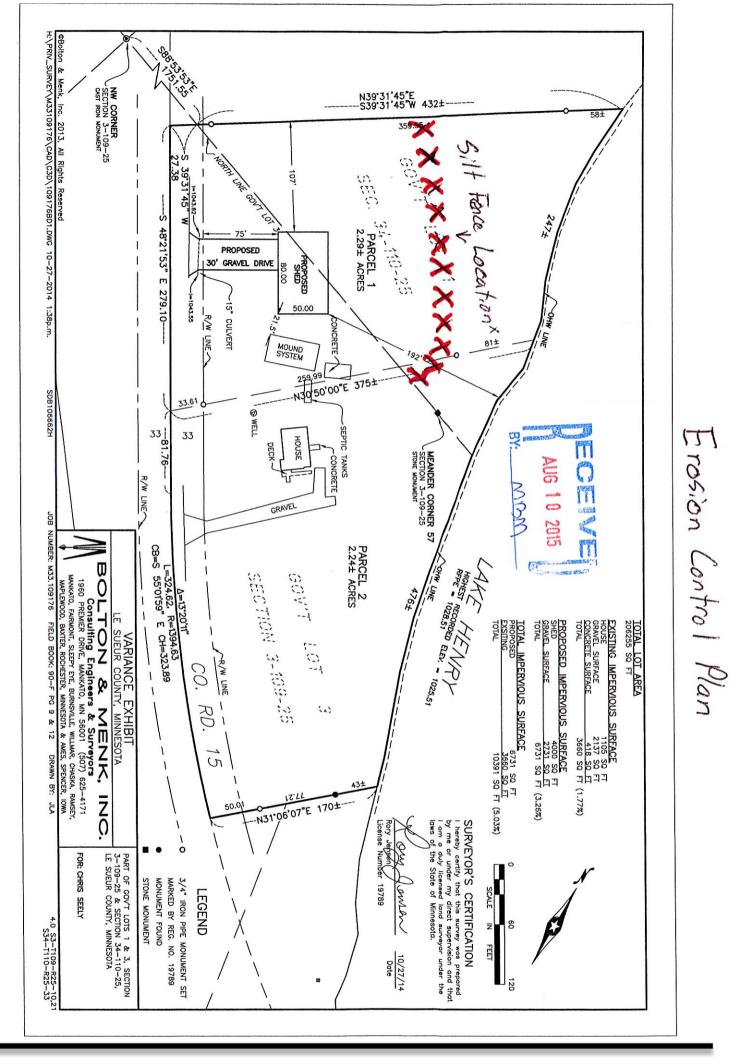
- 16. Inspect the construction site every 7 days and within 24 hours after every rain event to ensure the practices are working properly (i.e. silt fences, water bars).
- 17. Clean out the silt fences when they are 1/3 full of sediment or replace with functional silt fences within 24 hours.
- 18. Clean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

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





507-317-2820

LE SUEUR COUNT	Y HIGHWAY	DEPARTMENT
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Application For Access Driveway or Entrance Permit
C.S.A.H./Co. Hwy. No. 15 (Lake Jefferson Rd.) Name of Twp. Cleveland
SKETCH PROPERTY, PRESENT AND PROPOSED DRIVEWAY AND RELATION TO COUNTY HIGHWAY.
Name of Applicant: Christopher D. Seely Telephone No.: (507) 317 - 2820
Address: 27684 Lake Jefferson Rd.
Name of Property Owner: II Telephone No.: () II
Address:/
Location: Co Hwy. No.: 15 in Le Sueur Co. 0.2 Miles N-S-EW of 464th 5+ (Specify Road, or intersection)
Legal Description of Property 01.103.7610
Purpose of Driveway: Farm Residence Field Pole Shed X
Is a Building to be Constructed: Yes X No What kind Pole Shed
Possible replacement cost of this pipe will be the responsibility of the owner:
Will the Building be Temporary: PermanentX
Distance from center of highway to front of building is
Is land higher? with highway.
Number of present driveways to property Date Proposed driveway will be needed $3/1/15$
Give exact location to Proposed Driveway to Property:(Give lath to mark center of Proposed Driveway)
Culvert has already been & placed in drive way location.
I, We, the undersigned, herewith make application for permission to construct the access driveway at the above location, said driveway to be constructed to conform with the standards of the Minnesota Highway Department and to any special provisions included in the permit. It is agreed that all work will be done to the satisfaction of the Le Sueur County Highway Department. It is further agreed that no work in connection with this application will be started until the application is approved and the permit issued.
6/8/15 Date Christophen Deely Signature of Applicant
AUG 10 2015 BY: M.M.

BY:

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Access Driveway or Entrance Permit:

201501/ Permit No.

Permission is hereby granted for the construction of the driveway as described in the above application, said driveway to be constructed in accordance with the Minnesota Highway Departments Driveway Standard Plate Nos. 9000B and 9001A and subject to the requirements on the next page and the following special provisions:

It is expressly understood that this permit is conditioned upon replacement or restoration of the County Highway to its original or to satisfactory condition.

ASST. Le Sueur County Highway Engineer

AUG 10 2015



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FARM & FIELD ENTRANCES

BE IT RESOLVED: That the County Highway Engineer is hereby authorized and instructed to control farm and field entrances on all County State Aide Highways, including roads scheduled for new construction, under the following regulations.

- A: One field and one farm entrance shall be allowed per owner or approved additional access at no cost to owner.
- B: A permit shall be required on all additional entrance requests.
- C: All new culverts and aprons on additional entrance requests shall be furnished by the private owner, and constructed according to the Engineer's specifications.
- D: All new culvert materials and aprons shall become the property of the County Highway Department and entrances shall be maintained by same.
- E: There shall be no distinction for entrances with or without culvert.
- F: The relocation of existing entrances shall be accomplished at the private owner's expense and according to the Engineer's specifications, except where the County is proved negligent.
- G: The cost for construction of an additional approved entrance or relocation of an existing entrance shall be \$350. plus the cost of pipe, bands, and aprons.
- H:* The cost for extending an existing entrance shall be \$175. plus the cost of pipe, bands, and aprons.

Assumes that fill material is available within one (1) mile. Required fill hauled more than one (1) mile will be hauled at an additional cost of \$.30/cu. Yd. Perloaded mile.

BE IT RESOLVED: That the design standards for County Roads be the same as those currently listed in State Aid Rules for County State Aid Highways.







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Helmstetter Packet

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

STAFF REPORT

GENERAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT/OWNER:	Stevan Helmstetter
911 ADDRESS:	47738 State Hwy 22, Kasota MN 56050
PROJECT DESCRIPTION:	Allow grading, excavating, and filling of 1439 cubic yards of material in an Urban/Rural Residential "R1" District.

ZONING ORDINANCE SECTIONS: Sections 9 & 18

ORDINANCE REQUIREMENTS:

- L. Grading, excavating or filling activities within the bluff.
- M. Grading, excavating or filling activities involving the movement of fifty (50) cubic yards or more of material that is not in connection with another permitted use. Activities associated with the maintenance or improvement of public roads are exempt.

Conditional Use	Conditional Use Requirements
>50 cubic yards outside Bluff Impact Zone	
	 Parcels 5-20 ac: Scaled site plan w/ 5-foot contours Depicting existing and proposed topography. As-Built upon completion. Site Plan (s) and As-Built completed by a surveyor or engineer.

BLUFF REGULATIONS--GENERAL STANDARDS

- 1. All development shall conform to the natural limitations presented by the topography and soil as to create the best potential for preventing soil erosion.
- 2. No structure shall be constructed in any bluff or bluff impact zone as defined in this Ordinance. Essential Services shall be exempt from this standard.
- 3. Filling and cutting activity in any bluff or bluff impact zone shall be considered a conditional use. In no case shall cutting or filling be allowed for the purpose of establishing a site for the erection of a structure.
- 4. If the adjacent bluff is actively eroding, the Department may increase the setback requirement.
- 5. Development on steep slopes with a grade between eight (8) to eighteen (18) percent shall be carefully reviewed to insure adequate measures have been taken to prevent erosion, sedimentation, and structural damage.

SITE INFORMATION

LOCATION: Property is located in the NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 9, Kasota Township.

ZONING: Urban/Rural Residential "R1"

GENERAL SITE DESCRIPTION: Existing Building Site

ACCESS: Existing Access

EXISTING L	AND USE WITH	IN ¼ MILE:	
North:	Residential	South:	Residential/Ag
East:	Ag	West:	Ag/Mineral Extraction

TOWNSHIP BOARD NOTIFICATION

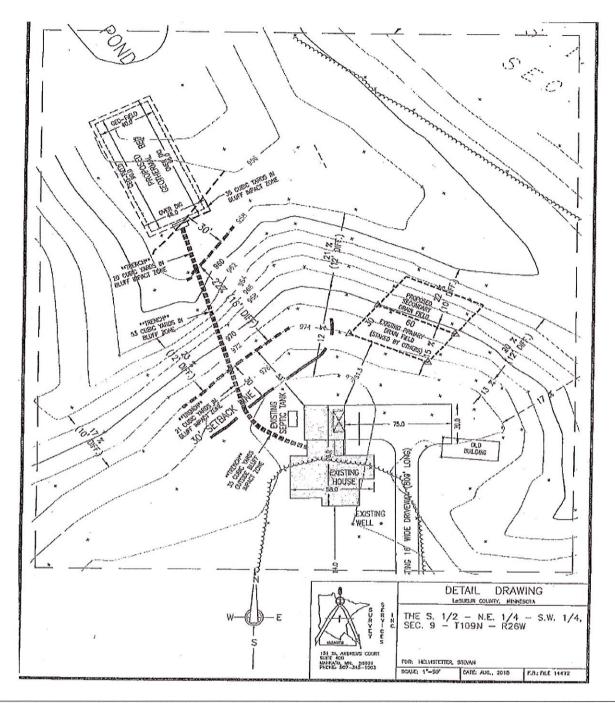
The applicant contacted Joe Kienlen, Kasota Township Board member on August 10, 2015. Joe Kienlen contacted Environmental Services Department and stated that the Township has no objections to the application.

NATURAL RESOURCES INFORMATION

SHORELAND: The proposal is not located within the Shoreland District.WETLANDS: According to the National Wetlands Inventory, Type 3 wetlands located in the quarter-quarter section where the project is proposed.







ATTACHMENTS

Application, Narrative, Survey, Erosion Control Plan, Letter from LSC Resource Specialist

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION CONSIDERATIONS

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- 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.
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- 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. A D NA
- 3. The adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been or are being provided. A D NA
- 4. The 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. A D NA

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

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Conditional Use Application-Grading, Excavating & Filling

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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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Quantities and Submittal Formats: V.

Board Member <u>Soe Kienlen</u> (Name)

One (1) reproducible 8.5" x 11" copy of the request and all other supporting documents. a.

regarding the proposed use.

- Twenty Three (23) copies must be submitted, if any documents are in color, an aerial, or b. larger than 8.5" x 11" in size.
- Electronic version of any supporting documents if available. C.
- Additional copies may be requested as deemed necessary by the Department. C.
- 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.
- Appointment is necessary. e.
- Applications will not be accepted by mail. f.

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vi. rees: must be paid at the time of application.

Conditional Use Permit Filing Fee	750 46	After-The-Fact fee is <u>doubled.</u>

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.

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□ 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.
 - 1. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT: NOROUE Material & Deero Theplace.
 - 2. ADVERSE IMPACT ON SURROUNDING AREAS: Remove & Keplice Material
 - 3. STORMWATER RUNOFF: NH
 - 4. DOES ANY PART OF THE PROJECT EXTEND BELOW OHWL: Kemove & Keplace
 - 5. WETLAND IMPACT: NAL
 - 6. SLOPE STABILITY:
 - 7. CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE:
 - 8. MEET ALL APPLICABLE COUNTY STATE & FEDERAL REGULATIONS: (For example additional licensing and/or permitting) _____
- IX. Site Plan: Shall include but not limited to the following:

Landscape, screening and buffering

- Parcels < 5 AC = 2-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.
- Parcels 5-20 AC = 5-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.
- Parcels >20 AC = 10-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.
- Location of grading, excavating, and/or filling sites.
- Location of areas for obtaining fill or disposing of excavated materials.
- 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).

- North point
- Setbacks
- Property LinesRoad Right-Of-Way
- WetlandStream

Lake

River

- Existing Structures
 Proposed Structures
 - Lot Dimensions
 - Ponds
- Well
 Access (s
- Access (size & location)
 Easements
- Drainage

Septic system

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.
- c. 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
- g. Erosion Control Plan-Attach completed and signed plan including map.
- h. **Restoration Plan**-See Part X for full details and requirements.
- i. 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 by 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.

6/11/15

Applicant signature

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

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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: 8/31/15

To: Le Sueur County Planning and Zoning Commission

From: Joshua Mankowski, Environmental Resources Specialist

Applicant: Stevan G. Helmstetter

Property owner: Stevan G. Helmstetter

Property: 05.109.7600

Description: To allow for the excavation, grading and filling of 1310 Cubic Yards of material outside the BIZ, 53 Cubic Yards of material in the Bluff and 76 Cubic Yards of material within the BIZ for a total of 1439 Cubic Yards of material movement.

Recommendation: I recommend approval of the permit with the conditions listed below.

Conditions: All planned work in the bluff should be restricted to remain within the driving path that has been used to access the lowland area. This area is already a disturbed area of the bluff and it is less steep then the surrounding terrain. The trench must be filled in immediately once the pipes have been installed. The disturbed soils within the trench should be compacted to reduce the chances of washout. Silt fence needs to be correctly installed (staked and keyed into the ground) to protect the wetland and sloped areas should be covered with erosion control blanket. Once work is done, the entire area should be seeded with native vegetation to stabilize the area and reduce colonization from noxious weeds. Special attention should be payed to the weather forecast to reduce the chance of washout while work is done within the bluff.

Sincerely,

Joshua Mankowski Le Sueur County Environmental Resources Specialist

SURVEY SERVICES, INC.

151 St. Andrews Court Suite 400 Mankato, MN 56001 Phone: 1-507-345-1003 FAX: 1-507-345-4604



Warren P. Smith, L.S. Mike M. Eichers, L.S. Robert P. Smith, Tech. Nate P. Myhra, Tech.

August 11, 2015

Stevan Helmstetter 5082 Rock Point Road NW Roosevelt, MN. 56673

Stevan: Attached is a copy of the Survey Drawing of your 20 acres parcel described as the South Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 9 Township 109 North Range 26 West.

Also attached is a Detail Drawing of the area where you intend to construct a 40 foot wide X 90 foot long geothermal "bed" at the bottom of the hill northerly of your new home.

The 40 foot X 90 foot "bed" would be excavated to a depth of 8 feet and 5 separate 720 foot long coil "loops" would be laid in the bottom of the hole and the excavated soil would be replaced. Each of these "loops" would be run back to the "manifold" and a line would be run from the new home to the "manifold" and back to the home.

I have calculated the volume of the excavation to be 1310 cubic yards removed and replaced. No additional materials will be "trucked" onto the site. The area will be returned to its original condition and native grasses will be planted.

Respectfully submitted;

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Warren P. Smith, Land Surveyor Minnesota License No. 14701

See page 2 for "supply lines" narrative.



Addendum to Report August 21, 2015 Stevan Helmstetter Page 2

The LeSueur County Zoning office contacted me today in regards to the lines connecting the geothermal bed at the bottom of the hill to your home. Attached is an Exhibit Drawing showing the approximate location of the lines and the various cubic yards using a 3 foot wide trench, 6 feet deep for 50 feet across the top ground area from the house to the bluff impact zone (33 cubic yards); 32 feet across the bluff impact zone (21 cubic yards); 80 feet across the bluff (53 cubic yards); and the remaining 30 feet across the bluff impact zone at the bottom of the hill connecting to the manifold at the geothermal bed.

A total length of approximately 192 feet and a total excavation of approximately 128 cubic yards of material removed and replaced.

The total cubic yards of material removed and replaced for the geothermal bed and the supply lines between the new home and the bed would be 1438 cubic yards.

Respectfully re-submitted;

Maven

Warren P. Smith, Land Surveyor Minnesota License No. 14701



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 Helms	tetten pid:
Mailing Address: $\sqrt{77.38}$ $\sqrt{1010}$	Husyd
Property Address: SAME	
Phone:(,	Mobile/Cell: (9)8) 689-6872

Responsible party for Implementation/Inspection:

Address:		
Phone:()	 Mobile/Cell:()	

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.
- 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.

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	Wood or Straw Mulch blanket with net on one side
Flat areas	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 1st. 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.
- 14. 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.

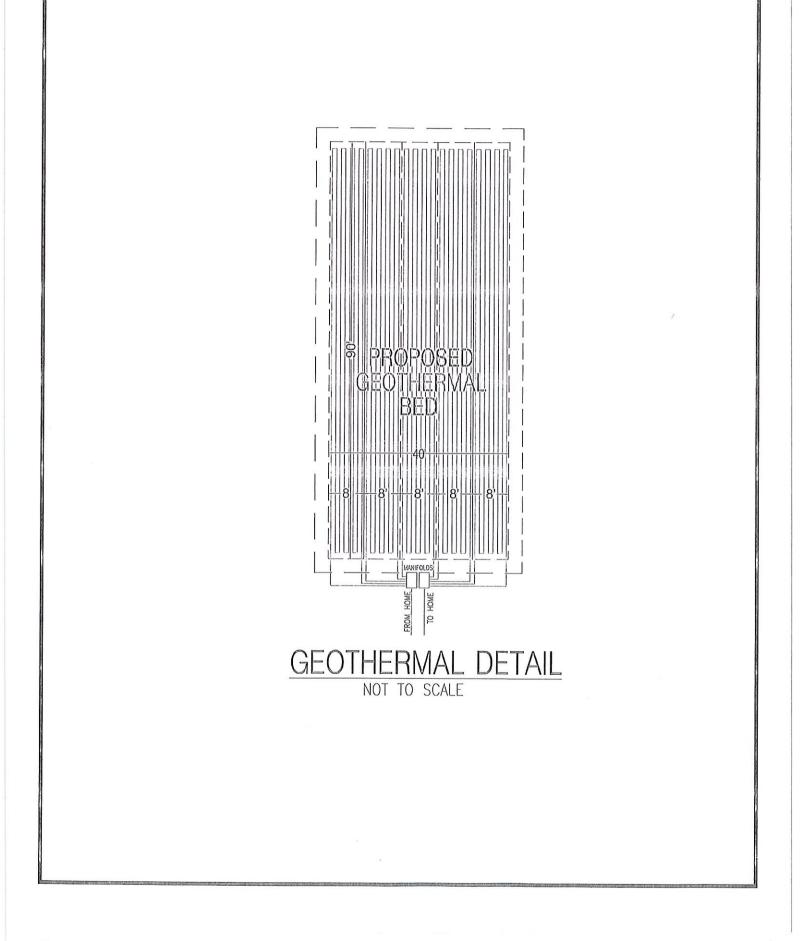
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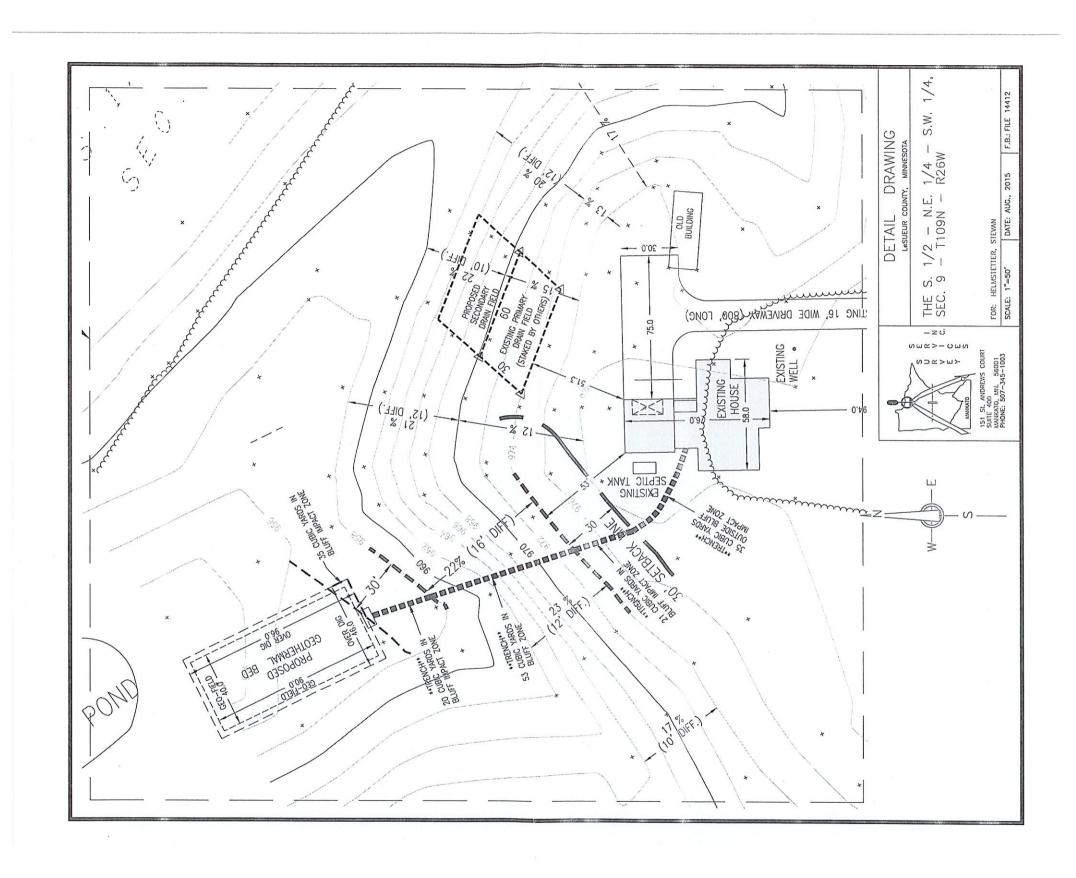
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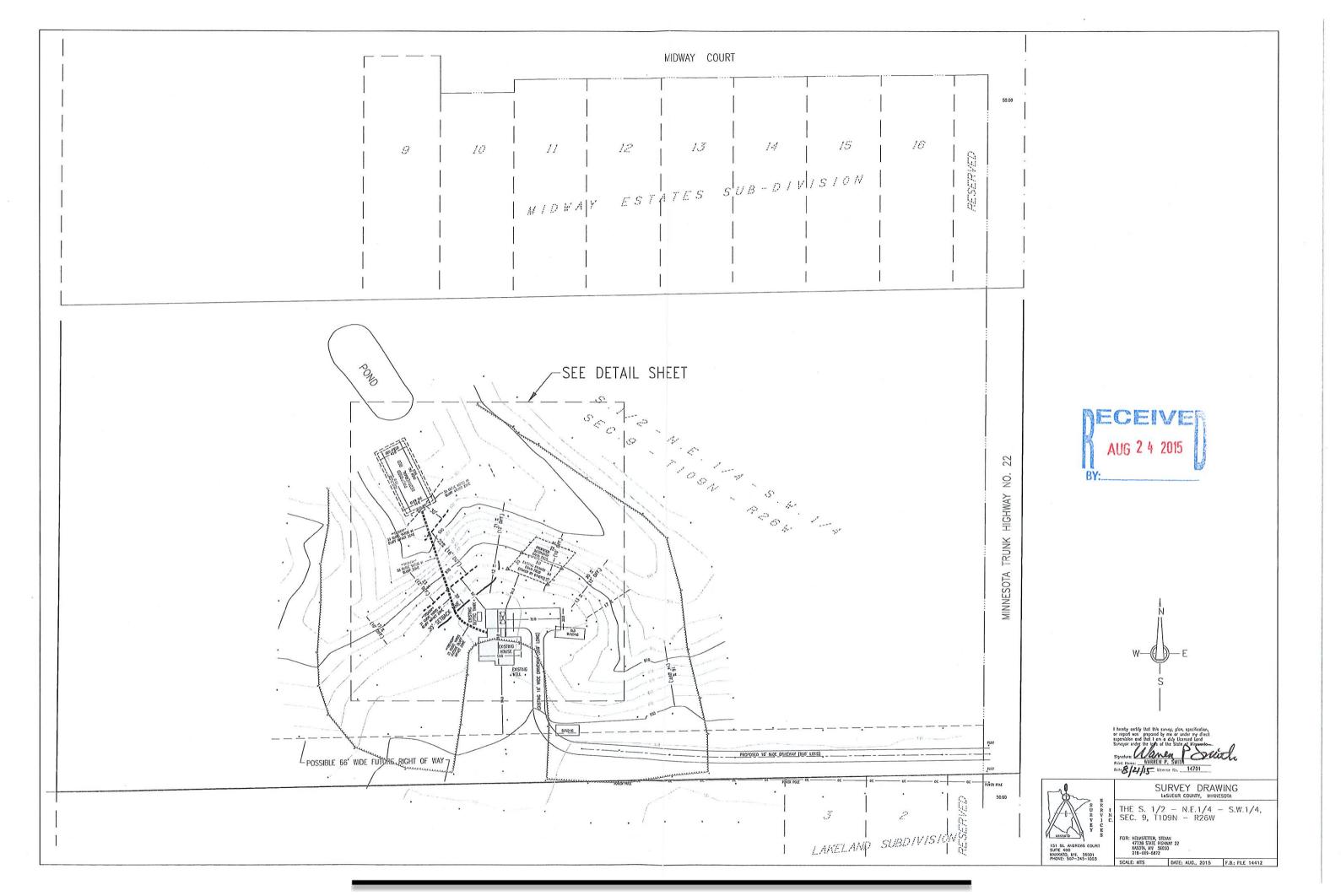
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If you have any questions, please contact Environmental Services, at 507-357-8538.





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Solheid Packet

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

STAFF REPORT

GENERAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT: Eric Solheid Construction OWNER: Joel & Debbie Solheid

911 ADDRESS: 8961 280th St W. New Prague MN 56071

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Allow grading, excavating, and filling of 330 cubic yards of material outside the shore impact zone in a Special Protection "SP" District, on an un-named stream.

ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

The intent of the Special Protection (SP) District is to guide the wise development and utilization of shorelands of public waters for the preservation of water quality, natural characteristics, economic values and the general health, safety and welfare of all public waters in the unincorporated areas of the County. Further, the purpose of this district is to manage areas unsuitable for development due to wet soils, steep slopes or large areas of exposed bedrock; and to manage areas of unique natural and biological characteristics in accordance with compatible uses.

ZONING DISTRICT PURPOSE:

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.

GOALS AND POLICIES:

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.

ZONING ORDINANCE SECTIONS: Section 6, Section 13.1, Section 18

ORDINANCE REQUIREMENT:

Grading, excavating or filling activities, excluding small capacity rain gardens, involving the movement of more than fifty (50) cubic yards of material that is not in connection with another permitted use, or within shore or bluff impact zones involving the movement of more than ten (10) cubic yards of material, including but not limited to, rip rap, sand and gravel. Activities associated with the maintenance or improvement of public roads are exempt.

Conditional Use	Conditional Use Requirements
>50 cubic yards outside Bluff and Shore Impact Zones	<u>Parcels > 20 ac:</u> Scaled site plan w/ 10-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography. As-Built upon completion.
	Site Plan(s) and As-Built completed by a surveyor or engineer.

TOWNSHIP BOARD NOTIFICATION

The applicant contacted Cyndi Jirik, Derrynane Township Board member on July 3, 2015.

SITE INFORMATION

LOCATION: 78.5 acre parcel, Section 3, Derrynane Township.

ZONING: Special Protection "SP" District (un-named stream), Flood Fringe Overlay District.

GENERAL SITE DESCRIPTION: Existing building site, wetlands

ACCESS: Existing access off 280th St (Hwy 19)

EXISTING LAND USE WITHIN ¼ MILE:

North:Ag Land/Scott CountySouth:Wetlands/AgEast:AgWest:Ag

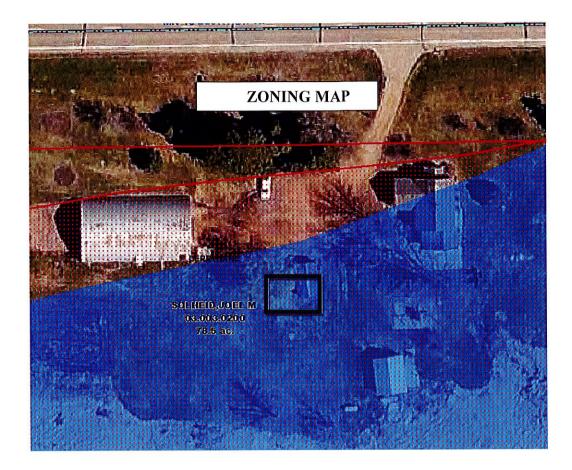
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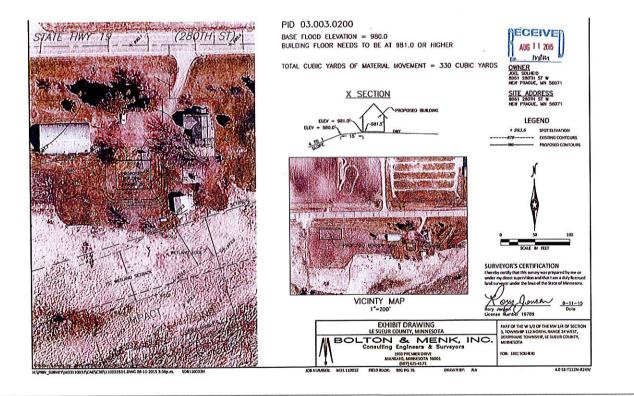
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AERIAL PHOTOS /SITE PLAN







ATTACHMENTS

Application, Letter LSC Resource Specialist, Survey, Narrative, Erosion Control Plan, Building Plans

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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. A D NA
- 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. A D NA
- The adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been or are being provided.
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- 4. The 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. A D NA

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

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									Conditional Use Permit Request: Request that the County grant a Conditional Use Permit to allow grading, excavating, and filling of 330 cubic yards of material outside the shore impact zone in a Special Protection "SP" District, on an un-named stream. Property is located in the W 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 3, Derrynane Township.
									Date: Sept. 10, 2015
	ΤĒ	ROLL CALL VOTE		RO					Applicant: ERIC SOLHEID CONSTRUCTION OWNER: JOEL & DEBBIE SOLHEID
									LE SUEUK COUNTY CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT CRITERIA PERMIT # 15193

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).

I.	Name Eric Solherd Const
	Mailing Address 312 Lyndale Hve
	City New Progree State Mr. Zip 56071
	Phone # Phone # $Cell 952-292-0924$
II.	Landowner:
	Name Sue CDebble Julier
	Mailing Address 8961 2804 Sty
	City New Pragne State Mn Zip 56071
	Property Address 8961 280^{+1} 5^{+1}
	Property Address 8961 280 Stw
1.	City New Prague State mn Zip 56071
М	3 Phone # <u>93 2 575 * 427 919</u> Phone #
111.	Parcel Information:
111.	Parcel Number 03.003.0200 Parcel Acreage 78.5
	Attach Full Legal Description (NOT abbreviated description from tax statement)
	Township Derrynane Section
	Subdivision Lot Block
IV.	Township Notification: Township must be notified of proposed use prior to application
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(Township	o Name)		(Date)
Board Member _	Cyndi	<u>Sirik</u> regar	ding the proposed use.
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V. Quantities and Submittal Formats:

- a. One (1) reproducible 8.5" x 11" copy of the request and all other supporting documents. 33
- b. Twenty Three (29) 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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vi. rees: must be paid at the time of application.

Conditional	Use	Permit
Filing Fee		

\$ 750 After-The-Fact fee is <u>doubled</u>.
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Additional Fees:Special Meeting\$ 2,000After-The-Fact Penalty\$ 1,500OR 10% of improvement, whichever is greater

VII. Type of Request: Grading, Excavating or Filling.

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□ 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.
 - 1. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT: _____
 - 2. ADVERSE IMPACT ON SURROUNDING AREAS: _____
 - 3. STORMWATER RUNOFF: _____

4. DOES ANY PART OF THE PROJECT EXTEND BELOW OHWL:

- 5. WETLAND IMPACT: ______
- 6. SLOPE STABILITY:
- 7. CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE:
- 8. MEET ALL APPLICABLE COUNTY STATE & FEDERAL REGULATIONS: (For example additional licensing and/or permitting)

IX. Site Plan: Shall include but not limited to the following:

- Parcels < 5 AC = 2-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.
- Parcels 5-20 AC = 5-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.
- Parcels >20 AC = 10-foot contours depicting existing and proposed topography.
- Location of grading, excavating, and/or filling sites.
- Location of areas for obtaining fill or disposing of excavated materials.

Lake

- 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).
- North point
- Setbacks
- River
 S
 Wetland
- Property Lines
 Wetland
 Road Right-Of-Way
 Stream
- Landscape, screening and buffering
- Proposed Structures Lot Dimensions

Existing Structures

- Ponds
- Access (size & location)
 Easements

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Drainage

Septic system

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.
- c. 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
- g. Erosion Control Plan-Attach completed and signed plan including map.
- h. **Restoration Plan-**See Part X for full details and requirements.
 - -ri. 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 by 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.

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Applicant signature

<u>8-6-15</u>

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.

Owner signature

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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:

To: Le Sueur County Planning and Zoning Commission

From: Joshua Mankowski, Environmental Resources Specialist

Applicant: Eric Solheid Construction

Property owner: Joel & Debbie Solheid

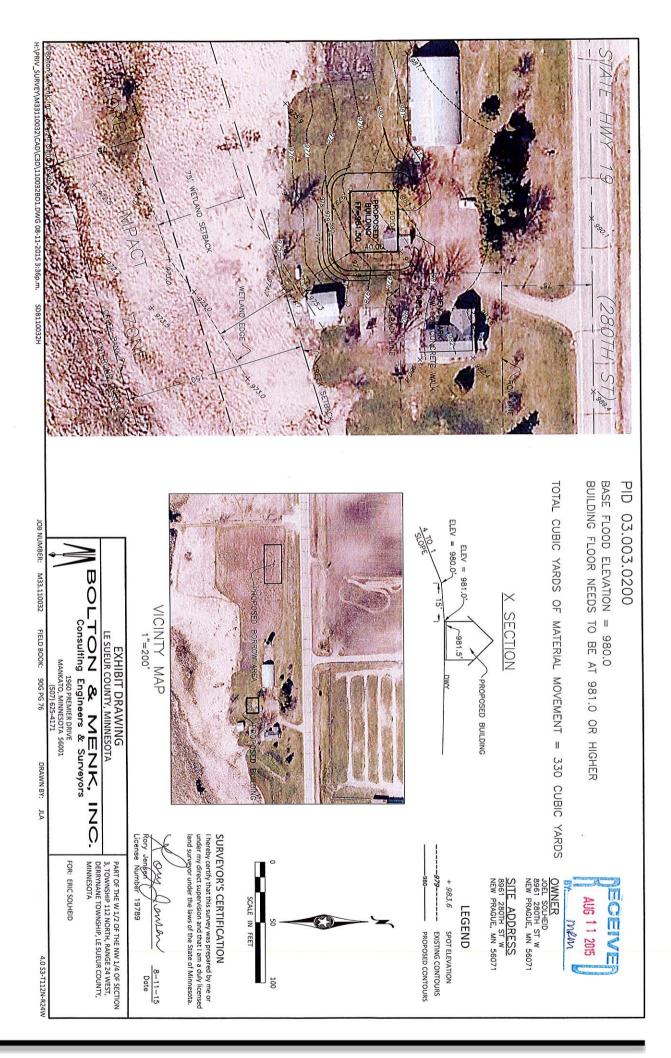
Property: 03.003.0200

Description: To allow for the excavation, grading and filling of 330 Cubic Yards of material to create a building pad for a 40x50 ft shed.

Recommendation: I recommend the approval of the Conditional Use Permit for the excavation, grading and filling of 330 Cubic Yards of material.

Sincerely, 25

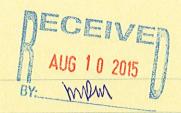
Joshua Mankowski Le Sueur County Environmental Resources Specialist



CEIVE A. full Despiription of Project AUG 1 0 2015 The project has been serveyed to make sure it reaches above and beyond the 100 year flood plain. Vick Braith is going to come in and dig footings for the 40×50' Shed. Then Deke Concrete is going to Come in and pour 16 wided 8" Jootings and Lay 4 courses of block. Then Eric Solheid Const. is going to put 2" Joan on the inside of the Bokh. Braith excauating will come back and back fill the pad inside and out. He will be moving approximately Cubic yards of Material. As it is being moved in # from the faile to the West it will be compacted in stages. There will also the Silt fence set up at both sites to protect the exosion from going into the wetlands if it does rain. After that is all done Eric Julheid Const. will build the exterior wall out of 2×6 at 16" on center. They will have 1/2 OSB Sheating and Typek on it. The roof trusses will be 2'on Center with 5/8 OSB on them. The roop will have Image IT Steel rooking on it also with L.P. Siding on the walls. Connelly plumbing and heating will come in and Install the infloor heat for the whole building. There will be 2" for under that also Oelke Concrete will pour & 4" thick floor on top of that. The Shed will be fully Insulated by Gibbs insulation walls and Calling.

AUG 1 0 2015 men The ceiting will have tin on the ceiling and sheetroch on the walls. While this is going on Brauth executing will come in and du the first grade to get it to the same height as the garage floor and at 16 feet out from the building. Thus creating like island around the stat ther Sh also be a tree plant to the west of the new shed and south of the existing Shed is getting planded cause we removed one the new shed is going. The dirt that got moved in is going to be respected or sod this gear yet. After the project is done BBdton and menk are going to come out and resurvey the project to make sure Im above the 100 year flood plain. gupment used Braith excavating Backhove Bulldozer umptruch Eric Sulhei Const Forkit Oetke concrete Bobcat

VIII Description of Request



1. Environmental Impact - There will be no impact on the environment Bdue to we are bar enough away from the wetland. We cut down 71 free and Joel will be planting anothe one in the yard. Adverse impact on Surrounding Areas -2. We are up dateing buildings on & Joels place So we can store Vechiles inside insted of outside. This way the salt run off is in the garage instead of out Side. 3. Stormwater runoff - All Stormwater run fift we be diverted to the wetland area. This way it will make more water for the Ducks and geese. There will also be gutters on the building so it will not croide the Soil. All new Soil brought in will either be seeded or sod. 4. The only part that will extend below the OHWL will be the footings. 3. Wetland Impact . We will not be doing anything in the wetland so there will Bnot be any impact. Also no soil runolly cause it will be seeded or Sod. 6. Sto Slope Stability-The garage floor will be higher then the 100 year mark. Also 16' feet around the building will the Like a Iskind at the same height.

7. Certificate of Ins. - There will be no Insurance on the building until it is finished. So this is not Accibal 8. There will be Licensing for the electrical work performed at the building

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:	Tuel	«Debbie	Sulled	PID [.]	03.003.	0200
Mailing Address:	8961	280-2 St	West			
Property Address:	8961	280 th St	west			
Phone:()		M	obile/Cell: (95)) 393	3-4745	
Responsible party f	for Impleme	ntation/Inspection	Enc Sa	Leid		
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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.
- 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:
 - Straw/Coconut Blanket or High Velocity Wood Blanket 2:1 slopes or steeper Wood or Straw Blanket with net on both sides 3:1 slopes or steeper Wood or Straw Mulch blanket with net on one side 4:1 slopes or steeper Straw Mulch w/disc anchoring Flat areas
- 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 1st. 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.
- 14. 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.

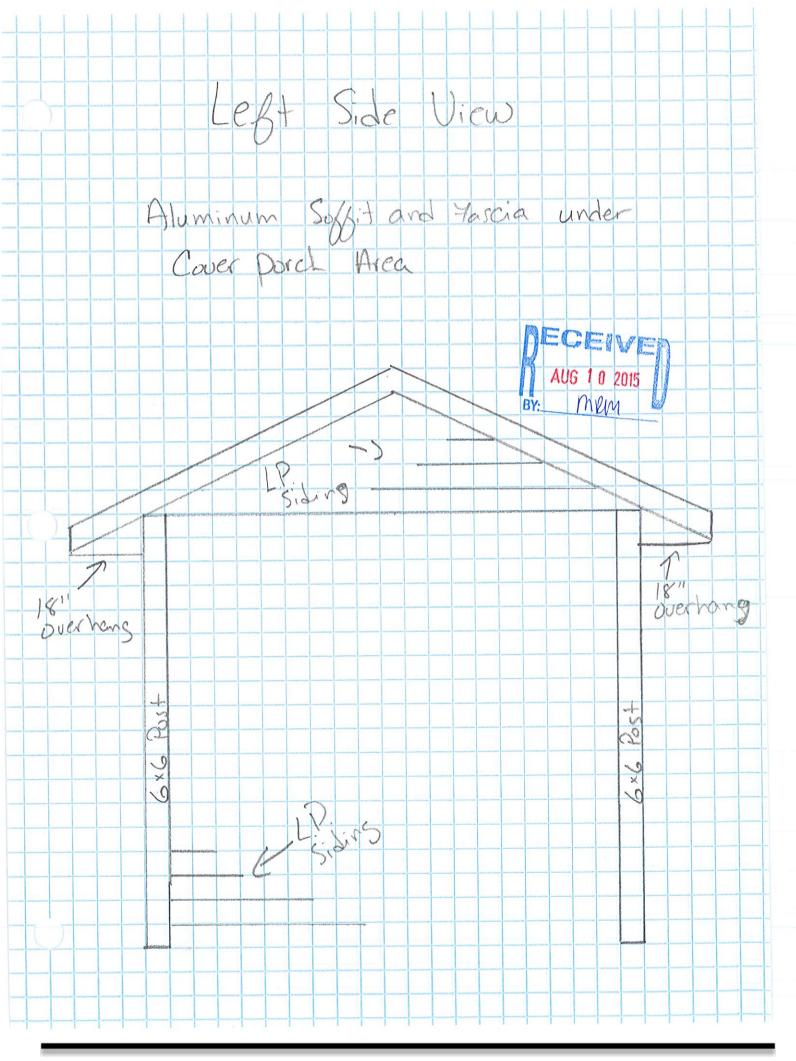
I agree to install, inspect and maintain the above practices to accomplish the goal of preventing erosion.

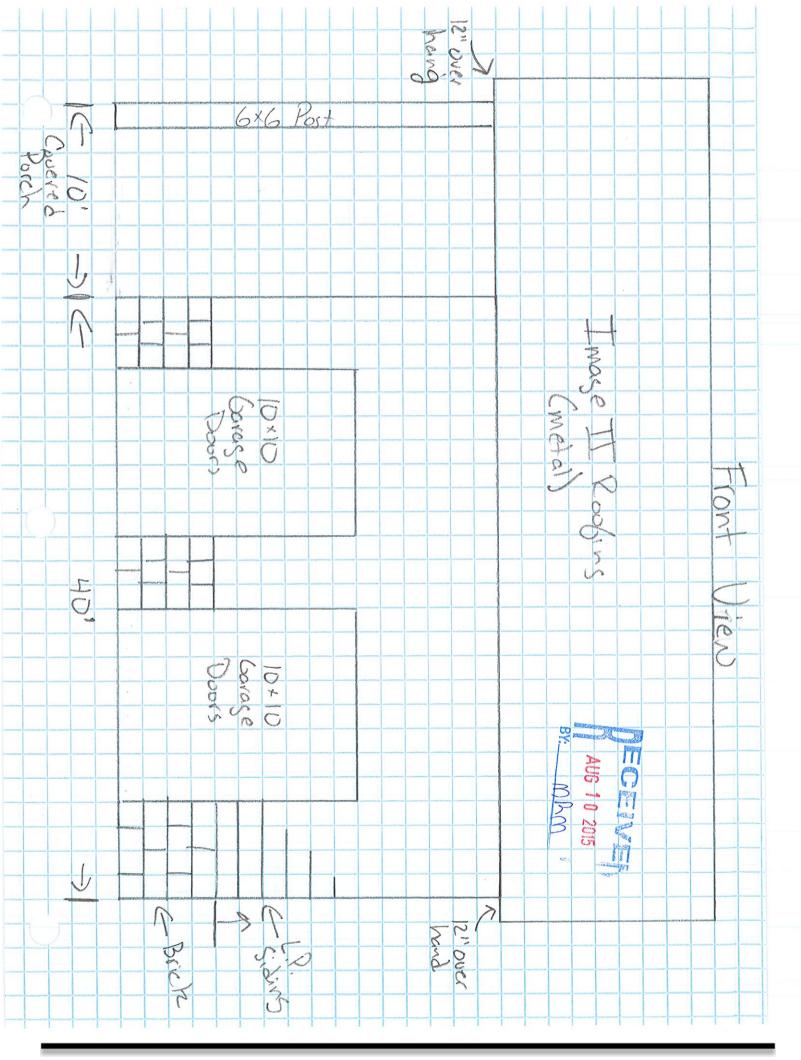
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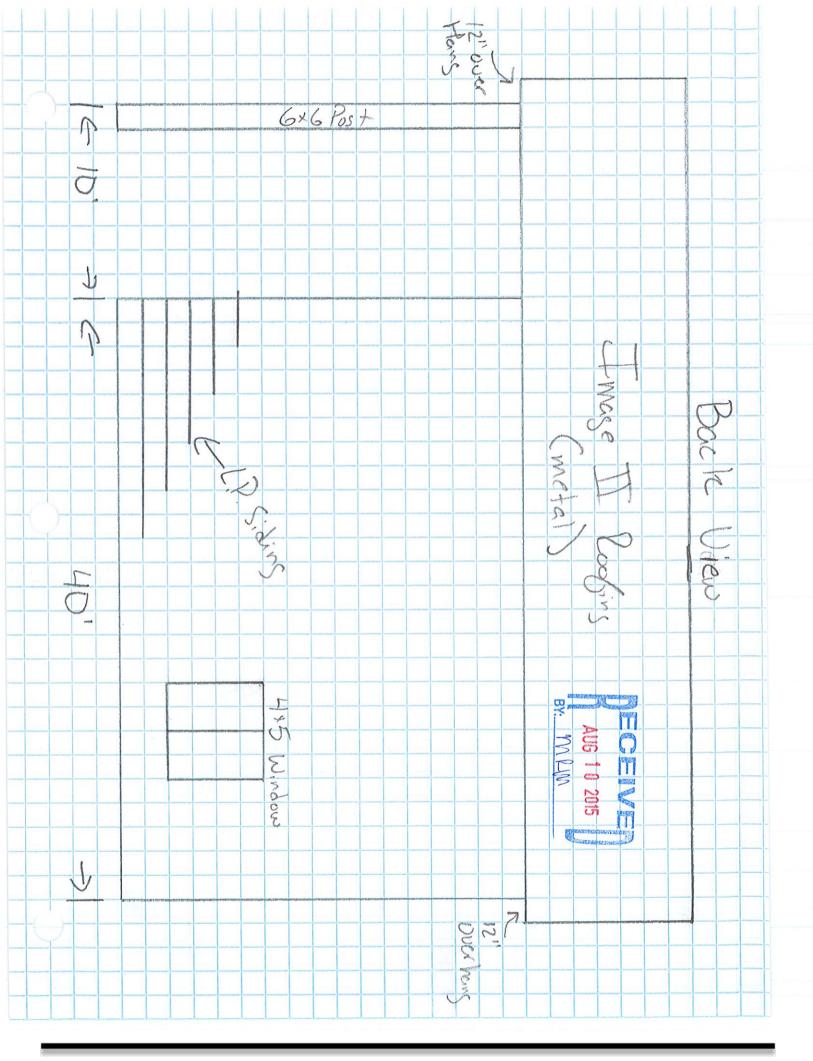
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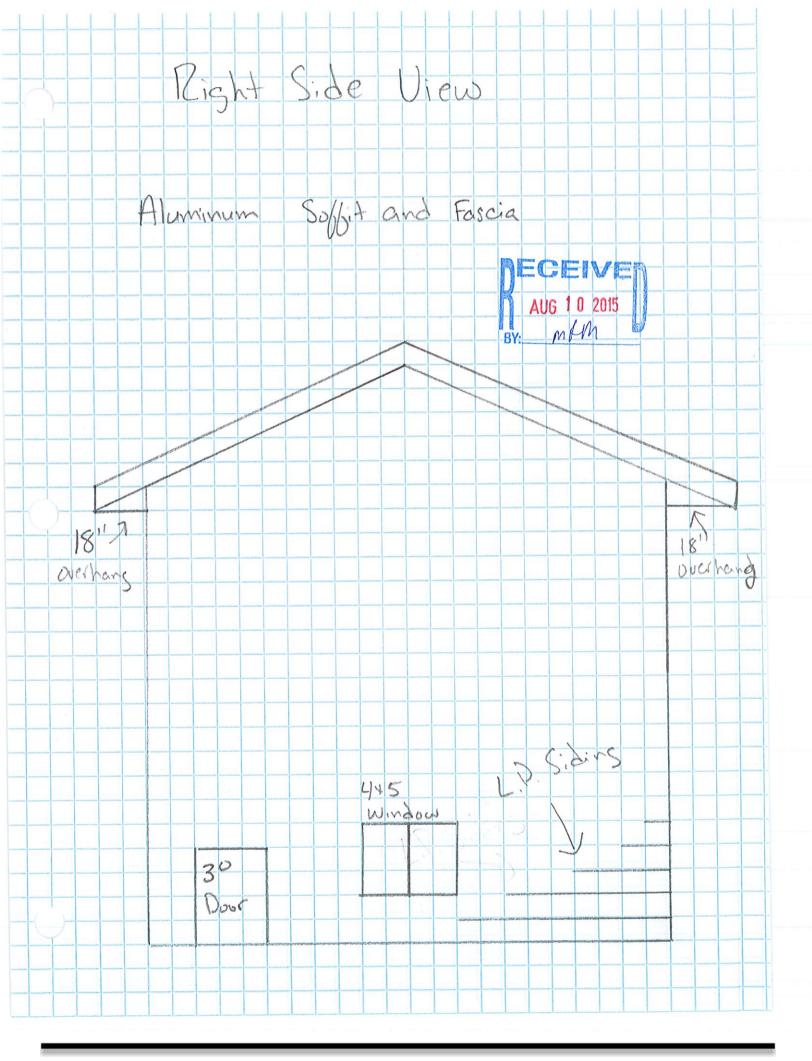
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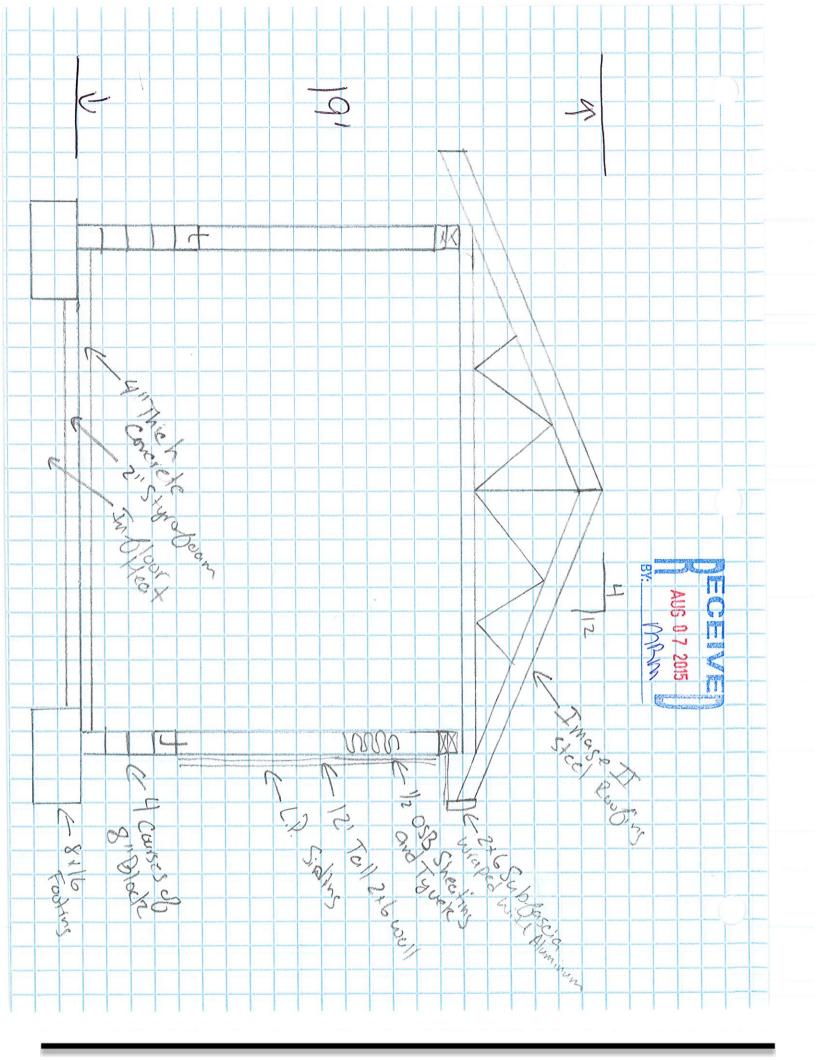
If you have any questions, please contact Environmental Services, at 507-357-8538.

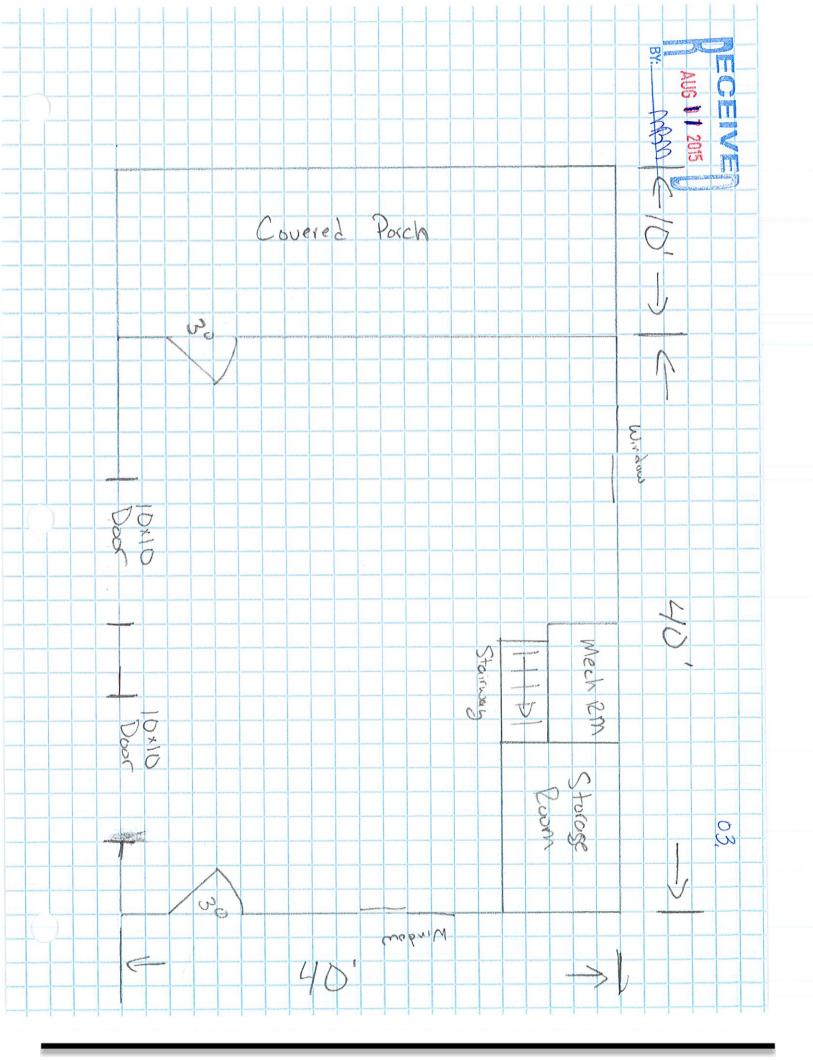














Le Sueur County, MN

Thursday, September 10, 2015 Regular session

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Planning and Zoning Commission Draft Minutes

Staff Contact: Kathy Brockway or Michelle Mettler

LE SUEUR COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION 88 SOUTH PARK AVE. LE CENTER, MINNESOTA 56057 August 13, 2015

MEMBERS PRESENT:	Don Reak, Jeanne Doheny, Don Rynda, Shirley Katzenmeyer, Steve Olson, Al Gehrke, Betty Bruzek, Pam Tietz
MEMBERS ABSENT:	Chuck Retka, Doug Krenik

OTHERS PRESENT: Kathy Brockway, see list

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

ITEM #1: ROBERT & MONIKA RIVERS, MONTGOMERY, MN, (APPLICANT/OWNER): Request that the County grant a Conditional Use Permit to allow grading, excavating and filling of 2 cubic yards of material in the bluff for the construction of a stairway in a Recreational Residential "RR" District on a Recreational Development "RD" lake, Greenleaf Lake. Property is located at Lot 3, Block 4, Greenleaf Lake Estates, Section 20, Montgomery Township.

Kathy Brockway presented power point presentation. Tim Poncin, representing the applicant was present for application.

TOWNSHIP: Notified through the application process, no comments DNR: none LETTERS: Le Sueur County Environmental Services Resource Specialist, see file

PUBLIC COMMENT: none

Discussion was held regarding: no impact to the bluff, minimal soil removal, 16 diamond piers installed with a jackhammer approximately 62" into the soil, no heavy machinery used, prefabricated piers, no tree removal, brush will be cleared out, existing pathway.

Findings by majority roll call vote:

- a. 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. <u>Agreed</u>
- b. 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. <u>Agreed</u>
- c. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities are being provided. <u>Agreed</u>
- d. 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>

Motion was made by Don Reak to approve the application with the following condition per the Environmental Services Resource Specialist recommendation that all exposed soils be stabilized Immediately once the work is completed. Seconded by Shirley Katzenmeyer. Motion approved. Motion carried.

ITEM #2: TIM & ANN WALSH, CLIVE IA, (APPLICANT/OWNER): Request that the County grant a Conditional Use Permit to allow grading, excavating and filling of approximately 6 cubic yards of material outside the shore impact zone, 69 cubic yards within the shore impact zone for a project total of 75 cubic yards and for the construction of 2 retaining walls in a Recreational Residential "RR" District, on a Recreational Development Lake, Lake Frances. Property is located at Lot 11, Warner's Subdivision, Section 33, Elysian Township.

Kathy Brockway presented power point presentation. Cory Atherton, contractor for the applicant was present for application.

TOWNSHIP: notified through the application process, no comments DNR: no comments LETTERS: Le Sueur County Environmental Resource Specialist, see file

PUBLIC COMMENT: none

Discussion was held regarding: some removal of impervious pavers and replace with pervious pavers, due to heavy rains last summer in the area, blocked culvert, drainage to the area came across their property and destroyed the patio/retaining walls, drainage issue has been resolved, erosion control methods in place, landscaping fabric, reducing the size of the patio, variances approved in May of 2015 to exceed 25% impervious surface, timeframe to complete project, about a week to week an ahalf.

Findings by majority roll call vote

- a. 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. <u>Agreed.</u>
- b. 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. <u>Agreed.</u>
- c. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities are being provided. Agreed.
- d. 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. <u>Agreed.</u>

Motion was made by Steve Olson to approve the application with the following conditions: 1) Use landscaping fabric in order to prevent future erosion. 2) Areas on the plan that are designated as vegetation buffers shall be planted with native plants. Seconded by Al Gehrke. Motion approved. Motion carried.

ITEM #3: CHRIS BIEHN, MANKATO, MN, (APPLICANT\OWNER): Requests that the County grant an After-The-Fact Conditional Use Permit to allow grading, excavating and filling of 114 cubic yards of material within the bluff, bluff impact zone and the construction of a retaining wall outside the shore impact zone in a Recreational Residential "RR" District on a Recreational Development "RD" lake, Lake Jefferson. Property is located in Government Lot 7, Section 4, Washington Township.

Kathy Brockway presented power point presentation. Chris Biehn was present for application. Rory Jensen, Surveyor.

TOWNSHIP: notified through the application process, no comments. DNR: no comments LETTERS: Le Sueur County Environmental Resource Specialist, see file

PUBLIC COMMENT: none

Discussion was held regarding: explained the reasoning behind the after the fact permit, renter asked to do some landscaping around his camper in order to correct an erosion problem behind his camper, the landowner did not realize the magnitude of the project until the project was complete, as the landowner does not live in the County, he is currently building a new home across from this property, history of parcel, Mr. Biehn inherited the property some 19 years ago, the gravel pad existed prior to owning the property, does not want to eliminate the existing pad as he wants to continue using it for his family access, the former lease is a contractor and should of known better, but it is the landowners responsibility to know what is happening on their property, it is now on the lease that no building, material movement etc is allowed without the owners knowledge of the project, discussion on type of rock used, plantings of hostas, day lilies, installation of rain garden, sandy beach.

Findings by majority roll call vote:

a. 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. <u>Agreed.</u>

- b. 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. <u>Agreed.</u>
- c. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other facilities have been provided. <u>Agreed.</u>
- d. Adequate measures have been 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>

Motion was made by Don Reak to approve the application with the following conditions. 1) Reduce the existing pad to 24 wide and the length no more than 2 car lengths to be utilized as an access to the site only, (Surveyor to provide the additional material movement amount prior to the County Board meeting on August 25), 2) The area shall be planted with native grasses in order to stabilize the soils. Seconded by Betty Bruzek. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Election of Officers:

Motion was made by Don Reak to re-elect the current officers if they are willing to accept the positions. Seconded by Al Gehrke. All accepted. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Don Reak to approve the minutes from the July 7,2015 meeting. Seconded by Don Rynda. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Al Gehrke to approve the minutes from the July 9, 2015 meeting by Seconded by Steve Olson. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn meeting by Pam Tietz. Seconded by Don Rynda. Motion approved. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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