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CITY OF CROSSLAKE

PLANNING COMMISSION/BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT July 28, 2023 9:00 A.M.

Crosslake City Hall 13888 Daggett Bay Rd, Crosslake MN 56442 (218) 692-2689

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Applicant: Crosslake Trio LLC

Authorized Agent: Jordan Severance, Superior Contracting Co LLC

Site Location: 35494 Co Rd 3, Crosslake, MN 56442

Request:

• Conditional Use Permit for an event center

Notification: Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Chapter 462, and the City of Crosslake Zoning Ordinance, you are hereby notified of a public hearing before the City of Crosslake Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment. Property owners have been notified according to MN State Statute 462 & published in the local newspaper. Please share this notice with any of your neighbors who may not have been notified by mail.

Information: Copies of the application and all maps, diagrams or documents are available at Crosslake City Hall or by contacting the Crosslake Planning & Zoning staff at 218-692-2689. Please submit your comments in writing including your name and mailing address to Crosslake City Hall or (crosslake.net).

Crosslake

STAFF REPORT

Property Owner/Applicant: Crosslake Trio LLC

Parcel Number(s): 14210755

Application Submitted: June 6, 2023

Action Deadline: August 4, 2023

City 60 Day Extension Letter sent / Deadline: NA / NA

Applicant Extension Received / Request: NA / NA

City Council Date: NA

Authorized Agent: Josh Severance, Superior Contracting Co LLC

Request:

Conditional Use Permit for an event center

Current Zoning: Limited Commercial

Adjacent Land Use/Zoning:

North – Downtown Commercial

South – Rural Residential 5 (RR5), Shoreland, Limited Commercial

East – Limited Commercial & Public

West - Limited Commercial

Parcel History:

- March 1987 CUP gift shop with rental space for office or similar
- June 1987 building 42'x24', garage 16'x24', septic
- June 1992 addition to back of building 36'x40'
- June 1996 update septic
- May 1998 36'x40' retail addition
- August 2004 connect to the municipal sewer system
- October 2022 change of use

City Ordinance:

Event center – Allowed in Limited Commercial zoning with an approved conditional use permit (Article 10, Sec. 26-281)

Agencies Notified and Responses Received:

County Highway Dept: No comment received before packet cutoff date

DNR: No comment received before packet cutoff date

City Engineer: N/A

Lake Association: No comment received before packet cutoff date

Crosslake Public Works: No comment received before packet cutoff date

Crosslake Park, Recreation & Library: N/A

Concerned Parties: No comment received before packet cutoff date

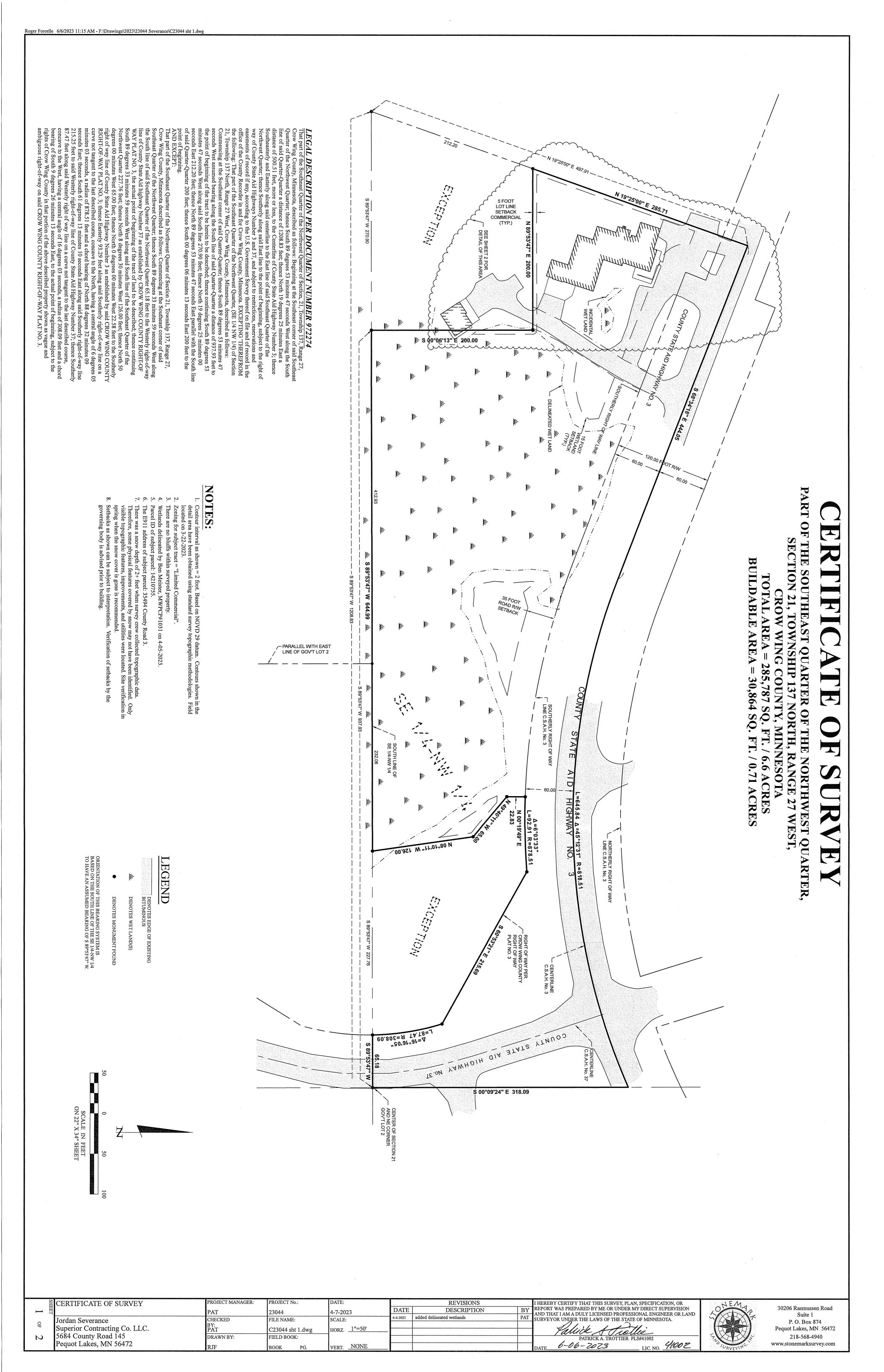
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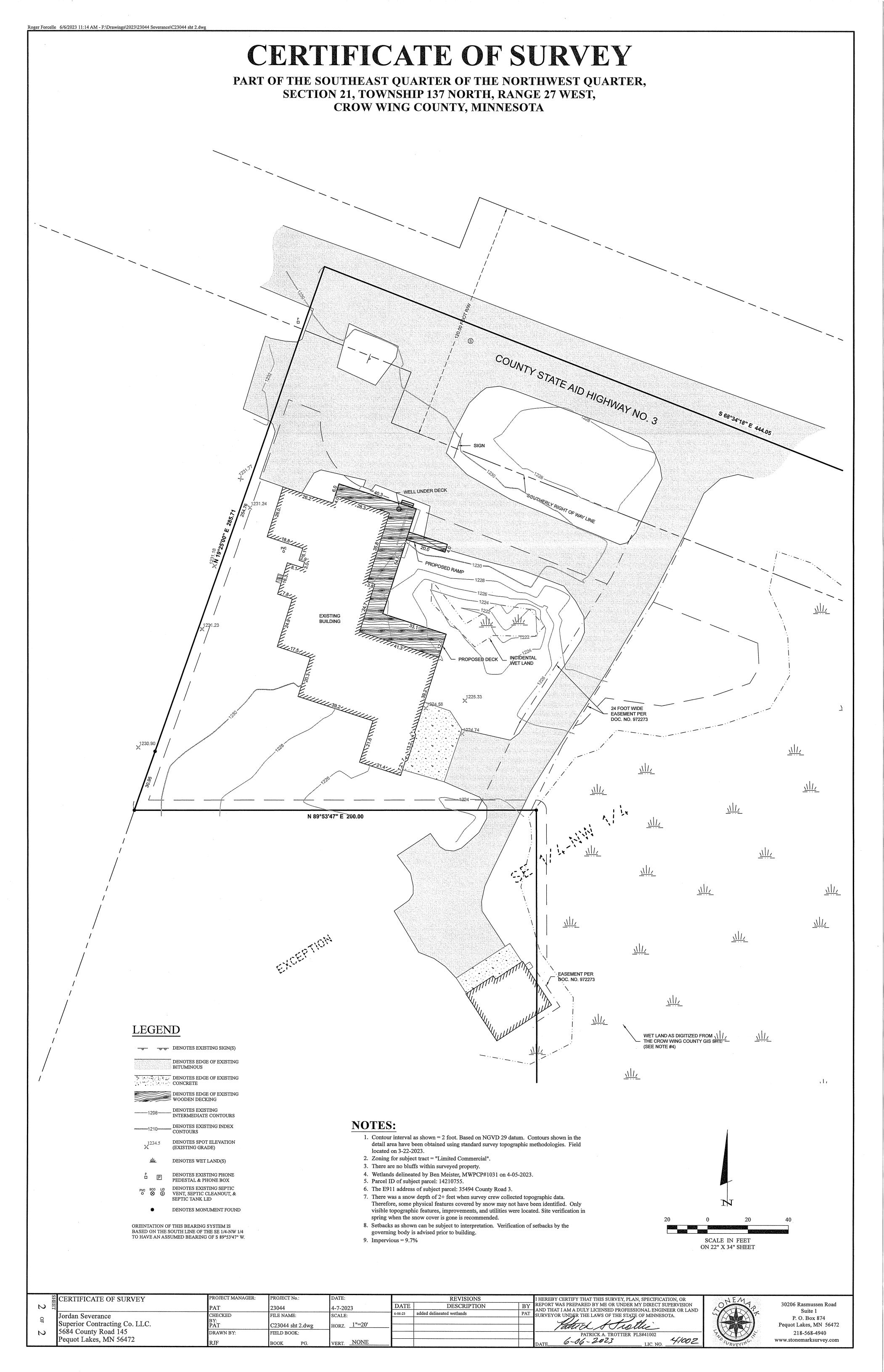
To approve/table/deny the Conditional Use Permit for an event center involving approximately 6.6 acres located at 35494 County Rd 3, City of Crosslake

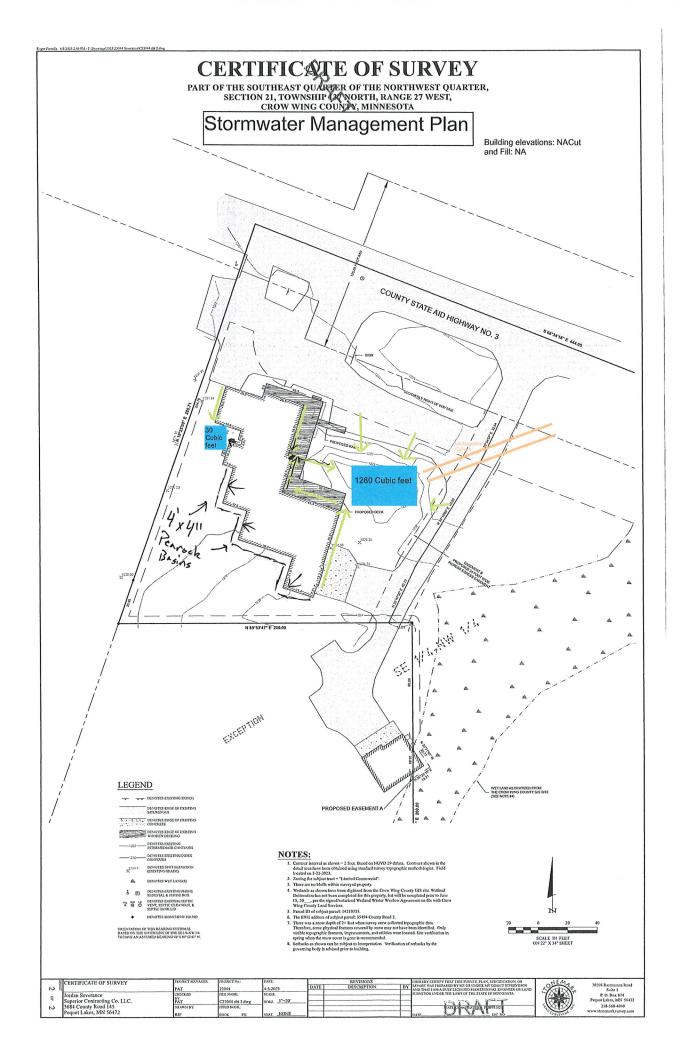
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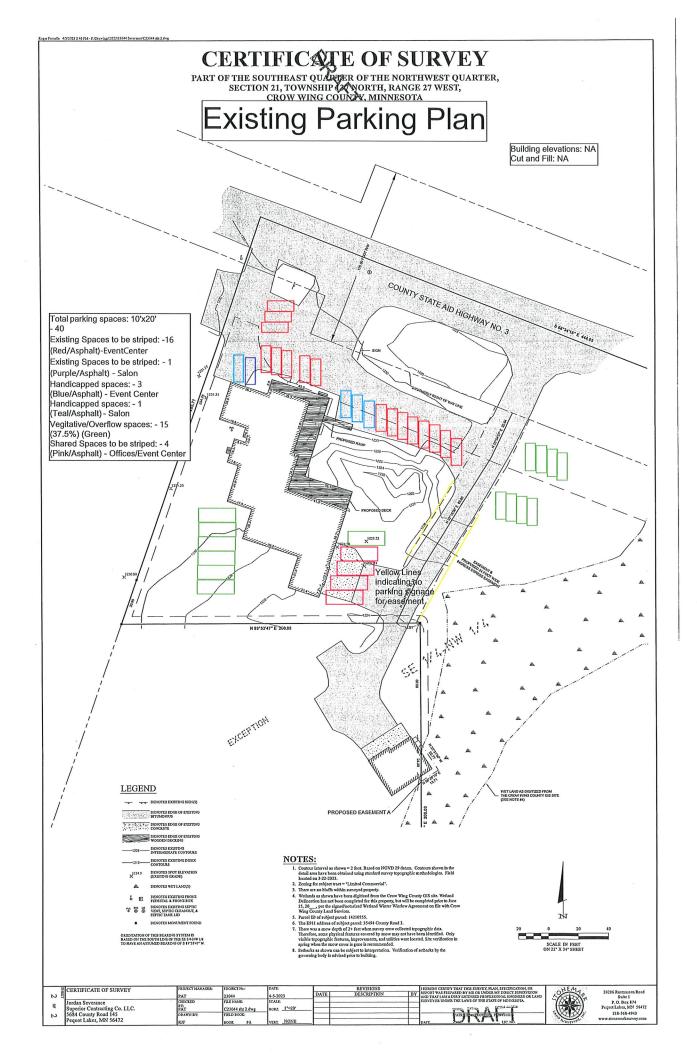
- 1. Work with staff to implement the submitted stormwater plan
- 2. Screening requirements per Chapter 26 Land Use Article 28, Sec. 26-738
- 3. Limit temporary structures: size, height, number, types, duration



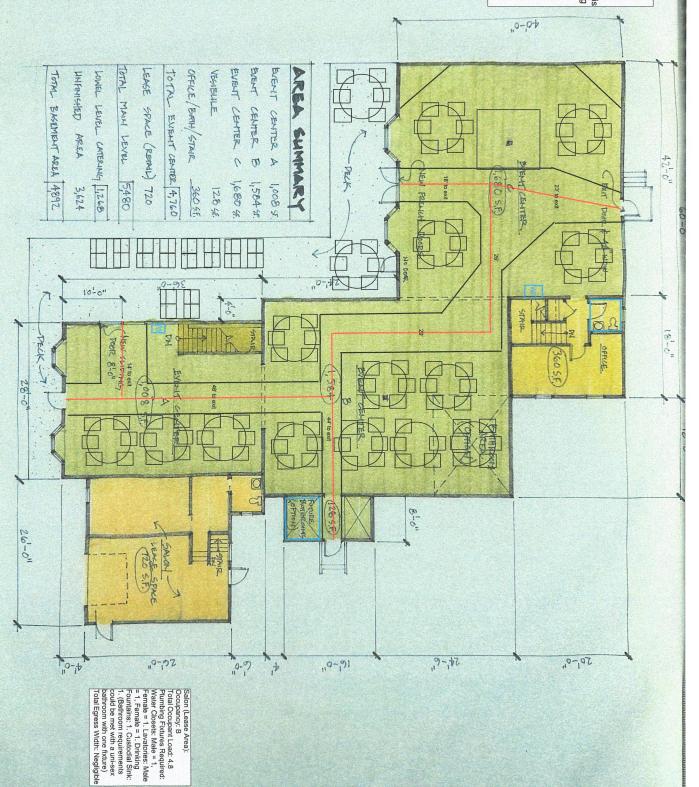






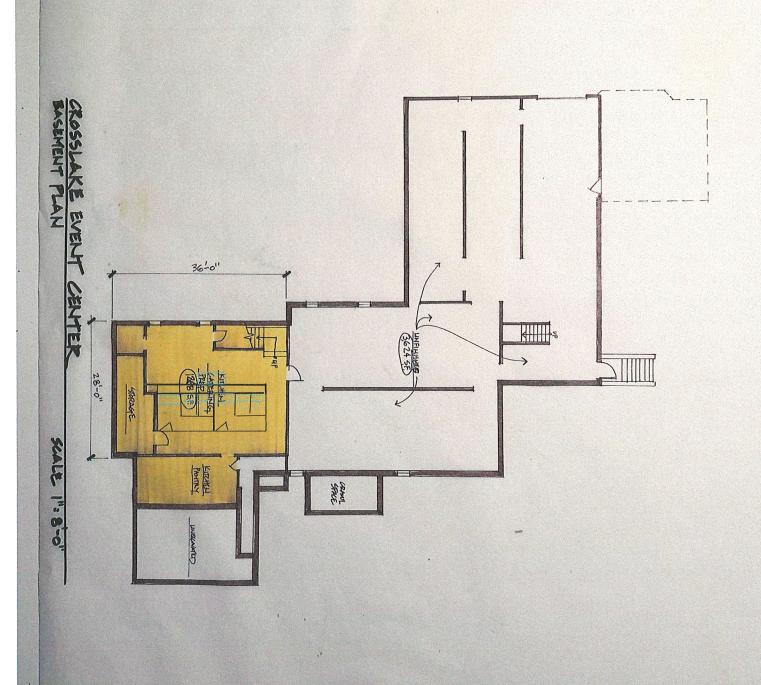


Event Center:
Occupancy: A-3
Total Occupant Load: 874 Maximum
(this is calculated using assembly,
standing factor of 1 occ per 5 sf).
Occupancy Allowed: 152 Maximum (this
is a limiting occ set based upon existing
parking layout)
Seating Occupant Load:116
Standing Occupant Load:36
Plumbing Fixtures Required: Water
Closets: Male = 3, Female = 3.
Lavatories: Male = 3, Female = 3.
Drinking Fountains: 2. Custodial Sink:1
Total Egress Width: 175"



CROSSLAKE EVENT CENTER

SCALE 1"8 8'-0"





City of Crosslake, Minnesota FIRE DEPARTMENT



June 9, 2023

Crosslake Planning and Zoning 13888 Daggett Bay Road Crosslake, MN 56442

RE: 35494 CR 3 - Crosslake (Event Center)

To the City Planning & Zoning Department,

I have inspected the Plans and have found no issues with the proposed plan and the Occupancy Class of A-3. The occupancy load for this structure is 160. This is based off seating and standing Occupant Load Calculations.

I have met with Jordan Severance the Project Manager and have discussed Fire Extinguisher Locations along with Exit Signage.

Once the project is complete, I will inspect the structure for occupancy.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Chip Lohmiller
Fire Chief/Emergency Manager
Crosslake Fire Department
612-868-6744
Chief1@crosslake.net

CC: Jordan Severance

Planning & Zoning Staff,

My wife and I own a townhome at Riverwood Association. The address is 35431 Riverwood Ct. We have several comments and questions concerning the Conditional Use Hearing for the proposed event center.

- 1) The City Council didn't even know about this. How can this be? Is it a case of the right hand not knowing what the left hand is doing? As property owners, we just received the letter, so we didn't even have time to bring it before the City Council. The Conditional Use Permit was applied for on June 6 but it was completed & filled out on March 15. It was not registered with Char Nelson until June 6. The last City Council meeting was July 11, nothing was brought up then as the Council didn't even know about it. The Hearing will be held on July 28 so there will be no City Council meeting before then. So the residents only have a 2 week window & only a public hearing that we can say anything about the event center? To me, it looks like the developers are trying to get this built without anyone knowing.
- 2) This was just dropped on the adjoining property owners with little time to bring objections to the Hearing. That leaves only about 2 weeks to respond to Planning & Zoning
- 3) Why is construction already being conducted on a building that doesn't have approval for a conditional use permit? Did somebody give the go ahead to begin construction even before a permit **might** be granted?
- 4) The application only addresses the benefit to business owners. There is nothing that addresses the concerns of residents. This will bring much noise & chaos to a residential area. When Judy's House of Gifts was built it did not add a lot of traffic & noise. This is an entirely different type of business, with many more people & traffic in the area.

You are trying to bring in more business when you are also adding a Loon Center, which has no parking and no place for people to stay. The 3 hotels are frequently full. This will be chaos, with the proposed roundabout, which totally messes up ingress & egress for the Riverwood residents & now we are to add an event center. What we are trying to do is make the small tourist town of Crosslake into something you would find in the Twin Cities Metro.

We have a few comments to the Findings of Facts.

- #1 This event center will affect the health, safety & general welfare of Riverwood townhome residents by increasing traffic & noise. **it forgets that this is a residential area.** There are 24 units at Riverwood. All residents enjoy the quiet of the area. This only addresses revenue for businesses.
- #4 We believe it would affect property values. People that buy Riverwood Townhomes are attracted because of the quiet neighborhood & the closeness to town. The neighborhood is already saturated, especially with the proposed Loon Center, which will bring thousands to an already congested area. Employment opportunities was also mentioned but there is already a housing shortage. Where will people live? We believe this will affect property values at Riverwood Townhomes.
- #5 With the proposed roundabout coming next year, this will certainly affect ingress & egress from Riverwood Townhomes. Riverwood Townhome residents will have a more difficult time getting onto Co. Rd. 3 with the roundabout. There will be more traffic with an event center & the Loon Center. More chaos, more noise, the end of a guiet neighborhood.

Thank you,

Tim & Chris Rosinger lakedoc@crosslake.net 218-260-0060

12087 Pinedale St. Crosslake, MN 56442 From: Pete Gansen
To: "Cheryl"

Subject: FW: Event Center public hearing
Date: Monday, July 17, 2023 8:43:45 AM

Good morning Cheryl, could you please add this to the comments for the J.HOG event center CUP app.

Thanks

From: Engle [mailto:engle@emily.net]
Sent: Friday, July 14, 2023 4:54 PM

To: pgansen@crosslake.net

Subject: Event Center public hearing

Hi,

As an owner of the adjacent Riverwood Townhomes, I'm in no way opposed to their desired use, but I hope you will keep the "quiet enjoyment" of our property in mind (no music we can hear, quiet hours after 10 pm, etc.) when you specify the permit requirements.

Since parking in town may become an issue due to the Loon Center, I would ask if 40 spaces on-site will be adequate for the 160 max occupants expected? 4 people/car???

It doesn't appear there's much room for any additional spaces on-site due to the wetland areas. Would parking be permitted along Hwy 3? Could more be added somewhere or arranged with the bank or Dollar General, if necessary?

No reply required, just please consider my concerns when drafting the permit!

Thanks.
Julie Engle
35443 Riverwood Ct.



Conditional/Interim Use Permit Application
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	Permit Number:	230115
Property Owner(s): Crosslake Trio LLC		applicable requests)
Mailing Address: 35494 Co Rd 3 Crosslake MN 56442	Specify	ial & RelatedUses: d District
Site Address: 35494 Co Rd 3 Crosslake MN 56442	☐ Rural Re	sidential District (5 A Min.) Shoreland District
Phone Number: 6126079714	☐ Downtov	Commercial District vn Commercial District
E-Mail Address: Conrad@ccm.com		nt Commercial District cial/Light Industrial District
Parcel Number(s): 14210755	Recreation Specify	onal Uses:
Legal Description: SE1/4 OF NW1/4		d District sidential District (5 A Min.) Commercial District
Sec. 21 Twp 137 Rge 26		nt Commercial District cial/Light Industrial District
Land Involved: Width: 428 Length: 1137 Acres: 6.55	Specify Civic, Ed	u & Institutional Uses:
Lake/River Name: Na		idential District (5 A Min.)
Do you own land adjacent to this parcel(s)? Yes No	☐ Waterfrom	Commercial District nt Commercial District ial/Light Industrial District
If yes, list Parcel Number(s)		cial & Industrial Uses:
Authorized Agent: Superior Contracting Co LLC	Specify Event Shoreland	District
Agent Address: 5684 County Rd 145 Pequot Lakes MN 56472	☐ Sensitive	idential District (5 A Min.) Shoreland District commercial District
Agent Phone Number: 2183309461	☐ Downtow	n Commercial District
		ial/Light Industrial District
Signature of Property Owner(s)		Date 3/15/23
Signature of Authorized Agent(s)		Date 3/15/23
 All applications must be accompanied by a site plan Fee \$500 for Residential and Commercial Payable to "City of Cross No decisions were made on an applicant's request at the DRT meeti does not constitute approval. Approval or denial of applications is a Commission/Board of Adjustment at a public meeting as per Minne Land Use Ordinance. 	ng. Submittal of a letermined by the l	Planning
For Office Use: Application accepted by C5 Date 6.6.23 Land Use Di	istrict	Lake Class na
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City of Crosslake Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment Conditional Use Permit Application

Findings of Fact

Supporting/Denying a Conditional Use Permit Request

Findings shall be made in either recommending approval or denial of a Conditional Use Permit application, and should reference Chapter 26, Article 7 of the City of Crosslake Ordinance. The following questions are to be considered, but are not limited to:

(1)	the surrounding neighborhood? YES NO Why? This business will help generate a more favorable local economy by bringing another
	desirable attraction to the area, further increasing revenues for local businesses which we
	believe will help create a healthier, safer and flourishing community.
(2)	Does the proposed use meet the standards of this Chapter? YES NO NO
	Why? We have reviewed Chapter 26 of the City of Crosslake Ordinance and the Crosslake
	Comprehensive plan and believe it to meet all standards and expectations set.
(3)	Will the proposed use meet goals and policies adopted within the Crosslake Comprehensive Plan? YES NO NO
	Why? We find the new proposed use will be a functional addition to the local business
	community while repurposing an existing structure that has been involved in the area for over
	30 years.
(4)	Will the proposed use adversely affect property values and future development of the land in the surrounding neighborhood? YES NO Why? We believe the location and function of the building will add value to the surrounding
	businesses in the area, further increasing the local economical value of those surrounding. The
	attraction of additional customers servers to help both existing businesses with increased
	revenue streams as well as new local employment opportunities.
(5)	Will the proposed negatively impact public utility, public services, roads and schools? YES NO NO Why? We don't believe the addition of an event center will receptively impact any addition of the services.
	Why? We don't believe the addition of an event center will negatively impact any public utility, services, roads or schools due to the location and layout of the entrances and exits of the
	property.

(0)	will the proposed use impact the environment adversely, considering its impact on
	groundwater, surface water and air quality? YES NO
	Why? There is no changes that will negatively impact the ground water, surface water or air
	quality with the addition of this business. All stormwater management and waste management
	been accounted for.
(7)	Are the water supply, public sewer or subsurface sewage treatment system facilities, erosion control and stormwater management provided for pursuant to applicable
	standards of the Ordinance?
	YES NO NO
	Why? The existing well with additional public sewer hook up are available to the existing
	structure. The stormwater management guidelines have been reviewed and applied with
	changes having been implemented.

City of Crosslake Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment

Conditional Use Permit Application

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(1)	Will the proposed use impact the health, safety, and general welfare of the occupants in the surrounding neighborhood? YES NO Why?
(2)	Does the proposed use meet the standards of this Chapter? YES NO Why?
(3)	Will the proposed use meet goals and policies adopted within the Crosslake Comprehensive Plan? YES NO Why?
(4)	Will the proposed use adversely affect property values and future development of the land in the surrounding neighborhood? YES NO Why?
(5)	Will the proposed negatively impact public utility, public services, roads and schools? YES NO Why?

(6)	Will the proposed use impact the environment adversely, considering its impact on
	groundwater, surface water and air quality?
	YES NO
	Why?
(7)	Are the water supply, public sewer or subsurface sewage treatment system facilities,
	erosion control and stormwater management provided for pursuant to applicable
	standards of the Ordinance?
	YES NO NO
	Why?