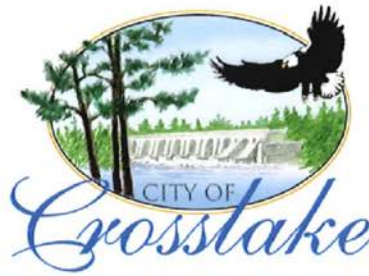


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CITY OF CROSSLAKE

PLANNING COMMISSION/BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

August 25, 2023

9:00 A.M.

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

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Applicant: Dennis L & Jeffrey A Prestholdt

Authorized Agent: N/A

Site Location: 12348 Arrowhead Lane, Crosslake, MN 56442 on Crosslake - GD

Variance for:

- Lake setback of 68 feet where 75 feet is required to proposed septic tank
- Side yard setback of 5 feet where 10 feet is required to proposed septic drainfield

To construct:

- A new septic system

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 (crosslakepz@crosslake.net).



STAFF REPORT

Property Owner/Applicant: Dennis L & Jeffrey A Prestholdt

Parcel Number(s): 14300687

Application Submitted: July 7, 2023

Action Deadline: September 4, 2023

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

Applicant Extension Received / Request: NA / NA

City Council Date: NA

Authorized Agent: N/A

Variance for:

- Lake setback of 68 feet where 75 feet is required to proposed septic tank
- Side yard setback of 5 feet where 10 feet is required to proposed septic drainfield

To construct:

- A new septic system

Current Zoning: Shoreland District

Existing Impervious Coverage:

20.7%

Proposed Impervious Coverage:

20.7%

- A stormwater management plan was submitted with the variance application
- Septic design was submitted for approval pending variance outcome

Parcel History:

- Barthel's Subdivision Plat established in 1970
- July 1972 – Boathouse 14x24
- August 1981 – Garage
- July 1994 – Update septic
- December 2004 – Construct an addition onto an existing cabin at less than the required 75 ft setback from a General Development Lake
- March 2005 – Construct addition to existing cabin: 384 sq ft covered porch; 1,024 sq ft second floor addition

Agencies Notified and Responses Received:

County Highway Dept: N/A

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

POSSIBLE MOTION:

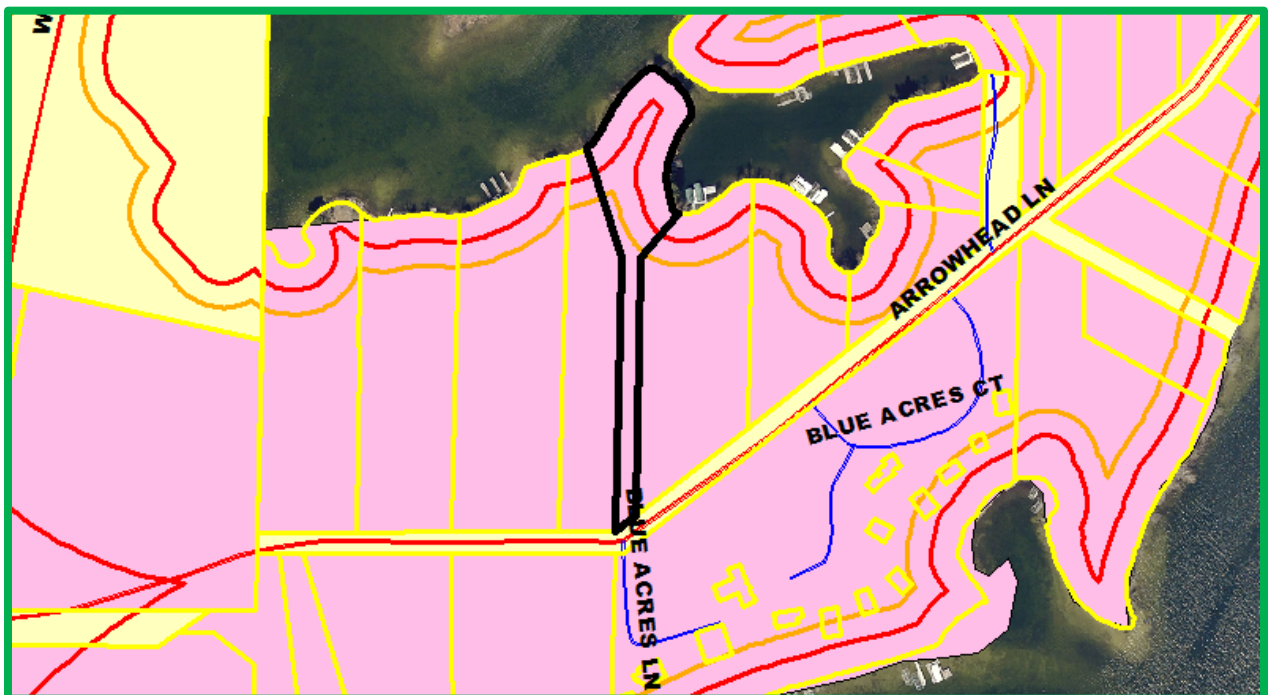
To approve/table/deny the variance to allow:

- Lake setback of 68 feet where 75 feet is required to proposed septic tank
- Side yard setback of 5 feet where 10 feet is required to proposed septic drainfield

To construct:

- A new septic system

As shown on the certificate of survey dated 7-25-2023



Crow Wing County Trench/Pressure Bed Design

Property Owner: Dennis & Jeffrey Prestholdt

Date: 5/30/2023

Mailing Address: 12348 Arrowhead Lane

City: Crosslake

State: MN

Zip: 56442

Home Phone Number:

Cell: 505-353-1000

Site Address: 12348 Arrowhead Lane

City: Crosslake

State: MN

Zip: 56442

Driving directions if no address issued:

Legal Description: Lot 1 Block 1

Sec: 30

Twp: 137

Range: 27

Twp Name: Crosslake

Parcel Number: 14300687

Lake/ River: Cross

Lake/River Classification: GD

Flow Data

Number of Bedrooms: 3

Dwelling Classification: I

System Type: I

GPD: 450

Estimated Flow in Gallons per Day (GPD)			
Bedrooms	Class I	Class II	Class III
2	300	225	180
3	450	300	218
4	600	375	256
5	750	450	294
6	900	525	332
7	1050	600	370
8	1200	675	408

Wells

Deep Well: Existing Deep

Shallow Well: None

Wells to be sealed (if applicable)? n/a

Setbacks

Tank(s) to: Well 50'

House 10'+

Property Line 10'

Drainfield to: Well 50'

House 20'+

Property Line 5'

Sewer Line to well: 50'

Air Test: No

Additional System Notes and Information: Pump & remove existing tank.

Asking for variance to reduce tank to OHWL setback & side lot setback.

Designer Name: Amy A Wannebo

License Number: 1840

Address: 37753 Ox Lake Landing

City: Crosslake

State: MN

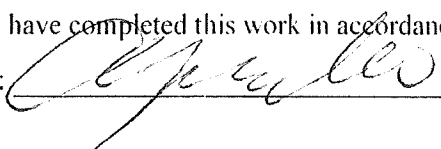
Zip: 56442

Home Phone Number:

Cell: 218-851-1563

E-Mail Address: amy.wannebo@gmail.com

I hereby certify that I have completed this work in accordance with all applicable requirements.

Designer Signature: 

Date: 5/30/2023

Crow Wing County Trench/Pressure Bed Design

Property Owner: Dennis & Jeffrey Prestholdt Date: 5/30/2023

Designer's Initials: AAW

Tank Sizing

A. Septic Tank Capacity: 2250 Gallons

Tank Type: 3 Compartments

Filter: Yes - optional

Garbage Disposal/Basement Lift Station: No Disposal or Lift

B. Pump Tank Capacity: 722 Gallons (7080.2100)

a. Alarm Type: Electric

Septic Tank Capacity		
Bedrooms	Minimum	GD/BL
5 or less	1,500	2,250
6 or 7	2,000	3,000
8 or 9	2,500	3,750

Soils

C. Depth to Restricting Layer: 7ft.

D. Native SSF: .83

(Perc. Rate [Optional] MPI)

Enter GPD next to the type of system

Rock Trenches

- E. 6 in. Trench Depth $GPD \times D = 0.0sq. ft.$ Cubic Yards of Rock: 0 yds³
- F. 12 in. Trench Depth $GPD \times D \times .8 = 0.0sq. ft.$ Cubic Yards of Rock: 0 yds³
- G. 18 in. Trench Depth $GPD \times D \times .66 = 0.0sq. ft.$ Cubic Yards of Rock: 0 yds³
- H. 24 in. Trench Depth $450 GPD \times D \times .6 = 224.1sq. ft.$ Cubic Yards of Rock: 20 yds³
- I. Divide (E-H) by Trench Width for lineal feet: $224.1 \div 3 = 74.7$

Chamber Trenches

- J. Brand: Dimensions of one chamber (L x W): ft. x ft.
- K. 6-11 in. Chamber Depth $GPD \times D = 0.0sq. ft.$
- L. 12 in. Chamber Depth $GPD \times D \times .8 = 0.0sq. ft.$
- M. Select from (K-L) if installing Chamber Trenches: 0.0
- N. Divide (M) by Trench Width for lineal feet: $0.0 \div 0 =$ Lineal Feet
- O. Total Chambers Needed (**Round Up**): Chambers

Seepage/Pressure Beds

- P. Seepage Bed $GPD \times D \times 1.5 = 0.0sq. ft.$
- a. Bed Dimensions ft. x ft.
- b. Cubic Yards of Rock Bed Length x Bed Width x Rock Depth ft. $\div 27 = 0 yds^3$
- Q. Pressure Bed $GPD \times D = 0.0sq. ft.$
- a. Bed Dimensions ft. x ft.
- b. Cubic Yards of Rock Bed Length x Bed Width x Rock Depth ft. $\div 27 = 0 yds^3$

Additional System Notes and Information: Asking for 68' setback from tank to OHWL for 6'x14' of the tank, the remaining 1'x14' meets the OHWL setback of 75'. Asking for 5' setback from the side property line to a section of the trench measuring 3'x15', the remaining 3'x15' of that trench & the 25' trench will meet the OHWL setback & the 10' setback.

Crow Wing County Trench/Pressure Bed Design

Property Owner: Dennis & Jeffrey Prestholdt
Date: 5/30/2023

Designer's Initials: AAW

Determine Pump Capacity

1) Gravity Distribution Pump Capacity Range: 10 - 45 GPM

*Skip to Pump Head Requirements if pumping to gravity

2) Pressure Distribution:

- Number of laterals: 2
- Lateral Size: 1.5in.
- Perforation spacing: 3ft.
- Check Table 4 to see the maximum number of perforations per lateral.

3) Lateral Length (choose):

- End manifold: rock bed length: $50 - 2 \text{ ft.} = 48 \text{ ft.}$
- Center manifold: rock bed length /2: $- 1 \text{ ft.} = -1 \text{ ft.}$
- Choose 3a or 3b: 48ft. + 23

4) Total Perforation Determination:

- (3c): $48 \text{ ft.} \div (2c): 3 \text{ ft.} + 1 = 17 \text{ Perforations / Lateral} = \text{on } 50' \text{ trench}$
- (4a): $17 * 8 = 25$ Total Number of Perforations
- Select perforation discharge from Table 1 = .74 GPM/Perf.
- (4b): $25 \times (4c): 0.74 \text{ GPM/Perf.} = 18.5 \text{ GPM}$

PUMP HEAD REQUIREMENTS

5) Elevation difference:

- Elevation difference between pump and point of discharge 6ft.
- If pumping to a pressure distribution system, (5a) + 5 = 11ft.
- Choose 5a if pumping to gravity or 5b for pressure: 11ft.

6) Friction loss:

- Select a value from Table 2: $25 \text{ ft.} / 100 \text{ ft. of pipe}$
- Pipe length to drainfield: $20 \text{ ft.} \times 1.25 = 25 \text{ ft.}$
- (6a): $25 \times (6b): 25 \div 100 = 0.25$ Total Friction Loss

7) Drainback:

- Actual Pipe length $20 \text{ ft.} \times .17 \text{ gal/ft. (Table 3)} = 3.4 \text{ gal}$

8) (5c): 11ft. + (6c): 0.25ft. = 11.25 Total Head Required

9) Minimum Pump Size 20 GPM (4d) & 11ft. of dynamic head (8)

Table 1		
Perforation Discharge (GPM/perf.)		
Ft. of Head	7/32" Perf	1/4" Perf
1.0	0.56	0.74
2.0	0.80	1.04

Use 1.0 for single homes, 2.0 for everything else

Table 2			
Friction Loss in Plastic Pipe			
Flow (GPM)	1.5"	2"	3"
20	2.47	0.73	0.11
25	3.73	1.11	0.16
30	5.23	1.55	0.23
35	6.96	2.06	0.30
40	8.91	2.64	0.39
45	11.07	3.28	0.48
50	13.46	3.99	0.58
55		4.76	0.70
60		5.60	0.82
65		6.48	0.95
70		7.44	1.09

Table 3	
Volume of Liquid in Pipe	
Pipe Diameter	Gal/Ft.
1.25 in.	0.078
1.5 in.	0.11
2.0 in.	0.17

Table 4			
Max Perforations/Lateral			
Perf. Spacing	1.25" Pipe	1.5" Pipe	2" Pipe
2.5 ft.	14	18	28
3 ft.	13	17	26
3.3 ft.	12	16	25
4 ft.	11	15	23
5 ft.	10	14	22

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Property Owner: Dennis & Jeffrey Prestholdt

Date: 5/30/2023

Designer's Initials: AAW

Please record the depths of all horizons, redoximorphic features, restricting layers, and saturated soils. Include all chroma and hue values.

#1 Proposed Site *Hand Auger*

Depth (in.)	Texture	Color
0-4	MSL <5%GRSVFR ^{VC}	10YR3/2
4-21	MSL <5% SGRLL	10YR4/4
21-30	MS 5% SGR LL	10YR4/4
30-72	MS 5% SGR LL	10YR5/6
72-84	MS 5% SGR LL	1YR5/4

#1 Alternate Site

Depth (in.)	Texture	Color

#2 Proposed Site *Hand Auger*

Depth (in.)	Texture	Color
0-7	MSL <5%GRSVFR ^{VC}	10YR3/2
7-20	MSL <5% SGRLL	10YR4/4
20-50	MS 5% SGR LL	10YR4/4
50-84	MS 5% SGR LL	10YR5/6

#2 Alternate Site

Depth (in.)	Texture	Color

Soil Sizing Factors/Hydraulic Loading Rates

Perc. Rate	Texture	SSF	HLR	Perc. Rate	Texture	SSF	HLR
<0.1	Coarse Sand			16 to 30	Loam	1.67	0.60
0.1 to 5	Sand	0.83	1.20	31 to 45	Silt Loam	2.00	0.50
0.1 to 5	Fine Sand	1.67	0.60	46 to 60	Clay Loam	2.20	0.45
6 to 15	Sandy Loam	1.27	0.79	> 60	Clay Loam	****	0.24

Description of Soil Treatment Areas

	Proposed Site		Alternate Site	
Disturbed Areas?	Yes			
Compacted Areas?	No			
Flooding Potential?	No			
Run on Potential?	No			
Limiting Layer Depth	Proposed #1 84"	Proposed #2 84"	Alternate #1	Alternate #2
Slope % and Direction	0			
Landscape Position	Summit			
Vegetation Types	Grass & Trees			
Soil Texture	Sand			
Soil Sizing Factor	0.83		Select One	

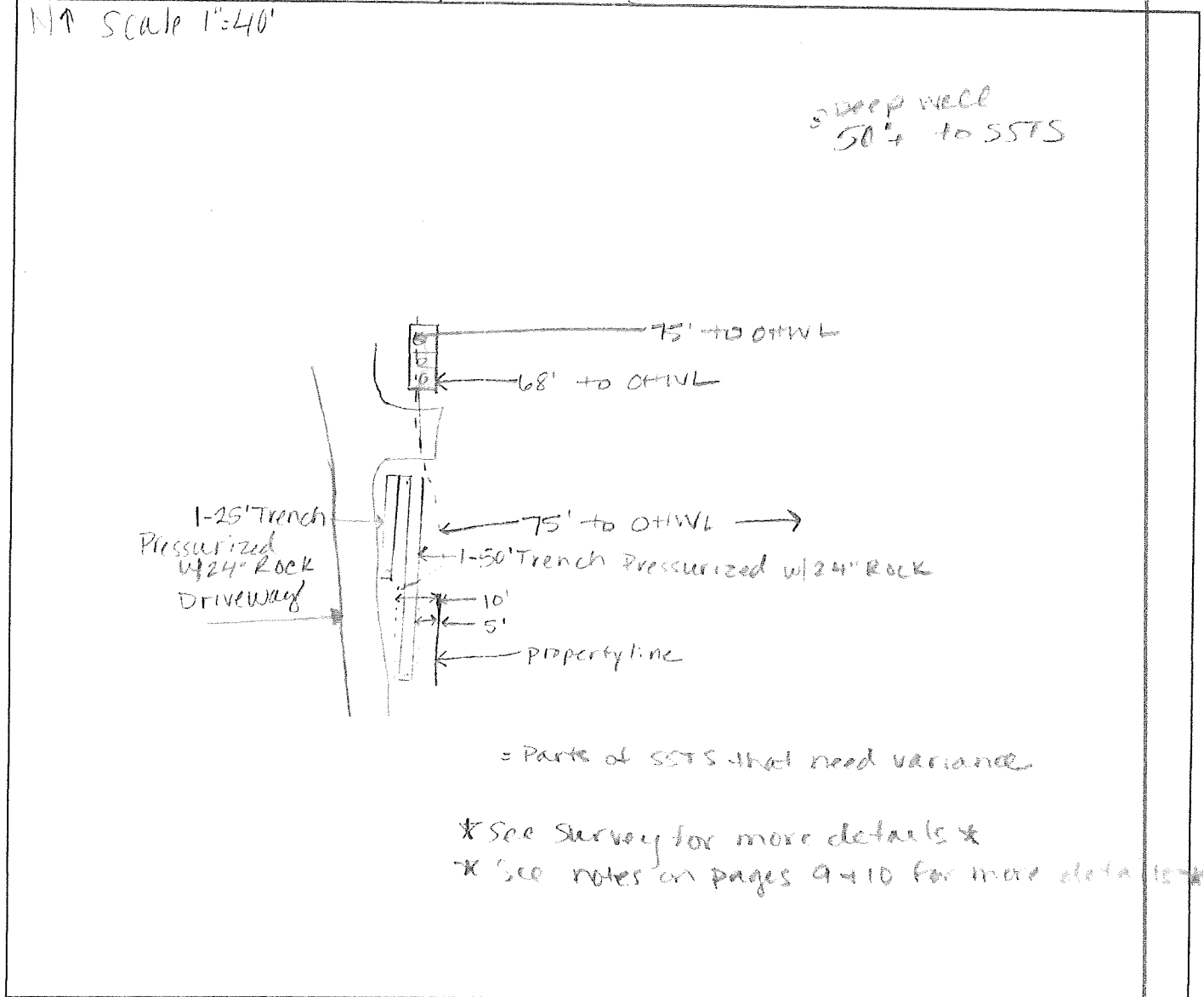
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Please Draw to Scale with North Arrow to top or Left Side of Page



Please show all that apply (Existing or Proposed):

Wells within 100 ft. of a Drainfield
Water lines within 10 ft. of a Drainfield
Drainfield Areas
Boring Locations

Disturbed/Compacted Areas
Component Location
OHW
Lot Easements

Access Route for Tank Maintenance
Property Lines
Structures
Setbacks

Elevations:

Benchmark Elevation:
Elevation of Sewer Line at House:
Tank Inlet Elevation:
Drainfield Elevation:

Pump Elevation:
Pump Discharge Elevation:
Restricting Layer Elevation:

Designer Signature:

[Signature]
License #1840

Date: 5/30/2023

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Subsurface Sewage Treatment System Management Plan

Property Owner: Dennis & Jeffrey Prestholdt Phone: 505-353-1000 Date: 5/30/2023
Mailing Address: 12348 Arrowhead Lane City: Crosslake Zip: 56442
Site Address: 12348 Arrowhead Lane City: Crosslake Zip: 56442

This management plan will identify the operation and maintenance activities necessary to ensure long-term performance of your septic system. Some of these activities must be performed by you, the homeowner. Other tasks must be performed by a licensed septic service provider.

System Designer: check every 36 months.
Local Government: check every _____ months.
State Requirement: check every 36 months.

**My System needs to be checked
every 36 months.**

Homeowner Management Tasks

Leaks - Check (look, listen) for leaks in toilets and dripping faucets. Repair leaks promptly.

Surfacing sewage - Regularly check for wet or spongy soil around your soil treatment area.

Effluent filter - Inspect and clean twice a year or more.

Alarms - Alarm signals when there is a problem. Contact a service provider any time an alarm signals.

Event counter or water meter - Record your water use.

-recommend meter readings be conducted (choose one: Daily ☐ Monthly ☐ Yearly ☐

Professional Management Tasks

- € Check to make sure tank is not leaking
- € Check and clean the in-tank effluent filter
- € Check the sludge/scum layer levels in all septic tanks
- € Recommend if tank should be pumped
- € Check inlet and outlet baffles
- € Check the drainfield effluent levels in the rock layer
- € Check the pump and alarm system functions
- € Check wiring for corrosion and function
- € Check dissolved oxygen and effluent temperature in tank
- € Provide homeowner with list of results and any action to be taken
- € Flush and clean laterals if cleanouts exist

"I understand it is my responsibility to properly operate and maintain the sewage treatment system on this property, utilizing the Management Plan. If requirements in the Management Plan are not met, I will promptly notify the permitting authority and take necessary corrective actions. If I have a new system, I agree to adequately protect the reserve area for future use as a soil treatment system."

Property Owner Name: Dennis & Jeffrey Prestholdt 5/30/2023

Designer Signature:  5/30/2023

See Reverse Side for Home Owner Management Log

Pg. 1 of 10

Home Owner Maintenance Log

Activity	Date Accomplished
<i>Check frequently:</i>	
Leaks: check for plumbing leaks	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Soil treatment area check for surfacing	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Lint filter: check, clean if needed	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Effluent screen: if owner-maintained	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Water usage rate (monitor frequency)	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
<i>Check annually:</i>	
Caps: inspect, replace if needed	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Sludge & Scum/Pump	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Inlet & Outlet baffles	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Drainfield effluent leaks	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Pump, alarm, wiring	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Flush & clean laterals if cleanouts exists	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
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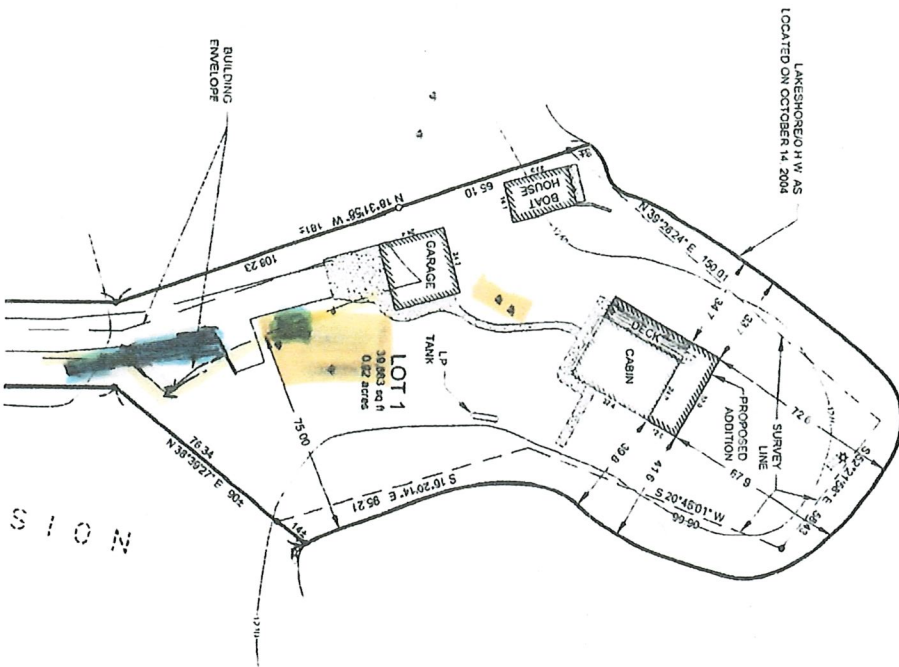
Mitigation/corrective action plan: _____

CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY

LOT ONE, BLOCK ONE, BARTHEL'S SUBDIVISION
SECTION 30, TOWNSHIP 137 NORTH, RANGE 27 WEST,
CROW WING COUNTY, MINNESOTA

CROSS LAKE

GENERAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSIFICATION
NORMAL RESERVOIR POOL ELEVATION = 1229.57
100 YEAR FLOOD ELEVATION = 1232.8
HIGHEST KNOWN ELEVATION = 1234.56
INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM CORPS OF ENGINEERS
LAKE ELEVATION = 1229.07 ON OCTOBER 14, 2004



CROSS LAKE

= SSTS

= Setback line to be marked by surveyor

= Existing SSTS

IMPERVIOUS CALCULATIONS

EXISTING			
Structure	Area (sq. ft.)	Total Nat. Area (sq. ft.)	Percent Impervious
Cabin	777	30,683	1.94%
Garage	492	30,683	1.54%
Boathouse	137	30,683	0.80%
Driveway	260	30,683	0.74%
Other Concrete Walkways/Pavement	977	30,683	2.44%
Total	1,643	30,683	22.6%

PROPOSED			
Structure	Area (sq. ft.)	Total Nat. Area (sq. ft.)	Percent Impervious
Cabin	777	30,683	1.94%
Garage	502	30,683	1.54%
Boathouse	337	30,683	0.80%
Driveway	304	30,683	0.74%
Proposed Addition	304	30,683	0.74%
Other Concrete Walkways/Pavement	6,015	30,683	19.14%
Total	7,439	30,683	24.4%

LEGEND

- DENOTES EXISTING RETAINING WALL
- DENOTES DOG OF EXISTING BITUMEN/PAVEMENT
- DENOTES EDGE OF EXISTING

01/30/08

Notes for Prestholdt Preliminary Design 5/30/2023:

- This design is preliminary and will be adjusted as needed based on surveying results and variance process.
- I am waiting on Stonemark Surveying (as of 5/31/23 they are 5 weeks out) to mark the 75' set back from the OHWL and the 10' setback from the East property line along the driveway. Once those are marked, I will stake out the tank and drain field locations on site. This will give more exact measurements for setback reductions and the parts of the SSTs that don't meet the minimum setbacks. At that time, I can shift SSTs parts in any direction as needed and update the design.
- As of 5/31/2023 the property owner is asking for a reduced OHWL set back to 68' for 6'x14' of the tank instead of the 75' setback. 1'x14' of the tank will meet the 75' setback. And a reduced side lot setback of 5' instead of 10' for 3'x25' of the 50' trench. The North 3'x25' of that trench and the entirety of the 25' trench will meet the OHWL set back.
- There is a dead tree & stump near the tank location that will need to be removed. And another tree near the beginning of the trenches will need to be removed. The fiber optic and natural gas lines are currently running through the proposed drain field location and will need to be moved. Ideally those will be moved to the edge of the East property line as close to it as possible.
- Some sort of barrier will need to be placed around the north, west and south sides of both the tank and the drain field to prevent any traffic on top of either location. A fence of some sort is probably the best choice.
- If possible, it would be ideal for a portion of the driveway where it runs along the length of the drain field to be shifted to the west several feet. This would provide a bit of a buffer between the edge of the drain field and the edge of the driveway.
- The tank location will cover the last 14' of the gravel-less pipe trenches and will need to be removed. The line that runs from the tank to the drain field goes under a driveway turn around and will need to be insulated to prevent freezing.

- This design proposal offers a significant improvement to the existing SSTS of which the drain field is saturated. The existing system only has part of one trench that meets the 75' setback, the rest of the system including the tank are at 50' or less to the OHWL.

Amy Wannebo-Designer

Lakes Area Septic LLC

License #1840

218-851-1563

amy.wannebo@gmail.com

37753 Ox Lake Landing

Crosslake, MN 56442





Variance Application

Planning and Zoning Department

13888 Daggett Bay Road, Crosslake, MN 56442

218.692.2689 (Phone) 218.692.2687 (Fax) www.cityofcrosslake.org

Receipt Number: 771751

Permit Number: 230145V

Property Owner(s): Dennis and/or Jeffrey Prestholdt

Mailing Address: 12348 Arrowhead Lane 56442

Site Address: 12348 Arrowhead Lane Crosslake MN 56442

Phone Number: 952-686-1166

E-Mail Address: dprestholdt@mac.com

Parcel Number(s): 14300687

Legal Description: Lot one, block one, Barthels Sub.

Sec 30 Twp 137 Rge 26 ☐ 27 ☒ 28 ☐

Lake/River Name: Crosslake

Do you own land adjacent to this parcel(s)? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes list Parcel Number(s) _____

Authorized Agent: _____

Agent Address: _____

Agent Phone Number: _____

Signature of Property Owner(s) Dennis Prestholdt

Date 7/3/23

Signature of Authorized Agent(s) _____

Date _____

- All applications must be accompanied by a signed Certificate of Survey
- Fee \$500 for Residential and Commercial Payable to "City of Crosslake"
- No decisions were made on an applicant's request at the DRT meeting. Submittal of an application after DRT does not constitute approval. Approval or denial of applications is determined by the Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment at a public meeting as per Minnesota Statute 462 and the City of Crosslake Land Use Ordinance.

For Office Use:

Application accepted by CS & PG Date 7-7-23 Land Use District SD

Lake Class GD Septic: Compliance Design SSTS Design New Installation NA

Variances

(Check applicable requests)

☐ Lake/River Setback

☐ Road Right-of-Way Setback

☐ Bluff Setback

☐ Side Yard Setback

☐ Wetland Setback

☒ Septic Tank Setback

68' from lake / 75' required

☒ Septic Drainfield Setback

5' from side yard / 10' required

☐ Impervious Coverage

☐ Accessory Structure

☐ Building Height

☐ Patio Size

☐ _____

☐ _____



► Practical Difficulty Statement

Pursuant to City of Crosslake Ordinance Article 8 – Variances may be granted when it is found that strict enforcement of the Land Use Ordinance will result in a “practical difficulty”.

Please answer the following questions regarding the “practical difficulty” for your variance request.

1. Is the Variance request in harmony with the purposed and intent of the Ordinance?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Why:

Defer to the Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment

2. Is the Variance consistent with the Comprehensive Plan?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Why:

Defer to the Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment

3. Is the property owner proposing to use the property in a reasonable manner not permitted by the Land Use Ordinance?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Why: Property is an odd shaped lake lot with lake shore on three sides. This makes the lot unable to meet the set back requirements for a new septic system.

4. Will the issuance of a Variance maintain the essential character of the locality?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Why: No character change will take place as the septic system will be underground

5. Is the need for a Variance due to circumstances unique to the property and not created by the property owner?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Why: The natural shape of the property does not allow for set backs of 75'

6. Does the need for a Variance involve more than economic considerations?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Why: The new septic system offers significant improvement to the existing drain field which is also saturated and closer to the lake



City of Crosslake Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment

FINDINGS OF FACT

SUPPORTING / DENYING A VARIANCE REQUEST

A Variance may be granted by the Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment when it is found that strict enforcement of the Land Use Ordinance will result in a “practical difficulty” according to Minnesota Statute Chapter 462. The Planning Commission/Board of Adjustment should weigh each of the following questions to determine if the applicant has established that there are “practical difficulties” in complying with regulations and standards set forth in the Land Use Ordinance.

1. Is the Variance request in harmony with the purposes and intent of the Ordinance?

Yes No

Why:

2. Is the Variance consistent with the Comprehensive Plan?

Yes No

Why:

3. Is the property owner proposing to use the property in a reasonable manner not permitted by the Land Use Ordinance?

Yes No

Why:

4. Will the issuance of a Variance maintain the essential character of the locality?

Yes No

Why:

5. Is the need for a Variance due to circumstances unique to the property and not created by the property owner?

Yes No

Why?

6. Does the need for a Variance involve more than economic considerations?

Yes No

Why: