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CITY OF CROSSLAKE

PLANNING COMMISSION/BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT July 24, 2020 9:00 A.M.

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

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Applicant: Paul E & Dixie R Hiniker

Authorized Agent: Stuart Swenson

Site Location: 36974 County Rd 66, Crosslake, MN 56442

Variance for:

- Density of 27 where 11 is allowed
- Time extension of 5 years where 2 years are allowed

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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).

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STAFF REPORT

Property Owner/Applicant: Paul E & Dixie R Hiniker

Parcel Number(s): 14160833

Application Submitted: June 8, 2020

Action Deadline: August 6, 2020

City 60 Day Extension Letter sent / Deadline: N/A / N/A

Applicant Extension Received / Request: N/A / N/A

City Council Date: N/A

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Current Zoning: Limited Commercial

Existing Impervious Coverage:

Proposed Impervious Coverage:

20.5%

13 7%

- A stormwater management plan was submitted with the variance application
- City sewer connection

Development Review Team Minutes held on 4-21-2020:

- Property is located at 36974 County Road 66, Crosslake, MN 56442
- The proposed CUP for multifamily and variance for density with possibly a M&B subdivision (11 units as parcel exits) Villas will require density variance for an additional 16 units (27 total units)
- Article 10 Land Use Classification List, Sec 26-281 Land Use Table requires a CUP in the Limited Commercial district for multifamily dwellings and/or storage rental
- All setbacks shall be measured to the vertical side of the structure. No part of the structure, such as eaves, can overhang or reduce such setback by more than three feet (Sec. 26-303)
- If the eaves exceed 36" the setback and the impervious coverage shall be measured from the dripline
- Impervious maximum of 50% discussed what is considered impervious
- Easements will need to be shown on the survey (roads can be built on city sewer easements)

- If your parcel is located within an organization or the title that may have restrictions, it would be your responsibility to verify and meet those restrictions
- Design and implement a stormwater management plan (gutters, berm & rain gardens) to update any existing plan per Article 7 & 8 and is not required to be on the survey. When a wetland is being used the stormwater must be filtered to drinking standards before it can flow into any wetland and all runoff is to be maintained on the parcel only
- Hookup to city sewer would be required @ a Commercial fee of \$6,500 for every three apartment units and one for each villa unit - to be clarified with Public Works Director and/or city engineer
- Park dedication fee of \$1,500 for very three apartment units and one for each villa unit to be clarified with the Parks Director
- Sundance development will have use/rental of gym and storage units
- Plans/specs for Land Use Ordinance requirements such as; lighting, parking, stormwater, signage, building height, etc. will need to be part of a complete application (15 item checklist was used and discussed)
- Wetland Delineation is a requirement for a variance/CUP or a no wetland statement/letter
- A grade and elevation illustration along with the cut & fill calculations is required
- Discussion on application requirements, procedure, schedule and the requirements/need for a complete application packet by the deadline date, (15 item checklist was used and discussed as part of a complete packet requirement)
- A Land Use Permit will be required prior to construction

Property owner was informed that before they could be placed on a public hearing agenda the following information is required:

- 1. A certificate of survey meeting the requirements outlined in Article 7, Sec. 26-185 for the CUP and Article 8, Sec. 26-222 for the variance of the City Land Use Ordinance
- 2. Grade illustration, Elevation illustration and Cut & Fill calculations
- 3. Wetland delineation or a no wetland statement/letter
- 4. A complete Conditional Use Permit (CUP) and Variance application
- 5. The public hearing fee of \$500.00 CUP and \$500.00 Variance

Parcel History:

- May 1974 42'x40' municipal garage
- November 1997 CUP to operate an auto repair business with a light manufacturing business of utility trailers, fish houses, and docks
- January 1999 Landscaping
- April 1999 After-the-Fact variance for the purpose of constructing a building with a
 height of 27' at mid-peak when the building height maximum is 25' at
 mid-peak; to construct a gymnasium with a roof pitch to help keep the
 snow load minimal
- August 1999 Variance to construct a building with a maximum height of 30' mid-peak
- December 1999 8'x4' free standing sign
- July 2001 Sign
- July 2002 10'x10' and 9'x12' additions
- January 2003 CUP to allow for the construction of a commercial building to be used for a charter school
- April 2003 Septic trenches
- April 2003 Commercial Building 2 porches
- June 2004 Connect to municipal sanitary sewer and abandon septic system for Old Fire Hall and Charter School buildings (two connections)
- September 2008 Remove existing changeable free standing sign face and replace with new sign face at a lower height and on the same sign pedestal location

- October 2008 Replace existing sign for Charter School; no ground-up lighting
- October 2009 Fence around the dumpster
- June 2014 Lot Line Adjustment

Agencies Notified and Responses Received:

County Highway Dept: Email received 4-9-2020 **DNR:** No comments were received as of 7-10-2020

City Engineer: Email received 4-10-2020

Lake Association: N/A **Township:** N/A

Crosslake Public Works: No comments were received as of 7-10-2020

Crosslake Park, Recreation & Library: N/A

Concerned Parties: No comments were received as of 7-10-2020

POSSIBLE MOTION:

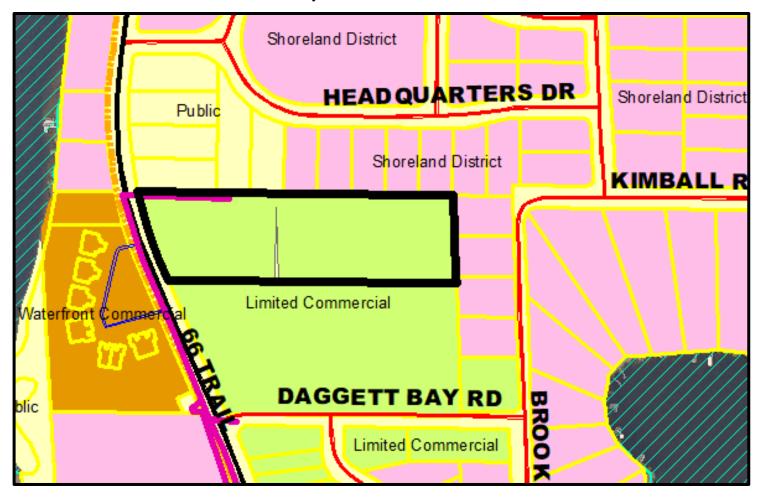
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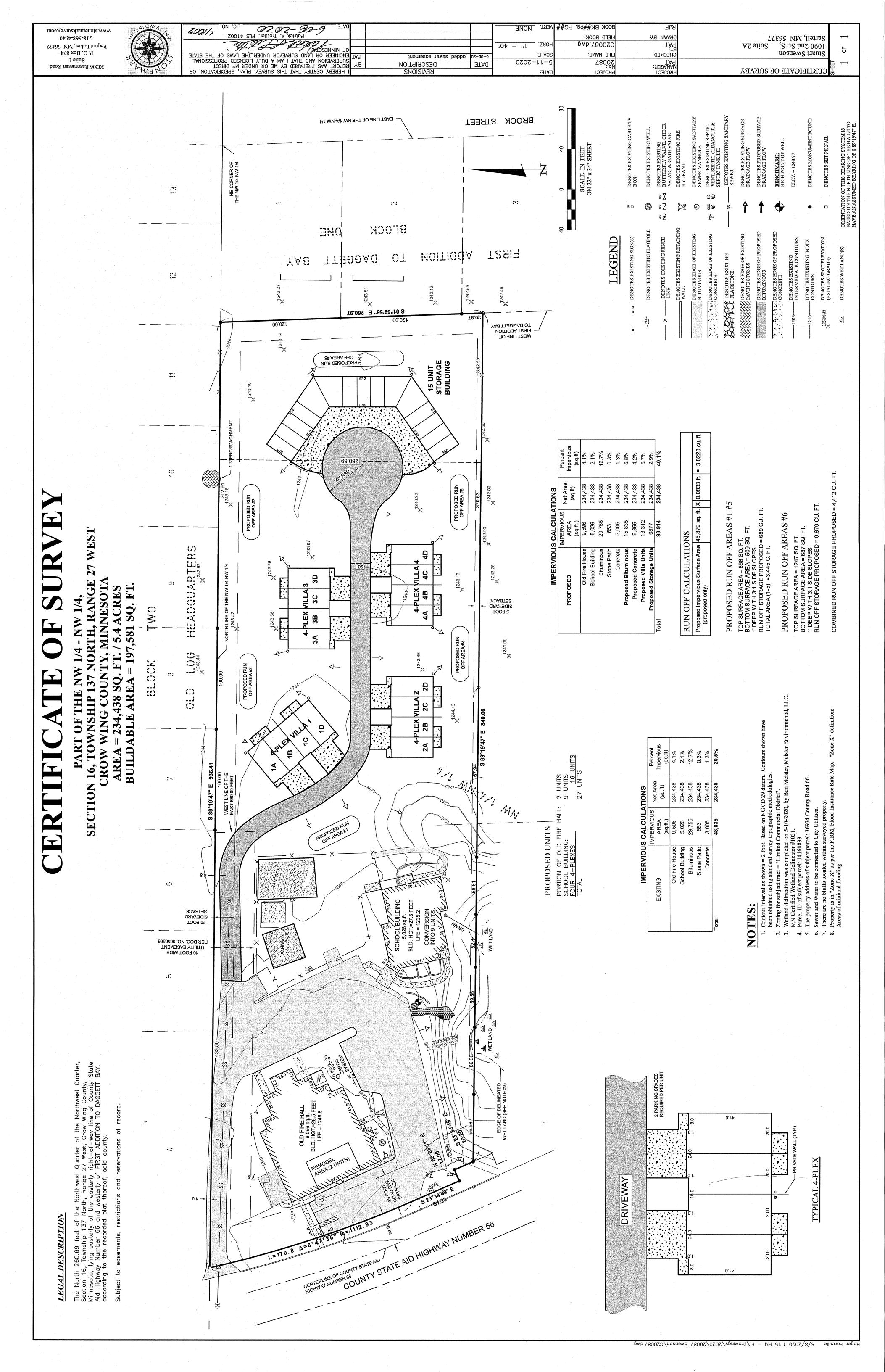
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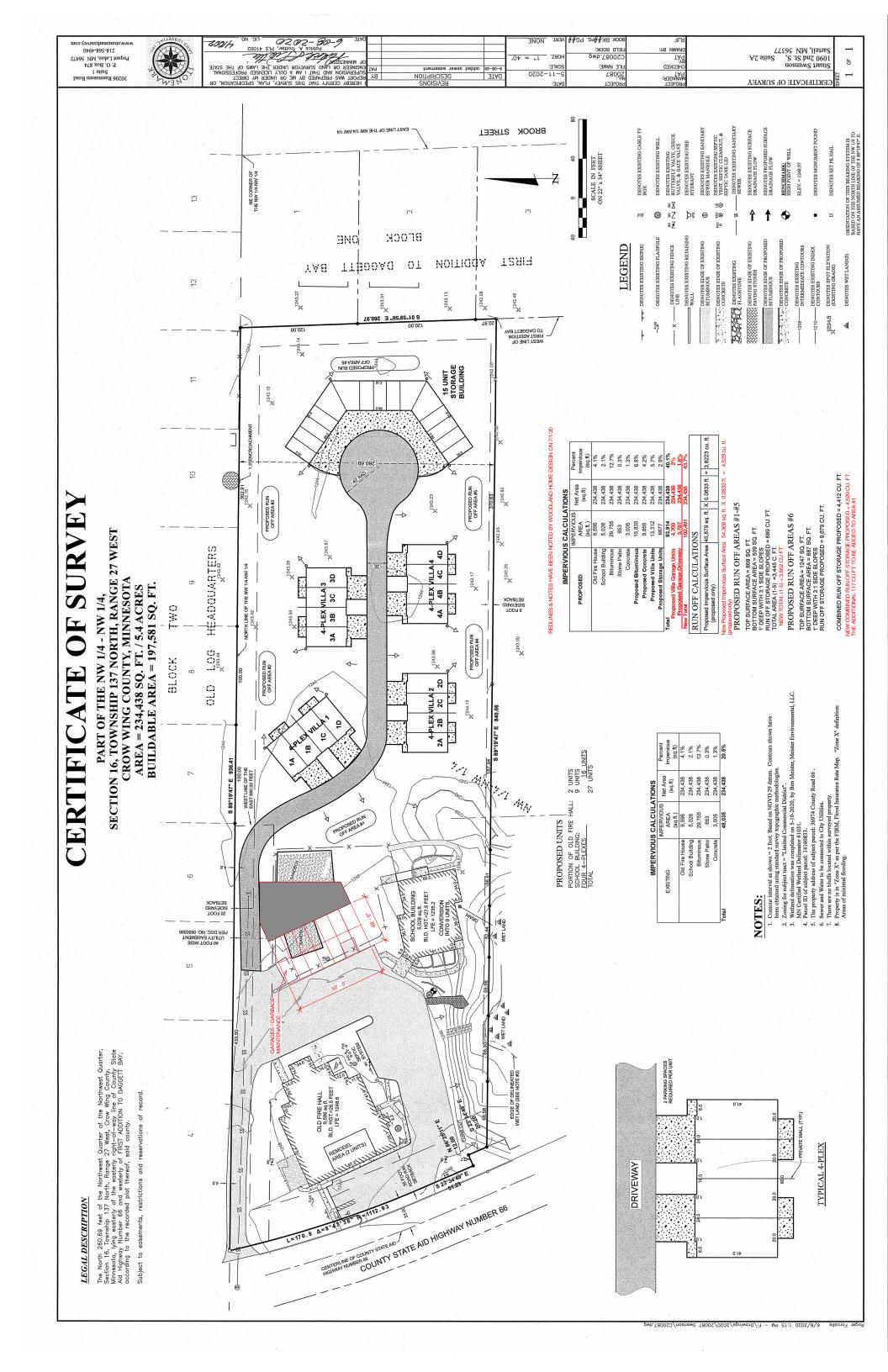
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As shown on the certificate of survey dated 6-8-2020

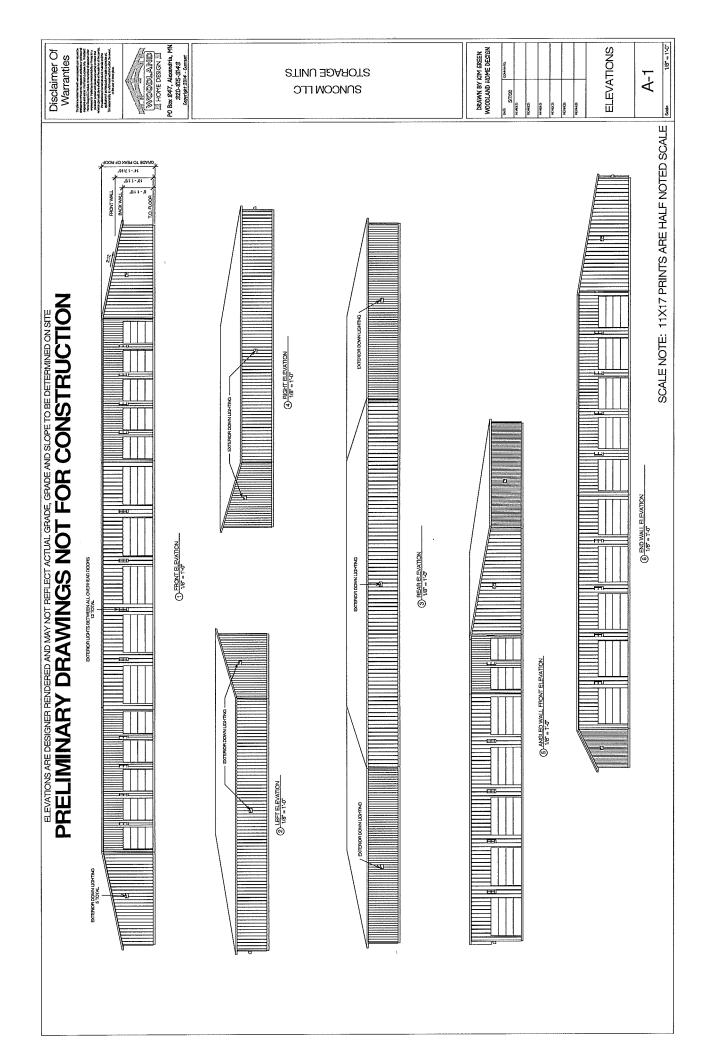






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From: Mark Melby < Mark.Melby@crowwing.us>

Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 10:42 AM

To: Cheryl Stuckmayer <<u>cstuckmayer@crosslake.net</u>>; Heidi Lindgren <<u>heidi.lindgren@state.mn.us</u>>; Dani McNeil <<u>danielle.mcneil@state.mn.us</u>>; Ted Strand <<u>publicwk@crosslake.net</u>>; 'TJ Graumann'

<tgraumann@crosslake.net>; Dave Reese <<u>Dave.Reese@widseth.com</u>>

Cc: Jon Kolstad < <u>ikolstad@crosslake.net</u>>
Subject: RE: DRT 4.21.2020 Info packets

Highway comments:

It looks like it will the north entrance will change to a city road. Will that be the case? The connection may need to be widened to reflect that change. Drainage shouldn't be directed to CSAH 66 and contained on-site. The southern entrance is one of those very wide, free-for-all types that should be narrowed down to a standard one. We should also discuss the sidewalk that leads to CSAH 66, and the possibility of getting rid of that crosswalk that was put in for the school. Additional comments may be sent prior to April 21.

Mark Melby Engineering Coordinator Highway Department Office - 218-822-2694 Cell - 218-839-6207 www.crowwing.us



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From: Cheryl Stuckmayer <cstuckmayer@crosslake.net>

Sent: Monday, April 06, 2020 11:30 AM

To: Heidi Lindgren < heidi.lindgren@state.mn.us >; Dani McNeil < danielle.mcneil@state.mn.us >; Ted

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Cheryl Stuckmayer

From:

Stuart Swenson <stuart@everythingunderthesun.com>

Sent:

Friday, April 10, 2020 10:04 AM

To:

'Cheryl Stuckmayer'; 'Mark Melby'

Cc:

'Jon Kolstad'; info@sundanceridge.com

Subject:

RE: DRT 4.21.2020 Info packets

Good morning all,

I've addressed the four items that are mentioned in Mark's email:

I'm not sure on the north entrance becoming a city street and will defer to the city on that one. I would assume that would only be needed when the additional buildings are constructed.

There won't be any additional drainage to CSAH 66 from this development.

If adjusting the south entrance is more safe, then it should happen. Will assess further on-site soon.

I'd like to keep the "cross-walk". There is and will continue to be pedestrian traffic crossing in this area. Not only for the Sundance Developments, but other events throughout the year (car show, fire fighters events, etc) that use the city property and have parking along the road. I feel it helps funnel the foot traffic to that crosswalk, which is safer for the people and easier for the vehicles passing thru.

Let me know if you have any other questions, comments, and/or concerns. I look forward to hearing from you. Thank you and be well,

Stuart

From: Cheryl Stuckmayer <cstuckmayer@crosslake.net>

Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 12:24 PM

To: 'Mark Melby' < Mark. Melby@crowwing.us>

Cc: Jon Kolstad < jkolstad@crosslake.net>; info@sundanceridge.com

Subject: RE: DRT 4.21.2020 Info packets

Thank you, Mark.

I have included Jon Kolstad and Stuart Swenson, the applicant on this DRT request.

Stuart, please read the comments below from Mark Melby, county highway department.

Respectfully,

Cheryl Stuckmayer Planner - Zoning Coordinator

Crosslake Planning and Zoning Department 37028 County Road 66 Crosslake, MN 56442

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City Engineer Comments:

Attached is a copy of the sanitary sewer record drawing. There is a 40-ft wide sanitary sewer easement as shown with sanitary sewer installed approximately 430 feet into this property. This is a 10-inch diameter main for the purpose of accepting flows from an expanded service area to the east at some point in the future. Now would be the opportunity to extend and retain sewer easement the full length of the property along the north side to preserve this space for extension.

We view this application similarly to how the Sundance Ridge development (located directly across CSAH 66) was permitted in the sense that their internal roads and sewer collection system are privately owned and theirs to maintain. The developer would have to submit their private utility plans to the Department of Labor and Industry (DOLI) for approval.

The City should approve the connection point(s). Alternatively, the developer may see a benefit to having the City sewer routed through the development, permitted and maintained by the City as a sewer extension rather than maintaining their private collection system. Either way, the City should have continuous utility easement to the east boundary of this property. The same principle would be true for internal access drives. If the developer intends to turn the street over to the City, then it would have to meet City standards. If private, then we recommend a minimum of 20 feet in pavement width (no on-street parking) and an additional 10 feet of clear zone on each side to ensure sufficient access for fire/ambulance and snow storage. The cul de sac should have a minimum 40-foot radius. The fire chief should have input on the access plan.

We concur with Mark's comments regarding drainage; this must be accounted for on the property. Offstreet parking for tenants/owners of the units should be included in the site plan. Water wells (qualified as deep wells) for these buildings will need to be located a minimum of 50 feet from a sewage collection line (including the future extension of the City main). The Public Works Commission should review the utility and street factors.

Dave

Widseth Smith Nolting is now WIDSETH. Shorter name, same long history.

As a result, my email address has changed to Dave.Reese@widseth.com

Please update your records accordingly. (phone number and address remain the same).

Dave Reese, PE

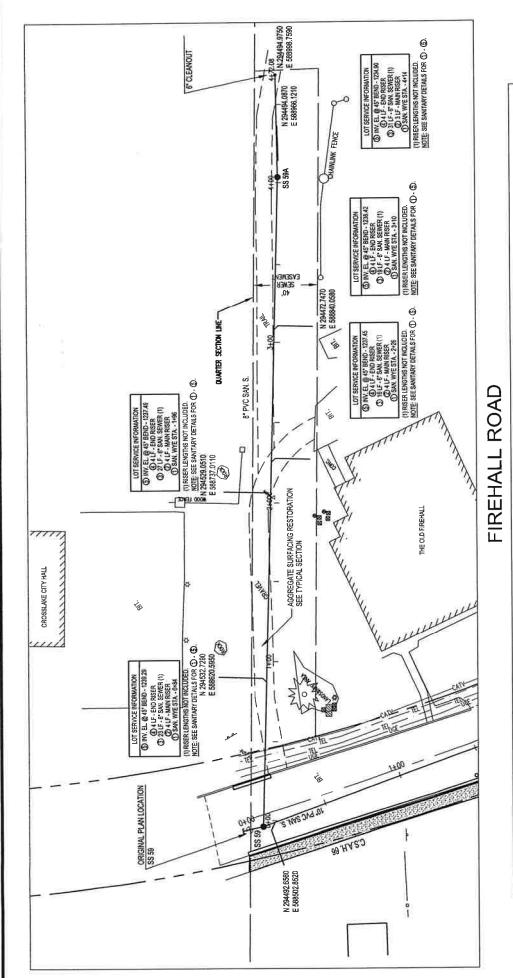
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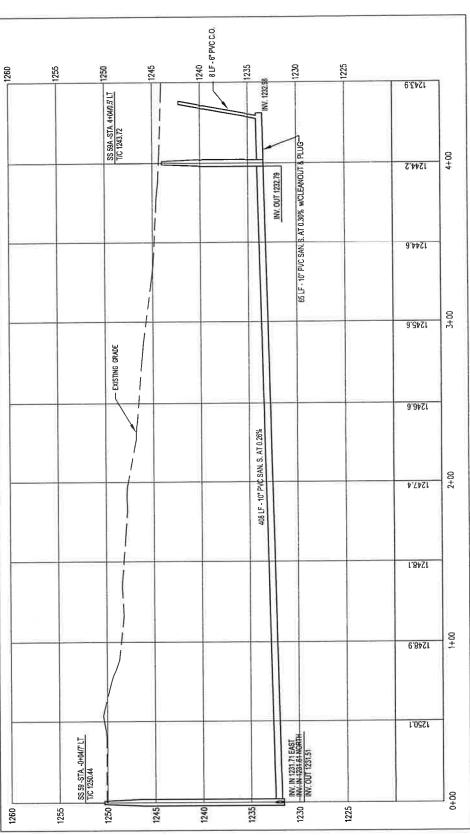
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Variance Application
Planning and Zoning Department
13888 Daggett Bay Road, Crosslake, MN 56442
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Receipt Number: 40927-2	Permit Number: 2010071				
Property Owner(s): Paul 4 Dixie Hiniker					
Mailing Address: 10755 Swanburg Dr, Pine River, MN 56474	<u>Variances</u> (Check applicable requests)				
Site Address: 36974 CR 66 Cross/gke	☐ Lake/River Setback				
Phone Number: 6/2 2/4 0492	☐ Road Right-of-Way Setback				
E-Mail Address: pauls 2nd@aol, com	☐ Bluff Setback				
Parcel Number(s): . 141608 33	☐ Side Yard Setback				
Legal Description: Part of the NW 4-NW 4	☐ Wetland Setback				
Sec_ 16 Twp 137 Rge 26 27 28 West	☐ Septic Tank Setback				
Lake/River Name:	☐ Septic Drainfield Setback				
Do you own land adjacent to this parcel(s)? Yes No	☐ Impervious Coverage				
If yes list Parcel Number(s)	☐ Accessory Structure				
Authorized Agent: Stuart Swenson	☐ Building Height				
Agent Address: 1090 2nd St. S. Ste2A Sartell Apont Phono Number 320, 230, 6060 MN 56377	☐ Patio Size				
Agent Phone Number: 320 230 6060 111 563 77	₩ Density				
	11 allowed □ 27 requested				
Signature of Property Owner(s) Per June 8, 2020 email-7	Time extension total of 5 years				
/	Date 6/8/20				
 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 Date 6 \$2020	Land Use District LC				
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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 D Why: There is residential next to and across the stree
4.	Will the issuance of a Variance maintain the essential character of the locality? Yes M No D Why: The area is primarily residential with mixed commercial nearby.
5.	Is the need for a Variance due to circumstances unique to the property and not created by the property owner? Yes No No Why: The property is well situated for more residential units.
6.	Does the need for a Variance involve more than economic considerations? Yes No D Why: There is a social need for housing focused on Singles, pairs, and for small families.



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.

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2. Is the Variance Yes Why:	e consistent with the Comprehensive Plan? No				
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