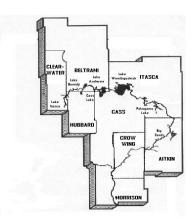


Mississippi Headwaters Board Meeting Agenda Cass County Courthouse Walker, MN May 25, 2018 10:00 am



• Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance

10:00 PM Approve/Amend

- Agenda
- Consent Agenda April '18 Minutes & Expenses (att. 1 & 2)

Planning and Zoning (Actions)

- Cr5a18- Tim and Mary Sundby Variance
- Ca5a18- James Nelson Variance

Action / Discussion Items:

- Executive Director's Report (att. 3)
- Accelerated Ruffed Grouse Action Plan explanation.
- Comp plan Revision (att. 4)

Misc: Legislature Update (if any) County Updates

Meeting Adjourned - Thank you

Mtgs:

June 22, '18, 10:00 AM – MHB Board Meeting- Walker, MN

Attachment 1 & 2

Draft Minutes

Monthly Expenses

Mississippi Headwaters Board April 27, 2018 Cass County Courthouse Walker, MN 56484

MEETING MINUTES

Members present: Paul Thiede (Crow Wing), Keith Winger (Beltrami), Cal Johannsen (Hubbard), Scott Bruns (Cass), Davin Tinquist (Itasca), Mike Wilson (Morrison), and Tim Terrill (Executive Director).

Others Present: Marcel Noyes, Hubbard County SWCD Supervisor, Bob Lessard, DNR Liaison, Gary Leaf, Sportsmen For Change.

Chairman Thiede called the meeting to order followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

M/S (Tinquist/Johannsen) to approve of the agenda with the addition of a Accelerated Rough Grouse Action Plan. Motion Carried.

M/S (Johannsen/Winger) to approve of the consent agenda. Motion Carried.

Planning & Zoning

None

Action/Discussion Items Executive Director Report

Tim advised the board on the MHB statute clarification and that it was heard before the Senate Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance Committee, and it was recommended to be heard by the House Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance Committee.

Tim explained that he met with DNR Regional Management Teams in NE and NW Minnesota to provide them with an update on the MHB acquisition program.

Tim attended the Leech Lake 1W1P advisory committee meeting and pointed out a few governance issues that could be positive or negative to the policy committee.

Tim attended the State of the Waters conference held by the Freshwater Society.

Tim expressed his need for guidance from the Board about a request from Aitkin county to use certain pages from our Guidebook to place on Aitkin county signs. By consensus, the Board thought that a contract agreement be drawn up by Aitkin county with detailed information on the specific purpose the content would be used for and to come before the Board to explain it.

Forest Friendly Brewery project- Tim explained the purpose of this project which will provide education to brewery's along the Mississippi how clean water is essential to producing beer. The board expressed hesitancy

to get involved in this particularly because the MHB brand is connected to it. They stated that the group should come before the board with a proposal if they want the MHB to get involved.

Accelerated Ruffed Grouse Action Plan- Gary Leaf presented the idea to the board that the Lessard Outdoor Heritage council will be organizing and having a meeting on June 6th in Superior to discuss the development of a Statewide Ruffed Grouse Action Plan. He thought the MHB would be a good organization to participate in the development and possible implementation of it because a large majority of public land exist within our eight counties. After much discussion, the Board agreed that the ED and Land Commissioners should attend this meeting to get an idea about what they are discussing and then see if any MHB involvement should take place.

Comprehensive Plan revision- The Board reviewed pages 13-38 of the Comprehensive Plan. They suggested that Tim write up a summary of what the important changes are and send it out to the Board for review before the next meeting.

County Updates- Comm. Wilson discussed how there was a court case that Morrison county won determining that Camp Ripley must abide by the county ordinances. He asked if this would affect MHB in any way. Tim said that it would in that the jurisdictional area on the river would need to follow MHB Comprehensive Plan rules.

Legislative Update- Gary Leaf informed the Board that a Bill is going through the legislature next week about county notification for land acquisition.

M/S (Johannsen/Winger) to adjourn. Motion carried.

Chairman Paul Thiede

Executive Director Tim Terrill

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Planning and Zoning

Sundby Variance Nelson Variance

Crow Wing County 326 Laurel St. Brainerd, MN 56401

Property Information

09. Variance Application

Permit # 1800100

	PID	Township	Lake	Physical Address	Owner	Owner Address	Section Township Range	Zoning District(s)	Acres	
	930231203D00009	WOLFORD TOWNSHIP	MISSISSIPPI RIVER	26842 FOX RD CROSBY, MN 56441	SUNDBY, TIMOTHY J & MARY J	1033 MINNESOTA AVE DETROIT LAKES, MN 56501	S:23 T:47 R:29	RR-2.5; SD	4.94	
are you the property wner?	Yes									
Landowner Contact information:	Name: Timothy Sundby Phone:									
	(218) 234 - 0771									
	Email Address:									
	tjsundby@hotmail.com									
	Mailing Address:									
	26842 Fox Rd									
	Crosby MN 56441									
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Findings of Fact	
1. Is the property owner proposing to use the property in a reasonable manner not permitted by the Land Use Ordinance? Why?	No. Added a porch.
2. Is the need for a Variance due to circumstances unique to the property and not created by the property owner? Why?	The cabin is approximately 8' from the top of the bluff and does not meet the Mississippi River setbacks
3. Will the issuance of a Variance maintain the essential character of the locality? Why?	Yes. Added a small 8X16 screen porch on cabin that has existed on site since 1960's
4. Does the need for a Variance involve more than economic considerations? Why?	Yes. The structure does not meet the bluff and Mississippi River setbacks.
Is this an after-the-fact application?	Yes
Findings of Fact - ATI	⁼ only
Did you fail to obtain a variance/or comply with the applicable requirements before commencing work? Why?	Yes. Did not research the requirements of building.
Did you attempt to comply with the ordinance by obtaining the proper permits? Why?	No. No permits were obtained.
Did you make a substantial investment in or improvement to the property?	About \$2,000 in remodeling costs.
Are there other similar structures in the neighborhood?	No, heavily wooded area.
Would the minimum benefits to	The small screen porch will have little to po impact on the County other than possibly raising the tax value of the cabin

Would the minimum benefits to The small screen porch will have little to no impact on the County other than possibly raising the tax value of the cabin the County appear to be far outweighed by the detriment you would suffer if forced to move or remove the structure?

Terms

Terms & Conditions

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 394 and the Crow Wing County Land Use Ordinance.

Invoice 04/18/2018

Charge	Cost	Quantity	Total
Recording Fee added 04/18/2018 1:46 PM	\$46.00	x 1	\$46.00
Variance Application Fee added 04/18/2018 1:46 PM	\$500.00	x 1	\$500.00
Grand Total			
		Total (Paid)	\$546.00
Approvals			·

Approval Signature Applicant Tim Sundby - 04/18/2018 1:46 PM - witnessed by Tracy Giza d04c696fd80b42ece2f52e1e4f050a35 c7bf74a4ec12b98864ad53333472f8e1 #1 Planning Assistant (Application Reviewed)

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#2 Board Approval

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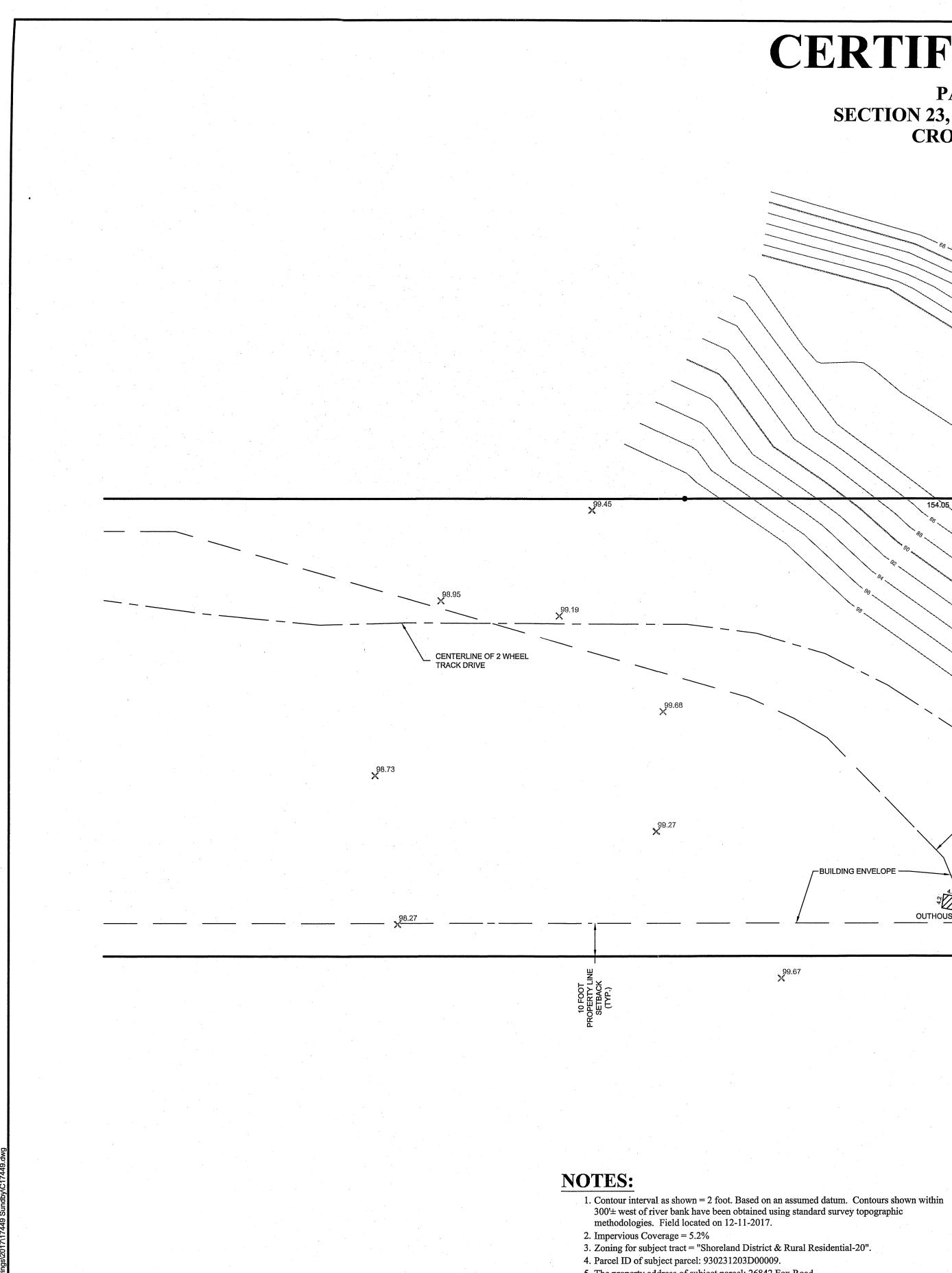
Development Review Team (DRT) Meeting November 13, 2017

Timothy Sundby

Present:	Sue Maske, Planning Assistant; Tracy Giza, Planning Assistant; Tim Terrill, MHB; Timothy Sundby, Conference Call
Township:	Not present
DNR:	Not present
Request:	ATF Variance for bluff and river setback
Location:	Sec 23, Wolford Township
Current Zoning: Shore	land District

DRT 1

- Did not know a permit was required (no permit obtained)
- Built 8X16 screen porch river side of dwelling that was built in 1960's
- 12' bluff setback
- 42' OHW Mississippi River setback
- Re-roofed the cabin 3 years ago, built a 4X6 covered entry to tie into dwellling
- Need to update COS from 2014, identify location of bluff, additions, setbacks
- No septic system, electricity on property
- Old outhouse and portable outhouse CI needed on outhouse, winter window needed
- Property is used about 2 times per month
- MHB process, final approval after County BOA meeting
- Packet of information will be mailed out for Tim
- Won't be able to access property after snow accumulation
- 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 8.1 of the County Land Use Ordinance
 - 2. A completed Variance application
 - 3. The public hearing fee of \$546.00
 - 4. Winter Window agreement for the septic compliance



CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY

PART OF GOVERNMENT LOT 3 SECTION 23, TOWNSHIP 47 NORTH, RANGE 29 WEST, CROW WING COUNTY, MINNESOTA

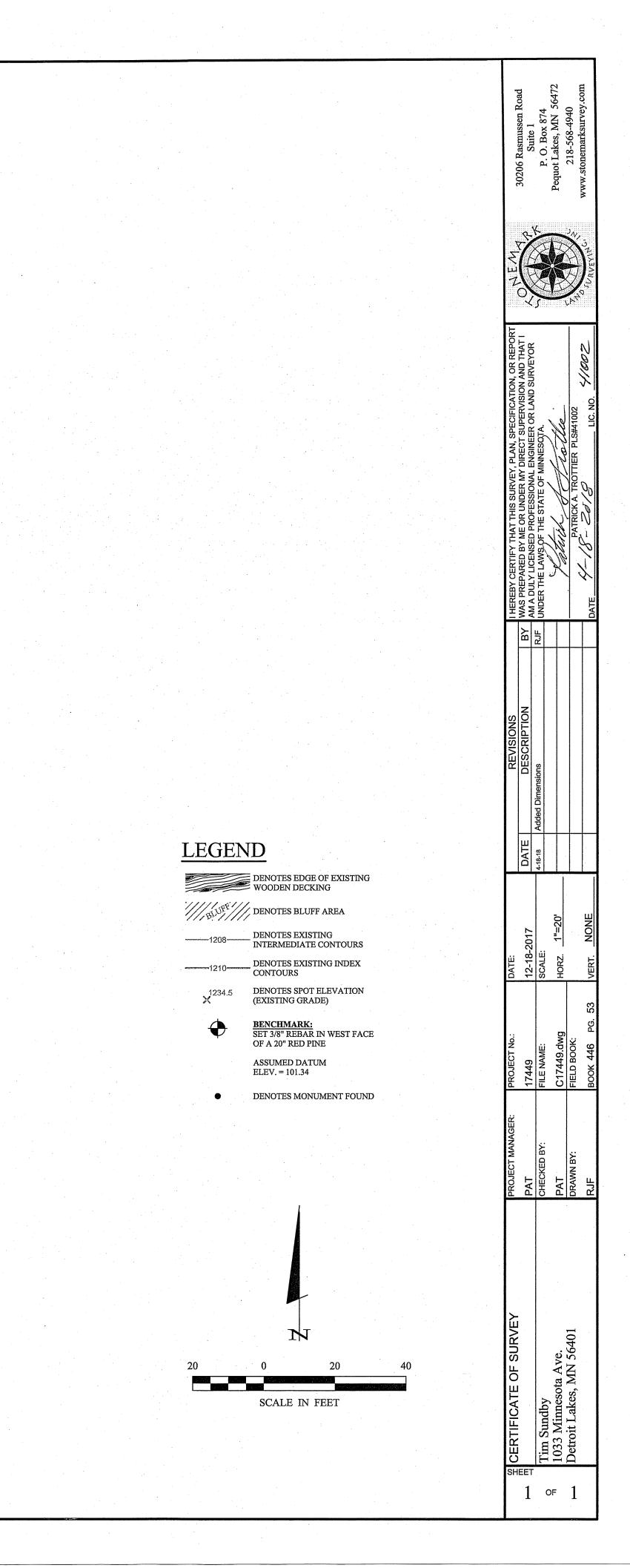
-BUILDING ENVELOPE ----

WOODSHED GARAGE

99.55 X

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The property address of subject parcel: 26842 Fox Road.
For full survey reference information see Certificate of Survey drawing signed by Cynthia M. Hidde on December 3, 2014 - Stonemark Land Surveying, Inc. file #14210.



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Timothy & Mary Sundby 930231203D00009

Timothy Sundby, property owner, was present. Frie read the request into the record, citing the Land Use Ordinance and staff comments. Discussion by the board members involved the 05-8-18 on-site, the bluff and Mississippi River setbacks and location to porch and entry way; stable bluff and area surrounding the cabin and bluff and the secluded area. There was discussion that any alternative locations for the screened porch would have to meet all required setbacks, or would need to seek a variance. The board stated that if the screened porch application was before the board as a variance, prior to construction, the board would not have approved the screen porch variance. The applicant stated that the cabin was reroofed and the entry constructed in 2014. The screened porch was constructed in 2017. Frie noted this application will be before the Mississippi Headwaters Board on May 25, 2018 for the final decision on this after the fact application. The board decided to place no conditions or timeline for removal of the screened porch due to the pending Mississippi River Headwaters decision.

May 17, 2018 Action:

Motion by Haglin; supported by Yliniemi to deny the variance for

- 1. Bluff setback of 0.5 feet where 30 feet is required to porch
- 2. Mississippi River setback of 52 feet where 150 feet is required to porch

For:

• 128 square foot porch

Motion by Haglin; supported by Yliniemi to approve the variance for

- 1. Bluff setback of 29 feet where 30 feet is required for entry
- 2. Mississippi River setback of 80 feet where 150 feet is required to entry

To allow:

• 24 square foot entry

Per findings of fact discussed, 05-8-18 on-site and as shown on the certificate of survey received at the Land Services Department on 04-18-18 located on Pt Gov Lot 3, Sec 23, Wolford Township.

Findings: See attached

All members voting "Aye", Motion carried



Summary of Record

Timothy & Mary Sundby – Part Gov Lot 3, Sec 23, Wolford Township, 930231203D00009, at 26842 Fox Road, Crosby, MN 56441

Request is an After-the-Fact Variance for:

- 1. Bluff setback of 0.5 feet where 30 feet is required to porch
- 2. Mississippi River setback of 52 feet where 150 feet is required to porch
- 3. Bluff setback of 29 feet where 30 feet is required to entry
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Chronology of events:

- November 13, 2017 Development Review Team Meeting
- April 18, 2018 Application submitted
- May 3, 2018 Notices sent out
- May 3, 2018– Published in local newspaper
- May 8, 2018 Board of Adjustment on-site
- May 17, 2018 Board of Adjustment Meeting Decision made to deny to allow the after-thefact variance request for river and bluff setback for screen porch and to approve to allow the after-the-fact variance request for river and bluff setback for entry

Packet Information:

- Notice of Hearing
- Staff Report
- Variance application
- Certificate of Survey

Correspondence:

• There was no correspondence received

<u>May 17, 2018</u>

FINDINGS OF FACT

SUPPORTING / DENYING A VARIANCE REQUEST

A Variance may be granted by the 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 394.27 Subdivision 7. The 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 X No Whv?

- An existing lot of record established prior to zoning regulations established in 1970.
- The impervious surface coverage is 5.5% which is below the 25% maximum allowed by Ordinance.

2. Is the Variance consistent with the Comprehensive Plan?

Yes X No Why?

- Encourage residential development that provides housing options for different socioeconomic groups – particularly the aging population – while protecting the characteristics that people value, a sense of community, as well as a plan to provide all citizens reasonable access to a diversity of recreational and open space opportunities (pg. 42)
- 3. Is the property owner proposing to use the property in a reasonable manner not permitted by the Land Use Ordinance?

Yes No X Whv?

- Although the 128 sq ft and 24 sq ft additions are minimal additions to the existing legal non-• conforming structure, the screened porch addition is an additional 8-foot encroachment to the top of the bluff, which is closer than the existing cabin
- 4. Is the need for a Variance due to circumstances unique to the property and not created by the property owner?

Yes X Whv?

No

- The property is located on a bluff and the original structure was built prior to bluff regulations established in 1990
- It is an existing legal non-conforming dwelling built prior to any zoning regulations in 1970
- 5. Will the issuance of a Variance maintain the essential character of the locality? No

Yes X

- Why?
- Maintain essential character of the locality due to the fact that the area is nice and secluded
- 6. Does the need for a Variance involve more than economic considerations? No

Yes X

Why?

- There is a minimal increase in impervious coverage from 4.5% to 5.5% •
- The addition of the entry is new roof to entry from awning that was previously there
- 7. Did the applicant fail to obtain a variance/or comply with the applicable requirements before commencing work? (Whether the applicant acted in good faith should be considered in the analysis of this factor)

Yes X No Why?

- After the fact, no permit was obtained •
- Acted in good faith after the fact and came in to apply for a variance
- 8. Did the applicant attempt to comply with the ordinance by obtaining the proper permits?

Yes No X Why?

- The property owner tried to obtain proper permits after he was notified of the need for a permit, following construction of the additions
- 9. Did the applicant make a substantial investment in or improvement to the property? No

Yes X Why?

- The porch and entry were not a substantial investment, but were an improvement to the property
- 10. Are there other similar structures in the neighborhood?

Yes No X Why?

- The are no similar structures as noted on the on-site on 05-08-18, very secluded area
- 11. Would the minimum benefits to the County appear to be far outweighed by the detriment the applicant would suffer if forced to move or remove the structure?

Yes X No

Why?

- Improving water quality, reducing soil erosion, bluff setback stability, by removing the screened porch
- There is not a lot of increase in water run-off, as the bluff is stable (by leaving the porch where it is)
- 12. What is the Township recommendation?

Approve Deny No Comment X

Decision: Motion by Haglin; supported by Yliniemi to deny the after the fact variance for

- 1. Bluff setback of 0.5 feet where 30 feet is required to porch
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Per findings of fact discussed, on-site conducted on 05-08-18 and as shown on the certificate of survey received at the Land Services Department on 04-18-18, located on Part of Gov Lot 3, Sec 23, Wolford Township.

Findings: As listed above

All members voting "Aye", Motion carried.

Date: 6<u>-21-18</u>

Signature: _____

Chairman



Staff Report

Property Owner/Applicant: Timothy & Mary Sundby

Parcel Number(s): 930231203D00009

Application Submitted: 04/18/18

Action Deadline: 06/16/18

60 Day Extension Signed: N/A

Authorized Agent: N/A

Current Zoning: Shoreland District

After the Fact Variance for:

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Existing Impervious Coverage: 4.5%

Proposed Impervious Coverage

5.5%

Stormwater Plan: A stormwater plan is not required with the impervious coverage below 15%

05-08-18 On-Site Comments – Best; Haglin; Frie; Giza; Zeik:

- Alternative locations
- Porch to the side
- Would not have approved with a non-after-the-fact variance request

11-13-18 Development Review Team Minutes:

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- Need to update COS from 2014, identify location of bluff, additions, setbacks
- No septic system, electricity on property
- Old outhouse and portable outhouse on site, CI needed on old outhouse, winter window needed
- Property is used about 2 times per month
- MHB process, final approval after County BOA meeting
- Packet of information will be mailed out for Tim Terril, Mississippi Headwaters Board
- Will not be able to access property after snow accumulation
- 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 8.1 of the County Land Use Ordinance
 - 2. A completed Variance application
 - 3. The public hearing fee of \$546.00

4. Winter Window agreement for the septic compliance

Parcel History:

- The property is classified as Shoreland District
- There is no permit history on this property

Agencies Notified and Responses Received:

Township: No comments were received as of 5-08-18 County Highway Dept: N/A DNR: No comments were received as of 5-08-18 MHB: No comments were received as of 5-08-18 Soil & Water: No comments were received as of 5-08-18 Concerned Parties: No comments were received as of 5-08-18

ACTION REQUIRED:

POSSIBLE MOTION: To approve/table/deny the After the Fact variance for:

- 1. Bluff setback of 0.5 feet where 30 feet is required to porch
- 2. Mississippi River setback of 52 feet where 150 feet is required to porch
- 3. Bluff setback of 29 feet where 30 feet is required to entry
- 4. Mississippi River setback of 80 feet where 150 feet is required to entry

To allow:

- 128 square foot porch
- 24 square foot entry

Per findings of fact discussed, on-site conducted on 05-08-18 and as shown on the certificate of survey received at the Land Services Department on 04-18-18, located on Part of Gov Lot 3, Sec 23, Wolford Township.



















ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT PO Box 3000 Courthouse, 303 Minnesota Ave W Walker MN 56484 218-547-7241

DATE: April 25, 2018 NOTICE OF HEARING FOR VARIANCE

APPLICANT: James A Nelson 11457 92nd Ave NE ADDRESS: Deer River MN 56636

- LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Part of Govt Lot 3, Section: 11-143-25 PID # 43-011-1402 Torrey Township
- MEETING DATE: Monday, May 14, 2018 at 11:30 AM (time is approximate, please plan on being here 15 minutes prior to scheduled time)
- PLACE: Cass County Land Department Building 218 Washburn Ave E, Backus, MN 56435

PURPOSE: An application submitted to construct a 32 feet x 60 feet detached accessory structure garage/shop located 115 feet from the river. The applicable portions of the Land Use Ordinance include Section 800 which establishes the variance criteria and Section F of the Mississippi Headwaters Plan which requires structures to be setback 150 feet from the river along those areas of the corridor classified as Scenic. The property contains 36.29 acres riparian to the Mississippi River (Scenic). The field inspection for this application will be conducted 05/07/18 at 10:45 AM.

TO: ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS:

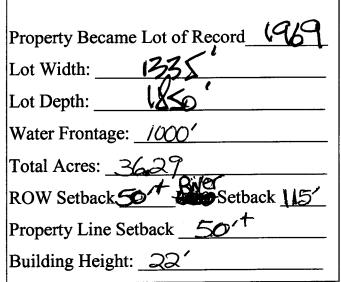
This is the notice of hearing for a variance. ESD attempts to notify all property owners within ¹/₄ mile of the property of the applicant or the nearest 10 property owners whichever results in the most notices. Please share this notice with anyone that may have not been notified. If you have questions, please contact ESD at 218-547-7241. A complete copy of the variance application may be viewed at or obtained from our office.

Written comments maybe submitted to Paul Z. Fairbanks, ESD, Cass County Courthouse, PO Box 3000, Walker MN 56484. Comments may also be submitted to <u>paul.fairbanks@co.cass.mn.us</u>.

Parcel ID # <u>43-011-1402</u>	
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Applicant is: Owner: <u>X</u> Agent	_
Property Owner: JAmes A Nolson	
Mailing Address: <u>11457 92nd AV. N.E</u>	
City, State, Zip: <u>Deer River, Mns. 546</u>	<u>76</u>
Day Time Phone: 1-218-566-2374	
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Section <u>11</u> Twp: <u>143</u> Rg: <u>25</u>	
E-911 Address: <u>same as above</u>	_
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Legal Description: <u>Forrey Twp 143 Re</u>	25
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Property Information:



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Year ISTS installed:	TBI	1
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Section of Ordinance:	0/MHBSECT	-
Requested Use: <u>Closer</u>	OHW setback	
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INQPCL-1 Data Set: PRD		Description 4/24/18 11:42:27
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Mississippi Headwaters Management Plan

A publication of the Mississippi Headwaters Board

Rules and principles guiding protection of the first 400 miles of the Mississippi River.

Section F - Construction or Structure Standards

F.1. **Standards**

The following table establishes the minimum standards for lot size, lot width, structure and ISTS setback, shore impact zone, and structure height for each zoning classification. The following standards apply to the Corridor:

Classification	Minimum lot size	Structure setback from OHWM	ISTS setback from OHWM	Lot Width at OHWM and at Building line	Shore Impact Zone	Structure Height
River Wild	10 acres	200 feet	150 feet	330 feet	100 feet	18 feet
River Scenic	5 acres	150 feet	125 feet	330 feet	75 feet	35 feet
Headwaters Lakes: General Development*	30,000 square feet	100 feet	75 feet	100 feet	50 feet	35 feet
Headwaters Lakes: Recreational Development*	40,000 square feet	100 feet	75 feet	150 feet	50 feet	35 feet
Headwaters Lakes: Natural Environment*	80,000 square feet	150 feet	150 feet	200 feet	75 feet	35 feet

*Unsewered / single dwelling – see MN Rules 6120-3300.

The MHB recognizes that other local government, state, or federal regulations may be more restrictive than the above standards in certain areas or situations. The more restrictive regulations take precedence.

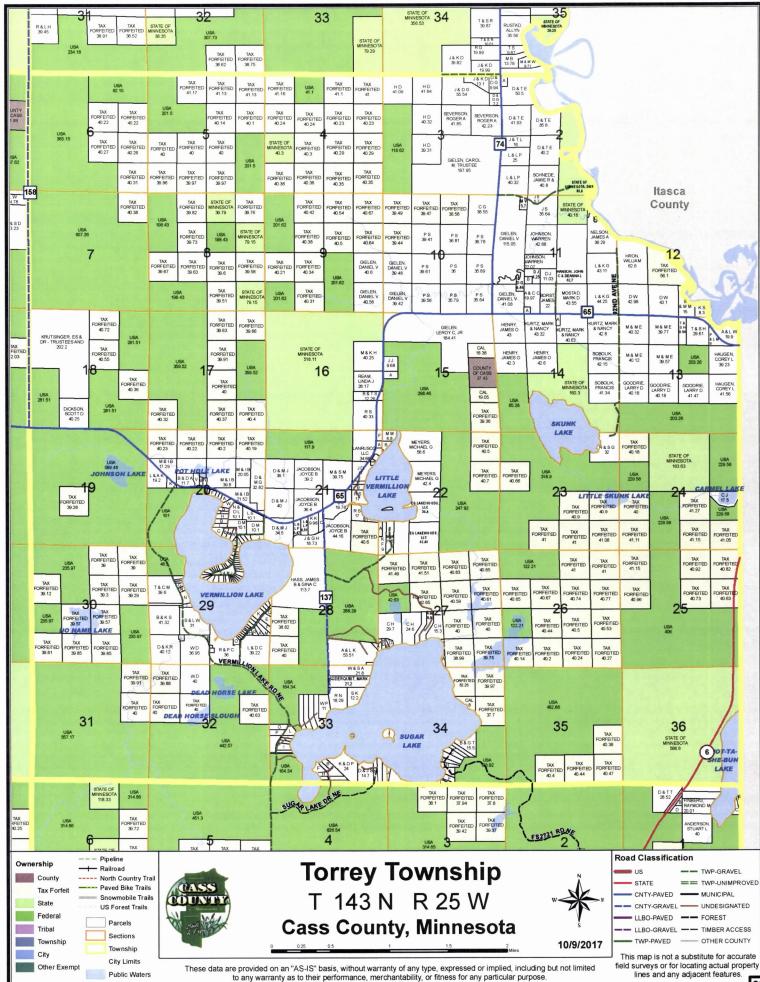
Agricultural Building Height Exemption F.2.

Buildings used for agricultural purposes are exempt from maximum structure height restrictions.

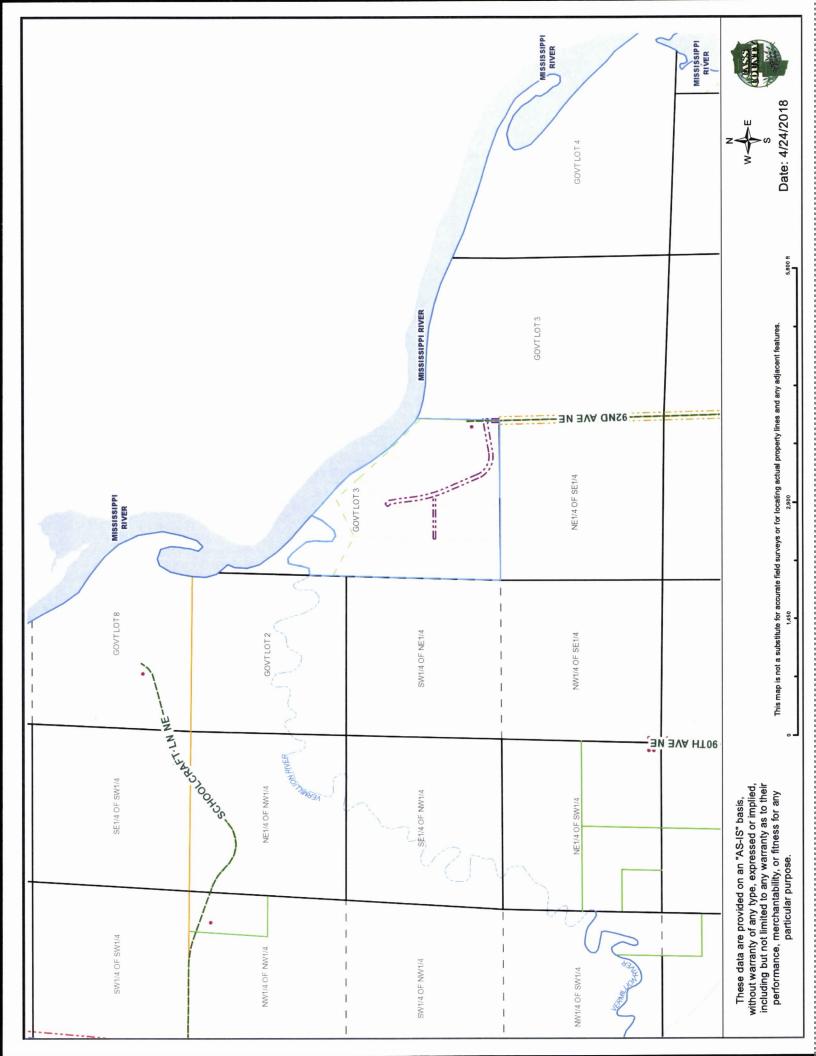
F.3. Substandard Lots

Lots that do not meet the above standards, and that are on record in the office of the County Recorder on or before the effective date of July 1, 1992, will be allowed as building sites if: 1) the use is allowed within the zoning district(s); 2) the lot is in single and separate ownership from adjoining lots at all times since it became substandard; 3) the lot meets the land suitability requirements of the Plan; and 4) all the sanitary and setback requirements are met.

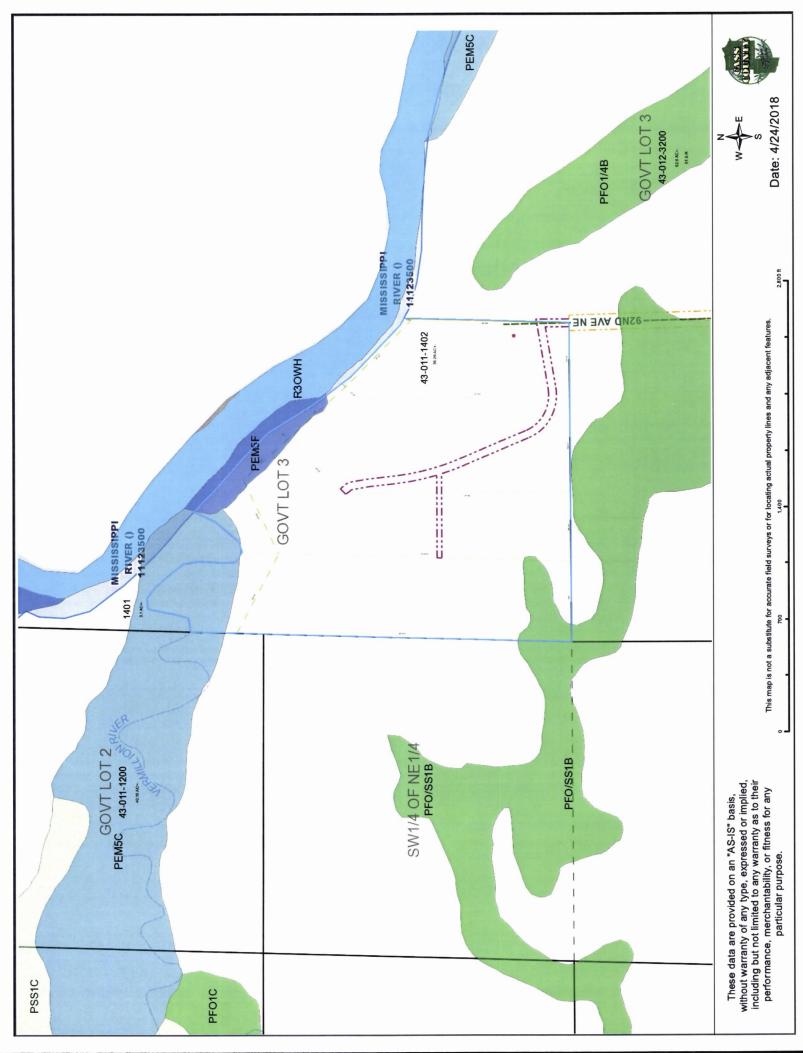
Substandard lots which change from ISTS to connect with public service districts or municipal systems do not require a variance for applicable sewage disposal infra-structure

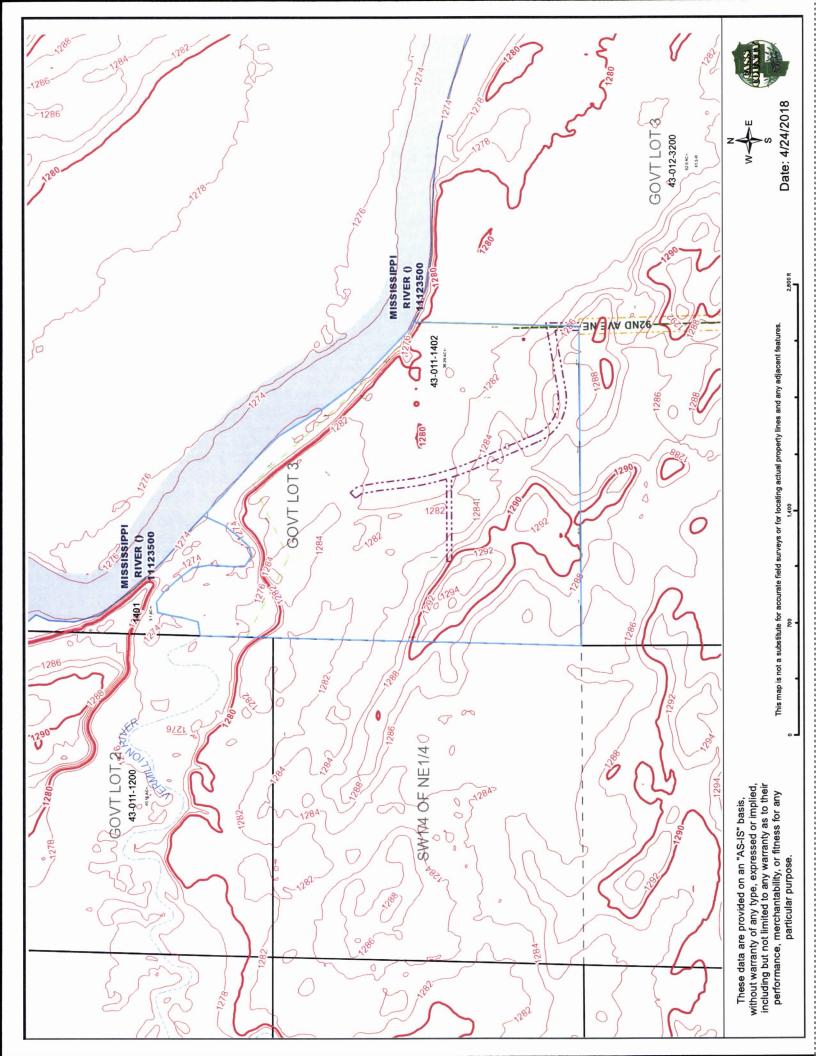


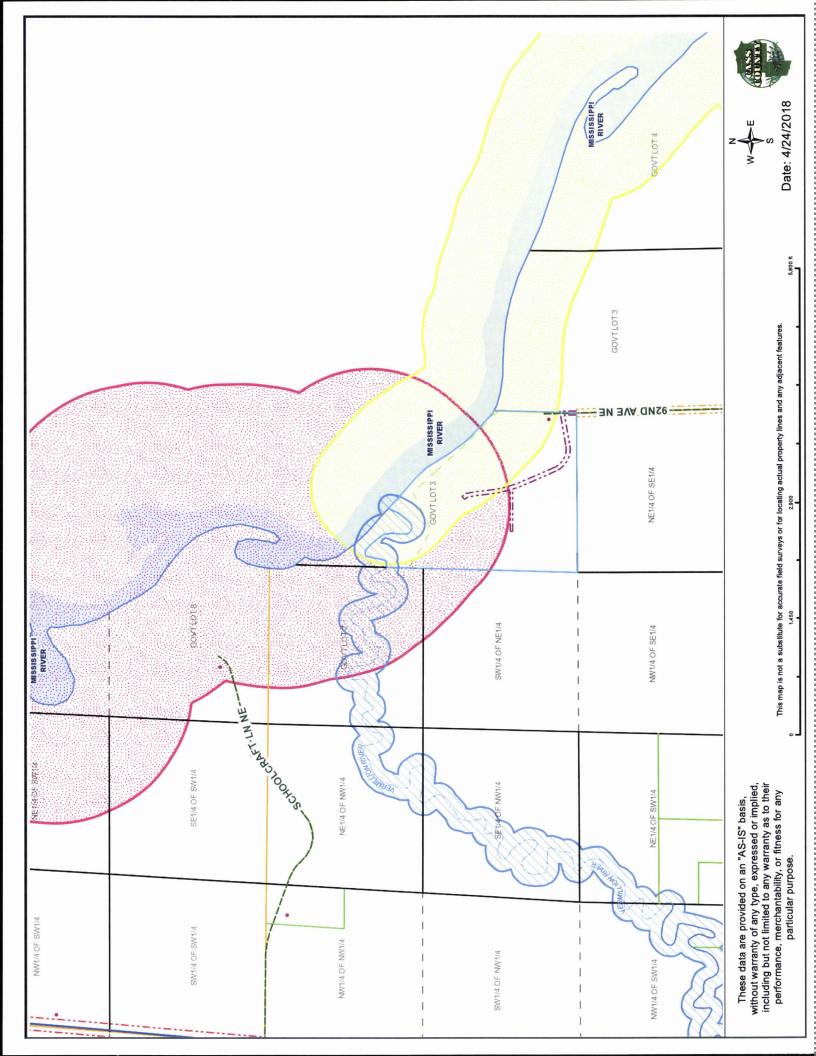


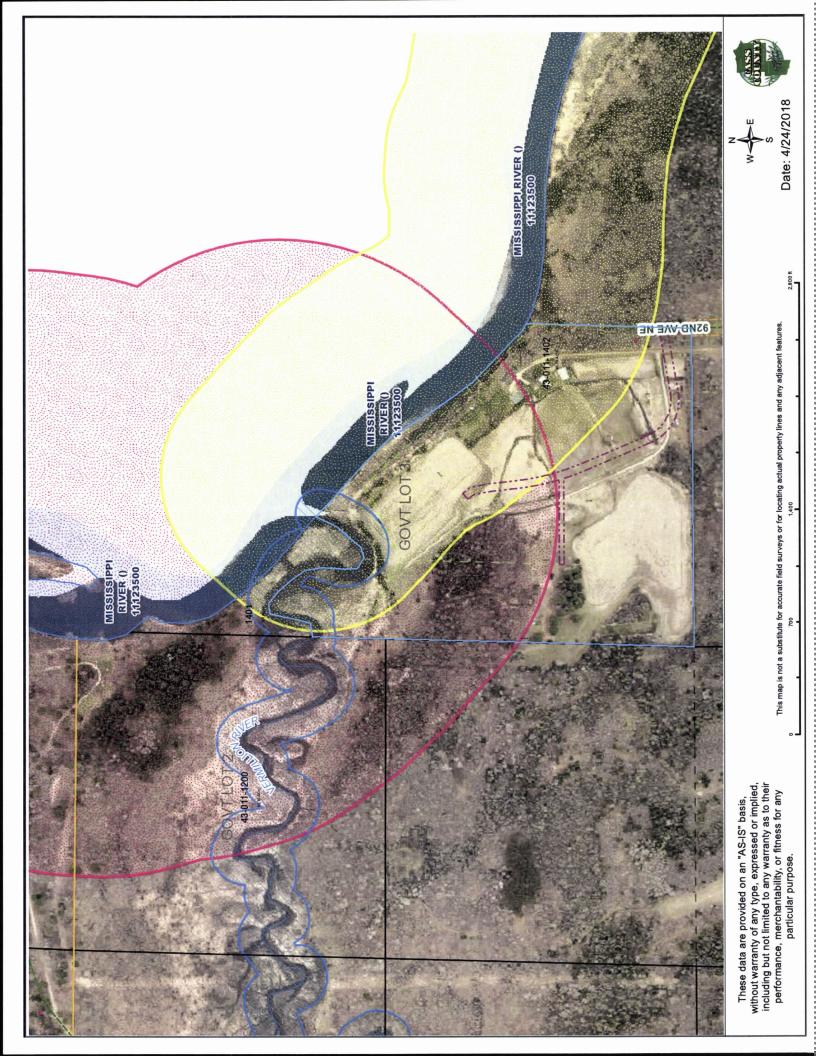


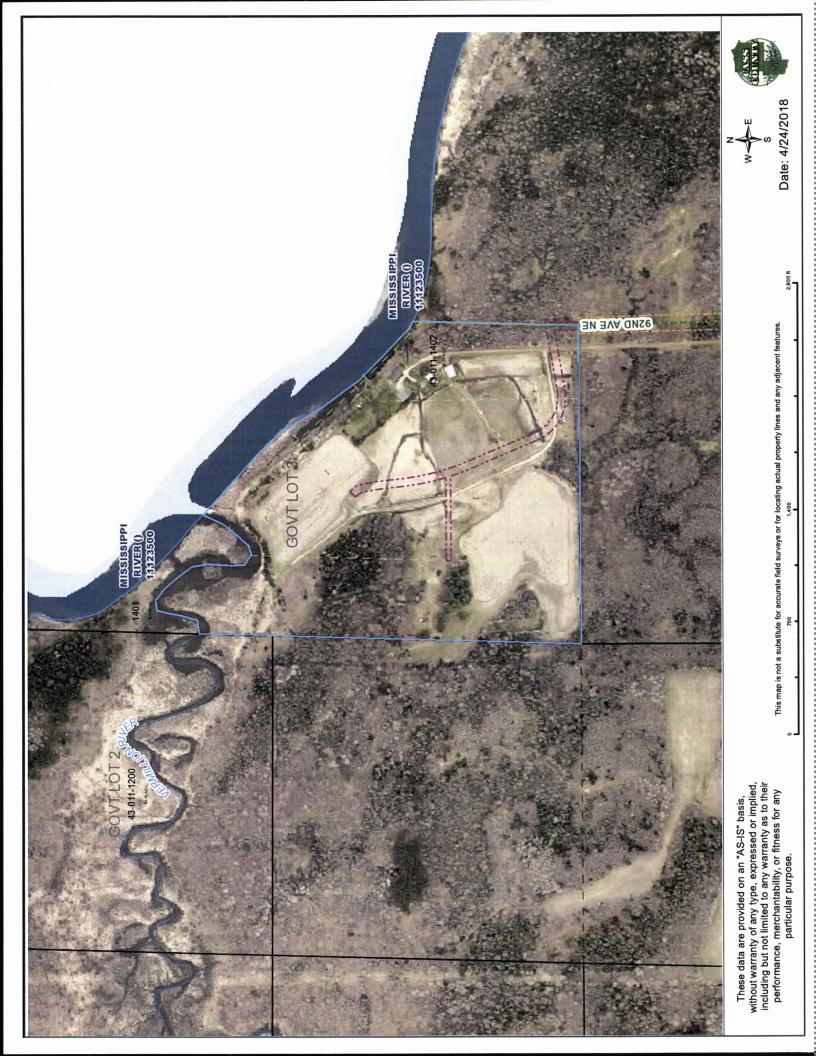


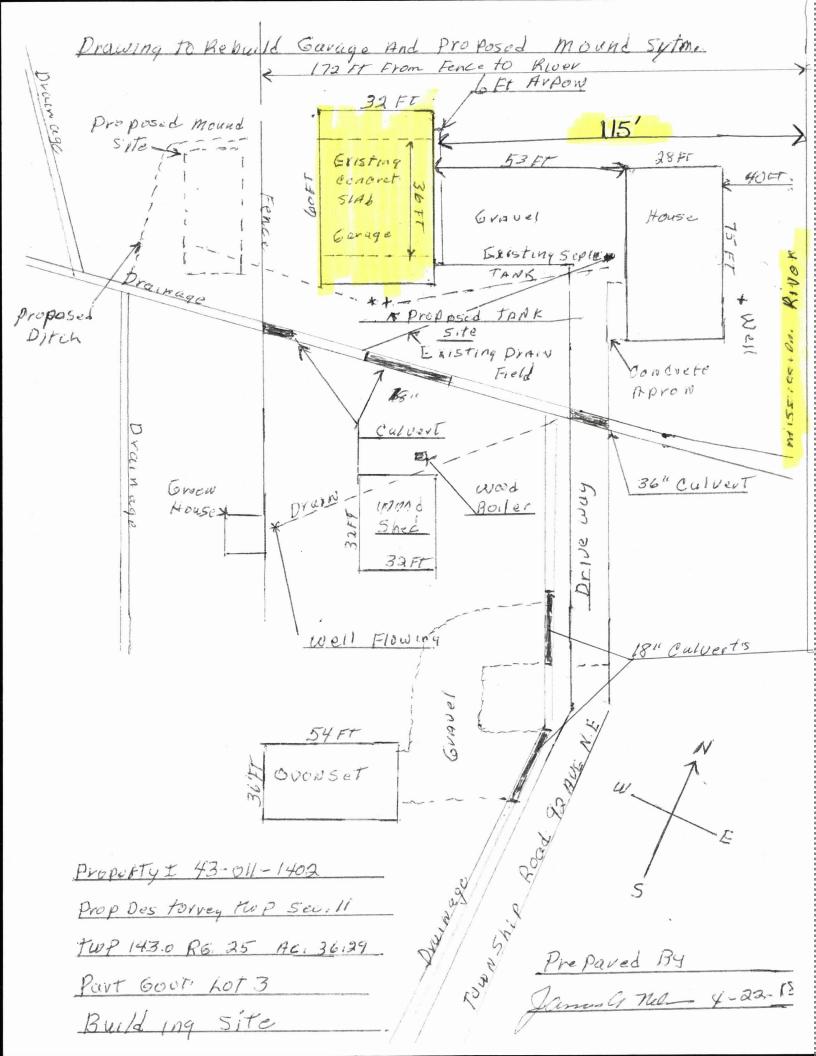


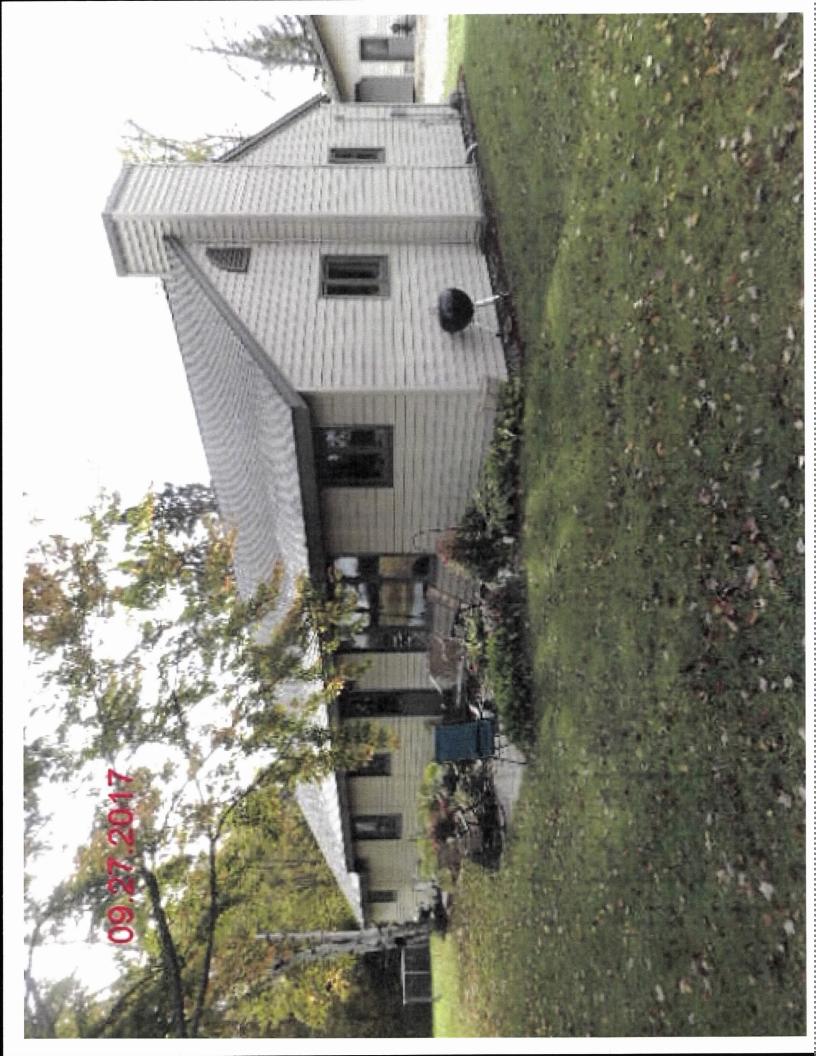




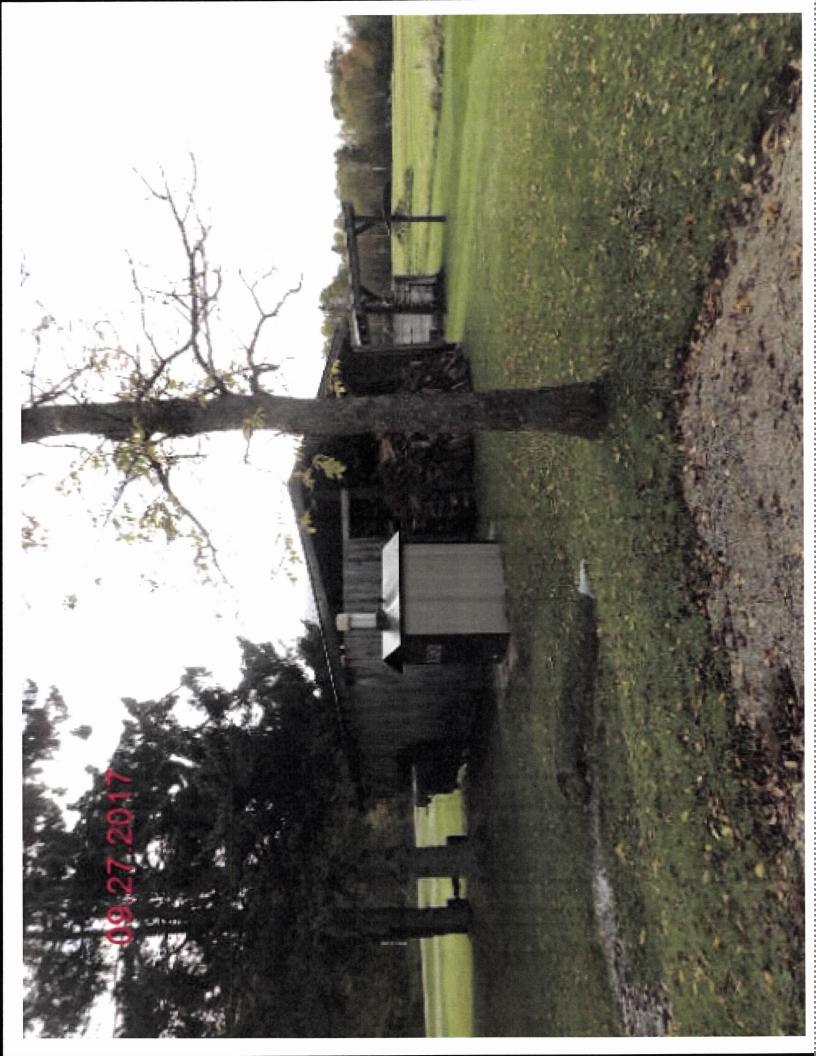




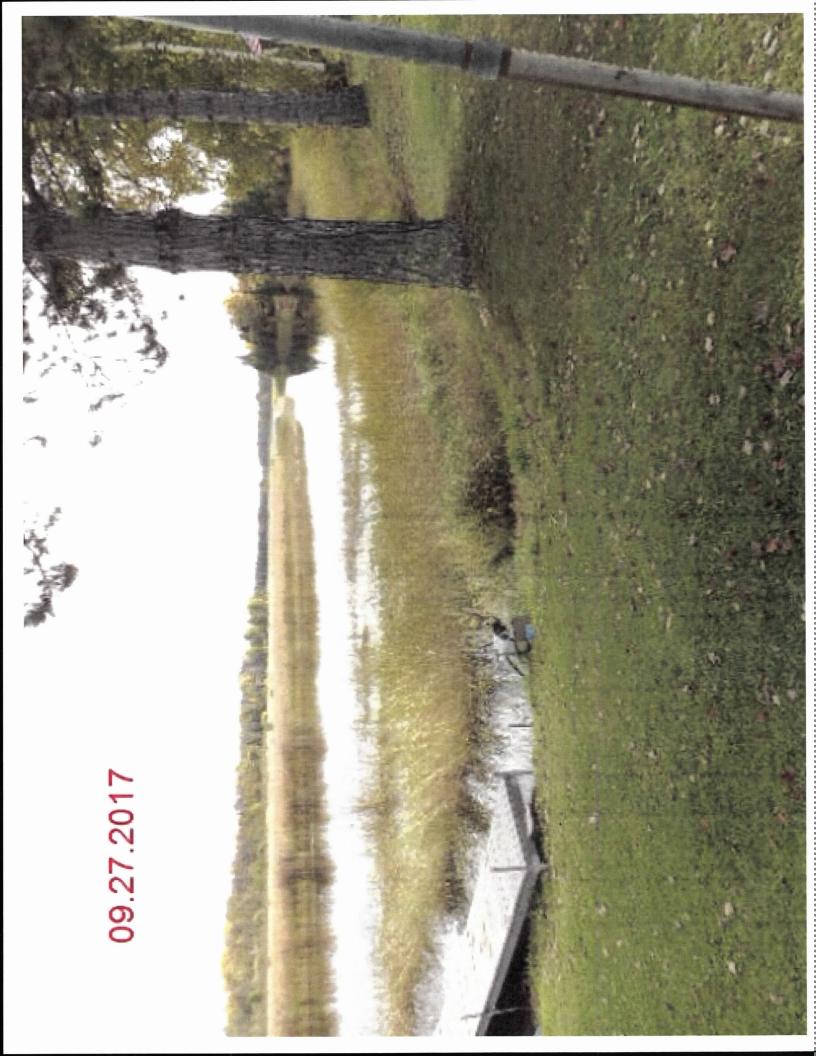


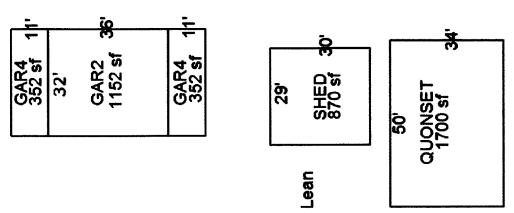


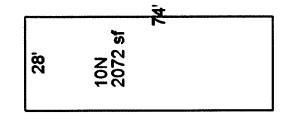












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43-011-2400	JOHNSON, WARREN	11293 90TH AVE NE	DEER RIVER, MN 56636	
43-011-3403	CARON, ANDREW S & CALL	11213 90TH AVE NE	DEER RIVER MN 56636	
43-002-3100	EVANS, DAVID F & TAMMY	PO BOX 97	DEER RIVER MN 56636	
43-011-4100	GIELEN, LEROY & KATHLEE	11259 92ND AVE NE	DEER RIVER MN 56636	ner i uutbul de annu i i i i i i i i i
43-011-4202	HANSON, JOHN C & DEANN	11296 90TH AVE NE	DEER RIVER, MN 56636-9	
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	HARMS, DANIEL	TORREY TWP CHAIR	9661 SUGAR LAKE TRL NE	DEER RIVER MN 56636
43-012-3200	HRON, WILLIAM	37043 PINCHERRY RD	COHASSET MN 55721	
43-011-3402	BORST, JAMES	11227 90TH AVE NE	DEER RIVER MN 56636	
43-011-3101	JOHNSON, DIANE J	5456 100TH AVE	CLEAR LAKE MN 55319-95	
43-012-3400	WILLIAMS, DANIEL M, ETAL	9362 COUNTY 65 NE	DEER RIVER, MN 56636-9	
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Variance Findings & Conditions

<u>Nelson, James, Torrey Township</u> on property described as Part of Govt Lot 3, Section 11-143-25, PID #43-011-1402 located at 11457 92nd Avenue NE. An application submitted to construct a 32 feet x 60 feet detached accessory structure garage/shop located 115 feet from the river. The applicable portions of the Land Use Ordinance include Section 800 which establishes the variance criteria and Section F of the Mississippi Headwaters Plan which requires structures to be setback 150 feet from the river along those areas of the corridor classified as Scenic. The property contains 36.29 acres riparian to the Mississippi River (Scenic).

PC members were at the site 05/08/18. 19 notices of the application were mailed with no responses received. The application was reviewed and discussed with the applicant's representative/contractor Mr. Jay Riffle.

<u>MS/P Fitch/Pehling</u> to approve the variance to expand the accessory structure to replace the one destroyed by fire from 32 feet x 58 feet to 32 feet x 60 feet to be located upon PID #43-011-1402 as submitted based upon review of the criteria contained in Section 800 of the Land Use Ordinance, M.S. 394.27 Subdivision 7 and Section F of the Mississippi Headwaters Plan with these findings and conditions:

Findings:

1. The parcel was established and became a lot of record in 1969 prior to the establishment of the Mississippi Headwaters Board.

2. There is nothing in the permit archive to determine when the residence was constructed.

3. The setback of the garage at 125 feet was approved and established by V93-143-25-1.

4. The garage approved by V93-143-25-1 was destroyed by fire 02/18.

5. The applicant wishes to rebuild at the same location with a modest increase in size to accommodate current larger vehicles, 32 feet x 58 feet to 32 feet x 60 feet.

6. Approval of the application assuming compliance with applicable erosion control related conditions will not restrict the passage of storm water in such a manner as to increase the height of flooding or impact adjacent properties.

7. Approval will not result in an incompatible land use that is detrimental to the protection of ground and surface water quality.

8. There is no reason or evidence to conclude that financial consideration is the sole reason for the application.

9. Based upon the above findings and the following conditions associated with this approval, there is nothing to indicate that the proposed garage will alter, disturb or negatively impact existing land use or neighboring property which does not contradict the purpose of the Land Use Ordinance which is to protect, preserve

and enhance the quality of the lakes, rivers, forests, wetlands, natural land forms and open space for future generations and to promote health, safety, and general welfare or the purpose of the Comprehensive Plan which is to 1.) Provide a rational basis to make difficult land and resource decisions wisely, 2.) Eliminate the conflicts caused by unplanned development, 3.) Improve coordination and communication between county, local governments and the citizens in land use planning, and 4.) Protect the County's natural resources from degradation.

NOTICE TO APPLICANT: If the following conditions are included no permit to implement shall be issued until:

1. ESD required and approved erosion control is installed.

2. If shoreline vegetative enhancement, restoration or no mow is required by ESD or the Planning Commission, a plan shall be approved by ESD and agreed to be implemented by applicant.

3. As determined by ESD staff the plan may be substantially implemented or financial assurance in an amount determined by ESD staff in the form of cash or a letter of credit shall be submitted.

No site preparation or building construction shall be commenced until issuance of a permit. Commencement of either prior to issuance of a Permit may result in withholding, withdrawal or revocation of a permit until inspection by ESD, correction of any circumstances in violation of laws or ordinances or the terms of this variance, deposit of financial assurance as determined by ESD to secure correction of violations and completion of other measures as required by ESD.

Conditions:

1. The location and size of the replacement garage shall not vary from that submitted 04/24/18 with the application and shall not be altered without approval of ESD staff or if necessary the Planning Commission.

2. Applicant shall consent to inspection of the property by ESD staff to verify compliance with conditions.

3. No run-off to the river or adjoining properties is permitted. Run-off shall be directed by gutters or other means to natural water retention features located upon the property or structures such as rain gardens.

4. ESD staff must determine and if required construction erosion control shall be installed.

5. Any material resulting from construction not reused or recycled must be disposed of in a permitted facility.

6. If vegetative enhancement or restoration is required by ESD staff or the Planning Commission, a plan shall be approved by ESD and agreed to be implemented by applicant.

7. As determined by ESD staff the plan may be substantially implemented or financial assurance in an amount determined by ESD staff in the form of cash or a letter of credit shall be submitted.

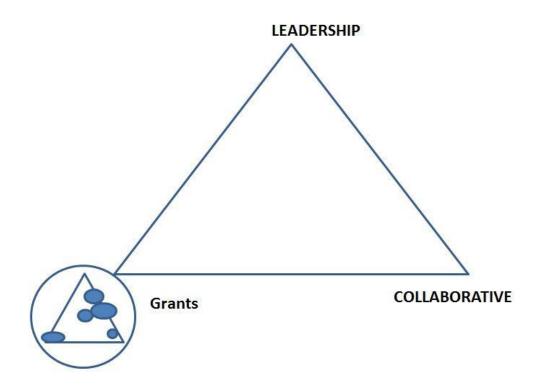
8. If financial assurance is required, ESD shall determine a schedule to return and/or reduce the amount of financial assurance.

9. Unless commenced or otherwise extended or revised by the Planning Commission this approval shall be effective until 05/14/20.

COMPLIANCE WITH ALL CONDITIONS IS REQUIRED. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY CONDITION SHALL RESULT IN A VIOLATION AND SUBJECT THE APPLICANT TO ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES WHICH MAY INCLUDE, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, REVOCATION OF THIS VARIANCE, REMOVAL OF VIOLATIONS AND MITIGATION.

Action/Discussion

Executive Director's Report Accelerated Ruffed Grouse Action Plan explanation Comp plan Revision



Executive Director Report April-May 2018

Personnel, Budget, Administration, Information & Education, Correspondence

- 1. Reviewed monthly budget.
- 2. Prepared monthly agenda packet.
- 3. Sent in monthly expense report.
- 4. Reviewed potential variances that may be coming before the Board next month.
- 5. Attended call in meetings with MPCA.
- 6. Held conversation with Paula West about targeting areas for conservation using RAQ maps.
- 7. Sent email to Holly Holm from Explore Brainerd Lakes to see if the historical society and the MHB Canoe Days event could somehow work together.
- 8. Sent out 2019 budget request letter to counties.
- 9. Sent out request for meeting for Canoe Days. Checked into pricing for T shirts.
- 10. Helped organize Bemidji PMA 25 meeting for stakeholders to see results of feasibility study.

Meetings & Networking

- 1. Attended CW annual township meeting and gave presentation.
- 2. Attended Beltrami annual township meeting and gave presentation.
- 3. Attended Pine River 1W1P meeting.
- 4. Met Guy Jarvis, President of Liquid Pipelines and discussed our work with Enbridge on the Bemidji project. Also talked with Patrick Hughley, Sr. Community Engagement for the Enbridge and discussed relationship building with the LLBO.
- 5. Talked with Mark Johnson from the LSOHC to find out more about the Ruffed Grouse Action Plan opportunity.
- 6. Held meeting with Aitkin SWCD to discuss future easement prospecting opportunities.
- 7. Held AIS campaign meeting with Chip and Greg.
- 8. Sent AIS and Recreational reports to participating coordinators and Land Commissioners.
- 9. Reviewed parcel with DNR fisheries on Marquette Lake.

Summary of Changes to Current MHB Comp Plan

Edits will be made to part 1 of the plan to reflect changes in parts 2 and 3. A professional editor was hired to review over the plan and make suggestions on grammatical, format, and flow of the document.

General Comments:

- 1. The current plan with zoning ordinance is 109 pages, the updated plan will be around 72 pages.
- 2. Table of Contents updated.
- 3. Paper maps were updated to an interactive map.
- 4. 1980 Joint Powers agreement was placed on MHB website and referenced.
- 5. Minnesota Statue 103F was placed as a link in the plan.
- 6. Minor grammatical and format changes.
- 7. Duplicative words or lines that repeat state statute were deleted from the text in various sentences.
- 8. Headwater Alerts removed.

Section F: numbers 3 & 4 were updated to be in the active voice (pg. 10). Number 6-9 were moved in front of the partners table to help with flow and continuity.

Management Plan Part II

Section A: Vision Statement removed because it is similar to the mission on pg. 6.

Section A: some qualitative and quantitative sentences were changed in the Significance section. Paragraph #2 and #3 was added as an update to reflect current water quality and habitat values.

Section B: last section added to the values and implementation methods paragraph to reflect current plans that complement our plan.

Section C: Values- Deleted bullet points and developed a narrative that has a statutory responsibility tone. Historical and cultural values were combined as one section.

Administrative Directives eliminated from this plan because it was deemed as not necessary by MHB Commission as part of the Comp. plan. The thought was that this is more of a bylaw than part of the Comp. plan.

Appendix 1. Performance Standards

5/1/18

Pages 40-146

This is the model zoning ordinance was changed from Part III to appendix 1.

Section B: first paragraph eliminated because this is more legal interpretation.

Section C:

C.1.a,b,c,d were combined into one paragraph.

C.2 Compliance was updated and referenced MN Rules in a separate paragraph.

C.3 a-d were combined as a paragraph rather than separate points.

C.4 Severability and plan amendments were combined and last sentence omitted regarding annual review.

Section D: the Corridor language was changed to reference the MHB interactive map and a link added to connect to the MHB website.

Section E. Description changed from river mile to interactive map.

Section F: **VERY IMPORTANT because this is additional information.** Existing Legal Non-Conforming lots of record paragraph added for defining what a non-conforming lot is. B and C were rearranged from the current Comp plan to help with flow.

NOTEWORTHY: Impervious surface performance standards were added and language was derived from the Crow Wing county ordinance.

Section G: Unified Site Plan deleted because counties have their own procedures and forms that provide enough information for the Board to make a decision.

Section H2: This section was rearranged and a KEY was added to the table. Manufactured homes (pre-fab home on a cement slab) and single travel trailers were deleted from the list as a conditional use because counties administer now as a permit.

Section I: Domestic water supply was deleted because it is covered by the Dept. of Health. Public waters setback and changed look where Section III F is in accordance with this plan. Well standards was deleted because it is covered by the Dept. of Health. Public STS was deleted because it is not needed and is required to be hooked up to one if available. Changed to SSTS to reflect current language.

Section J: Storm water management was shortened because it is a repeat of state law and counties follow the law.

Section K: Vegetation management removed because MN Rules chapter 6120 covers this and is mentioned in K1 Grading, Filling and alterations in beds of public waters was changed to say alterations within the shoreland structure setback because this is what the section is talking about.

Section L. MPCA reference in L1 was removed. New animal feedlots permitted was removed because state rules define this. Existing feed lots changed the county feedlot officer to MPCA registrations because not all counties have a feedlot officer.

Section M: M1- a link was added to the paragraph and date of MN forest resource council date updated. 2nd paragraph removed because it is a repeat of what the manual states.

Section O: Deleted that the LGU shall notify the MHB of road projects and submit a summary because the paragraph before places the responsibility on LGU's.

O3- Unified Site Plan changed to Site Plan. Everything else was left the same.

Section R: Unified Site Plans, Accessory structures prohibited, and access road removed because a plan is required by the county to address these issues. CUP considerations shortened because MN Statute 394 covers this.

Section R: Unified Site Plan removed.

Section T: Section bulleted. T.5- Conservation Development added as a header in which PUD,CIC, and CHU fall under, and Con. Dev. added to glossary.

Section V: If there is a statute change then this section will need to be updated and the correct definition of zoning authority placed in the Glossary.

V.2: Legal Nonconforming Uses- Destruction of structure deleted because MN state law 394.36 regulates this.

V.3: CUP- extra detail deleted from plan because it is redundant of MN statute 394.

V.5: Variances- hardship changed to practical difficulties due to word change and added to glossary.

V.7: Five year review of Comp plan deleted from the process.

Section W: If there is a statute change then this section will need to be updated.

Section X: this is a repeat of statute and what the GBA is using to skip certification by MHB.

Appendix 3- Placed interactive map link there.

Appendix 5- JPB agreement link placed here.

Appendix 6- Deleted the statute and placed link to website there.

Appendix 7- added this from Comp plan as per Commissioners request. Updated.