#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Date: July 23, 2024 9:00 a.m.

Place: Commissioners Room, Courthouse, Caledonia, MN

Members Present: Dewey Severson, Eric Johnson, Robert Burns, Bob Schuldt (attended remotely

via zoom), and Greg Myhre

Others Present:

Interim Auditor/Treasurer Polly Heberlein, Fillmore County Journal Reporter Charlene Selbee, The Caledonia Argus Associate Editor Rose Korabek, Interim Administrator Carol Lapham, Board Clerk/EDA Director Allison Wagner, Recorder Mary Betz, Public Health and Human Services Director John Pugleasa, Public Health Supervisor Jordan Knoke, Deputy Auditor/Treasurer Mark Bennett, Deputy Auditor/Treasurer Amy Sylling, Engineer Brian Pogodzinski, Human Resources Director Theresa Arrick-Kruger, Assessor Lucas Onstad, IT Director Andrew Milde, Zoning Administrator Amelia Meiners, Shirley Johnson, Deb Wray, and Chuck Schulte

Presiding: Chairperson Johnson

Call to order.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion was made by Commissioner Burns, seconded by Commissioner Severson motion unanimously carried to approve the agenda. The Commissioners voted by roll. All commissioners voted yes.

Prior to the minutes being approved Commissioner Severson said he noticed the list of payments in the minutes had amounts that appeared to be off by one line. He asked that this be corrected. Motion was made by Commissioner Severson, seconded by Commissioner Myhre, motion unanimously carried to approve the meeting minutes from July 16, 2024 with the correction. The Commissioners voted by roll. All commissioners voted yes.

**Public Comment:** 

Chuck Schulte spoke against the decision (that had been made the week prior) to increase wheelage tax in Houston County from \$10.00 to \$20.00. He said "you are looking at the wrong end of the stick", and suggested the County should contact the State for a larger share of the cost. Schulte said he had also noticed that the Board of Commissioner meeting recordings on the website were dated, and that the last one was from June. He said the recordings should be updated in a more timely manner.

#### **APPOINTMENTS**

Houston County Historical Society President Shirley Johnson and Houston County Historical Society Vice President Deborah Wray gave a Houston County Historical Society annual presentation to the board. Johnson thanked the County board and residents for their continued support. She said projects continued, as they were working to maintain their buildings. She said a new Houston County artists art gallery would be on display at the Historical Society. Commissioner Johnson said he enjoyed seeing new displays each year at fair time. He thanked the Historical Society volunteers for their service. The Commissioners agreed.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

Prior to any motions being made Commissioner Myhre said he wanted to see Consent Agenda Item No. 2 be pulled from the consent agenda and moved to discussion items, as there was a possibly of combining departments, and not needing a department head solely for Environmental Services. Myhre said he was still in favor of Amelia Meiners temporarily filling the role in the interim. The Commissioners discussed the matter of advertising for an Environmental Services Director despite the fact that the department might be restructured in the future. Kruger said the position could be advertised, and the board could still decide not to fill it. It was eventually decided that the matter would stay on the Consent Agenda. Commissioner Johnson asked about the step for the Interim County Environmental Services Director. He said the step was more than a 3% increase that was typically used. He said his comment was in no way a reflection of the good work the person was doing, but that he wanted to make sure the County was being fair. Kruger agreed, but said this was an extenuating circumstance as the department was already short staffed in addition to the current Environmental Services Director leaving. She also said the Interim Director was coming into the role with previous experience in the role. Commissioner Johnson said he wanted it to be clear that this was an interim appointment, and that in the future it could be decided there was not a need for a permanent Environmental Services Director. Motion by Commissioner Severson, seconded by Commissioner Burns, motion unanimously carried to approve the consent agenda. The Commissioners voted by roll. All Commissioners voted yes. Items are listed below.

- 1) Appoint Amelia Meiners as the Interim County Environmental Services Director, D61, Step 5, effective 08/05/2024.
- 2) Initiate a competitive search for an Environmental Services Director.
- 3) Change Lynn Colsch's appointment from .75 FTE to 1.0 FTE effective 07/29/2024.
- 4) Change the employment status of Social Worker, Jennifer Curtis, from probationary to regular, effective 08/12/2024.
- 5) Initiate a competitive search for a 1.0 FTE probationary PHHS Account Clerk, B23.
- 6) Approve revising the current Public Health Nurse search to that of a PHN or Staff RN. (Staff RN hire will be required to attain the PHN status within 3 years from date of hire.)

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

File No. 1 – Commissioner Severson moved, Commissioner Myhre seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve Resolution No. 24-24 and Final Acceptance for Airport Hanger Contract Nadeau Companies, LLC. The Commissioners voted by roll. All Commissioners voted yes. Resolution is below.

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 24-24**

#### FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR AIRPORT HANGAR TAXILANE CONTRACT NADEAU COMPANIES, LLC

#### July 23, 2024

WHEREAS, The Contract for the Airport Hangar Taxilane construction has in all things been completed, and the County Board being fully advised in the premises,

NOW, THEN BE IT RESOLVED, That we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of the County of Houston and authorize final payment as specified herein.

File No. 2 – Commissioner Burns moved, Commissioner Schuldt seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve the MN/Dot Aeronautics grant for the Fuelmaster card reader grant and adopt Resolution No. 24-25. The Commissioners voted by roll. All Commissioners voted yes. Resolution is below.

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 24-25**

# AUTHORIZATOIN TO EXECUTE MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION GRANT AGREEMENT FOR AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT EXCLUDING LAND ACQUISITION

BE IT RESOLVED by the **County of Houston** as follows:

- That the State of Minnesota Agreement No. <u>1057508</u>, "Grant Agreement for Airport Improvement Excluding Land Acquisition," for State Project No. <u>A2801-36</u> at the <u>Houston County Airport</u> is accepted.
- 2. That the County Board Chairperson and Interim County Auditor/Treasurer are authorized to execute this Agreement and any amendments on behalf of the **County of Houston**.

File No. 3 – Engineer Pogodzinski said he wanted to clarify a section of minutes that had been previously approved. Commissioner Severson moved, Commissioner Burns seconded, motion unanimously carried to clarify 7-2-24 board minutes under File No. 2 to indicate repairs to the building and not an entire new building. The Commissioners voted by roll, and all voted yes to the clarification. Minutes should have read: Commissioners discussed repairs to the

Spring Grove salt shed that had occurred due to an accident. Repairs to the shed would cost \$58,950.00. The Highway Department would also need to remove some materials from the shed. The building had a \$2,500 deductible. MCIT was willing to cover the costs and up to 30% of a replacement cover, or the cover could be repaired. Pogodzinski suggested getting a new cover as it had held up beyond it's warranty. The new cover would have a 25 year warranty. The cost to the County would be \$10,000. Commissioner Myhre moved, Commissioner Severson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve spending \$10,000 towards a new hoop cover with the rest of the repairs being covered by MCIT.

File No. 4 — Commissioners discussed the possibly of applying to a Ucare grant to support building renovations at the Public Health Office with Public Health and Human Services Director Pugleasa and Public Health Supervisor Knoke. Commissioner Burns asked if the grant required a match. Pugleasa said he was not sure. Commissioner Johnson asked what specific items would be requested through the grant. Pugleasa said they did not know yet, as the grant had just recently been released. He said if grant funds were awarded the matter would come back before the board to be accepted. Commissioner Burns moved, Commissioner Severson seconded, motion carried four to one to approve Ucare grant application to support building renovations at the Public Health Office. The Commissioners voted by roll. Commissioners Severson, Burns, Schuldt, and Myhre voted yes. Commissioner Johnson voted no saying the board did not have enough information.

File No. 9 – Commissioner Severson moved, Commissioner Myhre seconded, motion unanimously carried to review and approve payments. Payment are below.

#### **REVIEW LICENSE CENTER PAYMENTS**

#### 2024/07/17 AUDITOR WARRANTS:

VENDOR NAME	AMOUNT
HAGEN/PAUL	31,297.50
NORTHERN STATES POWER	6,452.00
SE SWCD TECHNICAL SUPPORT JPB	11,062.08
WITT/KENNETH	25,601.78
	74,413.36
6 VENDORS PAID LESS THAN \$2000.00	4,429.82
	78,843.18

#### 2024/07/23 COMMISSIONER'S WARRANTS:

VENDOR NAME	AMOUNT
DUNN BLACKTOP COMPANY	1,336,965.43
ENTERPRISE FM	16,918.30
LIBERTY TIRE RECYCLING LLC	3,401.40
MIENERGY COOPERATIVE	4,660.57
MNCCC	12,836.62
NADEAU COMPANIES LLC	13,565.40
OFFICE OF MNIT SERVICES	2,342.15
RON WEYMILLER CONSTRUCTION	12,834.93
STREET SMART RENTALS LLC	3,010.94
TRIMIN SYSTEMS INC	20,944.00
	1,427,479.74
22 VENDORS PAID LESS THAN \$2000.00	9,916.34
	1,437,396.08
PUBLIC HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES	6596.58
	1,443,992.66

#### Public Comment:

None.

#### DISCUSSION ITEMS

Commissioners discussed recent and upcoming meetings including a Department Head, Hiawatha Valley Mental Health, Wildcat, and Zoning meeting.

Commissioner Johnson said a member of the Historical Society would be attending the next workgroup session to discuss possibilities for the old historic jail.

Commissioner Myhre said he wanted the County to put out a RFP to look at health insurance options.

Commissioner Myhre said he had been visiting some townships.

There being no further business at 10:24 a.m., a motion was made by Commissioner Severson seconded by Commissioner Myhre, motion unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting. The Commissioners voted by roll. All Commissioners voted yes. The next meeting would be a regular meeting on August 6, 2024.

# **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

# HOUSTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA

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		Eric Johnson, Chairperson
Attest:		
	Carol Lapham, Interim Administrator	

# HOUSTON COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST FORM

Date Submitted: 8.6.24

By: Polly Heberlein, Interim Auditor/Treasurer

**ACTION ITEM:** 

Review Cash and Investments thru June 30, 2024

Reviewed by:	HR Director	County Sheriff County Engineer		
	IS Director County Attorney	Other Other (indicate X dept)	Interim Auditor/Treasurer	
Recommendation:	Environmental Srvcs			
<u>Decision:</u>				

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3/30/2020	\$11,038,126	
6/30/2020	\$14,566,690	Treasurer's Cash
9/30/2020	\$15,858,223	\$25,000,000
12/30/2020	\$19,617,188	\$23,000,000
3/31/2021	\$17,303,395	\$20,000,000
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9/30/2021	\$16,432,168	\$15,000,000
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6/30/2024	\$24,327,604	Preparing to pay settlement out

# HOUSTON COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST August 6, 2024

Date Submitted: July 31, 2024

By: Tess Kruger, HRD/Facilities Mgr.

#### **ACTION**

• Approve the Stipulation between MAPE and LELS, for Chief Deputy position unit representation to be LELS.

# APPOINTMENT REQUEST NONE

# HR CONSENT AGENDA REQUEST

#### **Environmental Services**

• Initiate a competitive search for a probationary 1.0 FTE Environmental Services Technical Clerk, B-21 (Note, this position will also provide general office support to the Assessor's Office)

### Highway

• Hire Harley Thompson as a probationary 1.0 FTE, Highway Maintenance Specialist, B23, Step 2, effective 08/19/2024 conditioned upon successful completion of background check

#### **Public Health & Human Services**

• Hire Celia Rose as a probationary 1.0 FTE, Adult Services Social Worker, C41, Step 1, effective 08/26/2024 conditioned upon successful completion of background check

CC:	HR Director	Sheriff
	X Finance Director	X Engineer
	IS Director	X PHHS
	County Attorney	(indicate other dept)
	X Environmental Srvcs	

# STATE OF MINNESOTA BUREAU OF MEDIATION SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF A PETITION FOR CLARIFICATION OR AMENDMENT OF APPROPRIATE UNIT

BMS Case No.

Law Enforcement Labor Services, Inc.

JOINT STIPULATION

and

Houston County, Minnesota

#### RECITALS

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Certification of Exclusive Representative order dated August 23, 2011, and issued in BMS Case No. 11-PCE-0827, the bargaining unit, certified to Minnesota Association of Professional Employees (hereinafter MAPE Unit) was determined to be as follows:

All professional supervisory employees employed by the County of Houston, Caledonia, Minnesota, who are public employees within the meaning of Minn. Stat. 179A.03, subd. 14, excluding confidential employees.

WHEREAS, the job classification of Chief Deputy with the Houston County

Sheriff's Office requires a peace officers license issued by the State of Minnesota and is a supervisory classification.

WHEREAS, the job classification of Chief Deputy is included in the MAPE Unit pursuant to the Certification of Exclusive Representative Order dated August 23, 2011.

WHEREAS, the or classification of Chief Deputy is the only licensed peace officer jet classification included in the MAPE Unit.

WrifikEAS, the parties to this Joint Stipulation understand that the employees included in the MAPE Unit want to divide the MAPE Unit into two separate units pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 179A.09 subd. 3; one for licensed peace officers and the other for other essential employees within the MAPE Unit.

WHEREAS MAPE disciaims any interest in representing the licensed peace officers.

NOW, THEREFORE, MAPE, LELS and Houston County agree to the following:

- MAPE, LELS and Houston County agree it is appropriate to divide the MAPE.
  Unit into peace officer licensed and non-licensed groups and to clarify and
  amend unit certifications as follows:
  - Unit 1: Alt professional supervisory employees employees by the County of Houston, Caledonia. Mimesora, excluding licensed peace officers who are public employees within the meaning of Minn. Stat. 179A.03, subd. 14, excluding confidential employees.
  - Unit 2: All essemial licensed employees of the Houston County Sheriff's Office. Caledonia, Minnesota in the job classification of Chief Deputy, who are public employees within the meaning of Minn. Stat. §179.4.03, subd. 14, excluding confidential employees within the meaning of Minn. Stat. §179.4.03, subd. 4; and all after employees.
- B. Since MARE disclaims any interest in representing Unit 2, MAPE, LELS and ricusion County further agree that MAPE shall remain as the certified representative for Unit 1 and man LELS shall be certified as the representative for Unit 2.

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# HOUSTON COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST FORM

Date Submitted: 7/30/2024

By: Polly Heberlein

### **CONSENT AGENDA REQUEST:**

#### **ACTION ITEM:**

Select two members of the county board to be appointed to the County Canvassing Board for the State Primary Election to be held on August 13, 2024. Board members appointed to the canvassing board cannot be candidates at the election per MN 204C.31. subd 1. The canvassing meeting will be scheduled for August 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. in the Commissioner's room.

Reviewed by:	HR Director		County Sheriff County		
	Finance Director		Engineer		
	IS Director		PHHS Other (indicate		
	County Attorney	_X	dept)	Auditor-Treasurer	
	Environmental Srvcs				
Recommendation:					
Decision:					

# Houston County Agenda Request Form

This form is not intended for the general public. It is intended for use by county department heads, representatives of other governmental units or vendors/agencies who contract with Houston County. Members of the public may address the Board during the Public Comment Period. (See Policy for Public Comment Period).

Date Submitted:	7/31/2024								
Person requesting ap	Person requesting appointment with County Board: Amelia Meiners								
Issue:									
CUP Approvals/Denials: 1) CUP for Mensink/Bartsch to place a dwelling on less than 40 acres in Houston Twp. (PC recommended approval). 2) CUP for Ladsten to place a dwelling on less than 40 acres in Spring Grove Twp. (PC recommended approval). 3) CUP for Wurm for accessory building in a residential district in Caledonia Twp. (PC recommended approval).									
Justification:									
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Action Requested: Final Approval/Denial attached.)	l by the County Board. (Agenda, H		and Staff Report are						
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Reviewed by:	County Auditor Finance Director IS Director	County Attorney County Engineer Other (indicate dept)	Zoning Administrator Environmental Services						
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Recommendation:									
<u>Decision:</u>									

All agenda request forms must be submitted to the County Auditor by 4:00 p.m. on Monday in order to be considered for inclusion on the following week's agenda. The Board will review all reequests and determine if the request will be heard at a County Board meeting.

# HOUSTON COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION AND BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT Thursday, July 25, 2024

Hearings are in the Houston County Commissioner's Room.

Please enter through the west entrance. Doors will open at 4:45 pm.

#### **PLANNING COMMISSION**

Approve Minutes for May 23, 2024.

#### **CONDITIONAL USE HEARINGS:**

5:00 pm	Dale & Sally Mensink and Scott & Tina Bartsch - Houston Township
	Conditional Use Permit to place a dwelling in the Agricultural Protection District
	(Section 14 – 14.3 Subdivision 1, Subsection 10).

- 5:20 pm Tyler Ladsten Spring Grove Township
  Conditional Use Permit to place a dwelling in the Agricultural Protection District
  (Section 14 14.3 Subdivision 1, Subsection 10).
- 5:40 pm

  Augedahl & Moenck Builders, LLC for Nathan & Jennifer Wurm Caledonia
  Township

  Conditional Use Permit for an accessory building in a Residential District
  (Section 29 -- 29.14, Subdivision 1, Subsection 4 and Section 15 -- 15.3, Subdivision 1, Subsection 11).

#### **BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT**

Approve Minutes for June 27, 2024.

#### **VARIANCE HEARING:**

6:00 pm Augedahl & Moenck Builders, LLC for Nathan & Jennifer Wurm - Caledonia Township

Variance to allow an accessory building to exceed the height of the principal building. (Section 29 – 29.14, Subdivision 1 (3)).

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

That an application has been made by Scott & Tina Bartsch and Dale & Sally Mensink, 14889

Paradise Drive, Houston, MN 55943, for a Conditional Use Permit to have a dwelling in an

agricultural district (Section 14 – 14.3 Conditional Uses, Subdivision 1, Subsection 10) in Houston

Township on the following premises, to-wit:

PT SE1/4 SE1/4 LY S OF TWP RD, Section 21, Township 104, Range 6, Houston County,

Minnesota (Parcel 06.0108.001)

Said applicants are standing and making application as fee owner of said described lands.

A hearing on this application will be held at the Houston County Commissioner's Room, City

of Caledonia, Minnesota at 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 25, 2024.

All persons having an interest in the matter will be given the opportunity to submit comments

relative to the granting or denying of said application. Comments should be mailed to the

Environmental Services Dept., 304 South Marshall Street, Caledonia, MN 55921, or emailed to

martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us, and must be received by Tuesday, July 16, 2024. Comments in

regard to the petition received by this date will be part of the public record and will be made available

for review by the Planning Commission prior to the meeting.

HOUSTON COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

By Martin Herrick **Zoning Administrator** 

ADV: July 10, 2024

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#### CRITERIA FOR GRANTING CONDITIONAL USE PERMITS

NAME OF APPLICANT: <u>Dale and Sally Mensink & Scott and Tina Bartsch</u> DATE: <u>July 25, 2024</u> C.U.P. REQUESTED: <u>Build a dwelling in an agricultural district.</u>

The Planning Commission shall not recommend a conditional use permit unless they find the following:

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

Section 11.05 of the Houston County Zoning Ordinance requires the following:

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: Single family non-farm dwellings are conditionally allowed in the Agriculture Protection District. This protects agricultural interests, which is a primary goal of the Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The applicant indicates the dwelling is a single-family non-farm dwelling. Housing is a needed use.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

Staff Analysis: The new dwelling with proper erosion control and septic treatment will have minimal impact on the local water quality.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

4. That the proposed use will not adversely increase the quantity of water runoff.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: Measures, such as the erosion control plan, will be in place for the construction of the new dwelling to minimize the water runoff.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The soil conditions will not be a concern other than locating a second absorption area in an undisturbed location. Soil conditions are adequate for the proposed use.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

6. That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and that standards have been met.

Staff Analysis: There are no anticipated pollution hazards.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

7. That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The owner will be responsible for all utilities on the parcel as it is a new site and the township will have to approve driveway access to Paradise Drive.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

8. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

9. That facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

10. That the Conditional Use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted.

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Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

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Staff Analysis: NA

13. That the density of any proposed residential development is not greater than the density of the surrounding neighborhood or not greater than the density indicated by the applicable Zoning District.

Staff Analysis: NA

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Staff Analysis: NA

15. That site specific conditions and such other conditions are established as required for the protection of the public's health, safety, morals, and general welfare.

Staff Analysis: Public health, safety, morals, and general welfare are not anticipated to be impacted.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

Jim Wieser made a motion to accept the findings as presented. Johnathon Glasspoole seconded. Roll call vote was taken. All were in favor. Motion carried.

	Yes	No	SA	Comment
Josh Gran				
Jim Wieser	X			
Johnathon Glasspoole	X			
Larry Gaustad	X			
Wayne Feldmeier				
Cindy Wright	X			
Greg Myhre	X			

Greg Myhre made a motion to recommend the Houston County Board approve a conditional use permit for a dwelling in an agricultural protection district in Houston Township with the following conditions:

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Johnathon Glasspoole seconded. Roll call vote was taken. All were in favor. Motion carried.

	Yes	No	SA	Comment
Josh Gran				
Jim Wieser	X			
Johnathon Glasspoole	X			
Larry Gaustad	X			
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Cindy Wright	X			
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The Findings will be submitted to the Houston County Board of Commissioners for their review.

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# STAFF REPORT 7/15/2024

Application Date: 7/02/24 Hearing Date: 7/25/2024 Petitioner: Dale Mensink Reviewer: Martin Herrick Zoning: Ag Protection

Address: 14889 Paradise Drive

Township: Houston

Parcel Number: 06.0108.001

Submitted Materials: CUP Application

#### **OVERVIEW**

#### REQUEST

The petitioner is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to place a single-family non-farm dwelling in the agricultural protection district of Houston Township.

#### SUMMARY OF NOTEWORTHY TOPICS

The proposed location is silvicultural land with no existing structures on the parcel. The Houston County Zoning Ordinance provides the following requirements for single-family non-farm dwellings in the agriculture protection district:

#### 14.3 CONDITIONAL USES

Subdivision 1. Conditional Uses. In the Agricultural Protection District, the following uses may be allowed only after obtaining a Conditional Use Permit in accordance with the provision of this Ordinance.

- (10) Dwellings. Single-family non-farm dwellings subject to the following:
  - (a) No more than one (1) dwelling per quarter-quarter section.
  - (b) Non-farm dwellings built after the adoption of this Ordinance shall be setback at least one-fourth, (1/4), mile from all feedlots, except as otherwise provided in this Ordinance.
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- field crops or enrolled in a government program whereby compensation is received in exchange for the removal of an area from production, for a period of ten years or more.
- (d) Non-farm dwelling units shall only be permitted on sites considered Buildable Lots as defined by this Ordinance, and shall not be permitted in areas classified wetlands, flood plain, peat and muck areas and other areas of poor drainage. Non-farm dwelling units shall not be permitted on land which has a slope of twenty-four (24) percent or greater. All non-farm dwellings must have an erosion control plan as required by Section 24.
- (e) Non-farm dwelling units shall be required to be located on lots having ownership of at least thirty-three (33) feet of road frontage on a public roadway or a legally recorded perpetual access at least thirty—three (33) feet wide from an existing public roadway and a minimum lot area of one (1) acre.

Figures 1. and 2. shown below identify the parcel location with road access to Paradise Drive and the proposed location for the new dwelling. The proposed dwelling has total dimensions of approximately 40 ft X 80 ft.

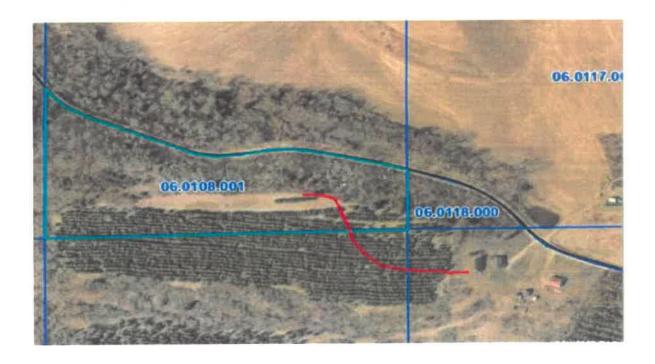


Figure 1. Parcel Location and Road Access.



Figure 2. Proposed Location for New Dwelling

#### TOWNSHIP AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMMENTS

Notice was sent to Houston Township and the ten closest property owners. To date no comments have been received.

#### SITE CHARACTERISTICS

The site is non-prime agricultural land which has been replanted in trees. Figure 2 above shows the proposed location of the new dwelling. To date only the proposed footprint of the dwelling has been submitted. The number of bedrooms has not been disclosed.

The proposed dwelling's location is used for silviculture. The site's soil is the La Farge Silt Loam (605D2) with a land capability classification of IVe, which is not a prime soil designation. Slopes for the parcel range from 8% to 14% and are not considered to be bluff land. The site is not in the floodplain and no wetlands are present in the proposed building area. The site is accessed from Paradise Drive through the neighboring parcel and the 12% slope requirement can be met. An easement will be required if the proposed dwelling is not under the same ownership as the parcel directly accessing Paradise Drive.

The closest dwelling is approximately 820 ft from the proposed location, which is a family member. The closest mine exceeds the 1000 ft setback and the nearest feedlot is greater than a mile away.

The proposed site's setback will exceed 40 ft to any slopes meeting the definition of a bluff.

#### **EVALUATION**

Section 11.05 of the Houston County Zoning Ordinance requires the following: Subdivision 1. Findings. The Planning Commission shall not recommend a conditional use permit unless they find the following:

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: Single family non-farm dwellings are conditionally allowed in the Agriculture Protection District. This protects agricultural interests, which is a primary goal of the Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: The applicant indicates the dwelling is a single-family non-farm dwelling. Housing is a needed use.

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

Staff Analysis: The new dwelling with proper erosion control and septic treatment will have minimal impact on the local water quality.

4. That the proposed use will not adversely increase the quantity of water runoff.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: Measures, such as the erosion control plan, will be in place for the construction of the new dwelling to minimize the water runoff.

5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The soil conditions will not be a concern other than locating a second absorption area in an undisturbed location. Soil conditions are adequate for the proposed use.

6. That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and that standards have been met.

Staff Analysis: There are no anticipated pollution hazards.

7. That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

Staff Analysis: The owner will be responsible for all utilities on the parcel as it is a new site and the township will have to approve driveway access to Paradise Drive.

8. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

That facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

10. That the Conditional Use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted.

Staff Analysis: The new dwelling will have a low-profile view shed and the closest neighbor is located 820 ft away, which is a family member. The addition of a dwelling is not anticipated to negatively affect the use of neighboring properties.

11. That the establishment of the Conditional Use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for predominant uses in the area.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The predominant land use is agriculture and the continuation of which will be minimally impacted by the new dwelling. The area continues to be primarily agricultural, and the dwelling should not impact neighboring landowners' ability to utilize their properties for existing uses.

12. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent or control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.

Staff Analysis: NA

13. That the density of any proposed residential development is not greater than the density of the surrounding neighborhood or not greater than the density indicated by the applicable Zoning District.

Staff Analysis: NA

14. That the intensity of any proposed commercial or industrial development is not greater than the intensity of the surrounding uses or not greater than the intensity characteristic of the applicable Zoning District.

Staff Analysis: NA

15. That site specific conditions and such other conditions are established as required for the protection of the public's health, safety, morals, and general welfare.

Staff Analysis: Public health, safety, morals, and general welfare are not anticipated to be impacted.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Planning Commission must consider the criteria above. Should the permit be granted, staff recommend requiring the following conditions:

- 1. The permittee shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
- The County may enter onto the premises at reasonable times and in a reasonable manner to ensure the permit holder is complying with the conditions and all other applicable statutes, rules, and ordinances.

Proposed motion: To recommend approval of a conditional use permit for a dwelling in the agricultural protection district.

Conditional Use

Amount Paid \$746.00

Request 2024-CUP-265187

**Applicant** Dale Mensink Created May 29, 2024

Number 2024-CUP-265187

Dale C. & Sally L. Mensink & Scott R. and Tina N. Bartsch J 060108001 | Houston Submitted by damensink on 5/29/2024



#### **Applicant**

Dale Mensink

5074587645

smensink@acegroup.cc

Search Parcel Data Completed On Wednesday, May 29, 2024 at 8:46 AM CDT by dsmensink

ParcellD	Address	City	OwnerName	Acres
060108001			MENSINK, DALE C & SALLY L	5.000

CONDITIONAL USE INTRO Completed On Wednesday, May 29, 2024 at 8:46 AM CDT by dsmensink

A Conditional Use is a land use or development that would not be appropriate generally but may be allowed with appropriate restrictions as provided by official controls upon a finding that specific criteria are met, as outlined in Section 6.5 of the ordinance.

When submitting an application, the information requested in this form is required. You may be asked to provide additional information as deemed necessary by the Zoning Office, the Planning Commission, or the County Board.

A non-refundable application fee and recording fee are required before an application is considered complete.

Prior to completing this form, a pre-application meeting with County Zoning is strongly recommended.

Application Fee:

Conditional Use Application Fee

\$700.00

Recording Fee:

Recording Fee

\$46.00

Application Type:

Conditional Use

APPLICANT INFORMATION Completed On Wednesday, May 29, 2024 at 8:48 AM CDT by dsmensink

Applicant Name

Dale C. & Sally L. Mensink & Scott R. and Tina N. Bartsch

Parcel Tax ID

060108001

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Telephone Number
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2282391812

#### Address

14889 Paradise Dr

#### City

Houston

Zip

55943

Legal Description

PT SE1/4 SE1/4 LY S OF TWP RD

Section-Township-Range

21-104-006

Do you own additional adjacent parcels

Yes

Township of:

Houston

Applicants are required to inform township boards of their application. Please reference the table below and contact the official for your township.

I understand I am required to inform my township of my application.

Yes

**Township Contacts** 

TOWNSHIP	NAME	PHONE
Black Hamme	Clayton Johnson	507-450-6384
Brownsville	Christine Novak	507-459-0636
Caledonia	Judith Massman	507-458-3294
Crooked Creek	David Winnes	507-542-4515
Hokah	Delayne Vogel	608-397-6516
Houston	John Beckman	507-896-3106
Jefferson	Anne Falken	320-493-8629
La Crescent	Jason Wieser	507-429-0133
Mayville	Erin Hammell	608-225-1830
Money Creek	Adam Florin	608-797-2515
Mound Prairie	Colleen Tracy	507-459-3573
Sheldon	Wayne Runningen	507-450-0065

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 Spring Grove
 Mike Wiste
 507-450-4638

 Union
 Craig Frederick
 608-769-9541

 Wilmington
 Melissa Schroeder
 608-780-3998

 Winnebago
 Luke King
 507-725-8816

 Winnebago
 Joyce Staggemeyer 507-542-4637

 Yucatan
 Deb Dewey
 507-896-3566

CONDITIONAL USE REQUEST Completed On Wednesday, May 29, 2024 at 8:53 AM CDT by dsmensink

Click here to view the Houston County Zoning Ordinance

Describe in detail your request.

single family home

Citation of Ordinance Section from which the Conditional Use is requested:

Accordance with 14.3 Subdl. (10) a-e

#### Requested Dimension:

40ft X 80ft

Please upload any supporting documents:

CONDITIONAL USE FINDING OF FACTS Completed On Wednesday, June 5, 2024 at 10:44 AM CDT by dsmensink Click here to view the Houston County Zoning Ordinance

# Findings Required:

The Planning Commission shall not recommend a Conditional Use Permit unless they find that the requirements below are satisfied. As the applicant, it is your responsibility to demonstrate that your proposal satisfies these requirements. For each of the 15 criteria, please select the appropriate response and provide a detailed explanation.

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

Yes

#### Comments:

Single family dwellings are allowed under the Houston County Comprehensive Land Use Plan

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

Yes

#### Comments:

Housing is needed in the agricultural protection district

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

Yes

#### Comments:

4. That the proposed use will not adversely increase the quantity of water runoff. Yes
Comments:  With proper erosion control measures surface water will be managed properly
5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use. Yes
Comments: The site's solls can accommodate the dwelling and associated systems.
6. That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and standards have been met. Yes
Comments:  The dwelling will not create pollution hazards with proper erosion control and septage systems
7. That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. Yes
Comments:  The utilities are the responsibility of the applicant, and the roadway can meet the minimum design standards.
8. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.  N/A
Comments:
9. That adequate facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use.  N/A
Comments:

10. That the conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already

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Yes
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SITE PLAN INFORMATION Completed On Wednesday, June 5, 2024 at 10:51 AM CDT by dsmensink

Upload Site Plan

A site plan MUST accompany all Applications. You may either upload a drawing or use the interactive map below.

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Use the interactive Map to Create a Site Plan. Map tools: Click the plant and which plant with plant and which plant with the plant with the

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Use the space below to include site plan comments, if necessary

Single family dwelling

APPLICATION SUBMITTAL. Completed On Wednesday, June 5, 2024 at 10:52 AM CDT by dsmensink

By checking this box, I grant Houston County access to my property for the purpose of evaluating this application.

Yes

By checking this box, I certified that I have notified my town board of my application.

Yes

By checking this box, I certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Yes

Signature

Date Signed:

6/5/2024

#### Check this box if Staff Signature on behalf of Applicant.

No

Email APPLICATION SUBMITTAL Completed On Wednesday, June 5, 2024 at 10:52 AM CDT by dsmensink

RESEND EMAIL

#### Delivered on Wednesday, June 5, 2024 at 10:52 AM CDT

#### **Options**

Send to the applicant? Yes
Send to members of the following roles:
Zoning

County Board

#### Recipients

#### To:

holly,felten@co.houston.mn.us amelia.melners@co.houston.mn.us martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us robert.burns@co.houston.mn.us eric.johnson@co.houston.mn.us robert.schuldt@co.houston.mn.us dewey.severson@co.houston.mn.us smensink@acegroup.cc

#### Subject: Parcel 060108001 Conditional Use Application Received

The information provided in your Conditional Use application has been received by the County. An application fee of \$700.00 payable to the Houston County Treasurer and a recording fee of \$46.00 payable to the Houston County Recorder are necessary to complete your application and are required before the application will be reviewed. Please send a separate check for each.

Houston County Planning and Zoning 304 S. Marshall Street, Room 209 Caledonia, MN 55921

Once payment is received your application will be reviewed and you will be contacted by staff.

Please call 507-725-5800 or email martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us with any questions or concerns.

Number: 2024-CUP-265187 Workflow: Conditional Use Request

Description: Dale C. & Sally L. Mensink & Scott R. and Tina N. Bartsch | 060108001 | Houston

Created On: 5/29/2024

View Application

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

That an application has been made by Gerald Ladsten and Tyler Ladsten, 21691 Honey Drive,

Spring Grove, MN 55974, for a Conditional Use Permit to have a dwelling in an agricultural district

(Section 14 - 14.3 Conditional Uses, Subdivision 1, Subsection 10) in Spring Grove Township on the

following premises, to-wit:

N1/2 NW1/4 & NE1/4 SE1/4 NW1/4, Section 21, Township 101, Range 7, Houston County,

Minnesota (Parcel 13.0273.000)

Said applicants are standing and making application as fee owner of said described lands.

A hearing on this application will be held at the Houston County Commissioner's Room, City

of Caledonia, Minnesota at 5:20 p.m. on Thursday, July 25, 2024.

All persons having an interest in the matter will be given the opportunity to submit comments

relative to the granting or denying of said application. Comments should be mailed to the

Environmental Services Dept., 304 South Marshall Street, Caledonia, MN 55921, or emailed to

martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us, and must be received by Tuesday, July 16, 2024. Comments in

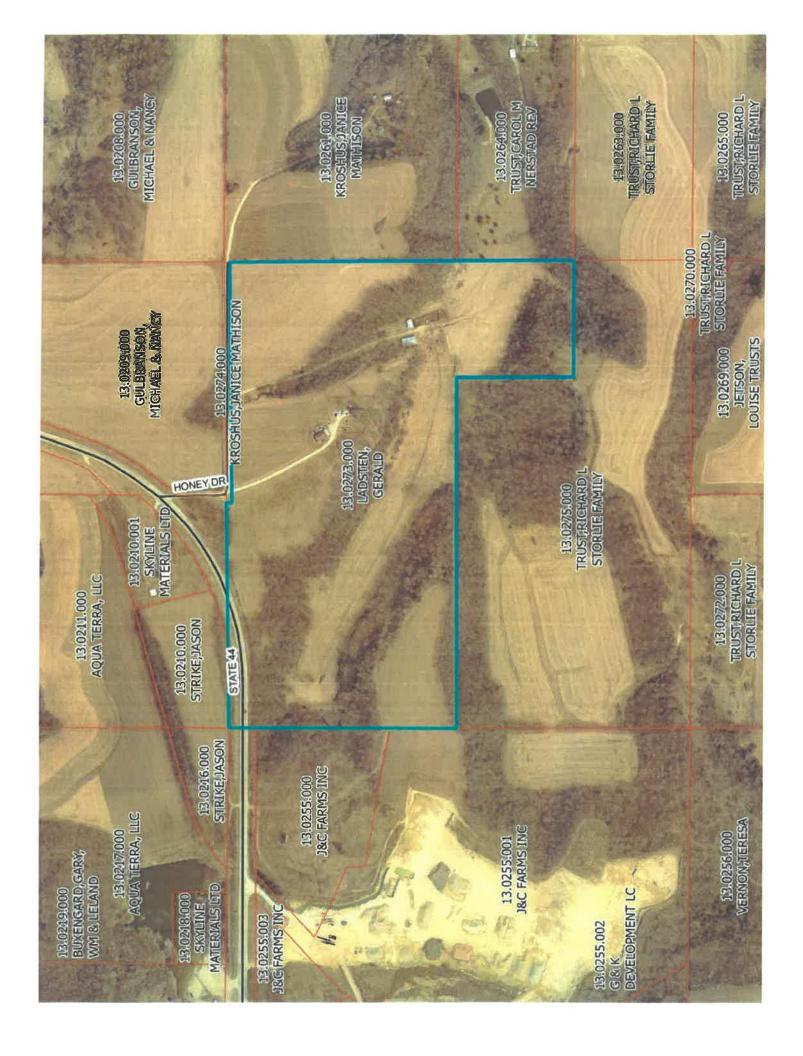
regard to the petition received by this date will be part of the public record and will be made available

for review by the Planning Commission prior to the meeting.

HOUSTON COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

By Martin Herrick **Zoning Administrator** 

ADV: July 10, 2024



#### CRITERIA FOR GRANTING CONDITIONAL USE PERMITS

NAME OF APPLICANT: Gerald Ladsten and Tyler Ladsten DATE: July 25, 2024 C.U.P. REQUESTED: Build a dwelling in an agricultural district.

The Planning Commission shall not recommend a conditional use permit unless they find the following:

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

Section 11.05 of the Houston County Zoning Ordinance requires the following:

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: Single family non-farm dwellings are conditionally allowed in the Agriculture Protection District. This protects agricultural interests, which is a primary goal of the Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The applicant indicates the dwelling is a single-family non-farm dwelling. Housing is a needed use.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The new dwelling with proper erosion control and septic treatment will have minimal impact on the local water quality.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

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Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: The soil conditions will not be a concern and are adequate for the proposed use.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

6. That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and that standards have been met.

Staff Analysis: There are no anticipated pollution hazards.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

7. That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

Staff Analysis: The owner will be responsible for all utilities on the parcel as it is a new site, and the driveway will be connected to an existing driveway using an easement.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

8. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

9. That facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

10. That the Conditional Use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted.

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Staff Analysis: NA

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#### Staff Analysis: NA

15. That site specific conditions and such other conditions are established as required for the protection of the public's health, safety, morals, and general welfare.

Staff Analysis: Public health, safety, morals, and general welfare are not anticipated to be impacted.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

Jim Wieser made a motion to accept the findings as presented. Greg Myhre seconded. Roll call vote was taken. All were in favor. Motion carried.

	Yes	No	SA	Comment
Josh Gran				
Jim Wieser	X			
Johnathon Glasspoole	X			
Larry Gaustad	X			
Wayne Feldmeier				
Cindy Wright	X			
Greg Myhre	X			

Jim Wieser made a motion to recommend the Houston County Board approve a conditional use permit for a dwelling in an agricultural protection district in Spring Grove Township with the following conditions:

- 1. The Permittee shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
- 2. The County may enter onto the premises at reasonable times and in a reasonable manner to ensure the permit holder is complying with the conditions and all other applicable statutes, rules, and ordinances.

Johnathon Glasspoole seconded. Roll call vote was taken. All were in favor. Motion carried.

	Yes	No	SA	Comment
Josh Gran				
Jim Wieser	X			
Johnathon Glasspoole	X			
Larry Gaustad	X			
Wayne Feldmeier				
Cindy Wright	X			
Greg Myhre	X			

The Findings will be submitted to the Houston County Board of Commissioners for their review.

The application, with the stipulations, will be presented to the Houston County Board of Commissioners for final action.



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# **STAFF REPORT** 7/16/2024

Application Date: 7/02/24 Hearing Date: 7/25/2024 Petitioner: Tyler Ladsten Reviewer: Martin Herrick Zoning: Ag Protection

Address: 21691 Honey Drive Township: Spring Grove Parcel Number: 13.0273.000

Submitted Materials: CUP Application

#### **OVERVIEW**

#### REQUEST

The petitioner is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to place a single-family non-farm dwelling in the agricultural protection district of Spring Grove Township.

# SUMMARY OF NOTEWORTHY TOPICS

The proposed location is pastureland with no existing structures on the parcel. The Houston County Zoning Ordinance provides the following requirements for single-family non-farm dwellings in the agriculture protection district:

#### 14.3 CONDITIONAL USES

Subdivision 1. Conditional Uses. In the Agricultural Protection District, the following uses may be allowed only after obtaining a Conditional Use Permit in accordance with the provision of this Ordinance.

- (10) Dwellings. Single-family non-farm dwellings subject to the following:
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  - (b) Non-farm dwellings built after the adoption of this Ordinance shall be setback at least one-fourth, (1/4), mile from all feedlots, except as otherwise provided in this Ordinance.
  - (c) Non-farm dwelling units shall not be permitted on land which is of soil classifications of Class I-III soils rated in the Soil Survey - Houston County by the U. S. D. A. Natural Resource Conservation Service, except in cases where the land has not been used for the production of

- field crops or enrolled in a government program whereby compensation is received in exchange for the removal of an area from production, for a period of ten years or more.
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- (e) Non-farm dwelling units shall be required to be located on lots having ownership of at least thirty-three (33) feet of road frontage on a public roadway or a legally recorded perpetual access at least thirty—three (33) feet wide from an existing public roadway and a minimum lot area of one (1) acre.

Figures 1. and 2. shown below identify the parcel location with road access to Honey Drive and the proposed location for the new dwelling. The proposed dwelling has total dimensions of 36 ft X 72 ft.



Figure 1. Parcel Location and Road Access.

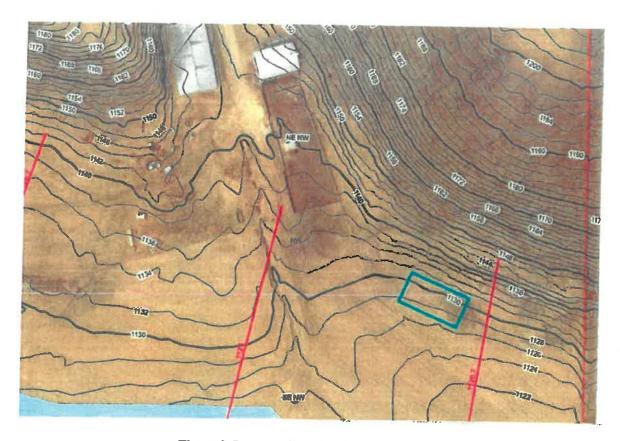


Figure 2. Proposed Location for New Dwelling

### TOWNSHIP AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMMENTS

Notice was sent to Spring Grove Township and the ten closest property owners. One question from Richard Storlie was received regarding the location of the proposed dwelling.

#### SITE CHARACTERISTICS

The site is prime agricultural land but as noted above it has not been cropped for the last 10 years. Figure 2 above shows the proposed location of the new dwelling. A three-bedroom house is being proposed.

The proposed dwelling location is used for pasture. The site's soil is the Lindstrom silt loam (301C) with a land capability classification of IIIe, which is a prime soil designation. Based on Beacon's pictometry, the location has not been cropped for any of the last 10 consecutive years exempting it from the prime ag soil restriction under Section 14.3 Subd. 1 (10)(c). Slopes for the proposed site range from 16% to 18% and are not considered to be bluff land. The site is not in the floodplain and no wetlands are present in the proposed building area. The site is accessed from Honey Drive through the neighboring parcel and the 12% slope requirement can be met. An easement to Honey Drive is included in the parcel description.

The closest dwelling, which is a family member, is approximately 820 ft from the proposed location. The closest edge of the mine property is 2400 ft to the west of the proposed dwelling and the nearest feedlot is greater than 2300 ft away from the site.

The proposed dwelling's location will exceed the 40 ft setback to any slopes meeting the definition of a bluff.

#### **EVALUATION**

Section 11.05 of the Houston County Zoning Ordinance requires the following: Subdivision 1. Findings. The Planning Commission shall not recommend a conditional use permit unless they find the following:

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: Single family non-farm dwellings are conditionally allowed in the Agriculture Protection District. This protects agricultural interests, which is a primary goal of the Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: The applicant indicates the dwelling is a single-family non-farm dwelling. Housing is a needed use.

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The new dwelling with proper erosion control and septic treatment will have minimal impact on the local water quality.

4. That the proposed use will not adversely increase the quantity of water runoff.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: Measures, such as the erosion control plan, will be in place for the construction of the new dwelling to minimize the water runoff.

5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: The soil conditions will not be a concern and are adequate for the proposed use.

6. That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and that standards have been met.

Staff Analysis: There are no anticipated pollution hazards.

 That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

Staff Analysis: The owner will be responsible for all utilities on the parcel as it is a new site, and the driveway will be connected to an existing driveway using an easement.

That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

 That facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

10. That the Conditional Use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The new dwelling will have a low-profile view shed with the existing structures and the closest neighbor is located 820 ft away, which is also a family member. The addition of a dwelling is not anticipated to negatively affect the use of neighboring properties.

11. That the establishment of the Conditional Use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for predominant uses in the area.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The predominant land use is agriculture and the continuation of which will be minimally impacted by the new dwelling. The area continues to be primarily agricultural, and the dwelling should not impact neighboring landowners' ability to utilize their properties for existing uses.

12. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent or control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.

Staff Analysis: NA

13. That the density of any proposed residential development is not greater than the density of the surrounding neighborhood or not greater than the density indicated by the applicable Zoning District.

Staff Analysis: NA

14. That the intensity of any proposed commercial or industrial development is not greater than the intensity of the surrounding uses or not greater than the intensity characteristic of the applicable Zoning District.

Staff Analysis: NA

15. That site specific conditions and such other conditions are established as required for the protection of the public's health, safety, morals, and general welfare.

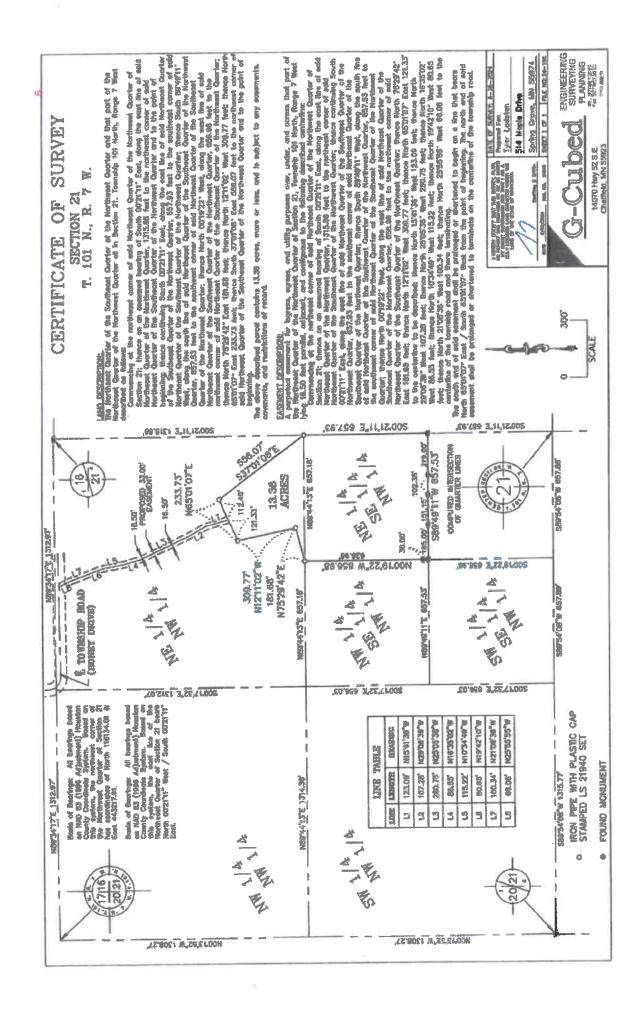
Staff Analysis: Public health, safety, morals, and general welfare are not anticipated to be impacted.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Planning Commission must consider the criteria above. Should the permit be granted, staff recommend requiring the following conditions:

- 1. The permittee shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
- The County may enter onto the premises at reasonable times and in a reasonable manner to ensure the permit holder is complying with the conditions and all other applicable statutes, rules, and ordinances.

Proposed motion: To recommend approval of a conditional use permit for a dwelling in the agricultural protection district.



Conditional Use

Amount Paid

June 28, 2024

Request

2024-CUP-279275

Applicant Tyler ladsten Created

\$0.00

Number 2024-CUP-279275 LADSTEN,GERALD | 130273000 | Spring Grove Submitted by Tyler ladsten on 6/28/2024



### **Applicant**

Tyler ladsten

Ladsten1@gmail.com

Search Parcel Data Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 3:37 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

ParcellD Address City OwnerName Acres
130273000 21691 HONEY DR SPRING GROVE LADSTEN,GERALD 89.000

CONDITIONAL USE INTRO Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 3:38 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

A Conditional Use is a land use or development that would not be appropriate generally but may be allowed with appropriate restrictions as provided by official controls upon a finding that specific criteria are met, as outlined in Section 6.5 of the ordinance.

When submitting an application, the information requested in this form is required. You may be asked to provide additional information as deemed necessary by the Zoning Office, the Planning Commission, or the County Board.

A non-refundable application fee and recording fee are required before an application is considered complete.

Prior to completing this form, a pre-application meeting with County Zoning is strongly recommended.

Application Fee:

Conditional Use Application Fee

\$700.00

Recording Fee:

Recording Fee

\$46.00

Application Type:

Conditional Use

APPLICANT INFORMATION Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 3:42 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

Applicant Name

LADSTEN, GERALD

Parcel Tax ID

130273000

Telephone Number

507-450-6158

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Address
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21691 HONEY DR

City

SPRING GROVE

Zip

55974

Legal Description

N1/2 NW1/4 & NE1/4 SE1/4 NW1/4EX APPROX 1A TO KROSHUS DOC #186349; DOC 259741

#### Section-Township-Range

21-101-007

Do you own additional adjacent parcels

No

Township of:

Spring Grove

Applicants are required to inform township boards of their application. Please reference the table below and contact the official for your township.

I understand I am required to inform my township of my application.

Yes

**Township Contacts** 

TOWNSHIP	NAME	PHONE
Black Hammer	Clayton Johnson	507-450-6384
Brownsville	Christine Novak	507-459-0636
Caledonia	Judith Massman	507-458-3294
Crooked Creek	David Winnes	507-542-4515
Hokah	Delayne Vogel	608-397-6516
Houston	John Beckman	507-896-3106
Jefferson	Anne Falken	320-493-8629
La Crescent	Jason Wieser	507-429-0133
Mayville	Erin Hammell	608-225-1830
Money Creek	Adam Florin	608-797-2515
Mound Prairie	Colleen Tracy	507-459-3573
Sheldon	Wayne Runningen	507-450-0065
Spring Grove	Mike Wiste	507-450-4638
Union	Craig Frederick	608-769-9541
Wilmington	Melissa Schroeder	608-780-3998
Winnebago	Luke King	507-725-8816

Winnebago Joyce Staggemeyer 507-542-4637 Yucatan Deb Dewey 507-896-3566

CONDITIONAL USE REQUEST Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 3:50 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

Click here to view the Houston County Zoning Ordinance

Describe in detail your request.

We want to buy 13.36 acres and build home on.

Citation of Ordinance Section from which the Conditional Use is requested:

14.3 Subdivision 1 (10)

Requested Dimension:

36' x 72'

Please upload any supporting documents:

CONDITIONAL USE FINDING OF FACTS Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 4:08 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

Click here to view the Houston County Zoning Ordinance

# **Findings Required:**

The Planning Commission shall not recommend a Conditional Use Permit unless they find that the requirements below are satisfied. As the applicant, it is your responsibility to demonstrate that your proposal satisfies these requirements. For each of the 15 criteria, please select the appropriate response and provide a detailed explanation.

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

Yes

Comments:

We would like to build a single family dwelling.

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

Yes

Comments:

We would like to buy this 13.36 acres and build our home.

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

Yes

Comments:

Our proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County as we will not be subjecting the ground water to any contaminants.

4. That the proposed use will not adversely increase the quantity of water runoff.

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Our proposed use will not increase the water runoff- we've had it surveyed, all appropriate benchmarks are set.

5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use.

Yes

#### Comments:

Our soil conditions are adequate to accommodate our proposed use of building a home-soil has been tested and septic location has been verified.

6. That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and standards have been met.

N/A

#### Comments:

Not applicable for our requested use.

7. That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

Yes

#### Comments:

The well and access road are already existing. The drainage and septic will be provided by Coyote Hill Septic and Excavating. Utilities will be provided by Mi Energy.

B. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.

N/A

#### Comments:

Not applicable for our request.

9. That adequate facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use.

N/A

#### Comments:

Not applicable for our request.

10. That the conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted.

N/A

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SITE PLAN INFORMATION Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 4:12 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

A site plan MUST accompany all Applications. You may either upload a drawing or use the interactive map below.

Upload Site Plan

Use the Interactive Map to Create a Site Plan. Map tools: Click the plant and Number of the map window, to zoom in/out.

Navigation Mode - Scroll up to zoom in, scroll down to zoom out. Click and hold to pan around map. Text Mode - To place text on the map, click on the "Add Text" tool, click the place on the map where you would like the text to the displayed, then enter the text in the box that appears at the top of the screen, click of to display the text on the map. Draw a point - Click once on the map where you would like the point to be. Draw a Line - Click once on map to start drawing a line, double click to stop drawing line. Draw a Polyline - Click once on map to start drawing a polygon, click map at each vertex and double click to finish polygon drawing. Draw a Rectangle - Click once on the map where you would like the rectangle to be. The rectangle will appear on the map. Click on the rectangle will appear on the map. Click on the rectangle to rotate) or delete (click the rectangle and hit the delete button). Measure - Click once on map to start draw a line with a measurement, click map at each vertex and double click to finish drawing. If you double click near starting point area measurement will also be calculated. Undo Last Edit - Click tool to undo last drawing edit, Undo All Edits - Click tool to undo all drawing edits.

- Sketch Layer
- Reference Layer



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Use the space below to include site plan comments, if necessary

In this general area- surveyor has been out and put in benchmarks, Coyote Hill Septic and Excavating has been out, and Amelia from Houston County has also been out. Any other questions, feel free to call me.

APPLICATION SUBMITTAL Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 4:14 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

By checking this box, I grant Houston County access to my property for the purpose of evaluating this application.

Yes

By checking this box, I certified that I have notified my town board of my application.

Yes

By checking this box, I certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Yes

#### Signature



Date Signed:

6/28/2024

Check this box if Staff Signature on behalf of Applicant.

No

Email APPLICATION SUBMITTAL Completed On Friday, June 28, 2024 at 4:14 PM CDT by Tyler ladsten

RESEND EMAIL

Delivered on Friday, June 28, 2024 at 4:14 PM CDT

#### **Options**

Send to the applicant? Yes
Send to members of the following roles:

Zoning

**County Board** 

#### Recipients

To:

holly.felten@co.houston.mn.us
amelia.meiners@co.houston.mn.us
martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us
robert.burns@co.houston.mn.us
eric.johnson@co.houston.mn.us
robert.schuldt@co.houston.mn.us
dewey.severson@co.houston.mn.us
ladsten1@gmail.com

Subject: Parcel 130273000 Conditional Use Application Received

The information provided in your Conditional Use application has been received by the County. An application fee of \$700.00 payable to the Houston County Treasurer and a recording fee of \$46.00 payable to the Houston County Recorder are necessary to complete your application and are required before the application will be reviewed. Please send a separate check for each.

Houston County Planning and Zoning 304 S. Marshall Street, Room 209 Caledonia, MN 55921

Once payment is received your application will be reviewed and you will be contacted by staff.

Please call 507-725-5800 or email martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us with any questions or concerns.

6/28/24, 4:20 PM

GeoPermits
Submitted by Applicant

14

Number: 2024-CUP-279275

Workflow: Conditional Use Request

Description: LADSTEN, GERALD | 130273000 | Spring Grove

Created On: 6/28/2024

View Application

**External Notes** 

Documents

Internal Notes

**Documents** 

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

That an application has been made by Augedahl & Moenck Builders, LLC on behalf of

Nathan and Jennifer Wurm, 12759 Phillip Drive, Caledonia, MN 55921, for a Conditional Use

Permit for an Accessory Building in a Residential District (Section 29 – 29.14 Accessory

Buildings and Structures in Residential Districts, Subdivision 1), in Caledonia Township on

following premises, to-wit:

Green Acres Third Addition, Lots 11 & 12, Block 1, Section 24, Township 102, Range 6.

Houston County, Minnesota. (Parcel #03.0465.000)

Said applicants standing and making application are as fee owner of said described lands.

A hearing on this application will be held at the Houston County Commissioner's Room,

City of Caledonia, Minnesota at 5:20 p.m. on Thursday, July 25, 2024.

All persons having an interest in the matter will be given the opportunity to submit

comments relative to the granting or denying of said application. Comments should be mailed to

the Environmental Services Dept., 304 South Marshall Street, Caledonia, MN 55921, or emailed

to martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us, and must be received by Tuesday, July 16, 2024.

Comments in regard to the petition received by this date will be part of the public record and will

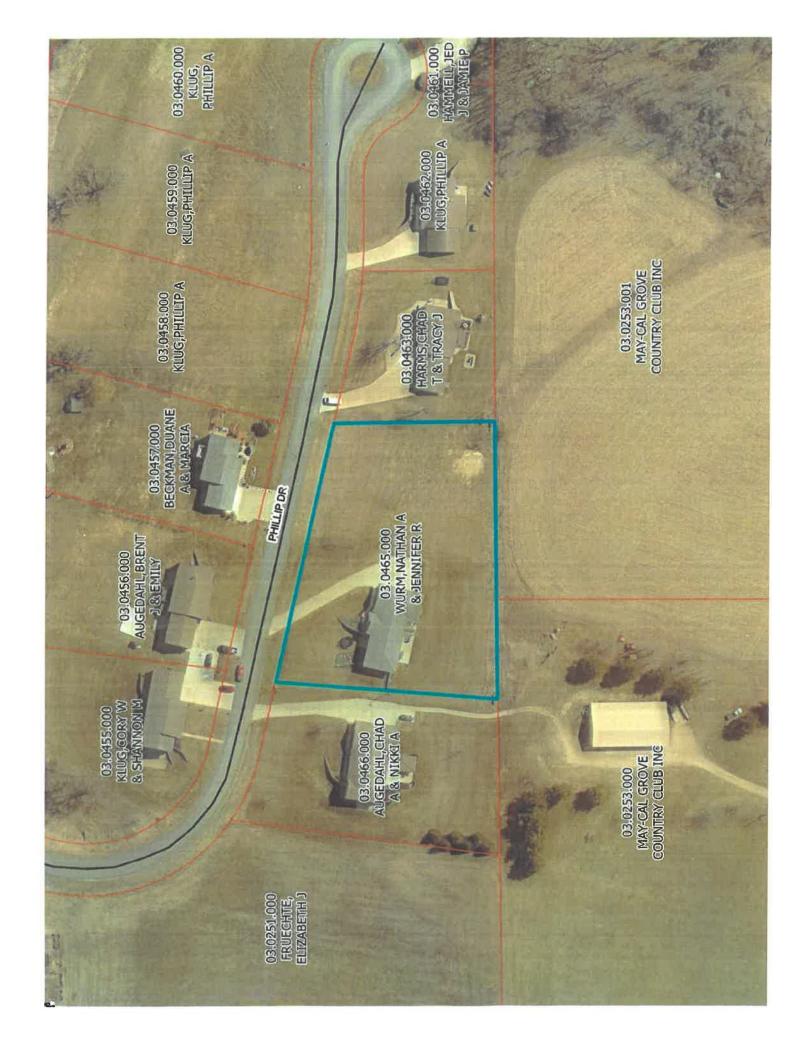
be made available for review by the Planning Commission prior to the meeting.

HOUSTON COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

By Martin Herrick

**Zoning Administrator** 

ADV: July 10, 2024



#### CRITERIA FOR GRANTING CONDITIONAL USE PERMITS

NAME OF APPLICANT: Nathan and Jennifer Wurm DATE: July 25. 2024 C.U.P. REQUESTED: Accessory building in a Residential District.

The Planning Commission shall not recommend a conditional use permit unless they find the following:

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

Section 11.05 of the Houston County Zoning Ordinance requires the following:

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

Staff Analysis: Accessory structures are conditionally allowed in the residential district. This protects agricultural interests, which is a primary goal of the Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The applicant indicates the structure's use is recreational for the permitted dwelling. Housing and associated activities are a needed use.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The new dwelling with proper erosion control and septic treatment will have minimal impact on the local water quality.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

4. That the proposed use will not adversely increase the quantity of water runoff.

Staff Analysis: Measures, such as the erosion control plan, will be in place for the construction of the structure to minimize the water runoff.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: The soil conditions will not be a concern and are adequate for the proposed use.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

6. That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and that standards have been met.

Staff Analysis: There are no anticipated pollution hazards.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

7. That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The owner will be responsible for all utilities on the parcel and the driveway will be connected to Phillip Drive.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

8. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

9. That facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use.

Staff Analysis: NA

10. That the Conditional Use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The accessory structure will not be injurious to others in the area. The addition of an accessory structure is not anticipated to negatively affect the use of neighboring properties.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

11. That the establishment of the Conditional Use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for predominant uses in the area.

<u>Staff Analysis</u>: The land use is residential and the continuation of which will be minimally impacted by the new structure. The structure should not impact neighboring landowners' ability to utilize their properties for existing uses.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

12. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent or control offensive odor, fumes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these will constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.

Staff Analysis: NA

13. That the density of any proposed residential development is not greater than the density of the surrounding neighborhood or not greater than the density indicated by the applicable Zoning District.

Staff Analysis: NA

14. That the intensity of any proposed commercial or industrial development is not greater than the intensity of the surrounding uses or not greater than the intensity characteristic of the applicable Zoning District.

Staff Analysis: NA

15. That site specific conditions and such other conditions are established as required for the protection of the public's health, safety, morals, and general welfare.

Staff Analysis: Public health, safety, morals, and general welfare are not anticipated to be impacted.

Board agreed to the finding by a unanimous vote.

Greg Myhre made a motion to accept the findings as presented. Jim Wieser seconded. Roll call vote was taken. All were in favor. Motion carried.

	Yes	No	SA	Comment
Josh Gran				
Jim Wieser	X			
Johnathon Glasspoole	X			
Larry Gaustad	X			
Wayne Feldmeier				
Cindy Wright	X			
Greg Myhre	X			

Greg Myhre made a motion to recommend the Houston County Board approve a conditional use permit, pending BOA approval, for an accessory structure in the residential district of Caledonia Township with the following conditions:

1. The permittee shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

2. The County may enter onto the premises at reasonable times and in a reasonable manner to ensure the permit holder is complying with the conditions and all other applicable statutes, rules, and ordinances.

3. The permittee shall complete an erosion control plan including surface water management.

Cindy Wright commented that this is not setting precedent as similar proposals will require site specific reviews.

Johnathon Glasspoole seconded. Roll call vote was taken. All were in favor. Motion carried.

	Yes	No	SA	Comment
Josh Gran				
Jim Wieser	X			
Johnathon Glasspoole	X			
Larry Gaustad	X			
Wayne Feldmeier				
Cindy Wright	X			
Greg Myhre	X			

The Findings will be submitted to the Houston County Board of Commissioners for their review.

The application, with the stipulations, will be presented to the Houston County Board of Commissioners for final action.



# **HOUSTON COUNTY**

### **ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**

Solid Waste ◆ Recycling ◆ Zoning 304 South Marshall Street – Room 209, Caledonia, MN 55921 Phone: (507) 725-5800 ◆ Fax: (507) 725-5590



### STAFF REPORT

7/17/2024

Application Date: 7/02/24 Hearing Date: 7/25/2024

Petitioner: Nathan & Jennifer Wurm

Reviewer: Martin Herrick

Zoning: Residential

Address: 12759 Phillip Drive

Township: Caledonia

Parcel Number: 03.0465.000

Submitted Materials: CUP Application

#### **OVERVIEW**

#### REQUEST

The petitioner is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to place an accessory structure in the Green Acres residential district of Caledonia Township.

#### SUMMARY OF NOTEWORTHY TOPICS

The Houston County Zoning Ordinance provides the following applicable requirements for the proposed accessory use in the residential district:

15.4 ACCESSORY USES Subdivision 1. Incidental to Principal Use. Structures and uses customarily incidental to any of the permitted or conditional uses listed above and when located on the same property.

15.12 GENERAL STANDARDS Additional requirements for parking, signs, sewage systems, and are set forth in Section 29 and 30.

# 29.14 ACCESSORY BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES Subdivision 1. Accessory Buildings and Structures in Residential Districts

(3) No accessory building shall exceed the height of the principal building.

(4) Accessory buildings, 200 square feet in area or less that are portable and not attached to any foundation, and which meet all other requirements of this ordinance, are permitted uses and do not require a building permit. All other accessory structures in the Residential District, except as provided in paragraph 5 below shall require a conditional use permit.

The proposed accessory building is a gymnasium with an elevated ceiling for a basketball court. While the proposed structure fits into the site's contours as much as possible its height will exceed the principal building elevation by approximately 8 ft. The local topography varies with numerous two-story dwellings that have walk out basements, so the viewshed is not extreme for the area. The building's exterior materials will blend in with the principal building and any exterior lighting will be minimized for access purposes only.

A profile of the proposed structure is shown in Figure 1 below. The location is in the Green Acres Sub Development of Caledonia Township. Figure 2 below shows the proposed location for the accessory structure on Phillip Drive. Note that Houston County cannot enforce the covenants for the Green Acres Subdivision, which are included in the Appendix.

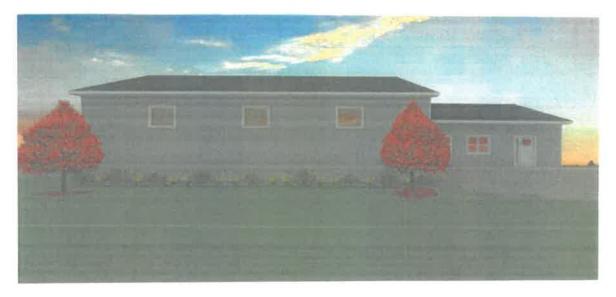


Figure 1. Profile View of Accessory Building



Figure 2. Plan view of Accessory Building

#### TOWNSHIP AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMMENTS

Caledonia Township and the ten closest property owners were notified. To date, comments only have been from the Township and are included in the Appendix.

#### SITE CHARACTERISTICS

The property consists of 1.58 acres in the Green Acres residential development. No road modifications will be required. The proposed septic system will be a holding tank dedicated to this building that will require an approved design and a permit. There will be no commercial activity related to this and no external signs will be installed. The proposed dimensions are 50 ft X 104 ft with part of the building approximately 6 ft below grade. The estimated height will be 8 feet above the height of the house for a total height of approximately 24 feet.

#### **EVALUATION**

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Staff Analysis: NA

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Staff Analysis: NA

15. That site specific conditions and such other conditions are established as required for the protection of the public's health, safety, morals, and general welfare.

Staff Analysis: Public health, safety, morals, and general welfare are not anticipated to be impacted.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Planning Commission must consider the criteria above. Should the permit be granted, staff recommend requiring the following conditions:

- 1. The permittee shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
- The County may enter onto the premises at reasonable times and in a reasonable manner to ensure the permit holder is complying with the conditions and all other applicable statutes, rules, and ordinances.
- 3. The permittee shall complete an erosion control plan including surface water management.

Proposed motion: To recommend approval of a conditional use permit for an accessory structure in the residential district of Caledonia Township.

# Appendix

Application
Comments
Covenant

SCAN SCAN SCAN SCAN TRACT Office of County Recorder Houston County, Minnesola I hereby certify that the within instrument was recorded on 2003 at 1:50 P.M.

Beverly J. Bauer

County Recorder

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# DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS AND MUTUAL EASEMENTS FOR GREEN ACRES THIRD ADDITION, A SUBDIVISION TO THE TOWN OF CALEDONIA, MINNESOTA

The undersigned, Arnold E. Fruechte and Elizabeth J. Fruechte, husband and wife, as owners of Lots Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Ten (10), Eleven (11), Twelve (12), and Thirteen (13) of Block One (1); and as Vendors in an unrecorded Contract for Deed for Lots Eight (8) and Nine (9) of Block One (1); and Jed Hammell, a single person, as the Vendee in the unrecorded Contract for Deed for Lots Eight (8) and Nine (9) of Block One (1), all being a part of Green Acres Third Addition to the Town of Caledonia, do hereby declare and establish these Articles of Trust.

The declarations herein shall be covenants running with the land, as provided by law, and shall be binding on all parties and all persons claiming under them; these declarations of restrictions are designed for the purpose of keeping the development an area which is desirable, uniform, and suitable in architectural design and use as specified herein.

### I. RESIDENTIAL LAND USE

The use of all lots shall be restricted to single family dwellings. Any such structure built shall not exceed two (2) stories in height, excluding the basement level.

The ground floor area of the main structure, exclusive of any open porches and garages, shall not be less than thirteen hundred (1300) square feet for one (1) story dwelling, nor less than nine hundred (900) square feet for a dwelling of more than one (1) story.

# II. ENVIRONMENTAL AND ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL

No building shall be erected, placed or altered on any parcel of land unless a set of building plans has been first submitted to the Developers, or the duly selected agent of the Developers, not less than 30 days prior to the start of construction.

All buildings must be in harmony with the external design and building size of existing structures and as to location, with respect to topography, finish grade elevations and exterior building locations. It is the intention of this provision to preserve the natural grade and terrain and general appearance of the area insofar as possible, and to eliminate any excessive cut or fill, in order to perpetrate and exemplify the natural beauty of the area for the benefit of owners of parcels of land.

The Developers shall have 30 days to approve or reject the building plans submitted pursuant to this paragraph. Building plans not formally approved or rejected in 30 days shall be deemed approved unless enjoined by a court of competent jurisdiction.

# III. UTILITY EASEMENTS

Utility easements shall be as shown on the plat of Green Acres Third Addition, a Subdivision to the Town of Caledonia, Minnesota.

# IV. ADVERTISING SIGNS

No sign of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any parcel of land, except one sign not more than seven feet square advertising the property for sale, or used by a builder to advertise the property during the construction and sales period.

# V. PREVIOUSLY ERECTED BUILDINGS

No building previously erected elsewhere on a permanent foundation shall be moved on to any parcel of land.

### VI. CONSTRUCTION PERIOD

Any building erected on any parcel of land shall be completed with twelve (12) months from date of commencement, and no building shall be allowed to remain with tar paper, building paper sheathing, or similar covering, for a period longer than four (4) months.

# VII. ENVIRONMENTAL AND ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL SUCCESSION

While the Developers retain ownership of one or more lots in the subject real estate, the Committee shall consist of three (3) members appointed by the Developers. A majority of the Committee may designate a representative to act for them. In the event of the death or resignation of any member of the Committee, the Developers shall have full authority to designate a successor. When the Developers cease to own any lot, the present owners of record of the lots shall have one (1) vote per lot and shall elect the three (3) members to the Committee by majority vote.

The committee's approval or disapproval as required in these restrictions shall be in writing. However, in the event the Committee or its designated representative fails to approve or disapprove within thirty (30) days after the plans and specifications have been submitted to it, such plans and specifications shall be deemed to have compiled with these restrictions.

### VIII. <u>FENCES</u>

Any fences which are constructed on any parcel of land must be built with architectural grade P.V.C. fencing material or other such materials as approved by the Architectural and Environmental Control Committee.

# IX. VACANT LOTS

Vacant lots shall not be used for the storage of any materials, vehicles, boats, firewood and the like. Weeds shall be controlled in conformity with local ordinances.

# X. DRIVEWAY CONSTRUCTION

All driveways are to be constructed with concrete or blacktop. The driveways shall be completed no later than one (1) year after the first occupancy of the premises.

### XI. DRAINAGE

Run off shall not be altered in any such a way as to cause increased drainage upon any adjoining lot in the development.

Drainage from each lot shall be directed in such a way as to direct flow to the lot lines and not directly, or indirectly, to any structure located elsewhere in this or adjacent Subdivisions.

## XII. STORAGE OR OUT BUILDINGS

Storage or out buildings are not allowed unless built of similar materials as the dwelling.

### XIII. CLOTHESLINE POLES

No permanent clothesline poles are allowed. Umbrella or retractable type clotheslines are permissible.

## XIV. <u>SATELLITE DISHES AND ANTENNAS</u>

Satellite dishes, antennas, or other electronic devises for intercepting satellite or cable transmission signals shall only be permitted, provided that no more than one (1) such device shall be permitted for each lot. Such one (1) devise shall not be larger than two (2) feet in length or diameter.

# XV. GENERAL PROVISIONS

TERM: These covenants are to run with the parcels of land and shall be binding on all parties and all persons claiming under them for a period of thirty (30) years from the date these covenants are recorded, after which time said covenants shall be automatically extended for successive periods of ten (10) years unless an instrument signed by a majority of the then homeowners of the land parcels has been recorded, agreeing to change said covenants in whole or part.

ENFORCEMENT: In the event any owner fails to comply with the provisions of this Declaration, such failure will give rise to a cause of action on the part of developer

and/or property owners for the recovery of damages or for injunctive relief, or both. Enforcement of these covenants and restrictions may be by any proceeding at law or in equity. The offending party will pay all court costs and legal fees of the developer or Architectural Control Committee.

SEVERABILITY: Invalidation of any one of these covenants by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

AMENDMENT PROCEDURE: These covenants may be amended by a majority vote of the lot owners of Lots 2 through 13, Block One (1), of Green Acres Third Addition, a Subdivision to the Town of Caledonia, Minnesota; provided however, the Developers may amend these Covenants at any time provided the Developers own at least three (3) lots of said lots. The owner(s) of each lot shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each lot owned.

HOLD HARMLESS: The Developers are hereby held harmless for any non-compliance with any of the provisions provided in this Declaration of Restrictive Covenants and Mutual Basements and also are hereby held harmless for any claims resulting from the compliance and enforcement of the provisions herein.

IDENTIFICATION OF DEVELOPERS: For the purpose of the Declarations of Restrictive Covenants and Mutual Easements, the Developers are Arnold E. Fruechte and Elizabeth J. Fruechte

DATE: Syptember 8, 2003

Argeld E. Fruechte

led Hammell

STATE OF MINNESOTA )

COUNTY OF HOUSTON )

Adknowledged this day of Stotem ber, 2002, by Arnold E.

Eizbeth J. Fruechte, husband and wife, personally appearing.

Forary Public

JED JACOB HAMMELL NOTARY PUBLIC-MINNESOTA

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STATE OF MINNESOTA )

COUNTY OF HOUSTON )

Acknowledged this 8 day of 320t. , 2003, by Jed Hammell, a single person, personally appearing.

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NOTARY PUBLIC STATE ORANGE OF MINNESOTA REJUSTION COUNTY FOR ACCOUNTY OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERT

Document Drafted By:

Al Wieser, Jr. Attorney at Law 33 S. Walnut - Suite 200 La Crescent, MN 55947

MA AD' I WORTH



From: Donise Becker
To: Martin Herrick
Subject: Wurm variance

Date: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 2:20:22 PM



#### Good afternoon,

I writing to you to express my concerns with the variance Nathan and Jennifer Wurm have applied for. As a Township Supervisor I am concerned about the amount of run off a building of nearly 5000 square feet on a hillside will produce and the amount of dirt that will be eroded before a good sod base is established.

Another issue, besides the height variance, according to the covenant regarding Green Acres third addition, all lots shall be limited to single family dwellings.

In addition, I have heard from several residents in Green Acres with concerns about this building. Sincerely,

Donise Becker

Conditional Use

Amount Paid

Request

\$0.00

2024-CUP-273955 Applicant

Applicant brent augedahl Created June 17, 2024 Number 2024-CUP-273955 WURM,NATHAN A & JENNIFER R | 030465000 | Caledonia Submitted by brent augedahl on 6/17/2024



### **Applicant**

brent augedahl

brentaugedahl@gmail.com

Search Parcel Data Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:11 PM CDT by brent augedahl

ParcellD Address City OwnerName Acres

030465000 12759 PHILLIP DR CALEDONIA WURM,NATHAN A & JENNIFER R 0.000

CONDITIONAL USE INTRO Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:11 PM CDT by brent augedahl

A Conditional Use is a land use or development that would not be appropriate generally but may be allowed with appropriate restrictions as provided by official controls upon a finding that specific criteria are met, as outlined in Section 6.5 of the ordinance.

When submitting an application, the information requested in this form is required. You may be asked to provide additional information as deemed necessary by the Zoning Office, the Planning Commission, or the County Board.

A non-refundable application fee and recording fee are required before an application is considered complete.

Prior to completing this form, a pre-application meeting with County Zoning is strongly recommended.

**Application Fee:** 

Conditional Use Application Fee

\$700.00

Recording Fee:

Recording Fee

\$46.00

Application Type:

Conditional Use

APPLICANT INFORMATION Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:12 PM CDT by brent augedahl

**Applicant Name** 

WURM, NATHAN A & JENNIFER R

Parcel Tax ID

030465000

Telephone Number

5074293216

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Address
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12759 PHILLIP DR

City

**CALEDONIA** 

Zip

55921

Legal Description

DOC #224026; DOC 259004 DOC 278581

Section-Township-Range

24-102-006

Do you own additional adjacent parcels

No

Township of:

Caledonia

<u>Applicants are required to inform township boards of their application.</u> Please reference the table below and contact the official for your township.

I understand I am required to inform my township of my application.

Yes

**Township Contacts** 

TOWNSHIP	NAME	PHONE
Black Hamme	Clayton Johnson	507-450-6384
Brownsville	Christine Novak	507-459-0636
Caledonia	Judith Massman	507-458-3294
Crooked Creek	David Winnes	507-542-4515
Hokah	Delayne Vogel	608-397-6516
Houston	John Beckman	507-896-3106
Jefferson	Anne Falken	320-493-8629
La Crescent	Jason Wieser	507-429-0133
Mayville	Erin Hammell	608-225-1830
Money Creek	Adam Florin	608-797-2515
Mound Prairie	Colleen Tracy	507-459-3573
Sheldon	Wayne Runningen	507-450-0065
Spring Grove	Mike Wiste	507-450-4638
Union	Craig Frederick	608-769-9541
Wilmington	Melissa Schroeder	608-780-3998
Winnebago	Luke King	507-725-8816

Winnebago Yucatan Joyce Staggemeyer 507-542-4637

Yucatan Deb Dewey 507-896-3566

CONDITIONAL USE REQUEST Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:14 PM CDT by brent augedahl

Click here to view the Houston County Zoning Ordinance

Describe in detail your request.

building an accessory building to be used as recreational

Citation of Ordinance Section from which the Conditional Use is requested:

12555

Requested Dimension:

50' by 104'

Please upload any supporting documents:

CONDITIONAL USE FINDING OF FACTS Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:28 PM CDT by brent augedahl

Click here to view the Houston County Zoning Ordinance

### **Findings Required:**

The Planning Commission shall not recommend a Conditional Use Permit unless they find that the requirements below are satisfied. As the applicant, it is your responsibility to demonstrate that your proposal satisfies these requirements. For each of the 15 criteria, please select the appropriate response and provide a detailed explanation.

1. That the proposed use conforms to the County Land Use Plan.

Yes

Comments:

will make building match existing house

2. That the applicant demonstrates a need for the proposed use.

Yes

Comments:

want for area for workout and recreational sports

3. That the proposed use will not degrade the water quality of the County.

Yes

Comments:

no activity will affect water quality

That the proposed use will not adversely increase the quantity of water runoff.  Yes
Comments: water runoff will be maintained as usual
5. That soil conditions are adequate to accommodate the proposed use.  Yes
Comments: same as building a new house
That potential pollution hazards have been addressed and standards have been met.  Yes
Comments:  no pollution hazards at all
7. That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.  Yes
Comments:
8. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to provide sufficient off-street parking and loading space to serve the proposed use. Yes
Comments: wont need off street parking
9. That adequate facilities are provided to eliminate any traffic congestion or traffic hazard which may result from the proposed use. Yes
Comments:  no traffic congestion will happen
10. That the conditional use will not be injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted.  Yes

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	will not cause any enjoyment issues at all
	11. That the establishment of the Conditional Use will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding vacant property for predominant uses in the area.  Yes
	Comments: will not impede any such property in negative way
	12. That adequate measures have been or will be taken to prevent or control offensive odor, furnes, dust, noise and vibration, so that none of these we constitute a nuisance, and to control lighted signs and other lights in such a manner that no disturbance to neighboring properties will result.  Yes
	Comments: none of these elements will be present on site
	13. That the density of any proposed residential development is not greater than the intensity of the surrounding uses or not greater than the intensity characteristic of the applicable zoning district  Yes
	Comments: structure will be very compatible with all its neighbors
	14. That the density of any proposed commercial or industrial development is not greater than the intensity of the surrounding uses or not greater that the intensity characteristic of the applicable zoning district. Yes
	Comments: structure will blend in
•	15. That site specific conditions and such other conditions are established as required for the protection of the public's health, safety, morals, and general welfare. Yes
	Comments: all conditions will be met
đ	SITE PLAN INFORMATION Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:28 PM CDT by brent augedahl A site plan MUST accompany all Applications. You may either upload a drawing or use the interactive map below. Upload Site Plan

Site Plan - Wurm.pdf

6/24/24, 9:51 AM

Use the Interactive Map to Create a Site Plan. Map tools: Click the place of the map window, to zoom in/out.

20 Navigation Mode - Scroll up to zoom in, scroll down to zoom out. Click and hold to pan around map. Text Mode - To place text on the map, click on the "Add Text" tool, click the place on the map where you would like the text to be displayed, then enter the text in the box that appears at the top of the screen, click ok to display the text on the map. Draw a point - Click once on the map where you would like the point to be. Draw a Line - Click once on map to start drawing a pine, double click to stop drawing line. Draw a Polyline - Click once on map to start drawing a polygon, click map at each vertex and double click to finish polygon drawing. Draw a Rectangle - Click once on the map where you would like the rectangle to be. The rectangle will appear on the map. Click on the Select tool and click on the rectangle to retate) or delete (click the rectangle to retate) or delete (click the rectangle and hit the delete button). Measure - Click once on map to start draw a line with a measurement, click map at each vertex and double click to finish drawing. If you double click nool all drawing edits.

- Sketch Layer
- Reference Layer



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Use the space below to include site plan comments, if necessary

APPLICATION SUBMITTAL Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:29 PM CDT by brent augedahl

By checking this box, I grant Houston County access to my property for the purpose of evaluating this application.

Yes

By checking this box, I certified that I have notified my town board of my application.

Yes

By checking this box, I certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Yes

Signature

m of how

6/18/2024

Check this box if Staff Signature on behalf of Applicant.

Email APPLICATION SUBMITTAL Completed On Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:29 PM CDT by brent augedahl

Delivered on Monday, June 17, 2024 at 8:29 PM CDT

### **Options**

Send to the applicant? Yes Send to members of the following roles: Zoning

**County Board** 

### Recipients

To:

holly.felten@co.houston.mn.us
amelia.meiners@co.houston.mn.us
martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us
robert.burns@co.houston.mn.us
eric.johnson@co.houston.mn.us
robert.schuidt@co.houston.mn.us
dewey.severson@co.houston.mn.us
brentaugedahl@gmail.com

Subject: Parcel 030465000 Conditional Use Application Received

The information provided in your Conditional Use application has been received by the County. An application fee of \$700.00 payable to the Houston County Treasurer and a recording fee of \$46.00 payable to the Houston County Recorder are necessary to complete your application and are required before the application will be reviewed. Please send a separate check for each.

Houston County Planning and Zoning 304 S. Marshall Street, Room 209 Caledonia, MN 55921

Once payment is received your application will be reviewed and you will be contacted by staff.

Please call 597-725-5800 or email martin.herrick@co.houston.mn.us with any questions or concerns.

Number: 2024-CUP-273955
Workflow: Conditional Use Request

Description: WURM, NATHAN A & JENNIFER R | 030465000 | Caledonia

Created On: 6/18/2024

View Application

### **External Notes**

**Documents** 

Internal Notes

Documents

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# Houston County Agenda Request Form

Date Submitted:	July 25, 2024	Board Date:	August 6, 2024
Person requesting ap	ppointment with County Board:	Brian Pogodzinski	1
<u>lssue:</u>			
Project # CP 2024-04	with Fahrner Asphalt Sealers, LLC,	for Crackfill repa	air is complete and ready for final payment.
Attachments/Docum	entation for the Board's Review:		
Final Contract Vouche	er (5 need to be signed)		
(1-County Claim, 1 Co	entractor, 1-Auditor's office, and 2-	Highway Dept)	
Justification:			
Action Requested:			•
Resolution for Final A	cceptance needed for contract.		
Language for Minutes			
Commissioner	moved, Commissioner	seconded	d, unanimously carried to approve
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	For Cour	nty Use Only	
Reviewed by:	County Auditor	County Attorney	Zoning Administrator
	Finance Director	County Engineer	Environmental Services.
	JS Director	Other (indicate de	pt)
Recommendation:		Control of the second	
Decision:			
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All agenda request forms must be submitted to Allison Wagner at BOC@co.houston.mn.us by 12:00 p.m. on Thursday in order to be considered for inclusion on the following week's agenda. The Board will review all requests and determine if the request will be heard at a County Board meeting.

### **RESOLUTION NO. 24-26**

## FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR CP 2024-04 CRACKFILL CONTRACT # 067

### FAHRNER ASPHALT SEALERS, LLC

### **AUGUST 6, 2024**

WHEREAS, Contract No. 067 has in all things been completed, and the County Board being fully advised in the premises,

NOW, THEN BE IT RESOLVED, That we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of the County of Houston and authorize final payment as specified herein.

\*\*\*\*\*CERTIFICATION\*\*\*\*\*
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF HOUSTON

I, Polly Heberlein, Interim County Auditor/Treasurer do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Houston County Board of Commissioners at the session dated August 6, 2024.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of my office this 6th day of August 2024.

Signed	by
	Interim Houston County Auditor - Tressurer

## **Houston County Highway Department**

1124 E Washington St, Caledonia, MN 55921 CP 2024-04 Crackfill Final Payment No. 2

Contractor:

Fahrner Asphalt Sealers, LLC - Eau Claire

6615 US Hwy 12 W

Eau Claire

Contract No.

067 CP 2024-04 Crackfill

Vendor Number: 5820 Up To Date:

7/11/2024

Warrant #\_

Date

**Contract Amount** 

Original Contract	\$57,280.00
Contract Changes	\$0.00
Revised Contract	\$57,280.00

Work Certified to Date	
Base Bid Items	\$57,287.16
Contract Changes	\$
Material On Hand	\$0.00
Total	\$57,287.16

**Funds Encumbered** 

Original	\$57,280.00
Additional	N/A
Total	\$57,280.00
4	

Work Certified This Request	Work Certified To Date	Less Amount Retained	Less Previous Payments	Amount Paid This Request	Total Amount Paid To Date
\$0.00	\$57,287.16	\$0.00	\$54,422.80	\$2,864,36	\$57,287,16
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Amount Paid This Final Payment \$2,864.36

This is to certify that the items of work shown in this certificate of Pay Estimate have been actually furnished for the work comprising the above-mentioned projects in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore approved.

Approved By

Approved By Fahmer Asphalt Sealers, LLC - Eau Claire

County Engineer
Date

Contractor

### Certificate of Final Contract Acceptance Final Voucher Number: number

This is to certify that to the best of my knowledge, the items of work shown in the Statement of Work Certified herein have actually furnished in accordance with the Plans and Specifications. This Project has been completed in accordance with the Laws, Standards and Procedures of as they apply to projects in this category, and if applicable, approved by the Federal Highway Administration.

	Dated Signature County/City/Project E	ngineer
	The undersigned Contractor hereby certifies that the work described has been performed in accordance with the terms the Contract, and agrees that the Final Value of Work Certified on this Contract is \$57,287.16 and agrees to the an \$2,864.36 as Final Payment on this Contract in accordance with this Final Voucher.	erms of nount of
	Contractor: Fahrner Asphalt Sealers, LLC - Eau Claire By	
	And Signature State of WI, Signature	
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	(Individual Acknowledgment)	
	be the person who executed the foregoing Acceptance and Acknowledged that he/she executed the same as  free to act and deed his/her	
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	This Contract is hereby accepted in accordance with the Specification 1516. Final acceptance of the Contract will be effective upon full Execution, by the Contractor and the Department, of the "Certificate of Final Acceptance" included the Final Voucher.	ed with
	Dated Signature District Follows	

### Houston County Highway Department Certificate of Final Acceptance Board Acknowledgment

Contract Number: 067 CP 2024-04 Crackfill

Contractor: Fahrner Asphalt Sealers, LLC - Eau Claire

Date Certified: 7/11/2024 Payment Number: 2

(SEAL)

Whereas; Contract No.067 CP 2024-04 Crackfill has in all things been completed, and the County Board being fully advised in the premises, now then be it resolved; that we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of Houston County Highway Department a and authorize final payment as specified herein.

I, Polly Heberlein, Houston County Interim Auditor-Treasurer, within and for said county do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution on file in my office.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

At Caledonia, Minnesota

Signed By \_\_\_\_\_\_

Payment Summary							
No.	Up To Date	Work Certified Per Request	Amount Retained Per Request	Amount Paid Per Request			
1	6/27/2024	\$57,287.16	\$2,864.36	\$54,422.80			
2	7/11/2024	\$0.00	(\$2,864.36)	\$2,864.36			

Funding Category Name	Funding Category Number	Work Certified to Date	Less Amount Retained	Less Previous Payments	Amount Paid this Request	Total Amount Paid to Date
CP 2024-04 Crackfilling		\$57,287.16	\$0.00	\$54,422.80	\$2,864.36	\$57,287.16

Accounting Number	Funding Source	Amount Paid this Request	Revised Contract Amount	Funds Encumbered to Date	Paid Contractor to Date
CP 2024-04	County Levy	\$2,864.36	\$57,280.00	\$57,280.00	\$57,287.16

Base/Alt	Line	ltem	Unit Price	Quantity		Amount This Request	Quantity To Date	Amount To Date
Base Bid	Ι'	2331.608 ROUT & SEAL BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT CRACKS (POUND)	3.580	16,000.00	0.00	\$0.00	16,002.00	\$57,287.1
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Project Category Totals					
Project	Category	Amount This Request	Amount To Date		
CP 2024-04	CP 2023-04	\$0.00	\$57,287.16		

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Contr	act Total	\$57,287.16
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Contract C	hange Totals		
Number	Description	Amount This Request	Amount To Date

Material On Hand Additions						
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CP 2024-04 Crackfilling	1	2331.608 ROUT & SEAL BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT CRACKS (POUND)	3.580	16,000.00	0.00	\$0.00	16,002.00	\$57,287.16
Totals:						\$0.00		\$57,287.16



### **Contractor Affidavit Submitted**

Thank you, your Contractor Affidavit has been approved.

### **Confirmation Summary**

Confirmation Number:

0-223-981-408

Submitted Date and Time:

29-Jul-2024 2:47:20 PM

Legal Name:

FAHRNER ASPHALT SEALERS LLC

Federal Employer ID:

11-3804531

User Who Submitted:

8753003

Type of Request Submitted:

Contractor Affidavit

### **Affidavit Summary**

Affidavit Number:

2076102656

Minnesota ID:

8753003

Project Owner:

HOUSTON COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Project Number:

CP 2024-04

Project Begin Date:

10-Jun-2024

Project End Date:

19-Jun-2024

Project Location:

HOUSTON COUNTY

**Project Amount:** 

\$57.287.16

Subcontractors:

No Subcontractors

### **Important Messages**

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# Houston County Agenda Request Form

Date Submitted:	July 25, 2024	Board Date: Au	gust 6, 2024
Person requesting ap	ppointment with County Board:	Brian Pogodzinski	
Issue: Project # CP 2024-01 payment.	with Bruening Rock Products, Inc	c, for Shouldering repa	ir is complete and ready for final
Attachments/Docum	entation for the Board's Review	<u>/:</u>	
	er (5 need to be signed)		
(1-County Claim, 1 Co	intractor, 1-Auditor's office, and	2-Highway Dept)	
Justification:			
Language for Minutes Commissioner Resolution 24-27 Fina repair. Total cost was WHEREAS, Contract for advised in the premise THEREFORE, BE IT RES	moved, Commissioner I Acceptance for CP 2024-01, Cons \$300,946.32. For the Contract No. 064 has in all es; and	ntract #064 with Bruen things been completed ard of Commissioners a	ing Rock Products, Inc for Shouldering d, and the County Board being fully ccepts said completed project for and
	For Co	unty Use Only	
Reviewed by:	County Auditor Finance Director IS Director	County Attorney County Engineer Other (indicate dept)	Zoning Administrator Environmental Services
Recommendation:			
<u>Decision:</u>			
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### **RESOLUTION NO. 24-27**

### FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR CP 2024-01 SHOULDERING CONTRACT # 064

### **BRUENING ROCK PRODUCTS, INC**

### **AUGUST 6, 2024**

WHEREAS, Contract No. 064 has in all things been completed, and the County Board being fully advised in the premises,

NOW, THEN BE IT RESOLVED, That we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of the County of Houston and authorize final payment as specified herein.

\*\*\*\*\*CERTIFICATION\*\*\*\*
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF HOUSTON

I, Polly Heberlein, Interim County Auditor/Treasurer do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Houston County Board of Commissioners at the session dated August 6, 2024.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of my office this 6th day of August 2024.

Signed	by
1	Interim Houston County Auditor - Treasurer

## **Houston County Highway Department**

1124 E Washington St, Caledonia, MN 55921 CP 2024-01 Shouldering Final Payment No. 2

Contractor:

Bruening Rock Products Inc.

900 Montgomery St.

Decorah

Contract No. **Vendor Number:** 

Up To Date:

064 CP 2024-01 Shouldering

5937

7/11/2024

Warrant#

Date

**Contract Amount** 

**Original Contract** \$303,190.22 **Contract Changes** \$0.00 **Revised Contract** \$303,190.22

**Work Certified To Date** 

\$300,946.32
\$
\$0.00
\$300,946.32

**Funds Encumbered** 

Original \$303,190.22 Additional N/A Total \$303,190.22

Work Certified This Request	Work Certified To Date	Less Amount Retained	Less Previous Payments	Amount Paid This Request	Total Amount Paid To Date	
\$0.00	\$300,946.32	\$0.00	\$285,899.00	\$15,047.32	\$300,946,32	
	Pe	Percer	nt Complete: 99.26%			
	An	ount Paid This	Final Payment			

This is to certify that the items of work shown in this certificate of Pay Estimate have been actually furnished for the work comprising the above-mentioned projects in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore approved.

Approved By

Approved By Bruening Rock Products Inc.

County Engineer
Date 7/31/2024

Contractor

Date

## Certificate of Final Contract Acceptance Final Voucher Number: number

This is to certify that to the best of my knowledge, the items of work shown in the Statement of Work Certified herein have actually furnished in accordance with the Plans and Specifications. This Project has been completed in accordance with the Laws, Standards and Procedures of as they apply to projects in this category, and if applicable, approved by the Federal Highway Administration.

Dated 7/31/2024 Signature Signature County/City/Project Engineer
The undersigned Contractor hereby certifies that the work described has been performed in accordance with the terms of the Contract, and agrees that the Final Value of Work Certified on this Contract is \$300,946.32 and agrees to the amount of \$15,047.32 as Final Payment on this Contract in accordance with this Final Voucher.
Contractor: Bruening Rock Products Inc.  By  Signature
And Signature And Signature State of IA,
On This 25th Day July , 2024, Before me appeared Jesse Delaney To me known to
(Individual Acknowledgment)
be the person who executed the foregoing Acceptance and Acknowledged that he/she executed the same as  free to act and deed  his/her
(Corporate Acknowledgment)
Jesse Delaney And Staci Snitker, to me personally known, who, being each by me duly
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each did say that they are respectively the Project Manager and Project Manager's Assistant of the
Corporation named in the foregoing instrument, and that the seal affixed to said instrument is the Corporate Seal of said Corporation, and the said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of said Corporation by authority of its
President and said Jesse Delaney and Staci Snitker
acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said Corporation.
Accommission as Notary Public in Winneshiek County, Jacob BRUENING Commission Number 846885 My Commission Expires  Seal Expires 3/22/26 Signature Signature I hereby certify that a Final Examination has been made of the noted Contract, that the Contract has been completed, that
Seal Expires 3/22/26 Signature At 15
I hereby certify that a Final Examination has been made of the noted Contract, that the Contract has been completed, that the entire amount of Work Shown in this Final Voucher has been performed and the Total Value of the Work Performed in accordance with, the terms of the Contract is as shown in this Final Voucher.
This Contract is hereby accepted in accordance with the Specification 1516. Final acceptance of the Contract will be effective upon full Execution, by the Contractor and the Department, of the "Certificate of Final Acceptance" included with the Final Voucher.

\_\_\_\_\_ District Engineer

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_

### Houston County Highway Department Certificate of Final Acceptance Board Acknowledgment

Contract Number: 064 CP 2024-01 Shouldering

Contractor: Bruening Rock Products Inc.

Date Certified: 7/11/2024 Payment Number: 2

(SEAL)

Whereas; Contract No.064 CP 2024-01 Shouldering has in all things been completed, and the County Board being fully advised in the premises, now then be it resolved; that we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of Houston County Highway Department a and authorize final payment as specified herein.

I, Polly Heberlein, Houston County Interim Auditor-Treasurer, within and for said county do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution on file in my office.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_
At Caledonia, Minnesota

Signed By \_\_\_\_\_\_

<b>Payment Sum</b>	mary			
No.	Up To Date	Work Certified Per Request	Amount Retained Per Request	Amount Paid Per Request
1	7/2/2024	\$300,946.32	\$15,047.32	
2	7/11/2024	\$0.00	(\$15,047.32)	\$15,047.32

Funding Category Name	Funding Category Number	Work Certified to Date	Less Amount Retained	Less Previous Payments	Amount Paid this Request	Total Amount Paid to Date
CP 2024-01 Shouldering		\$300,946.32	\$0.00	\$285,899.00	\$15,047.32	\$300,946.32

Accounting Number	Funding Source	Amount Paid this Request	Revised Contract Amount	Funds Encumbered to Date	Paid Contractor to Date
County Levy	County Levy	\$15,047.32	\$303,190.22	\$303,190.22	\$300,946.32

Base/Alt	Line	ltem		Quantity		Amount This Request	Quantity To Date	Amount To Date
Base Bid	*	2221.509 SHOULDER BASE AGGREGATE CLASS 1 (TON)	21.999	13,782.00	0.00	\$0.00	13,680.0 0	\$300,946.3
Base Bio	l Tota	als:				\$0.00		\$300,946.32

tegory Totals		
Category	Amount This Request	Amount To Date
CP 2024-01		\$300,946.32
	Category	Category Amount This Request

Project	cc	CC#	Line	Item	Unit Price	Contract Quantity	Quantity This Request	Amount This Request	Quantity To Date	Amount To Date
Contract	: Char	ige T	otals					\$		\$

Contract Total	\$300,946.32
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Contract C	hange Totals		
Number	Description	Amount This Request	Amount To Date

Mater	ial On Hand	l Additions				
Line	Item	Description	Date	Added	Comments	

Remaining	Used	Added	Date	Description	item

Funding Cat	Line	ltem	Unit Price	Quantity	Quantity This Request	Amount This Request	1000	Amount To Date
CP 2024-01 Shouldering	1	2221.509 SHOULDER BASE AGGREGATE CLASS 1 (TON)	21.999	13,782.00	0.00	\$0.00	13,680.00	\$300,946.3
Totals:						\$0.00		\$300,946.3



### **Contractor Affidavit Submitted**

Thank you, your Contractor Affidavit has been approved.

### **Confirmation Summary**

Confirmation Number:

1-167-183-712

Submitted Date and Time:

25-Jul-2024 4:24:21 PM

Legal Name:

**BRUENING ROCK PRODUCTS INC** 

Federal Employer ID:

42-0632195

User Who Submitted:

Bruening Rock

Type of Request Submitted:

Contractor Affidavit

### **Affidavit Summary**

Affidavit Number:

1939787776

Minnesota ID:

6488964

**Project Owner:** 

COUNTY OF HOUSTON, MN

Project Number:

CP 2024-01

Project Begin Date:

14-Jun-2024

Project End Date:

27-Jun-2024

Project Location:

VARIOUS COUNTY HIGHWAYS

**Project Amount:** 

\$300,946,32

Subcontractors:

No Subcontractors

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## Houston County Agenda Request Form

Date Submitted:	July 25, 2024	Board Date: Augus	st 6, 2024
Person requesting an	ppointment with County Boa	ed: Brian Bogodzinski	
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Issue: Project # CP 2024-10 payment.	with Bruening Rock Products,	, Inc, for Maintenance Rock i	s complete and ready for final
Final Contract Vouche	entation for the Board's Rever (5 need to be signed) entractor, 1-Auditor's office, a	<del></del>	
Justification:			
Language for Minutes Commissioner Resolution 24-28 Fina Rock. Total cost was \$ WHEREAS, Contract for advised in the premise THEREFORE, BE IT RES	moved, Commissioner I Acceptance for CP 2024-10, \$109,841.99. or the Contract No. 073 has in es; and	seconded, unan Contract #073 with Bruening all things been completed, a	Rock Products, Inc for Maintenance and the County Board being fully epts said completed project for and
	For	County Use Only	
Réviéwed by: - -	County Auditor Finance Director IS Director	County Attorney County Engineer Other (Indicate dept)	Zoning Administrator Environmental Services
Recommendation:			
Decision:			

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### **RESOLUTION NO. 24-28**

### FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR CP 2024-10 MAINTENANCE ROCK CONTRACT # 073

### **BRUENING ROCK PRODUCTS, INC**

### **AUGUST 6, 2024**

WHEREAS, Contract No. 073 has in all things been completed, and the County Board being fully advised in the premises,

NOW, THEN BE IT RESOLVED, That we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of the County of Houston and authorize final payment as specified herein.

\*\*\*\*\*CERTIFICATION\*\*\*\*
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF HOUSTON

I, Polly Heberlein, Interim County Auditor/Treasurer do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Houston County Board of Commissioners at the session dated August 6, 2024.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of my office this 6th day of August 2024.

Signed	by
	Interim Houston County Auditor - Treasurer

Final Payment No. 2

Contractor:	Bruening	Rock	Products	Inc
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900 Montgomery St.

Decorah, IA 52101

Contract No.

073 CP 2024-10 Maintenance

Rock

**Vendor Number:** Up To Date:

5937 7/11/2024

Warrant #\_

Date

### **Contract Amount**

Original Contract	\$112,714.61
Contract Changes	\$0.00
Revised Contract	\$112,714.61

### Work Certified To Date

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Base Bid Items	\$109,841.99
Contract Changes	\$
Material On Hand	\$0.00
Total	\$109,841.99

### **Funds Encumbered**

Original	\$112,714.61
Additional	N/A
Total	\$112,714.61
1	

Work Certified This Request	Work Certified To Date	Less Amount Retained	Less Previous Payments	Amount Paid This Request	Total Amount Paid To Date
\$0.00	\$109,841.99	\$0.00	\$104,349.89	\$5,492.10	\$109.841.99
	Pe	rcent: Retained: 0%		Percer	nt Complete: 97.45%
	Amo	unt Paid This Pa	artial Payment	\$5,492.10	

This is to certify that the items of work shown in this certificate of Pay Estimate have been actually furnished for the work comprising the above-mentioned projects in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore approved.

Approved By

Approved By Bruening Rock Products Inc.

Contractor

Date

### Certificate of Final Contract Acceptance Final Voucher Number: number

This is to certify that to the best of my knowledge, the items of work shown in the Statement of Work Certified herein have actually furnished in accordance with the Plans and Specifications. This Project has been completed in accordance with the Laws, Standards and Procedures of as they apply to projects in this category, and if applicable, approved by the Federal Highway Administration.

Dated 7/31/2-24 Signature 55 99	County/Citg/Project Engineer
The undersigned Contractor hereby certifies that the work described has been performed in the Contract, and agrees that the Final Value of Work Certified on this Contract is \$109,841 of \$5,492.10 as Final Payment on this Contract in accordance with this Final Voycher	accordance with the terms of .99 and agrees to the amount
Contractor: Bruening Rock Products Inc.  By	5
And Signature Signature Signature	State of IA
On This $25^{\frac{11}{2}}$ pay $5\frac{1}{4}$ , $2024$ , Before me appeared $5cssc$ to	Delaney To me known
(Individual Acknowledgment)	
the person who executed the foregoing Acceptance and Acknowledged that he/she exec	cuted the same as
(Corporate Acknowledgment)	
Jesse Delancy And Staci Snitker, to me personally known, who	, being each by me duly
each did say that they are respectively the <u>Project Manager</u> and <u>Project Manager</u> Assert Manager Ma	ed to said instrument is the If of said Corporation by
acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said Corporation	
Notarial My Commission as Notary Public in $\frac{W_{120eShiek}}{Seal}$ Expires $\frac{3/22/26}{Seal}$ Signature	wy Commission Expires
hereby certify that a Final Examination has been made of the noted Contract, that the Contract amount of Work Shown in this Final Voucher has been performed and the Total Vancordance with, the terms of the Contract is as shown in this Final Voucher.	ract has been completed, that alue of the Work Performed in
This Contract is hereby accepted in accordance with the Specification 1516. Final acceptance effective upon full Execution, by the Contractor and the Department, of the "Certificate of Fine the Final Voucher.	ce of the Contract will be all Acceptance" included with
DatedSignature	District Engineer

### Houston County Highway Department Certificate of Final Acceptance Board Acknowledgment

Contract Number: 073 CP 2024-10 Maintenance Rock

Contractor: Bruening Rock Products Inc.

Date Certified: 7/11/2024 Payment Number: 2

(SEAL)

Whereas; Contract No.073 CP 2024-10 Maintenance Rock has in all things been completed, and the County Board being fully advised in the premises, now then be it resolved; that we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of Houston County Highway Department a and authorize final payment as specified herein.

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I, Donna Trehus, Houston County Auditor-Treasurer, w resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution o	vithin and for sai n file in my offic	id county do e.	hereby cer	tify that the	foregoing
Dated this day of, 20_ At Caledonia, Minnesota					
Signed By	*1				

Payment Summary							
No.	Up To Date	Work Certified Per Request	Amount Retained Per Request	Amount Paid Per Request			
1	7/2/2024	\$109,841.99	\$5,492.10	\$104,349.89			
2	7/11/2024	\$0.00	(\$5,492.10)	\$5,492,10			

Funding Category Name	Funding Category Number	Work Certified to Date	Less Amount Retained	Less Previous Payments	Amount Paid this Request	Total Amount Paid to Date
CP 2024-10 Maintenance Rock		\$109,841.99	\$0.00	\$104,349.89	\$5,492.10	\$109,841.99

Accounting Number	Funding Source	Amount Paid this Request	Revised Contract Amount	Funds Encumbered to Date	Paid Contractor to Date
073 CP 2024-010 Maintenance Rock	County Levy	\$5,492.10	\$112,714.61	\$112,714.61	\$109,841.99

Base/Alt	Line	ltem	Unit Price	Quantity	Quantity This Request	Amount This Request	Quantity To Date	Amount To Date
Base Bid	1	2211.509/001 STOCKPILE AGGREGATE, CLASS 5 (DELIVERED) (TONS)	\$10.54	3,680.00	0.00	\$0.00	3,7 12.7	\$39,128.1
Base Bid	2	2211.509/001 STOCKPILE AGGREGATE, CLASS 5 (DELIVERED) (TONS)	\$10.54	3,565.00	0.00	\$0.00	3,3 48.91	\$35,294.16
Base Bid		2211.509/001 STOCKPILE AGGREGATE, CLASS 5 (DELIVERED) (TONS)	\$10.54	3,450.00	0.00	\$0.00	3,3 60.82	\$35,419.68
Base Bio	l Tota	als:				\$0.00		\$109,841.99

Project Category Totals					
Project	Category	Amount This Request	Amount To Date		
CP 2024-010 Maintenance Rock	CSAH 5B	\$0.00	\$35,294.16		
CP 2024-010 Maintenance Rock	CSAH 5A	\$0.00	\$39,128.15		
CP 2024-010 Maintenance Rock	CSAH 20	\$0.00	\$35,419.68		

Contract Change Item Status										
Project	cc	CC#		ltem	Unit Price	Contract Quantity	Quantity This Request	Amount This Request	Quantity To Date	Amount To Date

\$109,841.99

Project	cc	CC#	Line	Item	Unit Price	Contract Quantity	Quantity This Request	Amount This Request	Quantity To Date	Amount To Date
Contract	Chan	ge T	otals					\$		\$

Contract C	hange Totals		
Number	Description	Amount This Request	Amount To Date

**Contract Total** 

Material On Hand Additions						
Line	Item	Description	Date	Added	Comments	

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Line	Item	Description	Date	Added	Used	Remaining
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Funding Cat	Line	ltem	Unit Price	Contract Quantity	Quantity This Request	Amount This Request	Quantity To Date	Amount To Date
CP 2024-10 Maintenance Rock	1	2211.509/001 STOCKPILE AGGREGATE, CLASS 5 (DELIVERED) (TONS)	\$10.54	3,680.00	0.00	\$0.00	3,712.70	\$39,128.1
CP 2024-10 Maintenance Rock	2	2211.509/001 STOCKPILE AGGREGATE, CLASS 5 (DELIVERED) (TONS)	\$10.54	3,565.00	0.00	\$0.00	3,348.91	\$35,294.16
CP 2024-10 Maintenance Rock	3	2211.509/001 STOCKPILE AGGREGATE, CLASS 5 (DELIVERED) (TONS)	\$10.54	3,450.00	0.00	\$0.00	3,360.82	\$35,419.68
Totals:						\$0.00		\$109,841.99



### **Contractor Affidavit Submitted**

Thank you, your Contractor Affidavit has been approved.

### **Confirmation Summary**

Confirmation Number:

1-502-728-032

Submitted Date and Time:

25-Jul-2024 4:20:01 PM

Legal Name:

BRUENING ROCK PRODUCTS INC

Federal Employer ID:

42-0632195

User Who Submitted:

**Bruening Rock** 

Type of Request Submitted:

Contractor Affidavit

### **Affidavit Summary**

Affidavit Number:

910282752

Minnesota ID:

6488964

Project Owner:

COUNTY OF HOUSTON, MN

Project Number:

CP 2024-10

Project Begin Date:

20-Jun-2024

Project End Date:

27-Jun-2024

Project Location:

CSAH 5 AND CSAH 20

**Project Amount:** 

\$109,841.99

Subcontractors:

No Subcontractors

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# Houston County Agenda Request Form

Date Submitted:	August 1, 2024	Board Date:	August 6, 2024
Person requesting ap	ppointment with County Board:	Brian Pogodzinsk	si
Issue:			
	ccess to a pavment mangement so	ftware called GF	RIT - Geographic Roadway Inventory Tool.
They are also providing	ng reimbursement of up to \$1,000	for costs associa	ated with this.
	nentation for the Board's Review:		
Service Agreement fr	om North Dakota State University,	through its Upp	er Great Plains Transportation Institute.
Justification:			
This software will assist	staff with tracking pavement condition	ons on Houston Co	ounty roadways.
Action Requested:			
	For Cou	nty Use Only	
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Reviewed by:	County Auditor Finance Director	County Attorney County Engineer	Zoning Administrator Environmental Services
	IS Director	Other (indicate de	
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Recommendation:			
Decision:			

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### SERVICE AGREEMENT

This Service Agreement (hereinafter "Agreement") is effective as of the date of the last signature below (hereinafter "Effective Date") and entered into between North Dakota State University, through its Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute, a public educational institution of the State of North Dakota (hereinafter "Provider)" and

Houston County
, a public agency existing under the laws of
Minnesota (hereinafter "Recipient)."

WHEREAS, the Provider, through its faculty, staff and students, has developed an asset management tool named the Geographic Roadway Inventory Tool (GRIT) (hereinafter "GRIT") which includes data server storage services and geographic reporting tools; and

WHEREAS, the Provider continues to develop and enhance GRIT, the GRIT view-only applications and its associated data services;

WHEREAS, the Provider provides GRIT data editing capabilities and data storage services to North Dakota local governmental agencies and provides view-only access to the public sector. Provider has now expanded the GRIT data editing and data storage services to local governmental agencies of neighboring states;

WHEREAS, the Recipient has evaluated GRIT and has expressed interest in using this system and wishes to engage the Provider to perform various maintenance services, training, and data storage and processing services in connection with GRIT;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements set forth in this Agreement, Provider and Recipient agree as follows:

### 1. Maintenance/Support Services

The Provider will furnish the following services:

PROVIDER will set up and provide the Recipient with a username and password to access GRIT and record, edit and maintain its GRIT data.

PROVIDER will host said data on a secure SQL server and provide standard data hosting and backup services.

PROVIDER will maintain and periodically update the GRIT application. There will be no specific user customization for any individual Recipient.

PROVIDER will provide web-based map services to display and analyze GRIT data which will be provided free for public use and research purposes.

PROVIDER will import and process publicly available traffic and pavement performance data if available in pre-defined format from State Department of Transportation.

PROVIDER will from time to time solicit feedback from Recipient and other GRIT users to utilize in proposed updates and/or enhancements.

PROVIDER will provide support and technical assistance via telephone or e-mail which will be available generally during Provider's regular business hours (8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday CST).

PROVIDER may provide training for GRIT by one or several of the following methods:

- (a) Webinars and video conferencing sessions.
- (b) Conference and district meeting presentations.
- (c) Help videos available through application and home page
- (d) One on one sessions in person or via telephone on a limited basis as time allows.

### 2. Maintenance/Support Fee and Expenses

Recipient will pay the Provider for a 1 Year Term of maintenance and support in the **amount of \$950.00** (nine hundred fifty dollars) payable within forty-five (45) days of the Effective Date.

### 3. Term and Termination

- (a) <u>Term.</u> The services provided under this Agreement shall commence on the first day of the quarter immediately following the Effective Date and continue for a one year period from that date (hereinafter "Expiration Date"). This Agreement shall thereafter renew for successive 1 year periods until such time as Recipient provides written notice of its intent to terminate this Agreement at least thirty(30) days prior to the Expiration Date. All terms and conditions of this Agreement shall apply during each renewal term, except that the fees payable under Provision 2 shall be set at the Provider's current rates. Provider's rates shall not increase by more than ten percent (10%) annually without prior notice.
- (b) <u>Termination</u>. This Agreement may be terminated by Recipient as set forth in Provision 3(a). Provider may terminate this Agreement should Recipient breach this Agreement and not cure such breach within thirty (30) days of notice of such breach. The Recipient acknowledges that legislative action may require the curtailment or termination of some or all of Provider's research and educational programs and that Provider is obligated to respond to such legislative action, such response which may

include Provider's inability to continue its performance under this Agreement. The Parties agree that Provider's termination or failure to perform terms and conditions of this Agreement in response to legislative action will not be deemed a breach of this Agreement.

In the event of termination all Recipient data on the Provider servers will continue to be serviced and made available to the Recipient and the public in view mode only for a minimum period of 5 years after which it will be at the Providers discretion.

### 4. Recipient Support

The level of technical support that the Provider can provide to Recipient is dependent upon the cooperation of Recipient and the quality/quantity of information that Recipient can provide.

If the Provider cannot reproduce a reported problem or if the Recipient cannot successfully gather adequate troubleshooting information, the Provider may need temporary login access on the Recipient's system to identify and address any reported problem.

### 5. Recipient Responsibility

The Recipient may not distribute or permit any third party access to GRIT. The Recipient may not make any modifications to GRIT.

### 6. Right to Work Product

All error corrections, enhancements, new releases, and any other work product created by the Provider in connection with the support services provided under this Agreement ("Updates") are and shall remain the exclusive property of the Provider or the Provider creator(s), regardless of whether the Recipient, its employees, or agents may have contributed to the conception, joined in its development, or provided any funding for the development of the Updates.

### 7. Warranties, Indemnity and Liability

Provider in no way guarantees the services performed pursuant to this Agreement and MAKES NO WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, REGARDING THE RESULTS OF THE SERVICES OR THE QUALITY OF PRODUCT PRODUCED UNDER THIS AGREEMENT. Recipient agrees to indemnify and hold harmless NDSU against any claims and costs arising out of Recipient's use, sale or distribution of any data, products or processes, or its use or reliance upon the data, reports or other deliverables. Each party shall be responsible for its negligent acts or omissions and the negligent acts or omissions of its employees, officers, or directors, to the extent allowed by law.

### 8. General

- (a) Each party acknowledges that this Agreement is the complete and exclusive statement of the agreement between the parties, which supersedes and merges all prior proposals, understandings and all other agreement, oral and written, between the parties relating to this Agreement. This Agreement may not be modified or altered except by a written instrument duly executed by both parties.
- (b) This Agreement and performance hereunder shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of North Dakota without regard to its conflict of laws rules.
- (c) If any provision of this Agreement shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall in no way be affected or impaired thereby.
- (d) The waiver or failure of either party to exercise in any respect any right provided for herein shall not be deemed a waiver of any further right hereunder.

### Recipient

WHEREFORE, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

HOUSTON COUNTY Recipient Name	NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY
Ву:	By:
Title:	Title:
Date:	Date:

# **Houston County Agenda Request Form**

Date Submitted:	July 31 2024		
Person requesting ap	ppointment with County Board:	John Pugleasa, Director Public I	Health & Human Services
Will you be doing a p	power point or video presentation:	Yes x no	
document/case mang	able ARPA funds for one time projec gement system for PH/SS Social Ser nverstion. We will return with cont	vices Division. Cost Esti	
Attachments/Docum	entation for the Board's Review:		
<u>Justification:</u>			
Action Requested: Approve as submitted	d.		
	For County U	Ise Only	
Reviewed by:	County Auditor Finance Director IS Director	County Attorney County Engineer Other (indicate dept)	Zoning/Environmental Service HR/Personnel
Recommendation:			
<u>Decision:</u>			

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	inwind grant from DHS for CaseWo project costs - \$58,000. We will ret			
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Justification:				
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## Auditor Warrants 2024/07/25

### Lynn Colsch

Thu 8/1/2024 11:34 AM

To:Houston County BOC <BOC@co.houston.mn.us>;

### **REVIEW LICENSE CENTER PAYMENTS**

### **2024/07/25 AUDITOR WARRANTS:**

VENDORNAMEATPAYMENT	AMOUNT
CEDA	7,107.69
LEWISTON AUTO	32,126.94
WILDCAT CREEK MANAGEMENT LLC	8,348.14
	47,582.77

Lynn Colsch Finance Clerk Houston County 304 South Marshall Street Caledonia MN 55921

Phone 507-725-5825

## Commissioner Warrants 2024/08/06

### Lynn Colsch

Thu 8/1/2024 11:38 AM

To:Houston County BOC <BOC@co.houston.mn.us>;

Cc:Carol Lapham <Carol.Lapham@co.houston.mn.us>; Susan Tostenson <Susan.Tostenson@co.houston.mn.us>;

### REQUEST APPROVAL FOR PAYMENT

### 2024/08/06 COMMISSIONER'S WARRANTS:

AVFUEL CORPORATION	14,554.95
BRUENING ROCK PRODUCTS INC	21,286.78
BRYAN SPIER & TRACEY KNUTSON	30,000.00
CEDA	7,107.69
COMMISSIONER OF TRANSPORTATION	92,761.63
DELTA DENTAL	6,034.16
FAHRNER ASPHALT SEALERS LLC	41,361.30
IUOE LOCAL 49 FRINGE BENEFIT FUNDS	25,075.00
MEDICA	192,082.40
MN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	2,505.58
VERIZON WIRELESS	3,394.37
VISA	7,087.59
ZENKE INC	70,786.65
	514,038.10
34 VENDORS PAID LESS THAN \$2000.00	15,578.83
	529,616.93
PUBLIC HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES	17,989.83
	547,606.76

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