

### CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

St. Francis Area Schools District Office, 4115 Ambassador Blvd. NW Monday, October 03, 2022 at 6:00 PM

### **AGENDA**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- 4. CONSENT AGENDA
  - A. City Council Minutes September 19, 2022
  - B. Policy Implementation Police Department
  - C. Surplus Vehicle
    - \*Resolution 2022-46 Declaring surplus property and authorizing the disposal of said property
  - D. Appointment of Election Judges
    - \*Resolution 2022-47 Appointing Election Judges for the 2022 General Election
  - E. Siwek Park Improvements Pay Estimate No. 3
  - F. Water Wastewater Systems Operator Replacement
  - G. WETT Program Student Internship
  - H. MMUA Safety Management Program Contract
  - L. Vista Prairie Grading Agreement
  - J. Application for Intoxicating Liquor & Sunday Sales License
  - K. Payment of Claims
- 5. MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
- 6. SPECIAL BUSINESS
- 7. PUBLIC HEARING
  - A. Capital Improvement Bonds
    - \*Resolution 2022-53 Adopting a Capital Improvement Plan and providing preliminary approval for the issuance of bonds thereunder
  - B. Rivers Edge 7th Addition
    - \*Ordinance 300 Approving a rezoning request for Outlot A Rivers Edge 2nd Addition from UR to the Rivers Edge PUD with findings as presented by Staff; First Reading
    - \*Resolution 2022-48 Approving the preliminary plat and PUD plans for the 7th Addition of Rivers Edge with conditions and findings presented by Staff
    - \*Resolution 2022-49 Approving a Conditional Use Permit for the construction of public roads associated with the 7th Addition of the Rivers Edge development with conditions and findings presented by Staff
    - \*Resolution 2022-50 Approving the drainage and utility easement vacations pertaining to Outlot A, Rivers Edge 2nd Addition and Outlot A, Rivers Edge 5th Addition with conditions and findings as presented by Staff
- 8. OLD BUSINESS
- 9. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. Patriot Parkway Concept Review
  - B. The Bluffs of Rum River
    - \*Ordinance 301 approving a rezoning request for 23925 St Francis Blvd NW from R-3 and B-2 to The Bluffs PUD with findings as presented by Staff; First Reading

\*Resolution 2022-51 approving the preliminary plat and PUD plans for The Bluffs of Rum River development with conditions and findings as presented by Staff \*Resolution 2022-52 approving a Conditional Use Permit for the construction of public roads associated with The Bluffs of Rum River development with conditions and findings as presented by Staff

- 10. MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
- 11. REPORTS
- 12. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS
- 13. UPCOMING EVENTS
- 14. ADJOURNMENT

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### CITY OF ST. FRANCIS CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

St. Francis Area Schools District Office 4115 Ambassador Blvd. NW September 19, 2022 6:00 p.m.

### 1. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The regular City Council meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Steve Feldman.

### 2. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Mayor Steve Feldman, Councilmembers Robert Bauer, Kevin Robinson, Sarah Udvig, and Joe Muehlbauer (attending remotely).

Also present: City Administrator Kate Thunstrom, Deputy City Administrator/City Clerk Jenni Wida, Community Development Director Colette Baumgardner, Assistant City Attorney Dave Schaps (Barna, Guzy & Steffen), Public Works Director Paul Carpenter, Fire Chief Dave Schmidt, Liquor Store Manager John Schmidt, Finance Director Darcy Muvihill, City Engineer Craig Jochum (Hakanson Associates, Inc.), Police Chief Todd Schwieger,

### 3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION BY: BAUER SECOND: ROBINSON APPROVING THE REGULAR CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

A roll call vote was performed:

Mayor Feldman aye
Councilmember Robinson aye
Councilmember Udvig aye
Councilmember Muehlbauer aye
Councilmember Bauer aye

Motion carried 5-0

### 4. CONSENT AGENDA

- A. City Council Minutes September 6, 2022
- B. Approval to hire 3 Firefighters
- C. Approval to hire 2 additional Lieutenants
- D. Accept Donation From W.D. Larson Companies (Allstate-Peterbilt)
- E. Gambling Permit St. Francis Athletics Booster Club
- F. Tobacco Permit Downtown Smoke Shop, Inc
- G. URRWMO Fill Vacancy
- H. Interim Bethel Wastewater Plant Operator Contract
- I. Domestic Violence Awareness Month
- J. Alexandra House Funding Request for 2023
- K. Poppy Street and 229th Lane Reconstruction Project Pay Estimate No. 1

### L. Payment of Claims

MOTION BY: UDVIG SECOND: MUEHLBAUER APPROVING THE CONSENT AGENDA

A roll call vote was performed:

Mayor Feldman aye
Councilmember Robinson aye
Councilmember Udvig aye
Councilmember Muehlbauer aye
Councilmember Bauer aye

Motion carried 5-0

- 5. MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC NONE
- 6. <u>SPECIAL BUSINESS</u> NONE
- 7. PUBLIC HEARINGS NONE
- 8. OLD BUSINESS NONE
- 9. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u> NONE
- 10. MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC NONE

### 11. REPORTS

A. Fire Department Monthly Report - August

Fire Chief Dave Schmidt gave the Fire Department's August Report and reviewed the staff report highlighting response time goals being met, 52 calls for service this month, a slight decrease in staffing due to two members on long term military leave, and four EMS calls with an ambulance response time of over 20 minutes. He added that inspections were down this month.

Mayor Feldman asked how the new engine was doing. Fire Chief Schmidt said it was fantastic. Mayor Feldman asked if the engine it was replacing is now out of service. Fire Chief Schmidt said it is out of service; however, the Fire Department is hanging on to it for a while in case there are any issues with the new engine they will have a backup.

Mayor Feldman noted that COVID is still alive and well and cautioned everyone to be cautious as it is not gone. He also noted that every report shows more EMS than fire calls and this seems to be a trend nationwide. He mentioned it was a good report.

Muehlbauer said it was a great report.

Udvig added it was a great report and thanked the Fire Department for all they do to help keep the City and residents safe.

Bauer echoed what Udvig shared.

Robinson mentioned it was a great report and asked about the 13 calls for glucometer and if they are repeat callers, what education is taking place on these calls, and if there is any follow up after. Fire Chief Schmidt said there are some repeat callers due to certain diabetic conditions. He added the responders try to counsel the callers to the best of their ability and share the importance of the relationship with their endocrinologist to follow up. He shared that the glucometer is used for a differential diagnosis if someone is unresponsive or in cardiac arrest.

Robinson asked if the Fire Department is allowed to give a courtesy call to family members to inform them of repeat calls from their family members. Fire Chief Schmidt stated there is a fair amount of follow up with the staff that the department has. For repeat callers, the department often finds that there is a connection of care issue where the caller has many different doctors, and the services are not connected. He said that the department offers to help connect and educate the callers; however, at a certain point the medical information becomes protected information that cannot be shared. Robinson shared it is great that the department can make these calls to family members and said this is public service at its utmost.

Robinson asked Fire Chief Schmidt to give a preview of the French Toast Breakfast coming up. Fire Chief Schmidt shared that the French Toast Breakfast will be held at the Fire Station on October 15 and there will be a number of vendors and educational opportunities for children and adults. Robinson shared he hoped for good weather.

Mayor Feldman asked about the level that the new fire engine was rigged since the Fire Department themselves decided how to rig it. Fire Chief Schmidt shared that there are no regrets on how it was rigged from an operational capacity. Mayor Feldman asked if the new fire engine was making a difference. Fire Chief Schmidt said absolutely. Mayor Feldman said it was at a good price as well.

### 12. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

Robinson shared about the work session meeting last week and shared what was discussed at this meeting, including giving an update from the chair from the Alexandra House on her presentation.

Bauer shared he was also at the work session and reiterated everything Robinson shared.

Udvig stated she was at the work session as well and shared it is always a good time for Council to have open communication with Staff to ask questions and work through City issues. She mentioned she wanted residents to know the time the

Council puts in.

Muehlbauer was at the work session as well and shared that he reached out to the Stone Lion and Athens Township on the noise concerns on the weekends and he has been trying to direct residents to bring these concerns to the correct people.

Mayor Feldman shared that the reason this meeting is so short is because of the work put in by the Council and Staff at work sessions. He added that five of the 11 items on the Consent Agenda were worked out at work sessions and shows that the Council and Staff put in work outside of the City Council meetings. He reiterated that the work has already been done at multiple levels at these long work session meetings. He shared that Council meetings and work sessions will take as long as they need to in order to work through the City's business. He mentioned that a vacancy has been filled for the Upper Rum River Watershed Management Organization with someone who has GIS experience. He shared he is very impressed with this individual and it was a hard slot to fill. He added the gazebo has a new maintenance free railing on it and Public Works is doing touch ups on it and it will be ready for the wedding on Saturday, September 24. He thanked Staff for all of their hard work because the hard work done by Staff is how the City moves forward. He told the public that if they would like answers to their questions, they must call City Hall and not get these answers from social media.

Bauer asked Mayor Feldman to note Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

Mayor Feldman shared that October is recognized as Domestic Violence Awareness Month and stated this is an opportunity to address the reality of the problem and the importance of the ongoing work to create a violence free community. He stated that the Council and Staff wholeheartedly support this which is why a donation was given to the Alexandra House and shared he hopes the Alexandra House is utilized if necessary.

City Administrator Kate Thunstrom reminded Staff that next Monday, September 26 was a work session with MNDOT.

### 13. UPCOMING EVENTS

September 21 - Planning Commission @ 7:00 pm September 26 - City Council Work Session @ 5:30 pm October 3 - City Council Meeting @ 6:00 pm

### **14. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Mayor Feldman adjourned the regular City Council at 6:14 p.m.

Jennifer Wida,	City Clerk	



### CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

**FROM:** Todd Schwieger, Police Chief

**SUBJECT:** Policy Implementation

**DATE:** October 3, 2022

### **OVERVIEW:**

The police department has added an Informant Policy to meet MN POST Board requirements and MN State Statute 626.8476. The police department has also added a Bias Based Policing Policy to meet the requirements of the MN Post Board and MN State Statute 626.8471. All new and amended policies will continue transitioning to our new Lexipol format.

Both policies are additions to the police department policy manual and were recently required by the MN POST Board. As with any POST mandated policy, a law enforcement agency's policy must be identical or substantially similar to the POST policy.

### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

City Council to approve the police department Informant and Bias Based Policing policies. Both policies have received legal review.

### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

There is no direct budget implication as a result of the added policies.

### Attachments:

Informant Policy, Bias Based Policing Policy

Policy **603** 

### St. Francis Police Department

Policy Manual

### **Informants**

### 603.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The purpose of this policy is to provide guidelines for the use of informants.

### 603.1.1 DEFINITIONS

Definitions related to this policy include:

- A. Confidential Informant (CI) A person who covertly interacts with other individuals or suspects at the direction of, request of, or by agreement with the St. Francis Police Department for law enforcement purposes. This also includes a person agreeing to supply information to the St. Francis Police Department for a benefit (e.g., a quid pro quo in the form of a reduced criminal penalty, money). This person aids in intelligence gathering or investigative efforts and is able, by reason of the person's familiarity or close association with suspected criminals, to:
  - 1. Make a controlled buy or controlled sale of contraband, controlled substance, or other items that are material to a criminal investigation;
  - 2. Supply regular or constant information about suspected or actual criminal activities to a law enforcement agency; or
  - 3. Otherwise provide information important to ongoing criminal intelligence gathering or criminal investigative efforts.
- B. **Controlled Buy:** means the purchase of contraband, controlled substances, or other items that are material to a criminal investigation from a target offender that is initiated, managed, overseen, or participated in by law enforcement personnel with the knowledge of a confidential informant.
- C. Controlled Sale: means the sale of contraband, controlled substances, or other items that are material to a criminal investigation to a target offender that is initiated, managed, overseen, or participated in by law enforcement personnel with the knowledge of a confidential informant.
- D. **Mental Harm:** means a psychological injury that is not necessarily permanent but results in visibly demonstrable manifestations of a disorder of thought or mood that impairs a person's judgment or behavior.
- E. **Target Offender:** means the person suspected by law enforcement personnel to be implicated in criminal acts by the activities of a confidential informant.
- F. **Confidential Informant File:** means a file maintained to document all information that pertains to a confidential informant.
- G. Unreliable Informant File: means a file containing information pertaining to an individual who has failed at following an established written confidential informant agreement and has been determined to be generally unfit to serve as a confidential

informant.

- Н. Compelling Public Interest: means, for purposes of this policy, situations in which failure to act would result or likely result in loss of life, serious injury, or have some serious negative consequence for persons, property, or public safety and therefore demand action.
- I. Overseeing agent: means the officer primarily responsible for supervision and management of a confidential informant.

### 603.2 POLICY

The St. Francis Police Department recognizes the value of informants to law enforcement efforts and will strive to protect the integrity of the informant process. It is the policy of this department that all funds related to informant payments will be routinely audited and that payments to informants will be made according to the criteria outlined in this policy.

### 603.2.1 POST MODEL POLICY

It is the policy of the Department to follow the requirements of the Confidential Informants Model Policy, established and published by the Minnesota Board of Peace Officer Standards and Training (MN POST) (Minn. Stat. § 626.8476).

See attachment: Confidential Informants Model Policy.pdf

### 603.3 USE OF INFORMANTS

### 603.3.1 INITIAL APPROVAL

Before using an individual as an informant, an officer must complete an initial suitability report prior to receiving approval/authorization from the Chief of Police or designee. The officer will submit the initial suitability to their supervisor for review.

- The officer shall compile sufficient information through a background investigation and 1. experience with the informant in order to determine the suitability of the individual, this must include sufficient detail regarding the risks and benefits of using the individual so that a sound determination can be made. The following information must be addressed in the report, where applicable:
  - Age, sex, and residence
  - (b) Employment status or occupation
  - Affiliation with legitimate businesses and illegal or suspicious enterprises (c)
  - Extent to which potential information, associations, or other assistance could (d) benefit a present or future investigation
  - (e) Relationship with the target of an investigation
  - (f) Motivation in providing information or assistance
  - Risk of adversely affecting an existing or future investigation (g)
  - (h) Extent to which provided information can be corroborated
  - Prior record as a witness (i)
  - Criminal history, to include whether he or she is the subject of a pending (i) investigation, is under arrest, or has been charged with a crime

- (k) Risk to the public or as a flight risk
- (I) Consultation with the individual's probation, parole, or supervised release agent, if any
- (m) Consideration and documentation of the individual's diagnosis of mental illness, substance use disorder, traumatic brain injury, or disability; and consideration and documentation of the individual's history of mental illness, substance use disorder, traumatic brain injury or disability
- (n) Relationship to anyone in law enforcement
- (o) Risk of physical harm to the potential CI or their immediate family or relatives for cooperating with law enforcement
- (p) Prior or current service as a CI with this or another law enforcement organization
- 2. Any prospective or current CI must be excluded from engaging in a controlled buy orsale of a controlled substance if the prospective or current CI:
  - (a) Is receiving in-patient treatment or partial hospitalization treatment administeredby a licensed service provider for a substance use disorder or mental illness; or
  - (b) is participating in the treatment-based drug court program or treatment court; except that
  - (c) the prospective or current CI may provide confidential information while receiving treatment, participating in a treatment-based drug court program or treatment court.
- Documentation and special consideration must be made of the risks involved in engaging a prospective or current CI in the controlled buy or sale of a controlled substance if the individual is known, or has reported, to have experienced a drug overdose in the previous 12 months.
- 4. Any prospective or current CI who is known to abuse substances, or is at risk for abusing substances, should be provided referral to prevention or treatment services.
- 5. Any prospective or current CI that has a physical or mental illness that impairs the ability of the individual to understand instructions and make informed decisions should be referred to a mental health professional or other appropriate medical professional, or a case manager/social worker from the county social services agency, or other substance abuse and mental health services.

Members of this department should not guarantee absolute safety or confidentiality to an informant.

Government Officials and Individuals obligated by legal privilege of confidentiality require specialreview and approval for use as a CI. In these instances, the Chief of Police or their designee, and the office of the prosecutor or county attorney should be consulted prior to the use of these individuals.

### 603.3.2 JUVENILE INFORMANTS

Use of a juvenile under the age of 18 for participating in a controlled buy or sale of a controlled substance or contraband may be undertaken only with the written authorization of the individual's parent(s) or guardian (s), except that the juvenile informant may provide confidential information. The Chief of Police or designee and the office of the prosecutor or county attorney should be consulted prior to the use of these individuals.

Authorization for such use should be granted only when a compelling public interest can be demonstrated, except that juveniles under the guardianship of the State may not be used as an informant.

### 603.3.3 INFORMANT AGREEMENTS

All informants are required to sign and abide by the provisions of the designated department informant agreement. The officer using the informant shall discuss each of the provisions of the agreement with the informant. Any physical or mental illness that impairs the Cl's ability to knowingly contract or otherwise protect the Cl's self-interest must be taken into consideration before the Cl signs the agreement.

Details of the agreement are to be approved in writing by a supervisor before being finalized withthe informant.

### 603.3.4 EXIGENT CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS

- Certain circumstances arise when an individual who has been arrested is willing to immediately cooperate and perform investigative activities under the direction of an overseeing agent. In these circumstances, the initial suitability determination can be deferred and an individual may be utilized as a CI for a period not to exceed 12 hoursfrom the time of arrest if:
  - (a) The individual is not excluded from utilization as a CI under 603.3.1.2 (a-c) of this policy; and
  - (b) There is compelling public interest or exigent circumstances exist that demandimmediate utilization of the individual as a CI and any delay would significantly and negatively affect any investigation; and
  - (c) A supervisor has reviewed and approved the individual for utilization as a CI under these circumstances.
- Upon the conclusion of the 12-hour window, or at any time before, an initial suitabilitydetermination must be conducted before the individual engages in any further CI activities.

### 603.4 INFORMANT INTEGRITY

To maintain the integrity of the informant process, the following must be adhered to:

- (a) The identity of an informant acting in a confidential capacity shall not be withheld from the Chief of Police, Department Supervisor, or their authorized designees.
  - 1. Identities of informants acting in a confidential capacity shall otherwise be keptconfidential.

- (b) Criminal activity by informants shall not be condoned.
- (c) Informants shall be told they are not acting as police officers, employees or agents of the St. Francis Police Department, and that they shall not represent themselves as such.
- (d) Informants may not carry a weapon while performing informant activities.
- (e) The relationship between department members and informants shall always be ethicaland professional.
  - 1. Members shall not become intimately involved with an informant.
  - 2. Social contact shall be avoided unless it is necessary to conduct an official investigation, and only with prior approval of the supervisor.
  - 3. Members shall neither solicit nor accept gratuities or engage in any private business transaction with an informant.
- (f) Officers shall not meet with informants in a private place unless accompanied by at least one additional officer or with prior approval of the supervisor and with one officeror agent of the same sex, except when not practical.
  - Officers may meet informants alone in an occupied public place, such as a restaurant.
- (g) When contacting informants for the purpose of making payments, officers shallarrange for the presence of another officer.
- (h) In all instances when department funds are paid to informants, a voucher shall becompleted in advance, itemizing the expenses.
- (i) Since the decision rests with the appropriate prosecutor, officers shall not promise thatthe informant will receive any form of leniency or immunity from criminal prosecution.

Preceding or following every buy or sale of controlled substances, overseeing agents must screenthe CI for any personal safety or mental health concerns, risk of substance abuse, and/or potential relapse in any substance abuse recovery.

- (a) At the request of the CI, or if the overseeing agent deems it necessary, reasonable efforts should be taken to provide the CI with referral to substance abuse and/or mentalhealth services.
- (b) Overseeing agents must document:
  - the screening,
  - 2. any referral to services provided to, or requested by, the CI, and
  - 3. any refusal by the CI to participate in the screening and/or any refusal by the CI to accept referral to services. Reasons for the CI's refusal must be documented, where applicable.
- (c) No part of this subsection supersedes MN Stat. 253B.051.

### 603.4.1 UNSUITABLE INFORMANTS

The suitability of any informant should be considered before engaging him/her in any way in a covert or other investigative process. Members who become aware that an informant may be unsuitable will notify the supervisor, who will initiate a review to determine suitability. Until a determination has been made by a supervisor, the informant should not be used by any member. The supervisor shall determine whether the informant should be used by the Department and, if so, what conditions will be placed on his/her participation or any information the informant provides. The supervisor shall document the decision and conditions in file notes and mark the file "unsuitable" when appropriate.

Considerations for determining whether an informant is unsuitable include, but are not limited to, the following:

- (a) The informant has provided untruthful or unreliable information in the past.
- (b) The informant behaves in a way that may endanger the safety of an officer.
- (c) The informant reveals to suspects the identity of an officer or the existence of an investigation.
- (d) The informant appears to be using his/her affiliation with this department to further criminal objectives.
- (e) The informant creates officer-safety issues by providing information to multiple law enforcement agencies simultaneously, without prior notification and approval of eachagency.
- (f) The informant engages in any other behavior that could jeopardize the safety of officers or the integrity of a criminal investigation.
- (g) The informant commits criminal acts subsequent to entering into an informant agreement.

### **603.5 INFORMANT FILES**

Informant files shall be utilized as a source of background information about the informant, to enable review and evaluation of information provided by the informant, and to minimize incidents that could be used to question the integrity of department members or the reliability of the informant.

Informant files shall be maintained in a secure area within the police department. The Chief of Police or the authorized designee shall be responsible for maintaining informant files. Access to the informant files shall be restricted to the Chief of Police, Department Supervisor, or their authorized designees.

Overseeing agents must:

- (a) evaluate and document the criminal history and propensity for violence of target offenders; and
- (b) to the extent allowed, provide this information to the CI if there is a reasonable risk orthreat of harm to the CI as a result of the CI's interaction with the target offender.

The Chief of Police or designee should arrange for an audit using a representative sample of randomly selected informant files on a periodic basis, but no less than one time per year. The purpose of the audit is to ensure compliance with file content and updating provisions of this policy. The audit should be conducted by a supervisor who does not have normal access to the informant files.

Each CI's suitability must be reviewed every 6 months, at a minimum, during which time the CI'soverseeing agent must submit a Continuing Suitability Report addressing the foregoing issues in603.3.1, where applicable. An initial suitability determination must be conducted on a reactivatedCI regardless of the length of inactivity.

Supervisors must review informant files regularly with the overseeing agent and must attend debriefings of CIs periodically as part of the informant management process. If a CI is active for more than 12 months, a supervisory meeting with the CI must be conducted without the overseeing agent.

CI contracts must be terminated, and the CI file placed in inactive status when the CI has not been utilized for 6 months or more.

### 603.5.1 FILE SYSTEM PROCEDURE

A separate file shall be maintained on each informant and shall be coded with an assigned informant control number. An informant history that includes the following information shall be prepared for each file:

- (a) Name and aliases
- (b) Date of birth
- (c) Physical description: sex, race, height, weight, hair color, eye color, scars, tattoos orother distinguishing features
- (d) Photograph
- (e) Current home address and telephone numbers
- (f) Current employers, positions, addresses and telephone numbers
- (g) Vehicles owned and registration information
- (h) Places frequented
- (i) Briefs of information provided by the informant and his/her subsequent reliability
  - 1. If an informant is determined to be unsuitable, the informant's file is to be marked "unsuitable" and notations included detailing the issues that caused this classification.
- (j) Name of the officer initiating use of the informant
- (k) Signed informant agreement
- (I) Update on active or inactive status of informant
- (m) Emergency contact information

### 603.5.2 DEACTIVATION OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS

A CI deactivation procedure must be established as follows:

- 1. The overseeing agent must complete a deactivation form that includes, at minimum, the following:
  - (a) The name of the agency.
  - (b) The name of the CI.
  - (c) The control number of the CI, where applicable.
  - (d) The date of deactivation.
  - (e) The reason for deactivation.
  - (f) A notification that contractual agreements regarding monetary renumeration, criminal justice assistance, or other considerations, specified or not, are terminated.
  - (g) A notification that the agency will provide and assist the CI with referral to healthservices for assistance with any substance abuse disorder and/or physical, mental, or emotional health concerns, as requested or accepted by the CI.
  - (h) A signature by the CI or documentation indicating the reason(s) why the CI wasunable or unwilling to sign the form.
  - (i) A signature by the overseeing agent.
- 2. All reasonable efforts must be taken to maintain the safety and anonymity of the CI after deactivation.

Cls may voluntarily initiate deactivation, whereupon the protocols outlined in this section must be followed.

### **603.6 INFORMANT PAYMENTS**

No informant will be told in advance or given an exact amount or percentage for his/her service. The amount of funds to be paid to any informant will be evaluated against the following criteria:

- The extent of the informant's personal involvement in the case
- The significance, value or effect on crime
- The value of assets seized
- The quantity of the drugs or other contraband seized
- The informant's previous criminal activity
- The level of risk taken by the informant

### 603.6.1 PAYMENT PROCESS

Approved payments to an informant should be in cash using the following process:

- (a) All monetary compensation paid to informants must be commensurate with the value of the information or assistance provided to the agency.
- (b) All payments to informants must be approved in advance by the Chief of Police.
- (c) Officers must provide accounting of monies received and documentation for confidential funds expended. Any documentation of monies paid or received should not contain the true identity of the informant but should use the informants control number.
- (d) Two officers must be present when making payments or providing funds to informants.
- (e) The appropriate individual, as designated by the Chief of Police must ensure that the process for authorization, disbursement, and documentation of informant payments, as well as the accounting and reconciliation of confidential funds, is consistent with agency policy.
- (f) If an informant is authorized to work with another law enforcement or prosecutorial agency, financial payments must be coordinated between the agencies in a manner that is proportionate to the assistance rendered to each agency.
- (g) Written records of receipts are retained, or justification for the exception is documentedwhen a written receipt is not available.

### 603.6.2 REPORTING OF PAYMENTS

Each informant receiving a cash payment shall be advised of his/her responsibility to report the cash to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) as income. If funds distributed exceed \$600 in any reporting year, the informant should be provided IRS Form 1099 (26 CFR 1.6041-1). If such documentation or reporting may reveal the identity of the informant and by doing so jeopardize any investigation, the safety of officers or the safety of the informant (26 CFR 1.6041-3), then IRSForm 1099 should not be issued.

In such cases, the informant shall be provided a letter identifying the amount he/she must report a tax return as "other income" and shall be required to provide a signed acknowledgement of receipt of the letter. The completed acknowledgement form and a copy of the letter shall be retained in the informant's file.

### 603.6.3 AUDIT OF PAYMENTS

The Chief of Police or the authorized designee shall be responsible for compliance with any auditrequirements associated with grant provisions and applicable state and federal law.

At least once every six months, the Chief of Police or the authorized designee should conduct anaudit of all informant funds for the purpose of accountability and security of the funds. The funds and related documents (e.g., buy/expense fund records, cash transfer forms, invoices, receipts and logs) will assist with the audit process.

### 603.7 INFORMANT COORDINATOR

The Chief of Police or the authorized designee should designate an informant coordinator responsible for remaining familiar with the requirements and guidelines set forth in Minn. Stat. § 626.8476 and the MN POST Confidential Informants Model Policy.

The coordinator is also responsible for implementing department procedures and protocols concerning the recruitment, control, and use of informants, as adopted by the model policy, including but not limited to:

- (a) Establishing general guidelines related to the oversight of informants such as:
  - 1. The execution of informant agreements.
  - 2. The use of informants in exigent circumstances.
  - 3. Supervisor review of informant files and informant agreements, and attendanceat debriefings and meetings.
  - 4. Communication strategies and plans to address the confidentiality and integrity of the department/informant relationship.
  - 5. The screening of informants for personal safety or mental health concerns beforeand after their use.
- (b) Developing procedures for determining initial and continued suitability, and preparingrelated reports (e.g., Initial Suitability Report, Continuing Suitability Report).
  - Procedures should include a process for forwarding the results of initial and continuing suitability determinations to appropriate department members.
  - 2. The local prosecutor's office should be consulted before engaging individuals who require special review and approval (e.g., juveniles, government officials, those individuals obligated by legal privilege of confidentiality).
- (c) Creating a process for identifying individuals who may be or who may become unsuitable to serve as informants (e.g., individuals receiving inpatient or partial- hospitalization treatment for a substance use disorder or mental illness, participating in a treatment-based drug court program or treatment court, having overdosed in the last 12 months, having a physical or mental illness that impairs the ability to understand instructions and make informed decisions).
- (d) Working with department members to identify informants who should be referred to prevention or treatment services.
- (e) Addressing jurisdictional issues to ensure proper coordination in the use of informants.
- (f) Working with the Drug Task Force supervisor to manage the informant file system, including establishing guidelines regarding access, review, and disclosure.
- (g) Establishing deactivation procedures.
- (h) Making any necessary updates to agency procedures.

(i) Certifying annually to MN POST that the Department has adopted a policy that complies with the requirements of the model policy as required by Minn. Stat. § 626.8458, Subd. 3.

### 603.7 TRAINING

The Instructor shall provide in-service training to officers, including part-time officers, in the recruitment, control, and use of confidential informants as required by Minn. Stat. § 626.8476.



### St. Francis Police Department

Policy Manual

### **Bias-Based Policing**

### 401.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This policy provides guidance to department members that affirms the St. Francis Police Department 's commitment to policing that is fair and objective.

Nothing in this policy prohibits the use of specified characteristics in law enforcement activities designed to strengthen the department's relationship with its diverse communities (e.g., cultural and ethnicity awareness training, youth programs, community group outreach, partnerships).

### 401.1.1 DEFINITIONS

Definitions related to this policy include:

**Bias-based policing** - An inappropriate reliance on actual or perceived characteristics such as race, ethnicity, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity orexpression, economic status, age, cultural group, disability, or affiliation with any non-criminal group (protected characteristics) as the basis for providing differing law enforcement service or enforcement.

This includes use of racial or ethnic stereotypes as factors in selecting whom to stop and search. It does not include law enforcement's use of race or ethnicity to determine whether a person matches a specific description of a particular subject (Minn. Stat. § 626.8471).

### **401.2 POLICY**

The St. Francis Police Department is committed to providing law enforcement services to the community with due regard for the racial, cultural or other differences of those served. It is the policy of this department to provide law enforcement services and to enforce the law equally, fairly, objectively and without discrimination toward any individual or group (Minn. Stat. § 626.8471, Subd. 3).

### 401.3 BIAS-BASED POLICING PROHIBITED

Policing impartially is standard procedure for this agency meaning:

- (a) Investigative detentions, pedestrian and vehicle stops, arrests, searches and property seizures by peace officers will be based on a standard of reasonable suspicion or probable cause in accordance with the Fourth Amendment of the United States Constitution and peace officers must be able to articulate specific facts, circumstancesand conclusions that support reasonable suspicion or probable cause for investigative detentions, pedestrian and vehicle stops, arrests, nonconsensual searches andproperty seizures;
- (b) Except as provided in paragraph c., Peace officers shall not consider race, ethnicity, national origin, gender, sexual orientation and religion in establishing either reasonable suspicion or probable cause; and
- (c) Peace officers may take into account the descriptors in paragraph b. Based on information that links specific, suspected, unlawful or suspicious activity to a particular

individual or group of individuals and this information may be used in the same manner officers use specific information regarding age, height, weight, or other physical characteristics about specific suspects.

### 401.4 MEMBER RESPONSIBILITIES

Every member of this department shall perform his/her duties in a fair and objective manner and has a duty to promptly report any suspected or known instances of bias-based policing to a supervisor. Members should, when reasonable to do so, intervene to prevent any biased-based actions by another member.

### 401.4.1 INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED

In an effort to prevent the perception of biased law enforcement, peace officers shall:

- (a) Be respectful and professional.
- (b) Introduce or identify themselves and state the reason for a contact as soon as practicable unless providing the information could compromise officer or public safety.
- (c) Attempt to answer questions the person may have regarding the contact, including relevant referrals to other agencies when appropriate.
- (d) Explain the reason for the contact if it is determined the reasonable suspicion was unfounded.
- (e) When requested, provide their name and badge number and identify this departmentduring routine stops.
- (f) When requested, officers should inform a member of the public of the process to file a misconduct complaint for bias-based policing against a member of the Department, and that bias-based policing complaints may be made by calling the Attorney General'soffice (Minn. Stat. § 626.9514).

### 401.5 SUPERVISOR RESPONSIBILITIES

Supervisors should monitor those individuals under their command for compliance with this policyand shall handle any alleged or observed violations in accordance with the Personnel Complaints Policy.

- (a) Supervisors should discuss any issues with the involved officer in a timely manner.
  - 1. Supervisors should document these discussions, in the prescribed manner.
- (b) Supervisors should periodically review MAV recordings, portable audio/video recordings, Mobile Data Terminal (MDT) data and any other available resource used to document contact between officers and the public to ensure compliance with this policy.
  - 1. Supervisors should document these periodic reviews.
  - 2. Recordings that capture a potential instance of bias-based policing should be appropriately retained for administrative investigation purposes.

- (c) Supervisors shall initiate investigations of any actual or alleged violations of this policy.
- (d) Supervisors should take prompt and reasonable steps to address any retaliatory actiontaken against any member of this department who discloses information concerning bias-based policing.

### 401.6 TRAINING

Training on fair and objective policing and review of this policy should be conducted as directed by the Office of the Chief.

The Chief of Police and supervisors should receive and review training materials prepared by the Board of Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) (Minn. Stat. § 626.8471, Subd. 7).

Training should also include in-service training on recognizing and valuing community diversity and cultural differences, including implicit bias, as required by (Minn. Stat. § 626.8469, Subd. 1).

### 401.7 VIOLATIONS

Alleged violations of this policy must be reported to POST in accordance with the reporting requirements in Minn. Stat. §626.8457.



### CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

**FROM:** Todd Schwieger, Police Chief

SUBJECT: Surplus Vehicle

DATE: October 3, 2022

### **OVERVIEW:**

The Police Department has one seized vehicle that has gone through the forfeiture process and is now the property of the City of St. Francis. The vehicle is a 2008 Mercury Mountaineer bearing VIN # 4M2EU48E88UJ16952. The Police Department will utilize the online bidding service of Municibid to sell and dispose of the vehicle. St. Francis city code 8-7-3 (7) authorizes the City to sell supplies, materials, or equipment at the highest price utilizing an electronic selling process in an open and interactive environment.

### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

To approve resolution 2022-46 declaring the listed seized/forfeited vehicle as surplus property to be disposed of under the guidelines of the St. Francis city code.

### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

Work performed in the preparation and selling of surplus vehicles will be conducted during normal working hours. Money collected from the sales of the vehicles will be placed into the police department forfeiture fund.

### Attachments:

 Resolution 2022-46 Declaring surplus property and authorizing the disposal of said property

### CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

### **RESOLUTION 2022-46**

### A RESOLUTION DECLARING SURPLUS PROPERTY AND AUTHORIZING THE DISPOSAL OF SAID PROPERTY

WHEREAS, Section 8-7-3 of the St. Francis City Code entitled "Disposal of Excess Property" outlines the procedure for disposal of City owned property; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 8-7-3, the City has identified property owned by the City that is no longer needed for municipal service; and

WHEREAS, by the City Council of the City of St. Francis that the following property is hereby classified as surplus property, with the approximate value said property assigned as follows:

### Surplus Property: (Forfeiture Vehicles) 1) 2008 Mercury Mountaineer Highest bidder on Auction/Ebid VIN # 4M2EU48E88UJ16952 ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS THIS 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022. APPROVED: ATTEST: Steven D. Feldman, Mayor

Jennifer Wida, City Clerk



### CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

FROM: Jenni Wida, City Clerk

**SUBJECT:** Appointment of Election Judges

**DATE:** October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022

### **OVERVIEW:**

The city of St. Francis will be conducting a General Election, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 204B.21, election judges for precincts in a municipality must be appointed by the governing body of that municipality.

### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

A motion to adopt Resolution 2022-47 a resolution appointing the election judges for the General Election to be held on November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

### Attachments:

• Resolution 2022-47 – Appointing election judges for the general election.

### CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

### **RESOLUTION 2022-47**

### A RESOLUTION APPOINTING JUDGES OF ELECTION FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 8, 2022

**Whereas**, the City of St. Francis will be conducting a General Election on November 8, 2022; and

**Whereas**, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 204B.21. Election judges for precincts in a municipality must be appointed by the governing body of that municipality; and

**Whereas**, the hourly rate of pay will be \$15.00 for regular election judges and \$15.50 for head judges.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ST. FRANCIS, ANOKA COUNTY, MINNESOTA, as follows:

1) That the following persons be appointed to serve as election judges for the for the General Election, November 8, 2022:

Rose Caswell Dawnette Boyd Melissa Denning **Therese Cathers** Marlene Drozdik Michael Minkler Mark Peterson Rebecca Gerlach Natalie Santillo Kathy Minkler Kathleen Stadel Maureen Ness Ray Steinke Jessica Running Sara Watkins **David Watkins** Shirley Williams Richard Williams

Carolynn Thompson Lisa Stoll
Patricia Bloomer Greg Zutz
Beck Rock-Zutz Louise Grass
Luke Blanch Kaleb Miller
Kelly Scales Jennifer Simon

2) That Council authorize staff to train and hire additional election judges not named here should the need arise.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS, ANOKA COUNTY, MINNESOTA THIS 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022.

	APPROVED:
ATTEST:	
	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	



### CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

FROM: Craig Jochum, City Engineer

**SUBJECT:** Siwek Park Improvements – Pay Estimate No. 3

DATE: October 3, 2022

### **OVERVIEW:**

Attached is Pay Estimate No. 3 for the Siwek Park Improvement Project. The major work items for this pay estimate include the bituminous trail and parking lot paving and the toilet enclosure. This pay estimate includes payment for all of the work items completed through September 23, 2022. This estimate recommends payment of \$65,431.44. The contract amount is \$384,094.65.

### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Consider approval of Pay Estimate No. 3 for the Siwek Park Improvement Project

### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

This project will be funded by grant funds and park capital funds. The payment is summarized as follows:

Work Completed to Date	\$250,622.20
Less Payment No. 1	\$ 71,877.95
Less Payment N0. 2	\$100,781.70
Less 5% Retainage	\$ 12,531.11
Total Payment	\$ 65,431.44

### Attachments:

• PAY ESTIMATE NO. 3

	Contractor's Application for Payment No.	n for Payment No.	3
To (Owner): City of St. Francis	Application Through September 23, 2022 Period:		September 27, 2022
Project: Siwek Park Improvements	From (Contractor): Ashwill Companies	Via (Engineer):	Hakanson Anderson
Application For Poyment			
Change Order Summary			
Approved Change Orders	1. ORIGINAL CON	1. ORIGINAL CONTRACT PRICE\$	\$382,824.65
Number Additions	Deductions 2. Net change by Ch	2. Net change by Change Orders\$_	\$1,270.00
	3. Current Contract	Current Contract Price (Line 1 ± 2) \$_	\$384,094.65
	4. TOTAL COMPL	TOTAL COMPLETED AND STORED TO DATE \$_	\$250,622.20
	5. RETAINAGE:		
	a. 5%	Work Completed	\$12,531.11
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	6. AMOUNT ELIGI	•	\$238,091.09
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TOTALS \$1,270.00	\$0.00 8. AMOUNT DUE T	8. AMOUNT DUE THIS APPLICATION \$_	\$65,431.44
NET CHANGE BY CHANGE ORDERS \$1,	\$1,270.00		
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Contractor's Certification  The undersigned Contractor certifies, to the best of its knowledge, the following:	ige, the following:	PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR: CITY OF ST. FRANCIS  Certification: We recommend payment for work and quantites shown.	R: CITY OF ST. FRANCIS d payment for work and quantites shown.
(1) All previous progress payments received from Owner on account of Work done under the Contract have been applied on account to discharge Contractor's legitimate obligations incurred in connection with the Work covered by prior Applications for Payment;	count of Work done under the Contract have been applied urred in connection with the Work covered by prior		9/18/2022
Application for Payment, will pass to Owner at time of payment free and clear of all Liens, security interests, and encumbrances (except such as are covered by a bond acceptable to Owner indemnifying Owner against any such Liens,	the to Owner indemnifying Owner against any such Liens,	Public Works Director)	C Date
security interest, or encumbrances); and (3) All the Work covered by this Application for Payment is in accordance with the Contract Documents and is not defective.	accordance with the Contract Documents and is not	OWNER: CITY OF ST. FRANCIS	
Contractor Signature Deven Muhonen	T		

Devon Muhonen

Date: 9/28/2022

(Owner)

Date

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### PAY ESTIMATE #3 City of St. Francis Siwek Park Improvements

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2	SAWING CONCRETE PAVEMENT	10	LIN FT	\$ 8.25	\$	82.50	22	\$ 181.50
ω	REMOVE CONCRETE PAVEMENT	123	SQ FT	\$ 3.00	€9	369.00	221	\$ 663.00
4	COMMON EXCAVATION (P)	1,580	CU YD	\$ 10.50	<del>(y</del>	16,590.00	1,580	\$ 16,590.00
ΟΊ	AGGREGATE BASE CLASS 5	742	TON	\$ 23.00	49	17,066.00	742	\$ 17,066.00
တ	BITUMINOUS MATERIAL FOR TACK COAT	20	GALLON	\$ 13.20	8	264.00	20	\$ 264.00
7	TYPE SP 12.5 WEARING COURSE MIXTURE (2;B) 3.0" THICK	1,167	SQ YD	\$ 25.75	69	30,050.25	1,140	\$ 29,355.00
ω	TYPE SP 9.5 NON WEARING COURSE MIXTURE (2;B)	29	TON	\$ 137.00	€	3,973.00	29	\$ 3,973.00
9	TYPE SP 9.5 WEARING COURSE MIXTURE (2;B)	29	TON	\$ 137.00	49	3,973.00	29	\$ 3,973.00
10	6" PRECAST CONCRETE HEADWALL		EACH	\$ 505.00	49	505.00		\$ 505.00
=======================================	6" PVC PIPE	23	LIN FT	\$ 58.00	49	1,334.00	23	\$ 1,334.00
12	12" RC PIPE SEWER DESIGN 3006 CLASS V	72	LIN FT	\$ 51.00	49	3,672.00	72	\$ 3,672.00
13	CONNECT TO EXISTING STORM SEWER		EACH	\$ 680.00	49	680.00		\$ 680.00
14	CASTING ASSEMBLY	2	EACH	\$ 805.00	49	1,610.00	2	\$ 1,610.00
方	CONSTRUCT DRAINAGE STRUCTURE DESIGN H	3	LIN FT	\$ 830.00	<del>()</del>	2,490.00	ω	\$ 2,490.00
16	CONSTRUCT DRAINAGE STRUCTURE DESIGN 48-4020	3	LIN FT	\$ 945.00	49	2,835.00	ω	\$ 2,835.00
17	5" CONCRETE WALK	1,542	SQ FT	\$ 7.00	€	10,794.00	1,542	\$ 10,794.00
18	6" CONCRETE WALK	440	SQ FT	\$ 7.50	€9	3,300.00	420	\$ 3,150.00
19	CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER DESIGN 8612	212	LIN FT	\$ 35.00	es	7,420.00	212	\$ 7,420.00
20	PLAY CONTAINER CONCRETE EDGER	395	LIN FT	\$ 35.00	\$	13,825.00	384.2	\$ 13,447.00
21	7" CONCRETE DRIVEWAY PAVEMENT	39	SQ YD	\$ 87.50	↔	3,412.50	37.2	\$ 3,255.00
22	SPORT COURT AND GAGA PIT BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT	344	SQ YD	\$ 33.30	\$	11,455.20	344	\$ 11,455.20
23	SPORT COURT LINES	1	LUMP SUM	\$ 1,750.00	49	1,750.00		↔
24	SHADE SHELTER	1	EACH	\$ 38,500.00	G	38,500.00	0.9	\$ 34,650.00
25	BASKETBALL HOOP		EACH	\$ 5,650.00	49	5,650.00	0.5	\$ 2,825.00
26	TOILET ENCLOSURE		EACH	\$ 7,485.00	69	7,485.00		\$ 7,485.00
27	BENCH	8	EACH	\$ 1,155.00	€	9,240.00	7	\$ 8,085.00
28	BACKLESS BENCH	2	EACH	\$ 1,005.00	49	2,010.00	2	\$ 2,010.00

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### PAY ESTIMATE #3 City of St. Francis Siwek Park Improvements

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BIKE RACK	SHRUB	JB \$		€	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00 \$
BIKE RACK	TREE	₩		↔	\$ 590.00	\$ 590.00 \$
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### Siwek Park Improvements PAY ESTIMATE #3 City of St. Francis

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			Base Bid		\$326,086.65		\$244,514.70
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		Altı	Alternate No. 2		\$20,550.00		\$0.00
		Altı	Alternate No. 3		\$25,513.00		\$0.00
		Change	Change Order No. 1				\$1,270.00

\$382,824.65

\$250,622.20



### CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

FROM: Paul Carpenter, Public Works Director

**SUBJECT:** Water Wastewater Systems Operator Replacement

DATE: October 3, 2022

### **OVERVIEW:**

At the August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022, Council Meeting the City Council authorized staff to fill this vacant position. Through a 2 step interview process staff has picked Wyatt Huberty as the top candidate. Wyatt was offered the position on September 26, 2022, contingent upon City Council approval and successfully completing a workplace assessment, background check and medical exam.

### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

It is recommended that City Council make a motion to hire Wyatt Huberty for the position of Water Wastewater Systems Operator, pending test results with City policy standard requirements, and be placed at step one on the Water Waste Water Systems Operator pay scale.

### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

This is an existing budgeted position.



### CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

FROM: Paul Carpenter, Public Works Director

**SUBJECT:** WETT Program Student Internship

DATE: October 3, 2022

### **OVERVIEW:**

A current student in the Water Environment Technologies Program approached the Public Works Department and asked if she could do a one-week internship with the City in the Water/Wastewater Department. An internship is required for all students enrolled in the WETT program. Our water/wastewater treatment plants are suitable for the proper training experience and meet the educational needs of the students enrolled in the program. The City is able to provide a site where the students can learn and develop skills needed to gain-entry into the field of water and wastewater treatment. Having the opportunity to teach and develop future operators is an exciting endeavor.

### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Council is asked to consider authorizing the Water/Wastewater Supervisor to sign an agreement with St. Cloud Technical and Community College for student training experience/internship.

### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

None: This is an unpaid internship.

### Attachments:

Memorandum of Agreement w/St. Cloud Technical and Community College

### STUDENT'S NAME, PAIGE ALDRICH

### STATE OF MINNESOTA MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES ST. CLOUD TECHNICAL AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR STUDENT TRAINING EXPERIENCE/INTERNSHIP FOR NON-ALLIED HEALTH PROGRAMS

This Agreement is made between the State of Minnesota acting through its Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, on behalf of St. Cloud Technical and Community College; 1540 Northway Drive; St Cloud, Minnesota ("the College/University") and Name:

City of St. Francis-Public Works.

Address: 4058 St. Francis Blvd NW

City, State, Zip: St. Francis, MN 55070 ("the Facility"). This Agreement, and any written changes and additions to it, shall be interpreted according to the Laws of the State of Minnesota.

The purpose of this Memorandum of Agreement is to outline the terms of the training/internship experience for the student of the College/University and to identify the responsibilities of the College/University and the Facility.

### A. THE PARTIES UNDERSTAND THAT:

- 1. The College/University has a Water Environment Technologies Program (the "Program") for qualified students enrolled in the College/University; and
- 2. The College/University has been given authority to enter into Agreements regarding academic programs; and
- 3. The Facility has facilities for providing a suitable training experience that meets the educational needs of students enrolled in the Program of the College/University; and
- 4. It is in the general interest of the Facility to provide a training site where College/University students can learn and develop skills and qualifications needed to achieve the student's occupational goals and satisfy the Program requirements while assisting in the development of trained personnel to meet future area employment needs; and
- 5. The College/University and the Facility want to cooperate to furnish a training experience at the Facility for students of the College/University enrolled in the Program.

### B. RESPONSIBILITIES OF EACH PARTY

### 1. The College/University agrees to:

- a. make arrangements with the Facility for a training experience at the Facility that will support the student's occupational goals and meet any applicable Program requirements.
- b. make periodic visits to the Facility's training site to observe the student or receive periodic reports from the Facility and/or the student, and discuss the student's performance and progress with the student and any site supervisor at the Facility, as needed.
- c. discuss with the Facility any problems or concerns arising from the student's participation.
- d. notify the Facility in the event the student is no longer enrolled in the Program at the College/University.
- e. keep any necessary attendance and progress records as set forth in the College/University attendance policy.
- f. assist in the evaluation of the student's performance in the training experience.

### 2. The Facility agrees to:

- a. cooperate with the College/University in providing a mutually agreeable training experience at the Facility that supports the student's educational and occupational goals.
- b. consult with the College/University about any difficulties arising at the Facility's training site that may affect the student's participation.
- c. assist in the evaluation of the student's performance and provide time for consultation with the College/University concerning the student, as needed.
- d. sign the weekly work report to verify the student's attendance.

### 3. LIABILITY

Each party agrees that it will be responsible for its own acts and the results thereof to the extent authorized by law and shall not be responsible for the acts of the other party and the results thereof. The College/University's liability shall be governed by the provisions of the Minnesota Tort Claims Act, Minnesota Statutes, Section 3.732 et seq., and other applicable law.

### 4. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement is in effect from October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 or when fully executed, and shall remain in effect until October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022. This Agreement may be terminated by giving at least seven (7) days' advance oral notice to the other parties, with a follow up letter confirming termination delivered to the other party on or before the actual termination date.

### 5. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION

- a. The College/University and the Facility each agree to bear their own costs associated with this Agreement and that no payment is required by either College/University or the Facility to the other party.
- b. The Facility is not required to reimburse the College/University faculty or students for any services rendered to the Facility or its customers pursuant to this Agreement.

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### 6. CHANGES OR ADDITIONS TO THE AGREEMENT

Any changes or additions to this Agreement must be in writing and signed by authorized representatives of each party.

### 7. ASSIGNMENT

Neither the College/University nor the Facility shall assign or transfer any rights or obligations under this Agreement without first obtaining the written consent of the other party.

### 8. AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) COMPLIANCE

The Facility agrees that in fulfilling the duties of this Agreement, the Facility is responsible for complying with the Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. Chapter 12101, et seq., and any regulations promulgated to the Act. The College/University IS NOT responsible for issues or challenges related to compliance with the ADA beyond its own routine use of facilities, services, or other areas covered by the ADA.

### 9. DATA PRIVACY

The requirements of Minnesota Statute Section 13.05, subd. 11 apply to this contract. The State of Minnesota has laws (the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13 ["the Act"]) that classify the College/University's written and electronic information as public, private or confidential. Except as otherwise provided in law or College/University policy, data on students is private and may not be shared with any other party. If the Facility receives a request from a third party for any data provided to the Facility by the College/University, the Facility agrees to immediately notify the College/University. The College/University will give the FACILITY instructions concerning the release of the data to the requesting party before the data is released and the Facility agrees to follow those instructions. The parties additionally acknowledge that the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C.1232g and 34 C.F.R. 99, apply to the use and disclosure of education records that are created or maintained under this agreement.

### 10. STUDENT TRAINING EXPERIENCE/INTERNSHIP AGREEMENT

The student assigned to a training experience/internship at the Facility shall be required to sign a Student Training Experience/Internship Agreement (see Attachment A attached to this Agreement and made part of it) before the student begins the training experience/internship at the Facility.

### 11. NON-DISCRIMINATION

The Facility recognizes that it is the policy of the College/University to prohibit discrimination and ensure equal opportunities in its educational programs, activities, and all aspects of employment for all individuals, regardless of race, color, creed, religion, gender, national origin, sexual orientation, veteran's status, marital status, age, disability, status with regard to public assistance, or inclusion in any group or class against which discrimination is prohibited by federal, state, or local laws and regulations. The Facility agrees to adhere to this policy in implementing this Agreement.

- 5. Consult with the College/University instructor/lab assistant about any difficulties arising at the Facility's training site; and
- 6. Be present at the Facility's training site on the dates and for the number of hours agreed upon; and
- 7. Not terminate his/her participation in the training experience at the Facility without first consulting with the College/University's instructor/lab assistant.

The Student also understands and agrees that:

- a. placement and participation in this training experience is not employment with the College/University or Facility;
- b. the Student is not covered by the College/University worker's compensation coverage; and
- c. the Student will not receive any money or compensation or benefits of any kind from the College/University in exchange for his/her participation in the training experience.

The Student also understands that the Facility does not promise or guarantee any future employment for the student.

The Student understands that he/she is responsible for providing his or her own health insurance and for any and all medical expenses incurred by him/her related to any injury, loss or illness sustained by him/her while participating in the training experience at the Facility.

Student's Signature (in ink):
Student's Name (please print): <u>Paige Aldrich</u>
Date: September 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
Name of Student's Parent (required for students under 18 years of age) (please print):
Parent's Signature:
Date:

St. Cloud Technical and Community College, part of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system, is an Equal Opportunity employer and educator.

## ATTACHMENT A STUDENT TRAINING EXPERIENCE/INTERNSHIP AGREEMENT

Name of Conege/University: St. Cloud Technical and	a Community College	
Name of College/University Program ("the Program"	'): Water Environment Te	chnologies
Type of Training Experience/Internship: Water Trea	tment Internship.	
Dates of Training/Internship: $\underline{October\ 10^{th},\ 2022-October\ 10^{th}}$	ctober 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2022.	
Student's Name: Paige Aldrich Phone #: f		
Average number of hours to be worked by the Studen	nt each week:	
Facility Name:		The state of the s
Facility Address:		
Location Where Training will Occur (if different from	m Facility's Address above)	):
Facility Representative's Name:	Phone #:	
Activities/Job tasks and skills the Student will lea	arn:	
Tools and Equipment the Student will use:		

#### STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

In exchange for the opportunity to participate in the training experience/ internship at the Facility, the Student agrees to:

- 1. Keep regular attendance and be on time, both at school and at the Facility's training site. The Student will promptly notify the Facility's training site if unable to report. The Student's placement will automatically terminate if the Student terminates his/her enrollment in the Program or is no longer enrolled as a student at the College/University.
- 2. Demonstrate honesty, punctuality, courtesy, a cooperative attitude, desirable health and grooming habits, desirable/required dress and a willingness to learn; and
- 3. Furnish the coordinating College/University instructor with all necessary information and complete all necessary reports requested by the instructor. Submitting falsified reports is cause for immediate expulsion from the Program; and
- 4. Conform to all rules, regulations, and policies including health, safety, and work environment of the Facility, follow all instructions given by the Facility and always conduct myself in a safe manner; and

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In signing this Memorandum of Agreement, we agree to work together to assist the student in learning and/or applying the tasks and skills identified. We understand that the Individualized Training Plan for the student can be modified or dissolved at any time upon the mutual agreement of the Facility and College/University.

FACILITY	Minnesota State Colleges and Universities St. Cloud Technical and Community College
Name: Cily of St. Francis	Name:
Authorized Facility Representative	Dean:
Title: water rustemaker supervisor	Date:
Date: 9-78-22 Signature: Butte	AS TO FORM AND EXECUTION
Signature: Phone Number: 370-333-6330	By: (authorized College/University signature)
	Title:
	Date:



## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

FROM: Paul Carpenter, Public Works Director

**SUBJECT:** MMUA Safety Management Program Contract

**DATE:** October 3, 2022

#### **OVERVIEW:**

The City contracts with MMUA to provide safety programs for employees. These programs help ensure that the City is OSHA compliant and using the best practices for employee safety. The program ensures that the City receives adequate training, evaluation and implementation of safety practices.

Employee safety is important for several reasons. First, it ensures that employees are safely handling dangerous equipment and chemicals; are using the best practices to avoid injury. Second, the MMUA safety program also ensures that the City is in compliance with OSHA and industry standards in the handling of these pieces of equipment and chemicals. Finally, the program minimizes liability for the City in regards to workers compensation and other impacts that can arise from employee injuries.

This contract is an annual renewal. The contract did increase from \$21,250 to \$26,019.00 for this renewal.

#### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Authorize Mayor to sign 2022-23 Safety Management Program Contract.

#### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

None. This is a budgeted item in the yearly operation and maintenance budgets for ALL city departments.

#### Attachments:

MMUA Safety Management Program 2.0 Service Proposal

2022-23



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2021-22

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# MMUA Safety Management Program 2.0 Service Proposal

# of

City/Utility	Population	Days	Annual Cost	Annual Cost
		2		
St.Francis	7,872	2	21,250.00	26,019.00
lumber of days per month:	2			
ased on number of days a	nd the service we ha	ve been prov	iding, your service le	evel is <u>tier 2</u>
So that we can promptly pr	epare your service co	ontact for 202	22-23, please comple	ete the following
section.				
Please indicate your prefere	ence:			
Continue with	the same level of se	rvice for 2022	2-23	
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If you would like to chang	ge your level of servic	e, please indi	cate here:	
INCREASE n	umber of days		DECREASE number	of days
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Indicate how many	more days	Indicate	e how many fewer da	iys
Please note: Your regional	safety coordinator v	vill continue t	o work with you on	your specific traini
opics. If your request exce	eds or falls outside	of your tier li	mitations, MMUA wi	II work with you an
provide a cost proposal an				
Safety management contra	cts are for the period	October 1, 2	022-September 30.	2023. Contracts wi
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Return this form to Larry Pederson by September 23.

invoiced at the new rates beginning on October 1, 2022.

Thank you!

Larry Pederson, Director of Finance 3131 Fernbrook Lane North, Suite 200 Plymouth, MN 55447 Ipederson@mmua.org

Fax - 763-551-0459



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August 19, 2022

Dear Valued Member,

Your support and participation in MMUA's Safety Management Program over the years is very much appreciated. It is our hope to continue to serve you for many years to come.

As I'm sure you're aware, MMUA as a staff and with oversight from the Board of Directors, have been reviewing our programs and services. We have conducted surveys of the membership, held our annual reviews with participants in each of the regions, and just finished holding two Zoom meetings where we presented our redesigned "Safety Management Program 2.0."

The 2.0 program features three service tiers. Each tier offers a defined level of service over a specified number of days. For those who select tier 2 or tier 3 there is even greater flexibility. You can select from a variety of programming to best meet your needs, as well as purchase additional days of service if desired.

Included please find the following:

- 1. Safety Management Program 2.0 Service Proposal, which include the price you are currently paying and the price for the equivalent service in 2022-23
- 2. Overview of Safety Management Program Tiers
- 3. Safety Management Program Tier Structure / Safety Management Program Fee Structure
- 4. Safety Management Program Training Options (Classic and Technical)

Please review the information and return the Safety Management Program 2.0 Service Proposal to Larry Pederson at MMUA before September 23.

Safety management contracts are for the period October 1, 2022-September 30, 2023. Contracts will be invoiced at the new rates beginning on October 1, 2022.

As always, we appreciate your prompt response. If you have questions, please contact me at 612-802-8474 or Karleen Kos at 763-746-0701.

Sincerely,

Mike Willetts

Director of Training & Safety

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Cell: 612.802.8474 mwilletts@mmua.org Karleen Kos

Chief Executive Officer

Karleen Kos

Direct: 763.746.0701 / Cell: 813.675.7589

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## Overview of Safety Management Program 2.0 Tiers

In FY 2022-23, MMUA is introducing a new tiered safety program model. This updated system builds on the core safety programming for which MMUA has been known and adds components that will allow communities/utilities to choose the level of service they want. Fees will be based on the tier chosen, the size of the community/workforce, and the required on-site days.

#### <u> Tier 1 – Compliance Program</u>

This is our most basic offering, designed to give you the tools needed to help achieve compliance.

What is the same: In the Tier 1 Compliance Program, a dedicated safety professional is assigned to your community/utility. Your safety coordinator will work with you and your team as a mentor, to assist in working towards compliance of OSHA/MNOSHA and other applicable regulations. They have access to a full team of safety experts to help them ensure you get the right information and experience when and where you need it.

What is different: Your safety coordinator is on-site six (6) times per year rather than twelve (12) times per year. Additional fees apply for courses/trainings not included in tier 1. Accident/incident investigations and support for OSHA inspections are also available and due to their specialized nature are billed at an enhanced rate.

#### Tier 2 - Competence Program

This program builds on tier 1 offering greater flexibility, with a focus on building a strong safety culture and increasing your team's competence.

What is the same: The Tier 2 Competence Program is MMUA's classic offering. A dedicated safety professional is assigned to your community/utility and will be on your site at least twelve (12) times per year. In addition to ensuring your operation is progressing toward compliance of OSHA/MNOSHA and other applicable regulations. Your safety coordinator will focus on training in areas that are important for your specific operational needs and the professional development requirements of the individuals on your team for enhanced competency. Accident investigations and support for OSHA inspections continue to be included at no additional charge.

What is different: You can identify your most-pressing training needs and choose up to five (5) additional topics/programs you would like covered in a given year. Should you decide more is needed, additional training or consultation sessions can be scheduled for an additional fee at a discounted rate. If your safety coordinator is qualified to deliver the services you request, s/he will do so. If not, we will draw from another qualified member of our team to visit your community and deliver the added training

or consulting. This gives you access to a wider range of offerings and resources than ever before. If you want us to create something not on our current list, we will work with you and offer a tailored proposal with costs spelled out in advance, always at the discounted pricing available to tier 2 participants. You are welcome to involve others within your organization to join the training on a space/time available basis. If they are not employed by the entity contracting with MMUA, we reserve the right to charge a registration and recordkeeping fee for their participation.

#### Tier 3 - Comprehensive Program

Tier 3 encompasses all that tier 1 and tier 2 have to offer, plus unlimited customized training and auditing in order to develop a more comprehensive safety program.

What is the same: As with our other program levels, in the Tier 3 Comprehensive Program, communities and utilities will be assigned a dedicated safety professional who will be on-site at least forty-eight (48) times per year. Your safety coordinator will provide all-inclusive safety management services to develop a well-rounded safety culture, with comprehensive program compliance and developing best practices always at the forefront. Tier 3 offers a full range of training choices that are only limited by the numbers of days you contract. Accident investigations and support for OSHA inspections are also provided at no extra charge for tier 3 participants.

What is different: The sky really is the limit. Within the confines of the time (i.e., the number of days) for which you contract, we will bring you as many trainings and services as you request at no extra cost. If you need something we don't currently offer but could develop, we'll do that for you if at all possible. Additionally, if you need something that will require more time than you have available within your contract, extra days will be available at our best discounted rate. You are welcome to involve others within your organization to join the training on a space/time available basis. If they are not employed by the entity contracting with MMUA, we reserve the right to charge a registration and recordkeeping fee for their participation.



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# MMUA Safety Management Program Classic Training Options

- 1. Accident Investigation
- 2. Aerial Lift and Scaffolds
- 3. Asbestos Hazards in the Workplace
- 4. AWAIR
- 5. Back Safety and Lifting
- 6. Behavior Based Safety
- 7. Bloodborne Pathogens
- 8. Commercial Driver's License Rules and Regulations
- 9. Compressed Gases
- 10. Confined Space Entry and Rescue
- 11. Contractor Safety
- 12. Dog Bites and Distractions
- 13. Driving Safety
- 14. Drug and Alcohol Awareness
- 15. Electrical Safety
- 16. Emergency Action Plan
- 17. Ergonomics
- 18. Excavation and Trenching
- Facility Safety Audit Mock OSHA Inspection with Report
- 20. Fall Protection
- 21. Fire Extinguisher Training
- 22. Forklift Qualified Operator
- 23. Hantavirus Syndrome
- 24. Hazard Identification
- 25. Hazardous Materials
- 26. Hearing Protection and Conservation
- 27. Heat and Cold Stress
- 28. Job Briefings and Tailgate Meetings
- 29. Job Hazard Analysis
- 30. Ladder Safety

- 31. Load Securement Strategies
- 32. Lockout/Tagout
- 33. Machine Guarding
- 34. Mobile Phone Hazards
- 35. New Employee Orientation
- 36. Noise Exposure and Testing
- 37. Office Safety
- 38. OSHA Inspection Support Services
- 39. Park and Playground Safety
- 40. Personal Protective Equipment
- 41. Reasonable Suspicion for Supervisors
- 42. Respiratory Protection
- 43. Right to Know (Hazard Communications)
- 44. Safety Awareness at Home
- 45. Safety Culture and Behaviors
- 46. Safety Grant Development and Support
- 47. Seasonal Employee Training
- 48. Slips Trips and Falls
- 49. Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure
- 50. Summer and Vacation Safety
- 51. Supervisor Training
- 52. Temporary Work Zone Traffic Control
- 53. Tool Safety
- 54. Tow Ropes and Hazards
- 55. Walking and Working Surfaces
- 56. Welding and Hot Work
- 57. Winter Driving Safety
- 58. Winter Safety
- 59. Workplace Violence and Stress
- Worksite Safety Audit Mock OSHA Inspection with Report



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# MMUA Safety Management Program Technical Training Options

The following options are available with tier 3 contract. For those in tier 1 and tier 2, these options are available on a fee-for-service basis:

- 1. Arc Flash Electric, Water, Wastewater
- 2. Bucket Truck and Self Rescue
- 3. Chainsaw Safety
- 4. Chlorine Gas and Process Safety Management
- 5. Competent Person
- 6. Crane & Derrick Qualified Operator
- 7. Poletop Rescue
- 8. Rigging and Related Equipment
- 9. Skid Steer Qualified Operator
- 10. Tree Trimming and Felling
- 11. Trenching and Excavation
- 12. Wheel Loader Qualified Operator



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Time

Included (as time allows)\*

Tier 1 – Compliance Program	Tier 2 – Competency Program	Tier 3 – Comprehensive Program
6 Service Days Per Year (Every Other Month)	1 - 3 Service Days Per Month	> 3 Service Days Per Month
<ol> <li>Written Safety Manual Development and Maintenance</li> <li>AWAIR</li> <li>Bloodborne Pathogens</li> <li>Confined Spaces Entry and Rescue</li> <li>Employee Right to Know</li> </ol>	Written Safety Manual Development and Maintenance     AWAIR     Bloodborne Pathogens     Confined Spaces Entry and Rescue     Employee Right to Know	Written Safety Manual Development and Maintenance     AWAIR     Bloodborne Pathogens     Confined Spaces Entry and Rescue     Employee Right to Know
<ul> <li>Emergency Action Plan and Preparedness</li> <li>Excavation and Trenching</li> <li>Lockout/Tagout</li> <li>Fall Protection</li> <li>Personal Protective Equipment</li> <li>Group Employee Training (in person or virtual)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>- Emergency Action Plan and Preparedness</li> <li>- Excavation and Trenching</li> <li>- Lockout/Tagout</li> <li>- Fall Protection</li> <li>- Personal Protective Equipment</li> <li>2. Group Employee Training (in person or virtual)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>- Emergency Action Plan and Preparedness</li> <li>- Excavation and Trenching</li> <li>- Lockout/Tagout</li> <li>- Fall Protection</li> <li>- Personal Protective Equipment</li> <li>2. Group Employee Training (in person or virtual)</li> </ul>
3. Annual Safety Training Calendar 4. Standardized Safety Program Filing and File Management	<ol> <li>Annual Safety Training Calendar</li> <li>Standardized Safety Program Filing and File Management</li> <li>Facility Safety Audit - Mock OSHA</li> </ol>	<ul><li>3. Annual Safety Training Calendar</li><li>4. Standardized Safety Program Filing and File Management</li><li>5. Facility Safety Audit - Mock OSHA</li></ul>
	Inspection with Report  6. Worksite Safety Audit - Mock OSHA Inspection with Report	Inspection with Report  6. Worksite Safety Audit - Mock OSHA Inspection with Report
	7. Worksite Training	7. Worksite Training
	Safety Grant Development and Support     Accident Investigation	Safety Grant Development and Support     Accident Investigation
	10. OSHA Inspection Support Services 11.Limited Classic Training - Choose up to 5 options from MMUA's list of Classic Training Options	10. OSHA Inspection Support Services 11. Unlimited Classic Training - Choose an unlimited number of options from MMUA's list of Classic Training Options 12. Unlimited Technical Training - Choose an unlimited number of options from MMUA's list of Technical Training Options

<sup>\*</sup>Included offerings are subject to number of days contracted. MMUA's role as a safety partner does not guarantee compliance or competency.

#### MMUA Safety Management Program Fee Structure 2022-2023

	*	CON	Tier 1 MPLIANCE PROG	RAM			er 2 CE PROGRAM					er 3 BIVE PROGRAM		
Population	Grouping	1 day every other month (6 days/year)	Cost per extra standard day	Cost per extra specialty day	1 day per month (12 days/year)	2 days/month (24 days/year)	3 days/month (36 days/year)	Cost per extra ad hoc day	4 days/month (48 days/year)	5 days/month (60 days/year)	6 days/month (72 days/year)	7 days/month (84 days/year)	8 days/month (96 days/year)	Cost per extra ad hoc day
0-1000	S-1	\$ 11,078	\$ 750	\$ 1,000	\$ 12,449	\$ 15,399	\$ 17,759	\$ 750	\$ 20,119	\$ 22,860	\$ 25,260	\$ 27,660	\$ 30,060	\$ 750
1001-3000	S-2	\$ 12,653	\$ 750	\$ 1,000	\$ 14,219	\$ 18,939	\$ 22,479	\$ 750	\$ 26,019	\$ 30,060	\$ 33,660	\$ 37,260	\$ 40,860	\$ 750
3001-5000	M-1	\$ 12,653	\$ 750	\$ 1,000	\$ 14,219	\$ 21,299	\$ 26,019	\$ 750	\$ 29,559	\$ 33,660	\$ 37,260	\$ 40,860	\$ 44,460	\$ 750
5001-7000	M-2	\$ 13,703	\$ 750	\$ 1,000	\$ 15,399	\$ 23,659	\$ 29,559	\$ 750	\$ 35,459	\$ 42,060	\$ 48,060	\$ 54,060	\$ 60,060	\$ 750
7001-17000	L-1	\$ 15,803	\$ 900	\$ 1,250	\$ 17,759	\$ 26,019	\$ 31,919	\$ 900	\$ 37,819	\$ 44,460	\$ 50,460	\$ 56,460	\$ 62,460	\$ 900
17001-23000	L-2	\$ 16,853	\$ 900	\$ 1,250	\$ 18,939	\$ 26,019	\$ 35,459	\$ 900	\$ 44,899	\$ 53,159	\$ 61,419	\$ 70,859	\$ 76,759	\$ 900
23001-26000	L-3	\$ 17,903	\$ 1,150	\$ 1,500	\$ 20,119	\$ 30,739	\$ 38,409	\$ 1,150	\$ 46,079	\$ 54,339	\$ 62,599	\$ 72,039	\$ 77,939	\$ 1,150
26001-29000	L-4	\$ 18,953	\$ 1,150	\$ 1,500	\$ 21,299	\$ 33,099	\$ 41,949	\$ 1,150	\$ 50,799	\$ 59,059	\$ 68,499	\$ 77,939	\$ 87,379	\$ 1,150
Over 29000	L-5	\$ 20,003	\$ 1,150	\$ 1,500	\$ 22,479	\$ 35,459	\$ 44,899	\$ 1,150	\$ 54,339	\$ 63,779	\$ 73,219	\$ 82,659	\$ 92,099	\$ 1,150
		Average 5% increase from '21- 22 one day charge		Includes accident investigations and OSHA inspection support	Average 18% increase from '21- 22 one day charge	Average 18% increase from '21-22 two day charge	Average 18% increase on prior year 3 day charge	Includes training, recordkeeping, and mock audits. Accident investigations and OSHA inspection support is included at this level at no extra charge		ige 20% increase f same num	or those currently ber of days	contracting for the		Includes training, recordkeeping, and mock audits. Accident investigations and OSHA inspection support is included at this level at no extra charge

Note: Safety Management Program participants in all tiers receive mutual aid assistance at no extra charge.



## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and Council

FROM: Colette Baumgardner, Community Development Director

**SUBJECT:** Vista Prairie Grading Agreement

DATE: October 3, 2022

#### **OVERVIEW:**

On April 18, 2022, the City Council approved the rezoning, Final Plat, and PUD Plans for the Vista Prairie St. Francis Senior Living development. This development is now known as Vista Prairie at Eagle Pointe. The development is moving forward with construction planning, and they have requested a grading agreement to begin preparing the site as weather allows this Fall. They plan to execute a full site improvement agreement with the City prior to the next phase of construction.

#### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Move to approve the Grading Agreement with Vista Prairie at Eagle Pointe.

#### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

None.

(RESERVED FOR RECORDING INFORMATION)

#### CITY OF ST. FRANCIS COUNTY OF ANOKA STATE OF MINNESOTA

## AGREEMENT AND WAIVER REGARDING PRE-APPROVAL GRADING OF THAT PLAT KNOWN AS VISTA PRAIRIE AT SAINT FRANCIS

THIS GRADING DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT ("Grading Agreement") is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of October, 2022, by and between the CITY OF ST. FRANCIS, a Minnesota municipal corporation ("City") and VISTA PRAIRIE AT EAGLE POINTE, LLC, a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Minnesota ("Developer").

**WHEREAS**, the applicant, Vista Prairie Communities, LLC, a Minnesota limited liability company, developer of the real property legally described in *Exhibit A* to this Grading Agreement has applied for and received an approved preliminary plat and final plat for the property designated as VISTA PRAIRIE AT EAGLE POINT (hereinafter the "Plat" or "Site" or "Property"); and

**WHEREAS**, on April 18, 2022, the St. Francis City Council approved the Preliminary Plat, Final Plat, and PUD plans for Developer subject to conditions of Resolution 2022-20; and

**WHEREAS**, the applicant has requested early grading of the Site and adjacent easement areas prior to executing the Site Improvement Performance Agreement, in order to allow possible construction within the plat this year and the Council has determined that they would allow limited dirt work on Site subject to Developer executing this Agreement and providing security as established by the City Engineer.

#### NOW THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED BETWEEN THE PARTIES AS FOLLOWS:

1. <u>Conditions</u>: Developer may commence limited grading of the Site for Developer only to the extent approved by the City Engineer subject to conditions as determined by the City Engineer. No work will be undertaken until Developer has, at a minimum, completed the following:

- a. Provide proof of ownership.
- b. Developer submits all plan sets which affect grading and erosion control and then updates and revises same for final approval of the City Engineer all prior to grading being authorized prior to the execution of the Site Improvement Performance Agreement for this Plat. If Developer does not comply with the erosion control plan and schedule or any erosion control requirements, the City may, with reasonable notice, take action as it deems appropriate in accordance with all applicable laws, ordinances or regulations or according to this Agreement.
- c. Obtained a permit from the Anoka County Highway Department for work within right-of-way.
- 2. <u>Acceptance of Risk</u>. All work undertaken prior to full compliance with City ordinances including, but not limited to, execution of the Site Improvement Performance Agreement and posting of all required security, is solely at the risk of Developer.
- 3. <u>Indemnification</u>. Developer shall indemnify and hold harmless the City from any and all claims or causes of action of whatever nature related to the grading and preparation of the Site as set forth in this Grading Agreement. Further, Developer shall indemnify and hold harmless the City from any and all claims or causes of action of whatever nature related to grading and other work done off of the Site upon existing utility and drainage easements. Said indemnity and agreement to hold the City harmless includes payment of any and all attorney's fees, engineering fees, witness fees or any other costs and disbursements related to this Grading Agreement, including any City fees or costs expended to enforce the terms and conditions of this Grading Agreement.
- 4. <u>Security</u>. In order to ensure compliance with this Grading Agreement, or to assure completion or restoration of the Site and any work performed or to be performed on easements outside of the Site, Developer shall post an Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit or other security acceptable to the City in the amount of \$35,860.00 (17.93 acres x \$2,000 per acre) in favor of the City (the "**Grading LOC**"). Said Grading Letter of Credit or other security shall remain in place until: 1) all work set forth in this Grading Agreement and attached *Exhibit B* (Grading and Erosion Control Plans) has been completed and approved by the City Engineer, and 2) the Construction Work described in the Site Improvement Performance Agreement has been completed, approved by the City engineer and released by the City Council of the City in at least the amount of \$35,860.00. It being the intention of the City and Developer that the Grading Letter of Credit, or a portion thereof as determined by the City Engineer, shall secure the performance of the grading work described herein and shall be extended as additional security for the Site Improvement Performance Agreement, as required.
- 5. <u>Transport of Equipment and Material</u>. All transport of equipment and material to the development Site necessary to complete the work under this Grading Agreement shall adhere to all applicable road restrictions.

- 6. <u>Work Outside Property</u>. In the event the Developer does any work outside the Property owned by Developer, Developer shall submit and have approved by the City Engineer satisfactory plans for work done outside the property. Any necessary right of entry and right to construct on the property must be received from individual property owners. Obtaining any said right of entry and/or right to construct is the sole responsibility of the Developer.
- 7. <u>Wetlands</u>. Developer shall not conduct work in any wetland areas for which Developer has not obtained necessary permits and approvals from appropriate governmental entities.

Dated:	<del></del>	CITY OF ST. FRANCIS
		Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
		Jennifer Wida, City Clerk
STATE OF MINNESOTA	) ) ss.	
COUNTY OF ANOKA	)	
2022, by Steven D. Feldman	and Jennifer Wesota municipal	wledged before me this day of October, ida, respectively Mayor and City Clerk of the corporation, on behalf of the corporation and Council.
		Notary Public

Dated:	DEVELOPER
	VISTA PRAIRIE AT EAGLE POINTE, LLC
	By James E. Bettendorf Its President
2022, by James E. Bettendor	ss.  In the was acknowledged before me this day of October the President of Vista Prairie at Eagle Point, LLC, a limited sof the State of Minnesota, on behalf of the limited liability.
	Notary Public

THIS INSTRUMENT DRAFTED BY:

BARNA, GUZY & STEFFEN, LTD. 400 Northtown Financial Plaza 200 Coon Rapids Boulevard Coon Rapids, Minnesota 55433 Telephone (763) 780-8500 (DRS)

#### **EXHIBIT A**

#### **LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

That part of the following described property:

Commencing at the northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 34, Range 24, Anoka County, Minnesota; thence on an assumed bearing of South 00 degrees 32 minutes 18 seconds East, along the west line of said Northwest Quarter, a distance of 1254.00 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing South 00 degrees 32 minutes 18 seconds East, along said west line, a distance of 791.17 feet to the intersection of said west line with the north line of Outlot 17, VILLAGE OF ST.FRANCIS AUDITOR'S PLAT, according to the recorded plat thereof, said north line also being the north line of the south 593.40 feet of said Northwest Quarter; thence North 89 degrees 48 minutes 15 seconds East, along said north line, a distance of 3727.21 feet more or less to the west bank of the Rum River, thence northwesterly along said west bank to the intersection of said west bank with a line bearing North 89 degrees 56 minutes 37 seconds East, parallel with the north line of said Northwest Quarter, from the point of beginning; thence South 89 degrees 56 minutes 37 seconds West a distance of 1413.09 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

#### **EXCEPTING**

That part of the above described property lying within the following described parcel:

That part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 34, Range 24, in Anoka County, Minnesota, described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the West line of said Northwest Quarter, distant 891 feet South of the Northwest corner of said Northwest Quarter; thence Easterly and parallel with the North line of said Northwest Quarter a distance of 300 feet to the point of beginning of land to be described; thence continue Easterly on same described line a distance of 111 feet; thence South and parallel with the West line of said Northwest Quarter a distance of 395.5 feet; thence Westerly and parallel with the North line of said Northwest Quarter a distance of 411 feet to the West line of said Northwest Quarter; thence North on the West line of said Northwest Quarter a distance of 207.1 feet; thence Easterly and parallel with the North line of said Northwest Quarter a distance of 300 feet; thence North and parallel with the West line of said Northwest Quarter a distance of 188.4 feet to the point of beginning, Anoka County, Minnesota.

#### ALSO EXCEPTING

The west 344.00 feet of the north 150.00 feet of the south 743.40 feet of said Northwest Quarter of Section 32.

#### ALSO EXCEPTING

That part of the above described property lying within a distance of 50.00 feet easterly and 50.00 feet westerly of the line described in Parcel No. 14 of the Final Certificate filed as Doc. No. 397374 in the office of the County Recorder, Anoka County, Minnesota.

#### ALSO EXCEPTING

That part of the above described property lying within Minnesota Department of Transportation Right of Way Plat Nos. 02-28 and 02-29, filed as Doc. Nos. 1670395 & 1670396 in the office of the County Recorder, Anoka County, Minnesota.

#### Lying westerly of the following described line:

Commencing at the northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 34, Range 24, Anoka County, Minnesota; thence on an assumed bearing of South 00 degrees 32 minutes 18 seconds East, along the west line of said Northwest Quarter, a distance of 2045.17 feet to the intersection of said west line with the north line of Outlot 17, VILLAGE OF ST.FRANCIS AUDITOR'S PLAT, according to the recorded plat thereof, said north line also being the north line of the south 593.40 feet of said Northwest Quarter; thence North 89 degrees 48 minutes 15 seconds East, along said north line, a distance of 1257.31 feet to the intersection of said north line with the westerly right of way line of Ambassador Boulevard NW per the Final Certificate filed as Doc. No. 397374 in the office of the County Recorder, Anoka County, Minnesota and the point of beginning of the line to be described; thence 129.04 feet along said westerly right of way line on a non-tangential curve concave to the west,

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having a radius of 1095.92 feet, a central angle of 06 degrees 44 minutes 46 seconds and a chord bearing of North 10 degrees 33 minutes 55 seconds West; thence continuing along said westerly right of way line, North 13 degrees 56 minutes 18 seconds West, tangent to the last described curve, a distance of 681.18 feet to the north line of the above described property and said line there terminating.

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## **EXHIBIT B**

## GRADING, DRAINAGE AND EROSION CONTROL PLANS



## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and Council

FROM: Jenni Wida, City Clerk

**SUBJECT:** Application for Intoxicating Liquor & Sunday Sales License

DATE: October 3, 2022

#### **OVERVIEW:**

Tasty Pizza Bar & Bowl has submitted an application to obtain Intoxicating Liquor License and Sunday Sales License for 3085 Bridge St. This will be a new license under a new ownership.

#### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Motion to adopt Resolution 2022-54 Approving an Intoxicating Liquor and Sunday Sales License to Tasty Pizza Bar & Bowl.

#### Attachments:

Resolution 2022-54

#### CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2022-54**

## A RESOLUTION APPROVING INTOXICATING LIQUOR AND SUNDAY SALES LICENSE FOR TASTY PIZZA BAR & BOWL

**WHEREAS**, Tasty Pizza Bar & Bowl submitted an application on September 29, 2022 to obtain an Intoxicating Liquor and Sunday Sales License for Tasty Pizza Bar & Bowl, located at 3085 Bridge St, St Francis, MN

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of St. Francis, Minnesota, that:

- 1. To grant and approve an Intoxicating Liquor and Sunday Sales License to Tasty Pizza Bar & Bowl for the premises located at 3085 Bridge St, St. Francis, MN 55070
- 2. The license is conditioned on the applicant's ongoing compliance with its application that is on file with the City Clerk, including its ongoing operation as a restaurant, and are further subject to all terms and conditions of the City Code Chapter 5 Section 4.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of St. Francis, Minnesota this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2022.

	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
Attest: Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	



## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

FROM: Darcy Mulvihill, Finance Director

SUBJECT: Payment of Claims

DATE: October 03, 2022

#### **OVERVIEW:**

Attached are the bills received since the last council meeting. Total checks to be written are \$332,720.24 plus any additional bills that are handed out at council meeting.

Other Payments to be approved:

Debt service payments -N/A

Direct Transfers from Previous Month-N/A

Credit Card Payment- N/A

Manual Checks-N/A

#### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Approved under consent agenda to allow the Finance Director to draft checks or ACH withdrawals for the attached bill list. Please note additional bills may be handed out at the council meeting.

#### **BUDGET IMPLICATION:**

City bills

#### Attachments:

10-03-2022 Packet List-\$332,720.24

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Claim Type Claim# 15982 ALWAYS BRIGHT LIGHTS LTD				
Cash Payment E 101-45200-311 Contract Invoice 1004	FALL BANN	NERS		\$535.00
Transaction Date 9/28/2022 Due 9/28/	/2022 CASH	10100	Total	\$535.00
Claim Type				
Claim# 15938 ANOKA COUNTY TREASURY D	)EPT	_		
Cash Payment E 101-42110-321 Telephone Invoice B220915P	BROADBAI	ND		\$37.51
Cash Payment E 101-42210-321 Telephone Invoice B220915P	BROADBAI	ND		\$37.51
Cash Payment E 101-43100-321 Telephone Invoice B220915P	BROADBAI	ND		\$37.51
Cash Payment E 101-45200-321 Telephone Invoice B220915P	BROADBAI	ND		\$37.51
Cash Payment E 601-49440-321 Telephone Invoice B220915P	BROADBAI	ND		\$37.51
Cash Payment E 602-49490-321 Telephone Invoice B220915P	BROADBAI	ND		\$37.45
	/2022 CASH	10100	Total	\$225.00
Claim Type				<u> </u>
Claim# 15983 ASHWILL COMPANIES		_		
Cash Payment E 225-45100-510 Land-Park Improv Invoice .09282022	rement SIWEK PA	RK - PAY APP 3		\$65,431.44
Transaction Date 9/28/2022 Due 9/28/	/2022 CASH	10100	Total	\$65,431.44
Claim Type				
Claim# 15937 ASPEN MILLS				
Cash Payment E 101-42110-437 Uniform Allowance Invoice 300905	e UNIFORMS	S - OFFICER CHANTH	APANYA	\$1,169.00
Cash Payment E 101-42110-437 Uniform Allowance Invoice 300770	e UNIFORMS	S-CHANTHAPANYA		\$58.95
Transaction Date 9/27/2022 Due 9/27/	/2022 CASH	10100	Total	\$1,227.95
Claim Type				
Claim# 15936 ASSURED PARTNERS		_		
Cash Payment E 101-41110-360 Insurance	SERVICE F	EE		\$16.20
Invoice 356679				
Cash Payment E 101-41400-360 Insurance Invoice 356679	SERVICE F	EE		\$155.40
Cash Payment E 101-41410-360 Insurance Invoice 356679	SERVICE F	EE		\$0.60
Cash Payment E 101-41500-360 Insurance Invoice 356679	SERVICE F	FEE		\$83.40
Cash Payment E 101-41600-360 Insurance Invoice 356679	SERVICE F	FEE		\$51.00
Cash Payment E 101-41910-360 Insurance Invoice 356679	SERVICE F	FEE		\$105.60
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Cash Payment E 101-41940-360 Insurance Invoice 356679	SERVICE F	EE		\$124.80

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Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 356679	1-42210-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$195.60
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 356679	1-42400-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	Е		\$63.60
Cash Payment E 10	1-43100-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$573.00
Invoice 356679						
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 356679	1-43210-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$25.80
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 356679	1-45200-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$727.80
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 356679	1-49200-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$3.60
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 356679	1-49440-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$907.80
Cash Payment E 60:	2-49490-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$1,225.80
Cash Payment E 609	9-49750-360 Insur	ance	SERVICE FE	E		\$888.60
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$6,000.00
Claim Type						
Claim# 15934 BE	LLBOY CORPOR	RATION				
Cash Payment E 609 Invoice 010577640	-	ht and Fuel Charge	es FREIGHT			\$7.10
Cash Payment E 609 Invoice 009660880	-	ht and Fuel Charge	es FREIGHT			\$23.10
Cash Payment E 609 Invoice 010577640		ellaneous Merchan	dis MISC			\$233.05
Cash Payment E 609 Invoice 009660880	•	or For Resale	LIQUOR			\$1,316.65
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$1,579.90
Claim Type						
·	ERNICK COMPAN	IIES, THE				
Cash Payment E 609 Invoice 380555		· ·	BEER			\$537.30
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$537.30
Claim Type						
	REAKTHRU BEVE	RAGE				
		ht and Fuel Charge	es FREIGHT			\$55.83
Cash Payment E 60	9-49751-251 Liquo	or For Resale	LIQUOR			\$3,838.16
•	9-49751-254 Misc	ellaneous Merchan	dis MISC			\$166.50
Invoice 345771603 Transaction Date	0/27/2022	Duo 0/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	<u> </u>
	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASIT	10100	lotai	\$4,060.49
Claim Type Claim# 15922 BF	ROTHERS FIRE &	SECUDITY				
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice C002652			ANNUAL MO	NITORING		\$69.00
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice C002652	1-45200-401 Repa	nirs/Maint Buildings	ANNUAL MO	NITORING		\$69.00

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Cash Payment E 60° Invoice C002652	1-49440-401 Repa	airs/Maint Buildings	ANNUAL	MONITORING		\$69.00
Cash Payment E 602 Invoice C002652	2-49490-401 Repa	airs/Maint Buildings	ANNUAL	MONITORING		\$69.00
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice C002652	1-42110-401 Repa	airs/Maint Buildings	ANNUAL	MONITORING		\$69.00
Transaction Date	9/21/2022	Due 9/21/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$345.00
Claim Type						
Claim# 15945 CE	EDAR CREEK CO	NSTRUCTION				
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice JP-2396129	,	ect Repair & Mainter	na GAZEBC	REPAIRS		\$8,565.00
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$8,565.00
Claim Type						
Claim# 15944 <i>Cl</i>	VICPLUS LLC					
Cash Payment E 10 <sup>o</sup> Invoice 240881	1-41400-311 Cont	ract	MUNICO	DE PAGES		\$383.32
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$383.32
Claim Type						
	RYSTAL SPRING					
Cash Payment E 609 Invoice 9000686	9-49751-206 Freig	ht and Fuel Charge	s FUEL			\$4.00
Cash Payment E 609 Invoice 9000686	9-49751-254 Misc	ellaneous Merchand	dis MISC			\$211.50
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$215.50
	AHLHEIMER DIST 9-49751-252 Beer		BEER			\$15,864.41
Invoice 1739398  Cash Payment E 609	9-49751-255 N/A I	Products	N/A			\$31.20
Invoice 1739398 Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$15,895.61
Claim Type	3/21/2022	Duc 3/21/2022	0/1011	10100	. •	ψ10,000.01
	AGLE GARAGE D	OOR CO		<u></u>		
		airs/Maint Buildings	PW DOC	R REPAIRS		\$95.00
Cash Payment E 10	1-45200-401 Repa	airs/Maint Buildings	PW DOC	R REPAIRS		\$95.00
Cash Payment E 60° Invoice 7949	1-49440-401 Repa	airs/Maint Buildings	PW DOC	R REPAIRS		\$95.00
Cash Payment E 602 Invoice 7949	2-49490-401 Repa	airs/Maint Buildings	PW DOC	R REPAIRS		\$95.00
Transaction Date	9/28/2022	Due 9/28/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$380.00
Claim Type						
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Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 912417	1-41400-351 Lega	l Notices Publishino	OCT 3 P	H 5TH & 2ND ADDITIONS		\$64.50
Transaction Date	9/21/2022	Due 9/21/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$155.88
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Claim Type  Claim# 15919 ELITE SANITATION  Cash Payment E 101-45200-402 Janitorial Service PORTABLE RENTAL 08/21/22-09/17/2022 Invoice 29113	
Cash Payment E 101-45200-402 Janitorial Service PORTABLE RENTAL 08/21/22-09/17/2022	
INVOICE ZULLS	\$803.50
Cash Payment E 101-45200-402 Janitorial Service PORTABLE TOILET RENTAL 9/17/2022	\$115.00
Invoice 29058  Transaction Date 9/21/2022 Due 9/21/2022 CASH 10100 Total	\$918.50
Claim Type	
Claim# 16002 FERGUSON WATERWORKS, INC	
Cash Payment E 601-49440-259 Water Meters METERS Invoice 0501785	\$957.21
Cash Payment E 601-49440-259 Water Meters METERS Invoice 0501785-1	\$15.58
Cash Payment E 601-49440-259 Water Meters METERS Invoice WL005624-2	\$65.45
Transaction Date 9/28/2022 Due 9/28/2022 CASH 10100 <b>Total</b>	\$1,038.24
Claim Type	
Claim# 15940 GRANITE CITY JOBBING CO.	
Cash Payment E 609-49751-206 Freight and Fuel Charges FREIGHT Invoice 300213	\$10.00
Cash Payment E 609-49751-206 Freight and Fuel Charges TOBACCO Invoice 293558	-\$775.52
Cash Payment E 609-49750-210 Operating Supplies OPERATING Invoice 300213	\$75.82
Cash Payment E 609-49751-256 Tobacco Products For Res TOBACCO Invoice 300213	\$5,649.22
Transaction Date 9/27/2022 Due 9/27/2022 CASH 10100 <b>Total</b>	\$4,959.52
Claim Type	
Claim# 15939 GREAT LAKES COCA-COLA	
Cash Payment E 609-49751-254 Miscellaneous Merchandis MISC Invoice 3636217133	\$1,024.95
Transaction Date 9/27/2022 Due 9/27/2022 CASH 10100 <b>Total</b>	\$1,02 <mark>4.95</mark>
Claim Type	
Claim# 15929 GREEN AND CLEAN RECYCLING  Cash Payment E 101-43210-439 Recycling Days RECYCLING DAYS	\$1,099.84
Invoice 22-1132	
Transaction Date 9/21/2022 Due 9/21/2022 CASH 10100 <b>Total</b> 5	\$1,099.84
Claim Type	
Claim# 15957 HACH COMPANY	
Cash Payment E 601-49440-217 Other Operating Supplies OPERATING SUPPLIES  Invoice 13183564	\$128.95 
Transaction Date 9/27/2022 Due 9/27/2022 CASH 10100 <b>Total</b>	\$128.95
Claim Type	
Claim# 15992 HAKANSON ANDERSON ASSOC., I Cash Payment G 803-22043 Esc-Laketown (Rivers Edge) RIVERS EDGE 5TH ADDITION	\$881.38
Invoice 49190	<b>.</b>
Cash Payment G 803-22179 Vista Prairie-Site Plan VISTA PRAIRIE Invoice 49192	\$113.00
Cash Payment E 405-43100-805 2020 Street Improvements 2020 STREET RECON WATERMAIN PROJECT Invoice 49194	\$101.25

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Cash Payment E 603-49490-303 Engineering Fees Invoice 49198	ROUTINE	RETAINER		\$800.00
Cash Payment G 803-22192 Dollar General-Hwy 47 Invoice 49191	DOLLAR	GENERAL HWY 47		\$113.00
Cash Payment E 101-41910-303 Engineering Fees Invoice 49199	BUILDING	G PERMIT REVIEWS		\$87.00
Cash Payment E 405-43100-806 2021 Street Improve Invoice 49196	ements POPPY S	ST & 229TH LN RECON	PROJECT	\$4,722.65
Cash Payment E 405-43100-807 2022 Street Improve Invoice 49195	ements 2022 STR	REET REHAB PROJEC	Т	\$356.25
Transaction Date 9/28/2022 Due 9/28/2	022 CASH	10100	Total	\$7,174.53
Claim Type				
Claim# 15928 HAWKINS, INC.				
Cash Payment E 602-49490-216 Chemicals and Che Invoice 6285946	m Prod CHEMICA	ALS		\$9,001.26
Cash Payment E 601-49440-216 Chemicals and Che Invoice 6289774	m Prod CHEMICA	ALS		\$30.00
Cash Payment E 601-49440-216 Chemicals and Che Invoice 6290228	m Prod CHEMICA	ALS		\$10.00
Transaction Date 9/21/2022 Due 9/21/2	022 CASH	10100	Total	\$9,041.26
Claim Type				
Claim# 15998 HOISINGTON KOEGLER GROUP	1	<del></del>		
Cash Payment E 101-41910-311 Contract Invoice 018-041-48	GENERA	L PLANNING		\$2,687.50
Cash Payment E 225-45100-441 Miscellaneous Invoice 018-041-48	PARK PL	AN		\$37.50
Cash Payment G 803-22043 Esc-Laketown (Rivers E Invoice 018-041-48	dge) RIVERS E	EDGE		\$180.00
Cash Payment G 803-22001 TURTLE PONDS 6TH-2 Invoice 018-041-48	2022 TURTLE	PONDS		\$45.00
Cash Payment G 803-22001 TURTLE PONDS 6TH-2 Invoice 018-041-48	022 TURTLE	PONDS 6TH ADDITION	N	\$243.75
Cash Payment G 803-22179 Vista Prairie-Site Plan Invoice 018-041-48	VISTA PF	RAIRIE		\$90.00
Cash Payment G 803-22191 Alliant Finance-Plantinu Invoice 018-041-48	m Land PLATINU	M SUBD/BLUFFS DEV	ELOP	\$5,066.25
Cash Payment G 803-22192 Dollar General-Hwy 47 Invoice 018-041-48	DOLLAR	GENERAL HWY 47		\$1,485.00
Cash Payment G 803-22194 Northrup Grumann Site Invoice 018-041-48	Plan-2 NORTHR	OP GRUMANN 2021		\$300.00
Cash Payment G 803-22195 Brother Dev 2022 (Ench Invoice 018-041-48	anted) BROTHE	RS DEVELOPMENT 20	)22	\$18.75
Cash Payment G 803-22198 St. Francis Dental Clinic Invoice 018-041-48	ST. FRAN	NCIS DENTAL ADDITIC	DN	\$112.50
Transaction Date 9/28/2022 Due 9/28/2	022 CASH	10100	Total	\$10,266.25
Claim Type				
Claim# 15996 INNOVATIVE OFFICE SOLUTION	S,			
Cash Payment E 101-41400-200 Office Supplies Invoice IN3941358	OFFICE S	SUPPLIES		\$181.04
Cash Payment E 101-43100-200 Office Supplies Invoice IN3941234	PW OFFI	CE SUPPLIES		\$125.05

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Claim Type						
Claim# 15954 /S	SD #15					
Invoice 8719	)1-42110-221 Vehic	ele Repair & Mainte	ena CAR 218	MAINTENANCE		\$62.79
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8720	)1-42110-221 Vehic	ele Repair & Mainte	ena CAR 219	MAINTENANCE		\$54.87
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8965	)1-42110-221 Vehic	cle Repair & Mainte	ena CAR 121	MAINTENANCE		\$69.93
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Claim Type				<u></u>		
	<i>OHNSON BROS W</i> 09-49751-251 Liquo		LIQUOR			-\$4.30
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 218837	09-49751-206 Freig	ht and Fuel Charge	es FREIGHT			-\$0.50
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 218835			LIQUOR			-\$40.50
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 218834	)9-49751-251 Liquo	r For Resale	LIQUOR			-\$12.85
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 2142920	_	_				\$15.75
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 2142919				•		\$31.51
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 2142920	9-49751-253 Wine	For Resale	WINE			\$514.00
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 2142919	)9-49751-251 Liquo	r For Resale	LIQUOR			\$1,220.36
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 218837	9-49751-253 Wine	For Resale	WINE			-\$126.00
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$1,597.47
Claim Type						
	IMS KLEANING					<b>.</b>
Invoice 8818	)1-49440-402 Janito			FREATMENT PLANT		\$188.80
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8815			CITY HAI			\$283.20
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8821	)1-42210-402 Janito	orial Service	FIRE DEI	PARTMENT		\$177.00
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8819	)1-42110-402 Janito	orial Service	POLICE I	DEPT		\$944.00
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 8820	)1-49440-402 Janito	orial Service	WASTE \	VATER PLANT		\$259.60
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8816	01-45000-402 Janito	orial Service	COMMUN	NITY CENTER		\$94.40
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8817	01-43100-402 Janito	orial Service	CLEANIN	G		\$236.00
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 8817	01-45200-402 Janito	orial Service	CLEANIN	G		\$236.00
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 8817	01-49440-402 Janito	orial Service	CLEANIN	G		\$236.00

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Cash Payment E 60	02-49490-402 Janit	orial Service	CLEANING			\$236.00
Transaction Date	9/29/2022	Due 9/29/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$2,891.00
Claim Type				_		
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Cash Payment G 10 Invoice .09292022		es	SGIDUES	S - SEPTEMBER 2022		\$65.00
Cash Payment G 10 Invoice .09292022	01-21707 Union Du	es	OFFICER I	DUES-SEPTEMBER 2022	!	\$455.00
Transaction Date	9/29/2022	Due 9/29/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$520.00
Claim Type						
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Cash Payment E 10 Invoice .09212022		Comp Insurance	WORKERS	S COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM	\$415.23
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Cash Payment E 10 Invoice .09212022		Comp Insurance	WORKERS	COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM	\$166.57
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice .09212022				COMP INSURANCE PR		\$3,838.42
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice .09212022			WORKERS	S COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM	\$17,664.49
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice .09212022		Comp Insurance	WORKERS	S COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM	\$5,064.18
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice .09212022	01-45200-101 Full-	Time Salaries	WORKERS	COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM	\$1,646.16
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice .09212022		Comp Insurance	WORKERS	COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM	\$200.00
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Cash Payment E 60 Invoice .09212022		Comp Insurance	WORKERS	S COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM	\$1,601.39
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice .09212022		Γime Salaries	WORKERS	COMP INSURANCE PR	EMIUM 	\$1,934.19
Transaction Date	9/21/2022	Due 9/21/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$34,390.00
Claim Type				<u> </u>		
	USH LANDSCAPE					
Cash Payment E 10 Invoice 190379	01-43100-410 Side	·		REPLACE 6 SIDEWALK S	SECTIONS	\$3,500.00 
Transaction Date	9/21/2022	Due 9/21/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$3,500.00
Claim Type				<u> </u>		
	ICDONALD DIST (		LIOUOD			<b>#050.00</b>
Invoice 651699	99-49751-251 Liquo		LIQUOR			\$250.00
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 5810139			BEER			-\$103.50
Cash Payment E 60 Invoice 651698	9-49751-251 Liquo	or For Resale	LIQUOR			\$330.00

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Cash Payment E 609-49751-252 Beer For Invoice 651929	Resale	BEER			\$6,375.80
Cash Payment E 609-49751-255 N/A Proc Invoice 651929	ducts	N/A			\$25.40
Transaction Date 9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$6,877.70
Claim Type					
Claim# 15995 MESCHKE CONSTRUC	CTION				
Cash Payment R 101-36200 Miscellaneou Invoice .09282022-2	s Revenues	PERMIT 2022-000	646 REFUND		\$121.00
Transaction Date 9/28/2022	Due 9/28/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$121.00
Claim Type					
Claim# 15959 MN NCPERS LIFE INSU	URANCE				
Cash Payment G 101-21713 MN Life Invoice 733400102022		OCTOBER 2022	PREMIUM		\$128.00
Transaction Date 9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$128.00
Claim Type					<del></del>
Claim# 15958 <i>OPUS 21</i>					<b>.</b>
Cash Payment E 601-49440-382 Utility Bil Invoice 220815	ling	UTILITY BILLING			\$1,478.52
Cash Payment E 602-49490-382 Utility Bil Invoice 220815	ling	UTILITY BILLING			\$1,478.52
Transaction Date 9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$2,957.04
Claim Type					
Claim# 15974 PHILLIPS WINE & SPIR		EDELOUE			<b>A</b> 40.00
Cash Payment E 609-49751-206 Freight a Invoice 6466875	and Fuel Charge	s FREIGHT			\$40.03
Cash Payment E 609-49751-206 Freight a Invoice 6466874	and Fuel Charge	s FREIGHT			\$78.77
Cash Payment	and Fuel Charge	s FREIGHT			\$1.75
Cash Payment	or Resale	LIQUOR			\$6,343.80
Cash Payment E 609-49751-253 Wine Followice 6466875	r Resale	WINE			\$1,939.75
Cash Payment E 609-49751-254 Miscellar Invoice 6466876	neous Merchand	dis MISC			\$52.00
	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$8,456.10
Claim Type					
Claim# 15999 PLAYPOWER LT FARM	MINGTON, IN				
Cash Payment	rk Improvement	SIWEK PARK EQ	UIPMENT		\$112,676.00
Transaction Date 9/28/2022	Due 9/28/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$112,676.00
Claim Type					
Claim# 15971 RMB ENVIRONMENTA					
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Cash Payment E 602-49490-313 Sample Invoice B006934		ALL WEEKS COO	DLER 2		\$126.32
	Testing	ALL WEEKS COO			\$126.32 \$185.13

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Cash Payment E 6 Invoice B007078	602-49490-313 Samp	le Testing	WEEKS 2-4	COOLER 1		\$152.46
Cash Payment E 6 Invoice B007015	602-49490-313 Samp	le Testing	ALL WEEKS	S COOLER 2		\$126.32
Cash Payment E 6 Invoice B007096	602-49490-313 Samp	le Testing	ALL WEEKS	S COOLER 2		\$104.54
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$957.22
Claim Type				_		
Claim# 15994 /	ROYAL SUPPLY					
Cash Payment E 1 Invoice 3999	01-41940-210 Opera	ating Supplies	SUPPLIES			\$59.20
Cash Payment E 1 Invoice 3999	01-42110-217 Other	Operating Supplies	SUPPLIES			\$29.60
Cash Payment E 1 Invoice 3999	01-43100-217 Other	Operating Supplies	SUPPLIES			\$14.80
Cash Payment E 1 Invoice 3999	01-45200-217 Other	Operating Supplies	SUPPLIES			\$14.80
Cash Payment E 6 Invoice 3999	01-49440-217 Other	Operating Supplies	SUPPLIES			\$14.80
	602-49490-217 Other	Operating Supplies	SUPPLIES			\$14.80
Transaction Date	9/28/2022	Due 9/28/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$148.00
Claim Type						
	SOUTHERN GLAZE	RS OF MN		-		
	609-49751-206 Freigh		FREIGHT			\$7.68
Invoice 2261866	700 10701 2001 10igi	it and i doi onargot	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			ψ1.00
Cash Payment E 6 Invoice 2261865	609-49751-206 Freigh	nt and Fuel Charges	FREIGHT			\$64.64
Cash Payment E 6 Invoice 2261866	609-49751-253 Wine	For Resale	WINE			\$282.00
Cash Payment E 6 Invoice 2261865	609-49751-251 Liquo	r For Resale	LIQUOR			\$6,327.86
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$6,682.18
Claim Type						
Claim# 15993	STRANDBERG, MEG	<i>GAN</i>		=		
•	601-22200 Deferred F	Revenues	REISSUE C	HECK #80367		\$140.90
Invoice .0928202 Transaction Date	9/28/2022	Due 9/28/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$140.90
Claim Type						
	STRONG & SONS T	OTAL TREE SE		-		
Cash Payment E 1 Invoice 2462	01-43100-311 Contra	act	TREE REMO	DVAL 24442 DOGWOOD ST	-	\$4,495.00
Transaction Date	9/21/2022	Due 9/21/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$4,495.00
Claim Type						
Claim# 15924	TIMESAVER OFF SI	TE SEC. INC		=		
Cash Payment E 1 Invoice M27623	01-41400-311 Contra	act	CITY COUN	CIL MINUTES		\$205.25
Transaction Date	9/21/2022	Due 9/21/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$205.25
Claim Type						
·	TOTAL CONTROL S	YSTEMS, INC.		=		
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Cash Payment E 601-4 Invoice 10311	49440-229 Projec	ct Repair & Mainte	na PROJECT	REPAIRS		\$1,935.14
Cash Payment E 601-4 Invoice 10311	49440-228 Equip	ment Maintenance	PROJECT	REPAIRS		\$1,935.13
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$3,870.27
Claim Type						
Claim# 15965 VINO	OCOPIA, INC.					
Cash Payment E 609-4 Invoice 0313197-IN	49751-206 Freigh	nt and Fuel Charge	es FREIGHT			\$16.00
Cash Payment E 609-4 Invoice 0313197-IN	49751-251 Liquo	r For Resale	LIQUOR			\$135.00
Cash Payment E 609-4 Invoice 0313197-IN	49751-253 Wine	For Resale	WINE			\$128.00
Cash Payment E 609-4 Invoice 0313197-IN	49751-254 Misce	llaneous Merchan	dis MISC			\$120.00
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$399.00
Claim Type						
Claim# 15964 WOL	LF CONTRACTIN	VG				
Cash Payment R 101-3 Invoice .09272022	36200 Miscellane	eous Revenues	REFUND P	ERMIT 2022-00698		\$25.00
Transaction Date	9/27/2022	Due 9/27/2022	CASH	10100	Total	\$25.00
						<del></del>
Pre-Written Checks			\$0.00			
Checks to be Genera	ated by the Comp	oute \$332,7	720.24			
	Total	\$332,7	720.24			



## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and Council

**FROM:** Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

**SUBJECT:** Capital Improvement Bonds

**DATE:** October 3, 2022

#### **OVERVIEW:**

Nick Anhut from Ehlers will give a presentation on the Five Year Capital Improvement Plan for Issuance of General Obligation CIP Bonds.

#### **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Motion to approve Resolution 2022-53 Adopting a Capital Improvement Plan and providing preliminary approval for the issuance of bonds thereunder

#### Attachments:

- Capital Improvement Plan for Issuance of General Obligation CIP Bonds
- Resolution 2022-53

October 3, 2022

# FIVE - YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN FOR ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION CIP BONDS:





#### Prepared by:

Ehlers 3060 Centre Pointe Drive Roseville, Minnesota 55113

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#### I. INTRODUCTION

In 2003, the Minnesota State Legislature adopted a statute (Section 475.521, referred to herein as the "CIP Act") that allows cities to issue municipal bonds under a capital improvement plan without the referendum requirement (except for the so-called "reverse referendum" described below). The CIP Act applies to specific capital improvements for the purposes of city halls, public works, and public safety facilities. The 2005 Legislature added towns to the meaning of a municipality, as well as libraries and town halls to the meaning of a capital improvement under the CIP Act.

Throughout this plan, the term "Capital Improvement" refers only to those improvements identified in the CIP Act, as summarized above. Capital expenditures for other public improvements in the City will be financed through other means identified in the City's annual budgeting process and are not governed by this plan.

#### II. PURPOSE

A Capital Improvement as defined in the CIP Act is a major expenditure of municipal funds for the acquisition or betterment to public lands, buildings, or other improvements used as a city hall, town hall, library, public safety, or public works facility, any of which have a useful life of 5 years or more. For the purposes of the CIP Act, Capital Improvements do not include light rail transit or related activities, parks, road/bridges, administrative buildings other than a city or town hall, or land for those facilities. A Capital Improvement Plan ("CIP"), as identified by the CIP Act is a document designed to anticipate Capital Improvement expenditures over at least a five-year period so that they may be acquired, constructed and/or installed in a cost-effective and efficient manner. The CIP must set forth the estimated schedule, timing, and details of specific Capital Improvements by year, together with the estimated cost, need for improvement, and sources of revenue to pay for the improvement.

The City of St. Francis, Minnesota (the "City") believes the capital improvement process is an important element of responsible fiscal management and, under provisions of its charter, engages in adoption of

an updated 5-year Capital Improvement Program for city-wide capital expenditures annually. Major capital expenditures can be anticipated and coordinated so as to minimize potentially adverse financial impacts caused by the timing and magnitude of capital outlays. As potential expenditures are reviewed, the City considers the benefits, costs, alternatives and impact on operating expenditures. This coordination of capital expenditures is important to the City in achieving its goals of adequate physical assets and sound fiscal management. To offset financially difficult times, good planning is essential for the wise use of limited financial resources.

## III. PLANNING PROCESS

The City Council annually reviews its capital expenditures according to their priority, fiscal impact, and available funding as part of its budgeting process. Project Managers submit specific capital expenditures to be undertaken within the next five years. The City prepares a plan based on the available funding sources and priorities. From this information, a preliminary program is prepared for public discussion from citizens, the City Council, and other governmental units. Changes are made based on that input, and a final plan is established. The most recent City plan was approved July 18, 2022.

Over the life of the plan, once the funding becomes available the specific capital expenditures can be made as part of individual project approvals. In subsequent years, the process is repeated as expenditures are completed and new needs arise.

If the plan calls for general obligation bonds to finance certain Capital Improvements (referred to herein as "CIP Bonds"), the City Council must follow an additional set of procedures. The City may adopt a CIP specifically for those Capital Improvements and address various factors identified within the CIP Act. This CIP is designed to supplement the City's established process. The Council must hold a public hearing regarding issuance of the CIP Bonds to obtain public comment on the matter. Notice of such hearing must be published in the official newspaper of the municipality at least 14, but not more than 28 days prior to the date of the public hearing. In addition, the notice may be posted on the City's official web site.

The Council must approve the sale of CIP Bonds by at least a 3/5th vote of its membership. However, issuance of CIP Bonds is also subject to reverse referendum: if a petition is signed by voters equal to at least five percent of the votes cast in the City in last general election and is filed with the City Clerk within 30 days after the public hearing regarding the CIP Bonds, the CIP Bonds may not be issued unless approved by a majority of voters voting on the question of issuing the obligations. Further, the maximum debt service in any year on all outstanding CIP Bonds is 0.16% of the estimated market value of property in the city, using the market value for the taxes-payable year in which the bonds are issued.

After the CIP has been approved and general obligation bonds have been authorized, the City works with its municipal advisor to prepare for a bond sale. Assuming no petition for a referendum is filed, the bonds are sold, and when proceeds from the sale of the bonds (and any other identified revenue sources) become available, prior qualifying expenditures for specified Capital Improvements can be reimbursed and new expenditures made.

## IV. PROJECT SUMMARY

The expenditures to be undertaken with this CIP for the years 2023 to 2027 are limited to those listed in Appendix A. All other foreseeable capital expenditures within the City government will come through other means as identified within updates of the City's 5-year plan and its annual budgeting process.

#### **CIP Factors**

The CIP Act requires the City Council to consider eight factors in preparing the CIP and authorizing general obligation bonds:

- 1. Condition of the City's existing infrastructure, including projected need for repair or replacement.
- 2. Likely demand for the improvement(s).
- 3. Estimated cost of the improvement(s).
- 4. Available public resources.
- 5. Level of overlapping debt in the City.

- 6. Relative benefits and costs of alternative uses of funds.
- 7. Operating costs of the proposed improvement(s).
- 8. Alternatives for providing services most efficiently through shared facilities with other cities or local governments.

The City has considered the eight points as they relate to the projects identified above through the issuance of CIP Bonds. The findings are as follows:

## Conditions of City Infrastructure and Need for the Project

The City has completed facility space needs assessments as recently as 2018 to determine future needs. The studies identified space shortages and building concerns within the existing city hall and fire station. The following list identifies various issues that have been identified as shortcomings for the existing spaces.

#### Fire Station

- The building was not originally designed to be a fire station creating issues with function and operation and does not meet industry standards
- Lacking in environmental controls creating a higher risk for jobrelated illnesses
- Department has exceeded the capacity of the current building
- Original construction dates to the 1960s and is becoming costly to maintain due to required repairs, replacement needs and increasing maintenance

#### City Hall

- Shortages in staffing and work room creating an inability to increase staff or staff functions
- Building was not originally designed for its current use, inducing high costs to address building deficiencies including maintenance and improvements for current needs
- Lacks storage and secure space for sensitive equipment and documents
- Lack of city council facility has created situations requiring meeting cancellations in the past

## **Demand for the Project**

The City has identified the existing Fire Station and City Hall facilities are in need of replacement to accommodate full staffing, training and service needs. It also selected a site at 3740 Bridge St. NW for the proposed facility. The City's Facilities Assessments illustrated deficiencies of the current buildings and the need to build new to support future growth. The Building Committee has interviewed architectural firms to study the feasibility for a joint building to decrease the overall number of municipal buildings, create energy and staffing efficiencies and include much needed community space.

## Estimated Cost of the Project

The City commissioned Brunton Architects & Engineers to complete a feasibility study. The facility project is preliminarily estimated to cost \$13,000,000 inclusive of site improvement, building construction, soft costs and contingency. Construction contracts are anticipated to be bid for award in the Spring of 2023. The City expects to use a combination of cash funds and CIP Bonds to provide the funding. The final bonding amount, not to exceed \$13,000,000, will be subject to City Council approval after contracts are approved for the project.

## <u>Availability of Public Resources</u>

The City has identified the project is to be funded by general obligation bond proceeds and potentially supplemented by other available capital resources on hand. Given the size of the project, debt is necessary to provide for the costs and preserve necessary operating resources for the City. The debt will be issued in accordance with the City's charter and debt management guidelines. Debt service payments will be structured to fit within the City's adopted capital levy for the Building Fund and projections for future levies. The City intends to repay the debt using a dedicated property tax levy. Projected debt service and annual levy amounts at the not to exceed \$13,000,000 public hearing maximum bonding amount are identified in Appendix B.

## **Level of Overlapping Debt**

Taxing District	Taxable Net Tax Capacity	% in City	Total G.O. Debt	City's Share
Anoka County	481,945,798	1.897%	41,405,000	785,246
Isanti County	43,144,214	0.025%	6,190,000	1,572
I.S.D. 15	45,175,696	20.228%	81,735,000	16,533,192
I.S.D. 728	108,587,926	0.002%	288,640,000	5,773
Anoka County RRA	481,945,798	1.897%	3,050,000	57,843
Metropolitan Council	5,197,211,231	0.176%	166,860,000	293,507
	City's Total	Share of Ove	erlapping Debt	17,677,133

### Relative Costs and Benefits of Alternative Uses of the Funds

The space limitations within the current city buildings, their age and the desire for increased operational efficiencies drive the need for major renovation that may not be feasible on the existing facility sites. The desire to reduce municipal building footprints drives the necessity for a joint facility which make this project necessary for the City. The project has been discussed within in the City's long-term financial plans and the Building Fund levy increased to create capacity for the future project. There are no significant alternatives anticipated for the funds designated for this project.

## Operating Costs of the Proposed Improvements

Both the current Fire Station and City Hall require additional space as well as significant maintenance and repair. The City estimates significant investments are necessary to address the current needs and problems. The city anticipates that simply addressing maintenance and replacement costs as they are incurred will not provide adequate longevity for future needs and staffing levels.

While the City is not able to assign as specific dollar value, moving forward with a consolidated replacement facility will provide the space and functionality necessary to sustain operations into the future while reducing duplicative costs. Significant repairs to the new structure would not be necessary for several decades. The replacement facility will be a safer and healthier place for staff to live and work, and include

sustainable elements. The new facility will also provide efficiencies to help make the fire department more effective for anticipated staffing and operations.

## Options for Shared Facilities with Other Cities or Local Government

Due to combining two uses into one facility and onsite parking to support them, the City does not anticipate there is sufficient room on site to add other shared uses without substantial costs and/or inefficiencies. The City's current design configuration does anticipate that a community center component can be added in a future phase if desired to serve broader needs.

## V. FINANCING

The total amount of requested expenditures under this CIP is up to \$13,000,000. If these expenditures are to be funded, that amount of money is anticipated to be generated through a combination of capital funds and the sale of general obligation capital improvement plan bonds within the identified five-year period. The anticipated bond sizing is based upon funding the estimated construction and soft costs identified for the project, plus estimated issuance costs and contingency. Current estimates of size and repayment of the CIP Bonds under consideration is shown in Appendix B.

In financing the CIP, two significant statutory limitations apply:

1. Under Chapter 475, with few exceptions, cities cannot incur debt in excess of 3% of the assessor's estimated market value (EMV) for the city. The City's Preliminary Pay 2023 EMV is \$948,783,300. As noted in the table below, the City's debt subject to this requirement, including the proposed CIP Bonds, is within the required threshold:

Statutory Debt Limit	
Assessor's Estimated Market Value	948,783,300
Multiply by 3.0%	0.03
Statutory Debt Limit	28,463,499
Less: Existing Debt Subject to the Limit	(5,255,000)
Less: Maximum Proposed CIP Bond Issue	(13,000,000)
Unused Debt Service Limit	10,208,499

2. A separate limitation under the CIP Act is that, without referendum, the total amount of principal and interest in any single year payable on all CIP Bonds issued by the City cannot exceed 0.16% of the total estimated market value in the municipality. In the City, that maximum annual debt service amount is \$1,518,053 for the 2022/23 tax year (\$948,783,300 x .0016). The maximum amount of annual debt service payments due on the City's existing CIP Bonds are \$469,981. The highest annual principal and interest payments proposed to be issued under this CIP are estimated to be approximately \$933,070. As such, debt service on the CIP Bonds will be within the annual limits under the CIP Act.

CIP Bonds Debt Service Limit	
Assessor's Estimated Market Value	948,783,300
Multiply by 0.16%	0.0016
CIP Act Debt Service Limit	1,518,053
Less: Existing Debt Service Subject to the Limit	(469,981)
Less: Maximum Proposed CIP Bond Issue	(933,070)
Unused Debt Service Limit	115,002

## VI. PLAN CONTINUATION

This CIP should be reviewed as needed by the City Council using the process outlined in this document. Through annual amendment, the City Council reviews proposed expenditures, makes priority decisions, and seeks funding for those expenditures it deems necessary for the City. If deemed appropriate, the Council should prepare an update to this CIP for future CIP Bond issuance.

## **APPENDIX A**

## **Plan Project Costs:**

The Plan includes capital expenditures of approximately \$13,000,000 for a new City Hall / Fire Station facility project which is to be funded with up to \$13,000,000 in bond proceeds. A plan identifying the sources of funds, including issuance of bonds, for any additional projects will be considered in the future under separate proceedings.

	Project Costs	
Year	Project	Amount
2023	City Hall / Fire Station	\$ 13,000,000
2024	None Anticipated	\$ -
2025	None Anticipated	\$ -
2026	None Anticipated	\$ -
2027	None Anticipated	\$ -
TOTAL	-	\$ 13,000,000

## **Proposed CIP Bond Issues:**

Proposed CIP Bond Issues		
Year	Maximu	m Bonding Amount
2023	\$	13,000,000
2024	\$	-
2025	\$	-
2026	\$	-
2027	\$	-
TOTAL	\$	13,000,000

## **APPENDIX B**

## 2023 CIP Bond Issue: Maximum Bonding Amount

## City of St. Francis, Minnesota

\$13,000,000 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2023A Assumes Current Market Non-BQ "AA" Rates + 75 bps 25 and 30-year Debt Service Estimates

## **Estimated Sources & Uses**

Bonds Dated 04/01/2023 | Delivered 04/01/2023

Sources Of Funds	
Par Amount of Bonds	\$13,000,000.00
Total Sources	\$13,000,000.00
Uses Of Funds	
Preliminary Underwriter's Discount Allowance (1.00%)	130,000.00
Estimated Costs of Issuance	87,000.00
Deposit to Project Fund for Construction Costs	12,783,000.00
Total Uses	\$13,000,000.00

## **Estimated 25-year Debt Service Schedule**

Maturity				
Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I
02/01/2024	-	-	529,518.75	529,518.75
02/01/2025	295,000.00	3.700%	635,422.50	930,422.50
02/01/2026	305,000.00	3.750%	624,507.50	929,507.50
02/01/2027	320,000.00	3.800%	613,070.00	933,070.00
02/01/2028	330,000.00	3.900%	600,910.00	930,910.00
02/01/2029	340,000.00	4.000%	588,040.00	928,040.00
02/01/2030	355,000.00	4.100%	574,440.00	929,440.00
02/01/2031	370,000.00	4.150%	559,885.00	929,885.00
02/01/2032	385,000.00	4.300%	544,530.00	929,530.00
02/01/2033	405,000.00	4.400%	527,975.00	932,975.00
02/01/2034	420,000.00	4.500%	510,155.00	930,155.00
02/01/2035	440,000.00	4.600%	491,255.00	931,255.00
02/01/2036	460,000.00	4.700%	471,015.00	931,015.00
02/01/2037	480,000.00	4.800%	449,395.00	929,395.00
02/01/2038	505,000.00	4.950%	426,355.00	931,355.00
02/01/2039	530,000.00	5.000%	401,357.50	931,357.50
02/01/2040	555,000.00	5.050%	374,857.50	929,857.50
02/01/2041	585,000.00	5.100%	346,830.00	931,830.00
02/01/2042	615,000.00	5.150%	316,995.00	931,995.00
02/01/2043	645,000.00	5.250%	285,322.50	930,322.50
02/01/2044	680,000.00	5.300%	251,460.00	931,460.00
02/01/2045	715,000.00	5.350%	215,420.00	930,420.00
02/01/2046	755,000.00	5.400%	177,167.50	932,167.50
02/01/2047	795,000.00	5.400%	136,397.50	931,397.50
02/01/2048	835,000.00	5.450%	93,467.50	928,467.50
02/01/2049	880,000.00	5.450%	47,960.00	927,960.00
Total	\$13,000,000.00	-	\$10,793,708.75	\$23,793,708.75

## **Estimated 30-year Debt Service Schedule**

Maturity				
Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I
02/01/2024	-	-	545,981.25	545,981.25
02/01/2025	225,000.00	3.700%	655,177.50	880,177.50
02/01/2026	235,000.00	3.750%	646,852.50	881,852.50
02/01/2027	240,000.00	3.800%	638,040.00	878,040.00
02/01/2028	250,000.00	3.900%	628,920.00	878,920.00
02/01/2029	260,000.00	4.000%	619,170.00	879,170.00
02/01/2030	270,000.00	4.100%	608,770.00	878,770.00
02/01/2031	285,000.00	4.150%	597,700.00	882,700.00
02/01/2032	295,000.00	4.300%	585,872.50	880,872.50
02/01/2033	305,000.00	4.400%	573,187.50	878,187.50
02/01/2034	320,000.00	4.500%	559,767.50	879,767.50
02/01/2035	335,000.00	4.600%	545,367.50	880,367.50
02/01/2036	350,000.00	4.700%	529,957.50	879,957.50
02/01/2037	365,000.00	4.800%	513,507.50	878,507.50
02/01/2038	385,000.00	4.950%	495,987.50	880,987.50
02/01/2039	405,000.00	5.000%	476,930.00	881,930.00
02/01/2040	425,000.00	5.050%	456,680.00	881,680.00
02/01/2041	445,000.00	5.100%	435,217.50	880,217.50
02/01/2042	470,000.00	5.150%	412,522.50	882,522.50
02/01/2043	490,000.00	5.250%	388,317.50	878,317.50
02/01/2044	520,000.00	5.300%	362,592.50	882,592.50
02/01/2045	545,000.00	5.350%	335,032.50	880,032.50
02/01/2046	575,000.00	5.400%	305,875.00	880,875.00
02/01/2047	605,000.00	5.400%	274,825.00	879,825.00
02/01/2048	640,000.00	5.450%	242,155.00	882,155.00
02/01/2049	675,000.00	5.450%	207,275.00	882,275.00
02/01/2050	710,000.00	5.500%	170,487.50	880,487.50
02/01/2051	750,000.00	5.500%	131,437.50	881,437.50
02/01/2052	790,000.00	5.550%	90,187.50	880,187.50
02/01/2053	835,000.00	5.550%	46,342.50	881,342.50
Total	\$13,000,000.00	-	\$13,080,136.25	\$26,080,136.25

#### CITY OF ST. FRANCIS, MINNESOTA

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2022-53**

## RESOLUTION ADOPTING A CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN AND PROVIDING PRELIMINARY APPROVAL FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS THEREUNDER

WHEREAS, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 475.521, as amended (the "Act"), cities are authorized to adopt a capital improvement plan and carry out programs for the financing of capital improvements; and

WHEREAS, the City of St. Francis, Minnesota (the "City") has caused to be prepared a five-year capital improvement plan (the "Capital Improvement Plan"); and

WHEREAS, on the date hereof, the City Council of the City conducted a duly noticed public hearing regarding adoption of the Capital Improvement Plan pursuant to the requirements of the Act and the issuance of one or more series of general obligation bonds thereunder in a maximum principal amount of \$13,000,000 to finance various capital improvements, including the City Hall and Fire Station project; and

WHEREAS, in considering the Capital Improvement Plan, the City Council has considered for each project and for the overall Capital Improvement Plan:

- 1. the condition of the City's existing infrastructure, including the projected need for repair and replacement;
- 2. the likely demand for the improvement;
- 3. the estimated cost of the improvement;
- 4. the available public resources;
- 5. the level of overlapping debt in the City;
- 6. the relative benefits and costs of alternative uses of the funds;
- 7. operating costs of the proposed improvements; and
- 8. alternatives for providing services more efficiently through shared facilities with other local government units.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS, MINNESOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. The Capital Improvement Plan is hereby approved.
- 2. City staff are hereby authorized to do all other things and take all other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to carry out the Capital Improvement Plan in accordance with any applicable laws and regulations.
- 3. The City gives preliminary approval to the issuance of the bonds in the maximum principal amount of \$13,000,000; provided that if a petition requesting a vote on issuance of the bonds, signed by voters equal to five percent (5%) of the votes cast in the last municipal general election, is filed with the City Clerk within thirty (30) days of the date hereof (i.e., November 2, 2022), the City may issue the bonds only after obtaining approval of a majority of voters voting on the question at an election.

	APPROVED:
	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
ATTEST:	
Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	
The following Council Members voted in favor:	
The following Council Members voted against of	or abstained:

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS THIS  $3^{\rm RD}$  DAY OF OCTOBER,

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2022.



## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: St. Francis City Council
FROM: Beth Richmond, Planner
SUBJECT: Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition

**DATE:** October 3, 2022

**APPLICANT:** St. Francis Land Development, LLC (Dale Willenbring) **LOCATION:** Outlot A, Rivers Edge 2<sup>nd</sup> and Outlot A, Rivers Edge 5<sup>th</sup>

COMP PLAN: LDR, Urban Reserve, Park/Open Space

**ZONING:** Rivers Edge PUD, Urban Reserve, Rum River Management District

### **OVERVIEW:**

The City has received an application for the development of the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge subdivision. The applicant has been building out the Rivers Edge development since the original approvals were obtained in June 2018. The 7<sup>th</sup> Addition includes 42.3 acres of land along the Rum River on the northwest side of the development. This area was originally intended for 79 single-unit residential lots, but has been scaled back to 29 proposed units reflecting the requirements of the Rum River Management Overlay District.

The land use and subdivision requests to be considered include a rezoning to Planned Unit Development (PUD), preliminary plat, Conditional Use Permit (CUP) for public roads within the Rum River Management Overlay District, and drainage and utility easement vacations.

## **PLANNING COMMISSION REVIEW**

The Planning Commission reviewed these requests and held a public hearing at the September 21, 2022 Planning Commission meeting. No members of the public spoke for or against the project. The applicant attended the meeting and discussed the Rivers Edge development's history and future with the Planning Commission.

After discussion, the Planning Commission unanimously recommended approval of the project and all associated land use and subdivision requests.

## **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Given Planning Commission and Staff recommendation of approval for the land use and subdivision requests related to 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development, draft approval documents have been prepared and are attached for your consideration. Council action is requested on these applications.

## **Suggested Motions**

- 1. Move to approve the 1<sup>st</sup> Reading of Ordinance 300 approving a rezoning request for Outlot A Rivers Edge 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition from UR to the Rivers Edge PUD with findings as presented by Staff.
- 2. Move to approve Resolution 2022-48 approving the preliminary plat and PUD plans for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of Rivers Edge with conditions and findings as presented by Staff.
- 3. Move to approve Resolution 2022-49 approving a Conditional Use Permit for the construction of public roads associated with the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development with conditions and findings as presented by Staff.
- 4. Move to approve Resolution 2022-50 approving the drainage and utility easement vacations pertaining to Outlot A, Rivers Edge 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition and Outlot A, Rivers Edge 5<sup>th</sup> Addition with conditions and findings as presented by Staff.

## **ATTACHMENTS:**

- Draft Approval Documents
  - Ordinance 300 1<sup>st</sup> Reading
  - o Resolution 2022-48 Preliminary Plat and PUD Plans
  - o Resolution 2022-49 CUP for public roads
  - Resolution 2022-50 Drainage and utility easement vacation
- September 21, 2022 Planning Commission Packet
  - Staff Memo
  - o City Engineering Memo dated September 13, 2022
  - Applicant Submittals

#### ORDINANCE NO. 300

## CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ANOKA COUNTY

## AN ORDINANCE APPROVING REZONING OUTLOT A OF THE $2^{ND}$ ADDITION OF RIVERS EDGE NORTH FROM UR URBAN RESERVE TO THE RIVERS EDGE PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT – $1^{ST}$ READING

**WHEREAS,** on May 17, 2022, Dale Willenbring on behalf of St. Francis Land Development, LLC applied for a rezoning for the property legally described as Outlot A of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge subdivision; and

WHEREAS, the subject site is currently zoned UR; and

**WHEREAS**, the subject site was included in the conceptual development plans for the Rivers Edge subdivision; and

**WHEREAS,** the Rivers Edge Planned Unit Development was approved on June 4, 2018 by Ordinance 240; and

WHEREAS, the Rivers Edge PUD is dated May 13, 2022 and is included as Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS**, the applicant is proposing to rezone the property to the existing Rivers Edge PUD; and

**WHEREAS,** on September 21, 2022, after published and mailed notice in accordance with Minnesota Statutes and the City Code, the Planning Commission held a public hearing, at which time all persons desiring to be heard concerning this application were given the opportunity to speak thereon; and

**WHEREAS,** on September 21, 2022, the Planning Commission unanimously recommended approval of the requested rezoning; and

**WHEREAS**, on October 3, 2022, the City Council considered the proposed project as it might affect public health, safety, or welfare and found that the project will not negatively impact the public health, safety, or welfare; and

**WHEREAS,** on October 3, 2022, the City Council studied the practicality of the request, taking into consideration the present and future development of the property and the requirements of the Zoning and Subdivision Ordinances, and other official controls.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS, ANOKA COUNTY, MINNESOTA, ORDAINS:

<u>Section 1</u>. St. Francis Zoning Map is amended to zone the property at Outlot A of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition of Rivers Edge from UR Urban Reserve to Rivers Edge Planned Unit Development.

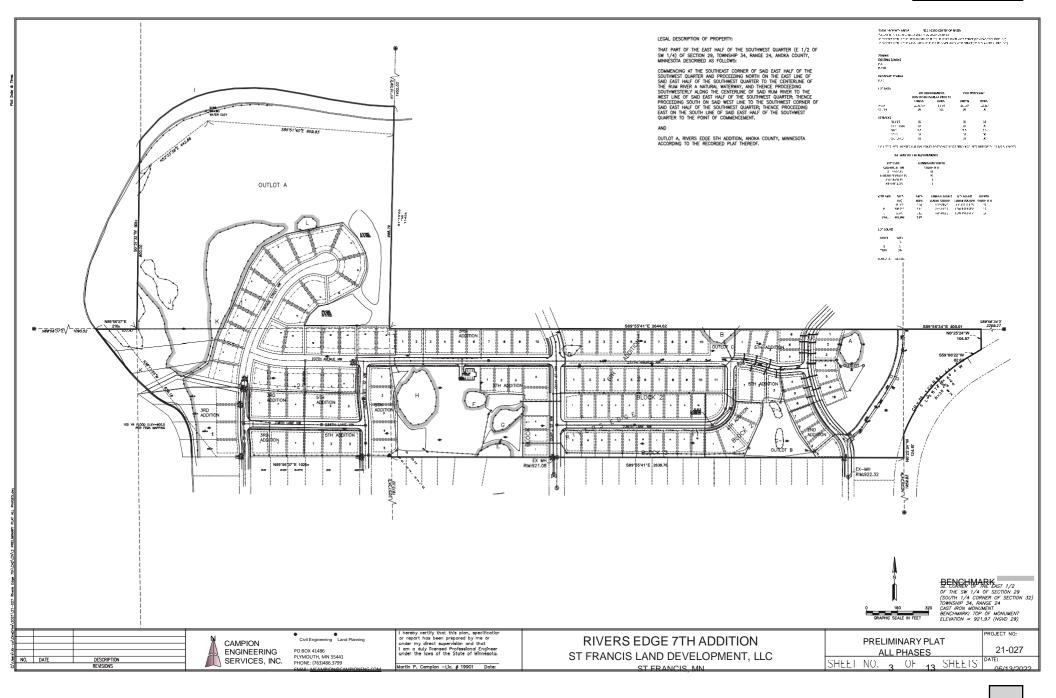
Section 2. This ordinance shall become effective after publication.

800 Washington Ave N, Suite 103

Minneapolis, MN 55401

Approved and adopted by the City Council this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2022.

SEAL	CITY OF ST. FRANCIS
Attest: Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	By:Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
Published in the <i>Anoka County Union Herald</i>	
DRAFTED BY: Hoisington Koegler Group, Inc.	



## CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

## **RESOLUTION 2022-48**

## A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PRELIMINARY PLAT AND PUD PLANS FOR THE $7^{\text{TH}}$ ADDITION OF THE RIVERS EDGE DEVELOPMENT

**WHEREAS**, the applicant, Dale Willenbring on behalf of St. Francis Land Development, LLC, applied for preliminary plat and PUD plan approval on May 17, 2022 for the property legally described in Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS**, the Planning Commission on September 21, 2022, opened and closed a duly noticed public hearing and considered the applicant's submission, the contents of the staff report, public testimony, and other evidence available to the Commission; and made recommendations for consideration by the City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 21, 2022, the Planning Commission recommended approval of the requested preliminary plat and PUD plans; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council on October 3, 2022, considered the recommendations of Staff and the Planning Commission, the Applicant's submissions, the contents of the staff report dated September 28, 2022, public testimony, and other evidence available to the Council.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the City Council of the City of St. Francis hereby approves the preliminary plat, PUD plans, and associated documents for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development based on the following findings of fact:

- 1. The proposed rezoning is consistent with the City's 2040 Comprehensive Plan as amended and is compatible with present and future land uses of the area.
- 2. The development is consistent with the City's Zoning Ordinance with noted conditions.
- 3. The PUD provides a public benefit by adding a variety of housing to meet the diverse needs in St. Francis and expanding access to utilities to make way for future development. The project achieves these goals through a design that preserves natural features.
- 4. City services have adequate capacity to serve the proposed development.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that approval of the preliminary plat and PUD plans for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development shall be subject to the following conditions:

 Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related rezoning, Conditional Use Permit, and drainage and utility easement vacation requests pertaining to Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition.

- 2. Any expansion of this PUD shall require a PUD amendment as specified by Code Section 10-37-05 Amendment of a PUD.
- 3. Applicant shall obtain final DNR approval for the project prior to final plat approval. The applicant shall work with the DNR to address any concerns or revisions listed in the MnDNR's conditional approval letter dated June 8, 2022.
- 4. Applicant shall specify the size of Outlot A above the OHW.
- 5. A drainage and utility easement shall be established over Outlot A.
- 6. Outlot A shall be maintained by a Homeowners Association (HOA). Applicant shall provide all necessary documentation for the creation of this HOA to the City for review.
- 7. Applicant shall work with the Engineer to address any Engineering concerns or revisions listed in the Engineering Review Memo dated September 13, 2022.
- 8. Vacations of the drainage and utility easements over Outlot A, 2nd Addition Rivers Edge and Outlot A, 5th Addition Rivers Edge will be required prior to final plat approval.
- 9. Unless otherwise noted in the approved plans, lots within the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition shall adhere to all requirements of the Rum River Management Overlay District including vegetation alteration restrictions, impervious surface limits, and maximum structure height as they are developed.
- 10. Applicant shall be responsible for all fees associated with these land use and subdivision applications.

Approved and adopted by the City Council of 2022.	f the City of St. Francis on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of October,
	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
Attest: Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	Dated

DRAFTED BY: **Hoisington Koegler Group, Inc.** 800 Washington Ave N, Suite 103 Minneapolis, MN 55401

## **EXHIBIT A**

## **Legal Descriptions**

Outlot A, Rivers Edge  $2^{nd}$  Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota

AND

Outlot A, Rivers Edge 5<sup>th</sup> Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota.

## CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

#### **RESOLUTION 2022-49**

## A RESOLUTION APPROVING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC ROADS WITHIN THE RUM RIVER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT FOR THE $7^{\rm TH}$ ADDITION OF THE RIVERS EDGE DEVELOPMENT

**WHEREAS**, the applicant, Dale Willenbring on behalf of St. Francis Land Development, LLC, applied for a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) to construct public roads within the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development on May 17, 2022 for the property legally described in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the site is located in the Rum River Management district; and

**WHEREAS**, City Code 10-82-5B and Minnesota Statute consider public roads to be special uses and require a CUP for their construction; and

**WHEREAS,** on September 21, 2022, after published and mailed notice in accordance with Minnesota Statute and the City Code, the Planning Commission held a public hearing, at which time all persons desiring to be heard concerning this application were given the opportunity to speak thereon; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 21, 2022, the Planning Commission unanimously recommended approval of the requested Conditional Use Permit; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of St. Francis on October 3, 2022, considered the requested CUP and how it might affect public health, safety, or welfare and found that the project will not negatively impact the public health, safety, or welfare.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the City Council of the City of St. Francis hereby approves the requested CUP for the construction of public roads within the Rum River Management District based on the following findings of fact:

- 1. The proposed public roads meet the environmental criteria for a CUP as established in Minnesota Rules 6105.0200.
- 2. The proposed public road has been designed to minimize the streets' impact on the surrounding area, including avoiding steep slopes, existing vegetation, and soils with high erosion potential to the maximum extent possible.
- 3. The proposed streets have been designed to meet City standards.
- 4. The proposed streets will meet the needs of the traffic generated by the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that approval of the CUP for the construction of public roads in the Rum River Management District shall be subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related subdivision and land use requests pertaining to the Rivers Edge 7th Addition development.
- 2. The granting of this approval is conditioned upon the MnDNR's approval of the project.
- 3. All items pertaining to public roads listed in the City Engineer's memo dated September 13, 2022 shall be addressed to the satisfaction of the City Engineer prior to recording of the CUP.
- 4. Applicant shall adhere to all vegetative requirements listed in the City's Rum River Management District and MN State Rules Chapter 6105.
- 5. Applicant shall adhere to the road construction methods listed in MN State Rules 6105.0200 subp. 4.
- 6. All necessary permits as may be applicable must be provided to the City before activity begins and/or before building permits are issued for individual lots.
- 7. The applicant shall be responsible for all costs associated with the CUP application.
- 8. All fees and financial obligations shall be received by the City prior to the releasing of the CUP for recording.
- 9. The applicant shall record the CUP with the County Recorder in accordance with Section 10-31-03 of the City Code.

Approved and adopted by the City Council of the 2022.	City of St. Francis on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of October,
	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
Attest: Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	Dated

DRAFTED BY: **Hoisington Koegler Group, Inc.** 800 Washington Ave N, Suite 103 Minneapolis, MN 55401

## **EXHIBIT A**

## **Legal Descriptions**

Outlot A, Rivers Edge  $2^{nd}$  Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota

AND

Outlot A, Rivers Edge  $5^{th}$  Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota.

### (Reserved for Recording Data)

## CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR THE $7^{\mathrm{TH}}$ ADDITION OF THE RIVERS EDGE DEVELOPMENT

- 1. **PERMIT.** Subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, the CITY OF ST. FRANCIS hereby grants a Conditional Use Permit to allow the construction of public roads within the Rum River Management District.
- **2. PROPERTY.** This Conditional Use Permit is for the following property legally described in Exhibit A.
- **3. CONDITIONS.** This Conditional Use Permit is issued subject to construction in accordance with the approved plans submitted with the application and the following conditions:
  - **A.** Applicant shall adhere to all vegetative requirements listed in the City's Rum River Management District and MN State Rules Chapter 6105.
  - **B.** Applicant shall adhere to the road construction methods listed in MN State Rules 6105.0200 subp. 4.
- **4. TERMINATION OF PERMIT.** The City may revoke the permit following a public hearing for violation for the terms of this permit.
- **5. LAPSE.** If within one (1) year of the issuance of this Conditional Use Permit the applicant fails to implement such approvals and fulfill each and every condition attached thereto, this permit shall be null and void.
- **6. CRIMINAL PENALTY.** Both the owner and any occupant of the subject property are responsible for compliance with this Conditional Use Permit. Violation of the terms of this Conditional Use Permit is a criminal misdemeanor.
- **7. RECORDING.** This Conditional Use Permit shall be recorded by the City against the title to the Property.

<b>Dated:</b>			
			CITY OF ST. FRANCIS
	В	Y: _	
(CEAL)			Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
(SEAL)			
	Al	ND	
			Jennifer Wida, City Clerk
STATE OF MINNESOTA	)		
	: ss		
COUNTY OF ANOKA	)		
Steven D. Feldman, Mayor,	and by Jenni Wida, City	Cle	e me this 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2022, by rk, of the <b>CITY OF ST. FRANCIS</b> , a tion and pursuant to the authority
			Notary Public
			[Notary Seal]

## **EXHIBIT A**

## **Legal Descriptions**

Outlot A, Rivers Edge  $2^{nd}$  Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota

AND

Outlot A, Rivers Edge  $5^{th}$  Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota.

## CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

## **RESOLUTION 2022-50**

## A RESOLUTION VACATING THE DRAINAGE AND UTILITY EASEMENTS OVER OUTLOT A $2^{\rm ND}$ ADDITION AND OUTLOT A $5^{\rm TH}$ ADDITION OF THE RIVERS EDGE SUBDIVISION

- **WHEREAS**, the applicant, Dale Willenbring on behalf of St. Francis Land Development, LLC, has requested the vacation of the drainage and utility easements over Outlot A of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition and Outlot A of the 5<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development as described in Exhibit A; and
- **WHEREAS**, the drainage and utility easement vacations were requested in order to allow the development of the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of Rivers Edge; and
- **WHEREAS**, new drainage and utility easements will be established over the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development where necessary; and
- WHEREAS, on October 3, 2022, after published and mailed notice in accordance with Minnesota Statutes and the City Code, the City Council held a public hearing, at which time all persons desiring to be heard concerning this application were given the opportunity to speak thereon; and
- **WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of St. Francis on October 3, 2022, considered the requested drainage and utility easement vacations.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the City Council of the City of St. Francis hereby approves the vacation of the drainage and utility easements over Outlot A of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition and Outlot A of the 5<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development subject to the following condition:
  - 1. Outlot A 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition and Outlot A 5<sup>th</sup> Addition of Rivers Edge shall remain undeveloped until such time as a final plat that is consistent with the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition preliminary plat is approved by the Council and recorded with Anoka County.

Approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of St. Francis on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2022.

	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor	
Attest: Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	Dated	

## **EXHIBIT A**

All those drainage and utility easements lying within Outlot A, Rivers Edge 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota

## AND

All those drainage and utility easements lying within Outlot A, Rivers Edge 5<sup>th</sup> Addition, according to the recorded plat thereof, Anoka County, Minnesota.



## PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** St. Francis Planning Commission

FROM: Beth Richmond, Planner SUBJECT: Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition

**DATE:** 9-14-2022 for 9-21-2022 meeting

APPLICANT: St. Francis Land Development, LLC (Dale Willenbring)

**LOCATION:** 23925 St Francis Blvd NW

COMP PLAN: LDR, Urban Reserve, Park/Open Space

**ZONING:** Rivers Edge PUD, Urban Reserve, Rum River Management District (rural)

### **OVERVIEW:**

The City has received an application for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development. The Rivers Edge development was approved in 2018. The applicant has been working on building out the site since the original approvals were obtained. The 7<sup>th</sup> Addition includes 42.3 acres of land along the Rum River on the northwest side of the Rivers Edge development. This area was originally intended for 79 single-family lots, but has since been scaled back to 29 proposed units reflecting the requirements of the Rum River Management Overlay District. The preliminary plat for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition includes 32.8 acres of land that has been held for development within an Outlot since Rivers Edge was approved in June 2018 and 9.5 acres of land which were included as part of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Addition preliminary plat of Rivers Edge in August 2019.



The land use and subdivision requests to be considered pertaining to the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition include a rezoning to the Rivers Edge Planned Unit Development, preliminary plat, and Conditional Use Permit (CUP) for a public road within the Rum River Management Overlay District.

## **REVIEW PROCEDURE**

## 60-Day Land Use Application Review Process

Pursuant to Minnesota State Statutes Section 15.99, local government agencies are required to approve or deny land use requests within 60 days. Within the 60-day period, an automatic extension of no more than 60 days can be obtained by providing the applicant written notice containing the reason for the extension and specifying how much additional time is needed. The deadline for the rezoning to PUD and CUP requests is November 22, 2022.

## 120-Day Subdivision Review Process

Pursuant to Minnesota State Statutes Section 462.358, local government agencies are required to approve or deny subdivision requests, such as the preliminary plat, within 120 days. The 120-day timeline for the review of the preliminary plat expires on November 22, 2022.

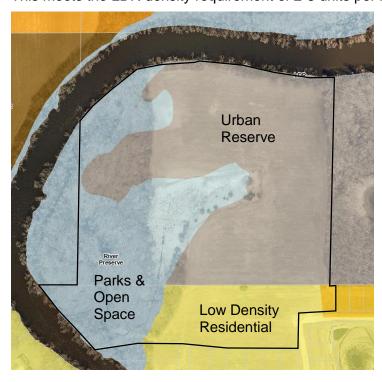
## **Public Hearing**

City Code requires that a public hearing for review of the land use and subdivision requests be held by the Planning Commission. The public hearing notice was published in the Anoka County Union Herald on September 9, 2022 and posted on the City Hall bulletin board on September 8, 2022. The public hearing notice was mailed to all affected property owners located within 350 feet of the subject property on September 8, 2022.

## **ANALYSIS**

## Comprehensive Plan

The southern 9.5 acres of the site are guided for Low Density Residential (LDR) and Park/Open Space use by the Comprehensive Plan. The LDR area includes 16 units proposed on 5.5 developable acres. This meets the LDR density requirement of 2-3 units per net acre.



The northern 32.8 acres of the site are guided for Urban Reserve – Wild & Scenic and Parks/Open Space. The Wild & Scenic classification applies to land that has been identified by the MnDNR as "rural Wild & Scenic lands." Subdivision in these areas is permitted with adherence to flexible residential development practices, such as cluster developments. The Urban Reserve – Wild & Scenic category allows a density of 1 unit per 2.5 acres non-riparian and 1 unit per 4 acres riparian. The applicant is proposing 13 non-riparian units within this land use category, which meets density requirements.

## Planned Unit Development (PUD)

Previous additions of the Rivers Edge development have been zoned as the Rivers Edge PUD. This PUD was established by Ordinance 240 which was approved on June 4, 2018. Over the years, the PUD was amended to include additional land as Rivers Edge developed. While the southern 9.5 acres of the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition are currently included in the Rivers Edge PUD, the northern 32.8 acres are not. The applicant is requesting to rezone the 32.8 acres from Urban Reserve to the Rivers Edge PUD. This rezoning request is consistent with the original concept plan brought forward in 2018.

The current PUD was reviewed and approved by the MnDNR and allows single-family residential lots with the following requirements:

Rivers Edge PUD Requirements				
Lot Area	20,000 SF riparian			
	12,150 SF non-riparian			
Lot Width	90 ft.			
Width at setback from river	90 ft.			
Front setback	35 ft.			
Side setback	7.5 ft.			
Corner side setback	20 ft.			
Rear setback	30 ft.			
Wetland setback	30 ft.			
OHW setback	75 ft.			

## Rum River Management District

The entire project site is located within the Rum River Management Overlay District. This overlay district establishes additional standards meant to preserve the scenic quality of the Rum River and surrounding land. The northern 32.8 acres of the project site are located within the City's Rural Rum River Management Overlay District (rRRM) while the southern 9.5 acres are located within the Urban Rum River Management District (uRRM).



Cluster developments allowing smaller lots are permitted in the rRRM district in order to encourage the preservation of natural features on the site and maintain scenic views to and from the river. All 29 lots proposed as part of the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition meet the uRRM standards for lot area and lot width as well as the setbacks established for the Rivers Edge PUD. The 13 lots in the northern portion of the site qualify as a cluster development, allowing the creation of lots that are smaller than the existing rRRM standards.

	rRRM Standards	uRRM Standards	Proposed
Min. Lot Area	4 acres riparian	20,000 SF riparian	20,000 SF
	2.5 acres non-riparian	12,150 non-riparian	12,150 SF
	*Clusters allowed		*all lots in rRRM are non-riparian
Min. Lot Width	250 ft.	90 ft.	90 ft.

Lots within the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition are expected to adhere to all requirements of the Rum River Management Overlay District, including vegetation alteration restrictions, impervious surface limits, and maximum structure height, as they are developed.

For any PUD established within this overlay district, DNR review and approval of the application is required. The MnDNR provided conditional approval for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition on June 8, 2022. This approval letter is attached.

## Preliminary Plat

### <u>Streets</u>

In the original concept for this development and in the existing preliminary plat (3<sup>rd</sup> Addition), both Vintage St NW and Underclift St NW were planned to extend northward to serve this development and provide future development opportunities for the property to the northeast. The proposed streets have been reconfigured with the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition preliminary plat. The 7<sup>th</sup> Addition now includes the continuation of 237<sup>th</sup> Ave NW to the west and the extension of Vintage St NW to the north. Underclift St NW is no longer expected to extend northward, and Vintage St NW is proposed to end in a permanent cul-desac.

Staff finds these changes to the roadway configuration to be acceptable. No further development is permitted on this site as part of the Rum River Management District rules. Should the property to the northeast choose to develop in the future, there are alternate roadways within the Rivers Edge development, including Quay St NW and Marigold St NW, that have been stubbed to the northern property line and which would be available to serve that development.

237<sup>th</sup> Ave NW and Vintage St NW are public roadways. All public roads created within the Rum River Management District are required to first obtain a Conditional Use Permit. The CUP has been requested as part of this application to allow the extension of 237<sup>th</sup> Ave NW and Vintage St NW.

## Landscaping

The applicant has provided a landscaping plan for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition which includes two deciduous trees in the front yard of each lot. The proposed landscaping meets Code requirements for a residential development. Typically, developments are required to include a variety of deciduous, coniferous, and ornamental trees. However, because earlier phases of the Rivers Edge development did not include coniferous or ornamental trees, Staff finds that the proposed tree mix is acceptable in order to keep plantings harmonious throughout the development.

Since the majority of the site was cleared in the past for agricultural use, very few existing trees will need to be removed as part of the development. Where trees and/or vegetation are removed, the developer will be required to complete this removal in accordance with Wild & Scenic Rules. Wild & Scenic Rules limit vegetation removal in order to maintain tree cover, reduce erosion potential, and maintain views to and from the river. Within the RRM district, clear cutting is prohibited and custom grading of heavily vegetated lots is recommended.

## Open Space/Homeowners Association (HOA)

The applicant is proposing the creation of Outlot A, a roughly 30-acre outlot surrounding the northernmost lots in the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition. This area includes existing vegetation, steep slopes, wetlands, and land within the floodplain. The applicant is proposing to create an HOA which will be responsible for the maintenance of the Outlot and the natural features included within.

As private open space, there will be no credit toward the applicant's park dedication requirements. The applicant may choose to add amenities to the open space area in accordance with the standards specified in the Rum River Management District.

After talking with the applicant, the MnDNR, and the Anoka Conservation District, it is likely that the Outlot will ultimately be entered into a conservation easement due to its proximity to the Rum River and location within the floodplain. The conservation easement will provide further preservation and management of natural resources and vegetation in the area.

#### Sidewalks

Sidewalks currently exist along the south side of 237<sup>th</sup> Ave NW and east side of Vintage St NW. These will be continued with the extension of each of these streets.

## Utilities/Stormwater

The lots created in the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition will be served by City utilities. Two stormwater facilities are proposed in the northeast portion of the site. A 20-foot wide access easement between Lots 21 and 22 of Block 1 has been provided to allow public maintenance of these ponds. The City Engineer has reviewed the plans and has provided the attached comment memo.

The land included in the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition is currently covered by drainage and utility easements. These easements must be vacated in order to allow development to occur. Easement vacations require a public hearing and approval by the City Council.

## Recommendations

#### Action to be Considered:

The Planning Commission is requested to hold the public hearing for the rezoning, preliminary plat, and CUP. Following the public hearing, Commissioners are requested to take action on the requests and provide a recommendation to Council.

### Suggested Motions:

- 1. Move to recommend approval of the rezoning of 32.8 acres of land from Urban Reserve to the Rivers Edge PUD with conditions and findings of fact as presented by Staff.
- 2. Move to recommend approval of the preliminary plat for the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition of the Rivers Edge development with conditions and findings of fact as presented by Staff.
- 3. Move to recommend approval of the public road CUP for Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition project with conditions and findings as presented by Staff.

## Findings – PUD

- 1. The proposed rezoning is consistent with the City's 2040 Comprehensive Plan as amended and is compatible with present and future land uses of the area.
- 2. The PUD provides a public benefit by adding a variety of housing to meet the diverse needs in St. Francis and expanding access to utilities to make way for future development. The project achieves these goals through a design that preserves natural features.
- 3. This PUD expansion is consistent with the concept plan for the area.

#### Conditions - PUD

- 1. Any expansion of this PUD shall require a PUD amendment as specified by Code Section 10-37-05 Amendment of a PUD.
- 2. Approval of this request is conditioned upon final approval by the MnDNR.

## Findings of Fact - Preliminary Plat

- 1. The proposed rezoning is consistent with the City's 2040 Comprehensive Plan and is compatible with present and future land uses of the area.
- 2. Excluding the exceptions granted by the PUD, the development is consistent with the City's Zoning Ordinance with noted conditions.
- City services have adequate capacity to serve the proposed development.

### Conditions – Preliminary Plat

- 1. Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related land use requests pertaining to Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition.
- 2. Applicant shall specify the size of Outlot A above the OHW.

- 3. Applicant shall work with the MnDNR to address any concerns or revisions listed in the MnDNR's conditional approval letter dated June 8, 2022.
- 4. Applicant shall obtain final DNR approval for the project prior to final plat approval.
- 5. A drainage and utility easement shall be established over Outlot A.
- 6. Outlot A shall be maintained by a Homeowners Association (HOA). Applicant shall provide all necessary documentation for the creation of this HOA to the City for review.
- 7. Applicant shall work with the Engineer to address any Engineering concerns or revisions listed in the Engineering Review Memo dated September 13, 2022.
- 8. Vacations of the drainage and utility easements over Outlot A, 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition Rivers Edge and Outlot A, 5<sup>th</sup> Addition Rivers Edge will be required prior to final plat approval.
- 9. The tree mix proposed in the landscaping plan dated June 13, 2022 is acceptable.
- 10. Park dedication shall be satisfied at the time of final plat.
- 11. Lots within the 7<sup>th</sup> Addition shall adhere to all requirements of the Rum River Management Overlay District, including vegetation alteration restrictions, impervious surface limits, and maximum structure height, as they are developed.
- 12. Applicant shall be responsible for all fees associated with these land use and subdivision applications.
- 13. Other conditions identified during the review process by Staff, the Planning Commission, or the City Council.

## Findings of Fact - Conditional Use Permit

- 1. The proposed public road meets the environmental criteria for a CUP as established in Minnesota Rules 6105.0200.
- 2. The proposed public road has been designed to minimize the street's impact on the surrounding area, including avoiding steep slopes, existing vegetation, and soils with high erosion potential to the maximum extent possible.

#### Conditions – Conditional Use Permit

- 1. Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related subdivision and land use requests pertaining to the Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition development.
- 2. Applicant shall adhere to all vegetative requirements listed in the City's Urban Rum River Management District and MN State Rules Chapter 6105.
- 3. Applicant shall adhere to the road construction methods listed in MN State Rules 6105.0200 subp. 4.
- 4. All fees and financial obligations shall be received by the City prior to the releasing of the approval document for recording.
- 5. Other conditions identified during the review process by Staff, the Planning Commission, or the City Council.

#### Attachments:

- 1. DNR Conditional Approval dated June 8, 2022
- 2. City Engineer's Memo dated September 13, 2022
- 3. Applicant Submittals
  - Existing Conditions
  - Preliminary Plat
  - Preliminary Street and Storm Sewer Plan
  - Preliminary Grading Plan
  - Preliminary Landscape Plan





# for City of St. Francis by Hakanson Anderson

Submitted to: City of St. Francis

cc: Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator Paul Carpenter, Public Works Director

**Colette Baumgardner, Community Development Director** 

Beth Richmond, City Planner Craig Jochum, City Engineer

Marty Campion, Campion Engineering Services

Dale Willenbring, Developer

Reviewed by: Shane Nelson, Assistant City Engineer

Date: September 13, 2022

**Proposed** 

Project: Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition

Street Location: NA

Applicant: Rivers Edge Land Development LLC

Owners of Record: St. Francis Land Development LLC

Jurisdictional Agencies: City of St. Francis, MPCA, Anoka County

(but not limited to)

Permits Required: City Approval, NPDES Construction Permit, Sanitary

(but not limited to) Sewer Extension Permit, MDH Water Extension

# INFORMATION AVAILABLE

Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Addition SWMP, dated 8/17/2022, prepared by Civil Methods, Inc.

Rivers Edge 5<sup>th</sup> Addition Grading Set, dated 3/29/2021, prepared by Campion Engineering Services, Inc.

Rivers Edge 7<sup>th</sup> Preliminary Drawings, Dated 5/13/2022, prepared by Campion Engineering Services, Inc.

# **STREETS**

- The proposed development will receive its access via local City streets and will connect to Vintage Street NW on the west side of the development and 237<sup>th</sup> Avenue NW on the east side. The street connection/network as proposed is acceptable.
- The crest vertical curve located at station 3+25 of 237<sup>th</sup> Avenue NW does not meet the design speed of the road. The vertical curve shall be revised such that it meets a 30 mph design speed.

# **SEWER AND WATER UTILITIES**

- 1. The Sanitary Sewer is proposed to be extended from Vintage Street NW to the north to serve a majority of the lots. A small number of lots along 237<sup>th</sup> Avenue NW will be served by a sanitary sewer extension along 237<sup>th</sup> Avenue NW.
- 2. The proposed project will extend a new watermain along 237<sup>th</sup> Avenue NW and a loop connection will be made along 237<sup>th</sup> Avenue NW which connects to Underclift St NW. A water connection will be made on either side of the plat, which is acceptable.
- 3. Tracer wire shall be installed in accordance with Minnesota Rural Water Specifications. Specifications shall be provided with the final plans.

# **STORMWATER**

- 1. The stormwater is proposed to be managed by the construction of two stormwater basins. One stormwater basin is proposed to be a wet sedimentation basin, and the second is proposed to be an infiltration basin.
- 2. Storm sewer sizing calculations shall be provided with the final plans.
- 3. A skimmer structure is required for the Pond 1P outlet.

# PRELIMINARY GRADING PLAN

- 1. The Normal Water Level (NWL) and High Water Level (HWL) of all wetlands shall be labeled on the final plans.
- 2. The 100 year flood elevation of the Rum River shall be labeled on the Final Grading Plan.
- 3. Riprap overflow spillways shall be provided for the stormwater basins.
- 4. A detail for the infiltration basin construction shall be provided with the final plans, including a seed mixture that is appropriate for the basin as per MN Stormwater Manual guidance.
- 5. The final plans shall depict stormwater basin access routes. Access routes shall be at least 10 feet wide, contained within an easement, and have gradients that do not exceed 8%.

# **SUMMARY AND/OR RECOMMENDATION**

We recommend approval of the Preliminary Plat subject to the comments herein.

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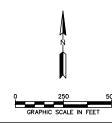
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  2. CITY ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA (CEAM) STANDARD UTILITIES SPECIFICATIONS. (LATEST EDITION)

  3. ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LAWS AND ORDINANCE WILL BE COMPLIED WITH IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROJECT.
- 4. CITY OF ST FRANCIS STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS & DETAILS.

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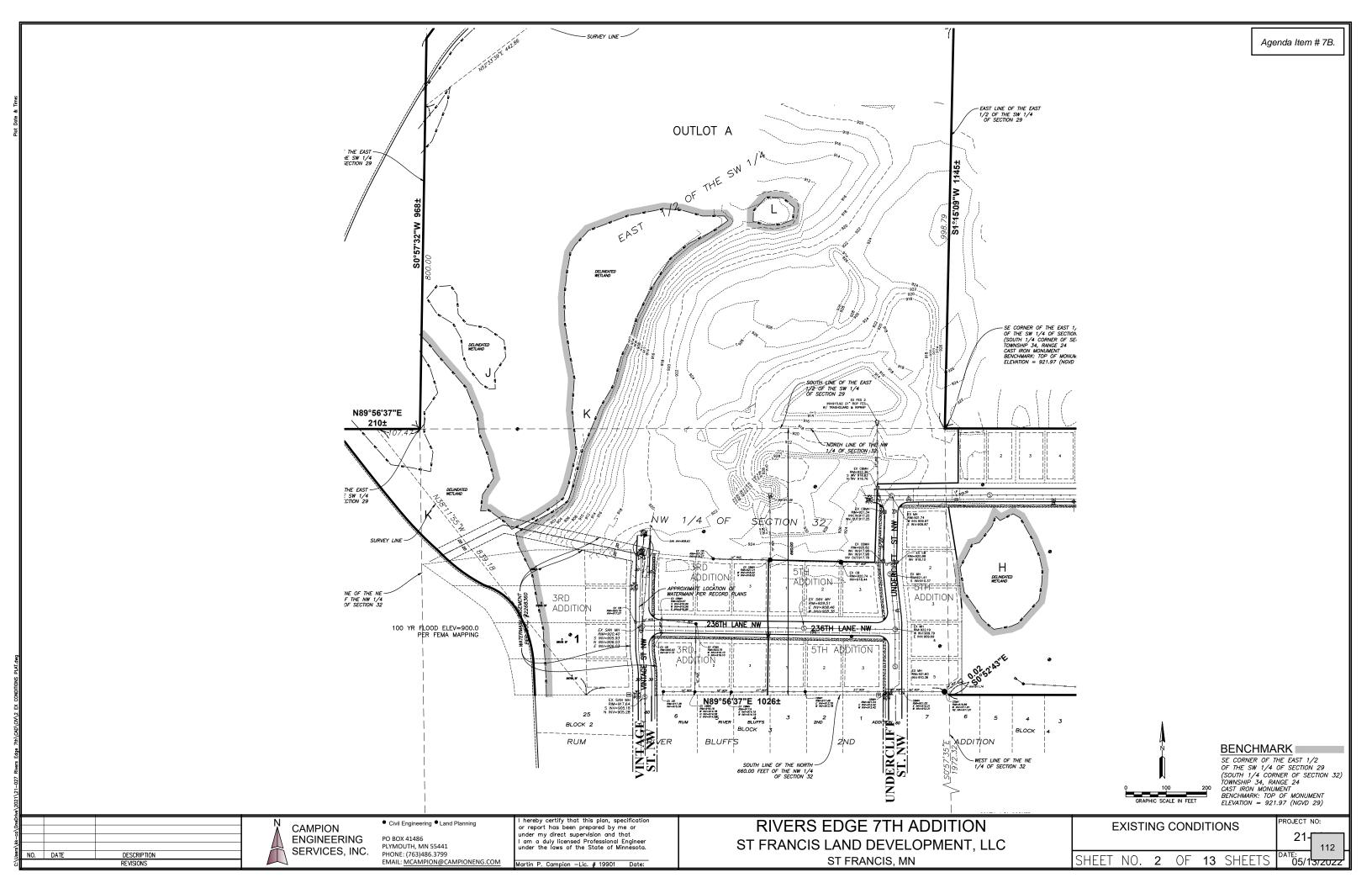
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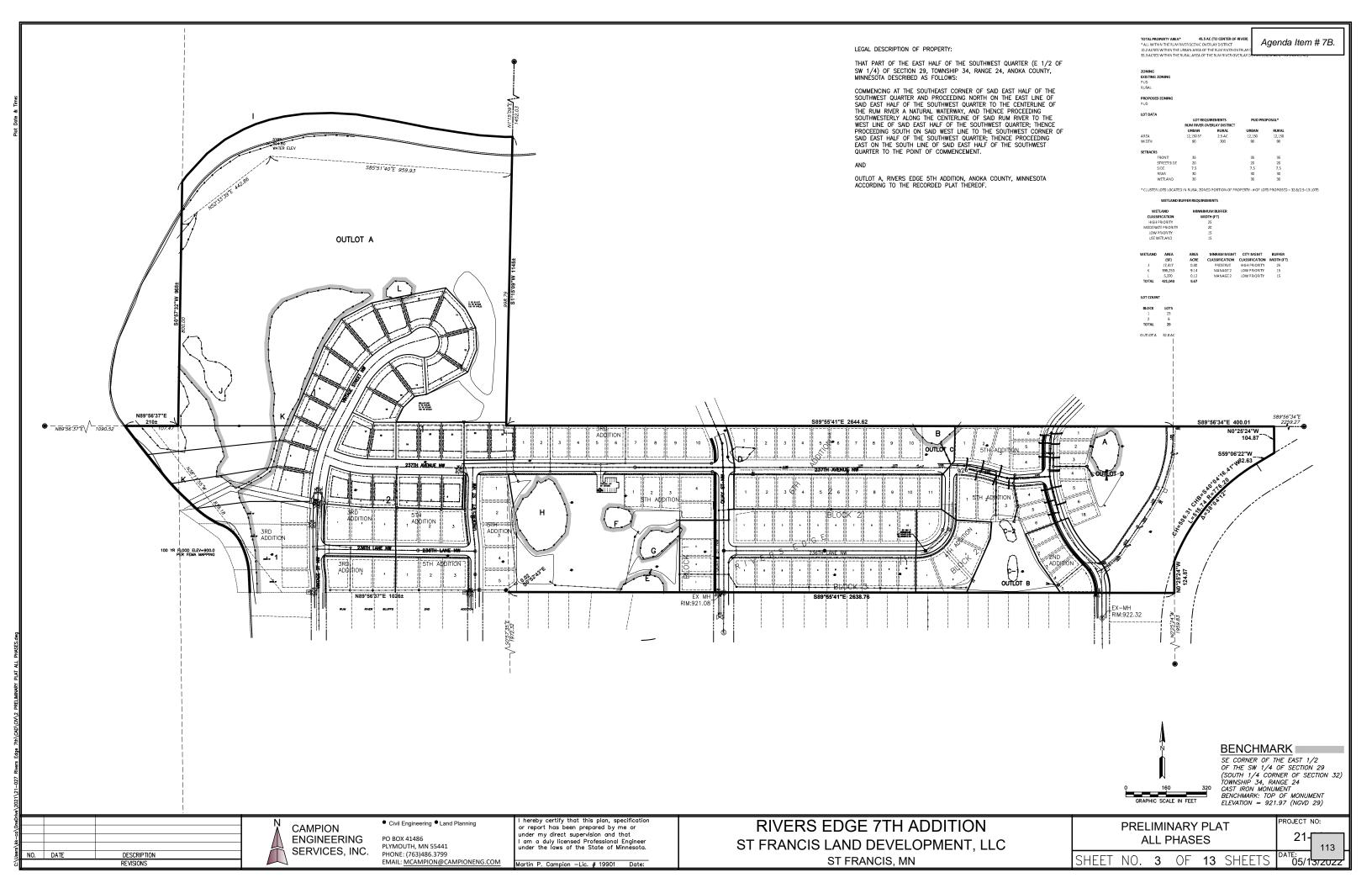
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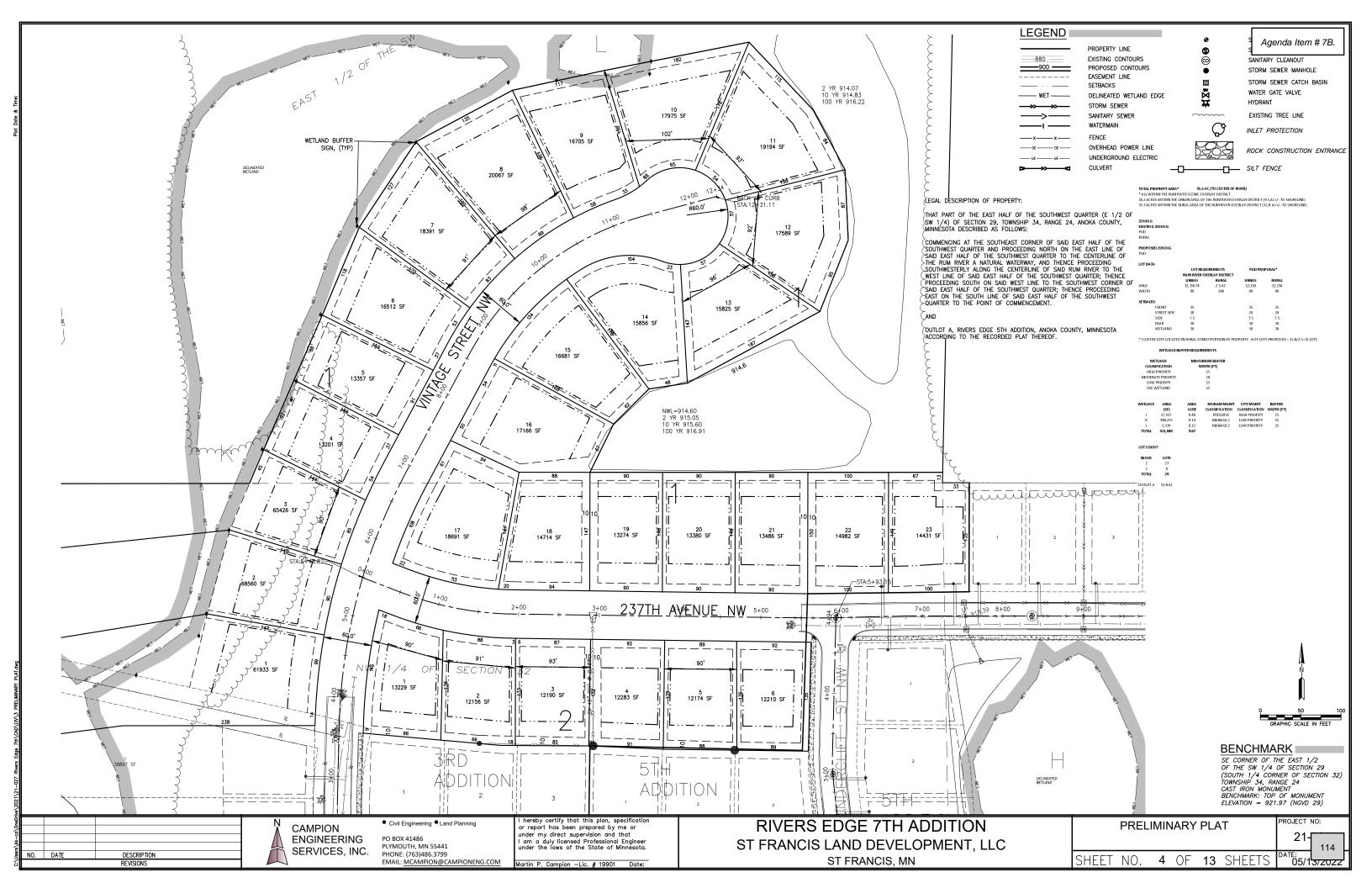
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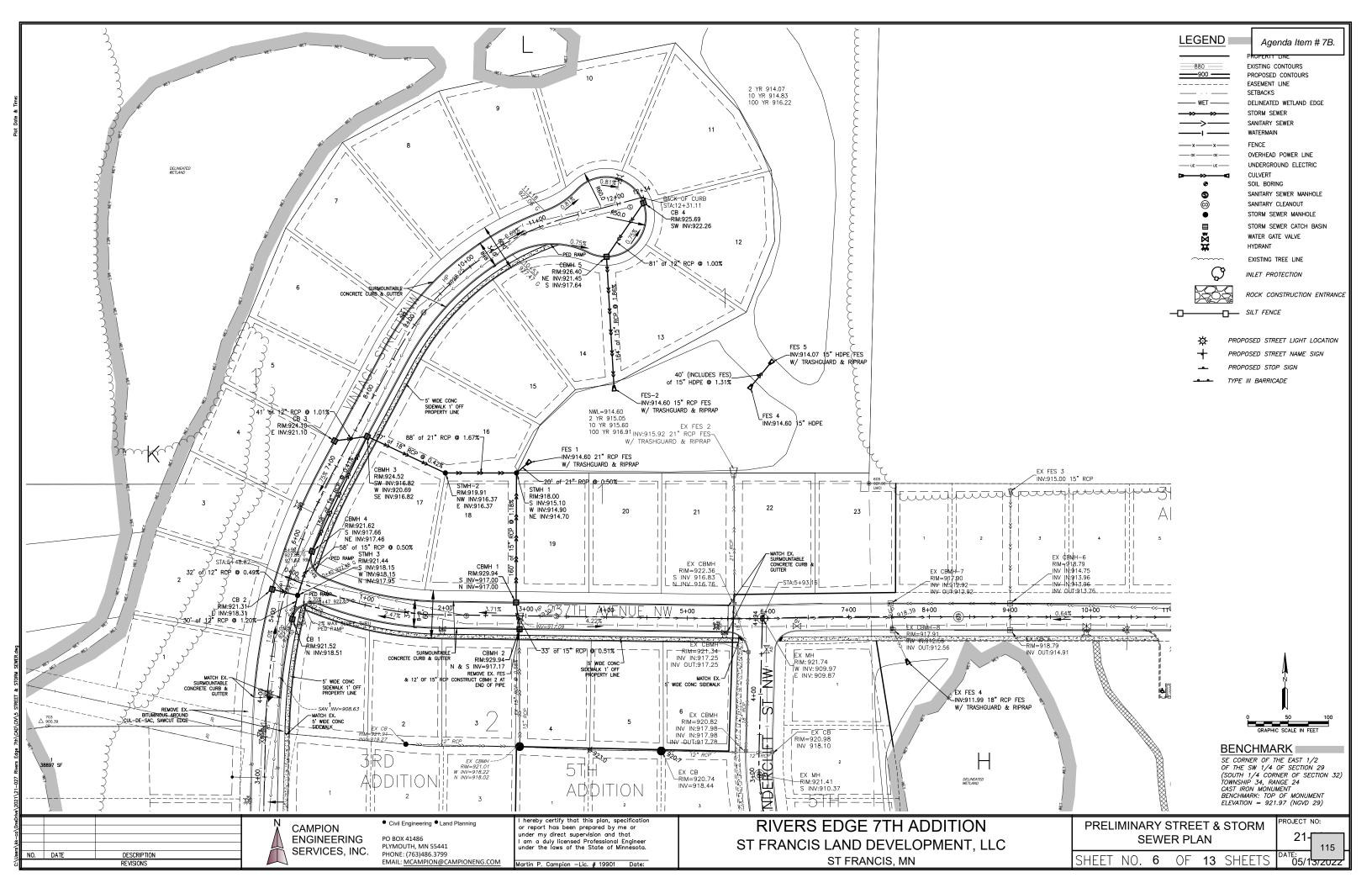
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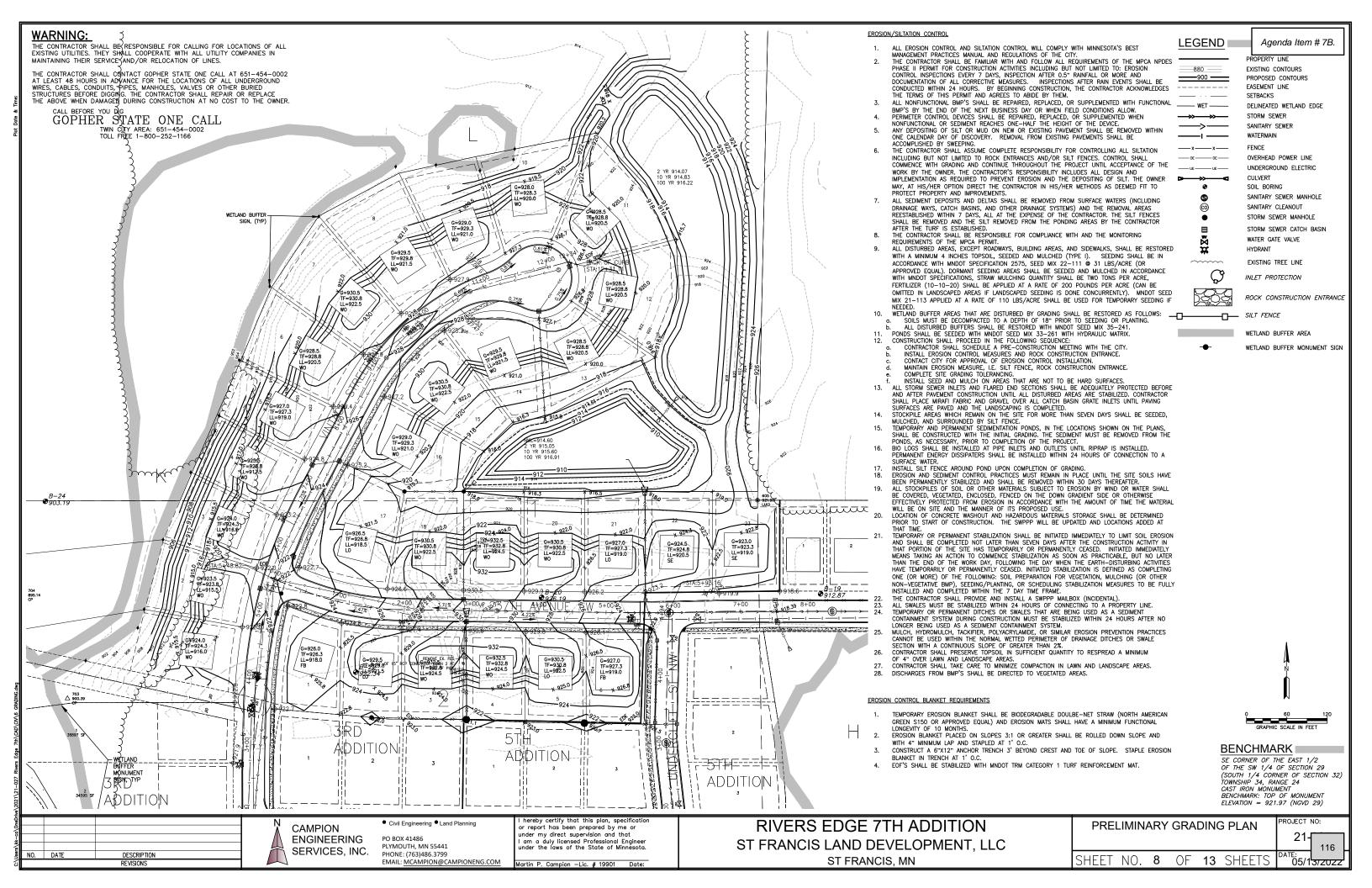
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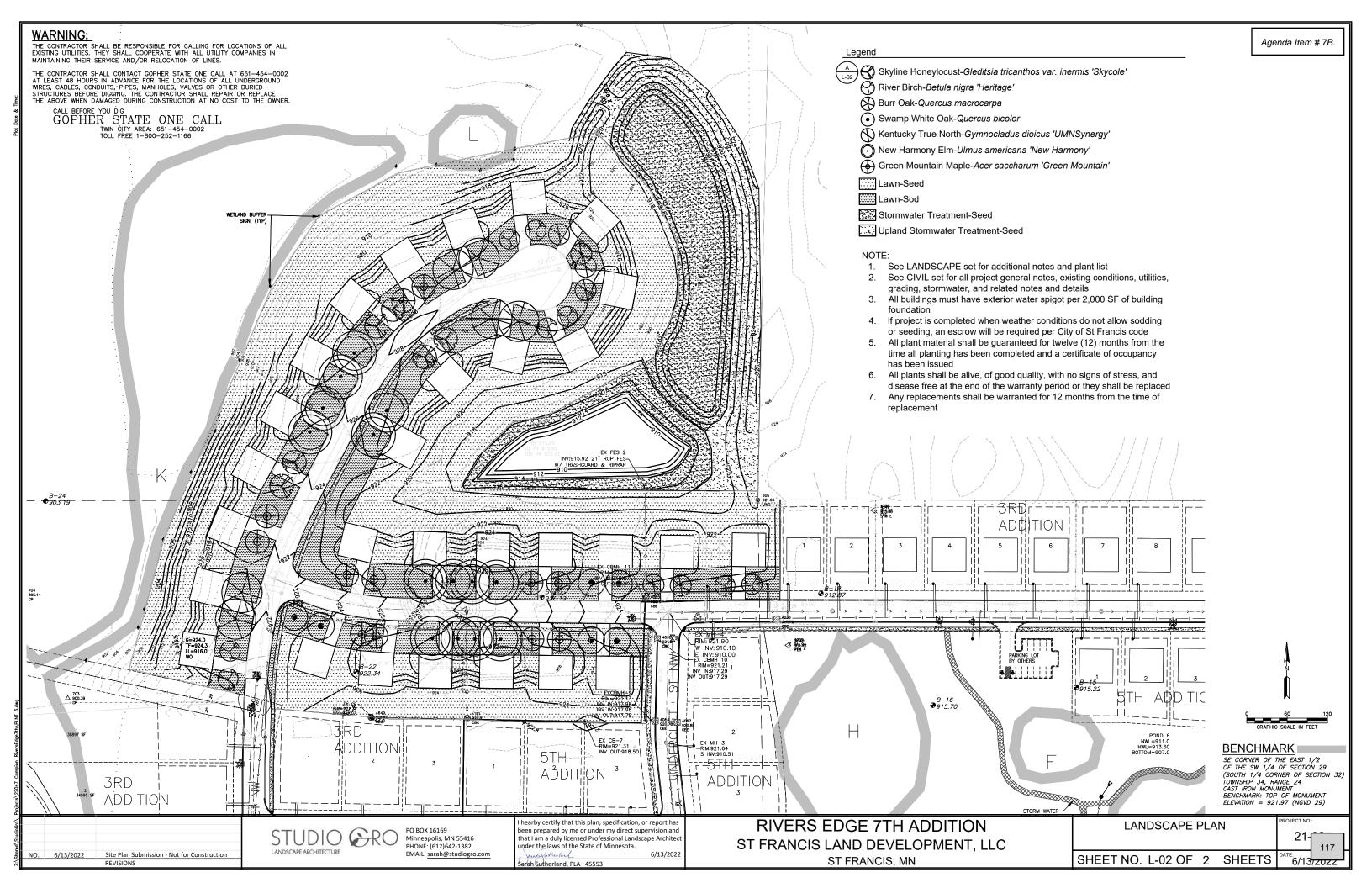




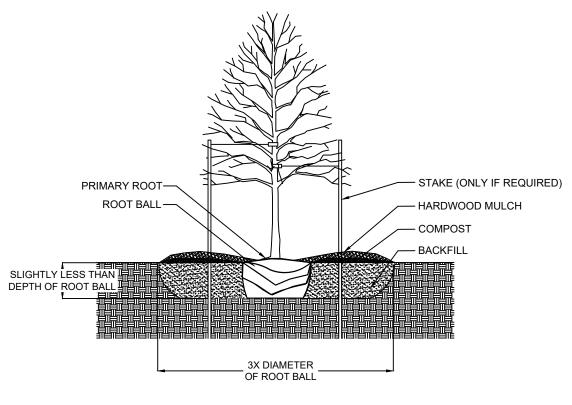








# Landscape Details



TREE PLANTING - SECTION (TYP.) Α

Not to Scale

# Planting Notes

## TREE AND SHRUB PLANTING

- Tree and shrub stock shall conform to all state requirements for nursery stock.
- If the tree or shrub is container grown, score or prune the outside of the root ball to redirect circling fibrous roots. Carefully remove soil from the top of the root ball until the primary root is located.
- If the tree or shrub is balled and burlapped, carefully remove soil from the top of the root ball until the primary root is located. Prune or remove any winding or girdling roots.
- Cut any wires, wire baskets, and/or containers and carefully remove from the tree root ball before placing in the planting hole. Dispose of properly.
- Carefully remove all twine, cords, and/or wraps and remove from the root ball before placing in the hole. Dispose of
- Scarify the sides and bottom of the planting hole.
- Make certain the planting depth is correct by locating the primary root. This is the top of the root ball. The top of the root ball shall be elevated above the finished grade at the time of planting. The elevated distance shall be equivalent to the caliper size. For example, the top of a tree root ball for a 2" caliper tree shall be 2" above the finished grade.
- Carefully place the tree in the hole.
- Loosen backfill before filling planting hole. Fill planting hole half way with excavated planting soil. Water to eliminate air pockets. Do not tamp.
- 10. Finish filling planting hole, tamp soil gently, and water immediately. Do not place backfill on top of the root ball, as determined by the primary root
- 11. Apply a 2" layer of double shredded, non-dyed, hardwood mulch above the compost. Maintain a 4" distance from the
- 12. Do not fertilize.
- 13. Stake trees, only if necessary, to stay in plumb position.
- 14. Prune tree to remove structural defects or to improve tree structure at the time of planting.

# Landscape Requirements

# LANDSCAPE REQUIREMENTS

Required	Provided
2 Deciduous trees per dwelling unit, one (min.) in the front yard	2 Deciduous trees per dwelling unit, two in the front yard
58 Deciduous Trees	58 Deciduous Trees
Sod in all front yards	Sod in all front yards
Lawn seed in all side and rear yards	Lawn seed in all side and rear yards

# **PLANT SCHEDULE**

#### **CANOPY TREES**

QTY		Common Name	Scientific Name	Mature Height	Mature Width	Planting Size
12	EA	Green Mountain Maple	Acer saccharum 'Green Mountain'	50-75'	35-50'	2" Cal. B&B
8	EA	Heritage River Birch	Betula nigra 'Heritage'	40-60'	30-40'	2" Cal. B&B
6	EA	Skyline Honeylocust	Gleditsia tricanthos var. inermis 'Skycole'	50-75'	35-50'	2" Cal. B&B
6	EΑ	Kentucky True North	Gymnocladus dioicus 'UMNSynergy'	50-70'	25-35'	2" Cal. B&B
14	EA	New Harmony Elm	Ulmus americana 'New Harmony	70'	65'	2" Cal. B&B
6	EA	Swamp White Oak	Quercus bicolor	50-60'	40-50'	2" Cal. B&B
6	EA	Burr Oak	Quercus macrocarpa	60-80'	60'-80'	2" Cal. B&B

#### Lawn-Sod

All front yards:

MNST-12 Sod or Approved Equal (Salt and Drought Tolerant Sod), laid between May and November, provided with adequate irrigation. ~2.53 Acres on-Site

#### Lawn-Seed

All open site areas outside of the front yard and the stormwater seed areas:	Rate:
MnDOT 25-131 Low Maintenance Turf Grass	220 LBS per Acre
~5 08 Acres On-Site	

Note: Seeding must either be protected with a hydro-mulch binder or biodegradable restoration blanketing

#### **Stormwater Treatment-Seed**

Stormwater	Rate:
MnDOT 33-261 Stormwater South and West	35 LBS per Acre
~1.60 Acres On-Site	

Upland	Rate:
MnDOT 35-621 Dry Prairie Southeast ~0.88 Acres On-Site	11 LBS per Acre
Cover Crop Spring and Summer Plantings	Rate:

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MnDot 21-111 Oats Cover Crop	100 LBS per Acre
Cover Crop Fall Plantings	Rate:
MnDOT 21-112 Winter Wheat Cover Crop	100 LBS per Acre

#### **Temporary Erosion Control Notes-Native Seeding**

Temporary Erosion Control - It is recommended to protect a new seeding by covering it with mulch or an erosion control blanket. In general, slopes that are 1:3 (vertical: horizontal) and flatter should be mulched with a clean grain straw or native grass mulch and disc anchored following seeding. Mulching should attempt to achieve 90% coverage of the exposed soil surface. This generally requires about 2 tons per acre of straw mulch. It is also recommended to use a high quality weed free mulch such as MCIA Certified Weed Free mulch (see below for specification) or a native grass (prairie) mulch. On slopes that are steeper than 1:3 it is recommended that the seeding be covered with an erosion control blanket. Generally, straw blankets containing double netting (Straw 2S) perform best with native plantings. If seeding is being done in a ditch or swale that will receive moderate water flows for periods of time, it is recommended that a straw/coconut blanket be used to cover it. Other more severe situations such as very steep slopes and/or channels exposed to high water velocities will require more specialized treatments that are not covered in this manual. NOTE: Mulches derived from pasture hay containing reed canary grass, smooth brome and other introduced forage species may contain enough seed of those species to ruin your native grass and forb planting. They are not recommended for use with native plantings.

Minneapolis, MN 55416 PHONE: (612)642-1382

hearby certify that this plan, specification, or report has been prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly licensed Professional Landscape Architec inder the laws of the State of Minnesota 6/13/2022

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# CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: St. Francis City Council

FROM: Beth Richmond, Planner

**SUBJECT:** Patriot Parkway Concept Review

DATE: October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022

# **OVERVIEW:**

The City owns two parcels along Highway 47 that are guided for commercial development. In 2021, the City was approached by a prospective retail business interested in purchasing the 0.26-acre City-owned lot just south of Mansetti's. The lot currently does not have access to a public street and therefore is not considered developable.

In response to this interest, City Staff created the attached concept plan which includes improvements such as a public street and regional stormwater meant to enhance the viability of the entire area between Hwy 47 and Pederson Drive for future development. Staff worked with the First Baptist Church, the property owner of a majority of the land in this area, to develop this concept.

Anticipated land use actions for this project include a Comprehensive Plan amendment, rezoning, and preliminary and final plats. Site plan reviews will be required for any future development in the subject area.

# **PLANNING COMMISSION:**

The Planning Commission reviewed the concept plan at their September 21, 2022 meeting. Following the presentation by Staff, the Planning Commission discussed the layout of the site, including identifying which parcels would have access from the new public street. The public street would provide access to the existing properties to the east and south, as well as providing the opportunity for future access to the west. Commissioners also inquired how this improvement would be funded. Overall, Commissioners were supportive of the concept.

# **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

The City Council is requested to provide feedback to the applicant on the proposed concept. Comments shared are not binding on the City nor do they constitute official assurances or representations of the City on future approvals.

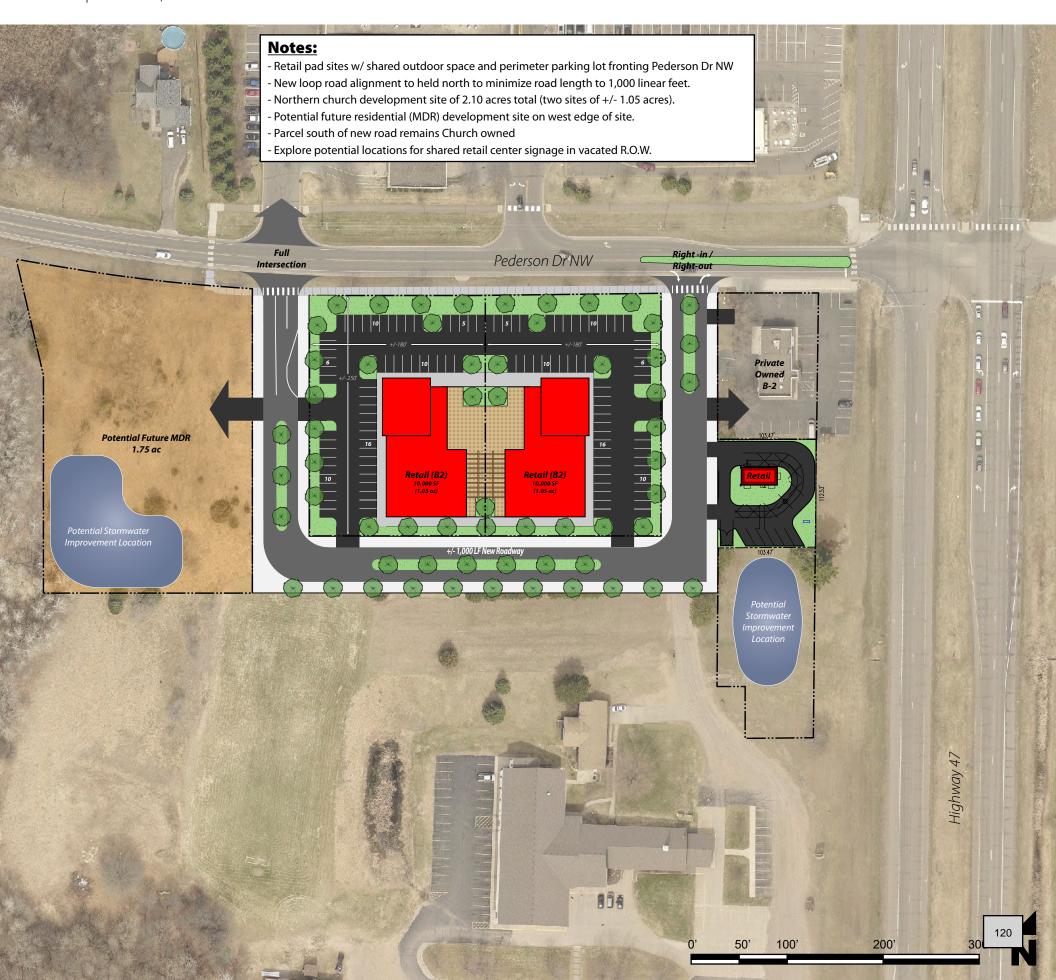
# **ATTACHMENTS:**

- Concept Plan
- September 21, 2022 Planning Commission Memo

# **Saint Francis**

**Patriot Parkway Development Concept** 

**DRAFT -** September 15, 2022





# PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** St. Francis Planning Commission

**FROM:** Beth Richmond, Planner

SUBJECT: Patriot Parkway Concept Review

**DATE:** 9-14-2022 for 9-21-2022 meeting

**LOCATION:** 23040 Pederson Drive NW

**COMP PLAN:** Commercial, Medium/High Density Residential

**ZONING:** B-2; R-3

# **OVERVIEW**

The City owns two parcels along Highway 47 that are guided for commercial development. In 2021, the City was approached by a prospective retail business hoping to purchase the 0.26-acre City-owned lot just south of Mansetti's. Currently, this lot is accessed by a gravel drive from Pederson Drive NW (CR 81). In order to sell this lot and allow development to occur, a paved, public road is required.



Because the road would need to be constructed on land that the City does not currently own, Staff has discussed the potential construction of a public road in this area with the landowner to the west and south of the City-owned properties, First Baptist Church. The Church is supportive of a loop road in this location. The Church is interested in the opportunity that a loop road would provide for future development on the Church-owned vacant parcel north of the existing Church complex. This parcel has direct access and frontage on Pederson Drive NW.

As the project moves forward, City Staff will continue to communicate with the various stakeholders in the area including First Baptist Church, Mansetti's, the prospective commercial buyer, Anoka County, and MnDOT.

# **ANALYSIS**

# Existing Site Characteristics

The project site includes 4 different parcels bounded by Pederson Drive on the north and Highway 47 on the east. Along Highway 47, Mansetti's is located on the northernmost lot while the two lots to the south are City-owned. The First Baptist Church owns the large 13.8-acre parcel along Pederson Drive NW.

Currently, a gravel driveway extends south from Pederson Drive, providing access to Mansetti's, the City's parcels, and the church complex. Pederson Drive is a County Road, and therefore Anoka County has jurisdiction over any access points onto Pederson. Because the site abuts Hwy 47, MnDOT will also be reviewing this project.

A majority of the site is vacant today. An existing pole shed is located in the center of the Church's vacant parcel. A large wetland complex is located to the west of the site.

# **Proposed Improvements**

The concept plan includes the creation of a loop street with two access points onto Pederson, two new commercial lots, the development of one of the City-owned parcels, and the creation of regional stormwater facilities for the area.

The proposed public road is roughly 1,000 feet long and accesses Pederson Drive at two points. These access points are separated by about 400'. The west access is proposed to be a full intersection aligned with the western County Market access. The east access point is proposed as a limited, right-in/right-out access. The eastern portion of the road is located to serve the Church property to the south and the existing parcels along Hwy 47 including Mansetti's and the two City-owned parcels. The loop road would be constructed using the <a href="state-process">state-process</a> specified in MN Statute Chapter 429.

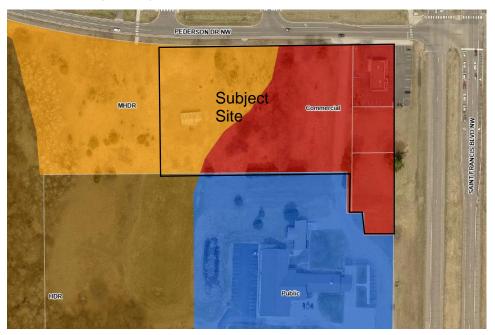
The public road creates additional opportunities for development in this area. With public access, the two City-owned sites become viable for development. A retail business is interested in developing the lot south of Mansetti's. In addition, two commercial lots along Pederson Drive, each roughly 1 acre in size, would be created as a result of this project.

Because the entire site is being considered for development as a part of a single project, Staff has suggested that regional stormwater improvements be included in the project. These improvements would be able to accommodate runoff from development in the area, including the new commercial lots, small existing lots along Highway 47, and the Church's vacant property. Regional stormwater facilities are helpful to make the best use of space on a site and

enhance the development viability of the existing smaller commercial lots. The City Engineer has identified two locations on the concept plan that could be used for regional stormwater improvements. These locations include the southernmost City-owned parcel and an area on the vacant Church property west of the proposed new road. The Engineer will complete a more detailed analysis in the future which will identify the exact size and location of those facilities.

# Land Use

As shown in the image below, the 2040 Comprehensive Plan currently guides the subject site for commercial use on the east end and medium/high density residential use on the west. The proposed concept plan would require a Comprehensive Plan amendment to reguide the area of the site used for residential to the Commercial land use category. This category allows uses such as retail, office, and entertainment.



The City's adopted zoning map follows the Comprehensive Plan guidance and zones this site as B-2 General Business on the east side and R-3 High Density Residential on the west. A rezoning process would be needed to rezone the residential portion of the site from R-3 to B-2.

# **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED**

The Planning Commission is requested to provide feedback to the applicant on the proposed concept. No motion is required. Comments shared are not binding to the City nor do they constitute official assurances or representations of the City on future recommendations or approvals. The City Council will also review the concept and provide feedback.

Following concept plan review, the likely entitlements for this project would include a Comprehensive Plan amendment, rezoning, and preliminary and final plat.

# **ATTACHMENT**

Concept Plan



# CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: St. Francis City Council
FROM: Beth Richmond, Planner
SUBJECT: The Bluffs of Rum River

**DATE:** October 3, 2022

APPLICANT: Alliant Ventures IX, LLC on behalf of SBD Properties, LLP

**LOCATION:** 23925 St Francis Blvd NW

**COMP PLAN:** Commercial, MDR, Open Space

**ZONING:** B-3 General Business, R-3 High Density Residential

### **OVERVIEW:**

The City has received an application for "The Bluffs of Rum River" development, which is the next step in the Platinum Land project. The City Council approved a Comprehensive Plan amendment for this project in July 2022.

"The Bluffs" is proposed to be a phased residential and commercial development which will eventually include 302 housing units and a 3-acre commercial lot. The applicant is proposing a mix of residential uses, including 40 single-unit lots, 40 detached townhome units, 102 attached rowhouse units, and a 120-unit apartment building.

The land use and subdivision requests to be considered include a rezoning to Planned Unit Development (PUD), preliminary plat, and a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) for a public road within the Rum River Management Overlay District. Initial reviews by MnDOT, MnDNR, and Anoka County were completed and incorporated into Staff's analysis of the project. MnDOT and MnDNR requested additional materials are part of their initial reviews. Additional materials were requested as part of the initial reviews for MnDOT and MnDNR. These materials have been completed and submitted to each agency. Updated comments from MnDOT and MnDNR are forthcoming.

# PLANNING COMMISSION REVIEW

The Planning Commission reviewed these requests and held a public hearing at the August 17, 2022 Planning Commission meeting. A small number of residents were in attendance at the meeting. Questions were raised and discussed by the Planning Commission regarding traffic, impact on surrounding property values, and pedestrian connectivity. Staff discussed questions with the Planning Commission and referred to a number of conditions in the staff report that were in response to the discussion topics.

After discussion, the Planning Commission recommended approval of the project and all associated land use and subdivision requests along with adding the request to include a pedestrian circulation and wayfinding plan with the submittal.

# PLAN UPDATES

The Planning Commission recommended conditional approval of the project in August. One of these conditions was that a traffic impact study be completed for the project prior to City Council review. The applicant has been working to complete the traffic study and address other comments that resulted from the initial round of review comments by Staff, MnDOT, MnDNR, and Anoka County. The traffic study was deemed complete on September 16, 2022. Therefore, the application is ready for review by the City Council.

The traffic study showed that the proposed intersection will be able to accommodate traffic to and from the site and the phasing plan is appropriate. It also highlighted the viability of the commercial site is reduced if the access onto Ambassador is a right in/right out intersection. Staff had originally requested a trail connecting to the existing HW-47 trail be complete with the commercial site, but staff has updated this condition for the trail to be on the current set of plans.

In addition to the traffic study, the applicant also updated several plans in response to comments from the initial round of review completed by Staff, MnDOT, MnDNR, and Anoka County. These plan updates include:

- Updated preliminary plat showing setbacks from OHW and bluffs
- Bluff exhibits showing the location of bluffs throughout the site
- Creation of a pedestrian circulation plan
- Intersection exhibits for 241<sup>st</sup> and Ambassador
- Phasing plan reflecting the proposed timing of the construction of the public road through the site
- Density tiering map and calculations requested by MnDNR
- Wetland delineation

# **ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Given Planning Commission and Staff recommendation of approval for the land use and subdivision requests related to The Bluffs of Rum River development, draft approval documents have been prepared and are attached for your consideration. Council action is requested on these applications.

# **Suggested Motions**

- Move to approve the 1<sup>st</sup> Reading of Ordinance 301 approving a rezoning request for 23925 St Francis Blvd NW from R-3 and B-2 to The Bluffs PUD with findings as presented by Staff.
- Move to approve Resolution 2022-51 approving the preliminary plat and PUD plans for The Bluffs of Rum River development with conditions and findings as presented by Staff.
- 3. Move to approve Resolution 2022-52approving a Conditional Use Permit for the construction of public roads associated with The Bluffs of Rum River development with conditions and findings as presented by Staff.

# **ATTACHMENTS:**

- Draft Approval Documents
  - o Ordinance 302 1st Reading
  - o Resolution 2022-51 Preliminary Plat and PUD Plans
  - o Resolution 2022-52 CUP for public roads
- Revised Plans
  - Preliminary plat
  - o Phasing plan
  - o Traffic study & intersection diagrams
  - DNR tiering exhibits
  - o Bluff exhibit
  - Pedestrian circulation plan
- City Engineering Memo dated August 10, 2022
- August 17, 2022 Planning Commission Memo

### ORDINANCE NO. 301 SECOND SERIES

# CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ANOKA COUNTY

# AN ORDINANCE APPROVING REZONING 23925 ST FRANCIS BLVD NW FROM R-3 AND B-2 TO THE BLUFFS OF RUM RIVER PUD – $1^{ST}$ READING

**WHEREAS,** the applicant, Alliant Ventures IX, LLC, applied for preliminary plat and preliminary PUD plan approval on July 21, 2022 on behalf of SBD Properties, LLP for the property legally described in Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS,** on August 17, 2022, after published and mailed notice in accordance with Minnesota Statutes and the City Code, the Planning Commission held a public hearing, at which time all persons desiring to be heard concerning this application were given the opportunity to speak thereon; and

**WHEREAS,** on August 17, 2022, at an official public hearing, the Planning Commission considered the applicant's submission, the contents of the staff report, public testimony, and other evidence available to the Commission; and made recommendations for consideration by the City Council; and

**WHEREAS,** on October 3, 2022, the City Council has considered the proposed project and found that the project will not negatively impact the public health, safety, or welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, the rezoning to PUD R-3 is consistent with the Comprehensive Plan designation for the site; and

**WHEREAS**, the applicant is proposing a mix of uses on the site, including single-unit residential, attached townhomes, apartment, and commercial; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed development provides a clear and identified public benefit to the City in the form of the preservation of natural features and open space along the Rum River and the creation of housing types that have been identified as a need in the community by the 2040 Comprehensive Plan.

# THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS, ANOKA COUNTY, MINNESOTA, ORDAINS:

<u>Section 1</u>. The property legally described in Exhibit A is hereby rezoned from the R-3 High Density Residential District and the B-2 General Business District to The Bluffs of Rum River Planned Unit Development dated September 13, 2022 and included in Exhibit B.

<u>Section 2</u>. The following conditions shall apply to property rezoned to The Bluffs of Rum River PUD by this Ordinance:

1. The following uses are permitted within The Bluffs of Rum River PUD:

- a. Single-unit residential in Blocks 1 and 2
- b. Detached townhomes in Block 3
- c. Attached rowhomes in Blocks 4-6
- d. Apartment building in Block 7
- e. Commercial uses as permitted in the B-2 zoning district in Block 8
- f. Accessory uses
  - i. For Blocks 1-3, accessory uses as listed in the R-2 district are permitted.
  - ii. For Blocks 4-7, accessory uses as listed in the R-3 district are permitted.
- 2. The outlots within The Bluffs of Rum River shall be used as follows:
  - a. Outlot A shall be used for City utilities
  - b. Outlots B and C are considered undevelopable. All development is restricted and must comply with the provisions of the Rum River Management district
  - c. Outlot D shall be used for private open space.
- 3. Minimum dimensional requirements for single-unit residential lots shall be as follows:
  - a. Average minimum lot size for all single-unit lots in Blocks 1 and 2 shall exceed 20,000 square feet. Minimum lot size for a single-unit lot shall be 14,864 square feet.
  - b. A minimum lot width of 90 feet as measured at the building setback line.
  - c. A minimum building setback from the public street of 30 feet. Lots 7-9 Block 1 shall have a minimum building setback from the public street of 25 feet.
  - d. A minimum side yard setback of 5 feet for the garage side and 10 feet for the living side.
  - e. A minimum rear yard setback of 75 feet from the Ordinary High Water Level (OHW).
  - f. A maximum building height of 35 feet.
  - g. A maximum impervious surface per lot of 30%.
- 4. Minimum dimensional requirements for detached townhome units shall be as follows:
  - a. Average minimum area shall be 9,628 square feet per unit.
  - b. A minimum building separation of 15 feet between living quarters and 10 feet between garages.
  - c. A minimum building setback from the curb of the public and private streets of 25 feet.
  - d. A maximum building height of 35 feet.
  - e. Shared driveways shall not exceed 24 feet in width at the street and shall be maintained by an HOA.
- 5. Minimum dimensional requirements for attached rowhome units shall be as follows:
  - a. Average minimum area shall be 9,119 square feet per unit.
  - b. A minimum unit width of 24 feet.
  - c. A minimum building separation of 12 feet.
  - d. A minimum setback from the curb of the private street of 25 feet.
  - e. A minimum setback from Hwy 47 of 50 feet.
  - f. A maximum of 6 units per building.

- g. One building in Block 6 is allowed to have two units per building (Lots 13 and 14).
- h. No garage shall extend the full width of any individual unit.
- i. A maximum building height of 35 feet.
- 6. Minimum dimensional requirements for the apartment use shall be as follows:
  - a. Requirements for the apartment use shall follow the lot and site requirements listed for the R-3 and uRRM districts.
- 7. Minimum dimensional requirements for the commercial lot shall be as follows:
  - a. Requirements for the commercial site shall follow the lot and site requirements for the B-2 and uRRM districts.
- 8. Blocks 3-6 shall each be limited to a maximum aggregate coverage of 30% impervious surface.
- 9. 28-foot wide private streets shall be established to serve the attached townhome units in Block 4 and shall be privately maintained by an HOA.
- 10. Multiple principal structures shall be permitted on one lot in accordance with the site plan.
- 11. All general zoning standards in the St. Francis City Code, to the extent not inconsistent with the terms of this ordinance, shall apply.

Section 3. The Zoning Map of the City of St. Francis referred to and described in Section 10-14-03 of the St. Francis City Code shall not be republished to show the aforesaid rezoning, but the Zoning Administrator or designee shall appropriately mark the Zoning Map on file in the City Clerk's office for the purpose of indicating the rezoning provided for in this ordinance and all of the notations, references, and other information shown thereon are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this ordinance.

<u>Section 4.</u> This Ordinance shall take effect and be enforced from and after its passage and publication according to law.

Approved and adopted by the City Council this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2022.

CEAL	BY:			
SEAL	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor			
Attest: Jennifer Wida, City Clerk				
Published in the Anoka County Union Herald	2022			

### **EXHIBIT A**

# **Legal Descriptions**

#### Parcel A:

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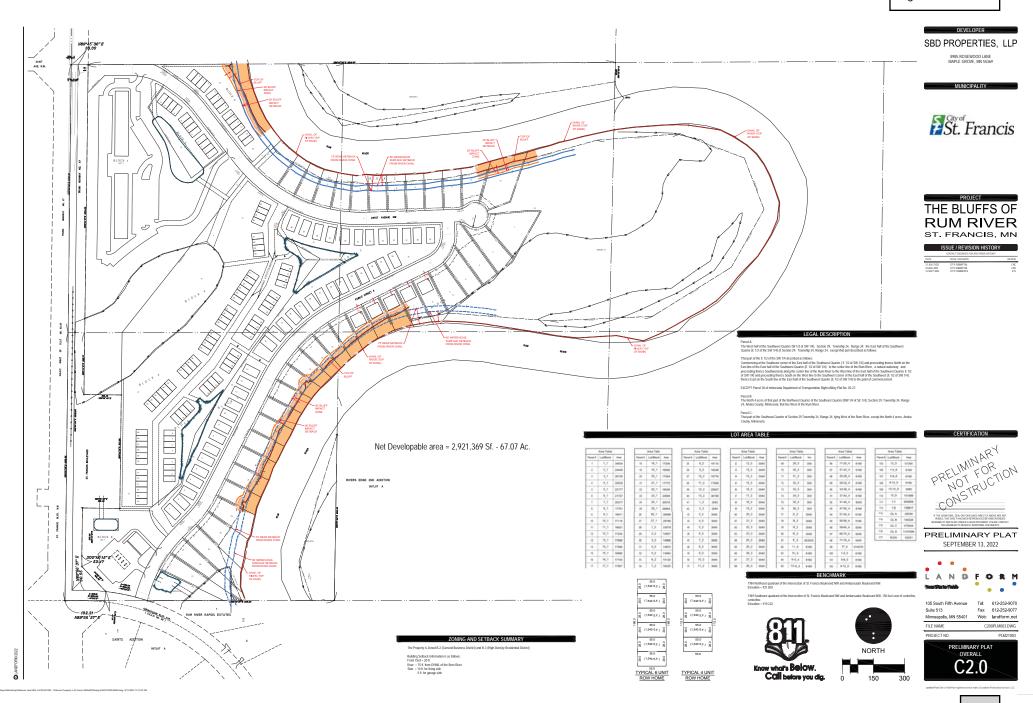
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Exhibit B. The Bluffs of Rum River PUD

Agenda Item # 9B.



# CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

# **RESOLUTION 2022-51**

# A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PRELIMINARY PLAT AND PRELIMINARY PUD PLANS FOR THE BLUFFS OF RUM RIVER DEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS, the applicant, Landform Professional Services, LLC, on behalf of Alliant Ventures IX, LLC, applied for preliminary plat and preliminary PUD plan approval on July 21, 2022 on behalf of SBD Properties, LLP for the property legally described in Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS**, the Planning Commission on August 17, 2022, opened and closed a duly noticed public hearing and considered the applicant's submission, the contents of the staff report, public testimony, and other evidence available to the Commission; and made recommendations for consideration by the City Council; and

**WHEREAS,** on August 17, 2022, the Planning Commission recommended approval of the requested preliminary plat and preliminary PUD plans; and

WHEREAS, the City Council on October 3, 2022, has considered the recommendations of Staff and the Planning Commission, the Applicant's submissions, the contents of the staff report dated September 28, 2022, public testimony, and other evidence available to the Council.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the City Council of the City of St. Francis hereby approves the preliminary plat, preliminary PUD plans, and associated documents for The Bluffs of Rum River development based on the following findings of fact:

- 1. The proposed rezoning is consistent with the City's 2040 Comprehensive Plan as amended and is compatible with present and future land uses of the area.
- 2. The development is consistent with the City's Zoning Ordinance with noted conditions.
- 3. The development is designed to preserve existing natural features on the site and provides additional opportunities for the creation of multiple different types of housing in the City.
- 4. City services have adequate capacity to serve the proposed development.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that approval of the preliminary PUD plan and preliminary plat for The Bluffs of Rum River development shall be subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Any approvals granted by the City Council for this project are conditioned upon the Metropolitan Council's approval of the associated Comprehensive Plan amendment.
- 2. Any approvals granted by the City Council for this project are conditioned upon the MnDNR's approval of the project.

- 3. Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related rezoning and Conditional Use Permit requests pertaining to The Bluffs of Rum River project.
- 4. If the commercial lot is developed within 3 years of approval of the PUD, it will be necessary for Staff to review the total project thresholds to determine the need for a retroactive EAW for the entire development at the time of final plat and site plan review.
- 5. The project shall be completed as a phased development as shown in the provided Phasing Plan.
- 6. Applicant shall dedicate land below the OHW of the Rum River as public.
- 7. Applicant shall work with MnDOT to finalize the northern access point and intersection that incorporates phasing and the traffic study. Applicant shall address all comments relating to the project provided by MnDOT.
- 8. Applicant shall work with Anoka County to finalize an intersection layout for the public street/Ambassador Blvd intersection that incorporates phasing and the traffic study. Applicant shall address all comments relating to the project provided by Anoka County in their July 29, 2022 memo.
- 9. Applicant shall address the comments included in the Engineering Review Memo dated August 10, 2022 to the City Engineer's satisfaction.
- 10. Applicant shall revise the plans to show a pedestrian connection from the proposed public street to the existing trail along Ambassador Blvd and Hwy 47.
- 11. Applicant shall provide guest parking meeting City Code standards for the attached rowhouses. If possible, guest parking should be located near Blocks 5 and 6.

# 12. Landscaping

- a. Applicant should identify the size and type of existing trees which are planned to be removed or preserved. Additional revisions to the landscaping plan may be required depending on the size and type of trees removed.
- b. Future landscaping plans for the apartment and commercial lots shall provide landscaping and vegetation which complements the landscaping established for the residential units in this plat.
- c. Trees to be planted must be a mix of no less than 25% deciduous, 25% evergreen, and 10% ornamental. Applicant shall revise the proposed tree mix to meet this requirement.
- 13. All fees and financial obligations shall be received by the City prior to the releasing of the approval documents related to this project for recording.

Approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of St. Francis on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2022.

Steven D. Feldman, Mayor

Attest: Jenni Wida, City Clerk	Dated
DRAFTED BY: Hoisington Koegler Group, Inc. 800 Washington Ave N, Suite 103 Minneapolis, MN 55401	

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# CITY OF ST. FRANCIS ST. FRANCIS, MN ANOKA COUNTY

# **RESOLUTION 2022-52**

# A RESOLUTION APPROVING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR THE BLUFFS OF RUM RIVER DEVELOPMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC ROADS WITHIN THE RUM RIVER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

**WHEREAS**, the applicant, Landform Professional Services, LLC on behalf of Alliant Ventures IX, LLC, applied for preliminary plat and preliminary PUD plan approval on July 21, 2022 on behalf of SBD Properties, LLP for the property legally described in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the site is located in the Urban Rum River Management district; and

**WHEREAS**, City Code 10-82-5B and MN Statute consider public roads to be special uses and require a CUP for their construction; and

**WHEREAS,** on August 17, 2022, after published and mailed notice in accordance with Minnesota Statutes and the City Code, the Planning Commission held a public hearing, at which time all persons desiring to be heard concerning this application were given the opportunity to speak thereon; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 17, 2022, the Planning Commission unanimously recommended approval of the requested Conditional Use Permit; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of St. Francis on October 3, 2022, considered the requested Conditional Use Permit and how it might affect public health, safety, or welfare and found that the project will not negatively impact the public health, safety, or welfare.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the City Council of the City of St. Francis hereby approves the requested Conditional Use Permit for the construction of public roads within the Rum River Management District based on the following findings of fact:

- 1. The proposed development is consistent with the City's Comprehensive Plan. The applicant is proposing to use this land primarily for residential development. The proposed public roads provide access to the proposed lots.
- 2. The proposed public roads meet the environmental criteria for a CUP as established in Minnesota Rules 6105.0200.
- 3. The proposed public road has been designed to minimize the streets' impact on the surrounding area, including avoiding steep slopes, existing vegetation, and soils with high erosion potential to the maximum extent possible.
- 4. The proposed streets have been designed to meet City standards.
- 5. The proposed streets will meet the needs of the traffic generated by The Bluffs of Rum River development.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that approval of the Conditional Use Permit for the construction of public roads in the Rum River Management District shall be subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The granting of this approval is conditioned upon the Metropolitan Council's approval of the associated Comprehensive Plan amendment.
- 2. Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related land use and subdivision requests pertaining to The Bluffs of Rum River project.
- 3. The granting of this approval is conditioned upon the MnDNR's approval of the project.
- 4. All items pertaining to public roads listed in the City Engineer's The Bluffs of Rum River Preliminary Plat memo dated August 10, 2022 shall be addressed to the satisfaction of the City Engineer prior to recording of the CUP.
- 5. Applicant shall adhere to all vegetative requirements listed in the City's Rum River Management District and MN State Rules Chapter 6105.
- 6. Applicant shall adhere to the road construction methods listed in MN State Rules 6105.0200 subp. 4.
- 7. All necessary permits as may be applicable must be provided to the City before activity begins and/or before building permits are issued for individual lots.
- 8. The applicant shall be responsible for all costs associated with the Conditional Use Permit application.
- 9. All fees and financial obligations shall be received by the City prior to the releasing of the Conditional Use Permit for recording.
- 10. The applicant shall record the Conditional Use Permit with the County Recorder in accordance with Section 10-31-03 of the City Code.

Approved and adopted by the City Council of 2022.	f the City of St. Francis on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of October,
	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor
Attest: Jennifer Wida, City Clerk	Dated

DRAFTED BY: **Hoisington Koegler Group, Inc.** 800 Washington Ave N, Suite 103 Minneapolis, MN 55401

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#### CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR THE BLUFFS OF RUM RIVER

- 1. **PERMIT.** Subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, the CITY OF ST. FRANCIS hereby grants a Conditional Use Permit to allow the construction of public roads within the Rum River Management District.
- **2. PROPERTY.** This Conditional Use Permit is for the following property legally described in Exhibit A.
- **3. CONDITIONS.** This Conditional Use Permit is issued subject to construction in accordance with the approved plans submitted with the application and the following conditions:
  - **A.** Applicant shall adhere to all vegetative requirements listed in the City's Rum River Management District and MN State Rules Chapter 6105.
  - **B.** Applicant shall adhere to the road construction methods listed in MN State Rules 6105.0200 subp. 4.
- **4. TERMINATION OF PERMIT.** The City may revoke the permit following a public hearing for violation for the terms of this permit.
- **5. LAPSE.** If within one (1) year of the issuance of this Conditional Use Permit the applicant fails to implement such approvals and fulfill each and every condition attached thereto, this permit shall be null and void.
- **6. CRIMINAL PENALTY.** Both the owner and any occupant of the subject property are responsible for compliance with this Conditional Use Permit. Violation of the terms of this Conditional Use Permit is a criminal misdemeanor.
- **7. RECORDING.** This Conditional Use Permit shall be recorded by the City against the title to the Property.

Dated:	-		
		CITY OF ST. FRANCIS	
	BY:		
	_	Steven D. Feldman, Mayor	

(SEAL)	
	AND
	Jennifer Wida, City Clerk
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COUNTY OF ANOKA	)
Steven D. Feldman, Mayor	iment was acknowledged before me this 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2022, by r, and by <b>Jenni Wida</b> , City Clerk, of the <b>CITY OF ST. FRANCIS</b> , a ration, on behalf of the corporation and pursuant to the authority.
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#### **EXHIBIT A**

# **Legal Descriptions**

Parcel A:

The West half of the Southwest Quarter (W 1/2 of SW 1/4), Section 29, Township 34, Range 24; the East half of the Southwest Quarter (E 1/2 of the SW 1/4) of Section 29, Township 34, Range 24, except that part described as follows:

That part of the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 described as follows:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the East half of the Southwest Quarter (E 1/2 of SW 1/4) and proceeding thence North on the East line of the East half of the Southwest Quarter (E 1/2 of SW 1/4); to the center line of the Rum River, a natural waterway; and proceeding thence Southwesterly along the center line of the Rum River to the West line of the East half of the Southwest Quarter E 1/2 of SW 1/4) and proceeding thence South on the West line to the Southwest corner of the East half of the Southwest (E 1/2 of SW 1/4); thence East on the South line of the East half of the Southwest Quarter (E 1/2 of SW 1/4) to the point of commencement.

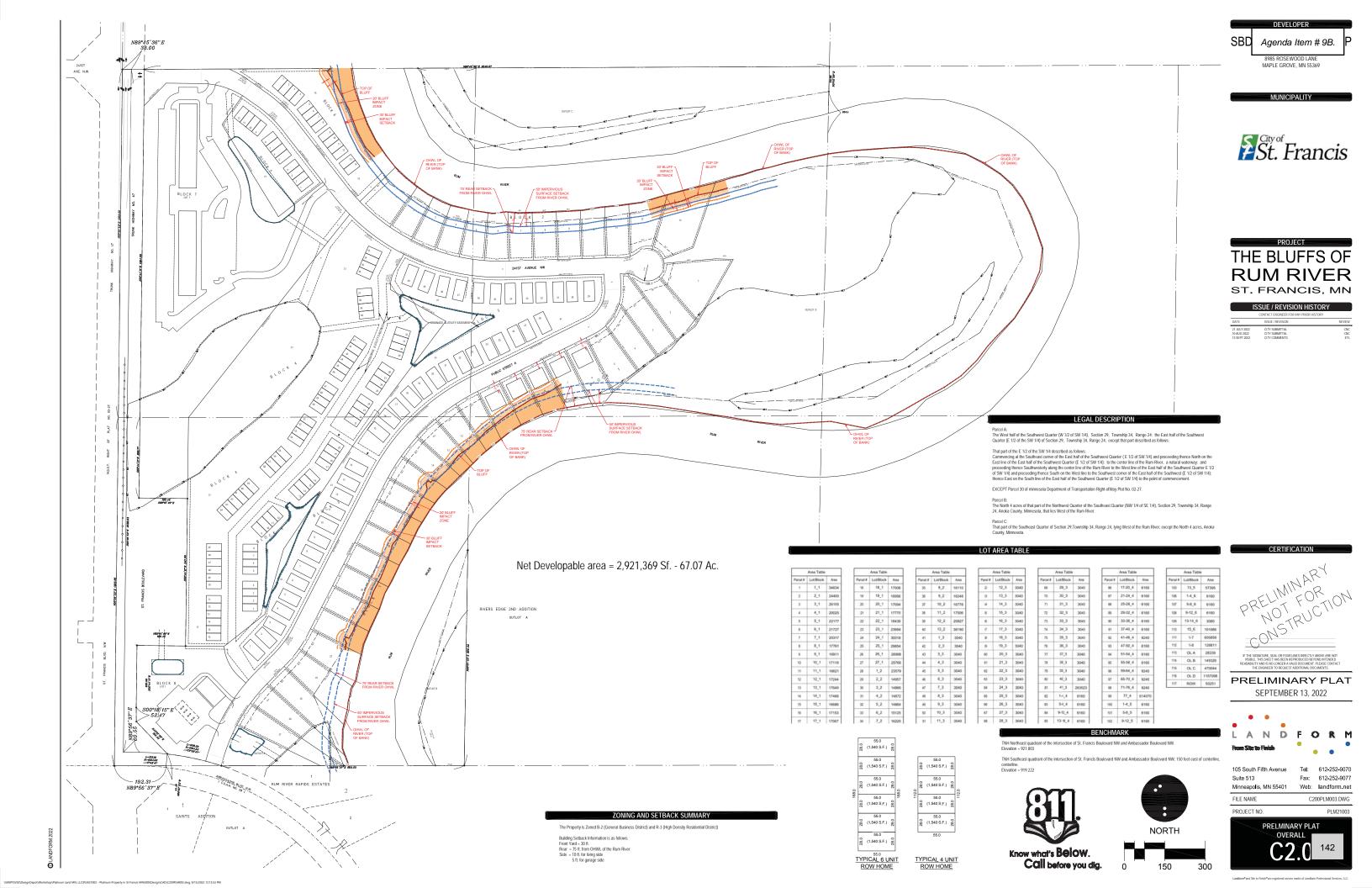
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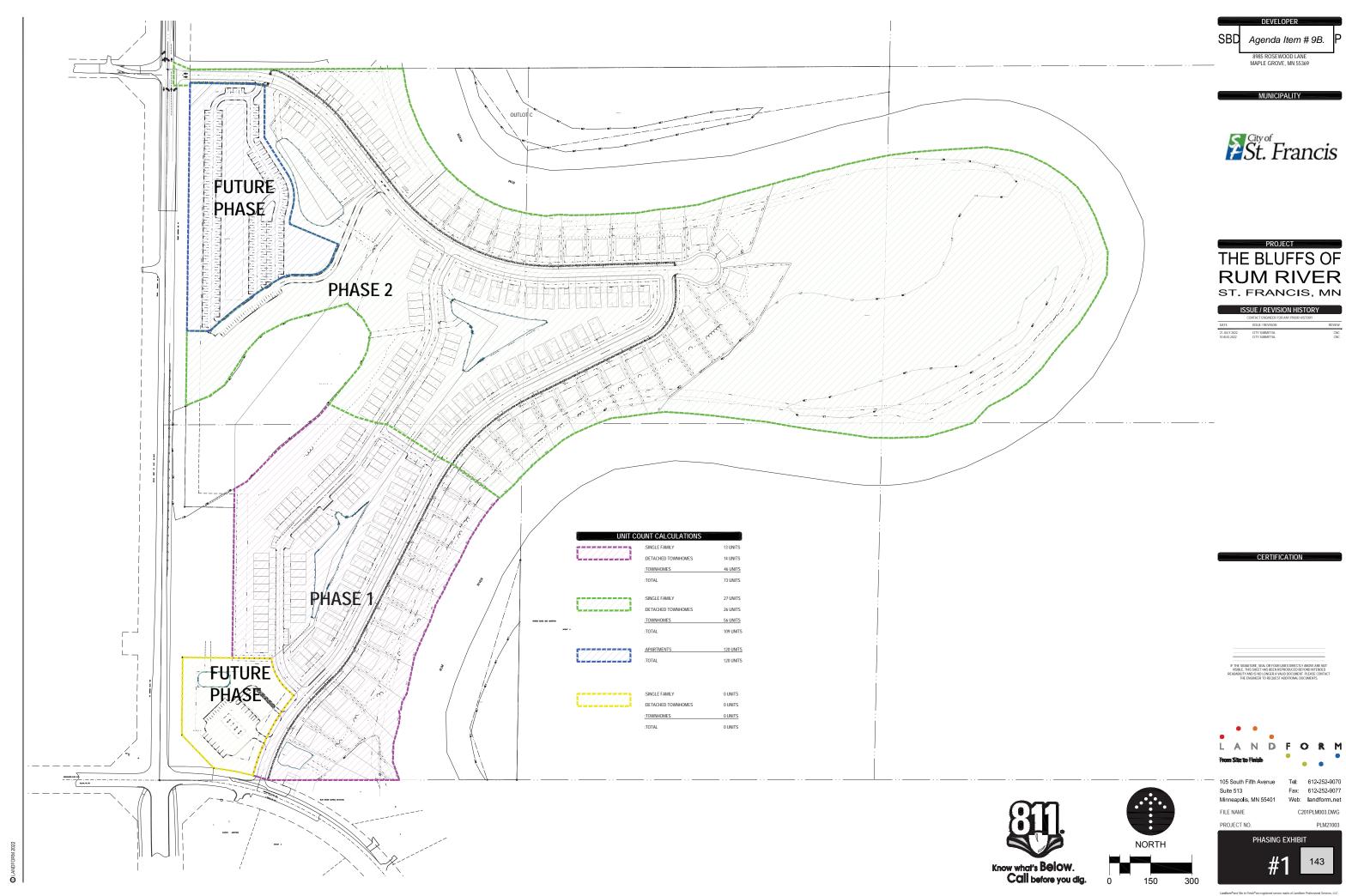
#### Parcel B

The North 4 acres of that part of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NW 1/4 of SE 1/4), Section 29, Township 34, Range 24, Anoka County, Minnesota, that lies West of the Rum River.

#### Parcel C

That part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 29, Township 34, Range 24, lying West of the Rum River, except the North 4 acres, Anoka County, Minnesota.







September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022

To: Darren B. Lazan; Landform Professional Services, LLC

From: Katie Schmidt, PE

Re: Traffic Analysis – Bluffs on Rum River, St. Francis, MN

Per your request, SSTS LLC has conducted a traffic analysis for the proposed Bluffs on Rum River residential development (referred to as the Proposed Project) in St. Francis, Anoka County, MN. The Proposed Project will develop residential uses in phases as supported by the existing roadway system. The Proposed Project is located on the north side of Ambassador Blvd NW (CSAH 28) and the east site if TH 47. **Figure 1**, Vicinity Map, depicts the location. **Figure 2**, Site Plan, illustrates the site layout, proposed development phases and access locations. Based on feedback from the city the northern access on TH 47 at 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW will be built with Phase 2 of the project. Additionally, it is noted that MnDOT has identified the intersection of TH 47/Ambassador Blvd NW as a candidate for a future Roundabout and the timeline is currently unknown. **Table 1** notes the residential land uses planned in each phase of the development.

**Table 1. Residential Phases** 

Residential Use	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3
Single Family Homes	13	27	0
Town Homes	60	82	0
Apartments	0	0	120
Total Units	73	109	120

This traffic analysis will assist with the proposed access configuration as portions of the Proposed Project are developed. The following phasing and access scenarios were analyzed in this report:

- Scenario 1 Full Access: Full build of the site (phases 1-3) with full access on Ambassador NW and full access on TH 47 at 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW.
- Scenario 2 Right-In/Right-Out Access: Full build of the site (phases 1-3) and with limited right-in/right-out access on Ambassador NW and full access on TH 47 at 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW.

This memorandum documents the existing AM and PM peak hour traffic conditions for the TH 47 intersections with 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW and Ambassador Blvd NW, forecasts the 2026 traffic conditions at these intersections without the development, forecasts the trip generation potential for the proposed residential land uses and distributes those trips per access scenario, and reviews traffic operations at the identified intersections with and without the development.

#### **Existing Conditions**

The existing conditions of the roadways and intersections providing direct access to the Proposed Project were documented and are noted in **Table 2**. Additionally, **Figure 3** shows the existing lane geometry and traffic control at the study intersections.

**Table 2. Study Roadway Characteristics** 

Roadway	<b>Functional Class</b>	Typical Section	<b>Posted Speed</b>	AADT
TH 47	Minor Arterial	2-Lane Undivided Rural	50 mph	9,960
Ambassador Blvd NW (CSAH 28)	Minor Arterial	2-Lane Undivided Rural	45 mph	3,740

## **Existing Traffic Volumes**

AM and PM peak hour turning movement counts were conducted at the study area intersections of TH 47 with 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW and Ambassador Blvd NW on Tuesday August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The following notes the peak hour timeframes:

AM: 7:00 AM to 8:00 AM
 PM: 4:15 PM to 5:15 PM

Figure 4 illustrates the existing peak hour traffic volumes.

## **Future Conditions**

To quantify the impacts of a development on the surrounding roadway system, it is necessary to first forecast and analyze traffic conditions that would be present on the roadway system without the inclusion of the proposed project. As mentioned earlier the Proposed Project will be completed in phases, however, for the purposes of this analysis an aggressive anticipated construction completion date for the entire Proposed Project is 2025, thus year 2026 was selected for analysis to compare traffic conditions after initial traffic patterns to and from the Proposed Project have become established. To determine the future traffic conditions a review of historical traffic counts based on MnDOT data indicates that Ambassador Blvd NW has experienced annual traffic growth at 2 percent per year, while TH 47 traffic has grown at approximately 1 percent per year. To provide a conservative analysis this study assumes traffic will grow at 2 percent per year through the 2026 analysis year. Figure 5 illustrates the No-Build traffic volumes with the growth applied to existing traffic volumes for year 2026. It is noted that the TH 47/Ambassador Blvd NW intersection is planned for a future roundabout, but the subsequent analysis considers the existing side-street stop-control.

### Trip Generation and Distribution

The volume of vehicle trips generated by the full Proposed Project has been estimated for the weekday AM and PM peak hours and on a daily basis using the data methodology described in the Institute of Transportation Engineers' *Trip Generation Manual* <sup>1</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition. **Table 3** summarizes the trip generation estimate for the Proposed Project for each development phase and on a total basis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Trip Generation Manual, Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE), 11<sup>th</sup> Edition

**Table 3. Trip Generation** 

		Land		Trips G	Trips Generated:					
Phase	Land Use	Use	Size	AM	oeak	PM Peak		Weekday		
		Code		Enter	Exit	Enter	Exit	ADT		
1	Single Family Housing	210	13 units	2	7	8	5	123		
ı	Townhome	215	60 units	9	20	19	15	432		
	Phase 1 Total	73 units	11	27	27	19	555			
	Filase i Total	73 units	3	38 46		333				
2	Single Family Housing	210	27 units	5	14	16	9	255		
	Townhome	215	82 units	12	27	27	20	590		
	Phase 2 Total	109 units	17 41 43 2			29	845			
	Filase 2 Total	109 units	58		72					
3	Multifamily Housing (Low-Rise)	120 units	12	36	39	23	809			
Phase 3 Total			120 units 12 36		36	39	23	809		
	Filase 3 Total	120 units	48		6	1	809			
	Project Total	302 units	40	104	108	71	2 200			
	Froject Total	302 units	144		180		2,208			

As shown in **Table 3**, the full development of the Proposed Project will generate 144 trips (40 entering and 104 exiting) during the morning traffic peak hour, 180 trips (108 entering and 71 exiting) during the evening traffic peak hour and 2,208 daily trips.

The new trips have been assigned to the surrounding roadways according to the existing traffic patterns and according to travel time forecasts from Google Maps and Apple Maps for residents of the Proposed Project. (It is noted, travel time forecasts suggest trips destined to Minneapolis/St Paul will favor Ambassador Blvd NW versus TH 47 however, to be conservative this traffic is divided 50-50 creating longer queues at the TH 47 and Ambassador intersection.) The trip assignment is different for Scenario 1 (full access on Ambassador Blvd NW) and Scenario 2 (limited right-in/right-out access on Ambassador Blvd NW). Figure 6 illustrates the trip distribution percentages and trip assignment for Scenario 1.

Figure 7 illustrates the trip assignment for Scenario 2. With the limited right-in/right-out access on Ambassador Blvd NW more trips will use the northern access at 241st Ave NW to access the site.

Additionally, more trips will use TH 47 to travel south to connector roads rather than using Ambassador Blvd NW due to limited access. This adds more trips to the TH 47 and Ambassador Blvd NW intersection.

**Figure 8** illustrates the Scenario 1 2026 Build conditions by combining No-Build traffic with the Scenario 1 trip assignment volumes. **Figure 9** illustrates the Scenario 2 2026 Build conditions by combining No-Build traffic with the Scenario 2 trip assignment volumes.

# **Traffic Operations**

The operating conditions of transportation facilities, such as roadways, traffic signals, roundabouts and stop-controlled intersections, are evaluated based on the relationship of the theoretical capacity of a facility to the actual traffic volume on that facility. Various factors affect capacity including travel speed, roadway geometry, grade, number of travel lanes, and intersection control. The current standards for evaluating capacity and operating conditions are contained in *Highway Capacity Manual*<sup>2</sup>. The procedures describe operating conditions in terms of driver delay represented as a Level of Service (LOS). Operations are given letter designations with "A" representing the best operating conditions and "F" representing the worst. Generally, level of service "D" represents the threshold for acceptable overall intersection operating conditions during a peak hour. The Chart on the following page summarizes the level of service and delay criteria for signalized and unsignalized intersections.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Highway Capacity Manual (HCM), Transportation Research Board, 6<sup>th</sup> Edition

Level of Service			Delay	(sec)
		Description	Signalized	Unsignalized/ Roundabout
A		Primarily free-flow operation.	0-10	0-10
В		Reasonably unimpeded operation.	>10-20	>10-15
С		Stable operation. The ability to maneuver is more restricted than LOS B.	>20-35	>15-25
D		Less stable operation. Small increases in flow may cause large increases in delay and reduced speeds.	>35-55	>25-35
E		Unstable operation. Low speeds and considerable delay.	>55-80	>35-50
F		Congested operation. High delay and extensive queuing.	>80	>50

For side street stop-controlled intersections special emphasis is given to providing an estimate for the level of service of the minor approaches. Traffic operations at an unsignalized intersection with side street stop-control can be described two ways. First, consideration is given to the overall intersection level of service. This takes into account the total number of vehicles entering the intersection and the capability of the intersection to support these volumes. Second, it is important to consider the delay on the minor approaches, since the mainline does not have to stop. It is common for intersections with higher mainline traffic volumes to experience increased levels of delay and poor level of service on the side streets.

A final fundamental component of operational analyses is a study of vehicular queuing, or the line of vehicles waiting to pass through an intersection. An intersection can operate with an acceptable Level of Service, but if queues from the intersection extend back to block entrances to turn lanes or accesses to adjacent land uses, unsafe operating conditions could result. In this report, the Industry Design Standard 95<sup>th</sup> percentile queue length is used. The 95<sup>th</sup> Percentile Queue Length refers to that length of vehicle queue that has only a five-percent probability of occurring during an analysis hour.

This study has utilized the industry current Synchro/SimTraffic software package (11<sup>th</sup> Edition) to analyze the 2026 No-Build and Build conditions for the AM and PM peak hours. It is noted, the reported results are from the aggregate of 10 SimTraffic simulations which use a random number generator to seed the network with vehicles. These results reflect dynamic conditions and are more accurate than the results of the static analysis reported by Synchro. Due to the random number generator results can sometimes show slightly better operations on minor movements under higher traffic conditions when the intersections are operating well. This can be seen when delays and queues noted in the Build Scenario are slightly less than the No-Build or Existing Scenarios.

# **Analysis Results**

As mentioned in the introduction, full residential development of phases 1-3 is considered in the analysis with full access at Ambassador Blvd NW and limited right-in/right-out access at Ambassador. **Table 4** summarizes the results of the 2026 No-Build and Build (Scenario 1 and 2) conditions operations.

Table 4. 2026 No-Build and Build Traffic Operations

	Measure of Effectiveness (Delay in Sec and Queue in Ft)									
Intersection	Criteria	2026 No-Build			- Scenario 1 n Ambassador)	2026 Build - Scenario 2 (RI-RO on Ambassador)				
		AM Pk Hr	PM Pk Hr	AM Pk Hr	PM Pk Hr	AM Pk Hr	PM Pk Hr			
TH 47 & 241st Av NE	Overall LOS & Delay	A 0.9	A 2.4	A 1.2	A 2.6	A 1.5	A 2.9			
	Worst Mvmt. LOS & Delay	A 6.0 (EBL)	A 7.9 (EBL)	B 12.1 (EBL)	B 11.3 (WBL)	A 8.4 (WBL)	B 13.2 (WBL)			
(SSSC)	95th Percentile Queue	EBLTR - 18'	EBLTR - 22'	WBLTR - 28'	WBLTR - 26'	WBLTR - 42'	WBLTR - 37'			
TH 47 & Ambassador	Overall LOS & Delay	A 3.4	A 6.0	A 4.0	A 7.1	A 4.5	A 9.2			
Blvd	Worst Mvmt. LOS & Delay	B 12.7 (EBT)	D 27.6 (EBL)	B 13.1 (EBT)	D 30.1 (EBL)	B 14.3 (EBT)	E 45.8 (WBL)			
(SSSC)	95th Percentile Queue	EBLT - 58'	WBR - 101'	EBLT - 58'	WBLT - 95'	WBLT - 63'	WBLT - 154'			
Ambassador Blvd &	Overall LOS & Delay			A 2.1	A 2.2	A 1.4	A 1.7			
South Access	Worst Mvmt. LOS & Delay	NA	NA	A 5.8 SBL	A 8.0 (SBL)	A 2.9 (SBR)	A 3.7 (SBR)			
(SSSC)	95th Percentile Queue			SBLR - 55'	SBLR - 52'	SBR - 48'	SBR - 47'			

<sup>-</sup> Level of Service reported from an average delay from 10 SimTraffic simulations for overall intersection and worst movement.

The following bullets note results and conclusions from the operational analysis:

- **2026 No-Build** operations (with the proposed site) are acceptable in terms of vehicle delay and queue at the study area intersections.
- Scenario 1 2026 Build operations (with full site development) with full access on 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW and full access on Ambassador Blvd are acceptable. Anticipated westbound queuing at the TH 47/Ambassador Blvd NW is accommodated with existing geometry and no adverse impacts are expected with full site access on Ambassador Blvd NW.
- Scenario 2 2026 Build operations (with full site development) with full access on 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW and limited right-in/right-out access on Ambassador Blvd NW are acceptable. It is noted that the westbound left turn movement at the TH 47/Ambassador Blvd NW intersection has a higher delay of 45.8 seconds (LOS E) in the PM peak hour, but associated queues are accommodated by existing geometry. These operations are common for side-street stop movements on higher volume free-flowing mainlines such at TH 47. Investigation of Scenario 2 2026 Build operations with a roundabout show acceptable conditions.
- In summary, traffic operations with full site development are acceptable with full access and limited right-in/right-out access configurations for the Ambassador Blvd NW access intersection. The right-in/right-out scenario degrades operations at the TH 47/Ambassador Blvd NW intersection but not to unacceptable levels in year 2026.
- Investigation of Phase 1 only development (73 units) with one access on Ambassador Blvd NW shows acceptable operations with the full access scenario and limited right-in/right out access. The anticipated site-generated traffic for Phase 1 traffic at the Ambassador Access and the TH 47/Ambassador Blvd NW intersection is less then then volumes analyzed in the full build scenarios at the Ambassador access.

<sup>- 95</sup>th percentile queues are a result from an average of 10 SimTraffic simulations and the longest queue per intersection is reported.

# **Summary and Conclusions**

The following provides a summary of the study, traffic operations and recommendations:

- AM and PM peak hour traffic operations were analyzed for year 2026 conditions without and with full residential development of the Proposed Project. Two access scenarios for the southern access on Ambassador Blvd NW were considered; a full access (Scenario 1) and a limited right-in/right-out access (Scenario 2).
- Full residential development of the Proposed Project will generate 144 trips (40 entering and 104 exiting) during the morning traffic peak hour, 180 trips (108 entering and 71 exiting) during the evening traffic peak hour and 2,208 daily trips. Results of the traffic analysis for year 2026 without the Proposed Project indicate acceptable operations with minimal vehicle delay and back-ups at adjacent intersections.
- For Scenario 1, results of the traffic analysis for year 2026 with the Proposed Project indicate
  acceptable operations with minimal vehicle delay and back-ups. The full access intersection
  Ambassador Blvd NW operates acceptable and no adverse impacts with the close spacing to the
  TH 47 intersection are expected.
- For Scenario 2, results of the traffic analysis for year 2026 with the Proposed Project indicate
  acceptable operations. With different travel patterns due to the right-in/right-out access on
  Ambassador Blvd NW more traffic is anticipated to travel through the TH 47/Ambassador Blvd
  NW intersection and delay for the westbound left turn movement increases but queuing
  remains acceptable.
- Investigation of Phase 1 only development (73 units) with one access on Ambassador Blvd NW shows acceptable operations with the full access scenario and limited right-in/right out access. The anticipated site-generated traffic for Phase 1 traffic at the Ambassador Access and the TH 47/Ambassador Blvd NW intersection is less then then volumes analyzed in the full build scenarios.
- Analysis of the potential future retail lot in the southwest corner of the Proposed Site was not
  included in the traffic study due to access viability. If the Ambassador Blvd NW Access
  intersection were limited to right-in/right-out, retail would not be viable on this lot. MnDOT
  indicated the potential for including a right-in only access on TH 47 for the retail lot. This would
  still limit the viability and create addition nonresidential traffic through the site for exiting
  movements.

Attachments: Figures 1-9

(Appendices with Traffic Counts and Synchro/Simtraffic Worksheets are available upon request.)

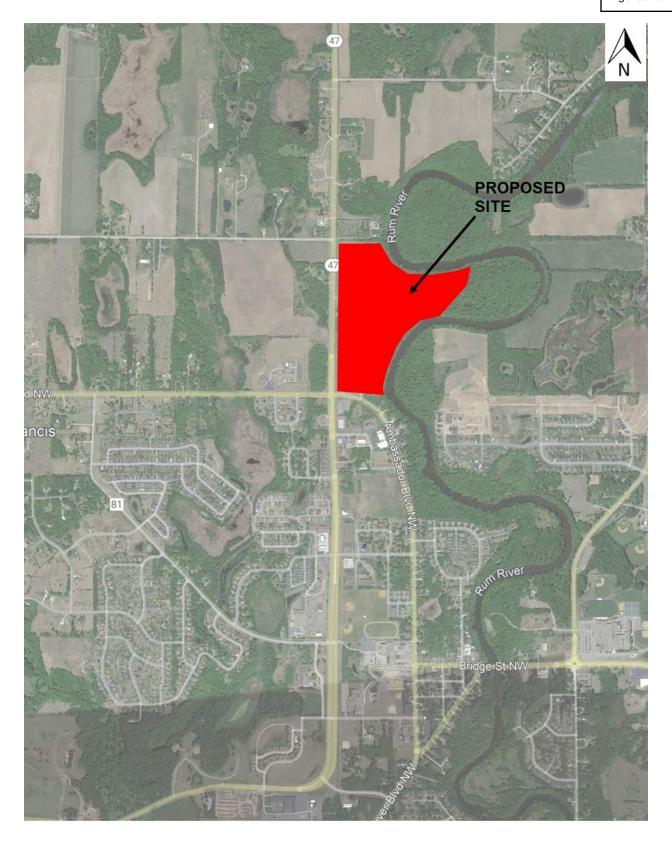


Figure 1 - Vicinity Map

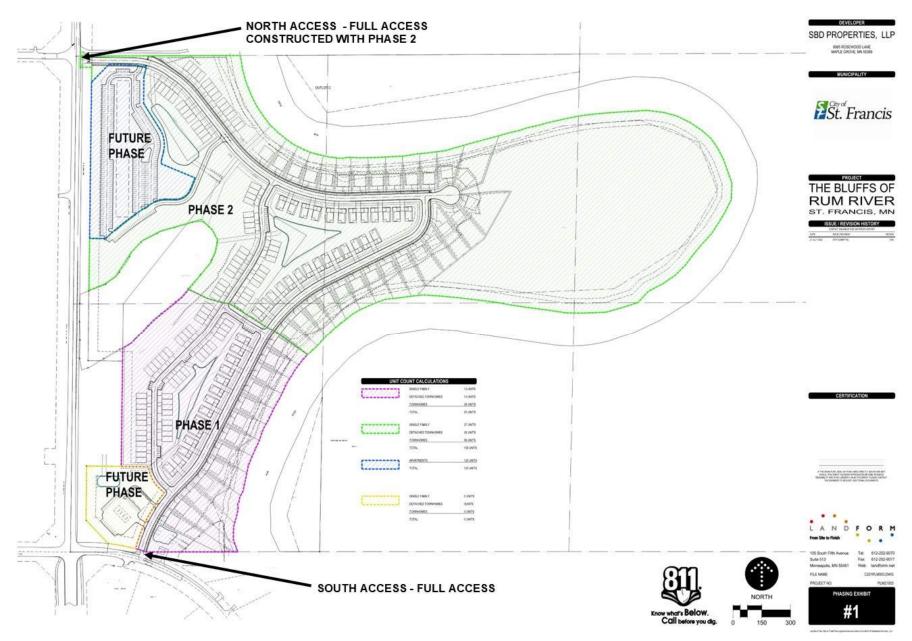
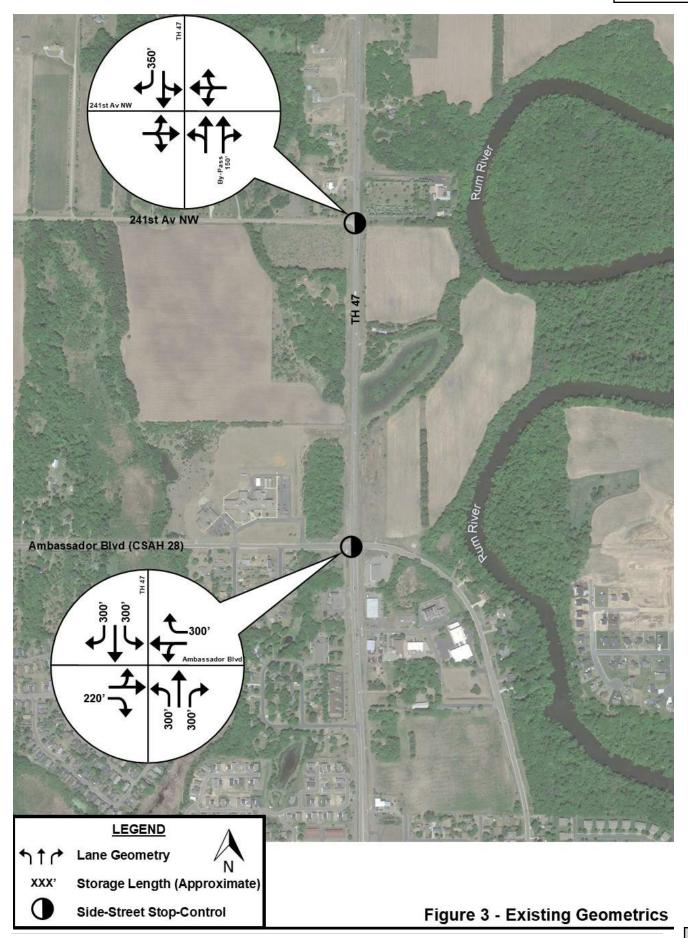
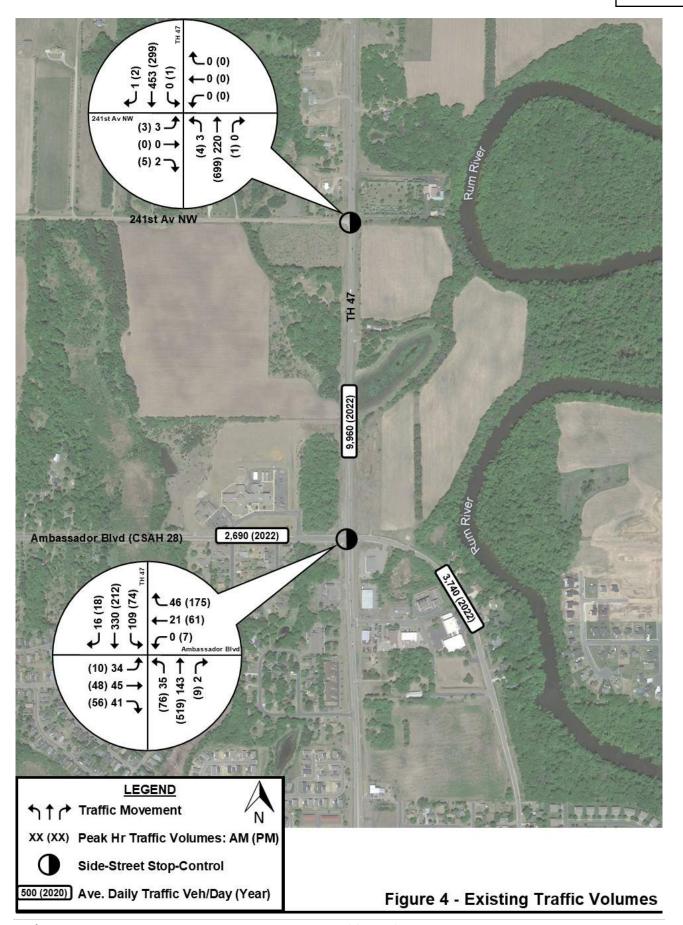
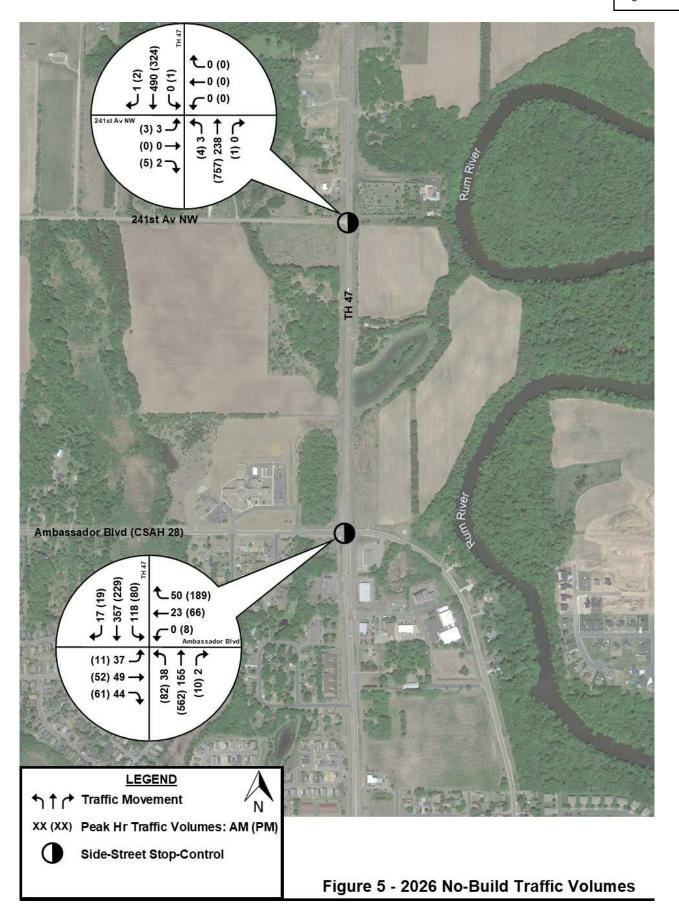
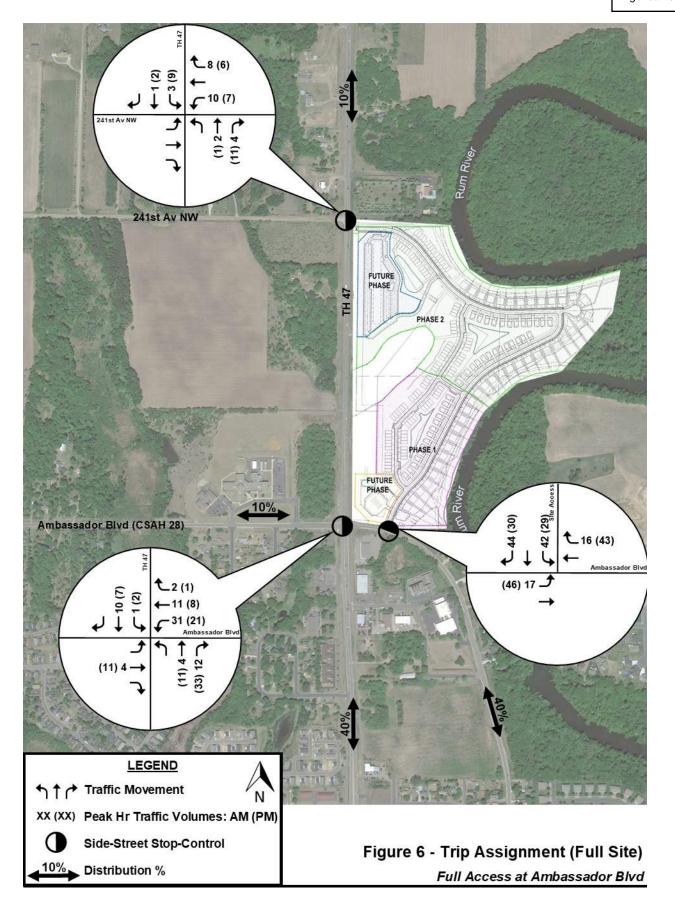


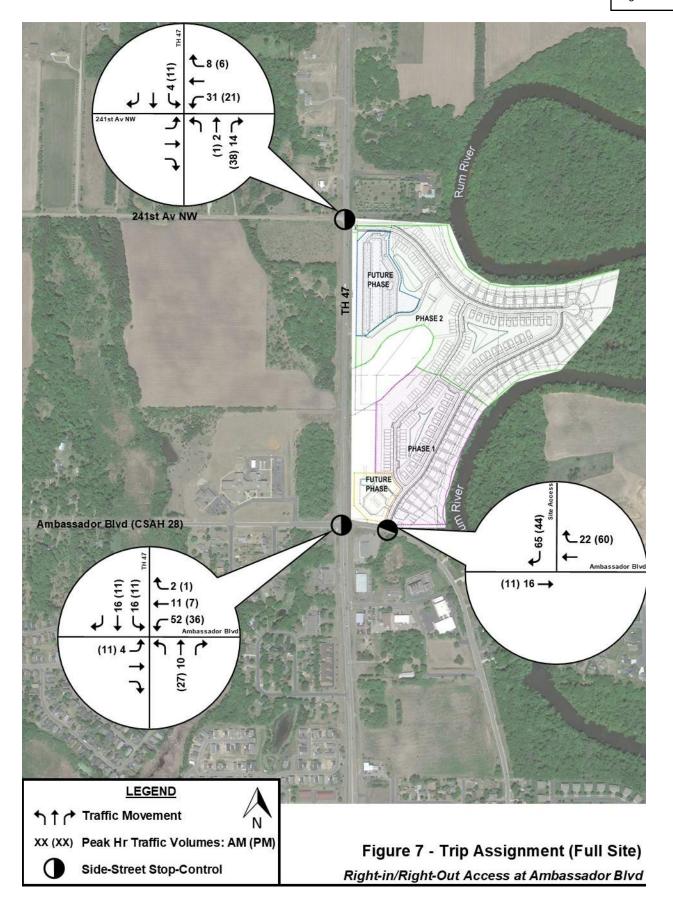
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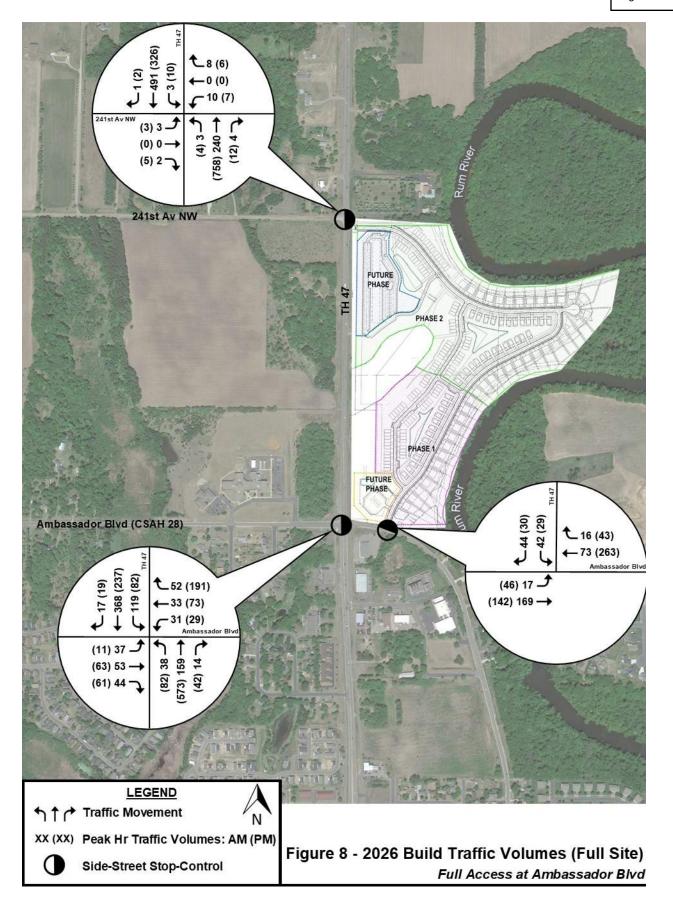


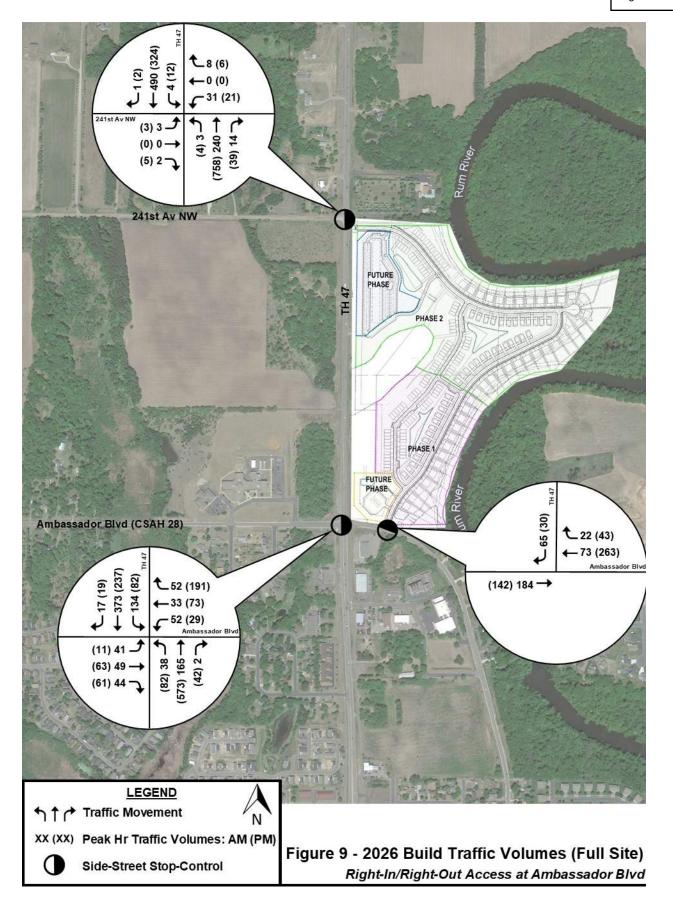


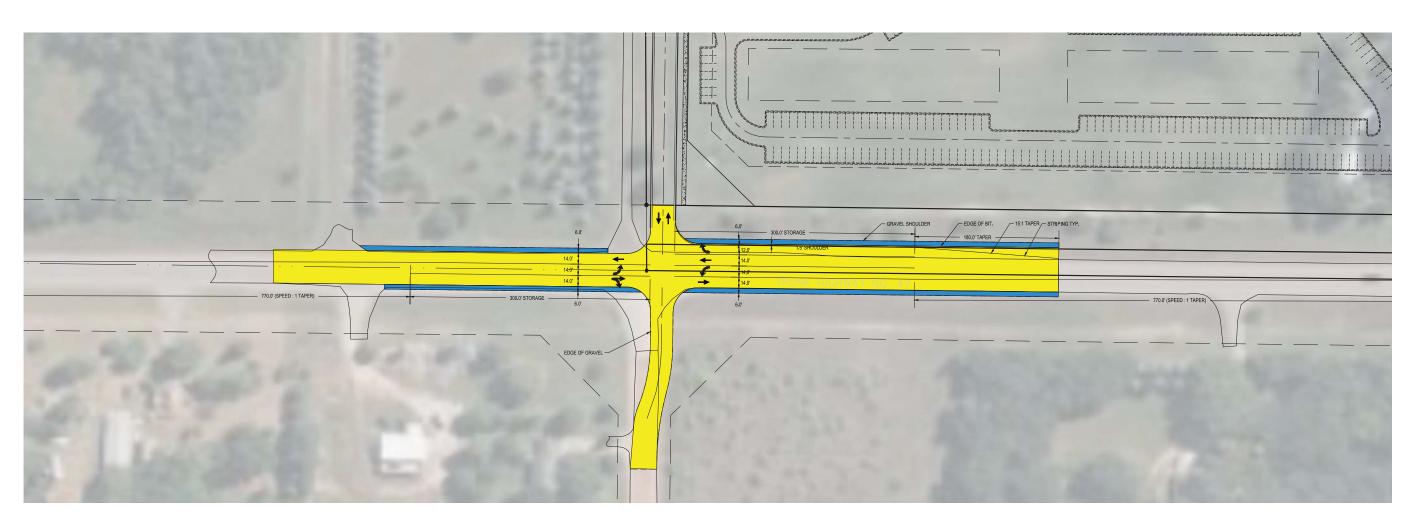


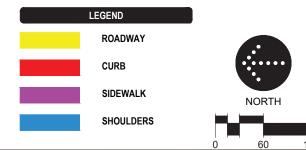






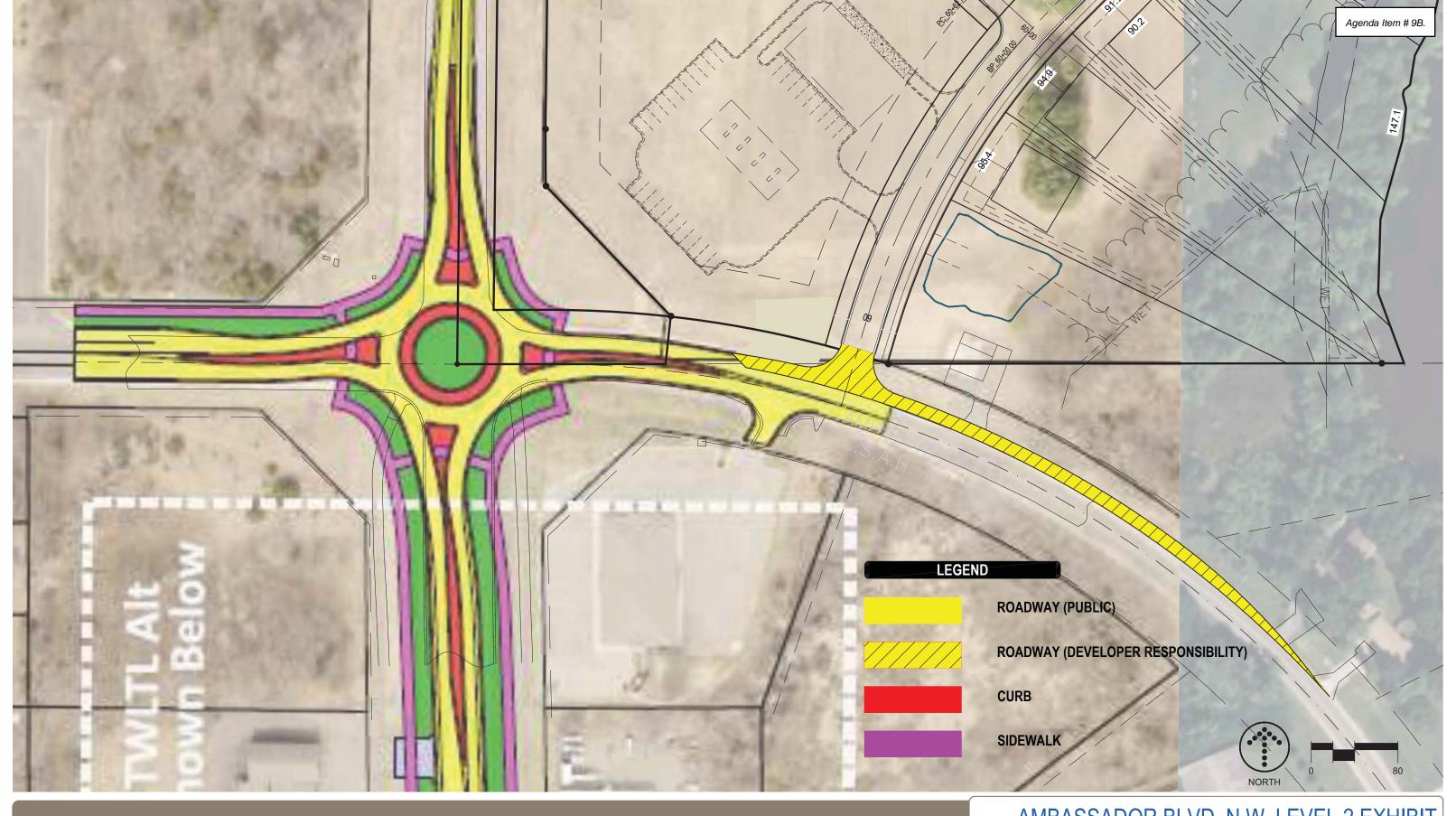






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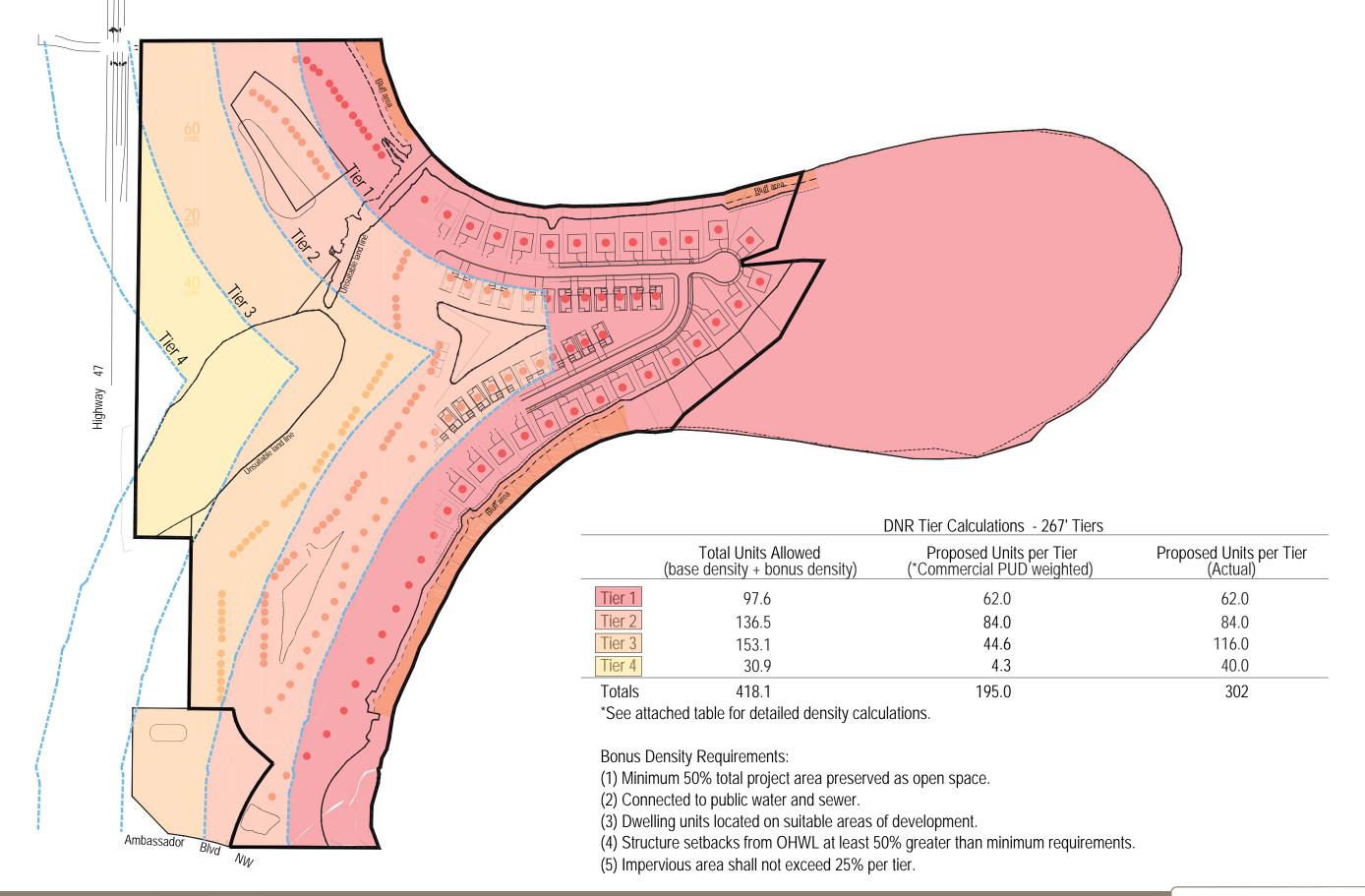


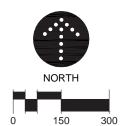


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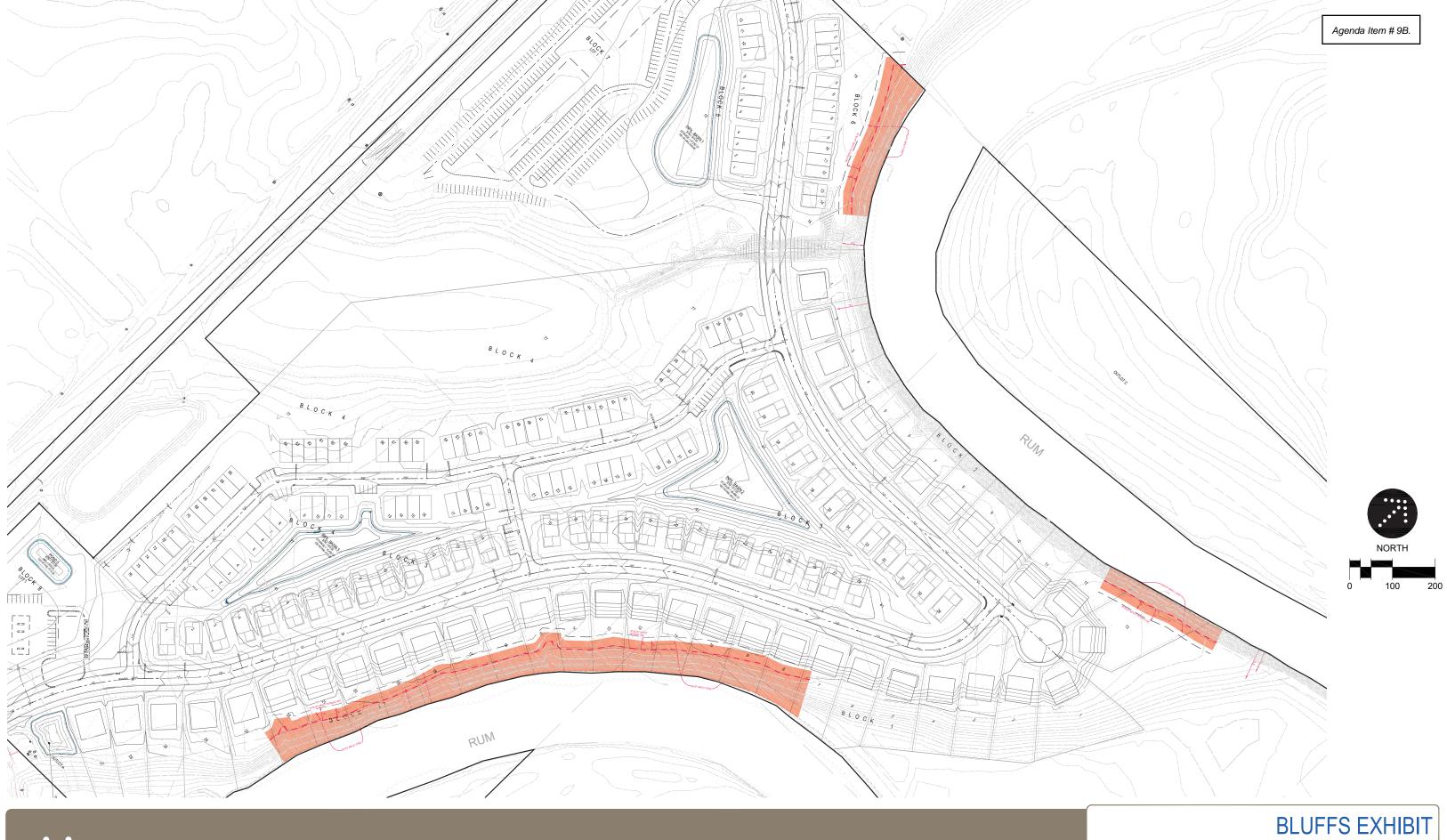
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	Allowed Densities							Proposed Densities					
	Base Density Allowed					Bonus Density Allowed Total units Allowed		<b>Proposed Units</b>	ed Units Proposed Unit Qty's per tier			er	
	Total Acres	Unsuitable Acres	Suitable Acres	Minnimum Lot Size (SF)	Allowed Base Density	Bonus multiplier	Bonus units (base density allowed x bonus density multipler)	(base density allowed + bonus density allowed)	Proposed Units per Tier	Single Family, Townhomes, Rowhomes (combined)	Apartment PUD Units	Floor Area Ratio	Adjusted Unit Quantity
Tier 1	55.0	25.1	29.9	20,000	65.1	1.5	32.5	97.6	62.0	62.0			
Tier 2	19.9	0.3	19.6	12,500	68.3	2.0	68.3	136.5	84.0	84.0			
Tier 3	16.4	1.8	14.6	12,500	51.0	3.0	102.0	153.1	44.6	36.0	80.0	0.108	8.6
Tier 4	7.0	4.0	3.0	12,500	10.3	3.0	20.6	30.9	4.3		40.0	0.108	4.3
Totals	98.23	31.16	67.07		194.7			418.1	195.0				





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# for the City of St. Francis by Hakanson Anderson

Submitted to: City of St. Francis

cc: Kate Thunstrom, City Administrator

Colette Baumgardner, Community Development Director

Paul Carpenter, Public Works Director

Craig Jochum, City Engineer Beth Richmond, City Planner David Schaps, City Attorney

Reviewed by: Shane Nelson, Assistant City Engineer

Date: August 10, 2022

Proposed

Project: The Bluffs of Rum River

Street Location: 23925 Saint Francis Blvd NW

Applicant: SBD Properties, LLP

Owners of Record: SBD Properties, LLP

Jurisdictional Agencies: City of St. Francis, Anoka County, MnDNR, BWSR,

(but not limited to) Army Corps of Engineers, MPCA, MDH, URRWMO,

**MnDOT** 

Permits Required: City Approval, NPDES Construction Permit,

(but not limited to) Anoka County Access Permit, MnDOT Access Permit,

MPCA Sanitary Sewer Permit, MDH Watermain Permit

# INFORMATION AVAILABLE

Preliminary Plat of The Bluffs of Rum River, dated 7/21/2022, prepared by Landform

Preliminary of The Bluffs of Rum River, dated 7/21/2022, prepared by Landform

Stormwater Management Plan, dated 7/21/22, prepared by Landform

Wetland Delineation Report, dated 7/8/22, prepared by Kjolhaug Excavating

Soil Boring Logs, dated 7/18/2022, prepared by Haugo Geotechnical

# SITE ACCESS / VEHICULAR TRAFFIC

- 1. The project is proposed to receive access from Ambassador Blvd (CSAH 28). Ambassador Blvd (CSAH 28) is a County Highway and is under the jurisdiction of the Anoka County Highway Department. The new street access must meet all design and safety criteria as per the Anoka County Highway Department requirements. The Applicant shall be responsible for providing a design that meets Anoka County Highway Department standards and shall be solely responsible for all costs associated with the construction of the new access and associated turn lanes, including right-of-way acquisition if necessary.
- 2. The project is proposed to receive access from Saint Francis Blvd NW (HWY 47). Saint Francis Blvd NW (HWY 47) is a State Highway and is under the jurisdiction of the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT). The new street access must meet all design and safety criteria as per MnDOT requirements. The Applicant shall be responsible for providing a design that meets MnDOT standards and shall be solely responsible for all costs associated with the construction of the new access and associated turn lanes, including right-of-way acquisition if necessary.
- 3. The Preliminary Plans depict a cul-de-sac at 241<sup>st</sup> Avenue. Please revise to show a road connection to Highway 47.
- 4. The street layout as provided appears to be conducive with the property and provides adequate access to the proposed lots.
- 5. This project will be a fairly significant contributor of vehicle trips, and a traffic study is being prepared to model the proposed road network and access locations. The Applicant shall be required to make any improvements as identified in the Traffic Study, as approved by the City.

# PRELIMINARY PLAT

- 1. Based on the new traffic generated from this development, a connection to Highway 47 at 241<sup>st</sup> Avenue will be necessary. Please revise.
- 2. We recommend that a minimum drainage and utility easement width of 40 feet be provided to allow for the long term operation and maintenance of the public utilities within the private streets.
- 3. Drainage and utility easements at least 10' wide shall be provided on all lot lines. (11-44-01).
- 4. Additional easements may be necessary at access paths to stormwater basins. See Grading, Drainage and Erosion Control comment below.

# GRADING, DRAINAGE AND EROSION CONTROL

- 1. Sediment forebays shall be incorporated into the infiltration basins to provide pretreatment of the stormwater prior to entering the infiltration basin.
- 2. The wetland buffers shall be depicted in the Grading, Drainage and Erosion Control Plan.
- Redundant silt fence is required when grading activities are within 50 feet of a wetland or natural water body.
- 4. Access routes for maintenance purposes to structures outside the right-of-way and inlets/outlets at ponding areas shall be depicted on the plans. All access routes are required to have an 8% maximum grade, 4% maximum cross slope, shall be 10 feet wide and within a 20-foot-wide easement. Please clearly depict the maintenance routes on the plans and revise the Preliminary Plat as necessary to depict the easements.
- 5. This project will disturb more than 1 acre of land, therefore, an NPDES Construction Permit from the MPCA will be necessary.
- 6. A more direct route for the storm sewer from the Public Street A catchbasins (between Lots 14 and 15) to Infiltration Basin 3 is desired. In general, storm sewer in private streets will be privately owned and maintained infrastructure. However, drainage from a public roadway must be conveyed within publicly owned infrastructure located within a public drainage and utility easement. Please provide a revised storm sewer design at this location.

# STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

- Stormwater is proposed to be managed with curb and gutter, catch basins and storm sewer. The storm sewer will route rainfall from the proposed roadways and lots and be directed into four infiltration basins located within the plat. All stormwater is ultimately discharged into the Rum River located on the eastern boundary of the proposed plat.
- Pre-treatment has not been provided for the stormwater conveyed into the infiltration basins. Please provide pre-treatment forebays for the infiltration basins that meet the Minnesota stormwater manual standards.
- 3. Please verify drawdown calculations to ensure that the infiltration basins will infiltrate to a dry state within 48 hours.
- 4. The existing stormwater model includes a small portion of HSG B type soils in Subcatchment 3S. These soils do not appear in the NRCS soils map and are also not included in the proposed conditions. Please revise existing Subcatchment 3S to reflect on site conditions.
- 5. Subcatchment 10S is inconsistently modeled between the existing and proposed conditions. Please update this subcatchment such that the existing and proposed conditions are consistent.
- 6. Ponding node 1WL is modeled inconsistently between the existing and proposed conditions. A starting elevation is used in the proposed conditions but is not used in the existing conditions. Please ensure that the wetland is modeled consistently between existing and proposed conditions.
- 7. Please provide additional details for the outlet structures for the infiltration basins. The device routing for infiltration basins 1 & 3 is difficult to understand without more information.
- 8. Please review the surface area for pond 8P. The elevation 894.00 appears to have a decreased surface area from the previous elevation.

# **WETLANDS**

- 1. The Wetland Delineation Report has been received and is under review.
- 2. A wetland management plan is required for this development consistent with Section 10-83-04 of the City Code. Please update the Preliminary Grading Plan to depict the applicable wetland buffers as per table 10-83-04.C.7.c.
- 3. The buffer establishment plan and signage plan may be provided at a later date (with the Final Plat application).

4. The Wetland Delineation Report indicates that there is a wetland (W3) located on proposed Outlot E. Impacts to this wetland are contingent upon an approved WCA Replacement Plan.

# **UTILITIES**

- This project proposes to connect to the sanitary sewer at Ambassador Blvd (near the existing City owned lift station) which is acceptable. The size of the existing sanitary sewer stub is 24 inch at the connection point at Ambassador Blvd and the Preliminary Plans indicate reducing to a 8 inch size through the proposed plat.
- 2. It may be advisable to increase the size and depth of the sanitary sewer through the plat to provide trunk sewer access to adjacent properties. If necessary, the Developer shall be required to install "extra depth" and "over-sized" sanitary sewer with this project. In accordance with City policy, the Developer will receive credit for the additional construction cost of the over-sizing and extra depth.
- 3. This project proposes to connect to the City Water system at Ambassador Blvd, near Highway 47, to an existing 8 inch watermain. There is another watermain, located approximately 600' east of the proposed entrance, on the south side of Ambassador Blvd which is 16 inch diameter. We would recommend that the 16 inch watermain be extended to the Highway 47 8 inch watermain to provide a looped connection as a City project. The watermain connection for this project could then be provided via the new 16" watermain.
- 4. It may be advisable to increase the size of the watermain installed through the plat to provide trunk water access to adjacent properties. If necessary, the Developer shall be required to install "over-sized" water main with this project. In accordance with City policy, the Developer will receive credit for the additional construction cost of the over-sizing.
- 5. We understand that this will be a phased development, with potentially 302 units which will be served by single watermain connection point. Further, we understand that the proposed apartment building, which is potentially 102 units, will be constructed with a future phase. Prior to preparation of final plans, the Applicant shall analyze the proposed watermain sizing and layout to ensure it will adequately serve the units and/or revise to adequately serve the units.

# **OTHER**

- 1. Zoning review to be completed by City Planner.
- The final construction plans must be in accordance with City standards and include all applicable City standard details, which can be found here: <a href="https://www.stfrancismn.org/commdev/page/private-development-standards">https://www.stfrancismn.org/commdev/page/private-development-standards</a>

- Please note that the City is in the process of updating its standard plates, which will be provided to the Applicant for inclusion in the final development plans.
- 3. Please provide a complete Geotechnical Report in accordance with the City's Private Development Standards.

# **SUMMARY AND/OR RECOMMENDATIONS**

We recommend approval of the Preliminary Plat subject to the comments as contained herein.



## PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA REPORT

TO: St. Francis Planning Commission

FROM: Beth Richmond, Planner SUBJECT: The Bluffs of Rum River

DATE: 8-10-2022 for 8-17-2022 meeting

APPLICANT: Alliant Ventures IX, LLC on behalf of SBD Properties, LLP

LOCATION: 23925 St Francis Blvd NW

COMP PLAN: Commercial, MDR, Open Space

ZONING: B-2 General Business, R-3 High Density Residential

## **OVERVIEW:**

The City has received an application for "The Bluffs of Rum River" development, which is the next step in the Platinum Land project. The City Council approved a Comprehensive Plan amendment for this project in July 2022.

"The Bluffs" is proposed to be a phased residential and commercial development which will eventually include 302 housing units and a 3-acre commercial lot. The applicant is proposing a mix of residential uses, including 40 single-unit lots, 40 detached townhome units, 102 attached rowhouse units, and a 120-unit apartment building.

The land use and subdivision requests to be considered include a rezoning to Planned Unit Development (PUD), preliminary plat, and a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) for a public road within the Rum River Management Overlay District.

# **REVIEW PROCEDURE**

## 60-Day Land Use Application Review Process

Pursuant to Minnesota State Statutes Section 15.99, local government agencies are required to approve or deny land use requests within 60 days. Within the 60-day period, an automatic extension of no more than 60 days can be obtained by providing the applicant written notice containing the reason for the extension and specifying how much additional time is needed. The deadline for the rezoning to PUD and CUP requests is September 19, 2022.

# 120-Day Subdivision Review Process

Pursuant to Minnesota State Statutes Section 462.358, local government agencies are required to approve or deny subdivision requests, such as the preliminary plat, within 120 days. Staff deemed the subdivision application incomplete until a full traffic study has been completed; therefore, the 120 day timeline has not officially commenced. The traffic study is being required at the suggestion of MnDOT. Staff has chosen to move the subdivision request forward in conjunction with the land use requests because the subdivision and land use requests are related to one another, the land use requests require action within the statutory timelines noted above, and the subdivision application is substantially complete.

# **Public Hearing**

City Code requires that a public hearing for review of the land use and subdivision requests be held by the Planning Commission. The public hearing notice was published in the Anoka County Union Herald on August 5, 2022 and posted on the City Hall bulletin board on August 4, 2022. The public hearing notice was mailed to all affected property owners located within 350 feet of the subject property on August 4, 2022.

# **ANALYSIS**

# Comprehensive Plan

An amendment to the Comprehensive Plan relating to this project was approved by the City Council in July. This amendment reduced the commercial land area on the site to roughly 3 acres and decreased the residential land use density to Medium Density Residential (3-7 units per net acre). The amendment will be submitted to the Metropolitan Council for final review and approval following the completion of the required 60-day adjacent and affected jurisdiction comment period on August 21. The current application for the rezoning, preliminary plat, and CUP is consistent with the land use categories and densities that were established with the Comprehensive Plan amendment. Any approvals granted by the City Council for this project will be conditioned upon the Metropolitan Council's approval of the Comprehensive Plan amendment.

# Planned Unit Development (PUD)

The applicant is requesting to rezone the entire site from B-2 General Business and R-3 High Density Residential to a Planned Unit Development (PUD). PUDs are intended to allow for the mixing of uses and flexibility from the general standards of the Code in order to allow for more innovative and efficient design within neighborhoods or sites. The proposed project requests flexibility from Code in order to provide a development which preserves the natural features on the site, including the wetlands, bluffs, and Rum River, while also providing a variety of housing types to serve the diverse needs of St. Francis residents. The project will also allow for future development to the north and west by extending connection opportunities with city utilities.

The following deviations are requested from the current code regulations as part of the PUD and will be discussed in greater detail below:

- Minimum lot size and lot width for single-unit detached lots
- Lot size and configuration for detached townhome units
- Reduced front yard setbacks for single-unit detached, detached townhome, and attached rowhouse use types

## Rum River Management District

The entire site is located within the City's Urban Rum River Management Overlay District (uRRM). This district establishes additional standards which are meant to preserve the scenic quality of the Rum River and surrounding land. These standards include but are not limited to minimum lot size and lot width, setbacks, height limits, and vegetation alteration restrictions. While the applicant is requesting flexibility from a number of requirements established in this district, including lot area and setback from the road, the required 75' setback from the ordinary high water level (OHW) will be maintained. In addition, any public roads created within the Rum River Management District are required to first obtain a Conditional Use Permit. The CUP has been requested as part of this application.

For any PUD established within this overlay district, DNR review and approval of the application is required. The application has been sent to the DNR for review and is awaiting comment.

# **Project Phasing**

The applicant is proposing to construct this development in phases, moving from south to north. The single-unit detached, detached townhomes, and attached rowhomes are the first uses proposed to be developed. The phasing of this portion of the project will be determined by the results of the traffic study and the access points as determined with discussions between the City, developer, Anoka County, and MnDOT. A second access onto Hwy 47 will be required in order to fully build out the project.

The apartment lot and commercial lot are planned for future development to be added as market and regulatory conditions allow. If the commercial lot is developed within 3 years of approval, it will be necessary at the time of site plan review for Staff to review the need for a retroactive EAW for the entire development. The applicant has indicated that they are likely to wait to final plat and market the commercial lot until final access is determined for the Hwy 47/Ambassador intersection, as any roadway changes may impact the site. The Highway 47/Ambassador intersection is currently under review by MnDOT as part of a larger study of the Hwy 47 corridor. Any changes to this intersection would be subject to MnDOT planning, design work, and construction schedule.

## Residential Uses

## Single-Unit Detached

There are 40 single-unit detached lots which are proposed as part of this development. These are primarily riparian lots which are located along the Rum River on the north and east sides of the plat and which have access onto the development's proposed public street.

The below table shows the required and proposed dimensional standards for this use type:

Requirement	Required (R-1 or uRRM, whichever is stricter)	Proposed (PUD)
Minimum Lot Area		
Riparian	20,000 SF	14,864 SF
Non-Riparian	12,150 SF	20,025 SF
Minimum Lot Width		
At the Front Setback	90'	90'
At the OHW Setback	90'	Varies
Minimum Front Setback	35'	30'
Minimum Side Setback		
Living area	10'	10'
Garage	5'	5'
Corner side	20'	20'
Minimum OHW Setback	75'	75'
Maximum Height	Lesser of 3 stories or 35'	Lesser of 3 stories or 35'
Maximum Impervious Surface	30% per lot	30% per lot

The PUD deviations requested for the Single-Unit Detached lots include riparian lot area, minimum lot width, and minimum front setback.

The existing parcels which make up this site span both sides of the river. Rather than create a plat where each lot line extends to the center of the river, the applicant has chosen to set the rear lot lines at the bank of the Rum River and to dedicate the land under the Rum River as public. Doing this reduces the total lot area for the site, which correlates to the developer's request for smaller minimum lot area requirements for these lots. 9 of the 34 proposed riparian lots meet the current lot area minimum of 20,000 SF. The remaining 25 lots range in area from 14,864 SF to 18,439 SF. These are still larger than the City's lot area requirement for single-unit lots in the R-1 district, which is 10,800 SF.

Each lot is at least 90 feet wide at the front building setback. However, due to the curvature of the site and the proposed street, up to 12 of the proposed lots fall below the required 90' width at the ordinary high water level (OHW) setback. Staff has requested additional information from the applicant to determine exactly which lots may be undersized in width.

The applicant is also requesting to reduce the front yard setback from 35' to 30' in order to locate the homes further away from the existing bluff which lies between the proposed units and the river. For comparison, lots in the R-1 district are allowed a minimum 25' front yard setback. Staff feels that a 30' setback in this area is reasonable.

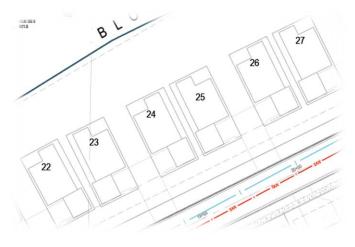
The City Code includes use-specific standards for single-unit detached lots. These standards include requirements for perimeter foundations, structural dimensional requirements, and roof pitch. The lots as platted have adequate space and dimensions to meet all use-specific standards.

#### **Detached Townhomes**

The applicant is proposing to create 40 detached townhome units within Block 3 of the plat which will be designated as a Common Interest Community (CIC). This means that each unit has a designated 3,040 SF "improvement area" where the home, garage, patio, and/or deck may be located. All of the site improvements for a unit must be contained within this "improvement area." A larger, common lot which is maintained by an HOA surrounds these units. This is represented by the boxes on the preliminary plat (see figure below).

This use is more comparable to the City's smaller single-unit lot sizes in the R-2 district of 7,200 SF and 70' width. Taking into account the "improvement areas" and the common lot, there is an average unit size of 9,628 SF for this use type which is smaller than the lot size requirement for the uRRM.

The applicant is also requesting flexibility from the City's building separation standard which requires buildings in a PUD to be separated by at least 12'. With the building configuration that the applicant has proposed, the living quarters of one townhome face the living quarters of the next, while the garage area of one home faces the garage area of the next, as shown in the image below. The applicant is proposing a 15' building separation between the living quarters of the units and a 10' building separation between the garages. All structures will be required to meet applicable building code standards.



There is a maximum impervious surface requirement of 30% within the uRRM. Assuming the entire "improvement area" of each unit was completely covered by impervious surface, which is not anticipated, the entire Block 3 would have an impervious surface coverage of 31.6%. Staff recommends limiting Block 3 to a 30% impervious surface limit, rather than calculating this for each unit individually, and including this limit as a condition of approval.

The applicant is also requesting to reduce the front yard setback from 35' to 25'. This request matches the City's current front yard setback requirements for the R-1 and R-2 zoning districts. Staff feels that a 25' setback in this area is reasonable, as there is still adequate room to park cars off-street without obstructing the right-of-way.

#### **Attached Rowhouses**

There are 102 attached rowhouse units proposed as part of this development. These units are located on the north and west portions of the site, in Blocks 4, 5, and 6, and are grouped in buildings of 2-6 units. Similar to the detached townhomes, these units are proposed to be included as part of a CIC.

Block 4, which includes 77 of the 102 attached rowhouse units, will be served by a private street. Blocks 5 and 6 will have access via the public street.

The applicant is requesting to reduce the front yard setback for this use from 35' to 25'. This request matches the City's current front yard setback requirements for the R-2 zoning district, where attached rowhouses are permitted. A 25' setback is adequate, as there is still enough room for cars to park in the driveway without obstructing the right-of-way.

The City Code includes use-specific standards for these types of lots. All attached rowhouse units within the PUD would be required to meet these standards which include:

- A. There shall be no more than six (6) units per structure in a row or eight (8) units per structure if back-to-back.
- B. Individual units shall be at least 24 feet wide.
- C. No garage shall extend the full width of any individual unit. The front façade of a townhouse or rowhouse unit shall include a window and/or door.

As proposed, the attached rowhouse units fulfill Standard A. Standards B and C will be evaluated when building plans are submitted.

#### **Apartment**

The applicant is proposing a 120-unit apartment building in the northwest corner of the site. This portion of the project is anticipated to be a future phase of the project, so no specific designs have been provided or reviewed at this time. As it stands today, the apartment building will be limited to the 35' height maximum as specified in the City's uRRM district. If additional height is requested for the apartment building, a PUD amendment would be required. The apartment building would undergo a site plan review from the Planning Commission and City Council, and it will be required to obtain site plan approval from the City Council at the time of development. All apartment details, including architectural design, parking, and landscaping, will be reviewed with the site plan.

## Commercial

A 3-acre commercial lot is proposed in the southwest corner of the site. This site will be developed as part of a future phase of the project. A site plan review from Planning Commission and City Council will be required at the time of development to ensure all standards are met.

# **Preliminary Plat**

# Streets & Access

This development includes a public street extending south to north which has access to Ambassador Blvd in the south and Hwy 47 at 241<sup>st</sup> Avenue in the north. A private street is proposed to run parallel to the public street which provides looping for public safety vehicles and utilities via a public drainage and utility easement and access to the attached rowhouses. Since the public street is located in the uRRM, a CUP is required for its construction. A traffic study has been requested at the suggestion of MnDOT for this area to clarify access points, intersection types, and ultimate phasing of the project. This study is currently in progress.

#### Access

The applicant is proposing to access the City's greater street network at two points.

First, the public street is proposed to intersect Ambassador Blvd on the south end of this site. This access point is proposed to be located roughly 350 feet' from the Ambassador Blvd/Hwy 47 intersection. While this location is closer to the Hwy 47/Ambassador Blvd intersection than would be ideal, the access point cannot be moved further to the east due to the layout of the site's existing parcels, the natural topography in the area, and the location of the City's lift station.

Anoka County has reviewed this request and has provided direction that this access point should be a right-in/right-out only access. Staff and the applicant do not support the County's direction for this intersection. A right-in/right-out intersection at this location is detrimental for the commercial development that is planned for the southwest corner of the site. It also would severely limit the project's ability to provide adequate access to the residential portion of the development and would force local trips to access Highway 47 to the north. Because this project would be developed from south to north, this intersection will bear the immediate brunt of traffic increases in the area until the northern access point to Hwy 47 can be established. The number of housing units that can be established on the single Ambassador Blvd access will be informed by the traffic study and will affect the ultimate phasing of the project. The applicant is currently working to address the concern about the limited intersection with Anoka County. In addition, this area will likely be directly impacted by the forthcoming plans for Hwy 47 by MnDOT. The applicant requests that a full intersection be allowed for now, until such changes occur where this may need to change based on MnDOT's reconfiguration of Hwy 47.

Second, the applicant is proposing a northerly development access point aligned closely with where the existing 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW exists on the west side of Hwy 47 today. This second access is necessary in order to balance out the traffic effects created by the addition of 300 housing units in this area. The applicant is proposing an access which is offset by roughly 22 feet from the existing 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW today, which is supported by Staff. This offset is necessary in order to keep the right-of-way area completely encompassed within the project site. The initial project plans have been submitted for MnDOT review and are awaiting comments.

#### **Private Street**

Within the City, private streets may only be created as part of an approved PUD. The applicant is requesting the ability to create a 28' wide private street which loops internally within the development and which would provide access for the attached rowhouse units. The private streets would be required to be privately maintained by the site's HOA, and on-street parking will be prohibited. Guest parking is included to serve these homes.

#### **Public Street**

A public street meeting City standards is proposed to extend from Ambassador to Hwy 47 at the existing 241<sup>st</sup> Ave NW intersection. This street will provide access to the single-unit detached lots as well as the detached townhome lots. It will also serve the future apartment and commercial lots. The

street will have a sidewalk on the east/north side of the street. Public streets in the Rum River districts require a conditional use permit meeting the environmental criteria in Minnesota Rules 6105.0200. Staff find that the proposed project meet these conditions, and the road is designed to minimize impact to the surrounding area.

# **Parking**

The amount of parking required within the City varies by use of the property. The applicant is not requesting flexibility from the City's parking standards. Therefore, the following parking requirements apply to this development:

Use	Parking Requirement
Single-unit detached	2 spaces per unit
Detached townhome	2 spaces per unit
Attached rowhouse	2 spaces per unit, plus 0.5 space/unit for guest parking

The detached townhome units are each proposed to include a 2-car garage with space for two vehicles to park directly in front of each garage. The applicant is proposing to utilize shared driveways for the detached townhome units. Staff supports this because shared driveways decrease the number of access points onto the public street by half, allowing smoother and safer traffic movement through the site, as well as increasing space for on-street parking. The shared driveways must be no wider than 24' at the street and shall be maintained by the HOA.

Guest parking is required for the attached rowhouse units, as shown in the table. With 102 units proposed, 51 guest parking spaces are required. The applicant is currently proposing 39 guest parking spaces, which does not meet this requirement. Staff recommends increasing the number of guest parking spaces provided to meet the City's requirement. If possible, guest parking should be located near Blocks 5 and 6 where no guest spaces are proposed today.

# Landscaping

The applicant has provided a landscaping plan for the site. Existing trees which are planned to be removed or preserved should be shown on the plan.

For typical residential developments, the vegetation requirement is 2 deciduous trees per unit, with at least one of those trees being located in the front yard. The applicant has adhered to this requirement for the residential portions of the site. The apartment and commercial lots will be required to provide a landscaping plan at the time of development as part of the site plan review. It is expected that the landscaping for those lots will complement the landscaping established with the residential units.

Trees to be planted must be a mix of no less than 25% deciduous, 25% evergreen, and 10% ornamental. In addition, no genus may make up more than 25% of the full complement of trees. The applicant has met the genus requirement, but is only proposing deciduous trees. The applicant should revise the landscaping plan to meet the tree mix requirement. In addition, two of the tree types proposed, American Hophornbeam and Northern Catalpa, are not currently on the City's list of acceptable trees. Based on Staff's discussion with a landscape architect, these species are appropriate to be used as yard trees in the City.

## Open Space

The applicant is proposing a 26.5-acre area along the Rum River on the east side of the site as private open space. This area is intended to serve the residents of this development and will be owned and maintained by the HOA.

The developer has indicated a willingness to provide this area as open space in whatever way the City determines to be most appropriate. Staff discussed the open space and whether it was more

appropriate as public or private open space. Ultimately, Staff recommends this area as private open space for a number of reasons:

- 1. Roughly half the site (11 acres) is restricted from development by a conservation easement
- 2. The site has limited potential for park development as it is heavily forested and lies within the uRRM district, which restricts vegetation alteration.
- 3. The open space land is primarily located within the floodplain. It is not typical City practice to accept land for park that is not developable.
- 4. This area is not specifically identified as a park within the City's park plan.
- 5. Access is limited to a small entry point off of the public street's cul-de-sac. If this area were to be public park, a wider access point would be required.

As private open space, there will be no credit toward the applicant's park dedication requirements. The applicant may choose to add amenities to the open space area as they see fit, so long as they are following the standards set out in the uRRM district.

Staff has suggested that the applicant provide some additional, usable open space for the residents likely located closer to the apartment lot and the attached rowhouses. The applicant was receptive to this suggestion and is reviewing the site to determine where this could be located and the amenities that may be included.

Outlots B and C which are located across the river will also be maintained as open space. The applicant has indicated that it is likely that these outlots will ultimately be entered into a conservation easement due to their proximity to the Rum River and location within the floodplain.

# Trails/Sidewalks

Sidewalks are required along one side of all public streets within the City. The applicant is proposing a sidewalk extended along the east and north sides of the public street. The City's park plan shows a future trail running along the north side of Ambassador Blvd before ultimately connecting into the future Sugar Hills Regional Trail. This trail would be located across the commercial lot. As a condition of approval, Staff recommends that adequate provisions for an off-street trail in this area should be made at the time that the commercial lot is final platted.

## Utilities/Stormwater

Multiple stormwater facilities are proposed to be created throughout the site, in addition to those already existing. A City lift station is currently located on Outlot A, near Ambassador Blvd. Applicant will be responsible for bringing utilities from Ambassador up to 241<sup>st</sup> within the development.

Because of this development's proximity to the lift station, oversizing of the pipes will be required in order to provide future connections to the City's infrastructure further to the north and west. The City Engineer is reviewing the grading, utility, and stormwater plans and has provided a comment memo which is attached to this packet.

# **Recommendations**

## Action to be Considered:

The Planning Commission is requested to hold the public hearing for the rezoning, preliminary plat, and CUP. Following the public hearing, if Planning Commission feels comfortable moving the project forward, Commissioners are requested to take action on the requests and provide a recommendation to Council.

## Suggested Motions:

1. Move to recommend approval of the rezoning to The Bluffs of Rum River PUD with conditions and findings of fact as presented by Staff.

- 2. Move to recommend approval of preliminary plat for The Bluffs of Rum River project with conditions and findings of fact as presented by Staff.
- 3. Move to recommend approval of the public road CUP for The Bluffs of Rum River project with conditions and findings as presented by Staff.

# Findings - PUD

- 1. The proposed rezoning is consistent with the City's 2040 Comprehensive Plan as amended and is compatible with present and future land uses of the area.
- 2. The PUD provides a public benefit by adding a variety of housing to meet the diverse needs in St. Francis and expanding access to utilities to make way for future development. The project achieves these goals through a design that preserves natural features.

## Conditions - PUD

- 1. Any expansion of this PUD shall require a PUD amendment as specified by Code Section 10-37-05 Amendment of a PUD.
- 2. Approval of this request is conditioned upon review and approval by the MnDNR.
- 3. Single-unit detached lots shall be allowed on site. The minimum lot size and lot width requirements shall be decreased in size as shown on the preliminary plat, pending review of the OHW setback.
- 4. Detached townhome units shall be allowed on the site and configured as shown on the preliminary plat.
- 5. Attached rowhouse units shall be allowed on the site and configured as shown on the preliminary plat.
- 6. The required front yard setback for single-unit detached lots shall be 30'. The required front yard setback for detached townhome and attached rowhouse use types shall be 25'.
- All residential units shall adhere to the applicable use-specific standards established in the Code.
- 8. A minimum of 15' building separation between the living quarters of the units and a minimum of 10' building separation between the garages shall be permitted for the detached townhome units.
- 9. Blocks 3-6 shall each be limited to a maximum aggregate coverage of 30% impervious surface.
- 10. A 2-unit attached rowhouse building is permitted in Block 6.
- 11. 28-foot private streets are allowed within the PUD and shall be privately maintained by the site's HOA.
- 12. On-street parking on the private streets shall be prohibited.
- 13. Shared driveways serving the detached townhomes shall not exceed 24 feet in width at the street and shall be maintained by an HOA.

# Findings of Fact - Preliminary Plat

- 1. The proposed rezoning is consistent with the City's 2040 Comprehensive Plan as amended and is compatible with present and future land uses of the area.
- 2. Excluding the exceptions granted by the PUD, the development is consistent with the City's Zoning Ordinance with noted conditions.
- 3. City services have adequate capacity to serve the proposed development.

## Conditions - Preliminary Plat

- 1. Any approvals granted by the City Council for this project will be conditioned upon the Metropolitan Council's approval of the associated Comprehensive Plan amendment.
- 2. Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related land use requests pertaining to The Bluffs project.

- 3. If the commercial lot is developed within 3 years of approval of the PUD, it will be necessary for Staff to review the need for a retroactive EAW for the entire development at the time of final plat and site plan review.
- 4. Applicant shall dedicate land below the OHW of the Rum River as public.
- 5. Applicant shall provide guest parking meeting City Code standards for the attached rowhouses. If possible, guest parking should be located near Blocks 5 and 6.
- 6. A traffic study for the site shall be completed and reviewed by Staff prior to City Council consideration of the preliminary plat and PUD plans.
- 7. The project shall be completed as a phased development pending the results of the traffic study and adequate access to the site.
- 8. Applicant shall work with Anoka County to address the comments listed in their July 29, 2022 memo and to finalize an intersection layout for the public street/Ambassador Blvd intersection that incorporates phasing and the traffic study.
- 9. Applicant shall work with MnDOT to finalize the northern access point and intersection that incorporates phasing and the traffic study. Applicant shall address any comments relating to the project provided by MnDOT.
- 10. Adequate provisions for an off-street trail along Ambassador Blvd shall be made at the time that the commercial lot (Block 8 Lot 1) is final platted.
- 11. Landscaping
  - a. Applicant should identify the size and type of existing trees which are planned to be removed or preserved.
  - b. Future landscaping plans for the apartment and commercial lots shall provide landscaping and vegetation which complements the landscaping established for the residential units in this plat.
  - c. Trees to be planted must be a mix of no less than 25% deciduous, 25% evergreen, and 10% ornamental. Applicant shall revise the proposed tree mix to meet this requirement.
- 12. Applicant shall revise the preliminary plat to show all setback lines and building pads and to list all requested setbacks for each use type.
- 13. Applicant shall work with the Engineer to address any Engineering concerns or revisions listed in the Engineering Review Memo dated August 10, 2022.
- 14. Park dedication shall be satisfied at the time of final plat.
- 15. Applicant shall be responsible for all fees associated with these land use and subdivision applications.
- 16. Other conditions identified during the review process by Staff, the Planning Commission, or the City Council.

# Findings of Fact - Conditional Use Permit

- 1. The proposed public road meets the environmental criteria for a CUP as established in Minnesota Rules 6105.0200.
- 2. The proposed public road has been designed to minimize the street's impact on the surrounding area, including avoiding steep slopes, existing vegetation, and soils with high erosion potential to the maximum extent possible.

# Conditions - Conditional Use Permit

- 1. Approval of this request is subject to the concurrent approval of the related subdivision and land use requests pertaining to The Bluffs project.
- 2. Applicant shall adhere to all vegetative requirements listed in the City's Urban Rum River Management District and MN State Rules Chapter 6105.
- 3. Applicant shall adhere to the road construction methods listed in MN State Rules 6105.0200 subp. 4.

- 4. All fees and financial obligations shall be received by the City prior to the releasing of the approval document for recording.
- 5. Other conditions identified during the review process by Staff, the Planning Commission, or the City Council.

## Attachments:

- 1. City Engineer's Memo dated August 10, 2022
- 2. Applicant Submittals
  - o Narrative
  - o Preliminary Plat
  - Preliminary Phasing Plan
  - Existing Conditions
  - o Preliminary Grading Plan
  - o Preliminary Landscape Plan