Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a regular meeting of the North Mankato City Council was set to be held in the Municipal Building Council Chambers on March 2, 2020. Mayor Dehen called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., asking that everyone join in the Pledge of Allegiance. The following were present for roll call: Council Member Whitlock, and Mayor Dehen, City Administrator Harrenstein, City Attorney Kennedy, Finance Director McCann, Community Development Director Fischer, Public Works Director Host, and City Clerk Van Genderen. Absent: Council Members Norland, Oachs and Steiner. Without a quorum no business was conducted.

#### City Administrator and Staff Comments

City Administrator Harrenstein reported the Presidential Nomination Primary would be held on March 3, 2020.

City Clerk Van Genderen encouraged everyone to get out and vote in the Presidential Nomination Primary on March 3, 2020; polls are open from 7 am to 8 pm.

City Clerk Van Genderen commented that swim passes, and swim lessons could be purchased online or at City Hall.

#### **Mayor and Council Comments**

Mayor Dehen commented that summer softball and volleyball leagues will be run by Caswell Sports and interested individuals could sign-up online or contact the City.

At 7:05 p.m. on a motion by Council Member Whitlock, seconded by Mayor Dehen, the Council Meeting was adjourned.

	Mayor	
City Clerk		

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a special meeting of the North Mankato City Council was held in the Municipal Building Council Chambers on March 9, 2020. Mayor Dehen called the meeting to order at 12:00 pm, asking that everyone join in the Pledge of Allegiance. The following were present for roll call: Council Members Steiner, Norland, Whitlock, and Mayor Dehen, City Administrator Harrenstein, City Attorney Kennedy, Community Development Director Fischer, Public Works Director Host, and City Clerk Van Genderen. Absent: Council Member Oachs and Finance Director McCann.

#### Approval of Agenda

Council Member Norland moved, seconded by Council Member Steiner, to approve the agenda. Vote on the motion: Whitlock, Steiner, Norland, and Dehen aye; no nays. Motion carried.

#### Approval of Council Meeting Minutes February 18, 2020.

Council Member Norland moved, seconded by Council Member Whitlock, to approve the minutes of the Council meeting of February 18, 2020. Vote on the motion: Whitlock, Steiner, Norland, and Dehen aye; no nays. Motion carried.

#### Consent Agenda

Council Member Norland moved, seconded by Council Member Steiner, to approve the Consent Agenda.

- A. Bills and Appropriations.
- B. Res. No. 25-20 Approving Donations/Contributions/Grants.
- C. Approved Audio Permit for October 3, 2020, from 12 pm to 7 pm Party on the Prairie at Benson Park.
- D. Approved Audio Permit for Art Splash on June 20, 2020, from 11 am to 3 pm at South Central College.
- E. Approved Audio Permit for Movies in the Park on June 12, 2020, from 8 pm to 11 pm at Spring Lake Park.
- F. Approved Audio Permit for Music in the Park on July 9, 16, 23, and 30, 2020, from 5 pm to 7 pm at Storybook Park.
- G. Approved Audio Permit for Movies in the Park on August 7, 2020, from 8 pm to 11 pm at Benson Park.
- H. Approved Audio Permit for Blues on Belgrade on July 25, 2020, from 12 pm to 11 pm on the 200 Block of Belgrade Avenue.
- I. Approved Audio Permit for Bier on Belgrade on September 19, 2020, from 2 pm to 8 pm on the 200 Block of Belgrade.
- J. Approved Parade Permit for Bookin' on Belgrade on May 16, 2020, from 9 am to 10:30 am.
- K. Approved Parade Permit for A.B.A.T.E. Motorcycle Ride on May 2, 2020, from 1 pm to 1:45 pm.
- L. Res. No. 26-20 Waiving Waiting Period for Exemption from Lawful Gambling Licensing for Feeding Our Communities Partners.

Vote on the motion: Whitlock, Steiner, Norland, and Dehen aye; no nays. Motion carried.

Public Comments Concerning Business Items on the Agenda

None.

#### **Business Items**

Res. No. 27-20 Approving Plans and Specifications and Ordering Advertisement for Bids Project No. 19-06 ABCDEF Monroe Avenue Improvement.

City Engineer Sarff appeared before Council and reported the plans and specifications for the Monroe Avenue Improvement Project had been completed. He reviewed a summary of the project. The project includes Monroe Avenue between Center Street and Range Street. The project consists of improvements to the Sanitary Sewer, Watermain, and Storm Sewer, including replacing existing sanitary sewer, replacing existing water mains, installing new auto-reading water meters and construction of new storm sewer to meet State Aid standards. The street and surface reconstruction includes a reconstruction of the existing 44 feet wide street, sidewalks, and new concrete driveway aprons. Five additional streetlights are included in the project. The estimated cost for the project is \$1,254,000, with \$250,0000 to \$450,000 in Municipal State Aid Funds and between \$804,000 to \$1,004,000 in City Funds/Special Assessments.

Council Member Norland moved, seconded by Council Member Steiner, to Adopt Res. No. 27-20 Approving Plans and Specifications and Ordering Advertisement for Bids Project No. 19-06 ABCDEF Monroe Avenue Improvement. Vote on the motion: Whitlock, Steiner, Norland, and Dehen aye; no nays. Motion carried.

#### **Open Forum**

City Administrator Harrenstein invited Eric Weller from the South Central Health Care Coalition and Police Chief Ross Gullickson to the podium to discuss COVID-19. Mr. Weller reported the coalition has met and continues to meet regularly to prepare for the illness. He noted the goal is to be ready and not to panic. Local hospitals, police departments, schools, and other agencies are preparing for the illness and have plans in place. Citizens can practice good health habits such as washing their hands, staying home when sick, and not touching your face. For additional information, he directed everyone to the CDC. Chief Gullickson reiterated Mr. Weller's comments about preparedness. Mayor Dehen asked about a comparison between COVID-19 and the flu. Mr. Weller noted COVID-19 is a novel strain, and there is no accurate data to make a comparison. City Attorney Kennedy commented the League of Minnesota Cities was discussing best practices concerning meetings, and additional information would be forthcoming.

#### City Administrator and Staff Comments

City Administrator Harrenstein reported registrations for swim lessons are open.

Community Development Director Fischer reported the first Northwest Development meeting would be held in Fire Station #2 on Monday, March 9th at 5:00 pm and the second would be held on March 10th at 5:00 pm.

City Clerk Van Genderen commented that the Presidential Nomination Primary turnout for North Mankato was approximately 24%.

#### **Mayor and Council Comments**

None.

At 12:20 pm on a motion by Council Member Steiner, seconded by Council Member Norland, the Council Meeting was adjourned.

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Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a Council Work Session of the North Mankato City Council was held in the Council Chambers on March 9, 2020. Mayor Dehen called the meeting to order at 12:20 p.m. The following were present for roll call: Mayor Dehen, Council Members Whitlock, Steiner, and Norland, and City Administrator Harrenstein, Community Development Director Fischer, Public Works Director Host, Caswell Sports Director Tostenson, and City Clerk Van Genderen. Absent: Council Member Oachs and Finance Director McCann.

#### **Discuss Caswell Naming Rights**

City Administrator Harrenstein invited Caswell Sports Director Tostenson to the podium to discuss the proposed Caswell Park Request for Proposals for Naming Rights.

City Administrator Harrenstein reported there had been discussion about naming rights for the park. The park would maintain Caswell, but it would be referred to as, for example, "Brick House Graphic Fields at Caswell Park." City Administrator Harrenstein requested feedback from the Council concerning their interest in selling the naming rights. Council Member Whitlock asked for clarification on if the fields would be sold separately or if their naming rights would be for the entire complex. City Administrator Harrenstein reported the proposal is currently established for the naming rights of the whole complex. Still, if after the proposal has been released, the market speaks differently, the Council can discuss that option. Mayor Dehen requested clarification on the current sales of advertising and if there would be a conflict of interest with the current advertisement sales. Caswell Sports Director Tostenson reported there are four different advertisement packages, and the sales have been good in 2020. He noted the request for a proposal addresses the current advertisement packages. Mayor Dehen requested clarification on if the new fieldhouse is funded would the naming rights include the fieldhouse. City Administrator Harrenstein reported the fieldhouse would not be included in the naming rights. Mayor Dehen requested information on comparable locations that have sold naming rights. Caswell Sports Director Tostenson said the new dome at MSU sold their naming rights for \$50,000, and the Civic Center sold theirs for \$120,000. City Administrator Harrenstein noted it could be within that area. City Administrator Harrenstein reported the RFP would be released, and results would be brought before the Council.

Caswell Sports Director Tostenson reviewed the Caswell Park 2020 schedule highlighting the 26<sup>th</sup> year for the Minnesota State High School Girls' Softball Tournament, Peppers Classic with over 90 teams signed up, and reported only one open weekend for the season. Caswell Sports Director Tostenson said sign-up for adult softball and adult volleyball leagues are ongoing.

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Mayor Dehen closed the Council Workshop at 12:43 p.m.



#### City of North Mankato, MN

## Claims List - Regular

By Vendor Name

Date Range: 3-16-20

Vendor Number	Vendor Name	Payment Date	Payment Type	Discount Amount	Payment Amount	Number
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02883	BAUER, KATHLEEN	03/12/2020	Regular	0	168.00	92429
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00566	HIRVELA, JAMES	1. 1.		0	84.00	92438
00579	<u> </u>	03/12/2020	Regular	0	168.00	92439
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00885	MIDLER, MARK		Regular	0		92451
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#### **All Council**

The above manual and regular claims lists for 3-16-20 are approved by:
AAABW DEUEN AAAWOD
MARK DEHEN- MAYOR
DIAME NORLAND COUNCIL MEMBER
DIANE NORLAND- COUNCIL MEMBER
WILLIAM STEINER- COUNCIL MEMBER
WILLIAM STEINER COONCIL MEMBER
SANDRA OACHS- COUNCIL MEMBER
JAMES WHITLOCK- COUNCIL MEMBER

## RESOLUTION APPROVING DONATIONS/CONTRIBUTIONS/GRANTS

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Statute 465.03 and 465.04 allows the governing body of any city, county, school district or town to accept gifts for the benefit of its citizens in accordance with terms prescribed by the donor;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MANKATO, MINNESOTA, that the following donations/contributions/grants are approved as follows:

Donor	Restriction	Amount
Anonymous	onymous Library	
Shelly Kain	Book Donation-Library	\$140.00
Jo Marie Robbins	Book Donation-Library	\$75.00
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otal		\$294.25

Adopted by the City Council this 16 <sup>th</sup>	day of March 2020.	
	Mayor	
City Clerk		

## **CITY OF NORTH MANKATO**

## REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION



Agenda Item # 9D	Department: Finance	Council Meeting Date: 3/16/20				
TITLE OF ISSUE: Consider Approving League of Minnesota Cities Insurance Trust Liability Coverage Waiver Form						
BACKGROUND AND SUPPLEMENT renewal process, must determine if it was City has never waived these limits.		Tity each year, as a part of the insurance values that are established by statute. The				
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#### LIABILITY COVERAGE - WAIVER FORM

Members who obtain liability coverage through the League of Minnesota Cities Insurance Trust (LMCIT) must complete and return this form to LMCIT before the member's effective date of coverage. Return completed form to your underwriter or email to pstech@lmc.org.

The decision to waive or not waive the statutory tort limits must be made annually by the member's governing body, in consultation with its attorney if necessary.

Members who obtain liability coverage from LMCIT must decide whether to waive the statutory tort liability limits to the extent of the coverage purchased. The decision has the following effects:

- If the member does not waive the statutory tort limits, an individual claimant could recover no more than \$500,000 on any claim to which the statutory tort limits apply. The total all claimants could recover for a single occurrence to which the statutory tort limits apply would be limited to \$1,500,000. These statutory tort limits would apply regardless of whether the member purchases the optional LMCIT excess liability coverage.
- If the member waives the statutory tort limits and does not purchase excess liability coverage, a single claimant could recover up to \$2,000,000 for a single occurrence (under the waive option, the tort cap liability limits are only waived to the extent of the member's liability coverage limits, and the LMCIT per occurrence limit is \$2,000,000). The total all claimants could recover for a single occurrence to which the statutory tort limits apply would also be limited to \$2,000,000, regardless of the number of claimants.
- If the member waives the statutory tort limits and purchases excess liability coverage, a single claimant could potentially recover an amount up to the limit of the coverage purchased. The total all claimants could recover for a single occurrence to which the statutory tort limits apply would also be limited to the amount of coverage purchased, regardless of the number of claimants.

Claims to which the statutory municipal tort limits do not apply are not affected by this decision.

LMCIT Member Name:	
Check one: The member <b>DOES NOT WAIVE</b> the monetary limits  Stat. § 466.04.	on municipal tort liability established by Minn.
The member <b>WAIVES</b> the monetary limits on municipa 466.04, to the extent of the limits of the liability coverage	I tort liability established by Minn. Stat. § e obtained from LMCIT.
Date of member's governing body meeting:	
Signature:Posit	ion:

#### RESOLUTION WAIVING WAITING PERIOD FOR EXEMPTION FROM LAWFUL GAMBLING LICENSE FOR HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

WHEREAS, Holy Rosary Church has made an application for exemption from a charitable gambling license to conduct a raffle on May 18, at 525 Grant Avenue, within the City of North Mankato, Minnesota, which application was received by the City on March 11, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MANKATO, MINNESOTA, that the City waives the mandatory waiting period concerning the issuance of an exemption from lawful gambling license concerning the above-identified organization.

Adopted by the City Council this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020.

ATTEST:	Mayor	
City Clerk		

## **CITY OF NORTH MANKATO**





Agenda Item # 11A	Department: Community Dev. Council Meeting Date: 3/16/20
Wayne and Kimberly Veroeven and Davi	•
Report.	L INFORMATION: Please review the attached Planning Commission  If additional space is required, attach a separate sheet  prove Preliminary & Final Plat of Sheffield Woods No. 2. A Request I David & Mary Jo Cordes.
For Clerk's Use:	SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS ATTACHED
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PRELIMINARY & FINAL PLAT OF SHEFFIELD WOODS NO. 2

A REQUEST FROM WAYNE & KIMBERLY VEROEVEN/DAVID & MARY JO

CORDES

#### THE CITY OF NORTH MANKATO

SUBJECT: Preliminary & Final Plat of Sheffield Woods No. 2

APPLICANT: Wayne & Kimberly Veroeven/David & Mary Jo Cordes

LOCATION: Lots 8 & 10, Block 1, Sheffield Woods

EXISTING ZONING: R-1, One-Family Dwelling

DATE OF HEARING: March 12, 2020

DATE OF REPORT: March 4, 2020

REPORTED BY: Mike Fischer, Community Development Director

#### APPLICATION SUBMITTED

Request to replat Lots 8 & 10, Block 1, Sheffield Woods

#### COMMENT

The applicants each own property within the same subdivision and share a mutual property line. Specifically, as shown on Exhibit A, ownership is as follows:

Veroeven – 14 Camden Court Cordes – 2330 Abbywood Lane

To have enough space to install a swimming pool, the owners of 14 Camden Court are proposing to purchase a small amount of property from the owners of 2330 Abbywood Lane along their mutual property line. As this type of land exchange requires replatting of the both properties, attached as Exhibit B is the Preliminary Plat of Sheffield Woods No. 2 which shows the relocation of the applicants mutual property line and the creation of two (2) new lots. The Final Plat is shown on Exhibit C.

As proposed, both lots still conform to the minimum size requirements and all minimum building setbacks for both homes are still met

#### RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval of the Preliminary & Final Plat of Sheffield Woods No. 2

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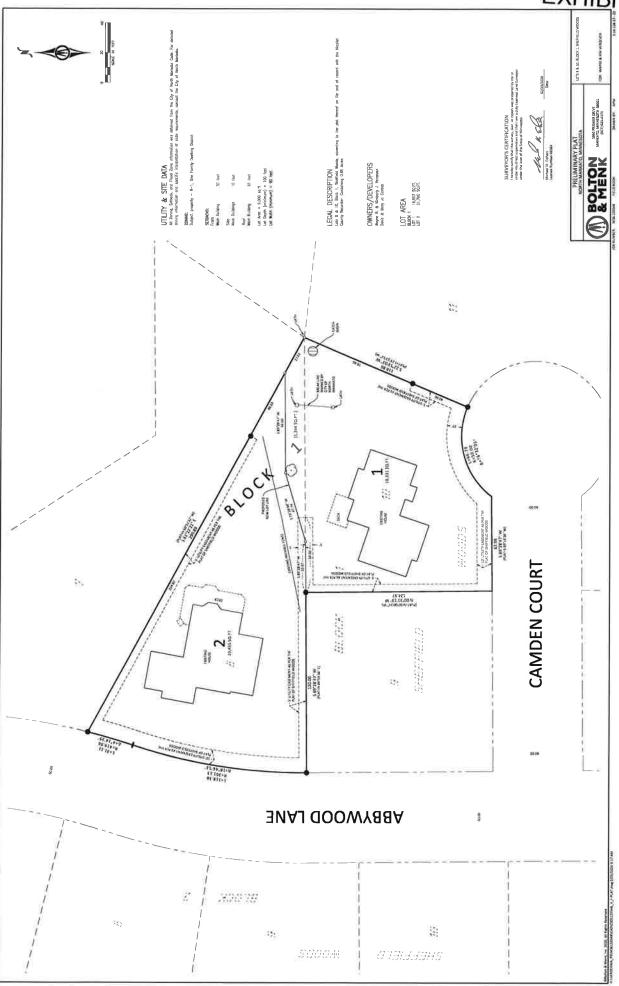


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## **CITY OF NORTH MANKATO**





Agenda Item # 11B	Department: Community Dev.	Council Meeting Date: 3/16/20
TITLE OF ISSUE: Consider Approving from Nicco Property, LLC.	Preliminary & Final Plat of Ro	olling Green Addition No. 4. A Request
BACKGROUND AND SUPPLEMENTA Report.	AL INFORMATION: Please re	
REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION: Ap	oprove Preliminary & Final Pla	If additional space is required, attach a separate sheet t of Rolling Green Addition No. 4. A
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PRELIMINARY & FINAL PLAT OF ROLLING GREEN ADDITION NO. 4

A REQUEST FROM NICCO PROPERTY, LLC

#### THE CITY OF NORTH MANKATO

SUBJECT:

Rolling Green Addition No. 4

APPLICANT:

Nicco Property, LLC

LOCATION:

Outlot A, Rolling Green Addition

**EXISTING ZONING:** 

OR-1, Office-Residential

DATE OF HEARING:

March 12, 2020

DATE OF REPORT:

March 4, 2020

REPORTED BY:

Mike Fischer, Community Development Director

#### APPLICATION SUBMITTED

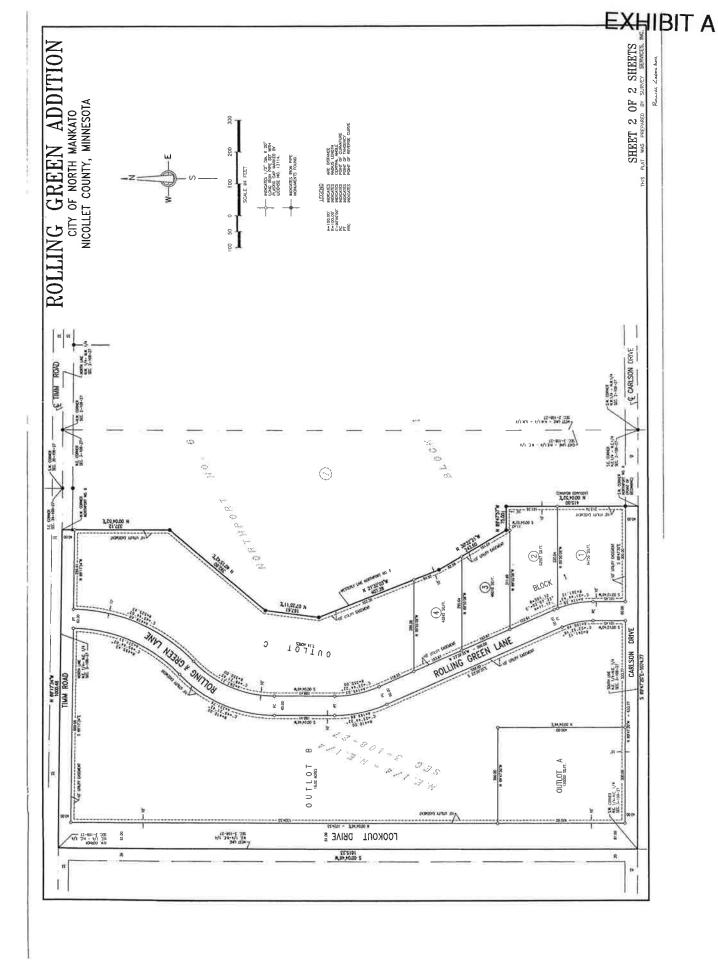
Request to replat Outlot A, Rolling Green Addition

#### COMMENT

In 2002, Rolling Green Addition was platted as shown on Exhibit A. The location of the property is shown on Exhibit B. The plat included four lots on the east side of Rolling Green Lane for townhome development and reserved future development on Outlots A, B and C. Since 2002, Outlot C has been replatted and developed into single and multi-family housing and Outlot B has been replatted and is being developed for both residential and commercial purposes. Outlot A has yet to be developed. As the applicant is proposing to construct an apartment building on Outlot A, and development cannot occur on an Outlot, it is necessary to replat the property by simply changing the Outlot status to a lot and block. Exhibit C is the preliminary plat of Rolling Green Addition No. 4 which shows Outlot A as Lot 1, Block 1, Rolling Green Addition No. 4. Exhibit D is the final plat.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval of the preliminary & final plat of Rolling Green Addition No. 4





## Legend

City Limits



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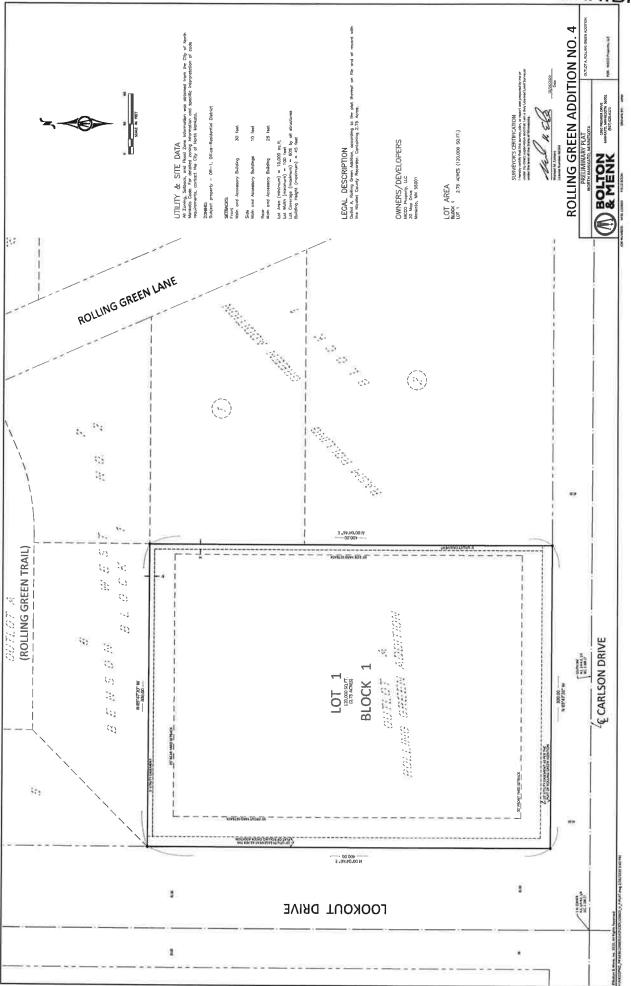
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## **CITY OF NORTH MANKATO**





Agenda Item # 11C	Departmen	nt: City Engineer	Council Meeting Date: 3/16/20
TITLE OF ISSUE: Consider Adopting Improvement Project.	Resolution	Accepting Bid Projec	t No. 20-02D State Aid Overlay
BACKGROUND AND SUPPLEMENT	AL INFOR	RMATION: Please rev	view the memo from City Engineer Dan
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REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION: Ad Improvement Project.	dopt Resol	ution Accepting Bid P	roject No. 20-02D State Aid Overlay
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March 10, 2020

John Harrenstein City Administrator City of North Mankato 1001 Belgrade Avenue, P.O. Box 2055 North Mankato, MN 56002-2055

RE: 2020 State Aid Overlay Improvement Project

City Project No. 20-02 D

SAP 150-255-02, 150-108-007, and 150-109-005

BMI Project No. M18.120128

Dear Mr. Harrenstein,

Bids were received and opened at City Hall on Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am for the project referenced above. Two (2) bids were received and the results of the bids are tabulated below:

Bidder	<b>Bid Amount</b>
W.W. Blacktopping, Inc.	\$721,118.87
OMG Midwest, Inc. (MN Paving & Materials)	\$748,928.95
•	
Engineer's Estimate	\$740,633.85

The low bidder for the project is W.W. Blacktopping, Inc., from Mankato, Minnesota. The low bid is approximately 6% below the Engineer's Estimate and the next lowest bid is approximately 4% over the low bid.

Based on past performance on similar projects in previous years, it is our opinion that W.W. Blacktopping, Inc. is qualified to perform the work required under this contract. If deemed financially feasible, we hereby recommend that W.W. Blacktopping, Inc. be awarded the contract based on the bid contract amount of \$721,118.87.

Sincerely,

Bolton & Menk, Inc.

Daniel R. Sarff, P.E.

City Engineer

## RESOLUTION ACCEPTING BID PROJECT NO. 20-02D STATE AID OVERLAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

WHEREAS, pursuant to an advertisement for bids for the 2020 State Aid Overlay Improvement Project No. 20-02D, bids were received, opened, and tabulated according to the law for street and surface improvements, and

WHEREAS the following bids were received complying with the advertisement:

Bidder	<b>Bid Amount</b>
W.W. Blacktopping, Inc	\$721,118.87
OMG Midwest, Inc. (SMC)	\$748,928.95

WHEREAS, the low bid of \$721,118.87 is lower than the engineering estimate of \$740,633.85; and

WHEREAS, it appears that W.W. Blacktopping, of Mankato, Minnesota is the lowest responsible bidder.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MANKATO, MINNESOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

- 1) The Mayor and Administrator are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a construction contract with W.W. Blacktopping, Inc. of Mankato, Minnesota for the contract amount of \$721,118.87 in the name of the City of North Mankato, Minnesota for the 2020 State Aid Overlay Improvement Project.
- 2) The city clerk is hereby authorized and directed to return forthwith to all bidders the deposits made with their bids, except that the deposits of the successful bidder and the next lowest bidder shall be retained until a contract has been signed.

Adopted by the City Council this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020.

ATTEST:	Mayor
City Clerk	

## CITY OF NORTH MANKATO





Agenda Item # 11D	Department: City Engineer	Council Meeting Date: 3/16/20
TITLE OF ISSUE: Consider Adopting F No. 20-03 ABCDEF Countryside Drive I		ty Report and Calling Hearing for Project
BACKGROUND AND SUPPLEMENTA Sarff. Mr. Sarff will also be present to a		review the report from City Engineer Dan
REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION: Ad Project No. 20-03 ABCDEF Countryside		
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#### RESOLUTION RECEIVING FEASIBILITY REPORT AND CALLING HEARING FOR PROJECT NO 20-03 ABCDEF COUNTRYSIDE DRIVE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

WHEREAS, pursuant to resolution of the Council adopted February 18, 2020, a feasibility report has been prepared by Bolton & Menk, Inc., with reference to proposed improvements including sanitary sewer improvements, watermain improvements, storm sewer improvements, street improvements, sidewalk/trail improvements, turf establishment/erosion control, and other related improvements to Project No. 20-03 ABCDEF Countryside Drive Improvement Project; and

WHEREAS, the report, received by Council on March 16, 2020, provides information regarding whether the proposed improvements are necessary, cost-effective, and feasible; whether it should best be made as proposed or in connection with some other improvement; the estimated cost of the improvement as recommended; and a description of the methodology used to calculate individual assessments for affected parcels.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MANKATO, MINNESOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. The council will consider the improvement of Countryside Drive Project No. 20-03 ABCDEF in accordance with the report and the assessment of abutting property for all or a portion of the cost of the improvement pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 429 at an estimated total cost of the improvement of \$1,624,900.
- 2. A public hearing shall be held on such proposed improvement on the 6th day of April 2020, in the council chambers of City Hall at 7:00 p.m., and the clerk shall give mailed and published a notice of such hearing and improvement as required by law.

Adopted by the City Council this 16th day of March 2020.

ATTEST:	Mayor	
City Clerk		





**Preliminary Engineering Report** 

2019 Countryside Drive Improvement Project
City Project No. 20-03 ABCDEF
City of North Mankato, Minnesota
March 2019



#### Submitted by:

Bolton & Menk, Inc. 1960 Premier Drive Mankato, MN 56001 P: 507-625-4171 www.Bolton-Menk.com BMI No. M18.117407

## Certification

**Preliminary Engineering Report** 

for

City of North Mankato, Minnesota 2020 Countryside Drive Improvement Project City Project No. 20-03 ABCDEF

BMI Project No. M18.120740

March 2020

I hereby certify that this plan, specification or report was prepared by me or under my direct supervision, and that I am a duly Licensed Professional Engineer under the laws of the State of Minnesota.

By:

Daniel R. Sarff, P.E. License No. 17080

Date: March 12, 2020

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**Figure 1: Existing Conditions** 

Figure 2: Proposed Utility Improvements

Figure 3: Proposed Surface Improvements

Figure 4: Typical Section

#### I. BACKGROUND AND SCOPE

In accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 429, the North Mankato City Council has authorized the preparation of a Preliminary Engineering Report to define the scope and determine the feasibility of infrastructure improvements on Countryside Drive from Haughton Avenue to Coventry Lane.

The specific objectives of this Preliminary Engineering Report as follows:

- Evaluate the need for the project
- Determine the necessary improvements
- Provide information on the estimated costs for the proposed projects
- Determine the project schedule
- Determine the feasibility of the proposed projects.

#### II. EXISTING CONDITIONS AND PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

#### A. Sanitary Sewer

The existing sanitary sewer along Countryside Drive consists of a 27-inch polyvinyl chloride (PVC) trunk sewer that was constructed in 1996. After leaving the project area, this sanitary sewer flows south and west to US TH 169 and eventually to the City or North Mankato's Main Lift Stations. The portion of this trunk sewer that is beneath Countryside Drive is approximately 25 to 30-feet deep. Some of the existing manholes within the project have pipe stub-outs and drop shafts.

Given the depth and size of the existing trunk sewer, it is recommended that a new parallel sanitary sewer be constructed to serve the proposed residential development on the north side of Countryside Drive. The new sanitary sewer will consist of 8-inch polyvinyl chloride (PVC) plastic pipe constructed at standard depth, precast concrete manholes with gasketed joints, and PVC sanitary sewer service stub-outs for the proposed residential lots. The new sanitary sewer will be connected into the existing trunk sewer. New 4-inch PVC sanitary sewer pipes and wye branches will be stubbed out to the north right-of-way line to serve the future residential properties. The new sanitary sewer elements will be designed and specified to 10 States Standards and the applicable Minnesota plumbing codes. A trace wire with proper grounding and access points will be provided with all sanitary sewer mains and services. No improvements to the existing trunk sewer are proposed with this project because this infrastructure is in good condition and well within its life expectancy.

The existing sanitary sewer and proposed improvements are shown on the figures in the Appendix.

#### B. Water Distribution

The existing water distribution system along Countryside Drive consists primarily of 16-inch watermain and valves with hydrants that were all constructed in 1998. It appears from the original construction plans that the existing watermain is ductile iron pipe (DIP). Some of the existing main line valves were constructed inside valve manholes.

New watermain stub-outs will be constructed at the intersections of the proposed development. 10-inch and 8-inch capped PVC watermains will be provided at Deerwood Drive and Howard Drive, respectively. New 1-inch polyethylene water services will be tapped off the existing 16-inch DIP watermain and stubbed out to the north right-of-way line to serve the future residential properties. The new water distribution elements will be

designed and specified to 10 States Standards and the applicable Minnesota plumbing codes. A trace wire with proper grounding and access points will be provided with all new water services. No improvements to the existing 16-inch watermain are proposed with this project because this infrastructure is in good condition and well within its life expectancy.

The existing water distribution system and proposed improvements are shown on the figures in the Appendix.

#### C. Storm Sewer

Currently there no storm sewer on Countryside Drive within the project limits, except at the intersecting streets at the project termini. Stormwater in the vicinity is conveyed through shallow swales, road ditches, and driveway culverts because the existing street is a "rural" design (without curb & gutter).

A new storm sewer system is recommended to accommodate the proposed urban curb and gutter street design. The proposed storm sewer system will include new 12-inch to 30-inch storm sewer pipe and new precast concrete manholes and catch basins. The new storm sewer main will be located within the bituminous pavement where possible, however some of these pipes will likely need to be located along the curb line to maintain separation from the proposed 8-inch sanitary sewer. The preliminary storm sewer layout and elevations are based conceptual street profiles developed at the time of sanitary sewer and watermain planning.

Although there appears to be capacity in the existing Coventry Lane storm sewer, this pipe is not deep enough to accept a significant amount of the project's drainage. While the easternmost block of Countryside Drive can outlet into the Coventry Lane storm sewer, a new outfall to one of the ponds included in the proposed development will be constructed as the outlet for the remaining storm sewer reaches. The new storm sewers will be designed to accommodate the 10-year storm event. In addition to the new storm sewer, some minor modifications and/or abandonments of the existing storm sewer near Haughton Avenue will likely be needed to accommodate the proposed street alignment and drainage patterns.

The existing storm sewer and proposed improvements are shown on the figures in the Appendix.

#### D. Private Utilities

Other non-municipal private utilities are likely present in the right-of-way. These include natural gas, electric, telephone, and cable TV. The location and extent of existing non-municipal owned utilities will be verified using the Gopher One Call system. New private utility extensions may also be needed to accommodate the proposed development north of this project. It is anticipated that all said private utility improvements will be constructed and financed by others.

The design of the proposed improvements will be coordinated with the owners of private utilities. Design coordination meetings will be held with all private utility companies to identify those utilities that conflict with the proposed improvements. Private utility companies will be requested to submit proposed designs, provide construction schedules for any relocations and extensions, and follow the City's permitting process. The construction schedule for the proposed improvements will be coordinated with the utility relocation schedule to avoid unnecessary delays.

#### E. Street and Surface

Countryside Drive was originally graded as a gravel "township" road sometime after the year 1950, but the gravel base has been replaced as a result of multiple utility construction projects in the mid-to-late 1990s. The bituminous pavement was placed sometime after the year 2000. The existing road is a "rural" design with side ditches and no curb and gutter, trail, or sidewalk. The pavement is wide enough for vehicular travel, but those who wish to park

along this road must do so on the grass in-slope.

Given the proposed residential development north of the project including several homes on the north side of the project and the scope of utility construction, it is recommended that Countryside Drive be fully reconstructed to be a 40-foot street with curb and gutter and sidewalk. The urban curb and gutter design will eliminate the need for driveway culverts and grass side ditches. The proposed 40-foot width (measured from face to face of curb & gutter) is the same width as the segment of Countryside Drive from Lor Ray Drive to Haughton Avenue. This width allows for approximately two 12-foot wide through lanes and two 8-foot wide parking lanes. The new street will have a bituminous pavement section and the existing driveways will be removed and replaced as needed to tie in. The proposed payement section will conform to the City's standard for residential streets: 4 inches of bituminous surfacing, 14 inches of Class 6 aggregate base, and geogrid, all placed on a prepared subgrade. Fourinch diameter perforated PVC edge drains along the back of the curb on both sides are proposed to provide subsurface drainage for the pavement section. A new 6-foot wide concrete sidewalk is recommended on the north side of Countryside Drive. Crossings will be provided at as needed at intersection streets with sidewalk. The new sidewalks and pedestrian ramps will meet the current Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards for accessibility. Boulevards will be restored with topsoil and seed in all disturbed areas. A new residential street lighting system will also be constructed with the project. It is anticipated that the street light design will be the same as those used on recent residential reconstruction projects. The location of the new street lights will be determined during the final design stage.

The existing street and surface and proposed improvements are shown on the figures in the Appendix. Existing and proposed typical sections are also included in the Appendix.

#### III. PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE ACCOMMODATIONS

In 2016, the North Mankato City Council adopted a Complete Streets Policy directing that an examination of accommodations for pedestrian and bicycle travel be conducted in the preliminary design stage when existing streets are to be reconstructed. Pedestrian accommodations may include sidewalks (one side or both sides) or off-street multi-use trails. Bicycle accommodations may include designated on-street bike lanes, shared driving/bicycle lanes, or off-street multi-use trails.

Countryside Drive will have a 6-foot-wide sidewalk on the north side of the street with connections and crossings provided as needed, as mentioned previously. The new sidewalks will meet ADA standards for accessibility. The construction of accessible sidewalks conforms to the City's Complete Streets guidelines for pedestrian access.

Countryside Drive and Coventry Lane are designated for future off-street trails on the City of Mankato's bicycle system map. The segment of Countryside Drive between Lor Ray Drive and Haughton Avenue and Coventry Lane both have existing 6-foot wide sidewalks one side of the street and it is unlikely that of-street trails will be constructed on these segments in the future. For that reason, it is proposed that Countryside Drive and Coventry Lane be designated as on-street bike trails with share-the-road ("sharow") pavement markings.

#### IV. RIGHT-OF-WAY AND EASEMENTS

To the extent possible, the project will be designed to limit construction of the proposed improvements to within the existing 66-foot right-of-way. Some driveway tie-ins and other minor disturbances to private property may be necessary during construction. Therefore, we recommend that temporary construction easements be obtained along the project frontage where required to accommodate these minor disturbances.

#### V. APPROVALS AND PERMITS

Approvals and Permits are required from various agencies for the construction of the project. They include the following:

- Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) General Construction Storm Water Permit
- MPCA Sanitary Sewer Extension Permit and Environmental Review Pre-screening Form
- Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Plan Review for Watermain Construction

#### VI. PROJECT COST ESTIMATE AND FINANCING

The estimated project costs are summarized in the following table:

Estimated Project Cost	
Street & Surface	\$ 1,207,400
Storm Sewer	\$ 159,200
Sanitary Sewer Mainline and Services	\$ 185,300
Watermain Mainline and Services	\$ 73,000
TOTAL:	\$ 1,624,900

These cost estimates are based on public construction cost information from other recent projects similar in scope. A contingency factor has been included to compensate for incidental and unforeseen items of work which may not be readily identifiable during the preliminary design stage. The estimated costs of engineering, administration, legal and financing are also included. Since the cost estimates are dependent on the cost of labor, materials, competitive bidding process, weather conditions, and other factors affecting the cost of construction, all cost estimates are opinions for general information and no warranty or guarantee as to the accuracy of construction cost is made. Therefore, financing for this project should be based upon actual competitive bid prices with reasonable contingencies.

It is anticipated that funding for the proposed street and utility improvements would be provided by a combination of special assessments, City utility funds, and ad valorem taxes. According to the City's past practice for calculating assessments, the proposed improvements are assessable to the benefitting properties as follows:

- Street Reconstruction, Sidewalks, Driveways, Sanitary Sewer, Watermain, and Storm Sewer: 40% Assessable, 60% City Cost
- Sanitary Sewer Services: 100% Assessable
- Water Services: 100% Assessable

Street and surface reconstruction (pavement, curb & gutter, sidewalks, driveways, street lighting) and storm sewer reconstruction costs are assessed on a front footage basis. Sanitary sewer and watermain costs, including services, are assessed on a per connection basis.

Applying these assessment rates to the project costs, results in the following range of unit costs for the assessable items for the project:

- Sanitary Sewer Main Line (40%): \$3,700 per connection
- Sanitary Sewer Services (100%): \$1,650 per connection
- Watermain Mainline (40%): \$500 per connection
- Water Services (100%): \$3,250 per connection
- Street & Surface and Storm Sewer (40%): \$171 per foot

The calculated total estimated assessment for the residential properties ranges from approximately \$5,632 to \$33,300. The calculated assessment amounts appear to be unreasonably high. In accordance with the assessment policy and past practice, the Council can limit the total assessment for each property to a more reasonable amount.

The assessment cap being considered 2020 Monroe Avenue project is \$6,500 to \$7,500 per residential property, and it is recommended that the City Council consider using the same assessment cap both the Monroe Avenue and the existing residential properties on the south side of Countryside Drive. City staff is currently working on assessment calculations for the property to the north of Countryside Drive that is currently being considered for residential development. Assessment proceedings (hearings, notices, etc.) for the project would follow the requirements of Chapter 429. Detailed assessment rolls will be prepared once the Preliminary Engineering Report has been approved and a date has been set for the Improvement Hearing.

#### VII. PROPOSED PROJECT SCHEDULE

The following schedule is proposed for this project:

Date	Task
March 16, 2020	Resolution Receiving Report and Calling for Hearing on Improvements
Week of March 30, 2020	Neighborhood Meeting
April 6, 2020	Improvement Hearing
June 9, 2020	Open Bids
July 20, 2020	Assessment Hearing
July 20, 2020	Resolution Adopting Assessment
July 20, 2020	Resolution Awarding Contract
August 3, 2020	Begin Construction (Approx.)
October 30, 2020	End Construction (Approx.)

#### VIII. CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Future development north of Countryside Drive is imminent and the infrastructure improvements described in this report are crucial to facilitating this growth. We recommend proceeding with the sanitary sewer, watermain, storm sewer, and street and surface improvements outlined in this report.

From an engineering standpoint, the improvements recommended in this report are feasible, cost effective, and necessary, and can best be accomplished by letting competitive bids for the work. Feasibility is contingent upon City Council findings with respect to project financing.

We recommend that the Council accept this report and call for a hearing on the proposed to solicit further public input on this project.

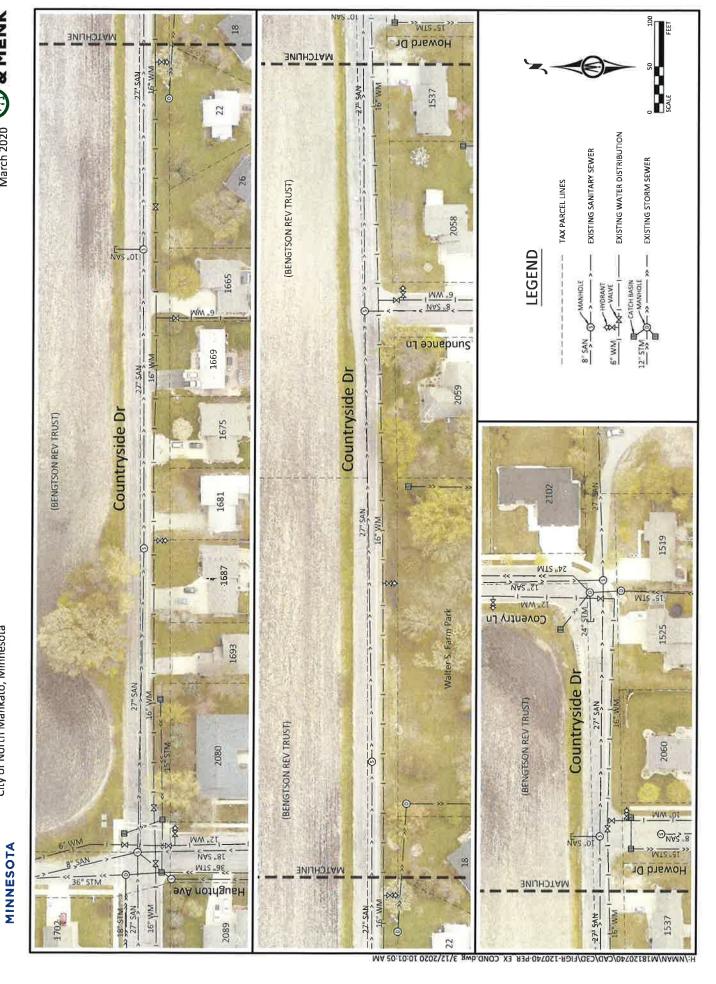
Figure 1: Existing Conditions

Figure 2: Proposed Utility Improvements

Figure 3: Proposed Surface Improvements

Figure 4: Typical Section

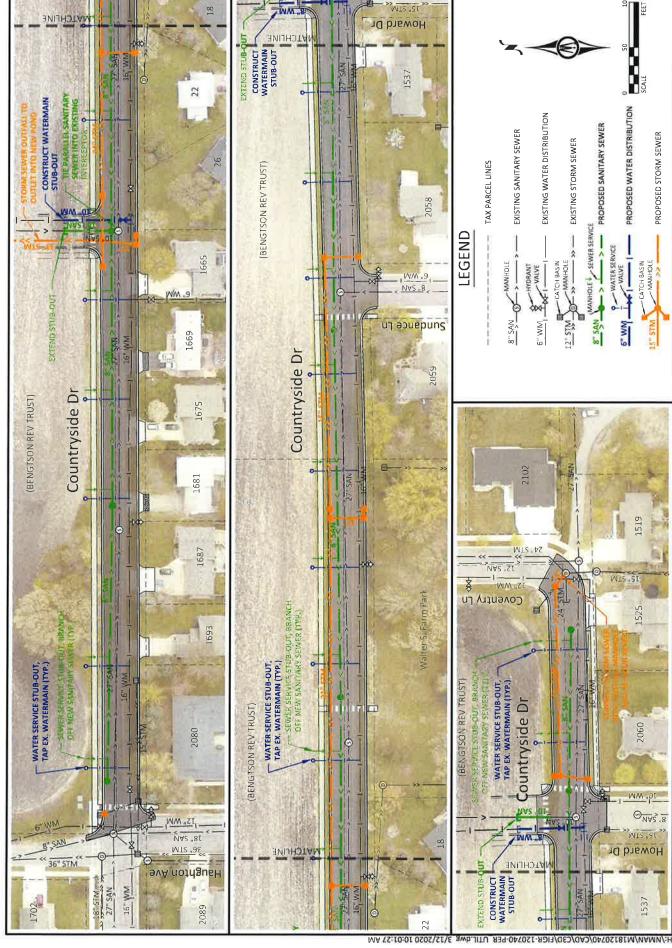
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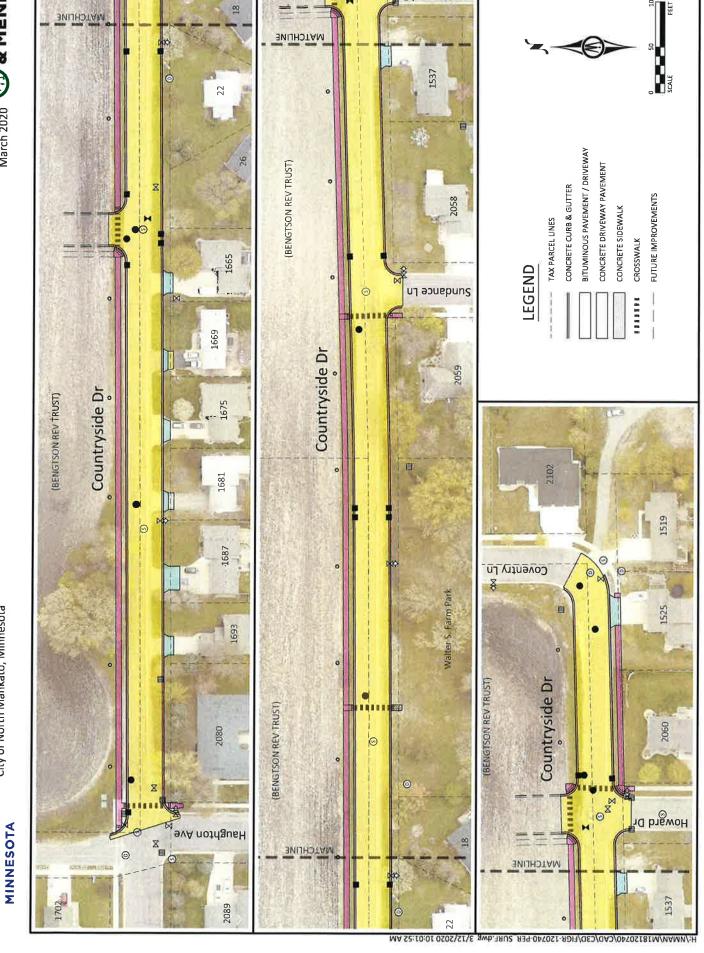
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