Item 7F. BCWMC 7-19-18

Minnesota Wetland Conservation Act **Notice of Application**

Local Government Unit (LGU) City of Plymouth		Address 3400 Plymouth Blvd. Plymouth, MN, 55447		
1.	PROJECT INFOR	MATION		
Applicant Name Gary Brummer	Project Name Plymouth Commons	6	Date of Application 6/14/18	Application Number NA
Type of Application (check all that ap	oply):			
☐ Wetland Boundary or Type	☐ No-Loss	Exe	mption [Sequencing
☐ Replacement Plan ☐ Bank			ing Plan	
Summary and description of proposed project (attach additional sheets as necessary): The applicant proposes to construct an 11,000 square foot multi-family apartment complex to provide rental housing in the City of Plymouth. The applicant proposes to temporarily impact Wetland 1 for sanitary sewer installation to serve the new building and requests a de minimis exemption for 100 square feet of wetland fill in Wetland 1 for grading work around the new building. In addition, the applicant proposes to impact 2,301 square feet of Wetland 3 for the widening of a required fire lane. Wetland mitigation is proposed as the purchase of 4,602 square feet of wetland credits from Bank 1409 Anoka County, Major Watershed 20, Bank Service Area 7. Note that de minimis may not be applicable. De minimis applies to projects up to a specified impact amount, in this case 100 square feet, whereas the proposed perminant impacts for this project are 2,401 square feet.				

2. APPLICATION REVIEW AND DECISION

Signing and mailing of this completed form to the appropriate recipients in accordance with 8420.0255, Subp. 3 provides notice that an application was made to the LGU under the Wetland Conservation Act as specified above. A copy of the application is attached. Comments can be submitted to:

Name and Title of LGU Contact Person	Comments must be received by (minimum 15
Derek Asche	business-day comment period):
Water Resources Manager	July 12, 2018
Address (if different than LGU)	Date, time, and location of decision:
Plymouth City Hall	July 24, 2018
3400 Plymouth Blvd.	7pm
Plymouth, MN, 55447	Plymouth Council Chambers
Phone Number and E-mail Address	Decision-maker for this application:
763-50-5526	☐ Staff
dasche@plymouthmn.gov	☐ Governing Board or Council

Signature: _	Dul	arch	Date: _	6/15/18

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3. LIST OF ADDRESSEES

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Department of Natural Resource	es Regional Offices:				
NW Region: Reg. Env. Assess. Ecol. Div. Ecol. Resources 2115 Birchmont Beach Rd. NE Bemidji, MN 56601	NE Region: Reg. Env. Assess. Ecol. Div. Ecol. Resources 1201 E. Hwy. 2 Grand Rapids, MN 55744	Central Region: Reg. Env. Assess. Ecol. Div. Ecol. Resources 1200 Warner Road St. Paul, MN 55106	Southern Region: Reg. Env. Assess. Ecol. Div. Ecol. Resources 261 Hwy. 15 South New Ulm, MN 56073		
For a map of DNR Administrat	tive Regions, see: http://fi	les.dnr.state.mn.us/abou	tdnr/dnr regions.pdf		
For a list of Corps of Project Managers: www.mvp.usace.army.mil/regulatory/default.asp?pageid=687 or send to:					
US Army Corps of Engineers St. Paul District, ATTN: OP-R 180 Fifth St. East, Suite 700 St. Paul, MN 55101-1678					
For Wetland Bank Plan applications, also send a copy of the application to: Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources Wetland Bank Coordinator 520 Lafayette Road North St. Paul, MN 55155					
5 ATTACUMENTS					
5. ATTACHMENTS					
In addition to the application, list any other attachments:					

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Project Name and/or Number:

PART ONE: Applicant Information

If applicant is an entity (company, government entity, partnership, etc.), an authorized contact person must be identified. If the applicant is using an agent (consultant, lawyer, or other third party) and has authorized them to act on their behalf, the agent's contact information must also be provided.

Applicant/Landowner Name: Gary Brummer

Mailing Address: 99 36th Street SW Montrose, MN 55363

Phone: 612-669-1800

E-mail Address: Plymouthcommons@hotmail.com

Authorized Contact (do not complete if same as above):

Mailing Address:

Phone:

E-mail Address:

Agent Name: Wenck Associates Inc – Meaghan Watson

Mailing Address: 7500 Olson Memorial Highway, Suite 300, Golden Valley, MN 55427

Phone: 763-252-6986

E-mail Address: mwatson@wenck.com

PART TWO: Site Location Information

County: Hennepin

City/Township: Plymouth

Parcel ID and/or Address: 2411822140010 - 3110 Nathan Lane, Plymouth, MN 55441

Legal Description (Section, Township, Range): S24, T118, R22

Lat/Long (decimal degrees):

Attach a map showing the location of the site in relation to local streets, roads, highways.

Approximate size of site (acres) or if a linear project, length (feet): 4.75

If you know that your proposal will require an individual Permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, you must provide the names and addresses of all property owners adjacent to the project site. This information may be provided by attaching a list to your application or by using block 25 of the Application for Department of the Army permit which can be obtained at:

http://www.mvp.usace.army.mil/Portals/57/docs/regulatory/RegulatoryDocs/engform 4345 2012oct.pdf

PART THREE: General Project/Site Information

If this application is related to a delineation approval, exemption determination, jurisdictional determination, or other correspondence submitted *prior to* this application then describe that here and provide the Corps of Engineers project number.

Describe the project that is being proposed, the project purpose and need, and schedule for implementation and completion. The project description must fully describe the nature and scope of the proposed activity including a description of all project elements that effect aquatic resources (wetland, lake, tributary, etc.) and must also include plans and cross section or profile drawings showing the location, character, and dimensions of all proposed activities and aquatic resource impacts.

The proposed project is located in Plymouth, Minnesota, at the existing Plymouth Commons apartment complex (Figure 1 – Site Location). The property was delineated in two separate efforts in 2016, approved in full by the WCA LGU by November 2016, and the USACE in May 2017. The approved boundaries of Wetlands 1, 2, and 3 on the property are shown in Figure 2 – 2016 Approved Delineated Wetlands.

Project Description

The proposed project is the construction of an additional small multi-family apartment building south of the existing apartment complex, with associated utilities, a widened fire lane, and parking structures.

Project Purpose and Need

The purpose of the project is to construct an 11,000-square foot multifamily apartment complex that will provide rental housing in the City of Plymouth. The building will provide an additional 24-units of multi-family market rate housing in an urbanized market with growing demand. The project is needed as population growth in the City of Plymouth and overall metro area has created a high demand for housing close to the metro core. As urbanization slowly expands out into the first-tier suburbs of the metro the availability of housing close to places of business drastically decreases. This project is proposed in order to alleviate some of the demand and aligns with the City of Plymouth's goals to increase the availability of housing within the city. The City of Plymouth 2030 Comprehensive Plan states that one of the goals of the City's housing plan is to "Actively encourage residential developers to include housing that is affordable to low-and moderate-income persons and local employees as part of their proposals in order to provide a range of mixed income housing throughout the community" and that "sites suitable for additional higher-density housing types, such as apartments, are limited".

Proposed Work in Wetlands

Wetland 1, PFOA/PEMC

The newly constructed building will be constructed in upland; however, a minor amount of temporary disturbance is proposed (Impact 1) to Wetland 1 for the installation of 110 linear feet of sanitary sewer pipe to the new building. Additionally, the project proposes to impact 100 square feet of Wetland 1 to allow for grading around the building. The Applicant requests approval under WCA for temporary impacts (No-Loss - 8420.0415) and de minimis (Exemption 0 8420.0420). The proposed temporary and de minimis project impacts are shown in Appendix A, Site Plans Page C-104 (de minimis) and C-402 (temporary).

Wetland 3, PEMC

The City of Plymouth requires the widening of the existing fire lane to 20 feet for safety purposes and requested this during the project design process. The existing fire lane width does not meet current fire lane safety requirements. The fire lane is located along the southwestern corner of the existing building and corresponds to the temporary impact area within Wetland 1, where new sanitary sewer pipe will be installed. The expansion will result in 2,301 square feet of proposed impacts to Wetland 3. The attached Supplemental Information provides a discussion of impacts, sequencing, and proposed mitigation. The proposed fill impacts are shown in Appendix A, Site Plans Page C-105.

There is no proposed work in Wetland 2.

Project Name and/or Number:

PART FOUR: Aquatic Resource Impact¹ Summary

If your proposed project involves a direct or indirect impact to an aquatic resource (wetland, lake, tributary, etc.) identify each impact in the table below. Include all anticipated impacts, including those expected to be temporary. Attach an overhead view map, aerial photo, and/or drawing showing all of the aquatic resources in the project area and the location(s) of the proposed impacts. Label each aquatic resource on the map with a reference number or letter and identify the impacts in the following table.

Aquatic Resource ID (as noted on overhead view)	Resource Type	Type of Impact (fill, excavate, drain, or remove vegetation)	Duration of Impact Permanent (P) or Temporary (T) ¹	Size of Impact ²	Overall Size of Aquatic Resource ³	Community Type(s) in Impact Area	County, Major Watershed #, and Bank Service Area # of Impact Area
Wetland 1	Wetland	Excavate/Backfill	T(14)	0.13 ac	NA	Floodplain Forest/Shallow Marsh	Hennepin, #20, BSA 7
Wetland 1	Wetland	Fill	Р	100 sq ft	2.91 ac (in project area)	Floodplain Forest/Shallow Marsh	Hennepin, #20, BSA 7
Wetland 3	Wetland	Fill	Р	2,301 sq ft	NA	Shallow Marsh	Hennepin, #20, BSA 7

If impacts are temporary; enter the duration of the impacts in days next to the "T". For example, a project with a temporary access fill that would be removed after 220 days would be entered "T (220)".

If any of the above identified impacts have already occurred, identify which impacts they are and the circumstances associated with each:

NA

PART FIVE: Applicant Signature

Che	ck here if you are requesting a <u>pre-application</u> consultation with the Corps and LGU based on the information you hav
provide	d. Regulatory entities will not initiate a formal application review if this box is checked.

By signature below, I attest that the information in this application is complete and accurate. I further attest that I possess the authority to undertake the work described herein.

Signature:

6-12-18 Date:

I hereby authorize

to act on my behalf as my agent in the processing of this application and to furnish, upon request, supplemental information in support of this application.

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²Impacts less than 0.01 acre should be reported in square feet. Impacts 0.01 acre or greater should be reported as acres and rounded to the nearest 0.01 acre. Tributary impacts must be reported in linear feet of impact and an area of impact by indicating first the linear feet of impact along the flowline of the stream followed by the area impact in parentheses). For example, a project that impacts 50 feet of a stream that is 6 feet wide would be reported as 50 ft (300 square feet).

³This is generally only applicable if you are applying for a de minimis exemption under MN Rules 8420.0420 Subp. 8, otherwise enter "N/A".

⁴Use Wetland Plants and Plant Community Types of Minnesota and Wisconsin 3rd Ed. as modified in MN Rules 8420.0405 Subp. 2.

⁵Refer to Major Watershed and Bank Service Area maps in MN Rules 8420.0522 Subp. 7.

¹ The term "impact" as used in this joint application form is a generic term used for disclosure purposes to identify activities that may require approval from one or more regulatory agencies. For purposes of this form it is not meant to indicate whether or not those activities may require mitigation/replacement.

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Type of Application (check all that ap	oply):			
✓ Wetland Boundary or Type ☐ No-Loss ☐ Exemption ☐ Sequencing ☐ Replacement Plan ☐ Banking Plan				
The Three Rivers Park District (TRPD) proposes maintenance and realignment of the Luce Line Regional Trail from State Highway 55 to West Medicine Lake Drive in Plymouth, MN. Field investigation was completed on June 22, 2018. Two wetlands and one stream were noted. Wetland 1 is a PFO1A, Type 1/2, seasonally flooded basin/fresh wet meadow dominated by buckthorn, boxelder, and jewelweed. Wetland 2 is a PFO1A, Type 1, seasonally flooded basin dominated by silver maple.				
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Name and Title of LGU Contact Per Derek Asche Water Resources Manager	Comments must be received by (minimum 15 business-day comment period): July 26, 2018			
Address (if different than LGU) Plymouth City Hall 3400 Plymouth Blvd. Plymouth, MN, 55447	Date, time, and location of decision: July 27, 2018 9am Plymouth City Hall			
Phone Number and E-mail Address 763-509-5526 dasche@plymouthmn.gov		Decision-maker for this application: ☐ Staff ☐ Governing Board or Council		
Signature: DM an-			Date: _ 7/	2/18

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