

PROJECT BRIEF -BZVD-25-7

Application Date: 03/26/2025 Meeting Date: 04/14/2025

Application Description:

An application has been filed for a Variance from Development Standards for property size less than 1 acre for a new parcel created from the parent parcel with the parcel ID of 39-09-19-000-012.001-006.

Current Zoning: Residential Agriculture (RA)	Project Location: 2200 + E CROSS RD
Applicant: Jeff Meinders/Rykers Ridge Sewer	Owner: TRIPLE D PROPERTIES LLC
District	

Preliminary Staff Recommendation: Approve

Conditions: NA

Reasoning:

While the application does not satisfy Findings of Fact #3, staff does not think that is enough for warrant the denial of this application. The minimum lot area within RA in the drafted UDO is listed as ½ acre.

History, Relevant Information, & Prior Approvals: History:

Staff received plat from the applicant for signature to split off a new parcel. Staff noted that the new parcel would be smaller than required by zoning. Staff requested variance application be submitted prior to signing plat.

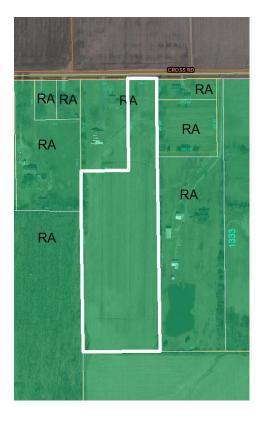
Relevant Information:

Rykers Ridge Sewer District intends to build a lift station on the new parcel. They only need ½ acre for their use.

Prior Approvals: NA

Surrounding Zoning and Land Use:

North: Jefferson County Zoning - AG
South: Residential Agriculture (RA)
East: Residential Agriculture (RA)
West: Residential Agriculture (RA)



Comprehensive Plan, Ordinances, & Finding of Fact

Comprehensive Plan:

Future Land Use Designations (pg. 74-78)

AGRICULTURE / RURAL RESIDENTIAL

The Agriculture/Rural Residential land use designation generally occurs outside of the incorporated boundaries but within the two-mile fringe. The designation implies traditional farming practices such as crop production, livestock, agricultural production and storage centers (such as grain elevators); agricultural research; stables, wineries, and other natural and food production related activities. This also includes Rural Residential development. Activities characterized as agritourism (farm trails, farmers' markets, and roadside stands) may occur here. Development in this area will likely not be connected to municipal water or sanitary sewer. Development other than agriculture or associated rural residential should not be encouraged to minimize potential conflicts with other land uses.

Ordinance:

SECTION 6.11 - RESIDENTIAL AGRICULTURAL (RA) (Page 39-44)

A. General Restrictions

- 1. Floor area ratio Not to exceed two tenths (0.20).
- 2. Lot area Not less than one (1) acre (43,560 square feet).
- 3. Lot width Not less than one hundred fifty (150) feet.
- 4. Signage within the Historic district All signs within the Historical District require a Certificate of Appropriateness and must comply with the signage requirements of the City's Historic Ordinance 151.36.

Finding of Fact:

Finding of Fact #1 - Will approval of this application will be injurious to the public health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the community?

The applicant has provided	No, it will be fenced with screening plantings. Will have odor controls
the following response:	in place.
Staff Response:	No, the steering committee for the UDO is proposing ½ acre lot
	minimum within RA. There are several lots of that size within RA.

Finding #1 has been satisfied.

Finding of Fact #2 - Will the use and value of the area adjacent to the property included in the variance will be affected in a substantially adverse manner?

The applicant has provided	No, it will be hidden.
the following response:	
Staff Response:	No, the lot size of this proposal has no impact on the adjacent area.

Finding #2 has been satisfied.

Finding of Fact #3 - The strict application of the terms of the Zoning Ordinance will result in practical difficulties in the use of the property.

The applicant has provided	No, only ½ acre is needed and seller only wants to sell ½ acre.
the following response:	
Staff Response:	No, if the owner was willing to sell more to the applicant, they could
	meet the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance.

Finding #3 has not been satisfied.



Name: TELEGRAPH HILL RIKERS RIDGE RSD

DOCKET ID ASSIGNED:

OWNER INFORMATION (IF DIFFERENT*)

101 W Main St Madison, IN 47250 (812) 265-8324

Application for Variance	
from Development Standards	S

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Application Fee \$ 60.00
Ad Fee (for Legal Notice) \$ 15.00
Recording Fee \$ 25.00

Total Due \$ 100.00

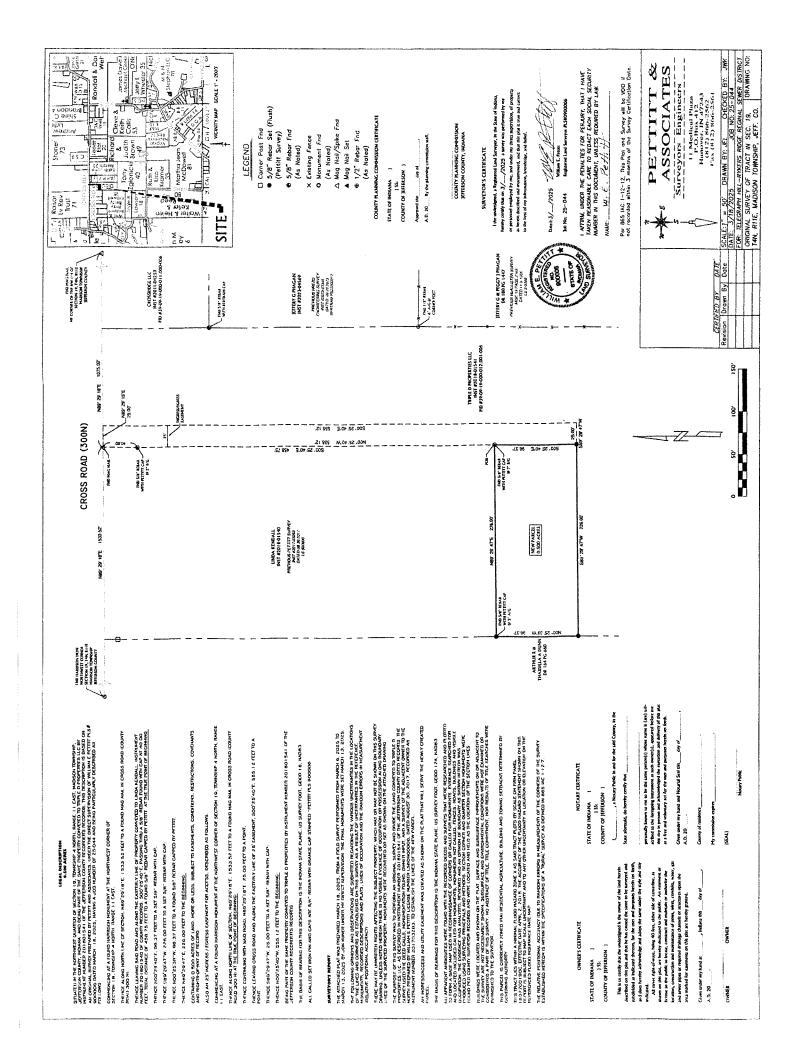
Paper applications will be accepted by the Office of Planning, Preservation, and Design; however, electronic submissions through our Permit Portal are preferred. This application can be submitted electronically at www.madison-in.gov/reporting.

Purpose: Per the City of Madison Zoning Ordinance, the Board of Zoning Appeals shall approve or deny variance from development standards from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance. The Board may impose reasonable conditions as a part of its approval. A variance may be approved only upon a determination by the Board.

This application must be filed <u>at least 15 days prior</u> to scheduled meeting to be eligible for consideration at that meeting. Actual deadlines vary due to holidays, office business hours and operating schedule, media publishing deadlines, etc. Deadlines are published publicly and can also be provided by contacting the Planning Office.

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City: MADISON State: 1 Zip: 47250	City:		Zip:
Phone (Preferred): 5/2 265 2578	Phone (Preferred):		
Phone (Alternate): 812 265 3917	Phone (Alternate):		
Email: BRENDASTAX @ GMAIL. COM	Email:		
* If Applicant is not Owner, MUST submit documentation from own	ner authorizing applicant o	on their behal	f.
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Zoning Classification: RH			
Description of Existing Use: Vacant			
Description of Proposed Use: 1174 Station			
List sections of the Zoning Ordinance for which a variance is re-	quested: MINIMUI	n lot	SIZE
Describe why a variance is requested: Purchasing	1/2 acre for	LA	Station

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REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AGREEMENT

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Seller is the owner of land and improvements located thereon (the "Property") described hereafter, which Seller desires to sell and Buyer desires to purchase a portion of the Property, all on the terms hereinafter provided.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter contained, it is hereby mutually agreed by and between Seller and Buyer as follows:

1. Agreement to Sell and Purchase. Seller agrees to sell to Buyer a portion of the Property owned by Seller, located in Jefferson County, Indiana, and described as:

Approximately 0.5 acre off the 7.619 acres owned by Seller known as: Part of NE COR NW 19-4-11

Also, a twenty-five (25) foot wide permanent access easement for ingress and egress off Cross Road, Madison, Indiana, across Seller's Property, with an additional ten (10) foot temporary construction easement to the East and South of the permanent Easement.

Parcel No. 39-09-19-000-012.001-006

Commonly known as 2200 + E Cross Rd., Madison, IN 47250

This Purchase Agreement shall become null and void if not signed by the Buyer on or before 5:00 p.m. EST, February 28, 2025.

2. <u>Purchase Price</u>. The purchase price to be paid by Buyer to Seller for the Property is (hereinafter designated as the "Purchase Price") and shall be paid by the Buyer on Date of Closing. In addition, the Buyer shall provide the sewer tap at no

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

SITUATED IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 11 EAST, MADISON TOWNSHIP JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA AND BEING PART OF THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO TRIPLE D PROPERTIES LLC BY INSTRUMENT NUMBER 201801541 OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY RECORDER'S RECORDS, THIS DESCRIPTION IS BASED ON AN ORIGINAL SURVEY PREPARED BY PETTITT AND ASSOCIATES, UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF WILLIAM E PETTITT PLS# 900006 DATED MARCH 18, 2025, HAVING A JOB NUMBER OF 25-044 AND BEING PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS

COMMENCING AT A FOUND HARRISON MONUMENT AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 11 EAST;

THENCE ALONG NORTH LINE OF SECTION, N89°29'18"E, 1533.52 FEET TO A FOUND MAG NAIL IN CROSS ROAD (COUNTY ROAD 300 N):

THENCE LEAVING SAID ROAD AND ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF PROPERTY CONVEYED TO LINDA KENDALL, INSTRUMENT NUMBER 20 | 80 | 540 OF COUNTY RECORDS, SOO°25'40"E, PASSING THRU A 5/8" REBAR FOUND WITH CAP AT 40.00 FEET, TOTAL DISTANCE OF 458.75 FEET TO A FOUND 5/8" REBAR CAPPED BY PETITIT AT THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING:

THENCE SOO°25'40"E, 96.37 FEET TO A SET 5/8" REBAR WITH CAP;

THENCE \$89°29'47"W, 226.00 FEET TO A SET 5/8" REBAR WITH CAP;

THENCE NOO°25'39"W, 96.37 FEET TO A FOUND 5/8" REBAR CAPPED BY PETTITT;

THENCE N89°29'47"E, 226.00 FEET TO THE BEGINNING:

CONTAINING O.500 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO EASEMENTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS, COVENANTS, AND RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF RECORD.

ALSO AN 25' INGRESS / EGRESS EASEMENT FOR ACCESS, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

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THENCE CONTINUING WITH SAID ROAD, N89°29'18"E, 25.00 FEET TO A POINT;

THENCE LEAVING CROSS ROAD AND ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF 25' EASEMENT, SOO°25'40"E, 555.12 FEET TO A

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BEING PART OF THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO TRIPLE D PROPERTIES BY INSTRUMENT NUMBER 20 | 80 | 54 | OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY RECORDER'S RECORDS.

THE BASIS OF BEARING FOR THIS DESCRIPTION IS THE INDIANA STATE PLANE, US SURVEY FOOT, GEIOD 18, NAD83.

ALL CALLED SET IRON PIN AND CAPS ARE 5/8" REBAR WITH ORANGE CAP STAMPED "PETTITT PLS 900006.

THE ATTACHED PLAT WAS PREPARED MARCH 18, 2025, FROM A FIELD SURVEY PERFORMED FROM MARCH 6, 2025 TO MARCH 13, 2025 BY JON KUNER UNDER MY DIRECT SUPERVISION. THE FINAL MONUMENTS WERE SET MARCH 13, 2025.

THE FOLLOWING OPINIONS AND OBSERVATIONS ARE SUBMITTED REGARDING THE VARIOUS UNCERTAINTIES IN THE LOCATIONS OF THE LINES AND CORNERS AS ESTABLISHED ON THIS SURVEY AS A RESULT OF UNCERTAINTIES IN THE REFERENCE MONUMENTS, RECORDED DESCRIPTIONS AND PLATS, LINES OF OCCUPATION AND THE RANDOM ERRORS IN MEASUREMENT

THERE MAY BE UNWRITTEN RIGHTS AFFECTING THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, WHICH MAY OR MAY NOT BE SHOWN ON THIS SURVEY DRAWING. UNLESS NOTED HEREON THERE IS NO VISIBLE EVIDENCE OF OCCUPATION OR POSSESSION ALONG BOUNDARY LINES OF THE SURVEYED PROPERTY. MONUMENTS WERE RECOVERED OR SET AS SHOWN ON THE ATTACHED DRAWING.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS SURVEY WAS TO PERFORM AN ORIGINAL SURVEY AND DIVIDE THE LAND CONVEYED TO TRIPLE D PROPERTIES LLC, AS DESCRIBED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 201801541 OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY DEED RECORDS. THE SURVEY USED THE DEED CALLS, MONUMENTATION FOUND, OWNER INPUT, AND A SURVEY OF THE ADJACENT OWNER TO THE NORTH PREPARED BY WILLIAM E PETTITT LICENSE NUMBER LS80900006, DATED AUGUST 30, 2017, RECORDED AS INSTRUMENT NUMBER 201703293, TO ESTABLISH THE LINES OF THE NEW PARCEL.

AN INGRESS/ACCESS AND UTILITY EASEMENT WAS CREATED AS SHOWN ON THE PLAT THAT WILL SERVE THE NEWLY CREATED

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NO APPARENT AMBIGUMES WERE FOUND WITH THE RECORDED DEEDS AND SURVEYS THAT WERE RESEARCHED AND PLOTTED TO FORM A BASE MAP USED IN RECONNAISSANCE OF CORNERS OR CALLED FOR MONUMENTS. EVIDENCE SEARCHED FOR AND LOCATED INCLUDED CALLED FOR MONUMENTS, MONUMENTS NOT CALLED, FENCES, ROADS, BUILDINGS AND VISIBLE OCCUPATION, THE EVIDENCE WAS ANALYZED, REVIEWED AND AN OPINION OF BOUNDARY AS SHOWN HEREON WAS PRODUCED USING SURVEYING PRINCIPALS AND METHODS. SECTION CORNER AND QUARTER SECTION MONUMENTS WERE FOUND PER COUNTY SURVEYOR RECORDS AND WERE LOCATED AND HELD AS THE LOCATION OF THE SECTION LINES.

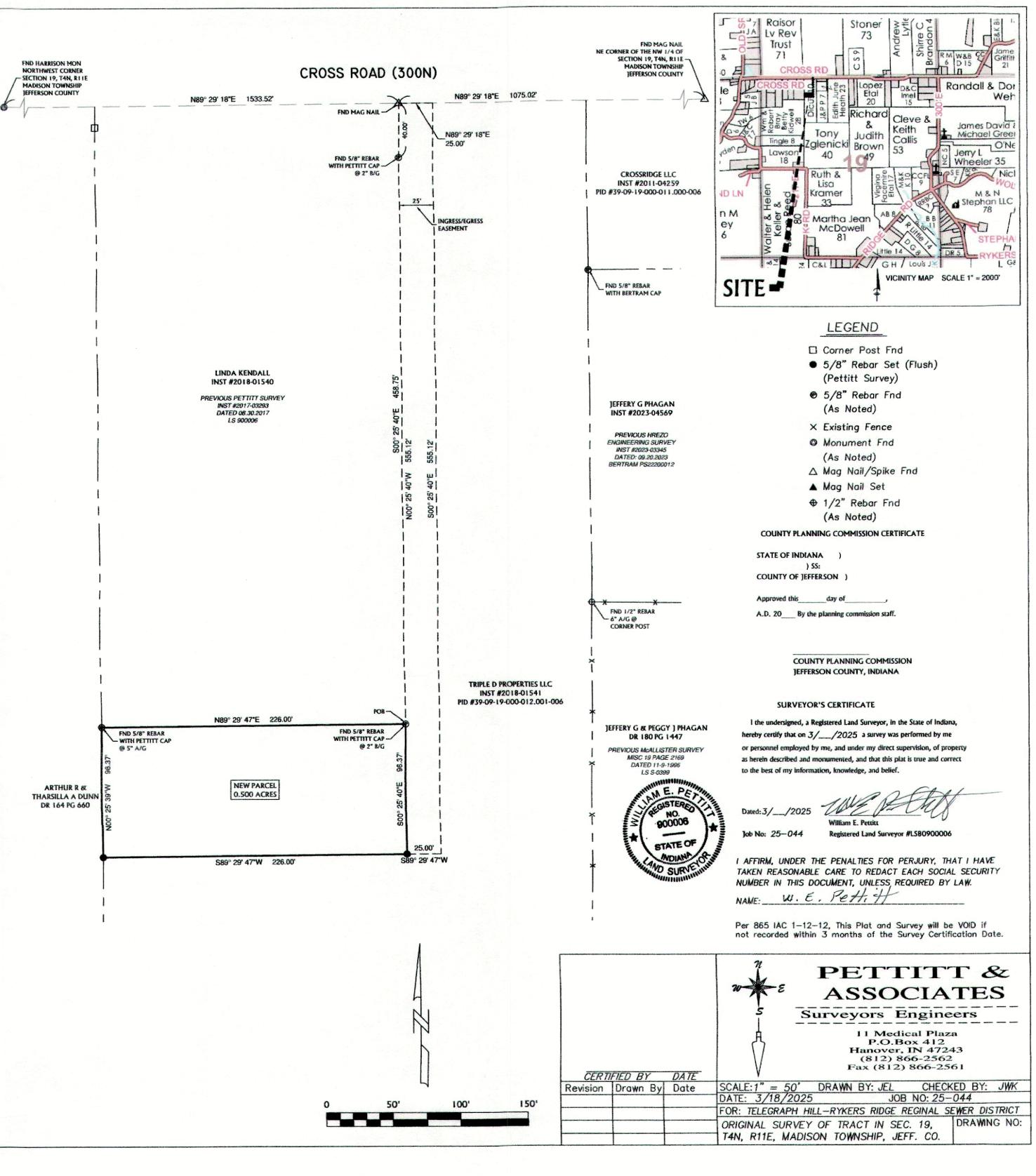
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THIS PARCEL IS CURRENTLY ZONED (RA) RESIDENTIAL AGRICULTURE. BUILDING AND ZONING SETBACKS DETERMINED BY

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OWNER'S CERTIFICATE	NOTARY CERTIFICATE
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) SS: OUNTY OF JEFFERSON)	COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)
This is to certify that the undersigned is the owner of the land herein	I,, a Notary Public in and for the said County, in the
lescribed on this plat and that he has caused the same to be surveyed a ubdivided as indicated thereon, for the uses and purposes herein set for	nd State aforesaid, do hereby certify that
and does hereby acknowledge and adopt the same under the style and t	title
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