



**KENDALL COUNTY
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
PUBLIC HEARING/MEETING**

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AGENDA

August 28, 2023 – 7:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER – ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

ROLL CALL for the Zoning Board of Appeals: Randy Mohr (Chair); Scott Cherry, Cliff Fox, Tom LeCuyer, Jillian Prodehl, Dick Thompson, and Dick Whitfield

MINUTES: Approval of Minutes from the May 1, 2023, Zoning Board of Appeals Hearing/Meeting (Pages 3-27)
Approval of Minutes from the July 31, 2023, Zoning Board of Appeals Gathering (Page 28)

PETITIONS:

1. **Petition 23 – 24 – Dave Hamman on Behalf of KEKA Farms, LLC (Property Owner) and Pulte Home Corporation (Billboard Owner) (Pages 29-72)**
Request: Renew the Special Use Permit Granted by Ordinance 2004-43 and Renewed by Ordinance 2021-17 Allowing the Placement of an Outdoor Advertising Sign (Billboard) at the Subject Property
PIN: 03-01-127-006
Location: Northeast Corner of the Intersection of U.S. Route 34 and Hafenrichter (Farnsworth) in Oswego Township
Purpose: Petitioner Wishes to Renew Special Use Permit for Billboard; Property is Zoned M-2
2. **Petition 23 – 26 – Jeffery D. Milroy on Behalf of Milroy Farms, LLC (Pages 73-158)**
Request: Renew a Special Use Permit for a Composting Facility
PIN: 02-08-100-006
Location: 1270 E. Beecher Road, Bristol in Bristol Township
Purpose: Petitioner Wishes to Renew Special Use Permit for Composting Facility; Property is Zoned A-1 with a Special Use Permit

NEW BUSINESS/ OLD BUSINESS

1. Village of Plainfield Community Visioning Workshops (Page 159)

REVIEW OF PETITIONS THAT WENT TO COUNTY BOARD

1. Petition 23-05 Subdivision Ordinance Amendments Related to Phone Numbers
2. Petition 23-06 Subdivision Ordinance Amendments Related to County Stormwater Engineer
3. Petition 23-07 Subdivision Ordinance Amendments Related to Dead Links
4. Petition 23-08 Zoning Ordinance Amendments Related to the Definitions of Brew Pub and Micro Brewery
5. Petition 23-09 Zoning Ordinance Amendments Related to the Definition of Tent
6. Petition 23-10 Zoning Ordinance Amendments Related to the Illinois Mobile Home Safety Act
7. Petition 23-11 Incorporating Procedures for Closing Petitions Due to Inactivity into the Zoning Ordinance
8. Petition 23-12 Zoning Ordinance Amendments Related to Commercial Wind and Solar Regulations
9. Petition 23-13 Zoning Ordinance Amendments Related to Kennels
10. Petition 23-17 Zoning Ordinance Amendments Related to Chickens
11. Petition 23-19 Special Use Permit and Related Variances Allowing a Landscaping Business at 5022 Route 126

PUBLIC COMMENT:

ADJOURN ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS- Next hearing/meeting on October 2, 2023

If special accommodations or arrangements are needed to attend this County meeting, please contact the Administration Office at 630-553-4171, a minimum of 24-hours prior to the meeting time.

MINUTES – UNOFFICIAL UNTIL APPROVED
KENDALL COUNTY
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING
111 WEST FOX STREET, COUNTY BOARD ROOM (ROOMS 209 and 210)
YORKVILLE, IL 60560
May 1, 2023 – 7:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Randy Mohr called the Zoning Board of Appeals meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Members Present: Scott Cherry, Cliff Fox (arrived at 7:05 p.m.), Tom LeCuyer, Randy Mohr, Jillian Prodehl, Dick Thompson, and Dick Whitfield

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Matthew Asselmeier, AICP, CFM, Senior Planner

Others Present: Mark Daniel and Rebecca Wintczak

MINUTES:

Member LeCuyer made a motion, seconded by Member Cherry, to approve the minutes of the March 27, 2023, hearing/meeting.

With a voice vote of six (6) ayes, the motion carried.

PETITIONS

The Zoning Board of Appeals started their review of Petition 23-01 at 7:00 p.m.

Petition 23 – 01 – Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee

Request: Involuntary Revocation of a Special Use Permit for a Specialty Gift Store Granted by Ordinance 2009-25

PINs: 02-14-452-005

Location: 7275 Route 34, Oswego in Bristol Township

Purpose: Petitioners Want to Revoke the Special Use Permit for Inactivity and Non-Compliance; Property is Zoned R-3 with a Special Use Permit

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

On July 21, 2009, the Kendall County Board granted a special use permit for a specialty gift store at 7275 Route 34, Oswego. Restriction 1 of the special use permit stated that the special use permit shall be inspected yearly. Ordinance 2009-25 was provided.

Per information found on Facebook, Jo Ric Gift and Home Décor operated at the subject property for several years, but a retirement sale occurred in 2020 and the business closed in January 2021. This information was provided.

The Planning, Building and Zoning Department attempted to conduct an inspection in August 2021 and the property was described as vacant. The email related to this inspection was provided.

In the summer of 2022, the Planning, Building and Zoning Department again attempted to conduct an inspection, but the property was vacant. Following this attempt, the Planning, Building and Zoning Department attempted to send letters to the property owner asking if they would like to revoke the special use permit. The covers of these letters were provided. The Planning, Building and Zoning Department did not receive any response to these letters.

In addition to the letters, a picture from Google from 2018 and a picture from Google from 2021 were also provided.

The property sold in November 2021.

At their meeting on January 9, 2023, the Planning, Building, and Zoning Committee voted to initiate the revocation of the special use permit. Following the January Planning, Building and Zoning Committee, Staff attempted again to contact the property, including placing a hearing sign on the property. The property owner originally verbally said they would evaluate their options and let the Department know which course of action they would take. Other than one (1) phone call in January 2023, the property owner has not initiated conversations with the Department. Emails with the property owner were provided. After the lack of communication from the property owner, Staff decided to exercise the authority granted by the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee to revoke the special use permit.

The subject properties are zoned R-3. If the special use permit is revoked, the properties will retain their R-3 zoning classification.

The proposed findings of fact were as follows:

In any case where a special use has not been established within two (2) years from the date of granting thereof, then, the County Board may revoke the special use, or if the special use has been discontinued for a continuous period of two (2) years, the County Board may revoke the special use. Based on the fact that the existing business closed in January 2021 and that no business has operated at the subject property since the previous business closed, the special use has been discontinued for a continuous period of two (2) years.

Staff recommended approval of the proposed special use permit revocation.

In addition, Staff provided an email dated April 3, 2023, from the Oswego Fire Protection District stated the property went back to being residential in 2021 and had not been inspected since that time.

Member Fox arrived at this time (7:05 p.m.)

Chairman Mohr opened the public hearing at 7:05 p.m.

Chairman Mohr swore in Mark Daniel and Rebecca Wintczak at this time.

No members of the public testified at the public hearing.

Chairman Mohr closed the public hearing at 7:05 p.m.

Member Whitfield made a motion, seconded by Member Cherry, to approve the findings of fact and recommend approval of the revocation of the special use permit.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (7): Cherry, Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (0): None
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

The proposal goes to the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee on May 8, 2023.

The Zoning Board of Appeals completed their review of Petition 23-01 at 7:06 p.m.

The Zoning Board of Appeals started their review of Petition 23-17 at 7:06 p.m.

Petition 23 – 17 – Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee

Request: Text Amendments to Kendall County Zoning Ordinance Pertaining to Chickens on
Residentially Zoned Property

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

In 2010, through Ordinance 2010-21, Kendall County legalized the keeping of a maximum of twelve (12) hens on properties zoned R-1, R-2, and R-3, provided the property was at least one (1) acre in size. A copy of this ordinance was provided.

Prior to the 2023 Kendall County Regional Planning Commission’s Annual Meeting, the County received a request from a resident in Boulder Hill to allow hens on properties zoned R-6. The resident and several other residents of Boulder Hill presented information at the Kendall County Regional Planning Commission Annual Meeting on the subject and Staff was directed to explore a text amendment on the matter.

After researching the regulations in other, nearby communities, Staff prepared the provided proposal.

In summary, the proposal would be as follows:

1. Allow the keeping of a maximum of six (6) hens on any lot zoned and used for single family residential purposes.

2. Lots one (1) acre or larger in size may have a maximum of twelve (12) hens.
3. The keeping of roosters would not be allowed on residentially zoned property, except by special use permit in the RPD Districts (this is already allowed in the Zoning Ordinance).
4. No other poultry would be allowed.
5. Confinements would have to be a maximum of ten feet (10') from residential lot lines.
6. Uncovered fence enclosure must be at least four feet (4') in height.
7. The sale of chickens or eggs would not be allowed.

A redlined version of the proposal was provided.

At their meeting on March 13, 2023, the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee voted three (3) in favor, one (1) in opposition, and one (1) absent to initiate this amendment.

The comparison table of local chicken regulations, the original request for backyard hens, and a map of the County showing areas zoned R-4, R-5, R-6, and R-7 were provided.

Petition information was emailed to the townships on March 27, 2023. To date, no comments have been received.

Greg Chismark reviewed the proposal from a stormwater quality perspective and expressed no concerns. His email was provided.

ZPAC reviewed the proposal at their meeting on April 4, 2023. Discussion occurred regarding complaints about chickens and concerns about potential health issues by having chickens on smaller lots. Three (3) residents expressed support for the proposal. One (1) resident expressed opposition to the proposal. Discussion occurred regarding code enforcement procedures. The consensus at ZPAC was this proposal was more of a policy decision and not a technical decision. For this reason, ZPAC issued a neutral recommendation by a vote of six (6) in favor, one (1) in opposition, and three (3) members absent. Member Guritz voted no because he wanted an opinion from someone that raises chickens on the impact of the proposal on residential neighborhoods and public health. The minutes of this meeting were provided.

The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission reviewed the proposal at their meeting on April 26, 2023. Discussion occurred about setting a higher minimum lot size, adding regulations pertaining to using extension cords, and adding a regulation pertaining to rodent proof containers. The consensus of the Commission was that having a higher minimum lot size would defeat the purpose of the intent of the proposal (allowing hens in Boulder Hill in certain circumstances) and adding additional regulations would be difficult to enforce. The consensus of the Commission was, if the proposal is adopted and needs to be amended in the future, the Zoning Ordinance could be amended to address unforeseen

problems. The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission voted to forward the proposal to the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals by a vote of nine (9) in favor and zero (0) in opposition with one (1) member absent. The minutes of the meeting were provided.

Chairman Mohr asked what would happen if avian flu broke out in an area of small lots. Mr. Asselmeier responded that the Illinois Department of Agricultural would have to take the chickens within the impacted area. No definition of impacted area was provided. Discussion occurred regarding the size of the impacted area.

Chairman Mohr opened the public hearing at 7:12 p.m.

Rebecca Wintczak, resident that submitted the original request, stated that she has chickens. She has hens for the eggs to feed her family. She described the area where she kept her chickens.

Member Cherry asked Ms. Wintczak the size of her lot. Ms. Wintczak responded just under one quarter (1/4) of an acre.

Having hens is presently illegal in Boulder Hill.

Member Cherry favored a one (1) acre minimum lot size because chickens will impact varmints that will negatively impact the neighboring properties.

Chairman Mohr favored a policy similar to the right to farm clause that protects people from agricultural interests if they move to a more dense development like Boulder Hill. What recourse does the County have if chickens are allowed on tiny lots? Ms. Wintczak favored finding a compromise on a minimum lot size. She compared having hens to having dogs as it relates to noise. She favored an eight thousand (8,000) square foot lot minimum.

Chairman Mohr asked Ms. Wintczak the distance of her chicken coop from the neighboring property. Ms. Wintczak responded approximately five feet (5') for the run and the coop was seventeen feet (17'). She has no neighbors behind her property.

Member Thompson asked Ms. Wintczak if she was comfortable with the United States Department of Agriculture eliminating chickens in the event of an avian flu outbreak. Ms. Wintczak responded yes because she takes public safety very seriously.

Member LeCuyer asked Ms. Wintczak how many chickens she had. Ms. Wintczak responded four (4) grown chickens and four (4) chicks. Some of the chicks probably will not survive to laying stage.

Member Prodehl asked about the maintenance aspect of having chickens. She has chickens and they destroy the grass in the area where they are kept. She asked if Ms. Wintczak had any rodent issues. Ms. Wintczak responded that her house had mice before she acquired chickens. She has not had rodents since she acquired chickens. She kept her chicken feed in a rodent proof container. She has not observed rats, opossums, or foxes.

Member Fox described a situation in Newark where someone was using their trampoline as a chicken coop. Some people also have roosters and ducks. He suggested having the chicken owners get together in an association to assist the County on compliance.

Chairman Mohr asked if Ms. Wintczak had been reported for having chickens. Mr. Asselmeier responded someone had complained about Ms. Wintczak having chickens. Ms. Wintczak explained that her neighbor complained that she had chickens after a chicken was reported on the loose in Boulder Hill.

Mr. Asselmeier noted that all chicken investigations were on hold. Chairman Mohr asked how many open investigations existed. Mr. Asselmeier responded six (6) at the most.

Chairman Mohr closed the public hearing at 7:23 p.m.

Chairman Mohr asked about the recourse the County would have if people used trampolines as chicken coops. Mr. Asselmeier responded that chicken coops would need to get building permits, but not every chicken is kept in a dedicated structure. The coops would need to meet the setbacks; the number of chickens would also be counted. Mr. Asselmeier explained the enforcement procedures.

Member Whitfield asked if, besides dogs and cats, were any other animals allowed outdoors in Boulder Hill. Mr. Asselmeier responded no.

Chairman Mohr favored a minimum lot size under one (1) acre. Discussion occurred regarding minimum lot size and the size of lots in Boulder Hill.

Member Prodehl asked how the sex of chicks was determined and how early the sex would be known. She was concerned about dumped roosters. Ms. Wintczak explained how and when the sex can be determined.

Chairman Mohr suggested moving the coops further away from the lot line.

Chairman Mohr noted the four foot (4') fence will not stop predators.

Chairman Mohr suggested setting the minimum lot size at twelve thousand (12,000) square feet.

Member Whitfield said that Boulder Hill was not an agricultural based community. He expressed concerns about adding issues to Boulder Hill.

The consensus of the Board was to have a minimum lot size of a quarter (1/4) and rounding it up to eleven thousand (11,000) square feet, which would match Yorkville's requirements.

Member Prodehl made a motion, seconded by Member Fox, to amend the Petition by setting a minimum lot size of eleven thousand (11,000) square feet.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (6): Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (1): Cherry
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

Member LeCuyer made a motion, seconded by Member Prodehl, to recommend approval of the text amendment as amended.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (6): Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (1): Cherry
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

Member Cherry voted no because chickens will attract additional animals which will negatively impact neighbors. Allowing chickens will add to the problems in Boulder Hill.

The townships will be notified of the results of the public hearing.

The proposal goes to the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee on June 12, 2023.

The Zoning Board of Appeals completed their review of Petition 23-17 at 7:38 p.m.

The Zoning Board of Appeals started their review of Petition 23-19 and Petition 23-20 at 7:38 p.m.

Petition 23 – 19 – Brent A. Stary and Tracy A. Stary on Behalf of MCB52, Inc. (Property Owner) and Roman Correa on Behalf of R&S Landscaping and Nursery, Inc. (Tenant)

Request: Special Use Permit for a Landscaping Business, Including Outdoor Storage, Variance to Section 4:05.B and Section 11:02.F.7 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance Allowing Parking and Loading No Closer Than Twenty-Five Feet from the Right-of-Way Line of Route 126 and to Allow the Handicapped Accessible Parking Space No Closer than Sixty-Nine Feet of the Right-Of-Way Line of Route 126, Variance to Section 11:02.F.4 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance to Allow Parking Spaces at a Depth of Eighteen Feet With a Two Foot Overhang, and a Variance to Section 4:09.A of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance to Allow the Driveway Off of Grove Road to be less than Twenty Feet in Width Until Such Time as the Driveway is Replaced

PINs: 06-18-200-011 and 06-18-200-013

Location: 5022 Route 126, Yorkville in Na-Au-Say Township

Purpose: Petitioners Want to Operate a Landscaping Business at the Subject Property, Property is Zoned A-1

Petition 23 – 20 – Brent A. Stary and Tracy A. Stary on Behalf of MCB52, Inc. (Property Owner) and Roman Correa on Behalf of R&S Landscaping and Nursery, Inc. (Tenant)

Request: Variance to Section 7:01.G.2.a of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance to Allow the Existing House To Be No Closer than Seventy-Three Feet South of the Right-of-Way Line of Route 126 and No Closer than Twenty-One Feet West of the Right-of-Way Line of Grove Road and a Variance to Section 7:01.G.2.b of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance to Allow Accessory Structures No Closer than Fifty-Seven Feet South of the Right-of-Way line of Route 126 and No Closer than Fifty-Three Feet West of the Right-of-Way Line of Grove Road

PINs: 06-18-200-011 and 06-18-200-013

Location: 5022 Route 126, Yorkville in Na-Au-Say Township

Purpose: Petitioners Want to Remove the Lawful Non-Conformities by Securing Applicable Variances A-1

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the requests.

In October 2022, the Planning, Building and Zoning Department received a complaint regarding a landscaping business operating at 5022 Route 126 without a special use permit. In the intervening months, the property owner and business owner worked with an attorney and engineer to submit an application for a special use permit.

The Petitioners are seeking a special use permit for a landscaping business, including allowing outdoor storage of materials. They are also seeking variances to Section 4:05.B and Section 11:02.F.7 to allow outdoor parking and loading no closer than twenty-five feet (25') of the right-of-way line of Route 126 and to allow a portion of the accessible parking space to be no closer than sixty-nine feet (69') of the south right-of-way line of Route 126; parking is not allowed within the front-yard setback. The Petitioners would like a variance to Section 11:02.F.4 to allow parking spaces with a depth of eighteen feet (18') with an overhang of two feet (2') instead of the twenty foot (20') depth requirement. Finally, they are seeking a variance to Section 4:09.A to allow the existing driveway on Grove Road to be less than twenty feet (20') in width until such time as the driveway is replaced.

The Petitioners also wish to use the existing house and existing accessory structures for their business. Some of these structures pre-date the adoption of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance. The Petitioners are requesting a variance to Section 7:01.G.2.a to allow the existing house to be no closer than seventy-three feet (73') south of the right-of-way line of Route 126 instead of the required one hundred feet (100') and no closer than twenty-one feet (21') west of the right-of-way line of Grove Road instead of the required one hundred feet (100'). The Petitioners are also requesting a variance to

Section 7:01.G.2.b to allow accessory structures no closer than fifty-seven feet (57') south of the right-of-way line of Route 126 instead of the required one hundred feet (100') and no closer than fifty-three feet (53') west of the right of the right-of-way line of Grove Road instead of the required one hundred feet (100'). These requests are part of a separate Petition (Petition 23-20).

Finally, the Petitioners wish to have the opportunity to use the home on the property to house an employee of the landscaping and nursery business. Accordingly, they request a conditional use permit for that purpose, which is a separate Petition (Petition 23-21).

Prior to the Kendall County Regional Planning Commission meeting, the Petitioners submitted a revised site plan. The site plan removed a large amount of the CA-7 and replaced it with gravel. The signs at the entrance to property at Route 126 were moved out of the right-of-way. The revised site plan was provided.

The application materials, stormwater information, existing conditions survey, original site plan, landscaping plan, and pictures of the property were provided.

The property is approximately two point nine (2.9) acres in size.

The County's plan called for the property to be Commercial. Yorkville's plan calls for the property to be Estate Residential.

Route 126 is a State maintained Arterial. Grove Road is a Major Collector maintained by the County.

Yorkville has a trail planned along Route 126 and Grove Road.

There are no floodplains or wetlands on the property.

The adjacent land uses are agricultural.

The adjacent properties are zoned A-1.

The County's plan calls for the area to be Commercial. Yorkville's Plan calls for the area to be Estate Residential and Agricultural. Oswego's Plan calls for the area to be Agricultural.

The properties within one half (1/2) mile are zoned A-1, A-1 SU, and RPD-2.

Grove Road is the boundary line between the United City of Yorkville's and the Village of Oswego's planning areas.

The A-1 special use permits to the west are for a golf course.

A cemetery is located near the subject property to the south.

Approximately six (6) houses and the Whitetail Ridge Subdivision are located within one point five (1.5) miles of the subject property.

EcoCAT Report was submitted on February 22, 2023, and consultation was terminated.

The NRI Application was submitted on February 15, 2023. The LESA Score was 231 indicating a high level of protection. The NRI was provided.

Petition information was sent to Na-Au-Say Township on March 27, 2023. To date, no comments received.

Petition information was sent to the United City of Yorkville on March 27, 2023. To date, no comments received.

Petition information was sent to the Bristol Kendall Fire Protection District on March 27, 2023. To date, no comments received.

ZPAC reviewed this proposal at their meeting on April 4, 2023. Discussion occurred regarding the septic system at the property; the property would remain a single-family home, but would have an office component. The Health Department requested the Petitioners to work with the Health Department, should the use become more intense. Discussion also occurred regarding traffic circulation and the potential widening of nearby roads. No additional right-of-way was foreseen. ZPAC recommended approval of the proposal with the addition of a condition stating that, pending approval of the Illinois Department of Transportation, the owners of the business allowed by the special use permit shall have the option to install a right-in, right-out access off of Route 126; signage shown on the site plan may be adjusted to reflect this access by vote of seven (7) in favor and zero (0) in opposition. Three (3) members were absent. The minutes of the meeting were provided.

The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission reviewed the proposal at their meeting on April 26, 2023. The Petitioners were agreeable to the conditions. The current owners have owned the property for approximately five (5) years and the landscaping business has been operating at the property since October 2022. Discussion also occurred regarding the noise regulations, if a new house was constructed closer to the subject property. The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission recommended approval of the requested special use permit and variances with the conditions proposed by Staff with an amendment stating that only homes in existence prior to the issuance of the special use permit could file noise complaints by a vote of nine (9) in favor and zero (0) in opposition with one (1) member absent. The minutes of the meeting were provided.

Per Section 7:01.D.30 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance, landscaping businesses can be special uses on A-1 zoned property subject to the following conditions:

1. All vehicles, equipment and materials associated with a landscaping business shall be stored entirely within an enclosed structure, unless otherwise permitted under the terms of this Special Use Permit.

2. The business shall be located on, and have direct access to, a State, County or Collector Highway as identified in the County's LRMP, having an all-weather surface, designed to accommodate loads of at least 73,280 lbs, unless otherwise approved in writing by the agency having jurisdiction over said Highway. Such approvals shall establish limitations as to the number of employees and types of vehicles coming to and from the site that are engaged in the operation of the use (including delivery vehicles). These restrictions shall be included as controlling conditions of the Special Use.
3. No landscape waste generated off the property can be burned on this site.

If the County Board approves the outdoor storage of materials and variances, the above conditions have been met.

As noted in the project narrative, the Petitioners would like to operate R&S Landscaping and Nursery at the subject property. The existing home would be used as the office for the business and would possibly be used as a dwelling in the future for an employee. The northern most barn would be used as a tool shop and meeting space.

No retail activities related to the business would occur at the subject property.

The business would be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. everyday throughout the year. The business has a maximum of seventeen (17) employees, during the busy season. The business hauls vegetation and other landscaping items from the property to work sites. Employees either report to the subject property or report directly to job sites. Equipment is parked either at the subject property or the job site.

The site plan (Attachment 4) shows seven (7) four foot (4') tall concrete block storage areas approximately five feet (5') from the western property line. These storage areas range from approximately one thousand seven ten (1,710) square feet in size to approximately five hundred ten (510) square feet in size. All of the storage areas are thirty feet (30') in depth. The storage areas will hold top soil, boulders, sand, mulch, gravel, landscape waste, and brush. No piles will be taller than six feet (6') in height. Areas for outdoor equipment storage are located east of an interior driveway. One (1) outdoor storage area for bricks is planned is also planned in this area.

In addition to the landscaping component, the Petitioners will have a nursery with two (2) membrane flower storage areas and areas for growing trees, bushes, and flowers. The nursery area will be located south of the gravel driveway.

One (1) one point five (1.5) story, approximately one thousand three hundred ninety-two (1,392) square foot house, is located on the property. There is one (1) approximately five hundred fifty (550) square foot detached garage, one (1) approximately one thousand seventy (1,070) square foot accessory building (labeled as machine tool shop, storage, breakroom and meeting room on the site plan), one approximately seven hundred (700) square foot chicken coop, and one (1) approximately three eight hundred sixty (3,680) square foot accessory building (labeled as equipment storage on the site plan). Two (2) silos are also located on the property.

Any structures related to the landscaping business would be required to obtain applicable building permits, including changes in occupancy.

The property is served by a well and septic. Employees would use these facilities, if at the property. Since no retail sales would occur at the property, few, if any, guests of the business would be on the property to use restroom facilities.

The property has a propane tank, which will be protected by bollards.

No dedicated refuse area for non-landscape related waste was shown on the site plan. Garbage would be removed using a commercial hauler.

The property drains to the west and south.

The Petitioners submitted an application for a stormwater management permit. WBK Engineering submitted comments on the stormwater management permit application, which were provided. To date, WBK Engineering has not commented on the new calculations.

Per the site plan, the Petitioners' propose to make the driveway off of Grove Road as the main access point. This driveway is approximately seven feet (7') wide. The Petitioners propose to widen the driveway to approximately fifteen feet (15') in width. The driveway expands to twenty-four feet (24') in width west of the propane tank. The Petitioners are pursuing a variance related to this driveway.

The property also has access from Route 126.

The Illinois Department of Transportation submitted an email on March 31, 2023. The Petitioners agreed to keep IDOT informed of the activities at the property and IDOT said they would evaluate the existing access permit, if necessary, in the future. This email was provided.

According to the site plan, the Petitioners propose nine (9) parking spaces south of the brick storage and equipment storage area along the southern driveway. One (1) handicapped accessible parking space is proposed north of the existing garage.

The southern driveway would be gravel and would be twenty-four feet (24') in width.

One (1) north-south twenty foot (20') wide driveway would be located between the storage areas and stockpiles and a second fifteen foot (15') wide east-west driveway would be located between the two (2) equipment storage and truck parking area. These drives would be gravel.

One (1) twenty-four foot (24') wide gravel driveway would run from the southern driveway to the handicapped parking space.

The driveway north of the handicapped parking space to Route 126 would be asphalt.

The existing conditions survey and the site plan show five (5) lights attached to the middle portions of buildings, two (2) lights at building corners, and one (1) new eighteen foot (18') tall wall mounted light. These lights are considered necessary for security reasons. The sign at the northeast corner of the property would also be illuminated from 6:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m. as allowed by the Zoning Ordinance.

According to the site plan, the Petitioners propose to install one (1) thirty-two (32) square foot wooden sign near the northeast corner of the property. The sign would be illuminated as detailed previously.

Two (2) proposed "Do Not Enter" signs are proposed at the driveway on Route 126. One (1) "No Left Turn" sign is proposed in the same area. These signs might be removed or altered if right-in, right-out access is granted at this entrance.

Other than lighting, no other security information was provided.

The site plan and landscaping plan show twenty-six (26) black hill spruce trees and ten (10) emerald green arborvitae near the north property line. The spruce trees are approximately seven (7') feet in height and the arborvitae are approximately twelve (12') feet in height. There are twenty-eight (28) white pines and twenty-one (21) arborvitae at the southeast corner of the property. The white pines are approximately ten feet (10') in height and the arborvitae are approximately twelve (12') feet in height. Several other plantings are scattered throughout the site, including landscaping around the sign at the northeast corner of the property.

On the landscaping plan the Petitioners noted the existing row of trees located to the west of the subject property. The Petitioners are agreeable to planting trees on the subject property if the trees on the adjoining property are removed.

No information was provided regarding noise control.

No information was provided regarding odor control.

If approved, this would be the nineteenth (19th) special use permit for a landscaping business in unincorporated Kendall County.

The proposed Findings of Fact for the special use permit were as follows:

The establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. Petitioners plan to preserve existing buildings and the existing sign on the north accessory building. Areas surrounding the property are zoned and used for agricultural purposes. Petitioners plan for drainage and will maintain the existing direction, rate and volume of stormwater flowing in the handful of directions noted in the elevations submitted within the application. Petitioners will reduce use of the Route 126 driveway from full access to emergency right-out only use. The main entrance is sufficiently south of Route 126 and there is ample stacking to make a safe left turn into the main driveway without obstructing left turns from Grove Road

onto Route 126. Most of the variances requested relate to existing conditions. The location of the parking, loading and storage yard in the west half of the property relates to the circumstance that all existing buildings are centralized. The avoidance of paving for parking and loading and the loading space variation are the only new development needs for relief from the Zoning Ordinance.

The special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use makes adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. The subject property is in a large A-1 Agricultural District. Growing of trees, shrubs and flowers is a form of agricultural use. Growing is one part of the use proposed in the application. The use will not impede farms on the four adjacent and opposing sides of the Property. The use is deemed legislatively compatible because it meets all of the requirements contained in the Zoning Ordinance for landscaping businesses, if permission is granted for outdoor storage of materials. The use at the subject property will meet several purposes for the A-1 district as outlined in Section 7:01.A of the Zoning Ordinance, including the preservation of fertile, tillable soils as a valuable natural resource by recharging soils and groundwater, by respecting grades and by engaging in a mix of soil planting and planting in potters, all the while re-using an existing residential home and outbuildings that have long existed. Reasonable restrictions, including hours of operation, maximum number of employees at the property, noise regulations, and lighting requirements are proposed that will protect the enjoyment and use of other properties in the vicinity.

Adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. Restrictions can be placed in the special use permit to address the number of people on the property. No retail customers will be on the property. As such, there are sufficient utilities on the property to handle the proposed uses. The intersection abutting the northeast corner of the Property is sufficiently designed with ample left turn stacking and a stop sign control for traffic crossing Route 126. The existing driveways are sufficiently connected to Grove Road (main driveway) and Route 126 (emergency limited access). Drainage on the property flows in three directions, with most stormwater eventually flowing south down a change in grade of roughly five feet (5'). Petitioners have restored a tile and respected drainage rights under the Illinois Drainage Code in the present placement of cement blocks to allow for the passage of stormwater in the one (1) area of the Property where it flows west and to avoid redirecting stormwater other than to the south. Otherwise, stormwater flows into the culverts along roadways. A stormwater management permit will be secured.

The special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to

the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals. Petitioners provided an A-1 Agricultural District Table of Compliance addressing all elements of zoning compliance. Variations are necessary, but these variations are primarily related to preservation of existing buildings, structures, and improvements. New relief related to the loading and storage yard places this activity in an area where there was prior activity west of the smaller barn. The use area will benefit from a continuous screen of trees that have already been planted at a substantial height.

The special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. The use involves a commercial operation recognized as the use that will prevail at the property under the Land Resource Management Plan. The proposal is also consistent with a goal and objective found on page 10-11 of the Land Resource Management Plan, "A strong base of agriculture, commercial and industry that provide a broad range of job opportunities, a healthy tax base, and improved quality of services to County residents." ". . . encourage additional agriculture and agribusiness."

The proposed Findings of Fact for the variance to allow yard obstructions and parking areas in the setbacks were as follows:

The particular physical surroundings, shape, or topographical condition of the specific property involved would result in a particular hardship or practical difficulty upon the owner if the strict letter of the regulations were carried out. The topography and stormwater flow runs west or south. Substantially all of the property south of the driveway from Grove Road is a flow route for storm volume. In attempting to avoid placement of the loading and storage yard away from the intersection and away from Grove Road, the drainage concerns and the loss of benefits of filtration and ground water recharging played a significant role in determining not to locate this yard south of its proposed location. With respect to the location of the existing garage, it is situated behind the house where such a garage would ordinarily exist, but the house was constructed one hundred (100) or more years ago before the expansion of the abutting roadways and the adoption of zoning regulations pertaining to the setback issue. The interior drive has existed for decades and the most logical location for an accessible parking stall is adjacent to the two buildings where an accessible space can be of benefit. The design of the space leaves all but roughly four feet of the space outside of the setback. These circumstances drive a finding in favor of the variations.

The conditions upon which the requested variation is based would not be applicable, generally, to other property within the same zoning classification. Due to the varying topography throughout the County and the circumstance that the property is a corner lot that was improved before 1922, it cannot be said that the concern causing the difficulty and hardship generally prevails in the A-1 Agriculture District.

The alleged difficulty or hardship has not been created by any person presently having an interest in the property. The only new element relates to the parking, loading and storage area. Since the 1920's, the area near Route 126 has been higher land. This is evident in aerial photographs of the topography of the

area. Moreover, the use area to be occupied by the parking and loading area is similar to the use area that existed from at least the early 1980's until 2006. Petitioners do not propose the loading and storage area adjacent to the lot line, but plans for it at a distance of fifteen feet (15') from the right-of-way, but in the same area that has the historically higher elevation and the historical use. In plain terms, Petitioners are not the first to recognize this higher elevation and they did not create it any more than they created the grades, slopes and swales south of the barns that cause the area south of the driveway to be incapable of hosting the loading and storage area without presenting a visual obstruction, placing impermeable or less permeable surface over land that is saturated and helps to recharge groundwater while also filtering stormwater.

The granting of the variation will not materially be detrimental to the public welfare or substantially injurious to other property or improvements in the neighborhood in which the property is located. Petitioners propose that none of the outdoor use should be plainly visible to passersby due to the screening.

That the proposed variation will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property, or substantially increase the congestion in the public streets or increase the danger of fire, or endanger the public safety or substantially diminish or impair property values within the neighborhood. One (1) basis for the proposed location of the loading and storage yard is that it avoids placing the area in plain view. The yard will not create shadows or obstruct the flow of air. The yard itself does not contribute to traffic. In fact, it reduces traffic by avoiding excess trips Petitioners would make if they were required to store and load materials elsewhere. The conditions on the special use above also touch on changes to be made if the treeline west of the property no longer exists.

The proposed Findings of Fact for the variance for parking stall depth were as follows:

The particular physical surroundings, shape, or topographical condition of the specific property involved would result in a particular hardship or practical difficulty upon the owner if the strict letter of the regulations were carried out. The topography of the Property and water concerns led to an effort to avoid as much impervious surface as possible. The request for an adjustment in the parking lot design to allow for the same twenty foot (20') parking space, but with a two foot (2') overhang, and an eighteen foot (18') space from tire to tail of a vehicle, is a di minimus request, but it avoids an extra several hundred feet of pervious surface in an area of storm flow, filtering and recharging.

The conditions upon which the requested variation is based would not be applicable, generally, to other property within the same zoning classification. While applicable to several properties, this concern is not generally applicable to the A-1 district. The original parcel containing the property was a long, narrow farmstead that extended to the cemetery. Through various transactions, including estate and probate matters, the property was divided so that it became a roughly square lot with the southern one hundred eighty feet (180') being an area of significant surface and subgrade flow during rain events and wet seasons.

That the alleged difficulty or hardship has not been created by any person presently having an interest in the property. Certainly, parking can be relocated. Nine (9) parking spaces for the use is also more than needed. Petitioners' preference for parking along the south side of the large barn may be personal. However, Petitioners could have placed these on the south side of the driveway and reduced the area of soil that would accept water for filtration and recharging purposes. In planning for this use and similar uses, there is a general design principal that consolidation of buildings, parking and loading is best for the use and for passersby as well as eventual neighbors.

The granting of the variation will not materially be detrimental to the public welfare or substantially injurious to other property or improvements in the neighborhood in which the property is located. The requested variation has absolutely no impact on public welfare or on property and improvements in this vicinity.

That the proposed variation will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property, or substantially increase the congestion in the public streets or increase the danger of fire, or endanger the public safety or substantially diminish or impair property values within the neighborhood. Petitioners are providing more parking than is necessary for the use. However, the provision of more parking does not conclusively lead to substantial increases in congestion since we are dealing with parking for only a few vehicles above that which is necessary. Parking on the north line of the interior drive will consolidate activity and also allow vehicles to park in a line where they will not be as noticeable to traffic on either abutting street. The variation should impact property values in any manner.

The proposed Findings of Fact for the variance to the Grove Road driveway construction were as follows:

The particular physical surroundings, shape, or topographical condition of the specific property involved would result in a particular hardship or practical difficulty upon the owner if the strict letter of the regulations were carried out. The driveway has been in existence for a number of years and could be utilized by other agricultural uses on the property. Having the primary access off of Grove Road instead of Route 126 ensures that employees of the proposed use will not cause increase traffic congestion on Route 126 because the business deliveries will utilize the Grove Road access.

The conditions upon which the requested variation is based would not be applicable, generally, to other property within the same zoning classification. Other properties zoned A-1 that were in existence prior to Kendall County adopting zoning in 1940 could have similar issues. The exact number of properties with lawfully non-conforming driveways is unknown.

The alleged difficulty or hardship has not been created by any person presently having an interest in the property. Petitioners did not construct the subject driveway.

The granting of the variation will not materially be detrimental to the public welfare or substantially injurious to other property or improvements in the neighborhood in which the property is located. The

maintenance of the driveway as proposed will not harm public welfare. No retail is planned for the site. Therefore, no large increase in the amount of vehicles entering and exiting the property on Grove Road is anticipated.

The proposed variation will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property, or substantially increase the congestion in the public streets or increase the danger of fire, or endanger the public safety or substantially diminish or impair property values within the neighborhood. The variance will not cause congestion or endanger public safety because little additional traffic is anticipated at the property. There should be no risk of fire and property values will not be impacted if the variance is granted.

Staff recommended approval of the requested special use permit and variances subject to the following conditions and restrictions:

1. The site shall be developed substantially in accordance with the site plan and landscaping plan.
2. Pending approval of the Illinois Department of Transportation, the owners of the business allowed by the special use permit shall have the option to install a right-in, right-out access off of Route 126; signage shown on the site plan (Attachment 4) may be adjusted to reflect this access. (Added at ZPAC)
3. A variance to Section 4:05.B and Section 11:02.F.7 of Kendall County Zoning Ordinance shall be granted to allow outdoor parking and loading no closer than twenty-five feet (25') of the right-of-way line of Route 126 and to allow a portion of the accessible parking space to be no closer than sixty-nine feet (69') of the south right-of-way line of Route 126. (Clarified After ZPAC)
4. A variance to Section 11:02.F.4 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance shall be granted to allow parking spaces with a depth of eighteen feet (18') with an overhang of two feet (2').
5. A variance to Section 4:09.A of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance shall be granted to allow the existing driveway on Grove Road to be less than twenty feet (20') in width until such time as the driveway is replaced.
6. Equipment and vehicles related to the business allowed by the special use permit may be stored outdoors.
7. None of the vehicles or equipment parked or stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be considered agricultural vehicles or agricultural equipment.
8. All of the vehicles and equipment stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be maintained in good condition with no deflated tires and shall be licensed if required by law.
9. The owners of the businesses allowed by this special use permit shall diligently monitor the property for leaks from equipment and vehicles parked and stored and items stored on the

- subject property and shall promptly clean up the site if leaks occur.
10. Except for the purposes of loading and unloading, all landscape related materials shall be stored indoors or in the designated storage areas shown on the site plan. The maximum height of the piles of landscaping related material shall be six feet (6') in height.
 11. No retail sale of landscaping materials may occur at the subject property.
 12. A maximum of seventeen (17) employees of the business allowed by this special use permit, including the owners of the business allowed by this special use permit, may report to this site for work.
 13. The hours of operation of the business allowed by this special use permit shall be daily from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. The owners of the business allowed by this special use permit may reduce these hours of operation.
 14. Any structures constructed, installed, or used related to the business allowed by this special use permit on the property shall not be considered for agricultural purposes and must secure applicable building permits.
 15. Signage shall be limited to the signs shown on the site plan. Signage may be illuminated as outlined on the site plan. Signs within rights-of-way may be relocated to another location on the property if requested by the Illinois Department of Transportation without the need to amend this special use permit. Religious signs in existence on the property at the time of application submittal shall be exempt from permitting requirements.
 16. Except for the lighting around the business sign, the lights shown on the site plan shall be considered for security purposes.
 17. Damaged or dead plantings described on the landscaping plan shall be replaced on a timeframe approved by the Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Department.
 18. Any vegetation described on the landscaping plan that has not been installed by the approval date of this special use permit shall be installed within ninety (90) days of the approval of the special use permit. The Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee may grant an extension to the deadline to install the vegetation.
 19. The owner of the subject property shall plant trees to fill in the gaps on the western property line as outlined in the landscaping plan. The Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee may grant an extension to the deadline to plant the screening. The site plan may be adjusted without an amendment to the special use permit to reflect the addition of these trees.
 20. Vegetation related to the operations of a nursery on the property shall be exempted from the planting and vegetation maintenance requirements of this special use permit.

21. No landscape waste generated off the property can be burned on the subject property.

22. The noise regulations are as follows:

Day Hours: No person shall cause or allow the emission of sound during daytime hours (7:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.) from any noise source to any receiving residential land which exceeds sixty-five (65) dBA when measured at any point within such receiving residential land, provided; however, that point of measurement shall be on the property line of the complainant.

Night Hours: No person shall cause or allow the emission of sound during nighttime hours (10:00 P.M. to 7:00 A.M.) from any noise source to any receiving residential land which exceeds fifty-five (55) dBA when measured at any point within such receiving residential land provided; however, that point of measurement shall be on the property line of the complainant.

EXEMPTION: Powered Equipment: Powered equipment, such as lawn mowers, small lawn and garden tools, riding tractors, and snow removal equipment which is necessary for the maintenance of property is exempted from the noise regulations between the hours of seven o'clock (7:00) A.M. and ten o'clock (10:00) P.M.

Only those homes in existence prior to the issuance of the special use permit can file noise complaints. (Added at RPC).

23. At least one (1) functioning fire extinguisher and one (1) first aid kit shall be on the subject property. Applicable signage stating the location of the fire extinguisher and first aid kit shall be placed on the subject property.

24. The owners of the business allowed by this special use permit acknowledge and agree to follow Kendall County's Right to Farm Clause.

25. The property owner and operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State, and Local laws related to the operation of this type of business.

26. Failure to comply with one or more of the above conditions or restrictions could result in the amendment or revocation of the special use permit.

27. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.

28. This special use permit and variances shall be treated as covenants running with the land and are binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns as to the same special use conducted on the property.

The proposed findings of fact for the variances related to the house and accessory buildings were as follows:

The particular physical surroundings, shape, or topographical condition of the specific property involved would result in a particular hardship or practical difficulty upon the owner if the strict letter of the regulations were carried out. The dominant physical surroundings of the Property are Route 126 and Grove Road, neither of which existed in their current form when the property hosted a home as close to these rights-of-way as it existed at least as early as the 1920's. The County's 1939 aerial imagery clearly shows the home at the present location. All accessory buildings and use areas were created based on the location of the home in the northeast corner of the property, with tillable land surrounding them for the past 100 years.

The conditions upon which the requested variation is based would not be applicable, generally, to other property within the same zoning classification. The subject property has been in its current configuration since the 1920's prior to the adoption of the current Kendall County Zoning Ordinance. The abutting roads became substantially larger than the township roads that existed at the time of construction on the property. While there are other properties in the A-1 Agriculture District that face the same issue of longstanding buildings rendered nonconforming, it cannot be generally said that the improvements in the setback area generally predate County zoning or amendments thereto.

That the alleged difficulty or hardship has not been created by any person presently having an interest in the property. The Petitioners had no role in the difficulty or hardship in this instance as it developed as early as the 1920's and with areawide changes in roadways and highways since then.

That the granting of the variation will not materially be detrimental to the public welfare or substantially injurious to other property or improvements in the neighborhood in which the property is located. The County has already determined that the improvements in the setback are not materially detrimental to the public welfare or the neighborhood because the County protects these buildings as nonconforming structures and uses. Petitioners could continue the use of the buildings as nonconforming structures.

The proposed variation will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property, or substantially increase the congestion in the public streets or increase the danger of fire, or endanger the public safety or substantially diminish or impair property values within the neighborhood. The buildings are existing and well distanced from neighboring land. The buildings are adequately distanced from both Grove Road and Illinois Route 126 and the State and County have safely constructed, enlarged and maintained public rights of way without problems caused by the buildings for which the variations are requested.

Staff recommended approval of the requested variance subject to the following conditions and restrictions:

1. A variance to Section 7:01.G.2.a of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance to allow the existing house to be no closer than seventy-three feet (73') south of the right-of-way line of Route 126 and no closer than twenty-one feet (21') west of the right-of-way line of Grove Road as depicted on the survey.
2. A variance to Section 7:01.G.2.b of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance to allow accessory structures no closer than fifty-seven feet (57') south of the right-of-way line of Route 126 and no closer than fifty-three feet (53') west of the right of the right-of-way line of Grove Road as depicted on the survey .
3. Failure to comply with one or more of the above conditions or restrictions could result in the revocation of this variance.
4. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.
5. These variances shall be treated as covenants running with the land and are binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns as to the same uses conducted on the property.

Chairman Mohr asked why the driveway off of Route 126 would continue to exist. Mr. Asselmeier responded because the driveway already existed and it will be used as an emergency exit only unless the Illinois Department of Transportation grants approval for right-in, right-out access. The Grove Road access already exists.

Member LeCuyer asked why handicapped parking was proposed. Mr. Asselmeier responded that the Americans With Disabilities Act requires the parking space.

The owner of the landscaping business intends to live in the house and use the house as an office for landscaping and nursery business.

Chairman Mohr opened the public hearing at 7:58 p.m.

Mark Daniel, Attorney for the Petitioners, noted that the driveway off of Route 126 was restricted to residential and agricultural uses. He noted the width of Route 126 at this location. He noted the location of the septic system northeast of the house. If destruction of the home occurred, a replacement house would likely be placed in the same area as the existing house.

Chairman Mohr asked if adequate space existed for the bike trail. Mr. Asselmeier responded that no party requested additional right-of-way for a trail.

Chairman Mohr closed the public hearing at 8:04 p.m.

Member Cherry asked if the business started before the special use permit was issued. Mr. Asselmeier responded yes. Mr. Daniel said the nursery was operating at the property, which is allowed.

The trees were planted in the fall of 2022.

Member Whitfield made a motion, seconded by Member LeCuyer, to approve the findings of fact for the special use permit and all of the variances for both petitions.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (7): Cherry, Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (0): None
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

Mr. Asselmeier noted that the Kendall County Regional Planning Commission added a sentence to noise condition stating that only homes in existence prior to the issuance of the special use permit can file noise complaints. Mr. Asselmeier noted this was the first time this sentence had been added to the noise restriction. He favored adding the phrase “or permitted” after “in existence” in order to have a County controlled paper trail instead of relying on third party aerials for determining the age of houses.

Member Fox made a motion, seconded by Member LeCuyer, to add the phrase as mentioned previously by Mr. Asselmeier.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (7): Cherry, Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (0): None
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

Member LeCuyer made a motion, seconded by Member Thompson, to approve Staff’s recommendation as amended.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (7): Cherry, Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (0): None
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

Member LeCuyer made a motion, seconded by Member Prodehl, to recommend approval of the special use permit and related variances.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (7): Cherry, Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (0): None
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

Member Whitfield made a motion, seconded by Member Fox, to recommend approval of the requested variances in Petition 23-20.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (7): Cherry, Fox, LeCuyer, Mohr, Prodehl, Thompson, and Whitfield
Nays (0): None
Abstain (0): None
Absent (0): None

The motion passed.

Na-Au-Say Township will be notified of the results of the hearing related to the variances.

Petition 23-19 goes to the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee on May 8, 2023.

The Zoning Board of Appeals completed their review of Petition 23-19 and Petition 23-20 at 8:11 p.m.

Several members expressed frustration that Petitioners were submitting after-fact-applications.

NEW BUSINESS/OLD BUSINESS

None

REVIEW OF PETITIONS THAT WENT TO THE COUNTY BOARD

Mr. Asselmeier reported that Petitions 23-02, 23-03, and 23-04, pertaining to Agricultural Conservation Areas in Lisbon Township were approved by the County Board. The Areas would be displayed as overlays on the Future Land Use Map.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mr. Asselmeier said that no Petitions were on the agenda for the May 30, 2023, hearing/meeting.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Member LeCuyer made a motion, seconded by Member Prodehl to adjourn.

With a voice vote of seven (7) ayes, the motion carried.

The Zoning Board of Appeals meeting adjourned at 8:13 p.m.

The next regularly scheduled hearing/meeting will be on May 30, 2023.

Respectfully submitted by,
Matthew H. Asselmeier, AICP, CFM
Senior Planner

Exhibits

1. Memo on Petition 23-01 Dated April 3, 2023
2. Certificate of Publication and Certified Mail Receipts for Petition 23-01 (Not Included with Report but on file in Planning, Building and Zoning Office)
3. April 3, 2023, Email from the Oswego Fire Protection District Regarding Petition 23-01
4. Memo on Petition 23-17 Dated April 27, 2023
5. Certificate of Publication and Certified Mail Receipts for Petition 23-17 (Not Included with Report but on file in Planning, Building and Zoning Office)
6. Memo on Petition 23-19 Dated April 27, 2023
7. Certificate of Publication and Certified Mail Receipts for Petition 23-19 (Not Included with Report but on file in Planning, Building and Zoning Office)
8. Memo on Petition 23-20 Dated March 27, 2023 and Updated April 27, 2023
9. Certificate of Publication and Certified Mail Receipts for Petition 23-20 (Not Included with Report but on file in Planning, Building and Zoning Office)

MINUTES – UNOFFICIAL UNTIL APPROVED
KENDALL COUNTY
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING
111 WEST FOX STREET, COUNTY BOARD ROOM (ROOMS 209 and 210)
YORKVILLE, IL 60560
July 31, 2023 – 7:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Randy Mohr called the Zoning Board of Appeals meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Members Present: Tom LeCuyer, Randy Mohr, and Jillian Prodehl

Members Absent: Scott Cherry, Cliff Fox, Dick Thompson and Dick Whitfield

Staff Present: Matthew Asselmeier, AICP, CFM, Director

Others Present: None

ADJOURNMENT OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Due to the absence of a quorum, the meeting adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

The next regularly scheduled hearing/meeting will be on August 28, 2023.

Respectfully submitted by,
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Petition 23-24

**Dave Hamman on Behalf of KEKA Farms, LLC (Property Owner)
and Pulte Home Corporation (Billboard Owner)**

M-2 Special Use – Renewal of a Special Use Permit for an Off-Premise Advertising Sign at the Northeast Corner of Route 34 and Hafenrichter (Farnsworth)

INTRODUCTION

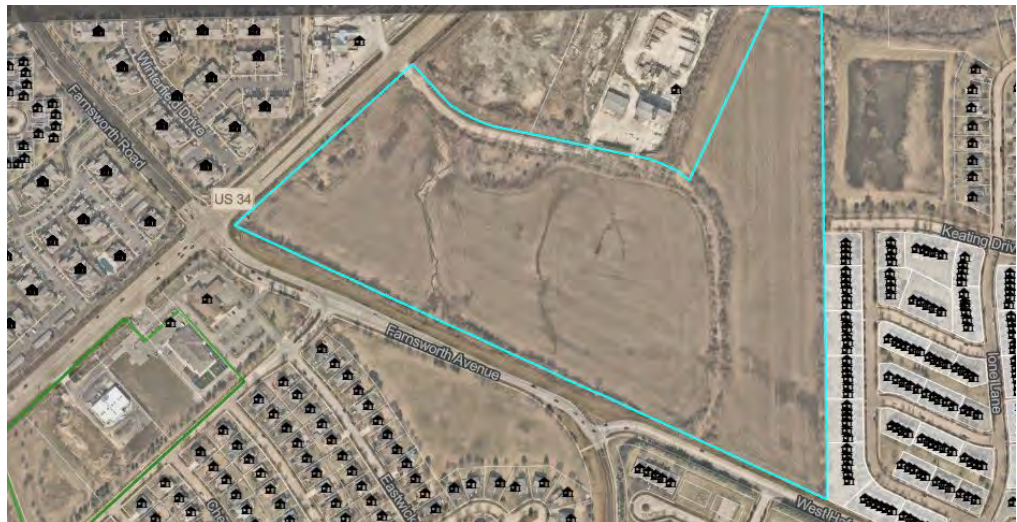
In December 2004, through Ordinance 2004-43, the Kendall County Board approved a special use permit for the placement of an off-premise advertising sign at the subject property. The special use permit was renewed in 2017 through Ordinance 2017-14. The special use was renewed again in 2019 through Ordinance 2019-22. The special use was renewed again in 2021 through Ordinance 2021-17 Restriction Number 2.C of the 2021 special use permit renewal and Section 12:06.A.4 require the owner to either remove the sign or to renew the special use permit every two (2) years.

SITE INFORMATION

PETITIONER Dave Hamman on Behalf of KEKA Farms, LLC and Pulte Home Corporation

ADDRESS No Address Has Been Assigned to the Sign

LOCATION Northeast Corner of Route 34 and Hafenrichter (Farnsworth)



TOWNSHIP Oswego

PARCEL # 03-01-127-006

LOT SIZE 42.89 acres (Sign is on the southwest corner.)

EXITING LAND USE Agricultural

ZONING M-2 Heavy Industry District with a Special Use Permit (Off-Premise Sign)

LRMP	Land Use	County: Commercial and Suburban Residential (Max 1 DU/Acre) City of Aurora: Commercial
	Roads	Route 34 is maintained by IDOT Hafenrichter/Farnsworth is a Local Road Maintained by Oswego Township.
	Trails	Aurora has a trail planned along Hafenrichter.
	Floodplain/ Wetlands	There are no wetlands or floodplain on the property.

REQUESTED ACTION Renewal of the Special Use Permit Awarded by Ordinance 2004-43 Granting a Special Use Permit for an Off-Premise Advertising Sign at the Subject Property

APPLICABLE REGULATIONS Section 12:06.A – Signs – General Standards

Section 12:12 – Signs – Special Use Signs: Commercial off-premise advertising structures may be permitted via a special use only in the M-2 and M-3 Manufacturing Districts.

Section 13:08 – Special Use Procedures

SURROUNDING LAND USE

Location	Adjacent Land Use	Adjacent Zoning	Land Resource Management Plan	Zoning within ½ Mile
North	Industrial	M-2 SU	Low Density Residential (0-5 du/acre) (Aurora)	Aurora, Kane County, DuPage County and M-2 SU in Unincorporated Kendall County
South	Commercial/Residential	Aurora (B-2(S), R-1(S) and R-5(S))	Low Density Residential (0-5 du/acre) and Commercial (Aurora)	Aurora and R-3 in Unincorporated Kendall County
East	Agricultural/Residential	Aurora (R-1(S) and R-5(S))	Low Density Residential (0-5 du/acre) and Medium Density Residential (6-10 du/acre) (Aurora)	Aurora and Will County
West	Residential	Aurora (R-5(S))	Commercial, Light Industrial and Industrial (Aurora)	Aurora, A-1, M-1 SU, and B-3 in Unincorporated Kendall County

PHYSICAL DATA

ENDANGERED SPECIES REPORT

Not Required

NATURAL RESOURCES INVENTORY

Not Required

ACTION SUMMARY

OSWEGO TOWNSHIP

Petition information was sent to Oswego Township on June 21, 2023.

CITY OF AURORA

Petition information was sent to the City of Aurora on June 21, 2023. The property owner has been in annexation negotiations with the City of Aurora. The sign will likely be removed if the property is annexed.

OSWEGO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Petition information was sent to Oswego Fire Protection District on June 21, 2023.

ZPAC

ZPAC reviewed the proposal at their meeting on July 5, 2023. ZPAC recommended approval of the renewal by a vote of seven (7) in favor and zero (0) in opposition. The minutes of the meeting are included as Attachment 7.

RPC

The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission reviewed the proposal at their meeting on July 26, 2023. The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission recommended approval of the renewal by a vote of six (6) in favor, zero (0) in opposition, and one (1) abstain. The minutes of the meeting are included as Attachment 8.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The sign is twelve feet by sixteen feet (12' X 16') in size. There will be fourteen feet (14') from the ground to the top of the sign. Renderings of the sign and the petitioner's application (including lease, findings of fact, and site plan) are included as Attachment 1.

The petitioner desires to renew the special use permit awarded by Ordinance 2004-43 and renewed by Ordinance 2017-14 with no changes in restrictions. Ordinance 2004-43 is included as Attachment 2, Ordinance 2017-14 included as Attachment 3, Ordinance 2019-22 is included as Attachment 4, and Ordinance 2021-17 is included as Attachment 5.

The restrictions imposed by Ordinance 2021-17 include:

1. The sign shall look substantially in the form as shown in the attached Exhibit.
2. The sign shall be located substantially in the location depicted on the attached Site Plan.
3. The sign will be removed or Pulte Home Corporation (or their successors) will apply to renew their special use in two (2) years from the date of approval of this ordinance by the County Board.
4. The sign will not be illuminated.
5. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Pulte Home Corporation's residential development.
6. The off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State and Local laws related to this type of use including, but not limited to, the distance from property line requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.

7. Failure to comply with the above regulations and restrictions could result in the revocation of the special use permit.
8. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.

Pursuant to Section 12:06.A.4, real estate and development signs may be located offsite for a period not to exceed two (2) years, provided a special use permit is issued.

A picture of the sign is included as Attachment 6.

BUILDING CODES

Since the sign is pre-existing, a building permit would not be required.

ACCESS

Not Applicable

TRAILS

A trail is planned along Hafenrichter. However, the City of Aurora has not previously requested a right-of-way dedication.

PARKING

Not Applicable

LIGHTING

The sign will not be illuminated.

SIGNAGE

Not Applicable

SCREENING

Not Applicable

STORMWATER

No portion of the property is in a flood area and no wetlands exist on the property. No stormwater issues are anticipated by the proposal.

EASEMENTS

No easements are believed to be impacted by the proposed sign.

FINDINGS OF FACT

*That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. **Provided that the sign remains at its current location, the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare of the public.***

*That the special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use shall make adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. **True, the proposed special use will not negatively impact adjoining properties.***

*That adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. **This requirement is not applicable because the proposed special use does not require utilities, access roads, points of ingress and egress, drainage or other***

facilities.

*That the special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals. **True, the proposed special use shall conform to the applicable regulations of the district.***

*That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. **True, the proposed special use is consistent with the purposes and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan.***

RECOMMENDATION

If approved, Staff recommends the following conditions be included in the approving special use ordinance:

1. The rendering of the sign and map depicting the location of the sign shall be Exhibits in the approval ordinance.
2. The sign will be removed or Pulte Home Corporation (or their successors) will apply to renew their special use in two (2) years from the date of approval of this ordinance by the County Board.
3. The sign will not be illuminated.
4. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Pulte Home Corporation's residential development.
5. The off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State and Local laws related to this type of use including, but not limited to, the distance from property line requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
6. Failure to comply with the above regulations and restrictions could result in the revocation of the special use permit.
7. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Application (Including Renderings, Site Plan, and Applicant's Findings of Fact)
2. Ordinance 2004-43
3. Ordinance 2017-14
4. Ordinance 2019-22
5. Ordinance 2021-17
6. Picture of Sign
7. July 5, 2023, ZPAC Minutes (This Petition Only)
8. July 26, 2023, Kendall County Regional Planning Commission Minutes



DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, BUILDING & ZONING

111 West Fox Street • Yorkville, IL • 60560
 (630) 553-4141 Fax (630) 553-4179

APPLICATION

PROJECT NAME _____ FILE #: _____

NAME OF APPLICANT (Including First, Middle Initial, and Last Name)		
Taylor Scott		
CURRENT LANDOWNER/NAME(s)		
Dave Hamman		
SITE INFORMATION	SITE ADDRESS OR LOCATION	ASSESSOR'S ID NUMBER (PIN)
ACRES 42.39	SE corner of Hafenrichter and Route 34	PIN 03-01-127-006
EXISTING LAND USE	CURRENT ZONING	LAND CLASSIFICATION ON LRMP
	M2	
REQUESTED ACTION (Check All That Apply):		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL USE	<input type="checkbox"/> MAP AMENDMENT (Rezone to _____)	<input type="checkbox"/> VARIANCE
<input type="checkbox"/> ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE	<input type="checkbox"/> A-1 CONDITIONAL USE for: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> SITE PLAN REVIEW
<input type="checkbox"/> TEXT AMENDMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> RPD (<input type="checkbox"/> Concept; <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary; <input type="checkbox"/> Final)	<input type="checkbox"/> ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL
<input type="checkbox"/> PRELIMINARY PLAT	<input type="checkbox"/> FINAL PLAT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER PLAT (Vacation, Dedication, etc.)
AMENDMENT TO A SPECIAL USE (<input type="checkbox"/> Major; <input type="checkbox"/> Minor)		
¹PRIMARY CONTACT	PRIMARY CONTACT MAILING ADDRESS	PRIMARY CONTACT EMAIL
Taylor Scott	████████████████████	████████████████████
PRIMARY CONTACT PHONE #	PRIMARY CONTACT FAX #	PRIMARY CONTACT OTHER #(Cell, etc.)
██████████	██████████	██████████
²ENGINEER CONTACT	ENGINEER MAILING ADDRESS	ENGINEER EMAIL
N/A	N/A	N/A
ENGINEER PHONE #	ENGINEER FAX #	ENGINEER OTHER # (Cell, etc.)
N/A	N/A	N/A
I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS FORM, THAT THE PROPERTY IN QUESTION MAY BE VISITED BY COUNTY STAFF & BOARD/ COMMISSION MEMBERS THROUGHOUT THE PETITION PROCESS AND THAT THE PRIMARY CONTACT LISTED ABOVE WILL BE SUBJECT TO ALL CORRESPONDANCE ISSUED BY THE COUNTY.		
I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS SUBMITTED ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND THAT I AM TO FILE THIS APPLICATION AND ACT ON BEHALF OF THE ABOVE SIGNATURES. THE APPLICANT ATTESTS THAT THEY ARE FREE OF DEBT OR CURRENT ON ALL DEBTS OWED TO KENDALL COUNTY AS OF THE DATE OF THE APPLICATION.		
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	DocuSigned by: ████████████████████ C211884E8E31MD8	DATE 5/31/2023

FEE PAID:\$ _____
 CHECK #: _____

¹Primary Contact will receive all correspondence from County
²Engineering Contact will receive all correspondence from the County's Engineering Consultants

14' TO TOP OF SIGN

12'



LINCOLN CROSSING

TWO-STORY SINGLE FAMILY HOMES
FROM THE **LOW \$400'S**

MODELS OPEN

LOCATED ON WOLF'S CROSSING NEAR EOLA

Join the Interest List

Pulte.com/LincolnCrossing



10" X 64" MDO PRICE PATCH
WHITE VINYL COPY ON
BACKGROUND PAINTED
RONAN DARK BLUE

16" X 16" MDO INFO PATCH
WHITE VINYL COPY ON
BACKGROUND PAINTED RED

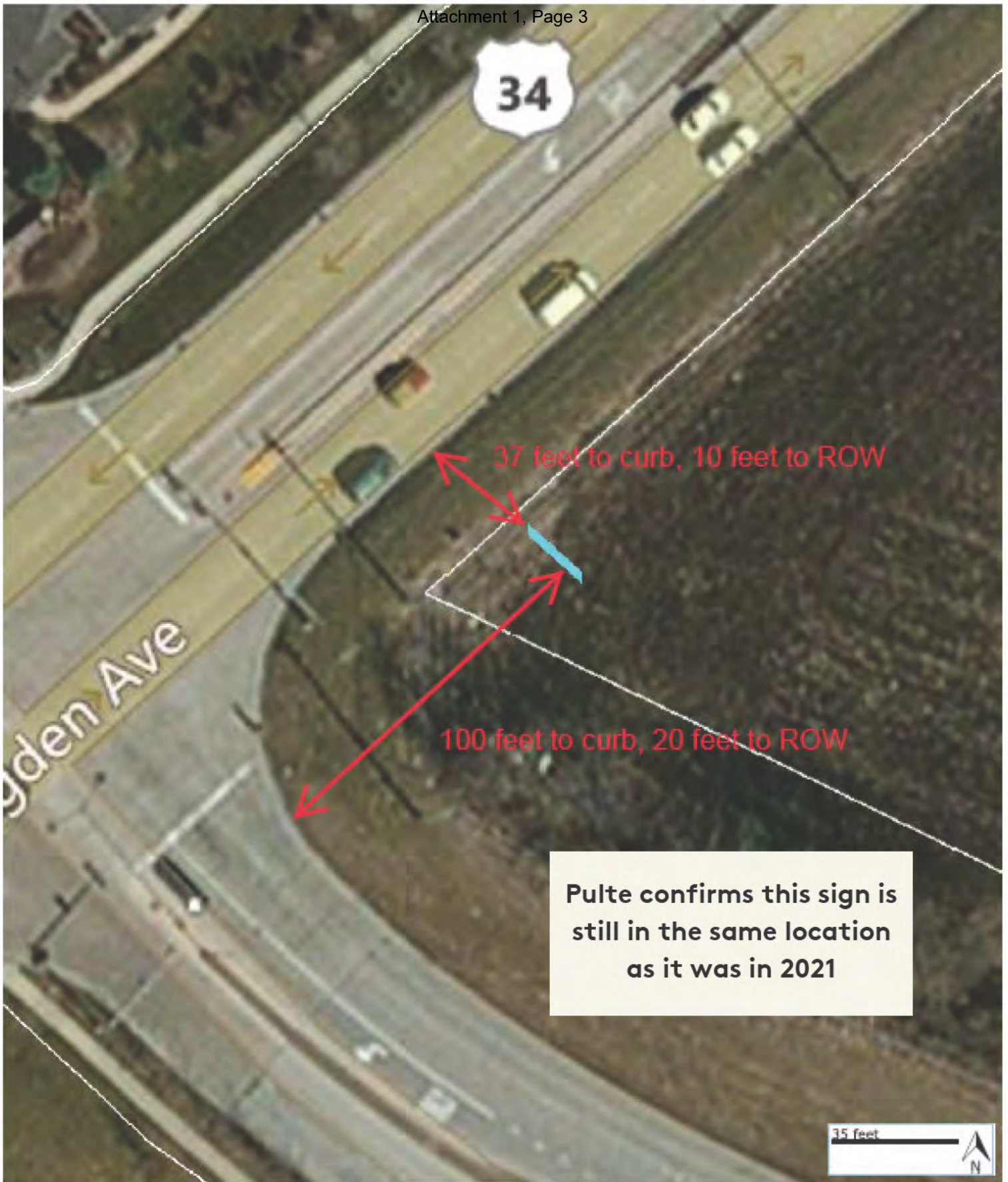
**LINCOLN CROSSING: 12' X 16' DOUBLE-SIDED INFORMATIONAL BILLBOARD REFACE
3/8" MDO W/ VINYL COPY & DIGITALLY PRINTED DETAIL
BACKGROUND PAINTED RONAN DARK BLUE- MOUNTED TO EXISTING WOOD COLUMNS
LOCATED AT FARNSWORTH & OGDEN (FORMERLY READING "MEADOW RIDGE")**



426 W. FIFTH AVENUE
NAPERVILLE, IL 60563

PH: 630-357-2300
FAX: 630-357-3977

DATE: FEBRUARY 26, 2022
signs@signsnownaperville.com



BILLBOARD LEASE AGREEMENT

Lessee:

Pulte Home Corporation

1900 E. Golf Road, Suite 300

Schaumburg, IL 60173

Contact: Heather Lawson, Director of Marketing

Ph: 847.230.5400 (main) ext. 5334

Fax: 847.969.9395

Lessor:

NGH Farms, LLC

Attn: Dave Hamman

[Redacted]

Ph: [Redacted]

Fax 1: [Redacted]

Fax 2: [Redacted]

Sign Location: Northeast Corner of Farnsworth and Ogden avenues, in unincorporated Kendall County, Illinois

Sign Information: 12' X 16' double face sign

Terms of Contract

1. Sign owner to maintain sign structure.
2. Contract term of 12 months from the date of signed contract. Renewable for additional time as needed and agreed upon by Lessee and Lessor.
3. Advertiser and property owner have a mutual cancellation policy with 30 days written notice.
4. Rent: \$800.00 per month payable monthly for double face sign. Installation and maintenance of faces shall be the sole responsibility of Lessee during the duration of the lease agreement. Agreement is null & void if sign location is deemed illegal.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE LEASE AGREEMENT STATED ABOVE

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURES

DocuSigned by:
 [Redacted]
 F3FDFF3993FB4ED

Signature of Pulte Home Corporation

11/2/2022

Date

[Redacted]
 [Redacted]

Signature of Lessor

Date

Please fill out the following findings of fact to the best of your capabilities. §13:08.J of the Zoning Ordinance outlines findings that the Zoning Board of Appeals shall consider in rendering a decision, but is not required to make an affirmative finding on all items in order to grant a **special use**. They are as follows:

That the establishment, maintenance, and operation of the special use will not be detrimental to, or endanger, the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. The sign will not impact the items listed above.

That the special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other properties in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use shall make adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole.

The sign will not impact the items listed above or any adjacent uses. Note: the sign is not and will never be illuminated.

That adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

Not applicable for the sign.

That the special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals

To the best of my knowledge, the special use for the sign does conform to regulations.

That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies.

To the best of my knowledge, the special use for the sign is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies.

May 31, 2023

KEKA Farms, LLC
Dave Hamman



Kendall County Planning, Building & Zoning
111 West Fox Street
Yorkville, IL 60560-1498

Planning, Building & Zoning Department:

On behalf of KEKA Farms LLC, I am writing this letter to grant permission/approval to Pulte Homes to renew the special use permit for the sign located on my property at Hafenrichter and Route 34 (PIN 03-01-127-006).

Sincerely,



Dave Hamman, Manager

03-01-127-006

03-01-200-012

03-01-127-004

Zoning Petition #0457

State of Illinois
County of Kendall

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2004 - 43
GRANTING SPECIAL USE
SOUTHEAST CORNER OF HAFENRICHTER AND ROUTE 34

WHEREAS, Centex Homes filed a petition for a Special Use within the M-2 district, for property generally located at the intersection of Hafenrichter and Route 34 in Oswego Township; and

WHEREAS, said petition is to allow an off-premise advertising sign, as provided in Sections 12.11 and 12.12 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, said property is zoned M-2: Manufacturing; and

WHEREAS, said property is legally described as follows:

Part of the north half of Section 1, Township 37 North, Range 8 East of the Third Principal Meridian in Oswego Township Kendall County Illinois

WHEREAS, all procedures required by the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance were followed including notice for public hearing, preparation of the findings of fact, and recommendation for approval by the Special Use Hearing Officer; and

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Board finds that said petition is in conformance with the provisions and intent of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance;

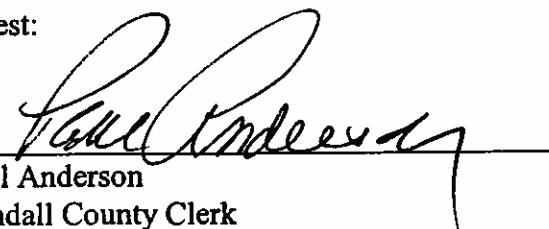
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, that the Kendall County Board hereby grants approval of a SPECIAL USE PERMIT to permit an off-premise advertising sign on the subject parcel as depicted in Group Exhibits "A" and "B" attached hereto and made a part hereof, subject to the following conditions:

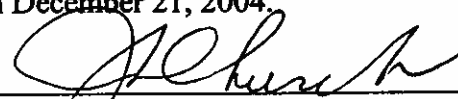
1. The sign will be removed or Centex Homes will apply to renew their special use in three years from the date of this ordinance.
2. The sign will not be illuminated; and
3. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Centex Homes' developments.

Failure to comply with the terms of this ordinance may be cited as a basis for amending or revoking this special use permit.

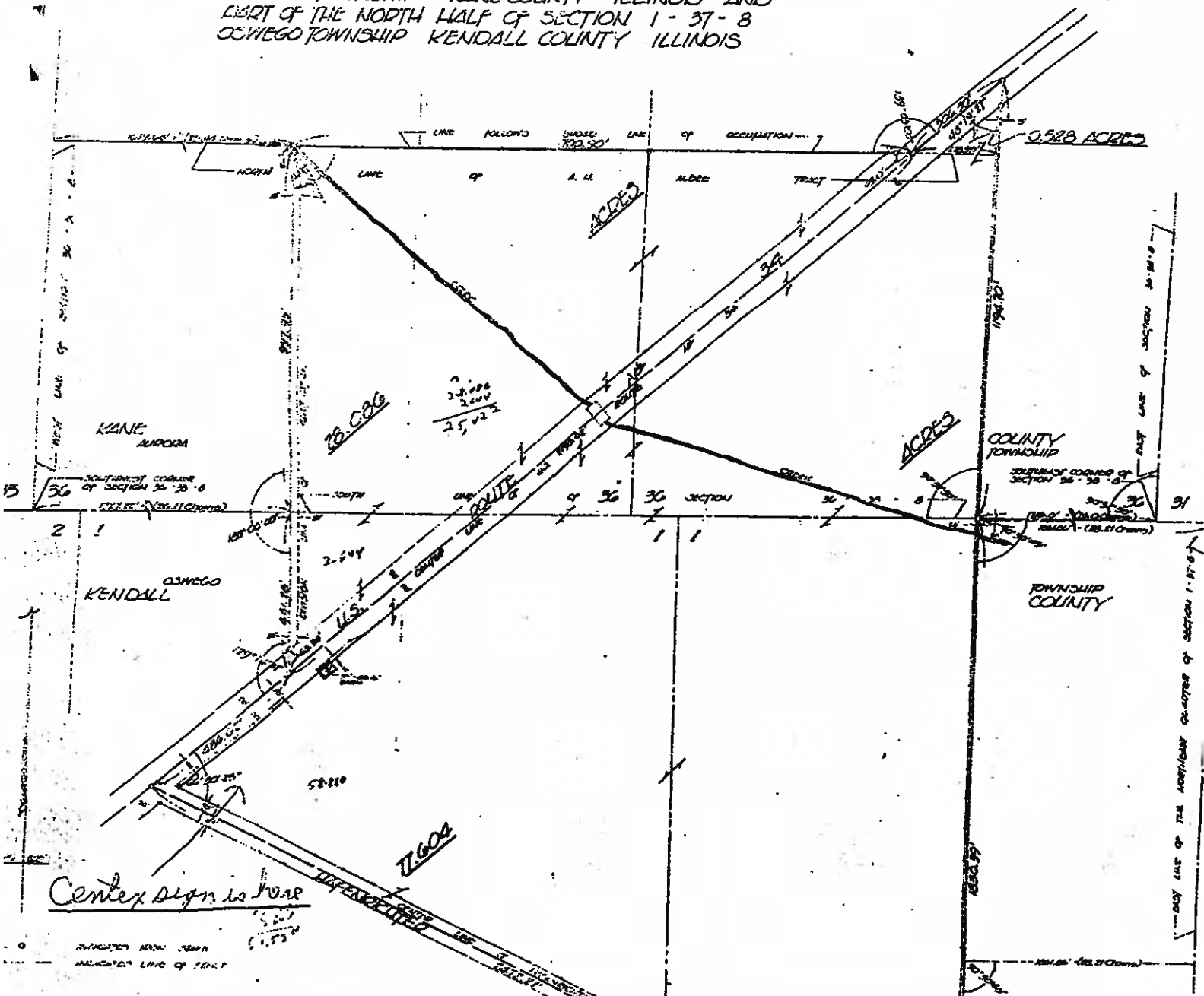
IN WITNESS OF, this ordinance has been enacted on December 21, 2004.

Attest:


Paul Anderson
Kendall County Clerk


John A. Church
Kendall County Board Chairman

PART OF THE SOUTH HALF OF SECTION 36-38-8
 AURORA TOWNSHIP KANE COUNTY ILLINOIS AND
 EAST OF THE NORTH HALF OF SECTION 1-37-8
 OSWEGO TOWNSHIP KENDALL COUNTY ILLINOIS



State of Illinois)
 County of Kane)

This is to certify that we, Donahue and Thornhill, Illinois Registered Land Surveyors, have surveyed that part of the South Half of Section 36, Township 38 North, Range 8 East of the Third Principal Meridian and part of the North Half of Section 1, Township 37 North, Range 8 East of the Third Principal Meridian, described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of said Section 36; thence westerly along the south line of said Section 36, 1716.0 feet (26.00 chains) for a point of beginning; thence northerly parallel with the east line of said Section 36, 2796.76 feet to the center line of U.S. Route No. 36; thence southwesterly along said center line 306.50 feet to the north line of a tract of land conveyed to A.M. Alder; thence westerly along said north line forming an angle of 139-03'06" with the last described course (measured counter-clockwise therefrom) 1700.90 feet to a point that is 1670.04 feet (25.44 chains) westerly of the west line of said Section 36; thence southerly along a line forming an angle of 22-17'17" with the last described course (measured clockwise therefrom) 1007.83 feet to a point on the south line of said Section 36 that is 1271.22 feet (26.17 chains) easterly of the southeast corner of said Section 36; thence continuing southerly along the prolongation of the last described course 41.28 feet to the center line of said U.S. Route No. 36; thence southwesterly along said center line 486.62 feet to the center line of Hefner-ichter Road; thence southwesterly along the center line of said Hefner-ichter Road 2472.21 feet to a line drawn parallel with the east line of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 1 from the point of beginning; thence northerly along said parallel line 1830.39 feet to the point of beginning. In Aurora Township, Kane County and Oswego Township, Kendall County, Illinois and containing 105,690 acres, as shown by the plot hereon drawn which is a correct representation of said survey. All distances are shown in feet and decimal parts thereof.

Dated at Geneva, Illinois, April 3, 1973
 John D. Thornhill
 Illinois Registered Land Surveyor No. 1740
 DONAHUE AND THORNHILL
 GENEVA ILLINOIS

8'

CENTEX HOMES

Crossings at Wolf Creek

Homes from \$170's-\$300's

 Buyer's Welcome

South on Rte. 59 to 119th West

7.5"

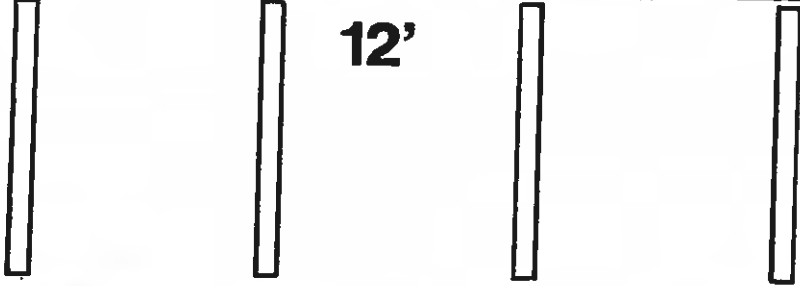
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19"

7"

12'

48" ABOVE GRADE




8'

CENTEX HOMES

Springbrook at Farmington Lakes

Townhomes from \$150's-\$180's

 Buyer's Welcome

Rte. 34 West to Douglas North

7.5"

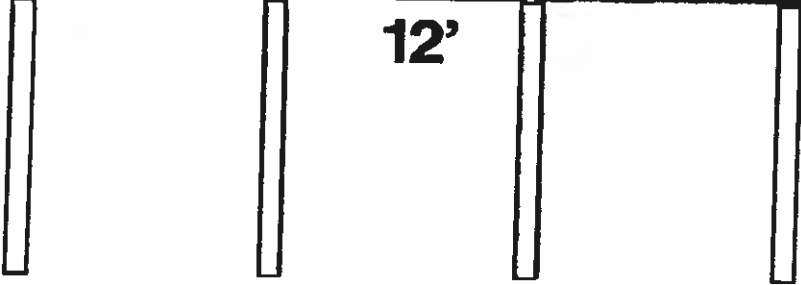
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County of Kendall

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ORDINANCE NUMBER 2017 - 14

GRANTING A SPECIAL USE PERMIT FOR
**THE RENEWAL OF A SPECIAL USE PERMIT FOR A COMMERCIAL OFF-
PREMISE ADVERTISING STRUCTURE (BILLBOARD) ON THE PARCEL
IDENTIFIED AS 03-01-127-006 AND REVOKING THE SPECIAL USE PERMIT FOR A
COMMERCIAL OFF-PREMISE ADVERTISING STRUCTURE (BILLBOARD) ON
THE PARCEL IDENTIFIED AS 03-01-127-004 LOCATED AT THE CORNER OF
ROUTE 34 AND HAFENRICHTER (FARNSWORTH) IN OSWEGO TOWNSHIP**

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Board granted a special use permit for a commercial off-premise advertising structure at the corner of Route 34 and Hafenrichter (Farnsworth) by Ordinance 2004-43 on December 21, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 2004-43 granted a special use permit for the properties identified by Parcel Identification Numbers 03-01-127-006 and 03-01-127-004; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 2004-43 required that the special use be renewed every three years; and

WHEREAS, the Pulte Group representing Dave Hamman petitioned for the renewal of the special use permit allowed by Ordinance 2004-43; and

WHEREAS, the petitioners propose to retain the sign on the parcel identified by Parcel Identification Number 03-01-127-006 and to revoke the special use permit on the parcel identified by Parcel Identification Number 03-01-127-004; and

WHEREAS, said property is currently zoned M-2 Heavy Industrial District with a special use permit for a commercial off-premise advertising structure; and

WHEREAS, said property is legally described as:

PART OF THE NORTH HALF OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN OSWEGO TOWNSHIP KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, all procedures required by the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance were followed including notice for public hearing, preparation of the findings of fact in accordance with Section 13.08.J of the Zoning Ordinance, and recommendation for approval by the Special Use Hearing Officer on August 28, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Findings of Fact were approved as follows:

*That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. **Provided that the sign is placed in a location in compliance with Section 12 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance, the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public***

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health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare of the public.

*That the special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use shall make adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. **True, the proposed special use will not negatively impact adjoining properties.***

*That adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. **This requirement is not applicable because the proposed special use does not require utilities, access roads, points of ingress and egress, drainage or other facilities.***

*That the special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Hearing Officer. **True, the proposed special use shall conform to the applicable regulations of the district.***

*That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. **True, the proposed special use is consistent with the purposes and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan.***

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Board has considered the findings and recommendation of the Hearing Officer and finds that said petition is in conformance with the provisions and intent of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, this special use shall be treated as a covenant running with the land and is binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns as to the same special use conducted on the property; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, the Kendall County Board hereby grants approval of a special use zoning permit to for the placement of a commercial off-premise advertising structure on the parcel identified by Parcel Identification Number 03-01-127-006 in accordance to the submitted Site Plan included as "Exhibit A and Exhibit B" attached hereto and incorporated herein subject to the following conditions:

1. The sign will be removed or Pulte Group (or their successors) will apply to renew their special use in two (2) years from the date of approval of this ordinance by the County Board.
2. The sign will not be illuminated.

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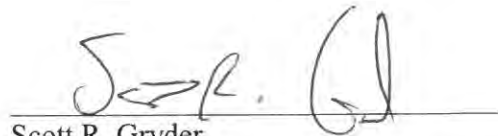
3. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Pulte Group's residential development.
4. The special use permit awarded by Ordinance 2004-43 to the property identified by Parcel ID Number 03-01-127-004 for an off-premise advertising structure is revoked with the adoption of this ordinance.
5. The owners of the off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall obtain a building permit for the structure.
6. The off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State and Local laws related to this type of use including, but not limited to, the distance from property line requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
7. Failure to comply with the above regulations and restrictions could result in the revocation of the special use permit.
8. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.

IN WITNESS OF, this ordinance has been enacted on September 19, 2017.

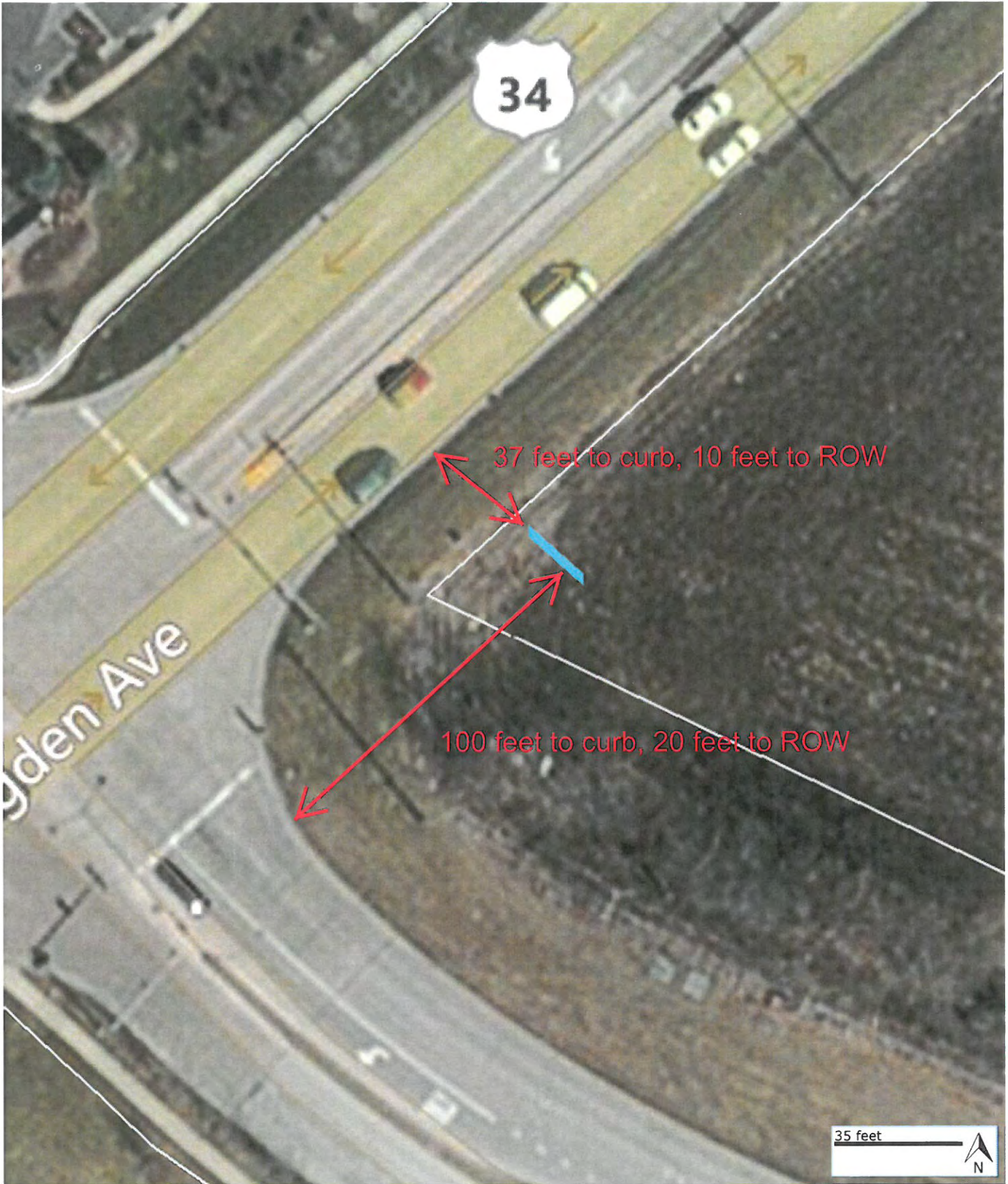
Attest:



Debbie Gillette
Kendall County Clerk



Scott R. Gryder
Kendall County Board Chairman



12'x16' Double Sided Informational Billboard.
NE Corner OF Fransworth & Ogden In Aurora.

192 SQ. FT.



12"x192" Single Sided Model Now Open Patch.
3/8" MDO Painted Ronan Dark Blue w/White Vinyl Copy.
Qty: 2

Sign is not illuminated. Sign is 12' tall with 2' tall posts= 14' from ground to top of sign. Sign is 16' wide. 3/8" MDO Painted Ronan Dark Blue w/ White. Duranodic Bronze and Digital Vinyl. MDO Mounted to 2 White Wooden 10" x 10" columns.

Approval Signature

signsnow215@gmail.com

Phone: 630-357-2300
Fax: 630-357-3977

SIGNSNOW 426 W. Fifth Ave.
Naperville, IL. 60563

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County of Kendall

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ORDINANCE NUMBER 2019- 22

**GRANTING A RENEWAL TO A SPECIAL USE PERMIT GRANTED BY ORDINANCE 2004-43
ON PROPERTY ZONED M-2 HEAVY INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT FOR AN OUTDOOR
ADVERTISING SIGN ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF U.S.
ROUTE 34 AND HAFENRICHTER (FARNSWORTH) (PIN: 03-01-127-006)
IN OSWEGO TOWNSHIP**

WHEREAS, Section 13.08 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance permits the Kendall County Board to issue special use permits, make amendments to existing special use permits, and place conditions on special use permits and provides the procedure through which special use permits are issued and amended; and

WHEREAS, Section 12.12 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance permits the placement of outdoor advertising structures and off-premise advertising signs as a special use permit with certain restrictions in the M-2 Heavy Industrial Zoning District; and

WHEREAS, the property which is the subject of this Ordinance has been, at all relevant times, and remains currently located within the M-2 Heavy Industrial Zoning District and consists of approximately 42.93 acres located at the southeast corner of the intersection of U.S. Route 34 and Hafenrichter (Farnsworth) (PIN: 03-01-127-006) in Oswego Township. The legal description for the subject property is set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated by reference, and this property shall hereinafter be referred to as "the subject property."; and

WHEREAS, the subject property is currently owned by KEKA Farms, LLC and is represented by Dave Hamman and the owner leases the property to Pulte Group and shall collectively hereinafter be referred to as "Petitioner"; and

WHEREAS, on December 21, 2004, the Kendall County Board approved Ordinance 2004-43 granting a special use permit for the placement of an outdoor advertising sign (billboard) on the subject property with conditions; and

WHEREAS, Condition #1 of Ordinance 2004-05 required that the special use granted by said ordinance be renewed every three years;

WHEREAS, on September 19, 2017, the Kendall County Board approved Ordinance 2017-14 granting a renewal of the special use permit for the placement of an outdoor advertising sign (billboard) on the subject property with conditions; and

WHEREAS, Condition #1 of Ordinance 2017-14 and Section 12.06.A.4 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance require special use permits for such signs to be renewed every two years; and

WHEREAS, on or about June 14, 2019, Petitioner filed a petition for renewal of the special use permit granted by Ordinance 2004-05 and renewed by Ordinance 2017-14; and

WHEREAS, following due and proper notice by publication in the Beacon-News on June 30, 2019, the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals conducted a public hearing on July 29, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the County Office Building at 111 W. Fox Street in Yorkville, at which evidence, testimony, and exhibits in support of the requested renewal to an existing special use permit was presented and zero members of the public testified in favor or in opposition to the request; and

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WHEREAS, based on the evidence, testimony, and exhibits, the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals has made their Findings of Fact and recommended approval with conditions of the renewal to an existing special use permit as set forth in the Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals, dated July 29, 2019, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B; and

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee of the Kendall County Board has reviewed the testimony presented at the aforementioned public hearing and has considered the Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals, and has forwarded to the Kendall County Board a recommendation of approval of the requested renewal to an existing special use permit with conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Board has considered the recommendation of the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee and the Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals, and has determined that said petition is in conformance with the provisions and intent of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, this renewal to an existing special use permit shall be treated as a covenant running with the land and is binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns as to the same special use conducted on the property; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

1. The Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals attached hereto as Exhibit B is hereby accepted and the Findings of Fact set forth therein are hereby adopted as the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of this Kendall County Board.
2. The Kendall County Board hereby grants approval of Petitioner's petition for a renewal to an existing special use permit allowing the placement of an outdoor advertising structure (billboard) on the subject property subject to the following conditions:
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 - D. The sign will not be illuminated.
 - E. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Pulte Group's residential development.
 - F. The off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State and Local laws related to this type of use including, but not limited to, the distance from property line requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
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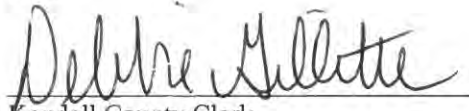
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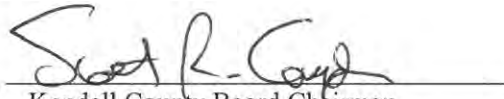
3. The Zoning Administrator and other appropriate County Officials are hereby authorized and directed to amend the Official Zoning Map of Kendall County to reflect this major amendment to an existing special use permit.

IN WITNESS OF, this ordinance has been enacted by a majority vote of the Kendall County Board and is effective this 27th day of August, 2019.

Attest:



Kendall County Clerk
Debbie Gillette



Kendall County Board Chairman
Scott R. Gryder

Exhibit A

Legal Description

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Exhibit B

FINDINGS OF FACT

*That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. **Provided that the sign remains at its current location, the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare of the public.***

*That the special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use shall make adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. **True, the proposed special use will not negatively impact adjoining properties.***

*That adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. **This requirement is not applicable because the proposed special use does not require utilities, access roads, points of ingress and egress, drainage or other facilities.***

*That the special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals. **True, the proposed special use shall conform to the applicable regulations of the district.***

*That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. **True, the proposed special use is consistent with the purposes and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan.***

Recommendation

The Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals recommends approval of the requested renewal to an existing special use permit with the following conditions:

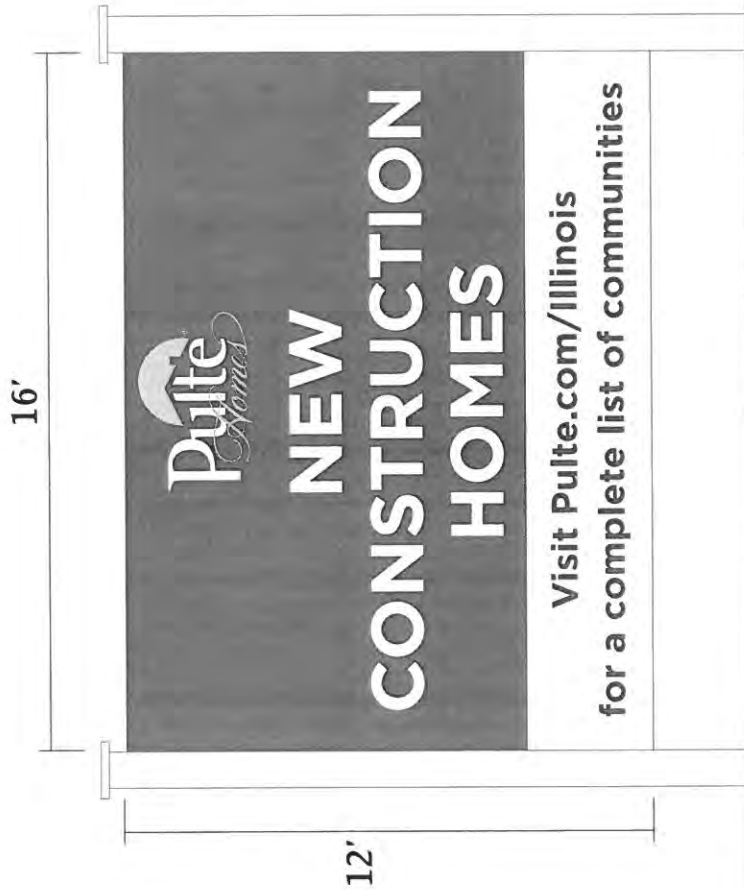
1. The rendering of the sign and map depicting the location of the sign shall be Exhibits in the approval ordinance.
2. The sign will be removed or Pulte Group (or their successors) will apply to renew their special use in two (2) years from the date of approval of this ordinance by the County Board.
3. The sign will not be illuminated.
4. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Pulte Group's residential development.
5. The off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State and Local laws related to this type of use including, but not limited to, the distance from property line requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
6. Failure to comply with the above regulations and restrictions could result in the revocation of the special use permit.
7. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.

The Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals issues this recommendation by a vote of six (6) in favor, zero (0) opposed, and one (1) absent.

July 29, 2019

Exhibit C

12'x16' Double Sided Informational Billboard.
NE Corner OF Fransworth & Ogdan In Aurora.



Sign is not illuminated. Sign is 12' tall with 2' tall posts = 14' from ground to top of sign.
Sign is 16' wide. 3/8" MDO Painted Ronan Dark Blue w/ White, Duranodic Bronze and Digital Vinyl.

12'x16' Double Sided Billboard Re-face.
3/8" MDO Painted Ronan Dark Blue w/White, Light Grey & Digital.
Qty 1

Approval Signature _____

SIGNSNOW 426 W. Fifth Ave. Phone: 630-357-2300
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EXHIBIT D



Pulte confirms that the sign was relocated in 2017 and is still in the correct position as indicated on this drawing.

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ORDINANCE NUMBER 2021-17

**GRANTING A RENEWAL TO A SPECIAL USE PERMIT GRANTED BY ORDINANCE 2004-43
ON PROPERTY ZONED M-2 HEAVY INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT FOR AN OUTDOOR
ADVERTISING SIGN ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF U.S.
ROUTE 34 AND HAFENRICHTER (FARNSWORTH) (PIN: 03-01-127-006)
IN OSWEGO TOWNSHIP**

WHEREAS, Section 13:08 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance permits the Kendall County Board to issue special use permits, make amendments to existing special use permits, and place conditions on special use permits and provides the procedure through which special use permits are issued and amended; and

WHEREAS, Section 12:12 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance permits the placement of outdoor advertising structures and off-premise advertising signs as a special use permit with certain restrictions in the M-2 Heavy Industrial Zoning District; and

WHEREAS, the property which is the subject of this Ordinance has been, at all relevant times, and remains currently located within the M-2 Heavy Industrial Zoning District and consists of approximately 42.9 acres located at the southeast corner of the intersection of U.S. Route 34 and Hafenrichter (Farnsworth) (PIN: 03-01-127-006) in Oswego Township. The legal description for the subject property is set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated by reference, and this property shall hereinafter be referred to as “the subject property.”; and

WHEREAS, the subject property is currently owned by KEKA Farms, LLC and is represented by Dave Hamman and the owner leases the property to Pulte Home Corporation and shall collectively hereinafter be referred to as “Petitioner”; and

WHEREAS, on December 21, 2004, the Kendall County Board approved Ordinance 2004-43 granting a special use permit for the placement of an outdoor advertising sign (billboard) on the subject property with conditions; and

WHEREAS, Condition #1 of Ordinance 2004-05 required that the special use granted by said ordinance be renewed every three years;

WHEREAS, on September 19, 2017, the Kendall County Board approved Ordinance 2017-14 granting a renewal of the special use permit for the placement of an outdoor advertising sign (billboard) on the subject property with conditions; and

WHEREAS, on August 27, 2019, the Kendall County Board approved Ordinance 2019-22 granting a renewal of the special use permit for the placement of an outdoor advertising sign (billboard) on the subject property with conditions; and

WHEREAS, Condition #2.C of Ordinance 2019-22 and Section 12:06.A.4 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance require special use permits for such signs to be renewed every two years; and

WHEREAS, on or about June 3, 2021, Petitioner filed a petition for renewal of the special use permit granted by Ordinance 2004-05 and renewed by Ordinance 2019-22; and

WHEREAS, following due and proper notice by publication in the Beacon-News on July 6, 2021, the Kendall

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County Zoning Board of Appeals conducted a public hearing on August 2, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. in the County Office Building at 111 W. Fox Street in Yorkville, at which evidence, testimony, and exhibits in support of the requested renewal to an existing special use permit was presented and zero members of the public testified in favor or in opposition to the request; and

WHEREAS, based on the evidence, testimony, and exhibits, the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals has made their Findings of Fact and recommended approval with conditions of the renewal to an existing special use permit as set forth in the Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals, dated August 2, 2021, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B; and

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee of the Kendall County Board has reviewed the testimony presented at the aforementioned public hearing and has considered the Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals, and has forwarded to the Kendall County Board a recommendation of approval with conditions of the requested renewal to an existing special use permit; and

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Board has considered the recommendation of the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee and the Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals, and has determined that said petition is in conformance with the provisions and intent of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance; and

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

1. The Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals attached hereto as Exhibit B is hereby accepted and the Findings of Fact set forth therein are hereby adopted as the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of this Kendall County Board.
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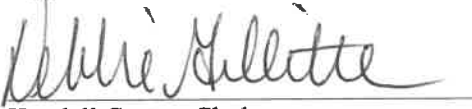
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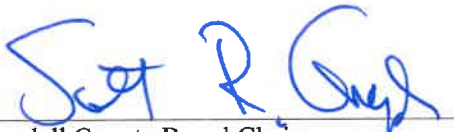
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 4. The Zoning Administrator and other appropriate County Officials are hereby authorized and directed to amend the Official Zoning Map of Kendall County to reflect this major amendment to an existing special use permit.

IN WITNESS OF, this ordinance has been enacted by a majority vote of the Kendall County Board and is effective this 17th day of August, 2021.

Attest:



 Kendall County Clerk
 Debbie Gillette



 Kendall County Board Chairman
 Scott R. Gryder



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Exhibit B

The Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals approved the following Findings of Fact and Recommendation at their meeting on August 2, 2021, by a vote of four (4) in favor and zero (0) in opposition. Members Cherry, LeCuyer, and Whitfield were absent.

FINDINGS OF FACT

§ 13:08.J of the Zoning Ordinance outlines findings that the Zoning Board of Appeals must make in order recommend in favor of the applicant on special use permit applications.

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*That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. **True, the proposed special use is consistent with the purposes and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan.***

RECOMMENDATION

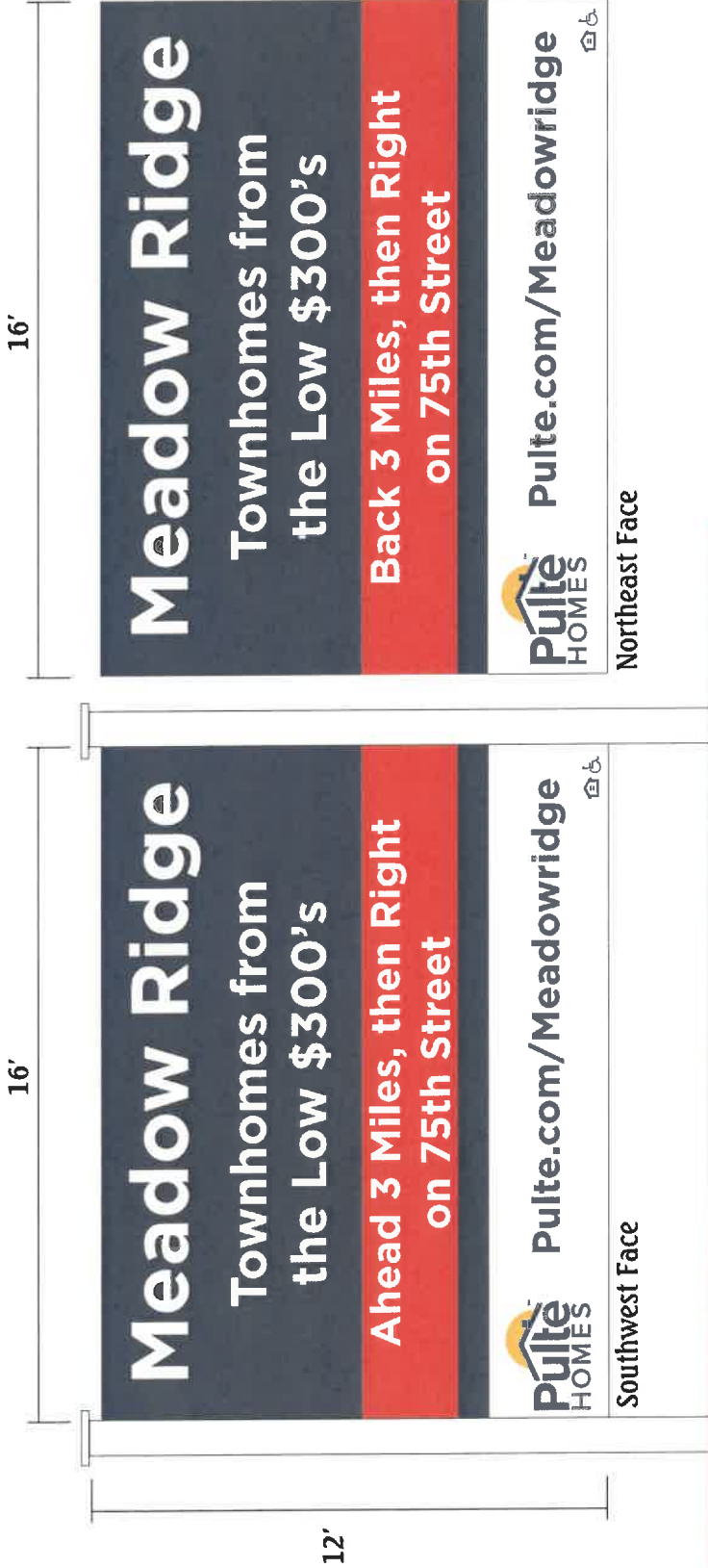
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3. The sign will not be illuminated.
4. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Pulte Home Corporation's residential development.
5. The off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State and Local laws related to this type of use including, but not limited to, the distance from property line requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.

6. Failure to comply with the above regulations and restrictions could result in the revocation of the special use permit.
7. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.

Exhibit C

12'x16' Double Sided Informational Billboard.
NE Corner OF Fransworth & Ogden In Aurora.



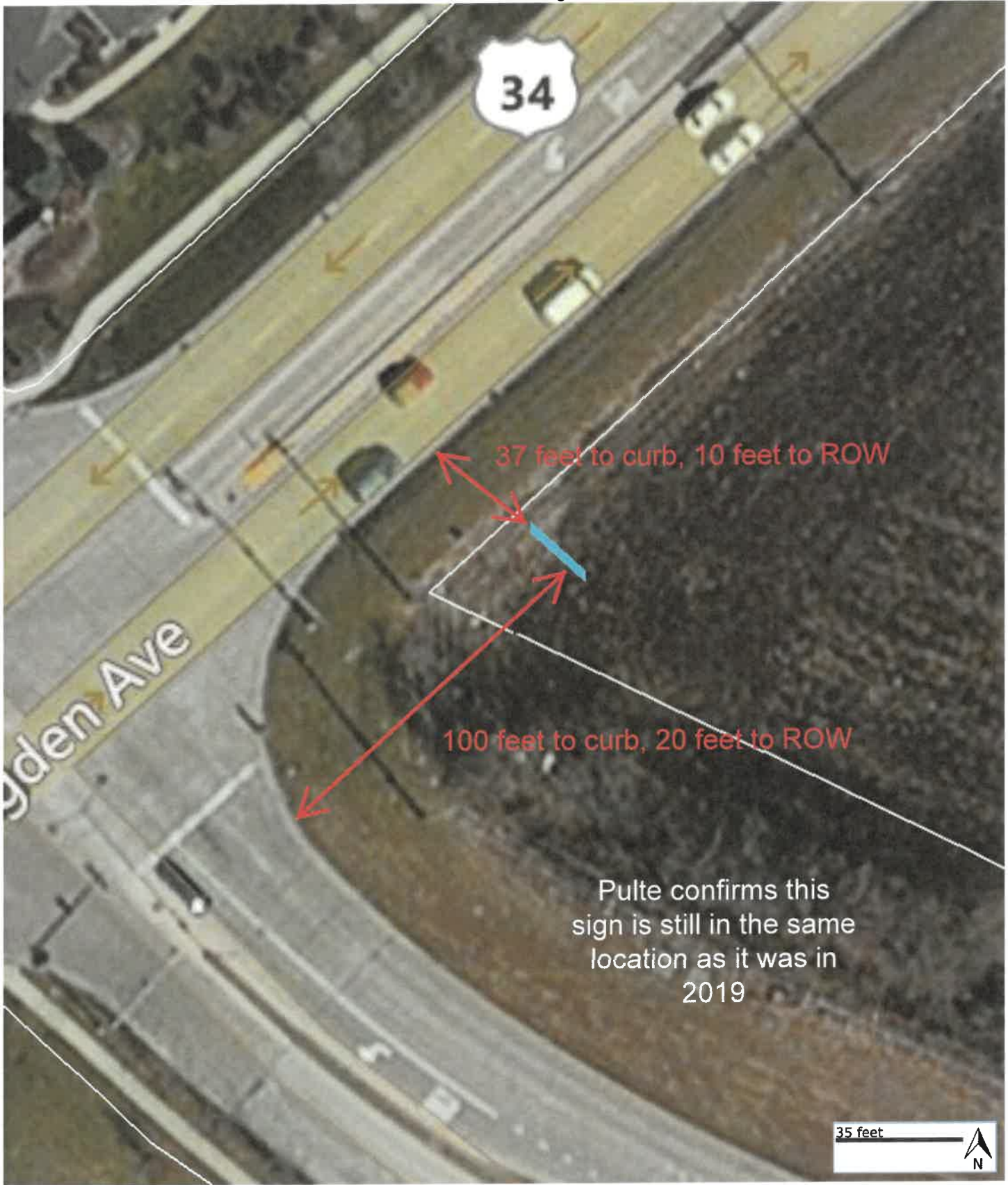
12'x16' Double Sided Billboard Re-face.
3/8" MDO Painted Ronan Dark Blue w/White, Red & Digital Vinyl.

Approval Signature _____



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The sign is a large rectangular board supported by two white posts. It features a white top section with the Pulte Homes logo, a dark blue middle section with the project name and price range, a red section with 'MODELS OPEN', and a bottom section with contact information. The sign is set against a background of green bushes and a clear blue sky.

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**ZONING, PLATTING & ADVISORY COMMITTEE (ZPAC)
July 5, 2023 – Unapproved Meeting Minutes**

PBZ Chairman Seth Wormley called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

Present:

Matt Asselmeier – PBZ Department
Meagan Briganti – GIS Department (Arrived at 9:02 a.m.)
David Guritz – Forest Preserve
Brian Holdiman – PBZ Department
Commander Jason Langston – Sheriff's Department
Alyse Olson – Soil and Water Conservation District
Aaron Rybski – Health Department
Seth Wormley – PBZ Committee Chair

Absent:

Greg Chismark – WBK Engineering, LLC
Fran Klaas – Highway Department

Audience:

Karen Clementi

PETITIONS

Petitions 23-24 Dave Hamman on Behalf of KEKA Farms, LLC (Property Owner) and Pulte Home Corporation (Billboard Owner)

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

In December 2004, through Ordinance 2004-43, the Kendall County Board approved a special use permit for the placement of an off-premise advertising sign at the subject property. The special use permit was renewed in 2017 through Ordinance 2017-14. The special use was renewed again in 2019 through Ordinance 2019-22. The special use was renewed again in 2021 through Ordinance 2021-17 Restriction Number 2.C of the 2021 special use permit renewal and Section 12:06.A.4 require the owner to either remove the sign or to renew the special use permit every two (2) years.

The property is located at the northeast corner of the intersection of Route 34 and Hafenrichter (Farnsworth) in Oswego Township.

Mr. Asselmeier provided a picture of the billboard and an aerial showing the location of the billboard.

Mr. Guritz made a motion, seconded by Commander Langston, to recommend approval of the proposal.

The votes were follows:

Ayes (7): Asselmeier, Guritz, Holdiman, Langston, Olson, Rybski, and Wormley
Nays (0): None
Abstain (0): None
Absent (3): Briganti, Chismark, and Klaas

The motion passed.

The proposal goes to the Kendall County Regional Planning Commission on July 26, 2023.

Member Briganti arrived at this time (9:02 a.m.).

PUBLIC COMMENT

Mr. Asselmeier reported that an application to renew the special use permit for a composting facility at 1270 E. Beecher was received.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Rybski made a motion, seconded by Commander Langston, to adjourn.

With a voice vote of eight (8) ayes, the motion carried.

The ZPAC, at 9:10 a.m., adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Matthew H. Asselmeier, AICP, CFM
Director

Encs.

**KENDALL COUNTY
ZONING & PLATTING ADVISORY COMMITTEE
JULY 5, 2023**

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE CONTACTED ON FUTURE MEETINGS REGARDING THIS TOPIC, PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR ADDRESS OR EMAIL ADDRESS

NAME	ADDRESS (OPTIONAL)	EMAIL ADDRESS (OPTIONAL)
Karen Clementi Fox Metro WRD	682 A State Rte 31 Oswego IL 60543	kclementi@foxmetro.org

Attachment 8, Page 1
**KENDALL COUNTY
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION**

*Kendall County Office Building
Rooms 209 and 210
111 W. Fox Street, Yorkville, Illinois*

Unapproved - Meeting Minutes of July 26, 2023 - 7:00 p.m.

Chairman Bill Ashton called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Bill Ashton, Eric Bernacki, Dave Hamman, Karin McCarthy-Lange, Larry Nelson, Ruben Rodriguez, and Claire Wilson

Members Absent: Tom Casey, Bob Stewart, and Seth Wormley

Staff Present: Matthew H. Asselmeier, Director

Others Present: None

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Member McCarthy-Lange made a motion, seconded by Member Hamman, to approve the agenda. With a voice vote of seven (7) ayes, the motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Member Wilson made a motion, seconded by Member Nelson, to approve the minutes of the of the April 26, 2023, meeting. With a voice vote of seven (7) ayes, the motion carried.

PETITION

Petition 23-24 Dave Hamman on Behalf of KEKA Farms, LLC (Property Owner) and Pulte Home Corporation (Billboard Owner)

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

He provided a description of the sign, the site plan showing the location of the sign, and a current picture of the sign.

The proposed Findings of Fact were:

That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. Provided that the sign remains at its current location, the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare of the public.

That the special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use shall make adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. True, the proposed special use will not negatively impact adjoining properties.

That adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. This requirement is not applicable because the proposed special use does not require utilities, access roads, points of ingress and egress, drainage or other facilities.

That the special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals. True, the proposed special use shall conform to the applicable regulations of the district.

That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. True, the proposed special use is consistent with the purposes and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan.

If approved, Staff recommended the following conditions be included in the approving special use ordinance:

1. The rendering of the sign and map depicting the location of the sign shall be Exhibits in the approval ordinance.
2. The sign will be removed or Pulte Home Corporation (or their successors) will apply to renew their special use in two (2) years from the date of approval of this ordinance by the County Board.
3. The sign will not be illuminated.
4. The advertising on the sign is restricted to Pulte Home Corporation's residential development.
5. The off-premise advertising structure allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State and Local laws related to this type of use including, but not limited to, the distance from property line requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
6. Failure to comply with the above regulations and restrictions could result in the revocation of the special use permit.
7. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.

Member Rodriguez made a motion, seconded by Member Nelson, to recommend approval of the special use permit.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (6): Ashton, Bernacki, McCarthy-Lange, Nelson, Rodriguez, and Wilson
Nays (0): None
Absent (3): Casey, Stewart, and Wormley
Abstain (1): Hamman

The motion carried. The proposal will go to the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals on July 31, 2023.

Member Hamman thanked everyone for attending and supporting the request. He said discussions were underway to annex the property to Aurora.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD/PUBLIC COMMENT

None

NEW BUSINESS

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

REVIEW OF PETITIONS THAT WENT TO COUNTY BOARD

Mr. Asselmeier reported that Petitions 23-05, 23-06, 23-07, 23-08, 23-09, 23-10, 23-11, 23-12, 23-13, 23-17, and 23-19 were approved by the County Board.

Discussion occurred regarding removing the phone numbers of the township highway commissioners from the Subdivision Control Ordinance.

Discussion occurred regarding noise complaints from houses built after a special use permit was issued.

OTHER BUSINESS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. Asselmeier reported that the composting facility on Beecher Road had applied to renew their special use permit. This would be the only agenda item for the August meeting, assuming the unresolved issues were addressed at ZPAC.

Mr. Asselmeier reported that the owner of 1038 Harvey Road had applied for annexation to the Village of Oswego. The hearings would likely occur in September or October.

The emergency escape plan was discussed.

The winery on Plattville Road opened recently.

A Gas-N-Wash opened in Joliet at Caton Farm and Ridge Roads in Na-Au-Say Township.

Discussion occurred regarding solar panel regulations, including farmland preservation, stormwater regulations, one point five (1.5) municipal mile review, bonding requirements, and concerns about fires related to batteries and related building codes.

Discussion occurred regarding silica sand quarries and the lack of reclamation bonds.

ADJOURNMENT

Member Rodriguez made a motion, seconded by Member Hamman, to adjourn. With a voice vote of seven (7) ayes, the motion carried.

The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,
Matthew H. Asselmeier, AICP, CFM
Director



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Petition 23-26

Jefferey D. Milroy on Behalf of Milroy Farms, LLC

A-1 Special Use Permit for Composting of Landscape and Food Waste

INTRODUCTION

On March 19, 2014, through Ordinance 2014-04, the County Board granted a special use permit, with conditions for the operation of a composting facility at the subject property. Ordinance 2014-04 required the property owner to submit a renewal prior to July 1, 2023, or the special use permit would expire on December 1, 2023. The property owner submitted the required renewal on June 30, 2023.

The subject property has operated as a composting facility since 1993.

The Petitioners are requesting the special use permit for the approximately thirty-nine point eight-seven (39.87) acres located in the unincorporated area. They are not renewing the special use permit for operations inside the United City of Yorkville. This reduces operations from approximately fifty-eight (58) acres.

The Host Community Agreement also expires in 2023. The Planning, Building and Zoning Committee met on July 10, 2023, to discuss renewing the agreement. They requested additional information regarding the amount of and types of materials coming into and out of the property. The Petitioner answered those questions at the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee meeting on August 7, 2023, and the proposed Host Community Agreement was forwarded to the State's Attorney's Office for review.

Green Organics is no longer associated with the property.

The application materials are included as Attachment 1. Ordinance 2014-04 is included as Attachment 2. The plat of survey is included as Attachment 3. The business plan, including the original submitted site plan and landscaping plan, is included as Attachment 4. The decommissioning plan is included as Attachment 5.

On August 17, 2023, the Petitioner submitted a revised site plan, included as Attachment 4A.

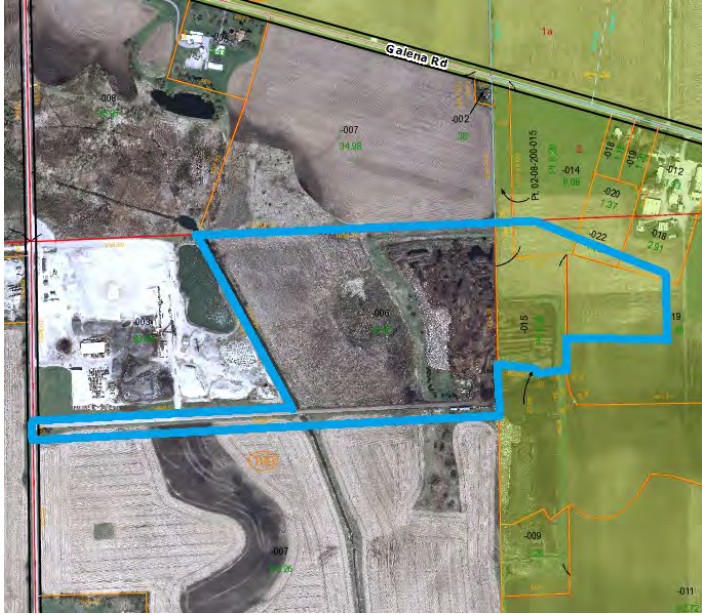
The original submitted site plan and the revised site plan do not match the approved site plan on file with the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. This site plan is included as Attachment 9.

SITE INFORMATION

PETITIONERS: Jefferey D. Milroy on Behalf of Milroy Farms, LLC

ADDRESS: 1270 E. Beecher Road, Bristol

LOCATION: East Side of E. Beecher Road Approximately 0.5 Miles South of Galena Road on the East Side of the Road



Approved Special Use in 2014



Proposed Special Use Area

Township: Bristol

PARCEL: 02-08-100-006

LOT SIZE: 40 +/- Acres

EXISTING LAND USE: Agricultural/Composting Facility

ZONING: A-1 with a Special Use Permit

LRMP:	Future Land Use	Suburban Residential (Max. 1.00 DU/Acre) and Mixed Use Business Along Beecher Road (County) Estate/Conservation Residential (Yorkville)
	Roads	E. Beecher is a Local Road maintained by Bristol Township.
	Trails	There is a proposed trail on E. Beecher Road.

Floodplain/ Wetlands	There are no floodplains on the property. There is a wetland on the extreme northwest corner of the property.
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REQUESTED ACTIONS: Special Use Permit for a Composting Facility

APPLICABLE REGULATIONS: Section 7:01.D – A-1 Special Uses
Section 13:08 – Special Use Procedures

SURROUNDING LAND USE

Location	Adjacent Land Use	Adjacent Zoning	Land Resource Management Plan	Zoning within ½ Mile
North	Agricultural	A-1 (County)	Suburban Residential (County) Estate/Conservation Residential (Yorkville)	A-1 (County) R-3 Planned Unit Development (Yorkville)
South	Agricultural	A-1 SU and M-2 (County)	Suburban Residential and Mixed Use Business (County) Estate/Conservation Residential (Yorkville)	A-1 SU and M-2 (County)
East	Agricultural	R-2 Planned Unit Development and R-2, R-4, B-3 Planned Unit Development (Yorkville)	Urban Area (County) Estate/Conservation Residential (Yorkville)	Various Residential Planned Unit Developments (Yorkville)
West	Manufacturing	M-2 and M-3 SU (County)	Suburban Residential and Mixed Use Business (County) Estate/Conservation Residential (Yorkville)	A-1, A-1 SU, M-1, M-2, and M-3 SU (County)

The A-1 SU to the south was for gravel mining. The M-3 SU to the west was for asphalt production.

PHYSICAL DATA

ENDANGERED SPECIES REPORT

EcoCAT Report was submitted on June 22, 2023. The Mottled Sculpin and Rusty Patch Bumble Bee were in the vicinity. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources recommended that work that disturbs the ground or removes flowering plants be done between October 1st and April 1st. If work occurred outside of the dates listed, a Rusty Patch Bumble Bee survey should be conducted by a qualified biologist, with the results forwarded to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. The consultation also noted that coordination with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service may be necessary. The consultation also contained suggestions for lighting. The consultation was closed if the recommendations related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee were implemented, see Attachment 1, Pages 19-25.

The Petitioner was not agreeable to either recommendation related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources said if that if the Petitioner impacted the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee, that would be problematic.

NATURAL RESOURCES INVENTORY

The NRI Application was submitted on June 20, 2023. The LESA score was 175, indicating a low level of protection, see Attachment 1, Pages 12-18.

ACTION SUMMARY

BRISTOL TOWNSHIP

Petition information was sent to Bristol Township on July 19, 2023.

UNITED CITY OF YORKVILLE

Prior to formal application submittal, Staff contacted Yorkville regarding potential comments on the application. Yorkville requested the following items:

1. A thirty foot (30') wide buffer with a berm at least three feet (3') in height and consisting of two (2) shade trees, five (5) evergreen trees, and three (3) ornamental trees per one hundred (100) linear feet of buffer; they favored a minimum fifteen (15') foot wide buffer.
2. Odor control regulations including using an ASTM certified portable olfactometer, notification by the County to the property owner/business operator within two (2) business days of findings, and a requirement that the property owner/business operator respond within five (5) business days of receiving the notice with corrective action steps. Yorkville's performance standards related to odor were submitted to the County.
3. A condition that the property owner/business operator submit a written response within seven (7) days of receiving a complaint for a non-odor violation outlining steps taken to correct the issue of the complaint.
4. The submission of a detailed decommissioning plan.
5. A requirement that notification of operation management changes and contact information be updated annually with the County.

Staff has concerns regarding the requested procedure of enforcement because the requested method presently contradicts the County's current voluntary compliance policy and the regular procedures for handling alleged violations in the Zoning Ordinance. Also, the County does not presently own an olfactometer. Lastly, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has rules regarding complaints.

Yorkville's email and Staff's response were included as Attachment 6.

The Petitioner was agreeable to certain landscaping, the submission of a decommissioning plan, the request regarding change of management and updated contact information.

Petition information was sent to the United City of Yorkville on July 19, 2023.

The August Yorkville Economic Development Committee and Planning and Zoning Commission meetings were cancelled. The proposal was reviewed at the Yorkville City Council meeting on August 8, 2023, with no comments, and was reviewed again at the August 22, 2023, Yorkville City Council meeting. The Yorkville City Council recommended approval of the proposal. A memo from the United City of Yorkville on the steps they would take to address odor complaints was included as Attachment 10.

BRISTOL-KENDALL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Petition information was sent to the Bristol Kendall Fire Protection District on July 19, 2023.

ZPAC

The Kendall County ZPAC reviewed the proposal at their meeting on August 1, 2023. Discussion occurred regarding odor control measures. The Committee did not believe that using an olfactometer, as Yorkville recommended, was practical. The Committee favored requiring the operator of the business allowed by the special use permit to track wind daily, avoid turning the windrows when the wind was blowing to populated areas, and adding an amendment to the windrows in cases when turning was necessary and the wind was blowing towards populated areas. The Committee expressed little concern regarding the Illinois Department of Natural Resource's recommendation related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee. The Committee was concerned about runoff. Discussion occurred regarding the definition of food scraps; food scraps were collected from grocery stores and include items that were composted at homes. A recommendation regarding equipment at the property being classified as non-agricultural was removed. ZPAC recommended approval of the proposal with the removal of the condition related to the classification of equipment and add a requirement requiring the operator of the business to track wind direction and speed daily and add amendments to the composting materials if windrows are turned with winds blowing in unfavorable directions by a vote of six (6) in favor and zero (0) in opposition with four (4) members absent. The minutes of the meeting were included as Attachment 8.

RPC

The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission reviewed the proposal at their meeting on August 23, 2023. Discussion occurred regarding the tipping fee; this fee is set in the host agreement. Discussion occurred related to bonding and the decommissioning plan. The bonding figure and the decommissioning plan must be approved by the State. Discussion occurred related to odors; few residential land uses were located nearby even though the properties inside Yorkville were zoned residential. A neighboring property owner in Yorkville plans to install solar panels on their property. Discussion occurred regarding food scraps; a maximum of ten percent (10%) of the materials collected at the property could be food scraps per State regulations. Discussion occurred regarding tracking wind speed and direction; the Petitioner was opposed to the restriction related to not turning windrows or adding amendments to the materials when the wind was blowing towards populated areas. The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission recommended approval of the proposal with the revised site plan (Attachment 4A) as the official site plan by a vote of six (6) in favor and zero (0) in opposition with four (4) members absent. The minutes of the meeting were included as Attachment 11.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Per Section 7:01.D.20 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance, composting businesses can be special uses on A-1 zoned property subject to the following conditions:

1. The facility shall meet all Illinois Environmental Protection Agency requirements as identified in Title 35, Subtitle G, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Part 830, Standards for compost facilities.
2. Operational personnel shall be present on site during all hours which the facility is open for the receipt of landscape waste.
3. The hours during which landscape waste may be received shall be 7:00am to 4:00pm Monday through Friday and 7:00am to 12:00 noon Saturday. Processing operations shall cease after each day's receipts have been processed and placed in windrows, not to exceed three (3) additional hours.
4. The decibel levels at the property line shall not exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.
5. A locked gate shall restrict vehicle access during closed hours except that a "lock-box" shall allow access to emergency vehicles.
6. Water samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.

7. Soil samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
8. Authorized Kendall County personnel shall be allowed on site during business hours for inspection and testing.
9. The facility operator shall send up-to-date copies of the State permit and related documents including Operational Plan, Surface Water Management Plan, Pest Control Plan, Site Drawing, and an Annual Report to the County Solid Waste Coordinator.
10. Truck weights shall be limited to seventy-three thousand, two hundred eighty (73,280) pounds.
11. The operator shall provide weight receipts to Kendall County.
12. Off-site debris and trash generated by the site must be cleaned-up daily on surrounding properties with the owner's permission.
13. Other conditions as appropriate for the particular facility.

The Petitioner is agreeable to conditions 1-12.

BUSINESS OPERATIONS

When the special use permit was originally granted in the 1990s, they were originally allowed to process one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) cubic yards of source separated landscape materials. This number was increased to one hundred seventy-five thousand (175,000) cubic yards in 2014.

Starting in 2010, the facility was allowed to accept food scraps.

The original site plan (Attachment 4, Page 3) showed several twenty-five foot (25') wide windrows. These windrows are separated by ten foot (10') foot driving aisles. Most of the windrows are eight feet (8') tall or less in height.

The revised site plan (Attachment 4A) shows thirty-two windrows. No information was provided regarding driving aisles. Windrows might extend to the cultivation line. Final elevations will change for composting surface depending on excavated materials used for the pond.

Bulk agent storage areas separate the east and west windrow areas.

Both site plans show one (1) final cure storage area, one (1) grinding and blending concrete pad, and one (1) receiving pad. No information was provided regarding the dimensions of these areas.

As noted previously, the hours when landscape waste can be received are between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Mondays through Fridays and 7:00 a.m. until Noon on Saturdays. Processing operations may continue for a maximum three (3) additional hours.

As noted in the Decommissioning Plan (Attachment 5), the site will be converted back to farming within five (5) months, this includes the removal materials, grading, seeding, and removal of all structures. The Petitioner planned to reevaluate the Decommissioning Plan.

No information was provided regarding the number of employees at the property.

The use has been at the property since 1993.

There have not been any founded complaints against the property in recent years.

BUILDINGS AND BUILDING CODES

One (1) approximately four hundred twenty (420) square foot office trailer is shown on the plan near the southeast corner of the site.

After the ZPAC meeting, the Petitioners indicated that they may install another building on the property. On the revised site plan (Attachment 4A), one (1) sixty foot by eighty foot (60'X80') building was shown. This structure was twenty-four feet (24') tall. The building would be used for storage of equipment. The final location of the building was undetermined.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

The property is served by a well and septic. The well is located at the southeast corner of the property.

The Petitioner is agreeable to the requirements related to water samples and soil samples, inspection and testing, and submitting copies of the State permit, operational plan, surface water management plan, pest control plan, site drawings, annual report, and decommissioning plan. The Petitioner is also agreeable to providing weight receipts to Kendall County.

The Solid Waste Coordinator shall maintain a log of complaints received on the facility.

Sampling schedules are noted on in the business plan (Attachment 4, Page 6).

Though not shown on the site plan, a dumpster is located on the property. The business plan (Attachment 4, Page 2) notes a requirement to clean-up offsite debris and trash daily on surrounding properties.

NICOR possesses an easement north of the existing driveway.

Overhead utilities run from E. Beecher Road to the office trailer.

STORMWATER

The property drains to the south and west.

One (1) existing detention basin is shown on the site plan north of parking area. The original site plan also shows one (1) proposed detention basin southwest of the western windrows. One twenty-five foot (25') wide drainage swale is shown west of the western windrows. No information was provided regarding the dimensions of the detention basins or the depth of the drainage swale. The revised site plan shows a much larger water reuse and detention pond.

The Petitioners submitted an application for a stormwater management permit based on the original site plan. WBK submitted comments in a letter dated July 15, 2023, included as Attachment 7. To date, Staff is waiting for comments from the Petitioner regarding WBK's comments. The revised site plan was sent to WBK on August 24, 2023. To date, no comments were received.

As mentioned previously, the submitted site plans did not match the site plan on file with the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. The State has not evaluated the impact of the proposed site plans on the Surface Water Management Plan presently on file with the State.

ACCESS

Per the site plan (Attachment 4, Page 3), the subject property has an asphalt drive to E. Beecher Road.

The Petitioner is agreeable to the truck weight restriction contained in the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.

PARKING AND INTERNAL TRAFFIC CIRCULATION

According to the revised site plan (Attachment 4A), one (1) gravel parking area was shown north of the office trailer and one (1) handicapped accessible parking space was shown east of the office trailer. The total number of park stalls was seven (7). The parking stalls did not meet the minimum depth requirement of twenty feet (20') as outlined in Section 11:02.F.4 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.

The site plan shows one (1) truck turn around area.

LIGHTING

No information was provided regarding lighting. Because of the small number of parking spaces, a photometric plan was not required.

SIGNAGE

According to the business plan (Attachment 4, Page 4), one (1) existing sign is located on the property. The sign is not illuminated. The information on the sign is required per Illinois Environmental Protection Agency rules.

One (1) additional no trespassing sign is located on the interior gate.

SECURITY

According to the original site plan (Attachment 4, Page 3), there is a fence along the western and northern sides of the property. There is also a fifteen foot (15') wide buffer between the eastern property line and the berm. The business plan (Attachment 4, Pages 1 and 5) references a locked gate. The gate is locked during closed hours, but a lock box is available for emergency response vehicles.

LANDSCAPING

Per the original site plan (Attachment 4, Page 3), one (1) fifteen foot (15') wide berm is shown near the eastern property line. A twenty-five foot (25') wide berm is shown near the western and northern property lines. Per the business plan (Attachment 4, Page 2), the eastern berm will be three feet (3') in height. Landscaping consisting of pines, fir, and/or shade trees will be planted at spacing not to exceed forty feet (40') apart. Seedling will be a minimum of six inches (6") in height and will be planted within one (1) year of the issuance of the special use permit. The business plan also references maintaining the existing plantings on the berm and ditch and existing landscaping. No information was provided regarding plantings on the western or northern berms or the composition of the existing landscaping and plantings on the property.

No landscaping information was provided on the revised site plan (Attachment 4A).

NOISE CONTROL

Per the business plan (Attachment 4, Page 1), noise levels cannot exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.

ODORS

The business plan (Attachment 4, Page 2) references odor control strategies generally. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency rules requires operators of composting facilities to prepare an odor minimization plan. Staff has requested a copy of this plan.

The Health Department requested that a water truck be onsite for dusty conditions and that the operator be required to chart wind direction and speed daily. The Petitioner was in agreement regarding the water truck condition, but was not in favor of charting wind speeds.

RELATION TO OTHER SPECIAL USES

This is the only property to have a special use permit for a composting facility in unincorporated Kendall County.

FINDINGS OF FACT

§ 13:08.J of the Zoning Ordinance outlines findings that the Zoning Board of Appeals must make in order to recommend in favor of the applicant on special use permit applications. They are listed below in *italics*. Staff has provided findings in **bold** below based on the recommendation:

The establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. **The operation is controlled by the Illinois EPA and inspected regularly by the Health Department and have not found anything to endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare.**

The special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be

considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use makes adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. **The operation has been open since 1993 with some minor debris issues a long time ago and since then there have been no complaints or issues. Reasonable restrictions may be placed in the special use permit to address hours of operation, dust, and odor control measures. No evidence has been provided suggesting that property values have declined in the area since the facility commenced operations.**

Adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. The special use will not be adding any new utilities or roadways to the property. They will use the current access point onto Beecher Road which has a gate which will be closed unless the operation is open. State law and the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance require a Surface Water Management Plan.

The special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals. This is true; no variances are requested, if the parking stalls depth are corrected.

The special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. This operation existed before the Land Resource Management Plan existed and the plan calls for the area to be residential which it could be when/if this operation ever ceases to exist.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval of the requested renewal subject to the following conditions and restrictions, even though no phasing plan has been submitted outlining when the old, State approved site plan is phased out and the new site plan is brought online. The general conditions and restrictions would be as follows:

1. The facility shall comply with the conditions as they are listed in the applicable sections of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance related to the composting of landscape waste and food waste, subject to the following:
 - a. The facility shall meet all Illinois Environmental Protection Agency requirements as identified in the applicable sections of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
 - b. Operational personnel shall be present on site during all hours which the facility is open for the receipt of landscape waste.
 - c. The hours during which landscape waste may be received shall be 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Monday through Fridays and 7:00 a.m. to Noon on Saturdays. Processing operations shall cease after each day's receipts have been processed and placed in windrows, not to exceed three (3) additional hours.
 - d. The decibel levels at the property line shall not exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.
 - e. Water samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
 - f. Soil samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
 - g. Authorized Kendall County personnel shall be allowed on site during business hours for inspection and testing.

- h. The facility operator shall send up-to-date copies of the State permit and related documents including Operational Plan, Surface Water Management Plan, Pest Control Plan, Site Drawing, and an Annual Report to the County Solid Waste Coordinator.
 - i. Truck weights shall be limited to seventy-three thousand, two hundred eighty (73,280) pounds.
 - j. The operator shall provide weight receipts to Kendall County.
 - k. Off-site debris and trash generated by the site must be cleaned-up on a daily basis on surrounding properties with the owner's permission.
 - l. Implement strategies to manage potential odor issues such as maintaining proper carbon to-nitrogen ratios, maintaining moisture levels, and sufficient turning of compost piles to enhance decomposition.
 - m. Install water spraying systems or dust suppression equipment at critical points of dust generation. Regularly monitor moisture content and use sprinkler systems or misters to dampen the compost as needed.
2. The facility will be permitted to take in one hundred seventy-five thousand (175,000) cubic yards of source-separated landscape materials (i.e. brush, leaves, tree trimmings, grass **and food waste**). **(Amended after ZPAC)**
 3. The site shall be developed substantially in accordance with the site plan (Attachment 4A) provided that the parking stalls conform to the requirements of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance and the owners of the business allowed by the special use permit may erect one (1) building a maximum of sixty foot by eighty foot (60'X80') in size with a maximum height of twenty-four feet (24') on the property, and the site plan shall be kept on file as "Exhibit A" attached hereto. **(Amended at RPC)**
 4. A fifteen foot (15') buffer and a berm will be provided between the composting area and the United City of Yorkville's boundary to the east. The berm will be at least fifteen feet (15') wide and three feet (3') high. The buffer landscaping will be composed primarily of pine, fir, and/or shade trees planted at spacing not to exceed forty feet (40') apart. Seedlings will be a minimum of six inches (6") in height. Specimen seedlings will be planted and the berm will be constructed within one (1) year of issuance of the special use permit ordinance. The Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee may grant an extension to the deadline to install the berms and landscaping. **(Amended at RPC)**
 5. The facility operator shall maintain existing plantings on the berm and ditch.
 6. The facility operator shall maintain the security gate, signage, and landscaping as indicated on "Exhibit B" (Attachment 4, Pages 4 and 5) attached hereto. The locked gate shall restrict vehicle access during closed hours except that a "lock-box" shall allow access to emergency vehicles.
 7. The facility operator shall maintain a sampling schedule as shown on "Exhibit C" (Attachment 4, Page 6) attached hereto dated March 11, 2008.
 8. The County Solid Waste Coordinator shall maintain a log of complaints received on the facility.
 9. This special use Ordinance shall expire on December 1, 2033, and the petition for renewal shall be made prior to July 1, 2033.
 10. If any Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) violations or citations are received by the site operator/manager and/or parcel owner/manager they need to be submitted to the County Solid Waste Coordinator within thirty (30) days.
 11. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall follow the Decommissioning Plan (Attachment 5) as described in Exhibit D. The operator shall assume all of the responsibilities assigned

to Green Organics in the plan. The Decommissioning Plan shall be kept on file in the site trailer office per EPA requirements and will be accessible to the Kendall County Health Inspector. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall update the Kendall County Health Department within thirty (30) days of changes to the Decommissioning Plan.

12. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall notify the Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Department within thirty (30) days of changes in operation manager. In addition, the operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall provide contact information of the management operator annually by July 1st.
13. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall ensure a host community agreement is in existence with the County prior to operations.
14. Ordinance 2014-04 and all previous special use permits and amendments to special use permits related to the operation of composting facility on the subject property are hereby repealed in their entirety.
15. ~~None of the vehicles or equipment parked or stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be considered agricultural vehicles or agricultural equipment.~~
(Deleted at ZPAC)
16. All of the vehicles and equipment stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be maintained in good condition with no deflated tires and shall be licensed if required by law.
17. Any structures constructed, installed, or used related to the business allowed by this special use permit on the property shall not be considered for agricultural purposes and must secure applicable building permits.
18. At least one (1) water truck shall be onsite for dust control purposes. **(Added after ZPAC)**
19. The operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall track wind direction and speed daily and add amendments to the composting materials if windrows are turned with winds blowing towards populated areas. **(Added after ZPAC)**
20. The owners and operators of the business allowed by this special use permit acknowledge and agree to follow Kendall County's Right to Farm Clause.
21. The property owner and operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State, and Local laws related to the operation of this type of business.
22. Failure to comply with one or more of the above conditions or restrictions could result in the amendment or revocation of the special use permit.
23. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.
24. This special use permit shall be treated as a covenant running with the land and are binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns as to the same special use conducted on the property.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Application Materials (Including Petitioner's Findings of Fact, NRI Application, and EcoCat)
2. Ordinance 2014-04
3. Plat of Survey
4. Business Plan (Including Original Site Plan)
- 4A. Revised Site Plan Submitted August 17, 2023
5. Decommission Plan
6. Pre-Application Emails with United City of Yorkville
7. July 15, 2023, WBK Comment Letter
8. August 1, 2023, ZPAC Meeting Minutes

9. IDNR Approved Site Plan
10. August 10, 2023, Yorkville Memo
11. August 23, 2023, Kendall County Regional Planning Commission Meeting Minutes



DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, BUILDING & ZONING

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APPLICATION

PROJECT NAME Milroy Farms LLC **FILE #:** _____
 Kendall Composting Permit

NAME OF APPLICANT (Including First, Middle Initial, and Last Name) Jefferey D. Milroy		
CURRENT LANDOWNER/NAME(s) Milroy Farms LLC		
SITE INFORMATION ACRES 39.8752	SITE ADDRESS OR LOCATION 1270 E. Beecher Road, Bristol Township, IL	ASSESSOR'S ID NUMBER (PIN) 02-08-100-006
EXISTING LAND USE Composting Special Use	CURRENT ZONING A1 Special Use	LAND CLASSIFICATION ON LRMP East side is mixed business and west side is rural estate residential
REQUESTED ACTION (Check All That Apply):		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL USE <input type="checkbox"/> MAP AMENDMENT (Rezone to _____) <input type="checkbox"/> VARIANCE <input type="checkbox"/> ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE <input type="checkbox"/> A-1 CONDITIONAL USE for: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> SITE PLAN REVIEW <input type="checkbox"/> TEXT AMENDMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RPD (<input type="checkbox"/> Concept; <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary; <input type="checkbox"/> Final) <input type="checkbox"/> ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL <input type="checkbox"/> PRELIMINARY PLAT <input type="checkbox"/> FINAL PLAT <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER PLAT (Vacation, Dedication, etc.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT TO A SPECIAL USE (<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major; <input type="checkbox"/> Minor)		
1PRIMARY CONTACT Jefferey Milroy	PRIMARY CONTACT MAILING ADDRESS [REDACTED]	PRIMARY CONTACT EMAIL [REDACTED]
PRIMARY CONTACT PHONE # [REDACTED]	PRIMARY CONTACT FAX # [REDACTED]	PRIMARY CONTACT OTHER #(Cell, etc.) [REDACTED]
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I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS FORM, THAT THE PROPERTY IN QUESTION MAY BE VISITED BY COUNTY STAFF & BOARD/ COMMISSION MEMBERS THROUGHOUT THE PETITION PROCESS AND THAT THE PRIMARY CONTACT LISTED ABOVE WILL BE SUBJECT TO ALL CORRESPONDANCE ISSUED BY THE COUNTY.		
I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS SUBMITTED ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND THAT I AM TO FILE THIS APPLICATION AND ACT ON BEHALF OF THE ABOVE SIGNATURES. THE APPLICANT ATTESTS THAT THEY ARE FREE OF DEBT OR CURRENT ON ALL DEBTS OWED TO KENDALL COUNTY AS OF THE DATE OF THE APPLICATION.		
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT [REDACTED]		DATE <u>6/29/2023</u>

FEE PAID:\$ _____
CHECK #: _____

¹Primary Contact will receive all correspondence from County

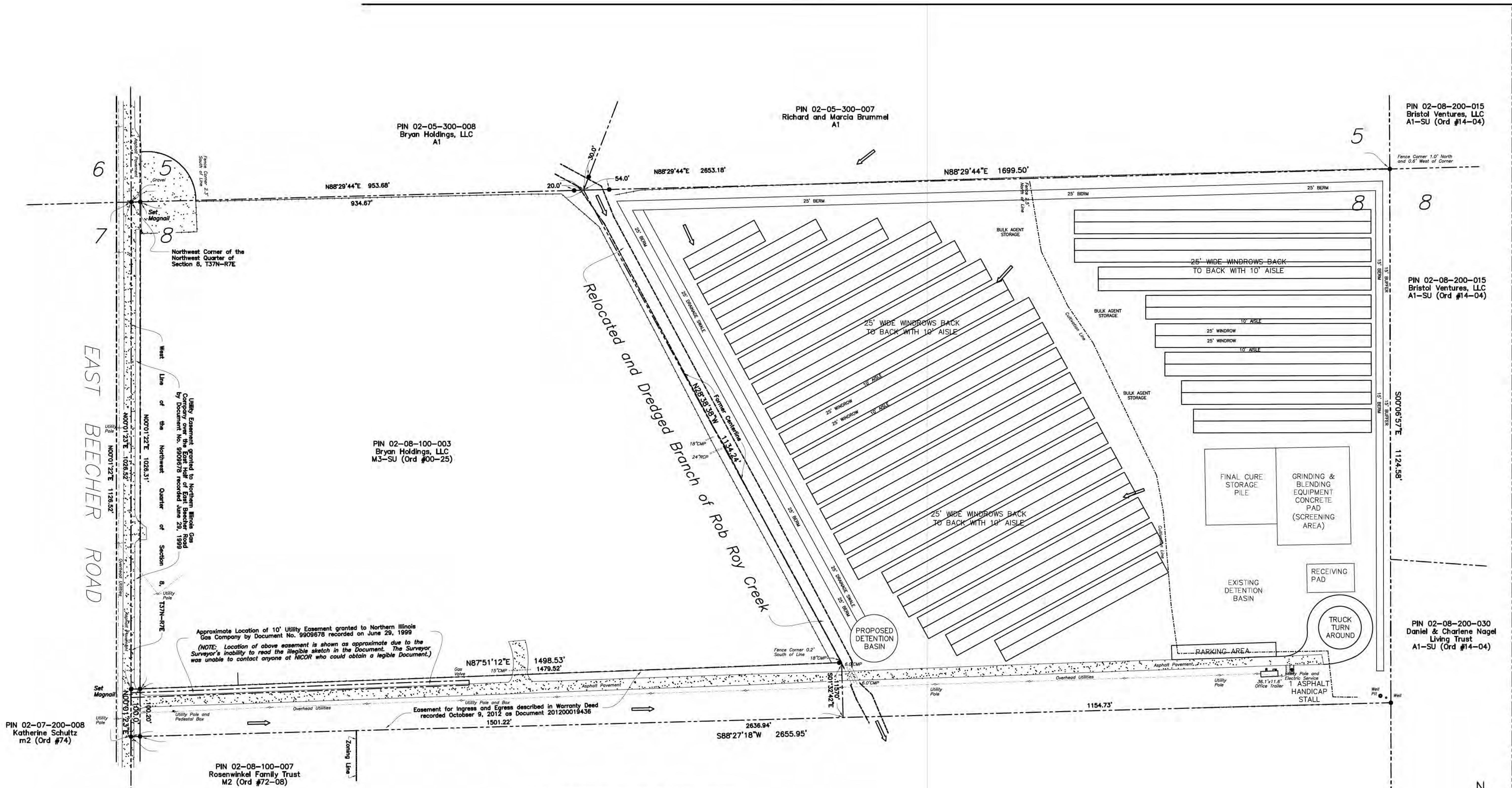
²Engineering Contact will receive all correspondence from the County's Engineering Consultants

Date Stamp Here If
 Checklist Is Complete

Detailed Description Of Proposed Use Business Plan

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LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF ZONING TRACT:
 That part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 8, Township 37 North, Range 7 East of the Third Principal Meridian, being described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest Corner of said Quarter Section; thence North 88°29'44" East along the North Line of said Northwest Quarter, 953.68 feet to a point in the center line of a branch of Rob Roy Creek for the point of beginning; thence continuing North 88°29'44" East along said North Line, 1699.50 feet to the Northeast Corner of said Northwest Quarter; thence South 00°06'57" East along the East Line of said Northwest Quarter, 1124.58 feet; thence South 88°27'18" West, 2655.95 feet to a point on the West Line of said Northwest Quarter that is 1126.52 feet Southerly of the Northwest Corner of said Northwest Quarter; thence North 00°01'23" East along said West Line, 100.0 feet; thence North 87°51'12" East, 1498.53 feet to a point in the center line of a branch of Rob Roy Creek; thence North 28°38'38" West along said center line, 1134.24 feet to the point of beginning in Bristol Township, Kendall County, Illinois and containing 39.8752 acres.

FLOODPLAIN STATEMENT:
 The Subject property is located in Zone X (areas of minimal flood hazard determined to be outside the 0.2% annual chance floodplain) as shown on FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map Panel No. 17093C0036G with an effective date of February 4, 2009.

WETLANDS STATEMENT:
 The National Wetlands Inventory Map depicts Riverine wetlands (R2UBHx) in the relocated and dredged branch of Rob Roy Creek.

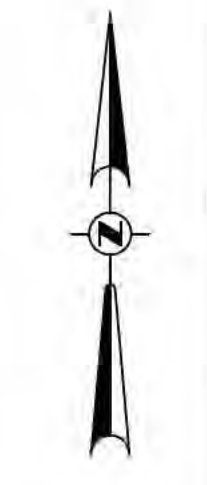
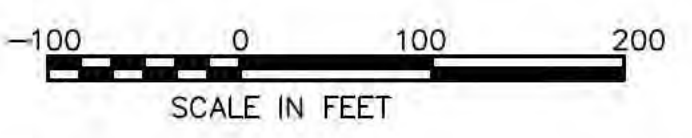
DEVELOPER:
 Jeff Milroy
 Milroy Farms, LLC

PROPERTY LOCATION:
 PIN: 02-08-100-006
 1270 East Beecher Road
 Yorkville, Illinois 60560

AREA OF ZONING TRACT:
 39.8752 Acres

PRESENT ZONING:
 A-1 SU

PROPOSED ZONING:
 A-1 SU







March 11, 2008

Mr. Joseph Mazza

[Redacted]



Dear Mr. Mazza:

You requested confirmation of the sampling schedule that is used by Analytical Chemistry & Environmental Services, Inc. (AC&E Services, Inc.) at your compost facility in Bristol, Illinois.

The compost is tested according to 35 Illinois Administration Code (IAC) Section 830.507(a) for each 5000 tons shipped.

The well at the site is tested once per year in May in accordance with your current permit. The soil is tested once per year in September. Two composite soil samples are taken; one in the detention pond at the west side of the facility and one taken at the end of the windrows at the south end of the property. The testing is performed in accordance with your current permit.

I hope this answers your questions concerning your current testing requirements. If any further help is needed, do not hesitate to contact us.

Regards,

[Redacted signature]

Terese M. Laciak
President

EXHIBIT C

TML/cab

cc: Steven B. Curatti, Director of Environmental Health, Kendall County

**Legal Description of Milroy Farms LLC Parcel
Parcel 02-08-100-006**

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WARRANTY DEED

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GRANTOR:
AURORA BLACKTOP, INC.

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Subsequent Tax Bills To:

GRANTEE:
MILROY FARMS, LLC *Jeff Milroy*

[Redacted]

THE GRANTORS, AURORA BLACKTOP, INC., an Illinois corporation, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, and duly authorized to transact business in the State where the following described real estate is located, of the Village of Bristol, County of Kendall, and State of Illinois, for and in consideration of TEN AND NO/100 (\$10.00) DOLLARS, in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby duly acknowledged, conveys and warrants to GRANTEE: MILROY FARMS, LLC, an Illinois limited liability company, whose mailing address is: [Redacted] ALL RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST IN AND TO the following described real estate to-wit:

Legal description attached hereto as Exhibit A

Parcel Identification No: 02-08-100-006
Commonly known as: 39.8752 Acres, Farmland, located in Bristol Township, Kendall County, IL

Together with the hereditaments, tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

This Deed and conveyance is subject to easements and restrictions of record, if any, roadways, rights of adjoining owners to the uninterrupted flow of any streams which may cross the land, right of way for drainage tiles, ditches, feeders, and laterals, and general taxes for the year 2012 and subsequent.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto said Grantee, and its or its heirs and assigns forever hereby releasing and waiving all rights under and by virtue of the Homestead Exemption Laws of the State of Illinois.

DATED this 31ST day of August, 2012

AURORA BLACKTOP, INC., an Illinois Corporation

By: [Redacted Signature]

Mall Tax
Certification This Business LLC
[Redacted]

2012-204034

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS
COUNTY OF KANE)


I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that CRAIG HASENBALG me this day in person, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal this 31 day of Aug., 2012

[Handwritten Signature]
[Redacted Name]
Notary Public



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STATE TAX
STATE OF ILLINOIS

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COUNTY OF KENDALL
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KENDALL COUNTY
DISCLOSURE OF BENEFICIARIES FORM

1. Applicant Milroy Farms LLC
Address [REDACTED]
City [REDACTED] State [REDACTED] Zip [REDACTED]

2. Nature of Benefit Sought Special Use Permit

3. Nature of Applicant: (Please check one)
 Natural Person (a)
 Corporation (b)
 Land Trust/Trustee(c)
 Trust/Trustee (d)
 Partnership (e)
 Joint Venture (f)

4. If applicant is an entity other than described in Section 3, briefly state the nature and characteristics of the applicant:

5. If your answer to Section 3 you have checked letter b, c, d, e, or f, identify by name and address each person or entity who is a 5% shareholder in case of a corporation, a beneficiary in the case of a trust or land trust, a joint venture in the case of a joint venture, or who otherwise has proprietary interest, interest in profits and losses or right to control such entity:

NAME	ADDRESS	INTEREST
Jefferey D Milroy	[REDACTED]	50%
Lilianna D Milroy	[REDACTED]	50%

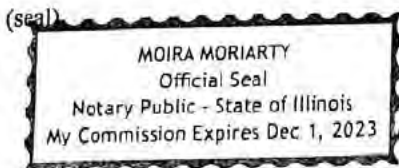
6. Name, address, and capacity of person making this disclosure on behalf of the applicant:

Jefferey Milroy, Manager, [REDACTED]

VERIFICATION

I, [REDACTED], being first duly sworn under oath that I am the person making this disclosure on behalf of the applicant, that I am duly authorized to make the disclosure, that I have read the above and foregoing Disclosure of Beneficiaries, and that the statements contained therein are true in both substance and fact.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of June, A.D. 2023



[REDACTED] Notary Public

RECEIVED
6/21/23



**Kendall County Soil & Water
Conservation District**

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www.kendallswcd.org

NATURAL RESOURCE INFORMATION (NRI) REPORT APPLICATION

Petitioner: Milroy Farms LLC **Contact Person:** Jefferey Milroy
Address: _____ **City, State:** _____
Phone Nu: _____ **Email:** _____

Please select: How would you like to receive a copy of the NRI Report? Email Mail

Site Location & Proposed Use

Township Name Bristol Township **Township** T37 **N, Range** R7E **E, Section(s)** 8
Parcel Index Number(s) 02-08-100-006
Project or Subdivision Name Milroy Farms Composting Permit **Number of Acres** 39.87
Current Use of Site A-1 Special Use **Proposed Use** A-1 Special Use
Proposed Number of Lots N/A **Proposed Number of Structures** N/A
Proposed Water Supply Well (existing) **Proposed type of Wastewater Treatment** N/A
Proposed type of Storm Water Management Retention Pond (existing)

Type of Request

Change in Zoning from _____ to _____
 Variance (Please describe fully on separate page)
 Special Use Permit (Please describe fully on separate page)
Name of County or Municipality the request is being filed with: Kendall County, IL

In addition to this completed application form, please including the following to ensure proper processing:

- Plat of Survey/Site Plan** – showing location, legal description and property measurements
- Concept Plan** - showing the locations of proposed lots, buildings, roads, stormwater detention, open areas, etc.
- If available: topography map, field tile map, copy of soil boring and/or wetland studies
- NRI fee** (Please make checks payable to Kendall County SWCD)

The NRI fees, as of July 1, 2010, are as follows:

Full Report: \$375.00 for five acres and under, plus \$18.00 per acre for each additional acre or any fraction thereof over five.
Executive Summary Report: \$300.00 (KCSWCD staff will determine when a summary or full report will be necessary.)

Fee for first five acres and under \$ 375.00
_____ Additional Acres at \$18.00 each \$ _____
Total NRI Fee \$ 75.00

NOTE: Applications are due by the 1st of each month to be on that month's SWCD Board Meeting Agenda. Once a completed application is submitted, please allow 30 days for inspection, evaluation and processing of this report.

I (We) understand the filing of this application allows the authorized representative of the Kendall County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) to visit and conduct an evaluation of the site described above. The completed NRI report expiration date will be 3 years after the date reported.

Petitioner or Authorized Agent

June 20, 2023

Date

This report will be issued on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, handicap or marital status.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

NRI# 2307 Date initially rec'd 6/21/23 Date all rec'd _____ Board Meeting _____
Fee Due \$ 75.00 Fee Paid \$ _____ Check # _____ Over/Under Payment _____ Refund Due _____



Kendall County Soil & Water Conservation District

July 13, 2023

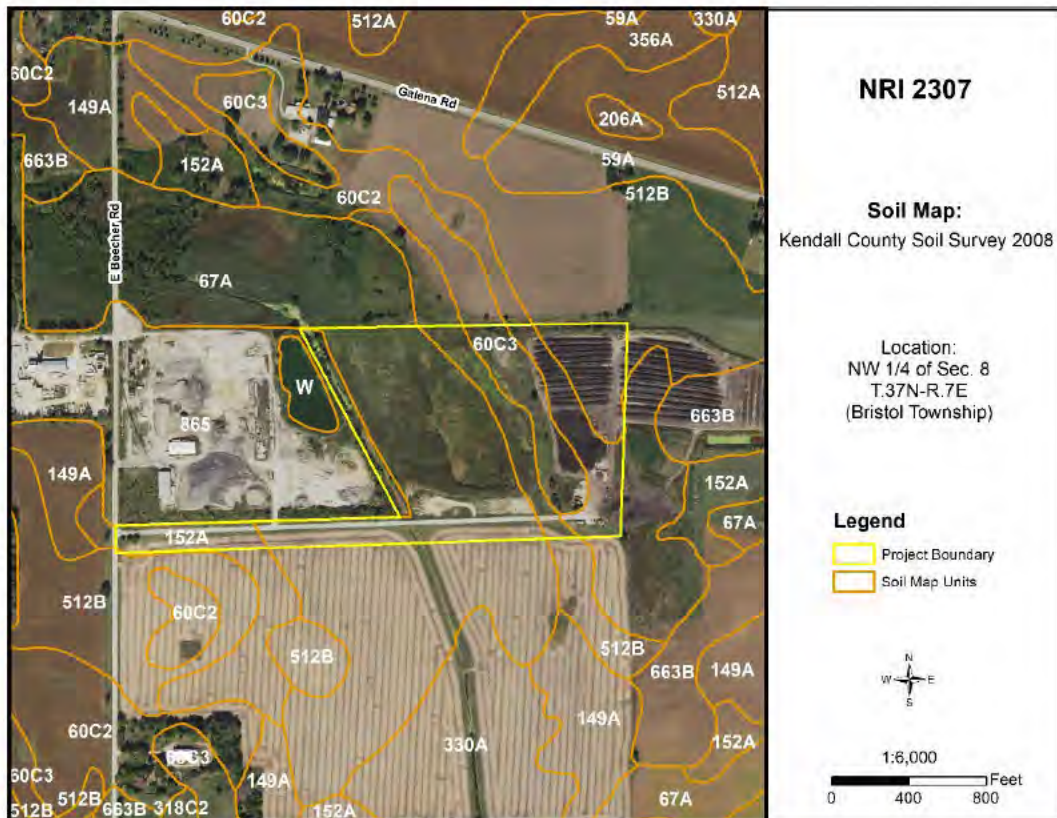
Jefferey Milroy

Dear Mr. Milroy,

The Kendall County Soil & Water Conservation District (SWCD) received a Natural Resources Information Report (NRI) Application for a special use permit renewal petition on parcel 02-08-100-006 filed with Kendall County. The site is an existing EPA composting facility that accepts yard and food waste from the surrounding area. The petitioner is proposing an approximate 17-acre expansion of the composting operation on the western half of the parcel with the addition of a future detention basin. The project site is located at 207 E Beecher Rd, Bristol, IL 60512 in the northwest quarter of Section 8, Township 37N (Bristol Township), Range 7E of the 3rd Principal Meridian. The site is zoned A1-SU Agricultural Special Use. After reviewing the application and supporting documents, it was determined that a *full NRI Report is not necessary at this time* for the proposed project.

The Kendall County SWCD has reviewed the 39.87-acre project site and would like to note the following natural resource considerations:

- The site currently contains an existing 17-acre composting area, detention basin, truck turn-around, and parking area. According to the property owner, the site is tile drained.



- The 2008 Soil Survey for Kendall County as maintained by the United States Department of Agriculture – Natural Resource Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS) contains soil maps and descriptions for soil types throughout the county. The exhibit above shows the soil map, and the table below shows the soil map units that are present within the project site. Please note this information does not replace the need for site specific soil testing.

Soil Map Unit	Acreage	Percent of Parcel
60C2 La Rose silt loam, 5-10% slopes, eroded	5.1	12.9%
60C3 La Rose clay loam, 5-10% slopes, severely eroded	4.7	11.8%
67A Harpster silty clay loam, 0-2% slopes	18.5	46.4%
152A Drummer silty clay loam, 0-2% slopes	2.3	5.7%
512B Danabrook silt loam, 2-5% slopes	7.8	19.5%
865 Pits, gravel	1.5	3.8%

- Soil survey interpretations are predictions of soil behavior for specified land uses and specified management practices. These interpretative ratings help engineers, planners, and others to understand how soil properties influence behavior when used for nonagricultural uses. They are based on the soil properties that directly influence the specified use of the soil. Each soil map unit has limitations for a variety of land uses. The table below shows the soil limitations for uses including food-processing waste, farm and garden composting, and shallow excavations. It is important to remember that soils do not function independently of each other. The behavior of a soil depends upon the physical properties of adjacent soil types, the presence of artificial drainage, soil compaction, and its position in the local landscape.

Soil Type	Food-Processing Waste	Farm & Garden Composting Facility	Shallow Excavations
60C2 & 60C3	<u>Very Limited:</u> Dense layer; Slow water movement; Depth to saturated zone	<u>Somewhat Limited:</u> Slope; Low strength; Wetness; Low precipitation; Extreme soil temperatures	<u>Very Limited:</u> Depth to saturated zone; Dusty; Unstable excavation walls
67A	<u>Very Limited:</u> Ponding; Depth to saturated zone; Leaching	<u>Very Limited:</u> Low strength; Wetness; Ponding; Low precipitation; Seepage	<u>Very Limited:</u> Ponding; Depth to saturated zone; Dusty; Unstable excavation walls
152A	<u>Very Limited:</u> Ponding; Depth to saturated zone; Leaching; Slow water movement	<u>Very Limited:</u> Low strength; Wetness; Ponding; Low precipitation	<u>Very Limited:</u> Ponding; Depth to saturated zone; Dusty; Unstable excavation walls; Too clayey
512B	<u>Somewhat Limited:</u> Depth to saturated zone; Slow water movement	<u>Somewhat Limited:</u> Low strength; Wetness; Slope; Extreme soil temperatures; Low precipitation	<u>Somewhat Limited:</u> Depth to saturated zone; Dusty; Unstable excavation walls
865	N/A	N/A	N/A

- The information provided in the table below provides further detail regarding the following:
 - Drainage Class: Refers to the frequency and duration of wet periods under similar conditions to those under which the soil formed.
 - Hydrologic Soil Groups: Soils have been classified into four (A, B, C, D) hydrologic groups based on runoff characteristics due to rainfall. If a soil is assigned to a dual hydrologic group (A/D, B/D or C/D), the first letter is for drained areas and the second letter is for undrained areas. Group A soils have a high infiltration rate, low runoff potential and high rate of water transmission. Group B soils have a

moderate infiltration rate and rate of water transmission. Group C soils have a slow infiltration rate and rate of water transmission. Group D soils have a very slow infiltration rate, high runoff potential and a very slow rate of water transmission.

- Hydric Soils: A hydric soil is one that formed under conditions of saturation, flooding, or ponding long enough during the growing season to develop anaerobic conditions in the upper part of the soil profile that supports the growth or regeneration of hydrophytic vegetation. Soils with hydric inclusions have map units dominantly made up of non-hydric soils that may have inclusions of hydric soils in the lower positions on the landscape. Of the soils found onsite, two are hydric (67A Harpster silty clay loam and 152A Drummer silty clay loam) and three are non-hydric (60C2 La Rose silt loam, 60C3 La Rose clay loam, and 512B Danabrook silt loam).
- Prime Farmland: Prime farmland is land that has the best combination of physical and chemical characteristics for agricultural production. Prime farmland soils are an important resource to Kendall County and some of the most productive soils in the United States occur locally. Of the soils found onsite, three are designated as prime farmland (67A Harpster silty clay loam, 152A Drummer silty clay loam, and 512B Danabrook silt loam). Two of the soils are designated as farmland of statewide importance (60C2 La Rose silt loam and 60C3 La Rose clay loam), and one is designated as non-prime farmland (865 Pits, gravel).

Map Unit	Drainage Class	Hydrologic Group	Hydric Designation	Prime Farmland
60C2 & 60C3	Moderately Well Drained	C	Non-Hydric	Farmland of Statewide Importance
67A	Poorly Drained	B/D	Hydric	Prime Farmland if Drained
152A	Poorly Drained	B/D	Hydric	Prime Farmland if Drained
512B	Moderately Well Drained	C	Non-Hydric	Prime Farmland
865	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not Prime Farmland

- The information provided in the table below provides further detail regarding soil water features:
 - Surface Runoff: Surface runoff refers to the loss of water from an area by flow over the land surface. Surface runoff classes are based upon slope, climate and vegetative cover and indicates relative runoff for very specific conditions (it is assumed that the surface of the soil is bare and that the retention of surface water resulting from irregularities in the ground surface is minimal).
 - Water Table: Water table refers to a saturated zone in the soil and the data indicates, by month, depth to the top (upper limit) and base (lower limit) of the saturated zone in most years. These estimates are based upon observations of the water table at selected sites and on evidence of a saturated zone (grayish colors or mottles (redoximorphic features)) in the soil. Note: A saturated zone that lasts for less than a month is not considered a water table.
 - Ponding: Ponding is standing water in a closed depression. Unless a drainage system is installed, the water is removed only by percolation, transpiration, or evaporation. Duration indicated as brief means ponding typically occurs for a period of 2-7 days. Frequency indicated as non means ponding is not possible and frequent means that it occurs, on average, more than once in 2 years (chance of ponding is more than 50% in any year).
 - Flooding: Flooding is temporary inundation of an area caused by overflowing stream, runoff from adjacent slopes, or tides. Water standing for short periods after rainfall or snowmelt is not considered flooding. Water standing in swamps and marshes is considered ponding rather than flooding.

Map Unit	Surface Runoff	Water Table	Ponding	Flooding
60C2	High	<u>February – April</u> Upper Limit: 2.0'-3.5' Lower Limit: 2.2'-4.0'	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None
60C3	Medium	<u>February – April</u> Upper Limit: 2.0'-3.5' Lower Limit: 2.2'-4.0'	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None
67A	Negligible	<u>January – May</u> Upper Limit: 0.0'-1.0' Lower Limit: 6.0'	<u>January – May</u> Surface Depth: 0.0'-0.5' Duration: Brief (2-7 days) Frequency: Frequent	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None
152A	Negligible	<u>January – May</u> Upper Limit: 0.0'-1.0' Lower Limit: 6.0'	<u>January – May</u> Surface Depth: 0.0'-0.5' Duration: Brief (2-7 days) Frequency: Frequent	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None
512B	Low	<u>February – April</u> Upper Limit: 2.0'-3.5' Lower Limit: 3.0'-5.0'	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None	<u>January – December</u> Frequency: None
865	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

- This site is located on slopes of approximately 0-10%. The site lies within the Fox River Watershed (Rob Roy Creek sub watershed).
- Based on an in-office review of the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) for Kendall County, Community Panel No. 17093C0030G (effective date February 4, 2009), it does not appear that this parcel is located within the 100-year floodplain. It is mapped as Zone X, an area of minimal flood hazard. Additionally, based upon review of the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service's National Wetlands Inventory Map, a riverine waterway (tributary to Rob Roy Creek) is present along the western edge of the project site. To determine the presence of wetlands, a wetland delineation specialist, who is recognized by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, should determine the exact boundaries and value of the wetlands.
- If construction is to occur onsite, a soil erosion and sediment control plan should be prepared and implemented in accordance with both Kendall County and Illinois EPA requirements. The Illinois Urban Manual can be used as a reference for proper selection and implementation of onsite soil erosion and sediment control practices to ensure that soil is properly maintained onsite from project initiation to completion.
- The Land Evaluation Site Assessment (LESA) system, a land use planning tool, assists decision-makers in Kendall County in determining the suitability of a land use change and/or a zoning request. Specifically, the LESA system is designed to facilitate decision making by providing a rational process for assisting local officials in making farmland conversion decisions through the local land use process. It provides a technical framework to numerically rank land parcels based on local resource evaluation and site considerations. The LESA system was developed by the United States Department of Agriculture-Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS) and takes into consideration local conditions such as physical characteristics of the land, compatibility of surrounding land uses, and urban growth factors. The LESA system is a two-step procedure that includes Land Evaluation (LE) and Site Assessment (SA). The Land Evaluation is based on soils of a given area that are rated and placed in groups ranging from the best to worst suited for a stated agriculture use such as cropland and forestland. The best group is assigned a value of 100 and all other groups are assigned lower values (94, 87, 79, etc.). The Land Evaluation is based on data from the USDA Kendall County Soil Survey. The Site Assessment is numerically evaluated according to important factors that contribute to the quality of the site. Each factor

selected is assigned values in accordance with the local needs and objectives. The overall score is based on a 300-point rating scale.

Land Evaluation Computation

Soil Type	Value Group	Relative Value	Acres	Product (Relative Value x Acres)
60C2	5	82	5.1	418.2
60C3	6	69	4.7	324.3
67A	2	94	18.5	1,739.0
152A	1	100	2.3	230.0
512B	2	94	7.8	733.2
865	8	0	1.5	0.0
Totals			39.9	3,444.7
LE Calculation			(Product of relative value / Total Acres) $3,444.7 / 39.9 = 86.3$	
LE Score			LE = 86	

The Land Evaluation score for this site is 86 out of a possible 100 points, indicating that the soils are well-suited for agricultural uses since the Land Evaluation score is above 80.

Site Assessment Computation

A.	Agricultural Land Uses	Points
	1. Percentage of area in agricultural uses within 1.5 miles of site. (20-10-5-0)	10
	2. Current land use adjacent to site. (30-20-15-10-0)	15
	3. Percentage of site in agricultural production in any of the last 5 years. (20-15-10-5-0)	10
	4. Size of site. (30-15-10-0)	15
B.	Compatibility / Impact on Uses	
	1. Distance from city or village limits. (20-10-0)	0
	2. Consistency of proposed use with County Land Resource Management Concept Plan and/or municipal comprehensive land use plan. (20-10-0)	10
	3. Compatibility of agricultural and non-agricultural uses. (15-7-0)	0
C.	Existence of Infrastructure	
	1. Availability of public sewage system. (10-8-6-0)	8
	2. Availability of public water system. (10-8-6-0)	8
	3. Transportation systems. (15-7-0)	7
	4. Distance from fire protection service. (10-8-6-2-0)	6
	Site Assessment Score:	89

The Site Assessment score for this site is 89 out of a possible 200 points. The Land Evaluation value (86) is added to the Site Assessment value (89) to obtain a LESA Score of 175. The table below shows the level of protection for the proposed project site based on the LESA Score.

LESA Score Summary

LESA SCORE	LEVEL OF PROTECTION
0-200	Low
201-225	Medium
226-250	High
251-300	Very High

The overall LESA Score for this site is 175 indicating a low level of protection for the proposed project site. Note: Selecting the project site with the lowest total points will generally protect the best farmland located in the most viable areas and maintain and promote the agricultural industry in Kendall County.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (630) 553-5821 extension 3.

Sincerely,



Alyse Olson
Resource Conservationist

CC Jefferey Milroy, Milroy Farms LLC

Matt Asselmeier, Kendall County Planning, Building, & Zoning

Robert Walker, Bristol Township



Applicant: Jeff Milroy

Contact: Jeff Milroy

Address: [REDACTED]

IDNR Project Number: 2317303

Date: 06/22/2023

Alternate Number: 2317170

Project: Milroy Farms Composting

Address: 1270 East Beecher Road, Yorkville

Description: Special use permit renewal for operating a compost facility.

Natural Resource Review Results

Consultation for Endangered Species Protection and Natural Areas Preservation (Part 1075)

The Illinois Natural Heritage Database shows the following protected resources may be in the vicinity of the project location:

Mottled Sculpin (*Cottus bairdii*)

Rusty Patched Bumble Bee (*Bombus affinis*)

An IDNR staff member will evaluate this information and contact you to request additional information or to terminate consultation if adverse effects are unlikely.

Location

The applicant is responsible for the accuracy of the location submitted for the project.

County: Kendall

Township, Range, Section:

37N, 7E, 5

37N, 7E, 8



IL Department of Natural Resources

Contact

Kyle Burkwald

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Division of Ecosystems & Environment

Government Jurisdiction

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Matthew Asselmeier

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Yorkville, Illinois 60560

Disclaimer

The Illinois Natural Heritage Database cannot provide a conclusive statement on the presence, absence, or condition of natural resources in Illinois. This review reflects the information existing in the Database at the time of this inquiry, and should not be regarded as a final statement on the site being considered, nor should it be a substitute for detailed site surveys or field surveys required for environmental assessments. If additional protected resources are encountered during the project's implementation, compliance with applicable statutes and regulations is required.

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IDNR Project Number: 2317303



EcoCAT Receipt	Project Code 2317303
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APPLICANT	DATE
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Jeff Milroy Jeff Milroy [REDACTED]	6/22/2023
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DESCRIPTION	FEE	CONVENIENCE FEE	TOTAL PAID
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EcoCAT Consultation	\$ 125.00	\$ 2.81	\$ 127.81
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TOTAL PAID	\$ 127.81
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June 23, 2023

Jeff Milroy
Milroy Farms



**RE: Milroy Farms Composting
Consultation Program
EcoCAT Review #2317303
Kendall County**

Dear Mr. Milroy:

The Department has received your submission for this project for the purposes of consultation pursuant to the *Illinois Endangered Species Protection Act* [520 ILCS 10/11], the *Illinois Natural Areas Preservation Act* [525 ILCS 30/17], and Title 17 *Illinois Administrative Code* Part 1075.

The proposed action consists of operating a compost facility in Yorkville, IL.

The Illinois Natural Heritage Database shows the following protected resources may be in the vicinity of the project location:

State Listed

Mottled Sculpin (*Cottus bairdii*)

State and Federally Listed

Rusty Patched Bumblebee (*Bombus affinis*)

Due to the project scope and proximity to protected resources the Department recommends the following actions be taken to avoid adversely impacting listed species in the vicinity of the project:

Rusty Patched Bumblebee

- 1) The Department recommends that work which disturbs the ground or may remove flowering plants be done between October 1 and April 1 to avoid potential impacts.
- 2) If these dates cannot be accommodated, the Department recommends a Rusty Patched Bumble Bee survey be performed by a qualified biologist.
 - a) Survey results and methods should be forwarded to the Department for review and concurrence.

Please note that due to the federal status of the Rusty Patched Bumblebee, and its potential occurrence in the project area, coordination with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service may be necessary and is separate from this consultation and Illinois State regulations.

Given the above recommendations are adopted the Department has determined that impacts to these protected resources are unlikely. The Department has determined impacts to other protected resources in the vicinity of the project location are also unlikely.

In accordance with 17 Ill. Adm. Code 1075.40(h), please notify the Department of your decision regarding these recommendations.

Consultation on the part of the Department is closed, unless the applicant desires additional information or advice related to this proposal. Consultation for Part 1075 is valid for two years unless new information becomes available which was not previously considered; the proposed action is modified; or additional species, essential habitat, or Natural Areas are identified in the vicinity. If the action has not been implemented within two years of the date of this letter, or any of the above listed conditions develop, a new consultation is necessary.

The natural resource review reflects the information existing in the Illinois Natural Heritage Database at the time of the project submittal and should not be regarded as a final statement on the project being considered, nor should it be a substitute for detailed site surveys or field surveys required for environmental assessments. If additional protected resources are unexpectedly encountered during the project's implementation, the applicant must comply with the applicable statutes and regulations.

This letter does not serve as permission to take any listed or endangered species. As a reminder, no take of an endangered species is permitted without an Incidental Take Authorization or the required permits. Anyone who takes a listed or endangered species without an Incidental Take Authorization or required permit may be subject to criminal and/or civil penalties pursuant to the *Illinois Endangered Species Act*, the *Fish and Aquatic Life Act*, the *Wildlife Code* and other applicable authority.

The Department also offers the following conservation measures be considered to help protect native wildlife and enhance natural areas in the project area:

If temporary or permanent lighting is required, the Department recommends the following lighting recommendation to minimize adverse effects to wildlife:

- All lighting should be fully shielded fixtures that emit no light upward.
- Only “warm-white” or filtered LEDs (CCT < 3,000 K; S/P ratio < 1.2) should be used to minimize blue emission.
- Only light the exact space with the amount (lumens) needed to meet facility safety requirement.
- If LEDs are to be used, avoid the temptation to over-light based on the higher luminous efficiency of LEDs.

If erosion control blanket is to be used, the Department also recommends that wildlife-friendly plastic-free blanket be used around wetlands and adjacent to natural areas, if not feasible to implement project wide, to prevent the entanglement of native wildlife.

Please contact me with any questions about this review.

Sincerely,



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Matt Asselmeier

From: Burkwald, Kyle <Kyle.Burkwald@Illinois.gov>
Sent: Friday, July 14, 2023 11:10 AM
To: Matt Asselmeier
Cc: Seth Wormley; Latreese Caldwell; Hayes, Bradley
Subject: [External]RE: 1270 E Beecher, Bristol Township, Kendall County

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Matt,

Apologies for the delay, I recently accepted a new position within the Department and am no longer a part of the Impact Assessment section.

However, to answer your questions, the recommendations are not required to be adhered to by law, they are best recommendations to avoid a Take of the listed species. Failure to adhere though may result in an increased likelihood of a Take of an endangered species as defined in Part 1075 of the *Illinois Endangered Species Act*.

If you have any further questions or concerns please contact Brad Hayes.

Sincerely,
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From: Matt Asselmeier <masselmeier@kendallcountyil.gov>
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Kyle:

Did you have an opportunity to review this email?

Thanks,

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Please fill out the following findings of fact to the best of your capabilities. §13:08.J of the Zoning Ordinance outlines findings that the Zoning Board of Appeals shall consider in rendering a decision, but is not required to make an affirmative finding on all items in order to grant a **special use**. They are as follows:

That the establishment, maintenance, and operation of the special use will not be detrimental to, or endanger, the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. An experienced operator, Jesse C. Sexton, will be managing operations and running the site.

The operation is permitted and controlled by the EPA and inspected by the health department and they have not found anything to endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort or general welfare during Jesse C. Sexton's tenure.

That the special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other properties in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use shall make adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole.

The new management team of Jesse C. Sexton, William J. Coleman, Jefferey D Milroy, and Lilianna D. Milroy will incorporate as the new site operator. Jesse is well known to neighbors and local officials and ran the site without complaints regarding odors, debris, or dust. The site will be run orderly and squared away. No other operator will be assigned to this operation without approval of the management team.

That adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

The special use will not be adding any new utilities or roadways to the property. They will use the current access point onto Beecher Road which has a gate which will be closed unless the operation is open. Any new proposed detention basins will be provided under the Storm-water permit application.

That the special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals

The special use conforms to all applicable regulations of the A-1 Special use district.

That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies.

This operation existed before the Land Resource Management Plan existed and the plan calls for the area to be residential which it could be when/if this operation ever ceases to exist.

State of Illinois
County of Kendall

Zoning Petition
#13-26

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2014 - 04

**GRANTING A MAJOR AMENDMENT TO A SPECIAL USE FOR
GREEN ORGANICS INC. AT 1270 EAST BEECHER ROAD**

WHEREAS, Green Organics, Inc., Milroy Farms LLC and Bristol Ventures LLC has filed a petition for a major amendment to their Special Use within the A-1 Agricultural Zoning District for a 58 acre property located on the east side of Beecher Road about 0.5 miles south of Galena Road, commonly known as 1270 E. Beecher Road, (PIN# 02-08-100-006, part of PIN# 02-08-200-015, part of PIN# 02-08-200-018, part of PIN# 02-08-200-019 and part of PIN# 02-08-200-022), in Bristol Township; and

WHEREAS, said petition is to amend their existing special use permit to continue operation of their regional compost facility at 1270 E. Beecher Road modifying the site plan to eliminate about 10.5 acres, add about 9.5 acres northeast in the City of Yorkville and seek new conditions on property; and

WHEREAS, said property is currently zoned A-1 Agricultural with an existing Special Use for operation for a landscape waste composting site; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Kendall County, Illinois did grant the petitioner said request for as Ordinance 1993-19 on October 19, 1993; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Kendall County, Illinois did grant the petitioner said request for a renewal as Ordinance 1997-13 on August 19, 1997; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Kendall County, Illinois did grant the petitioner said request for a renewal as Ordinance 2000-18 on April 18, 2000; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Kendall County, Illinois did grant the petitioner said request for a renewal as Ordinance 2008-17 on May 20, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Administrator and/or deputies did grant the petitioner a minor amendment to the existing special use to allow the facility to begin accepting and processing food waste as Ordinance 10-25-11 on October 25, 2011; and

WHEREAS, said special uses will continue on the property; and

WHEREAS, said property is legally described as:

PARCEL 1
THAT PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 8, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 7
EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, BEING DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

State of Illinois
County of Kendall

Zoning Petition
#13-26

COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID QUARTER SECTION; THENCE NORTH 88 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 44 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER 953.68 FEET TO A POINT IN THE CENTER LINE OF A BRANCH OF THE ROB ROY CREEK FOR THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 88 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 44 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID NORTH LINE 1699.46 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID QUARTER SECTION; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 07 MINUTES 06 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID QUARTER SECTION 1124.58 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 88 DEGREES 27 MINUTES 18 SECONDS WEST 2655.97 FEET TO A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID QUARTER SECTION THAT IS 1126.52 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 01 MINUTES 23 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID WEST LINE 100.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 87 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 12 SECONDS EAST 1498.53 FEET TO A POINT IN THE CENTER OF SAID ROB ROY CREEK; THENCE NORTH 28 DEGREES 38 MINUTES 38 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID CREEK, 1134.24 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, IN THE TOWNSHIP OF BRISTOL, KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS
PIN: 02-08-100-006

PARCEL 2

THAT PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 8 IN TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 7 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE NORTH 87 DEGREES 36 MINUTES 31 SECONDS EAST, ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, 187.01 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 61 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 39 SECONDS EAST, 332.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 71 DEGREES 34 MINUTES 14 SECONDS EAST, 463.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 45 DEGREES 09 MINUTES 49 SECONDS EAST, 58.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 33 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST, 356.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 48 MINUTES 46 SECONDS WEST, 541.26 FEET TO A POINT ON A LINE 400.00 FEET EAST OF, AND PARALLEL WITH, THE WEST LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 01 DEGREE 14 MINUTES 06 SECONDS EAST, ALONG SAID LINE, 171.42 FEET; THENCE ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF A PARCEL OF LAND WITH PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 02-08-200-015 FOR THE NEXT FOUR CALLS; SOUTH 83 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 54 SECONDS WEST, 130.42 FEET, MORE OR LESS; SOUTH 86 DEGREES 27 MINUTES 54 SECONDS WEST, 65.30 FEET; NORTH 08 DEGREES 04 MINUTES 41 SECONDS WEST, 23.88 FEET; NORTH 87 DEGREES 04 MINUTES 28 SECONDS WEST, 202.52 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO A POINT 850.00 FEET SOUTHERLY OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, AS MEASURED ALONG THE WEST LINE THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 01 DEGREE 14 MINUTES 06 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID WEST LINE, 850.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AND CONTAINING 13.72 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

WHEREAS, all procedures required by the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance were followed including notice for public hearing, preparation of the findings of fact, and recommendation for approval by the Special Use Hearing Officer on December 9, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the findings of fact were approved as follows:

That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. The operation is controlled by the EPA and inspected regularly by the Health Department and have not found anything to endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare.

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*That the special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use shall make adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. **The operation has been open since 1993 with some minor debris issues a long time ago and since then there have been no complaints or issues. The newer water park exists less than a mile away to the east and still there have been no complaints about affecting the area properties.***

*That adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. **The special use will not be adding any new utilities, roadways or drainage to the property. They will use the current access point onto Beecher Road which has a gate which will be closed unless the operation is open.***

*That the special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Hearing Officer. **The special use conforms to all applicable regulations of the A-1 Special use district.***

*That the special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. **This operation existed before the Land Resource Management Plan existed and the plan calls for the area to be residential which it could be when/if this operation ever ceases to exist.***

WHEREAS, the Kendall County Board has considered the findings and recommendation of the Hearing Officer and finds that said petition is in conformance with the provisions and intent of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, this special use shall be treated as a covenant running with the land and is binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns of the property owner as to the same special use conducted on the property; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, that the Kendall County Board hereby repeals Kendall County Ordinances #93-17, #97-13, #00-18, #08-17 and #10-28-11 in their entirety and hereby grants approval of a major amendment to their existing special use zoning permit to continue operation of their regional compost facility at 1270 E. Beecher Road modifying the site plan to eliminate about 10.5 acres, add about 9.5 acres northeast in the City of Yorkville subject to the following conditions:

1. The facility shall comply with the conditions listed in Section 7.01.D.15 (composting of landscape waste and food waste) of the Zoning Ordinance:
 - Composting of landscape waste and food waste, subject to the following:
 - a. The facility shall meet all Illinois Environmental Protection Agency requirements as identified in Title 35, Subtitle G, Chapter 1, Sub-chapter 1, Park 830, Standards for compost facilities.
 - b. Operational personnel shall be present on site during all hours which the facility is

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- open for the receipt of landscape waste.
- c. The hours during which landscape waste may be received shall be 7:00am to 4:00pm Monday through Friday and 7:00am to 12:00 noon Saturday. Processing operations shall cease after each day's receipts have been processed and placed in windrows, not to exceed three (3) additional hours.
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 - i. The facility operator shall send up-to-date copies of the State permit and related documents including Operational Plan, Surface water management Plan, Pest Control Plan, Site Drawing, and an Annual Report to the County Solid Waste Coordinator.
 - j. Truck weights shall be limited to 73,280 pounds.
 - k. The operator shall provide weight receipts to Kendall County.
 - l. Off-site debris and trash generated by the site must be cleaned-up on a daily basis on surrounding properties with the owner's permission.
 - m. Other conditions as appropriate for the particular facility. (*Amended 6/20/2006*)
2. The facility will be permitted to take in 175,000 cubic yards of source-separated landscape materials (i.e. brush, leaves, tree trimmings and grass)
 3. The site plan shall be kept on file as "Exhibit A" attached hereto
 4. The facility operator shall maintain plantings on the berm and ditch.
 5. The facility operator shall maintain the gate and landscaping as indicated on "Exhibit B" attached hereto
 6. The facility operator shall maintain a sampling schedule as shown on "Exhibit C" attached hereto dated March 11, 2008.
 7. The County Solid Waste Coordinator shall maintain a log of complaints received on the facility.
 8. This special use Ordinance shall expire on December 1, 2023 and the petition for renewal shall be made prior to July 1, 2023.
 9. If any Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) violations or citations are

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received they need to be submitted to the County Solid Waste Coordinator within 30 days.

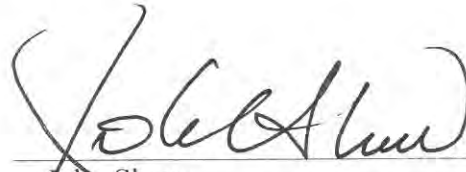
Failure to comply with the terms of this ordinance may be cited as a basis for amending or revoking this special use permit.

IN WITNESS OF, this ordinance has been enacted on March 19th, 2014.

Attest:



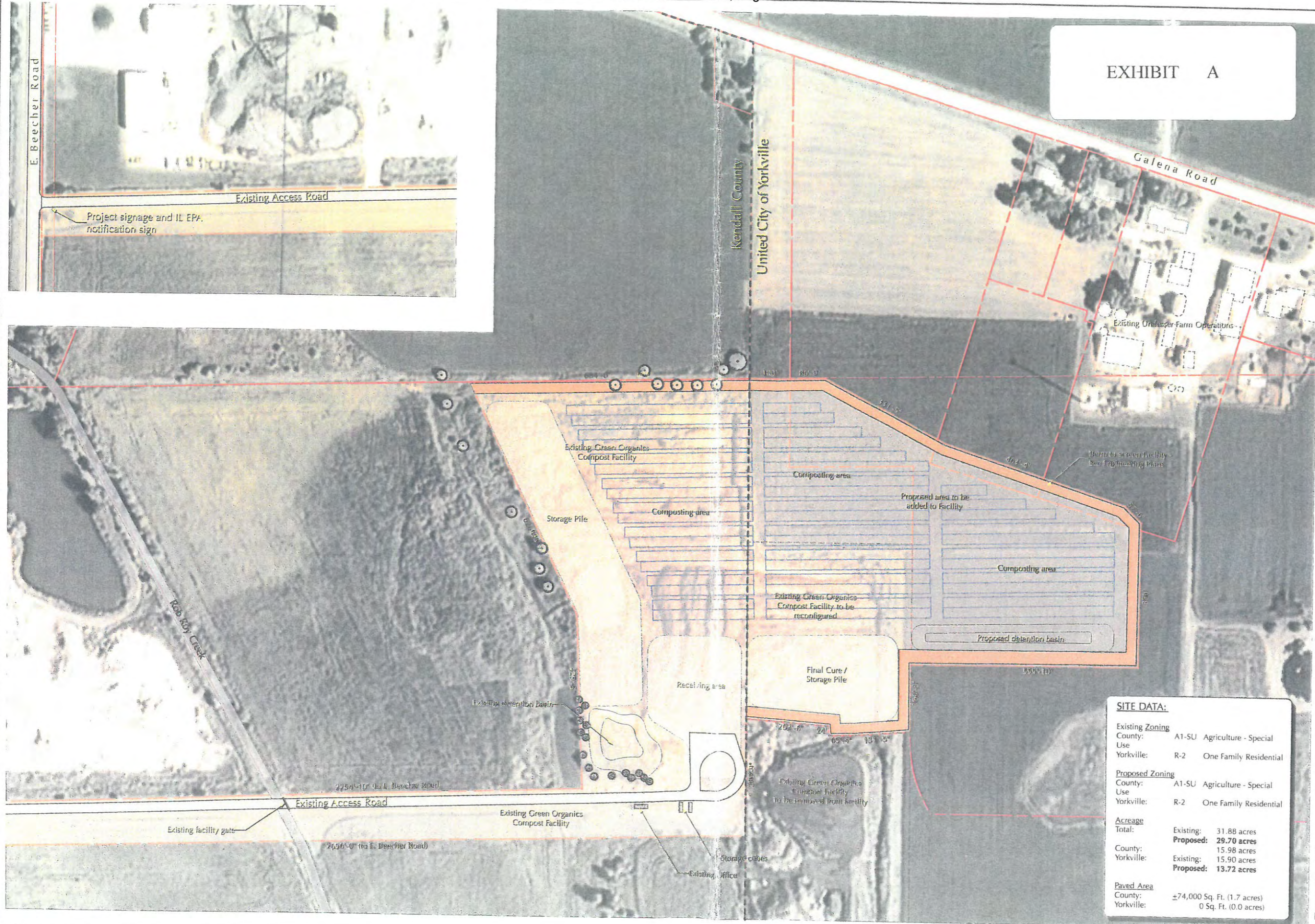
Debbie Gillette
Kendall County Clerk



John Shaw
Kendall County Board Chairman

EXHIBIT A

Prepared: October 15, 2013



Green Organics Compost Facility
 1270 E. Beecher Road, Bristol, IL
 Green Organics, Inc.

enon hill
 design & development, inc.
 524 cheyenne trail
 carol stream, il 60188
 630.800.8362
 630.748.4701 fax
 land planning
 landscape architecture
 land development

SITE DATA:

Existing Zoning	County: A1-SU Agriculture - Special
Use	Yorkville: R-2 One Family Residential
Proposed Zoning	County: A1-SU Agriculture - Special
Use	Yorkville: R-2 One Family Residential
Acreege Total:	Existing: 31.88 acres Proposed: 29.70 acres
County:	15.98 acres
Yorkville:	Existing: 15.90 acres Proposed: 13.72 acres
Paved Area	County: ±74,000 Sq. Ft. (1.7 acres)
Yorkville:	0 Sq. Ft. (0.0 acres)

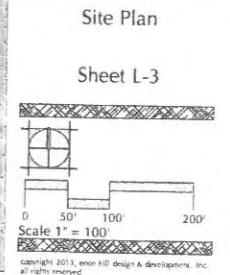
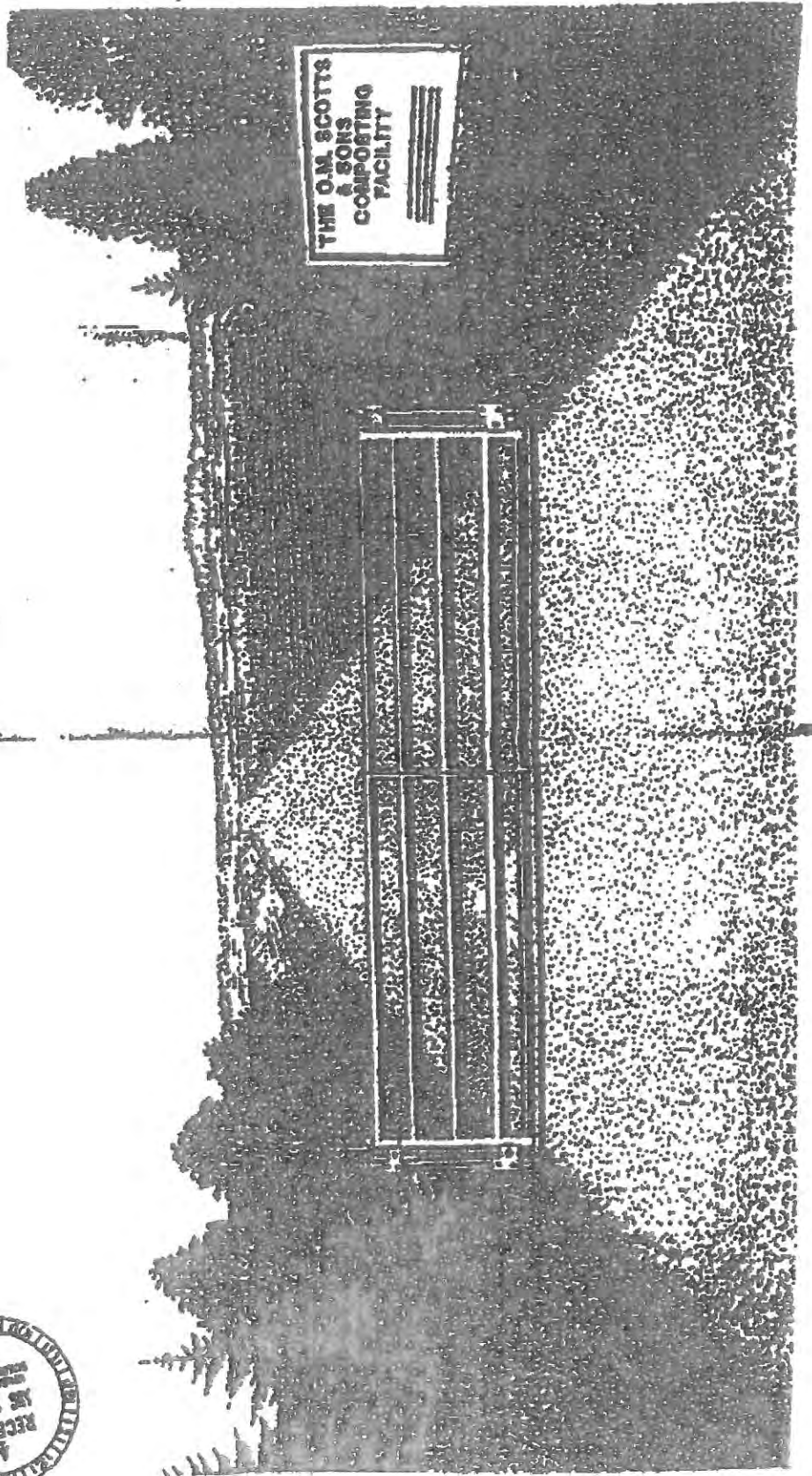


EXHIBIT B





March 11, 2008

Mr. Joseph Mazza
Green Organics
290 Main Place
Carol Stream, IL 60188



Dear Mr. Mazza:

You requested confirmation of the sampling schedule that is used by Analytical Chemistry & Environmental Services, Inc. (AC&E Services, Inc.) at your compost facility in Bristol, Illinois.

The compost is tested according to 35 Illinois Administration Code (IAC) Section 830.507(a) for each 5000 tons shipped.

The well at the site is tested once per year in May in accordance with your current permit. The soil is tested once per year in September. Two composite soil samples are taken; one in the detention pond at the west side of the facility and one taken at the end of the windrows at the south end of the property. The testing is performed in accordance with your current permit.

I hope this answers your questions concerning your current testing requirements. If any further help is needed, do not hesitate to contact us.

Regards,

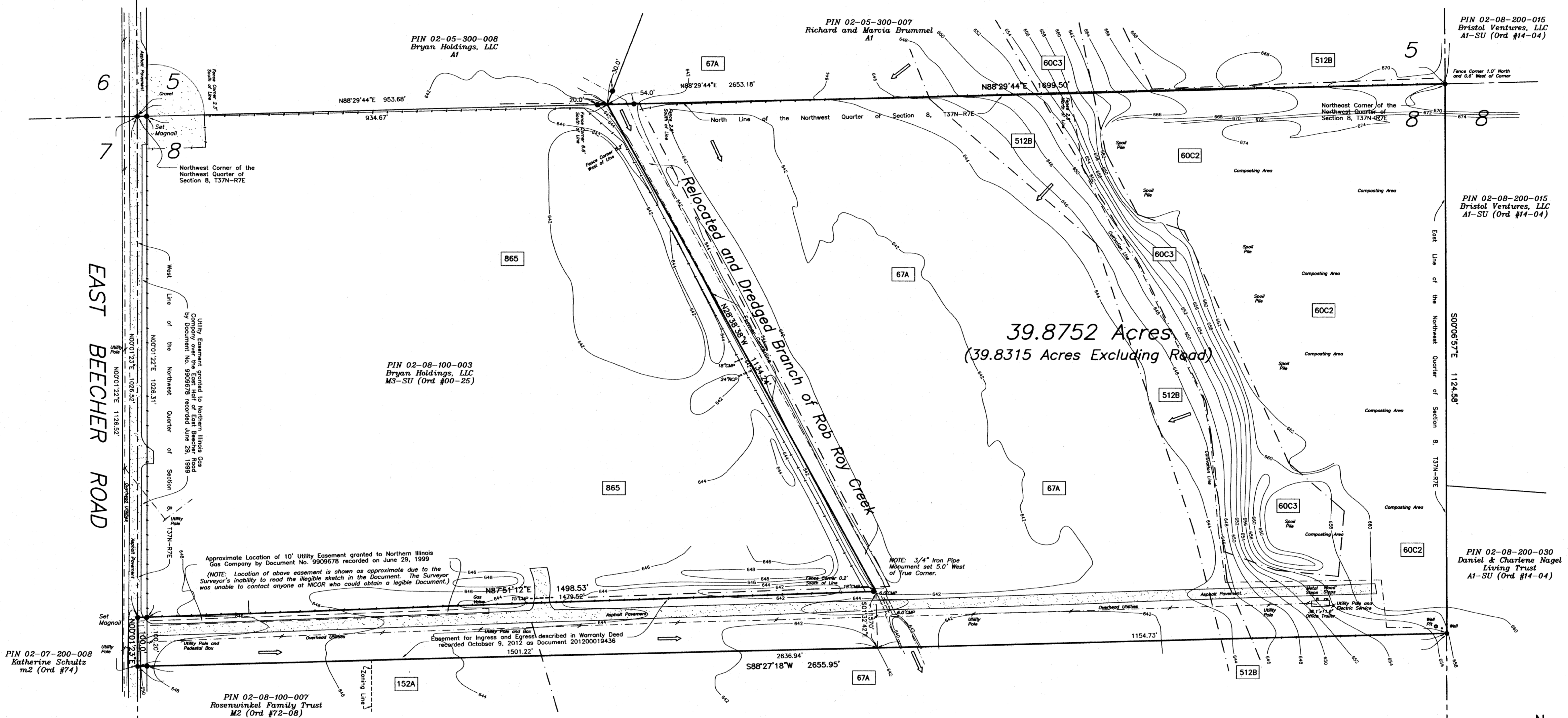
Terese M. Laciak
President

EXHIBIT C

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cc: Steven B. Curatti, Director of Environmental Health, Kendall County

ZONING PLAT OF PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 8, T37N-R7E, 3rd PM BRISTOL TOWNSHIP KENDALL COUNTY ILLINOIS



39.8752 Acres
(39.8315 Acres Excluding Road)

PIN 02-07-200-008
Katherine Schultz
m2 (Ord #74)

PIN 02-08-100-007
Rosentwinkel Family Trust
M2 (Ord #72-08)

DEVELOPER:
Jeff Milroy
Milroy Farms, LLC

PROPERTY LOCATION:
PIN: 02-08-100-006
1270 East Beecher Road
Yorkville, Illinois 60560

AREA OF ZONING TRACT:
39.8752 Acres

PRESENT ZONING:
A-1 SU

PROPOSED ZONING:
A-1 SU

SOILS (From Web Soil Survey)

- 60C2 La Rose Silt Loam, 5-10% slopes, eroded
- 60C3 La Rose Silt Loam, 5-10% slopes, severely eroded
- 67A Harpster Silty Clay Loam, 0-2% slopes
- 152A Drummer Silty Clay Loam, 0-2% slopes
- 512B Danabrook Silt Loam, 2-5% slopes
- 865 Gravel Pits

NOTE: Elevation contours taken from Kendall County GIS 2018 Contour Map.

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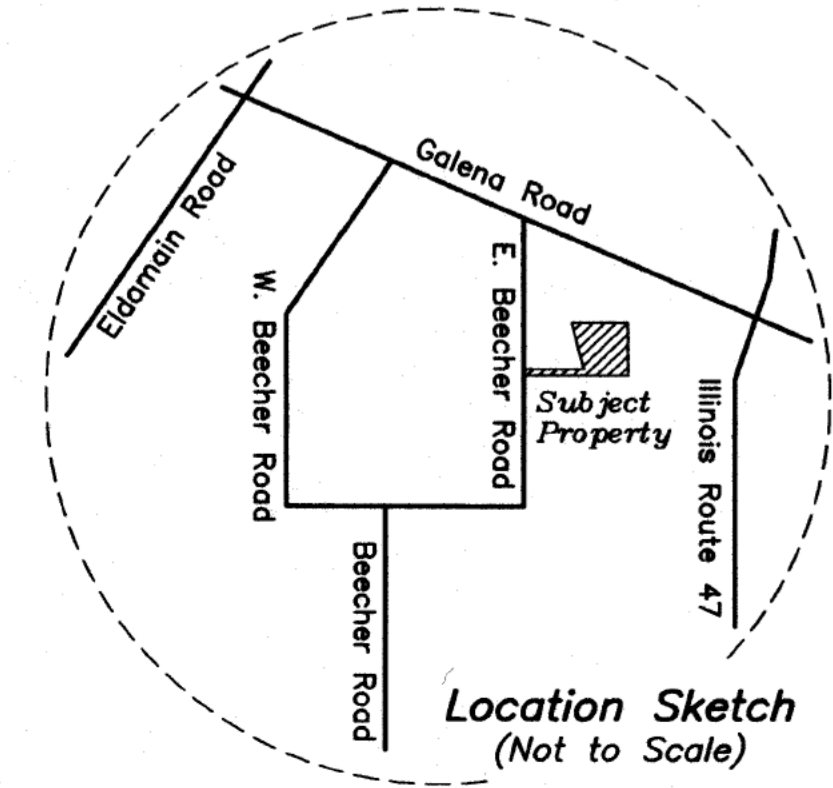
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WETLANDS STATEMENT:

The National Wetlands Inventory Map depicts Riverine wetlands (R2UBHx) in the relocated and dredged branch of Rob Roy Creek.

- Indicates Iron Stake Found
- Indicates Iron Stake Set
- Indicates Line of Fence
- X Indicates Cross in Concrete
- - - Indicates Soils Boundary
- + 630.53 Indicates Spot Elevation
- 630 Indicates Contour Elevation
- △14" Indicates Tree Location and Size
- Indicates Direction of Drainage

SCALE:
1"=100'



Location Sketch
(Not to Scale)

1107B South Bridge Street
Yorkville, Illinois 60560
Telephone (630)553-1580

Philip D. Young and Associates, Inc.
LAND SURVEYING - TOPOGRAPHIC MAPPING - Lic.#184-002775

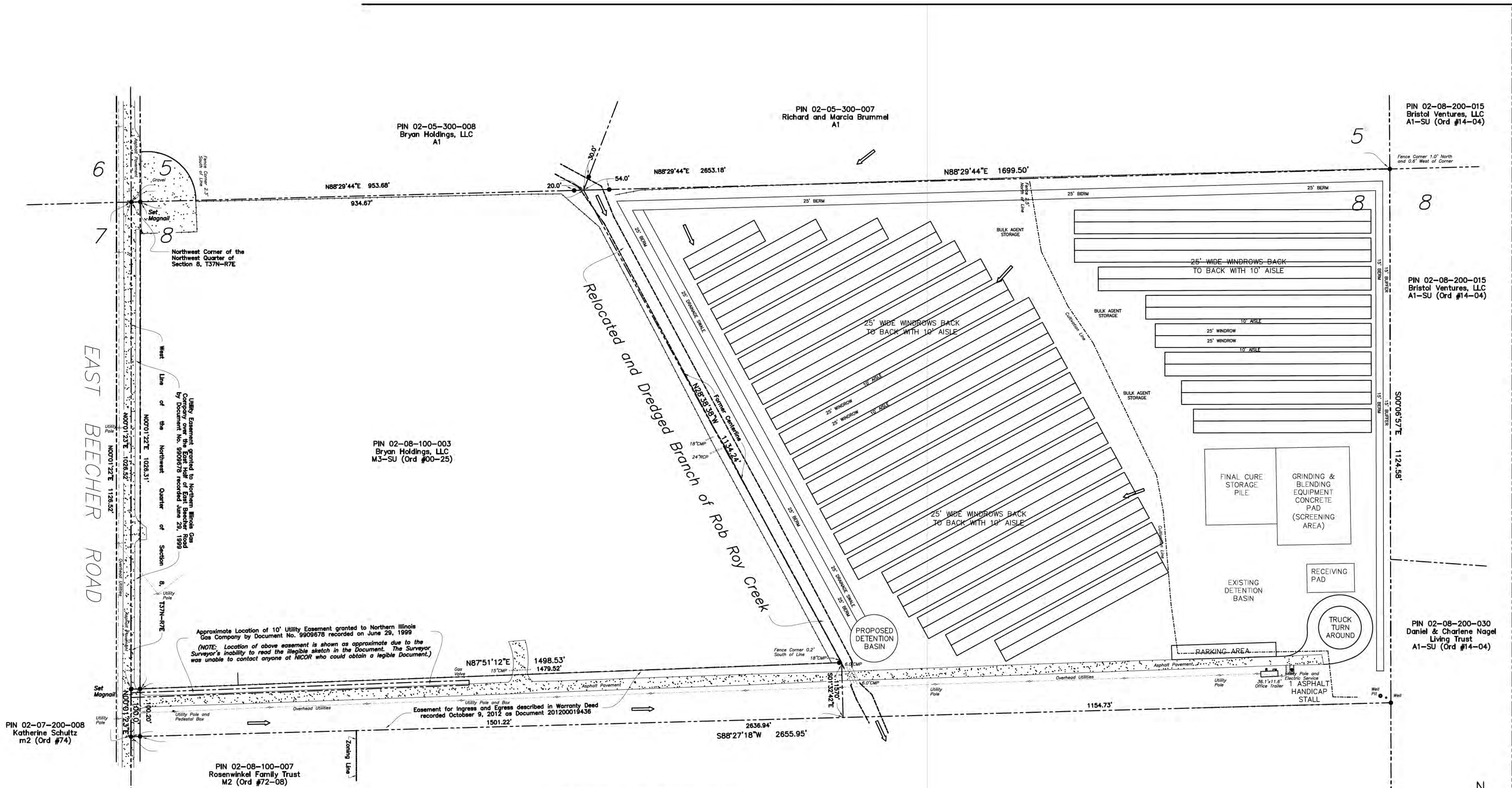
JOB NO.	23073
JOB NAME	MILROY
DWG FILE	23073
REVISION DATE	

June 13, 2023

Detailed Description Of Proposed Use Business Plan

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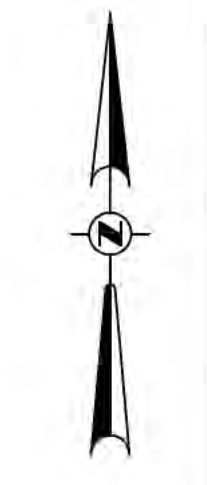
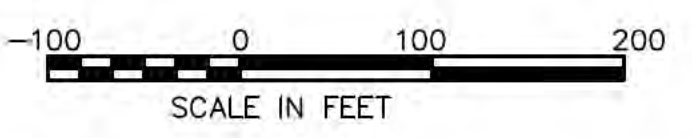
DEVELOPER:
 Jeff Milroy
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PROPERTY LOCATION:
 PIN: 02-08-100-006
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PRESENT ZONING:
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**MIDWEST
MATERIAL
MANAGEMENT**
(847) 426-6354
- COMPOST FACILITY -
OPERATING HOURS: BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
MATERIALS ACCEPTED: LANDSCAPE WASTE
"COMRI CERTIFIED" COMPOST AVAILABLE
COMPLAINTS CONCERNING THIS FACILITY CAN BE
MADE TO: STEVE BERGLUND: 847-426-6354 OR
BUREAU OF LAND, ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY, SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS: 217-524-3300
MAILING ADDRESS: 278 N. STATE ST. HAMPSHIRE, IL 60140



March 11, 2008

Mr. Joseph Mazza
[Redacted]



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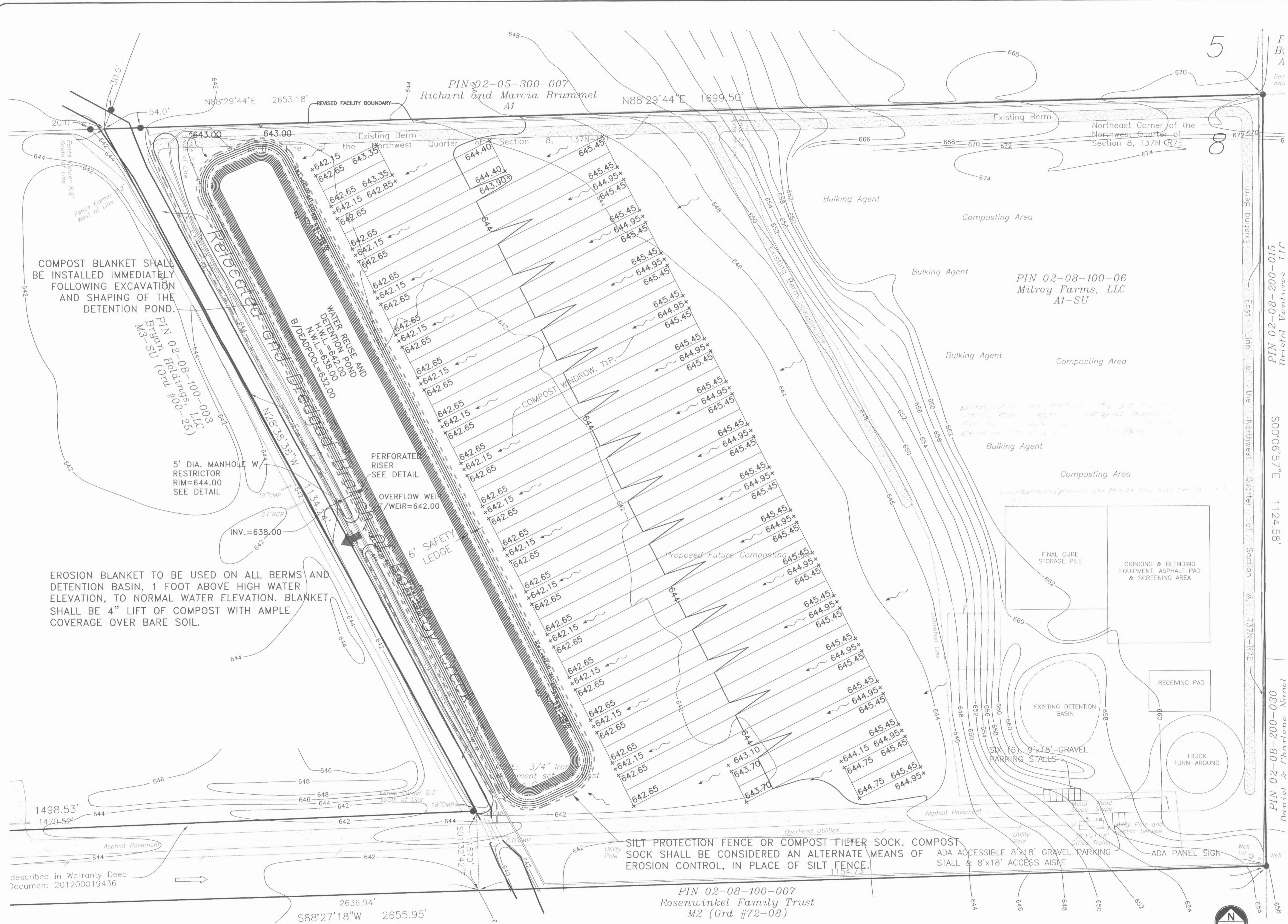
Regards,

[Redacted Signature]
Terese M. Laciak
President

EXHIBIT C

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cc: Steven B. Curatti, Director of Environmental Health, Kendall County



DATE	DESCRIPTION	DRAWN BY

IG CONSULTING, INC.
CONSULTING CIVIL ENGINEERS, PLANNERS & LAND SURVEYORS
300 WARDLORD DRIVE - WHEELING, ILLINOIS 60090 PH: (847) 215-1133 | FAX: (847) 215-1177
1129 MAIN STREET UNION GROVE, WISCONSIN 53182 PH: (262) 878-6200 | ig@igconsulting.net

SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN SCALE: 1"=60'
DESIGN: J.K. DRAFTING: A.W.
DATE: 06/29/23

MILROY FARMS
1270 E. BEECHER ROAD
BRISTOL, ILLINOIS

PROJECT No.
13223C

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**Green Organics, Inc.
Kendall County, Illinois
Yard Debris Composting Facility
Normal and Pre-Mature Closure Plan**

The information contained herein describes the procedures and activities to perform normal closure of the Green Organics yard debris composting facility located at 1270 E. Beecher Rd. in Bristol Illinois 60512. Both normal and pre-mature closures are limited by the amount of time needed for complete composting of material (item 1). Complete composting takes no less than three months. During this time, composted debris will be shipped and sold to customers as before. Thus, these figures are a maximum cost of closure and a pre-mature closure plan is not any different from a normal closure plan. The land would be used for the farming of food crops or seeded, as necessary. The description and cost for each procedure/activity is defined below:

Description	Quantity	Unit	Unit Cost	Cost	Time to Complete	Comments
Complete composting and removal of remaining material	43000	cy	\$0.65	\$28,000	3 months	Assume three months operation to complete compost. Assume 50% of material - sold from facility and 50% of material shipped to customer (i.e. pay for hauling)
Disposal of non-compostables	10	cy	\$30	\$300	1 day	Assumes one dumpster. Includes cost to haul and dispose at licensed landfill facility
Regrade and level composting pad for farming	23	acre	\$1,000	\$23,000	.5 months	Assumes regrading to original elevations
Seeding - Class 7 Seed	23	acre	\$300	\$7,000	.25 months	Includes seeding and erosion control
Return control of land to owners for farming	1	LS	\$1,000	\$1,000	.5 months	
Total				\$60,000	4.25 months	

Yard debris or cured compost that cannot be removed from the site will be prepared for incorporation into the soil at the site, and, incorporated into the soil in accordance with State of Illinois Regulations for application of yard waste for agricultural use. The incorporation rate will not exceed the amount specified for the grasses or crops planted on the site.

Grading and leveling of the soil will be performed in accordance with agricultural Best Management Practices (BMP) to minimize soil erosion and/or soil loss.

All structures, signs and equipment used in the composting operation and for closure of the site will be removed once closure has been completed. Green Organics will notify the Illinois EPA of the closure within ninety days of the beginning of closure activities, or sooner if required by law. Once closure had been completed, Green Organics will notify the Illinois EPA within five business days that the closure has been completed.

Matt Asselmeier

From: Krysti Barksdale-Noble <knoble@yorkville.il.us>
Sent: Friday, June 9, 2023 9:57 AM
To: Matt Asselmeier
Cc: Latreese Caldwell; Seth Wormley; bolson@yorkville.il.us; Michelle Lagrotta; Peter Ratos
Subject: RE: [External]RE: Green Organics Question

Good Morning Matt,

Thanks for the follow-up. Please see the responses to your questions below in green.

From: Matt Asselmeier <masselmeier@kendallcountyil.gov>
Sent: Friday, June 9, 2023 8:28 AM
To: Krysti Barksdale-Noble <knoble@yorkville.il.us>
Cc: Latreese Caldwell <LCaldwell@kendallcountyil.gov>; Seth Wormley <swormley@kendallcountyil.gov>; Bart Olson <BOlson@yorkville.il.us>; Michelle Lagrotta <mlagrotta@gkwwlaw.com>
Subject: RE: [External]RE: Green Organics Question

Krysti:

Here are my comments/questions/responses to your concerns:

1. Do you have any specific description of what you would like to see in the landscape buffer (i.e. types of vegetation, height of vegetation, replacement schedule, etc.)?
Yes, ideally it would be a buffer similar to the City's transition yard between non-residential and residential which is a thirty foot (30') wide buffer yard with a berm at least three feet (3') in height and consisting of two (2) shade trees, five (5) evergreen trees and three (3) ornamental trees per one hundred (100) linear feet of buffer yard. I know 30 feet might not be possible, but somewhere in the realm of 15-30 feet.
2. If we require them to install vegetation, the County will likely give them a deadline to plant the required vegetation. The timing of the issuance of the special use permit and the amount of landscaping required to be installed will play a role in determining the length of the deadline.
3. The County does not have specific standards based on odor. The applicant would have to follow applicable IEPA and federal regulations. Understood.
4. Does Yorkville own an ASTM certified field olfactometer? Yes. Pete Ratos can provide you or Brian the specs. I would have to check to see if any County department owns such a device. OK.
5. IEPA regulations require the existence of an odor control plan. We could require that a dedicated odor control plan be submitted as part of a special use permit application. Please do.
6. While I am not opposed to having the notification and violation procedures that you propose, these are not the normal procedures that the County uses for violation notification/correction/enforcement. I do have concerns that someone could accuse the County of having different investigative and due process procedures for one type of special use permit compared with other special uses. Understood, but we have received multiple complaints in the past and have a detailed procedure for notice and violation in place was helpful in gaining compliance. I would also say that each special use is different and the nature of the special use criteria warrant conditions made on a case-by-case basis.
7. I am not opposed to having a detailed decommissioning plan with the items you requested for inclusion. Great.
8. I am not opposed to a requirement of notification of operation management change and contact information updated annually. We likely would set a deadline for notifying the County of changes and set an annual deadline (i.e. July 1st) of updating contact information. Understood.

9. In any conditions included in the special use permit, we likely will use the phrase “operators of the use allowed by the special use permit” rather than naming a specific entity like Green Organics or Midwest Materials. Understood.
10. Has anyone associate with the property contacted Yorkville regarding this special use permit renewal? No one has been in contact with me directly. The property owners and several of the consultants they appear to be working with were advised to contact Yorkville as part of their due diligence prior to submitting a special use permit application.
11. Does Yorkville have any desire to annex this property? Undetermined at this time. Would be a City Council policy decision. One of the conversations with the applicant indicated they were considering placing community solar panels on the property. Also, they indicated that the requested renewal of the special use permit might be 10 years. Interesting. In all likelihood, Yorkville will become home rule in the next 10 years and Yorkville might have greater regulatory power over this type of use as a home rule municipality compared to the powers granted to a non-home rule county.
12. Does Yorkville need any easements or right-of-way dedications as part of the special use permit? Undetermined. I will check with the City Engineer. When do you anticipate having a submittal?
13. Do you have any objections if I share the information in these emails with the prospective applicant? No, I do not.

Thanks,

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Subject: RE: [External]RE: Green Organics Question

Hello Matt,

Thank you for the email. Yes, there are a few concerns the City has if the special use is renewed by the County. They are as follows:

1. Buffering from adjacent City parcels
 - a. The City is interested seeing landscape buffering along the eastern boundary of the County parcels to ensure future development on the City's side is screened as much as possible.
2. Does the County have performance standards regarding odors?
 - a. The City has strict performance standards and response time to complaints regarding odor and has specific language in the settlement agreement that we would like to see added as part of the County's special use conditions. They are:
 - i. Method of Odor Testing: The method used to perform any such odor testing will be by measuring and quantifying the odor in the ambient air in the area/location within the City of Yorkville that the complaint stems from using an ASTM certified portable odor detecting and measuring device known as a field olfactometer.
 - ii. Notification: No later than two (2) business days after performing any such odor testing, the County will send Green Organics and Midwest written notice of its findings including the

following information: the date and time the complaint was made; the area/location within the City of Yorkville that the complaint stems from; the outdoor temperature, wind condition, and ambient air reading from an ASTM certified field olfactometer device measured in said area/location on the date the complaint was made and as close to the time of the complaint as reasonably possible; and all such other information that is relevant to the complaint and the County's investigation of the same.

- iii. **Violation:** In the event that the field olfactometer device measurement from any such odor testing exceeds that threshold set forth in the ASTM Standard of Practice E679-91, Green Organics and/or Midwest shall take steps to immediately correct the conditions that are causing the odor. Additionally, within five (5) business days of receiving written notice of the County's findings, Midwest shall send the County a written response, including a description of any steps taken by Green Organics and/or Midwest to correct the conditions complained of.
 1. In the event that any County Ordinance violation or any such complaint received by the County is related to conditions other than odor, Green Organics and/or Midwest shall take steps to immediately correct any such conditions that are determined reasonably to be a violation of the City's ordinances.
 2. Within seven (7) days of receiving any such complaint/potential County Ordinance violation, Midwest shall send the County a written response, including a description of any steps taken by Green Organics and/or Midwest to correct the conditions complained of.
- b. City's Performance Standards for odor can be found here:
https://library.municode.com/il/yorkville/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=TIT10ZO_CH13MADI_ART_CPEST_10-13C-4OD
3. Require a detailed decommissioning plan (site plan, timing of decommissioning, restoration plans, etc.) because the plans the City has received for decommissioning are not detailed.
4. Notification of operation management change and contact information updated annually.

Hope this helps. Let me know if you need any clarification of the information provided herein.

Best Regards,

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July 15, 2023

Mr. Matt Asselmeier
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Subject: 1270 E Beecher Road
WBK Project 19-102.BN

Dear Mr. Asselmeier:

We have received and reviewed the following information for the subject project:


- Stormwater Management Permit prepared by Jeff Milroy dated June 29, 2023 received July 6, 2023.
- Site Plan prepared by Tebrugge Engineering dated June 29, 2022, and received July 6, 2023.
- Plat of Survey prepared by Phillip D Young and Associates dated June 13, 2023 and received July 6, 2023.

The following comments require resolution prior to plan approval and our recommendation for issuance of a stormwater permit. Based on the information provided with this submittal these comments may not be comprehensive and should only be considered the initial review response to documents provided.

1. Provide a project narrative addressing drainage impacts and permit requirements.
2. Determine off-site flows tributary to the property and how they will be conveyed and facilitated by the project.
3. Significant drainage area is tributary to the north line of the project. Utilize streamstats to determine tributary area, design flow values for 100 year event and whether the flow is contained within the banks of the existing channel or result in overbank flooding. The limits of 100 year event conveyance is necessary to determine the adequacy of the proposed plan.
4. Provide a grading plan for the proposed swale drainage features noted on the plan.

5. Provide a cross section and design water surface elevations for proposed swales. Provide drainage calculations supporting the design of drainage swales.
6. Provide a landscape or restoration plan for the swales based on swale flow velocities.
7. Provide a grading and landscape plan for the screening berms denoted on the plan.
8. USACE determination of creek jurisdiction is necessary prior to County permit approval.
9. Depict the existing stormwater basin on the property and describe how the proposed project will impact the basin. Identify existing and proposed tributary areas.
10. Provide a grading plan for the proposed detention basin as well as a utility plan and outlet details. Provide hydrograph routing for the basin to determine adequacy of the design.
11. Define the surface for parking areas and other “pads” denoted on the plans. Provide dimensions for all parking, pads, truck access routes noted on the plan.
12. Clarify if the asphalt creek crossing is existing or proposed. Also clarify if drainage culverts are existing or proposed. Verify the ability of the roadway and culvert facilities to convey 100 year flows within banks or result in an overbank flooding condition.
13. Depict erosion control measures. Determine if an NPDES NOI is necessary.

The applicant’s design professionals are responsible for performing and checking all design computations, dimensions, details, and specifications in accordance with all applicable codes and regulations, and obtaining all permits necessary to complete this work. In no way does this review relieve applicant’s design professionals of their duties to comply with the law and any applicable codes and regulations, nor does it relieve the Contractors in any way from their sole responsibility for the quality and workmanship of the work and for strict compliance with the permitted plans and specifications. If you have any questions or comments, please contact us at (630) 443-7755.

Sincerely,

Greg Chismark PE
WBK Engineering, LLC

**ZONING, PLATTING & ADVISORY COMMITTEE (ZPAC)
August 1, 2023 – Unapproved Meeting Minutes**

PBZ Chairman Seth Wormley called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

Present:

Matt Asselmeier – PBZ Department
Meagan Briganti – GIS Department
Fran Klaas – Highway Department
Alyse Olson – Soil and Water Conservation District
Aaron Rybski – Health Department
Seth Wormley – PBZ Committee Chair

Absent:

Greg Chismark – WBK Engineering, LLC
David Guritz – Forest Preserve
Brian Holdiman – PBZ Department
Commander Jason Langston – Sheriff's Department

Audience:

Karen Milroy, Jeff Milroy, and Marlin Hartman

AGENDA

Mr. Klaas made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rybski, to approve the agenda as presented.

With a voice vote of six (6) ayes, the motion carried.

MINUTES

Mr. Rybski made a motion, seconded by Ms. Briganti, to approve the July 5, 2023, meeting minutes.

With a voice vote of six (6) ayes, the motion carried.

PETITIONS

Petitions 23-26 Jeffery D. Milroy on Behalf of Milroy Farms, LLC

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

On March 19, 2014, through Ordinance 2014-04, the County Board granted a special use permit, with conditions for the operation of a composting facility at the subject property. Ordinance 2014-04 required the property owner to submit a renewal prior to July 1, 2023, or the special use permit would expire on December 1, 2023. The property owner submitted the required renewal on June 30, 2023.

The subject property has operated as a composting facility since 1993.

The Petitioners are requesting the special use permit for the approximately thirty-nine point eight-seven (39.87) acres located in the unincorporated area. They are not renewing the special use permit for operations inside the United City of Yorkville. This reduces operations from approximately fifty-eight (58) acres.

The Host Community Agreement also expires in 2023. The Planning, Building and Zoning Committee met on July 10, 2023, to discuss renewing the agreement. They requested additional information regarding the amount of and types of materials coming into and out of the property.

Green Organics is no longer associated with the property.

The application materials, Ordinance 2014-04, plat of survey, business plan, including the site plan and landscaping plan, and decommissioning plan were provided.

The property is located at 1270 E. Beecher Road.

The property is just under forty (40) acres in size.

The County's Future Land Use Map calls for the western end of the property to be Mixed Use Business and the eastern part of the property to be Suburban Residential. Yorkville's plan calls for the property to be Estate/Conservation Residential.

E. Beecher Road is a Local Road maintained by Bristol Township.

There is a proposed trail along E. Beecher Road.

There are no floodplains on the property. There is a wetland on the extreme northwest corner of the property.

The adjacent land use to the west is Manufacturing. The other adjacent land uses are Agricultural.

The adjacent properties are zoned A-1, A-1 SU, M-2 and M-3 SU in the County. The adjacent properties inside Yorkville are zoned R-2 Planned Unit Development and R-2, R-4, and B-3 Planned Unit Development.

The County's Future Land Use Map calls for the area to be Suburban Residential, Mixed Use Business, and Urban Area. Yorkville Future Land Use Map calls for the area to be Estate/Conservation Residential.

The zoning districts within one half (1/2) mile in the County are A-1, A-1 SU, M-1, M-2, and M-3 SU. Inside Yorkville, there are a variety of residential planned unit developments.

The A-1 SU to the south was for gravel mining. The M-3 SU to the west was for asphalt production.

EcoCAT Report was submitted on June 22, 2023. The Mottled Sculpin and Rusty Patch Bumble Bee were in the vicinity. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources recommended that work that disturbs the ground or removes flowering plants be done between October 1st and April 1st. If work occurred outside of the dates listed, a Rusty Patch Bumble Bee survey should be conducted by a qualified biologist, with the results forwarded to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. The consultation also noted that coordination with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service may be necessary. The consultation also contained suggestions for lighting. The consultation was closed if the recommendations related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee were implemented.

The Petitioner was not agreeable to either recommendation related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources said if that if the Petitioner impacted the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee, that would be problematic.

The NRI Application was submitted on June 20, 2023. The LESA score was 175, indicating a low level of protection. The NRI was provided.

Petition information was sent to Bristol Township on July 19, 2023.

Prior to formal application submittal, Staff contacted Yorkville regarding potential comments on the application. Yorkville requested the following items:

1. A thirty foot (30') wide buffer with a berm at least three feet (3') in height and consisting of two (2) shade trees, five (5) evergreen trees, and three (3) ornamental trees per one hundred (100) linear feet of buffer; they favored a minimum fifteen (15') foot wide buffer.
2. Odor control regulations including using an ASTM certified portable olfactometer, notification by the County to the property owner/business operator within two (2) business days of findings, and a requirement that the property owner/business operator respond within five (5) business days of receiving the notice with corrective action steps. Yorkville's performance standards related to odor were submitted to the County.
3. A condition that the property owner/business operator submit a written response within seven (7) days of receiving a complaint for a non-odor violation outlining steps taken to correct the issue of the complaint.
4. The submission of a detailed decommissioning plan.
5. A requirement that notification of operation management changes and contact information be updated annually with the County.

Staff has concerns regarding the requested procedure of enforcement because the requested method presently contradicts the County's current voluntary compliance policy and the regular procedures for handling alleged violations in the Zoning Ordinance. Also, the County does not presently own an olfactometer. Lastly, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has rules regarding complaints.

Yorkville's email and Staff's response were provided.

The Petitioner was agreeable to certain landscaping, the submission of a decommissioning plan, the request regarding change of management and updated contact information.

Petition information was sent to the United City of Yorkville on July 19, 2023.

Petition information was sent to the Bristol Kendall Fire Protection District on July 19, 2023.

Per Section 7:01.D.20 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance, composting businesses can be special uses on A-1 zoned property subject to the following conditions:

1. The facility shall meet all Illinois Environmental Protection Agency requirements as identified in Title 35, Subtitle G, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Part 830, Standards for compost facilities.
2. Operational personnel shall be present on site during all hours which the facility is open for the receipt of landscape waste.
3. The hours during which landscape waste may be received shall be 7:00am to 4:00pm Monday through Friday and 7:00am to 12:00 noon Saturday. Processing operations shall cease after each day's receipts have been processed and placed in windrows, not to exceed three (3) additional hours.
4. The decibel levels at the property line shall not exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.
5. A locked gate shall restrict vehicle access during closed hours except that a "lock-box" shall allow access to emergency vehicles.
6. Water samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
7. Soil samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
8. Authorized Kendall County personnel shall be allowed on site during business hours for inspection and testing.
9. The facility operator shall send up-to-date copies of the State permit and related documents including Operational Plan, Surface water management Plan, Pest Control Plan, Site Drawing, and an Annual Report to the County Solid Waste Coordinator.
10. Truck weights shall be limited to seventy-three thousand, two hundred eighty (73,280) pounds.
11. The operator shall provide weight receipts to Kendall County.
12. Off-site debris and trash generated by the site must be cleaned-up daily on surrounding properties with the owner's permission.
13. Other conditions as appropriate for the particular facility.

The Petitioner is agreeable to conditions 1-12.

When the special use permit was originally granted in the 1990s, they were originally allowed to process one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) cubic yards of source separated landscape materials. This number was increased to one hundred seventy-five thousand (175,000) cubic yards in 2014.

Starting in 2010, the facility was allowed to accept food scraps.

The site plan shows several twenty-five foot (25') wide windrows. These windrows are separated by ten foot (10') foot driving aisles. Most of the windrows are eight feet (8') tall or less in height.

Bulk agent storage areas separate the east and west windrow areas.

The site plan shows one (1) final cure storage area, one (1) grinding and blending concrete pad, and one (1) receiving pad. No information was provided regarding the dimensions of these areas.

As noted previously, the hours when landscape waste can be received are between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Mondays through Fridays and 7:00 a.m. until Noon on Saturdays. Processing operations may continue for a maximum three (3) additional hours.

As noted in the Decommissioning Plan, the site will be converted back to farming within five (5) months, this includes the removal materials, grading, seeding, and removal of all structures. The Petitioner planned to reevaluate the Decommissioning Plan.

No information was provided regarding the number of employees at the property.

The use has been at the property since 1993.

There have not been any founded complaints against the property in recent years.

One (1) approximately four hundred twenty (420) square foot office trailer is shown on the plan near the southeast corner of the site.

The property is served by a well and septic. The well is located at the southeast corner of the property.

The Petitioner is agreeable to the requirements related to water samples and soil samples, inspection and testing, and submitting copies of the State permit, operational plan, surface water management plan, pest control plan, site drawings, annual report, and decommissioning plan. The Petitioner is also agreeable to providing weight receipts to Kendall County.

The Solid Waste Coordinator shall maintain a log of complaints received on the facility.

Sampling schedules are noted on in the business plan.

Though not shown on the site plan, a dumpster is located on the property. The business plan (Attachment 4, Page 2) notes a requirement to clean-up offsite debris and trash daily on surrounding properties.

NICOR possesses an easement north of the existing driveway.

Overhead utilities run from E. Beecher Road to the office trailer.

The property drains to the south and west.

One (1) existing detention basin is shown on the site plan north of parking area. The site plan also shows one (1) proposed detention basin southwest of the western windrows. One twenty-five foot (25') wide drainage swale is shown west of the western windrows. No information was provided regarding the dimensions of the detention basins or the depth of the drainage swale.

The Petitioners submitted an application for a stormwater management permit. WBK submitted comments in a letter dated July 15, 2023, which was provided. Staff was waiting for comments from the Petitioner regarding WBK's comments.

Per the site plan, the subject property has an asphalt drive to E. Beecher Road.

The Petitioner is agreeable to the truck weight restriction contained in the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.

According to the site plan, one (1) parking area was shown north of the office trailer and one (1) handicapped accessible parking space was shown east of the office trailer. No information was provided regarding the total number of parking stalls.

The site plan shows one (1) truck turn around area.

No information was provided regarding lighting. Because of the small number of parking spaces, a photometric plan was not required.

According to the business plan, one (1) existing sign is located on the property. The sign is not illuminated. The information on the sign is required per Illinois Environmental Protection Agency rules.

One (1) additional no trespassing sign is located on the interior gate.

According to the site plan, there is a fence along the western and northern sides of the property. There is also a fifteen foot (15') wide buffer between the eastern property line and the berm. The business plan references a locked gate. The gate is locked during closed hours, but a lock box is available for emergency response vehicles.

Per the site plan, one (1) fifteen foot (15') wide berm is shown near the eastern property line. A twenty-five foot (25') wide berm is shown near the western and northern property lines. Per the business plan, the eastern berm will be three feet (3') in height. Landscaping consisting of pines, fir, and/or shade trees will be planted at spacing not to exceed forty feet (40') apart. Seedling will be a minimum of six inches (6") in height and will be planted within one (1) year of the issuance of the special use permit. The business plan also references maintaining the existing plantings on the berm and ditch and existing landscaping. No information was provided regarding plantings on the western or northern berms or the composition of the existing landscaping and plantings on the property.

Per the business plan, noise levels cannot exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.

The business plan references odor control strategies generally. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency rules requires operators of composting facilities to prepare an odor minimization plan. Staff has requested a copy of this plan.

The Health Department requested that a water truck be onsite for dusty conditions and that the operator be required to chart wind direction and speed daily. The Petitioner was in agreement regarding the water truck condition, but was not in favor of charting wind speeds.

This is the only property to have a special use permit for a composting facility in unincorporated Kendall County.

Before preparing a Findings of Fact, Staff would like to review the stormwater information, pest control plan, and odor control plan and obtain comments from ZPAC members.

Staff would like additional information before issuing a recommendation. The general conditions and restrictions would be as follows:

1. The facility shall comply with the conditions as they are listed in the applicable sections of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance related to the composting of landscape waste and food waste, subject to the following:
 - a. The facility shall meet all Illinois Environmental Protection Agency requirements as identified in the applicable sections of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
 - b. Operational personnel shall be present on site during all hours which the facility is open for the receipt of landscape waste.
 - c. The hours during which landscape waste may be received shall be 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Monday through Fridays and 7:00 a.m. to Noon on Saturdays. Processing operations shall cease after each day's receipts have been processed and placed in windrows, not to exceed three (3) additional hours.
 - d. The decibel levels at the property line shall not exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.
 - e. Water samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.

- f. Soil samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
 - g. Authorized Kendall County personnel shall be allowed on site during business hours for inspection and testing.
 - h. The facility operator shall send up-to-date copies of the State permit and related documents including Operational Plan, Surface Water Management Plan, Pest Control Plan, Site Drawing, and an Annual Report to the County Solid Waste Coordinator.
 - i. Truck weights shall be limited to seventy-three thousand, two hundred eighty (73,280) pounds.
 - j. The operator shall provide weight receipts to Kendall County.
 - k. Off-site debris and trash generated by the site must be cleaned-up on a daily basis on surrounding properties with the owner's permission.
 - l. Implement strategies to manage potential odor issues such as maintaining proper carbon to-nitrogen ratios, maintaining moisture levels, and sufficient turning of compost piles to enhance decomposition.
 - m. Install water spraying systems or dust suppression equipment at critical points of dust generation. Regularly monitor moisture content and use sprinkler systems or misters to dampen the compost as needed.
2. The facility will be permitted to take in one hundred seventy-five thousand (175,000) cubic yards of source-separated landscape materials (i.e. brush, leaves, tree trimmings and grass). The Petitioner would like to take in food waste.
 3. The site shall be developed substantially in accordance with the site plan and the site plan shall be kept on file as "Exhibit A".
 4. As noted on the site plan, a fifteen foot (15') buffer and a berm will be provided between the composting area and the United City of Yorkville's boundary. The berm will be at least fifteen feet (15') wide and three feet (3') high. The buffer landscaping will be composed primarily of pine, fir, and/or shade trees planted at spacing not to exceed forty feet (40') apart. Seedlings will be a minimum of six inches (6") in height. Specimen seedlings will be planted and the berm will be constructed within one (1) year of issuance of the special use permit ordinance. The Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee may grant an extension to the deadline to install the berms and landscaping.
 5. The facility operator shall maintain existing plantings on the berm and ditch.
 6. The facility operator shall maintain the security gate, signage, and landscaping as indicated on "Exhibit B". The locked gate shall restrict vehicle access during closed hours except that a "lock-box" shall allow access to emergency vehicles.
 7. The facility operator shall maintain a sampling schedule as shown on "Exhibit C" dated March 11, 2008.
 8. The County Solid Waste Coordinator shall maintain a log of complaints received on the facility.
 9. This special use Ordinance shall expire on December 1, 2033, and the petition for renewal shall be made prior to July 1, 2033.
 10. If any Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) violations or citations are received by the site operator/manager and/or parcel owner/manager they need to be submitted to the County Solid Waste Coordinator within thirty (30) days.
 11. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall follow the Decommissioning Plan as described in Exhibit D. The operator shall assume all of the responsibilities assigned to Green Organics in the plan. The Decommissioning Plan shall be kept on file in the site trailer office per EPA requirements and will be accessible to

the Kendall County Health Inspector. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall update the Kendall County Health Department within thirty (30) days of changes to the Decommissioning Plan.

12. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall notify the Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Department within thirty (30) days of changes in operation manager. In addition, the operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall provide contact information of the management operator annually by July 1st.
13. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall ensure a host community agreement is in existence with the County prior to operations.
14. Ordinance 2014-04 and all previous special use permits and amendments to special use permits related to the operation of composting facility on the subject property are hereby repealed in their entireties.
15. None of the vehicles or equipment parked or stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be considered agricultural vehicles or agricultural equipment. The Petitioner was opposed to this condition.
16. All of the vehicles and equipment stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be maintained in good condition with no deflated tires and shall be licensed if required by law.
17. Any structures constructed, installed, or used related to the business allowed by this special use permit on the property shall not be considered for agricultural purposes and must secure applicable building permits.
18. The owners and operators of the business allowed by this special use permit acknowledge and agree to follow Kendall County's Right to Farm Clause.
19. The property owner and operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State, and Local laws related to the operation of this type of business.
20. Failure to comply with one or more of the above conditions or restrictions could result in the amendment or revocation of the special use permit.
21. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.
22. This special use permit shall be treated as a covenant running with the land and are binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns as to the same special use conducted on the property.

Chairman Wormley asked which conditions, besides the condition classifying vehicles and equipment as non-agricultural, did the Petitioner have objections. Mr. Asselmeier responded that the Petitioner opposed the request by the Health Department to measure wind direction and speed daily, the Illinois Department of Natural Resources requirements related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee, and Yorkville's odor measurement and compliance requirements.

Chairman Wormley felt that odor control measures should be implemented. He felt that using an olfactometer would be difficult. He was in favor of removing the non-agricultural vehicle classification requirement. He was in favor of having the wind speed and direction monitoring requirement.

Mr. Rybski recommended paying attention to odor. The most common complaint was odor complaints after further development occurred in the area. He said the easiest way to control odor was to monitor wind speed and direction and behave accordingly.

Chairman Wormley explained the impact of the closure of the facility.

Ms. Olson asked if the monitoring of wind speed and direction occurred at the subject facility. Mr. Rybski responded that wind speed and direction were monitored at the subject property. Mr. Rybski noted that wind speeds and direction can change quickly so monitoring alone would not solve all of the problems.

Marlin Hartman, Kendall County Solid Waste Coordinator, provided a history of the property. He said amendments could be added to the materials. These amendments cost money; monitoring the wind did not cost money. He noted that complaints related to odors stopped when the operators tracked the wind and avoided turning windrows when the wind was blowing towards Yorkville; there has not been an odor complaint in the last three (3) years. He said that if the facility was

operating, there probably would be dust complaints. He would like to see the conditions related to water truck and wind tracking be included in the special use permit.

Mr. Klaas noted that the only place in the County identified as area occupied by the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee was the southern approach of the new Eldamain Road bridge. He was skeptical about the location of the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee.

Mr. Klaas noted the quality of the Rob Roy Creek south of the subject property. He asked about runoff and questioned the size of the detention pond. He felt the detention pond was too small. He asked about the definition and amount of food scrap. Mr. Asselmeier provided WBK's comments and runoff items should be addressed in the stormwater management permit. Karen Milroy described food scraps that would be accepted; items that would normally be composted by residents.

Ms. Milroy explained that composting is a science and wind considerations is not the factor to consider when addressing odors. Chairman Wormley asked for suggestions for managing odors. Ms. Milroy explained the activities of previous operators. She expressed concerns about not being able to turn the windrows, if winds were blowing from the wrong direction.

Mr. Hartman discussed food waste in landfills. He favors allowing the Petitioner to receive food waste. The site is allowed to accept ten percent (10%) food waste per their permit from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. He discussed the importance of mixing the materials to avoid getting bugs and rodents. He emphasized the importance of watching the wind. Knowing the direction of wind also helps the Petitioner in cases of unfounded odors. He discussed the addition of amendments to the composting materials at times when winds were blowing towards populated areas; there was a cost to adding odor amendments.

Food scraps were collected from grocery stores or restaurants. Discussion occurred regarding quality control for food scraps and contamination of materials. Deliveries must be inspected.

Mr. Rybski made a motion, seconded by Mr. Klaas, to recommend approval of the proposal with the conditions proposed by Staff with the amendment requiring the operator of the business to track wind direction and speed daily and add amendments to the composting materials if windrows are turned with winds blowing in unfavorable directions and remove the requirement relate to the classification of equipment as non-agricultural.

Ms. Olson asked about inclusion of the comments from WBK Engineering. Mr. Asselmeier responded that a condition existed related to complying with applicable regulations and the stormwater permit would be an applicable regulation. He also discussed complying with the site plan on file with the State and the Petitioner's permit with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

Mr. Klaas favored the Petitioner tracking wind conditions.

Jeff Milroy, Petitioner, discussed existing regulations related to wind. Wind directions have to be considered when turning windrows. He also discussed the impact of adding amendments to the materials.

The votes were follows:

- Ayes (6): Asselmeier, Briganti, Klaas, Olson, Rybski, and Wormley
- Nays (0): None
- Abstain (0): None
- Absent (4): Chismark, Guritz, Holdiman, and Langston

The motion passed.

The proposal goes to the Kendall County Regional Planning Commission on August 23, 2023.

REVIEW OF PETITIONS THAT WENT TO COUNTY BOARD

None

OLD BUSINESS/NEW BUSINESS

None

CORRESPONDENCE

None

PUBLIC COMMENT

The Committee reviewed the building evacuation plan.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Rybski made a motion, seconded by Mr. Klaas, to adjourn.

With a voice vote of six (6) ayes, the motion carried.

The ZPAC, at 9:59 a.m., adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Matthew H. Asselmeier, AICP, CFM
Director

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 1270 E. Beecher Road, Bristol, IL

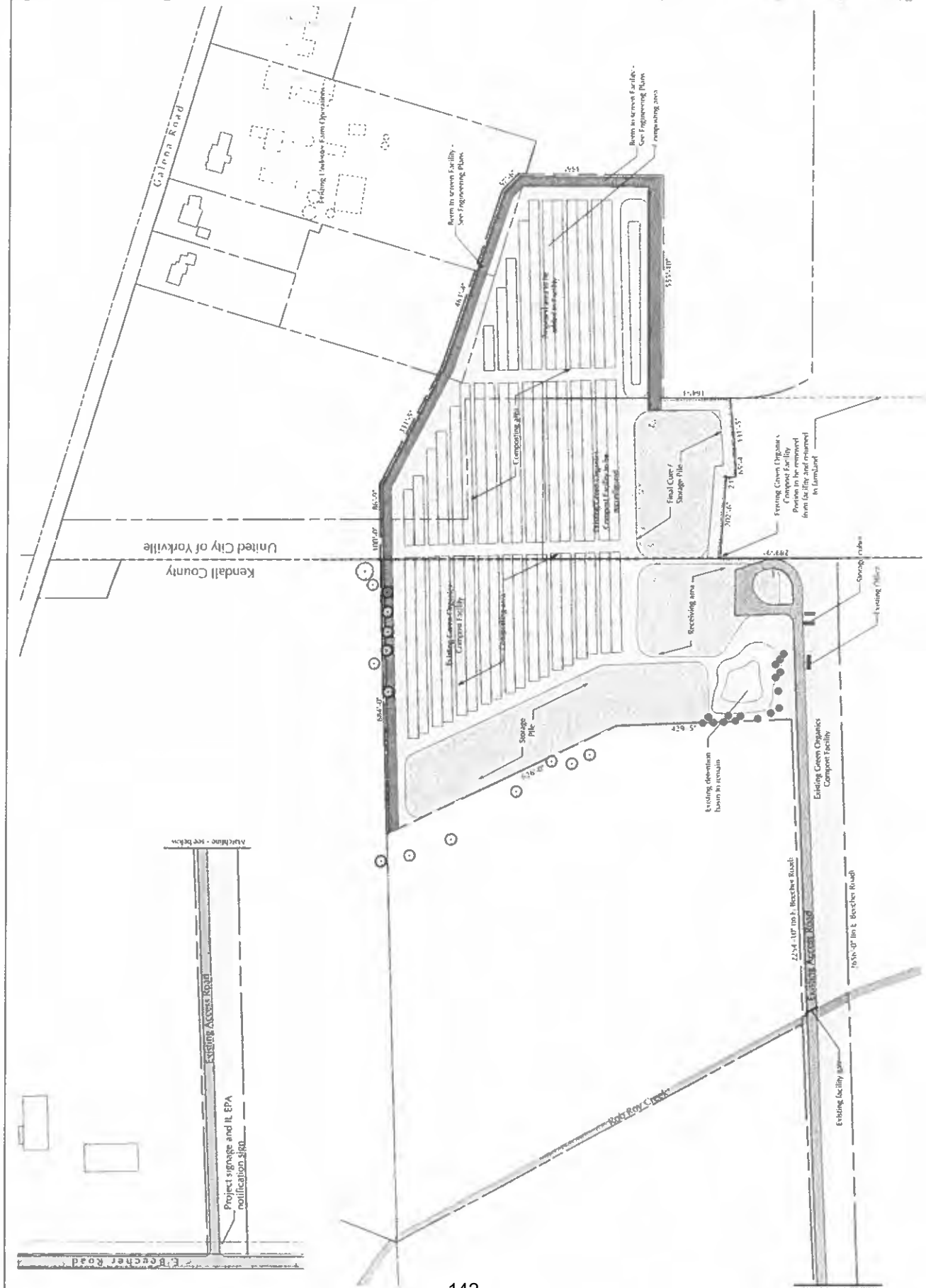
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Green Organics, Inc.
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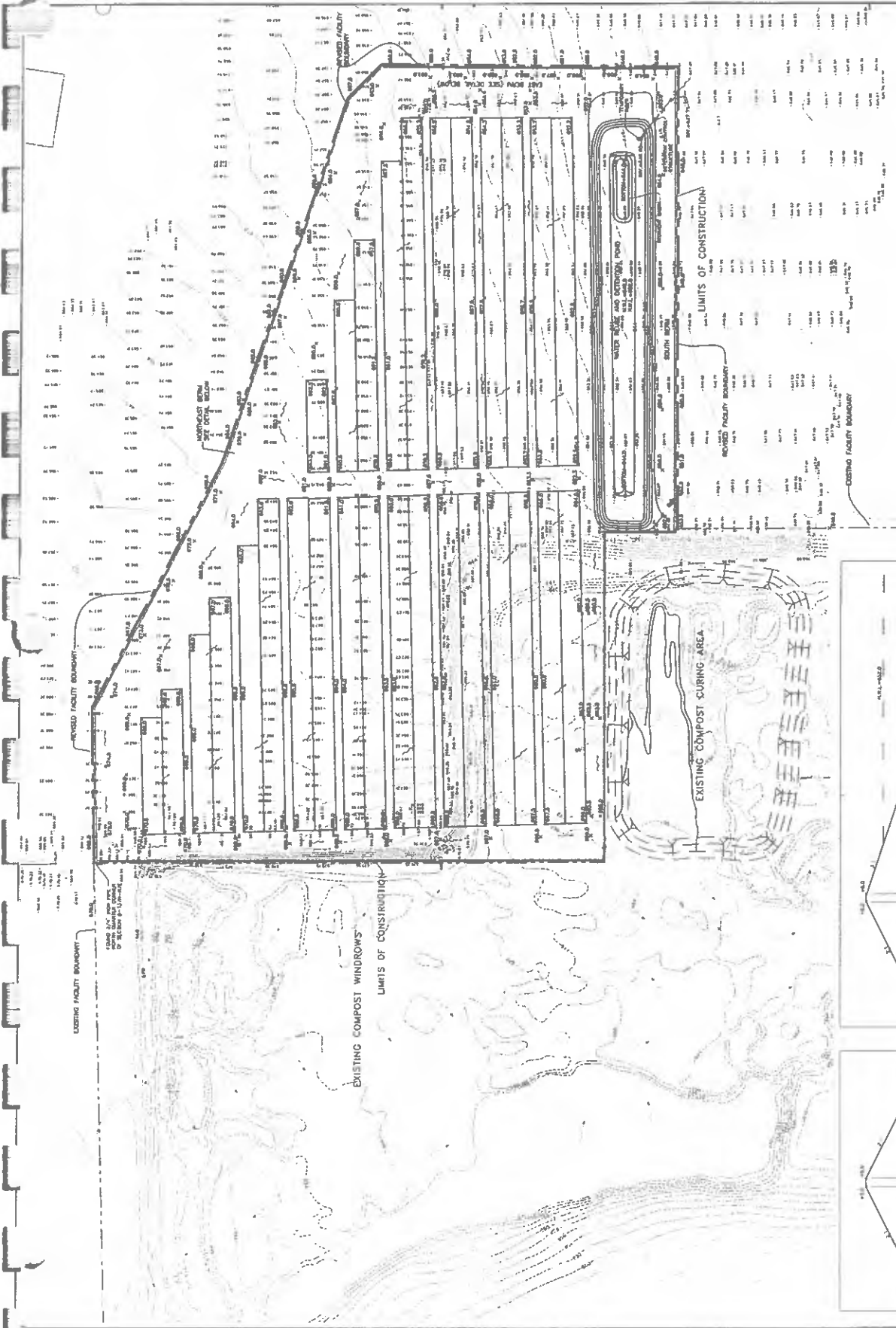
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REVISIONS

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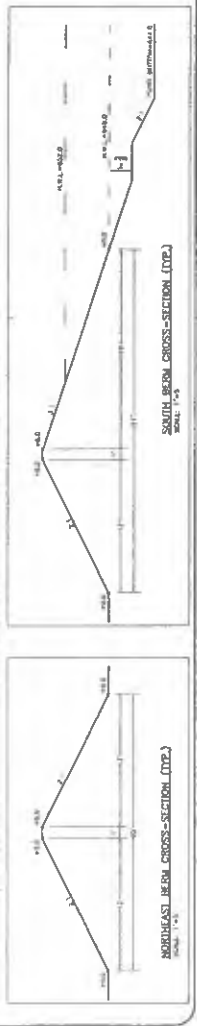
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SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN

1. TOPOGRAPHY PROVIDED BY G O CONSULTING INC.
2. 300 WASHINGTON DRIVE, BEASLEY SQUARE, SUITE 200 BRISTOL, ILLINOIS 60512





Memorandum

To: City Council
 From: Krysti J. Barksdale-Noble, Community Development Director
 CC: Bart Olson, City Administrator
 Date: August 10, 2023
 Subject: **PZC 2023-11– Kendall County Petition 23-26**
 Milroy Farm – 1270 E. Beecher Road - 1.5 Mile Review (Special Use)

SUMMARY:

Staff has reviewed a request from Kendall County Planning and Zoning Department along with the subsequent documents attached. This property is located within one and a half miles of the planning boundary for Yorkville, allowing the City the opportunity to review and provide comments to Kendall County. The petitioner, Jefferey D. Milroy on behalf of Milroy Farms, LLC, is requesting to renew its current special use permit, approved in 2014, for the operation of a compost facility on approximately 39.87 acres in unincorporated Kendall County. The current special use authorization is set to expire in Kendall County on December 1, 2023. If approved, the new special use will expire on December 1, 2033. The petitioner is not seeking to continue the compost facility on the adjacent (east) approximately 18-acre parcel located within Yorkville’s corporate boundary, which was required to be decommissioned on or by March 2, 2024, per a Settlement Agreement with the City. Additionally, the petitioner states the compost facility will not be run by the previous operator, Green Organics. The subject property is located at 1270 E. Beecher Road which is generally located on the east side of E. Beecher Road and approximately 0.5 miles south of Galena Road.

STAFF COMMENTS

Staff has reviewed the request for special use renewal for the compost facility and still has some specific concerns related to the odor control regulations. **Staff would recommend** that in the event the City of Yorkville receives an odor complaint, the City can reach out directly to the property owner and Kendall County’s Solid Waste Coordinator and receive a response in writing as to how the odor will be/was mitigated within seven (7) business days.

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

This item was scheduled to be discussed at the August 9, 2023 Planning and Zoning Commission meeting. However, this meeting was unable to be held due to a lack of quorum, therefore, no recommendation or objection to the special use request was provided.

ATTACHMENTS

1. PZC Memorandum
2. Application with Attachments

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KENDALL COUNTY
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

Kendall County Office Building
Rooms 209 and 210
111 W. Fox Street, Yorkville, Illinois

Unapproved - Meeting Minutes of August 23, 2023 - 7:00 p.m.

Chairman Bill Ashton called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Bill Ashton, Eric Bernacki, Larry Nelson, Bob Stewart, Claire Wilson, and Seth Wormley

Members Absent: Tom Casey, Dave Hamman, Karin McCarthy-Lange, and Ruben Rodriguez

Staff Present: Matthew H. Asselmeier, Director

Others Present: Jeff Milroy, Jesse Sexton, and Dan Nagel

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Member Wilson made a motion, seconded by Member Bernacki, to approve the agenda. With a voice vote of six (6) ayes, the motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Member Nelson made a motion, seconded by Member Wilson, to approve the minutes of the of the July 26, 2023, meeting. With a voice vote of six (6) ayes, the motion carried.

Member Bernacki noted that the Gas-N-Wash on Caton Farm Road and Ridge is presently under construction and not open.

PETITION

Petition 23-26 Jeffery D. Milroy

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

On March 19, 2014, through Ordinance 2014-04, the County Board granted a special use permit, with conditions for the operation of a composting facility at the subject property. Ordinance 2014-04 required the property owner to submit a renewal prior to July 1, 2023, or the special use permit would expire on December 1, 2023. The property owner submitted the required renewal on June 30, 2023.

The subject property has operated as a composting facility since 1993.

The Petitioners are requesting the special use permit for the approximately thirty-nine point eight-seven (39.87) acres located in the unincorporated area. They are not renewing the special use permit for operations inside the United City of Yorkville. This reduces operations from approximately fifty-eight (58) acres.

The Host Community Agreement also expires in 2023. The Planning, Building and Zoning Committee met on July 10, 2023, to discuss renewing the agreement. They requested additional information regarding the amount of and types of materials coming into and out of the property. The Petitioner answered those questions at the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee meeting on August 7, 2023, and the proposed Host Community Agreement was forwarded to the State's Attorney's Office for review.

Green Organics is no longer associated with the property.

The application materials, Ordinance 2014-04, the plat of survey, the business plan, including the site plan and landscaping plan, and the decommissioning plan were provided.

On August 17, 2023, the Petitioner submitted a revised site plan, which was provided. The Petitioner admitted that this site plan was a working copy and not necessarily the final version of the proposal.

The original submitted site plan and the revised site plan do not match the approved site plan on file with the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. This site plan was provided.

The property is located at 1270 E. Beecher Road.

The property is just under forty (40) acres in size.

The County's Future Land Use Map calls for the western end of the property to be Mixed Use Business and the eastern part of the property to be Suburban Residential. Yorkville's plan calls for the property to be Estate/Conservation Residential.

E. Beecher Road is a Local Road maintained by Bristol Township.

There is a proposed trail along E. Beecher Road.

There are no floodplains on the property. There is a wetland on the extreme northwest corner of the property.

The adjacent land use to the west is Manufacturing. The other adjacent land uses are Agricultural.

The adjacent properties are zoned A-1, A-1 SU, M-2 and M-3 SU in the County. The adjacent properties inside Yorkville are zoned R-2 Planned Unit Development and R-2, R-4, and B-3 Planned Unit Development.

The County's Future Land Use Map calls for the area to be Suburban Residential, Mixed Use Business, and Urban Area. Yorkville Future Land Use Map calls for the area to be Estate/Conservation Residential.

The zoning districts within one half (1/2) mile in the County are A-1, A-1 SU, M-1, M-2, and M-3 SU. Inside Yorkville, there are a variety of residential planned unit developments.

The A-1 SU to the south was for gravel mining. The M-3 SU to the west was for asphalt production.

EcoCAT Report was submitted on June 22, 2023. The Mottled Sculpin and Rusty Patch Bumble Bee were in the vicinity. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources recommended that work that disturbs the ground or removes flowering plants be done between October 1st and April 1st. If work occurred outside of the dates listed, a Rusty Patch Bumble Bee survey should be conducted by a qualified biologist, with the results forwarded to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. The consultation also noted that coordination with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service may be necessary. The consultation also contained suggestions for lighting. The consultation was closed if the recommendations related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee were implemented. The EcoCat Report was provided.

The Petitioner was not agreeable to either recommendation related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources said if that if the Petitioner impacted the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee, that would be problematic.

The NRI Application was submitted on June 20, 2023. The LESA score was 175, indicating a low level of protection. The NRI Report was provided.

Petition information was sent to Bristol Township on July 19, 2023. No comments were received.

Prior to formal application submittal, Staff contacted Yorkville regarding potential comments on the application. Yorkville requested the following items:

1. A thirty foot (30') wide buffer with a berm at least three feet (3') in height and consisting of two (2) shade trees, five (5) evergreen trees, and three (3) ornamental trees per one hundred (100) linear feet of buffer; they favored a minimum fifteen (15') foot wide buffer.
2. Odor control regulations including using an ASTM certified portable olfactometer, notification by the County to the property owner/business operator within two (2) business days of findings, and a requirement that the property owner/business operator respond within five (5) business days of receiving the notice with corrective action steps. Yorkville's performance standards related to odor were submitted to the County.
3. A condition that the property owner/business operator submit a written response within seven (7) days of receiving a complaint for a non-odor violation outlining steps taken to correct the issue of the complaint.
4. The submission of a detailed decommissioning plan.
5. A requirement that notification of operation management changes and contact information be updated annually with the County.

Staff has concerns regarding the requested procedure of enforcement because the requested method presently contradicts the County's current voluntary compliance policy and the regular procedures for handling alleged violations in the Zoning Ordinance. Also, the County does not presently own an olfactometer. Lastly, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has rules regarding complaints.

Yorkville's email and Staff's response were provided.

The Petitioner was agreeable to certain landscaping, the submission of a decommissioning plan, the request regarding change of management and updated contact information.

Petition information was sent to the United City of Yorkville on July 19, 2023.

The August Yorkville Economic Development Committee and Planning and Zoning Commission meetings were cancelled. The proposal was reviewed at the Yorkville City Council meeting on August 8, 2023, with no comments, and was reviewed again at the August 22, 2023, Yorkville City Council meeting. The Yorkville City Council recommended approval of the proposal. A memo from the United City of Yorkville on the steps they would take to address odor complaints was provided.

Petition information was sent to the Bristol Kendall Fire Protection District on July 19, 2023. No comments were received.

The Kendall County ZPAC reviewed the proposal at their meeting on August 1, 2023. Discussion occurred regarding odor control measures. The Committee did not believe that using an olfactometer, as Yorkville recommended, was practical. The Committee favored requiring the operator of the business allowed by the special use permit to track wind daily, avoid turning the windrows when the wind was blowing to populated areas, and adding an amendment to the windrows in cases when turning was necessary and the wind was blowing towards populated areas. The Committee expressed little concern

regarding the Illinois Department of Natural Resource's recommendation related to the Rusty Patch Bumble Bee. The Committee was concerned about runoff. Discussion occurred regarding the definition of food scraps; food scraps were collected from grocery stores and include items that were composted at homes. A recommendation regarding equipment at the property being classified as non-agricultural was removed. ZPAC recommended approval of the proposal with the removal of the condition related to the classification of equipment and add a requirement requiring the operator of the business to track wind direction and speed daily and add amendments to the composting materials if windrows are turned with winds blowing in unfavorable directions by a vote of six (6) in favor and zero (0) in opposition with four (4) members absent. The minutes of the meeting were provided.

Per Section 7:01.D.20 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance, composting businesses can be special uses on A-1 zoned property subject to the following conditions:

1. The facility shall meet all Illinois Environmental Protection Agency requirements as identified in Title 35, Subtitle G, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Part 830, Standards for compost facilities.
2. Operational personnel shall be present on site during all hours which the facility is open for the receipt of landscape waste.
3. The hours during which landscape waste may be received shall be 7:00am to 4:00pm Monday through Friday and 7:00am to 12:00 noon Saturday. Processing operations shall cease after each day's receipts have been processed and placed in windrows, not to exceed three (3) additional hours.
4. The decibel levels at the property line shall not exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.
5. A locked gate shall restrict vehicle access during closed hours except that a "lock-box" shall allow access to emergency vehicles.
6. Water samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
7. Soil samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
8. Authorized Kendall County personnel shall be allowed on site during business hours for inspection and testing.
9. The facility operator shall send up-to-date copies of the State permit and related documents including Operational Plan, Surface Water Management Plan, Pest Control Plan, Site Drawing, and an Annual Report to the County Solid Waste Coordinator.
10. Truck weights shall be limited to seventy-three thousand, two hundred eighty (73,280) pounds.
11. The operator shall provide weight receipts to Kendall County.

12. Off-site debris and trash generated by the site must be cleaned-up daily on surrounding properties with the owner's permission.

13. Other conditions as appropriate for the particular facility.

The Petitioner is agreeable to conditions 1-12.

When the special use permit was originally granted in the 1990s, they were originally allowed to process one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) cubic yards of source separated landscape materials. This number was increased to one hundred seventy-five thousand (175,000) cubic yards in 2014.

Starting in 2010, the facility was allowed to accept food scraps.

The original site plan showed several twenty-five foot (25') wide windrows. These windrows are separated by ten foot (10') foot driving aisles. Most of the windrows are eight feet (8') tall or less in height.

The revised site plan showed thirty-two windrows. No information was provided regarding driving aisles. Windrows might extend to the cultivation line. Final elevations will change for composting surface depending on excavated materials used for the pond.

Bulk agent storage areas separate the east and west windrow areas.

Both site plans show one (1) final cure storage area, one (1) grinding and blending concrete pad, and one (1) receiving pad. No information was provided regarding the dimensions of these areas.

As noted previously, the hours when landscape waste can be received are between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Mondays through Fridays and 7:00 a.m. until Noon on Saturdays. Processing operations may continue for a maximum three (3) additional hours.

As noted in the Decommissioning Plan, the site will be converted back to farming within five (5) months, this includes the removal materials, grading, seeding, and removal of all structures. The Petitioner planned to reevaluate the Decommissioning Plan.

No information was provided regarding the number of employees at the property.

The use has been at the property since 1993.

There have not been any founded complaints against the property in recent years.

One (1) approximately four hundred twenty (420) square foot office trailer is shown on the plan near the southeast corner of the site.

After the ZPAC meeting, the Petitioners indicated that they may install another building on the property. On the revised site plan, one (1) sixty foot by eighty foot (60'X80') building was shown. This structure was twenty-four feet (24') tall. The building would be used for storage of equipment. The final location of the building was undetermined.

The property is served by a well and septic. The well is located at the southeast corner of the property.

The Petitioner is agreeable to the requirements related to water samples and soil samples, inspection and testing, and submitting copies of the State permit, operational plan, surface water management plan, pest control plan, KCRPC Meeting Minutes 8.23.23

site drawings, annual report, and decommissioning plan. The Petitioner is also agreeable to providing weight receipts to Kendall County.

The Solid Waste Coordinator shall maintain a log of complaints received on the facility.

Sampling schedules are noted on in the business plan.

Though not shown on the site plan, a dumpster is located on the property. The business plan notes a requirement to clean-up offsite debris and trash daily on surrounding properties.

NICOR possesses an easement north of the existing driveway.

Overhead utilities run from E. Beecher Road to the office trailer.

The property drains to the south and west.

One (1) existing detention basin is shown on the site plan north of parking area. The original site plan also shows one (1) proposed detention basin southwest of the western windrows. One twenty-five foot (25') wide drainage swale is shown west of the western windrows. No information was provided regarding the dimensions of the detention basins or the depth of the drainage swale. The revised site plan shows a much larger water reuse and detention pond.

The Petitioners submitted an application for a stormwater management permit. WBK submitted comments in a letter dated July 15, 2023, which was provided. Staff was waiting for comments from the Petitioner regarding WBK's comments. At the Petitioner's request, the revised site plan was not sent to WBK.

As mentioned previously, the submitted site plans did not match the site plan on file with the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. The State has not evaluated the impact of the proposed site plans on the Surface Water Management Plan presently on file with the State.

Per the site plan, the subject property has an asphalt drive to E. Beecher Road.

The Petitioner is agreeable to the truck weight restriction contained in the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.

According to the revised site plan, one (1) gravel parking area was shown north of the office trailer and one (1) handicapped accessible parking space was shown east of the office trailer. The total number of park stalls was seven (7). The parking stalls did not meet the minimum depth requirement of twenty feet (20') as outlined in Section 11:02.F.4 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.

The site plan shows one (1) truck turn around area.

No information was provided regarding lighting. Because of the small number of parking spaces, a photometric plan was not required.

According to the business plan, one (1) existing sign is located on the property. The sign is not illuminated. The information on the sign is required per Illinois Environmental Protection Agency rules.

One (1) additional no trespassing sign is located on the interior gate.

According to original the site plan, there is a fence along the western and northern sides of the property. There is also a fifteen foot (15') wide buffer between the eastern property line and the berm. The business plan
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references a locked gate. The gate is locked during closed hours, but a lock box is available for emergency response vehicles.

Per the original site plan, one (1) fifteen foot (15') wide berm is shown near the eastern property line. A twenty-five foot (25') wide berm is shown near the western and northern property lines. Per the business plan, the eastern berm will be three feet (3') in height. Landscaping consisting of pines, fir, and/or shade trees will be planted at spacing not to exceed forty feet (40') apart. Seedling will be a minimum of six inches (6") in height and will be planted within one (1) year of the issuance of the special use permit. The business plan also references maintaining the existing plantings on the berm and ditch and existing landscaping. No information was provided regarding plantings on the western or northern berms or the composition of the existing landscaping and plantings on the property.

No landscaping information was provided on the revised site plan.

Per the business plan, noise levels cannot exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.

The business plan references odor control strategies generally. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency rules requires operators of composting facilities to prepare an odor minimization plan. Staff has requested a copy of this plan.

The Health Department requested that a water truck be onsite for dusty conditions and that the operator be required to chart wind direction and speed daily. The Petitioner was in agreement regarding the water truck condition, but was not in favor of charting wind speeds.

This is the only property to have a special use permit for a composting facility in unincorporated Kendall County.

The proposed Findings of Fact were as follows:

*The establishment, maintenance, or operation of the special use will not be detrimental to or endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare. **The operation is controlled by the EPA and inspected regularly by the Health Department and have not found anything to endanger the public health, safety, morals, comfort, or general welfare.***

*The special use will not be substantially injurious to the use and enjoyment of other property in the immediate vicinity for the purposes already permitted, nor substantially diminish and impair property values within the neighborhood. The Zoning classification of property within the general area of the property in question shall be considered in determining consistency with this standard. The proposed use makes adequate provisions for appropriate buffers, landscaping, fencing, lighting, building materials, open space and other improvements necessary to insure that the proposed use does not adversely impact adjacent uses and is compatible with the surrounding area and/or the County as a whole. **The operation has been open since 1993 with some minor debris issues a long time ago and since then there have been no complaints or issues. Reasonable restrictions may be placed in the special use permit to address hours of operation, dust, and odor control measures. No evidence has been provided suggesting that property values have declined in the area since the facility commenced operations.***

*Adequate utilities, access roads and points of ingress and egress, drainage, and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided. **The special use will not be adding any new utilities or roadways to the property. They will use the current access point onto Beecher Road which has a gate which will be closed***
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unless the operation is open. State law and the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance require a Surface Water Management Plan.

The special use shall in all other respects conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which it is located, except as such regulations may in each instance be modified by the County Board pursuant to the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals. This is true; no variances are requested.

The special use is consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Land Resource Management Plan and other adopted County or municipal plans and policies. This operation existed before the Land Resource Management Plan existed and the plan calls for the area to be residential which it could be when/if this operation ever ceases to exist.

Staff would like confirmation that the revised site plan will be the final version of the controlling site plan for the property. Staff would also like to see a phasing plan by which the old, State approved site plan is phased out and the new site plan is brought online. The general conditions and restrictions would be as follows:

1. The facility shall comply with the conditions as they are listed in the applicable sections of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance related to the composting of landscape waste and food waste, subject to the following:
 - a. The facility shall meet all Illinois Environmental Protection Agency requirements as identified in the applicable sections of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance.
 - b. Operational personnel shall be present on site during all hours which the facility is open for the receipt of landscape waste.
 - c. The hours during which landscape waste may be received shall be 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Monday through Fridays and 7:00 a.m. to Noon on Saturdays. Processing operations shall cease after each day's receipts have been processed and placed in windrows, not to exceed three (3) additional hours.
 - d. The decibel levels at the property line shall not exceed Illinois Pollution Control Board standards.
 - e. Water samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
 - f. Soil samples shall be taken by an independent testing service and analyzed by an independent laboratory. The locations, methods and frequency of sampling and testing shall be approved by the Kendall County Environmental Health Department Director. The test results shall be sent to the Environmental Health Department within forty-five (45) days of sampling.
 - g. Authorized Kendall County personnel shall be allowed on site during business hours for inspection and testing.
 - h. The facility operator shall send up-to-date copies of the State permit and related documents including Operational Plan, Surface Water Management Plan, Pest Control Plan, Site Drawing, and an Annual Report to the County Solid Waste Coordinator.
 - i. Truck weights shall be limited to seventy-three thousand, two hundred eighty (73,280) pounds.

- j. The operator shall provide weight receipts to Kendall County.
 - k. Off-site debris and trash generated by the site must be cleaned-up on a daily basis on surrounding properties with the owner's permission.
 - l. Implement strategies to manage potential odor issues such as maintaining proper carbon to-nitrogen ratios, maintaining moisture levels, and sufficient turning of compost piles to enhance decomposition.
 - m. Install water spraying systems or dust suppression equipment at critical points of dust generation. Regularly monitor moisture content and use sprinkler systems or misters to dampen the compost as needed.
2. The facility will be permitted to take in one hundred seventy-five thousand (175,000) cubic yards of source-separated landscape materials (i.e. brush, leaves, tree trimmings, grass and food waste). (Amended after ZPAC)
 3. The site shall be developed substantially in accordance with the site plan and the site plan shall be kept on file as "Exhibit A" attached hereto.
 4. As noted on the site plan, a fifteen foot (15') buffer and a berm will be provided between the composting area and the United City of Yorkville's boundary. The berm will be at least fifteen feet (15') wide and three feet (3') high. The buffer landscaping will be composed primarily of pine, fir, and/or shade trees planted at spacing not to exceed forty feet (40') apart. Seedlings will be a minimum of six inches (6") in height. Specimen seedlings will be planted and the berm will be constructed within one (1) year of issuance of the special use permit ordinance. The Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee may grant an extension to the deadline to install the berms and landscaping.
 5. The facility operator shall maintain existing plantings on the berm and ditch.
 6. The facility operator shall maintain the security gate, signage, and landscaping as indicated on "Exhibit B" attached hereto. The locked gate shall restrict vehicle access during closed hours except that a "lock-box" shall allow access to emergency vehicles.
 7. The facility operator shall maintain a sampling schedule as shown on "Exhibit C" attached hereto dated March 11, 2008.
 8. The County Solid Waste Coordinator shall maintain a log of complaints received on the facility.
 9. This special use Ordinance shall expire on December 1, 2033, and the petition for renewal shall be made prior to July 1, 2033.
 10. If any Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) violations or citations are received by the site operator/manager and/or parcel owner/manager they need to be submitted to the County Solid Waste Coordinator within thirty (30) days.
 11. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall follow the Decommissioning Plan as described in Exhibit D. The operator shall assume all of the responsibilities assigned to Green Organics in the plan. The Decommissioning Plan shall be kept on file in the site trailer office per EPA requirements and will be accessible to the Kendall County Health Inspector. The operator of the

business allowed by the special use permit shall update the Kendall County Health Department within thirty (30) days of changes to the Decommissioning Plan.

12. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall notify the Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Department within thirty (30) days of changes in operation manager. In addition, the operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall provide contact information of the management operator annually by July 1st.
13. The operator of the business allowed by the special use permit shall ensure a host community agreement is in existence with the County prior to operations.
14. Ordinance 2014-04 and all previous special use permits and amendments to special use permits related to the operation of composting facility on the subject property are hereby repealed in their entirety.
15. ~~None of the vehicles or equipment parked or stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be considered agricultural vehicles or agricultural equipment. (Deleted at ZPAC)~~
16. All of the vehicles and equipment stored on the subject property related to the business allowed by the special use permit shall be maintained in good condition with no deflated tires and shall be licensed if required by law.
17. Any structures constructed, installed, or used related to the business allowed by this special use permit on the property shall not be considered for agricultural purposes and must secure applicable building permits.
18. At least one (1) water truck shall be onsite for dust control purposes. (Added after ZPAC)
19. The operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall track wind direction and speed daily and add amendments to the composting materials if windrows are turned with winds blowing towards populated areas. (Added after ZPAC)
20. The owners and operators of the business allowed by this special use permit acknowledge and agree to follow Kendall County's Right to Farm Clause.
21. The property owner and operator of the business allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State, and Local laws related to the operation of this type of business.
22. Failure to comply with one or more of the above conditions or restrictions could result in the amendment or revocation of the special use permit.
23. If one or more of the above conditions is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions shall remain valid.
24. This special use permit shall be treated as a covenant running with the land and are binding on the successors, heirs, and assigns as to the same special use conducted on the property.

Member Nelson asked about the tipping fee. Mr. Asselmeier said the tipping fee was in the host agreement. Member Nelson wanted to make sure that the Petitioners were current on the tipping fee and he would like to see a requirement in the special use permit stating that they had to be current on tipping fee payments.

Member Bernacki asked if a deadline existed for the decommissioning plan. Mr. Asselmeier said the decommissioning plan was in the packet and explained the process for amending the decommissioning plan.

Member Wilson asked if a bond would be posted to guarantee the decommissioning plan. Mr. Asselmeier responded the bonding requirements were set and posted by the State. Discussion occurred regarding updating the bond figures in the decommissioning plan. The property owner was ultimately responsible for cleaning up the property. The State controls approving the dollar amounts in the decommissioning plan.

Jeff Milroy, Petitioner, discussed the decommissioning plan for the use on the Yorkville portion of the operations and related legal settlements. He will update the decommissioning plan when the State permit is transferred to him; he did not have a copy of the legal agreement between Yorkville and Green Organics.

Discussion occurred regarding surrounding land uses in relation to odors. Mr. Asselmeier said that Yorkville submitted a request regarding procedures and methods for addressing odor complaints.

Dan Nagel explained that the adjoining properties in Yorkville were zoned residential. He intended to use a portion his property for a solar field. The composting business will operate in the County only and not inside Yorkville. The solar field will create a buffer between residential uses and the composting facility.

Member Wilson asked about the acceptance of food scraps. The Petitioner would be taking in food scraps per the IEPA guidelines, which was up to ten percent (10%) of the materials collected. Member Nelson asked about the definition of food scraps. Jesse Sexton, Operator of the Facility since 1999, explained the types of food scraps that would be accepted, no meat or dairy would be accepted. Concerns about attracting rodents and pest were unfounded.

Member Bernacki asked about tracking wind speed and direction. Mr. Sexton said they do monitor wind, but, if the facility was operated correctly, odor would not be an issue. Mr. Milroy disagreed with the condition requiring avoiding turning the windrows when the wind was blowing towards populated areas; he did not oppose tracking the wind generally. Mr. Milroy questioned the meaning of populated area. Discussion occurred about maintaining a wind log in relation to complaints. Mr. Milroy explained when the IEPA wanted piles turned in relation to wind. Mr. Sexton explained the timing and rationale for turning windrows in relation to temperature for decomposition.

Member Wilson asked what percentage of the site would be used for composting operations. The response was seventy-five percent (75%).

Member Wormley stated that he was not in favor of not allowing the turning of windrows when the winds were blowing towards populated areas because the restriction could negatively impact the operations of the business and create additional odor problems. He also noted the service provided by the business allowed by the special use permit. He also expressed his support for existing businesses.

Member Wormley made a motion, seconded by Member Nelson, to recommend approval of the renewal of the special use permit. Chairman Ashton asked which site plan would be the controlling plan. Mr. Milroy explained the history of developing the site plan. Discussion occurred regarding amending special use permits. Mr. Milroy also explained some site work that will occur at the property. Member Wormley withdrew his original motion and Member Nelson withdrew his second.

Member Wormley made a motion, seconded by Member Nelson, to recommend approval of the renewal of the special use permit using the revised site plan as the controlling site plan.

Mr. Nagel discussed drainage related to the Rob Roy Creek Drainage District and getting the District's KCRPC Meeting Minutes 8.23.23

equipment near the Creek.

The Petitioner would still need to comply with IEPA requirements related to the site plan.

The new building would not be an agricultural exempt building.

The votes were as follows:

Ayes (6): Ashton, Bernacki, Nelson, Stewart, Wilson, and Wormley

Nays (0): None

Absent (4): Casey, Hamman, McCarthy-Lange, and Rodriguez

Abstain (0): None

The motion carried. The proposal will go to the Kendall County Zoning Board of Appeals on August 28, 2023.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD/PUBLIC COMMENT

None

NEW BUSINESS

Village of Plainfield Community Visioning Workshops

Commissioners reviewed the flyer for the workshops. Member Bernacki planned to attend the Wednesday workshop. If necessary, the Commission might a pass resolution related to Plainfield's proposal.

Member Nelson would like to review the Future Land Use Maps for Minooka and Shorewood.

Joliet has not been actively updating their Comprehensive Plan.

OLD BUSINESS

None

REVIEW OF PETITIONS THAT WENT TO COUNTY BOARD

None

OTHER BUSINESS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

ADJOURNMENT

Member Nelson made a motion, seconded by Member Wormley, to adjourn. With a voice vote of six (6) ayes, the motion carried.

The Kendall County Regional Planning Commission meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m.


Respectfully submitted by,
Matthew H. Asselmeier, AICP, CFM
Director

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**KENDALL COUNTY
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
AUGUST 23, 2023**

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE CONTACTED ON FUTURE MEETINGS REGARDING THIS TOPIC, PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR ADDRESS OR EMAIL ADDRESS

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Memorandum

To: City Council
 From: Krysti J. Barksdale-Noble, Community Development Director
 CC: Bart Olson, City Administrator
 Date: August 10, 2023
 Subject: **PZC 2023-11– Kendall County Petition 23-26**
 Milroy Farm – 1270 E. Beecher Road - 1.5 Mile Review (Special Use)

SUMMARY:

Staff has reviewed a request from Kendall County Planning and Zoning Department along with the subsequent documents attached. This property is located within one and a half miles of the planning boundary for Yorkville, allowing the City the opportunity to review and provide comments to Kendall County. The petitioner, Jefferey D. Milroy on behalf of Milroy Farms, LLC, is requesting to renew its current special use permit, approved in 2014, for the operation of a compost facility on approximately 39.87 acres in unincorporated Kendall County. The current special use authorization is set to expire in Kendall County on December 1, 2023. If approved, the new special use will expire on December 1, 2033. The petitioner is not seeking to continue the compost facility on the adjacent (east) approximately 18-acre parcel located within Yorkville's corporate boundary, which was required to be decommissioned on or by March 2, 2024, per a Settlement Agreement with the City. Additionally, the petitioner states the compost facility will not be run by the previous operator, Green Organics. The subject property is located at 1270 E. Beecher Road which is generally located on the east side of E. Beecher Road and approximately 0.5 miles south of Galena Road.

STAFF COMMENTS

Staff has reviewed the request for special use renewal for the compost facility and still has some specific concerns related to the odor control regulations. **Staff would recommend** that in the event the City of Yorkville receives an odor complaint, the City can reach out directly to the property owner and Kendall County's Solid Waste Coordinator and receive a response in writing as to how the odor will be/was mitigated within seven (7) business days.

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

This item was scheduled to be discussed at the August 9, 2023 Planning and Zoning Commission meeting. However, this meeting was unable to be held due to a lack of quorum, therefore, no recommendation or objection to the special use request was provided.

ATTACHMENTS

1. PZC Memorandum
2. Application with Attachments

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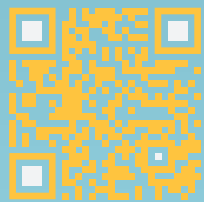
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**For more information, contact:
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