STAFF REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS PUBLIC HEARING SEPTEMBER 1, 2021

ABBREVIATED PLAT:	LUCAS ACRES	
LEGAL DESCRIPTION:	SEC 5, T17N, R02E, SEWARD M	ERIDIAN AK
PETITIONER/OWNER:	WILDER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY	
SURVEYOR:	R & M CONSULTANTS, INC.	
ACRES: 23.477 <u>+</u>	PARCELS: 2	
REVIEWED BY:	FRED WAGNER	CASE #: 2021-120

REQUEST: The request is to create two lots from Tax Parcel A28 (Parcel #2, MSB Waiver 2001-70-PWm), to be known as **LUCAS ACRES**, containing 23.477 acres +/-. The plat is located west of S. Glenn Highway, south of W. Fern Avenue and directly east of S. Felton Street, in the City of Palmer, lying within Section 5, Township 17 North, Range 2 East, Seward Meridian, Alaska.

EXHIBITS

Vicinity Map and Aerial Photos

AGENCY COMMENTS

Department of Public Works Operations & Maintenance	
Alaska Department of Fish and Game	
City of Palmer	
Utilities	

DISCUSSION: The proposed subdivision is east of S. Glenn Highway within the City of Palmer. Proposed Lot 2 is a utility lot.

<u>Soils Report</u>: A geotechnical report was not required, pursuant to MSB 43.20.281(A)(1)(i)(i), as Lot 1 is greater than 400,000 sf (9.183 acres) and topographical information was provided by the surveyor, and Lot 2 is proposed as a utility lot.

<u>Comments</u>: Department of Public Works Operations & Maintenance (Exhibit B) has no comments. Alaska Department of Fish and Game (Exhibit C) has no objections. City of Palmer (Exhibit D) has no comments.

<u>Utilities</u>: (Exhibit E) Enstar has no comments, or recommendations. GCI has no comments or objections. MTA has no comments. MEA did not respond to the request for comments.

EXHIBIT A – 4 pgs

EXHIBIT B - 1 pg **EXHIBIT C** - 1 pg **EXHIBIT D** - 1 pg **EXHIBIT E** - 3 pgs At the time of staff report write-up, there were no responses to the Request for Comments from USACE; ADOT&PF; MSB Community Development, Assessments, Planning, Pre-Design Division or Development Services; or MEA.

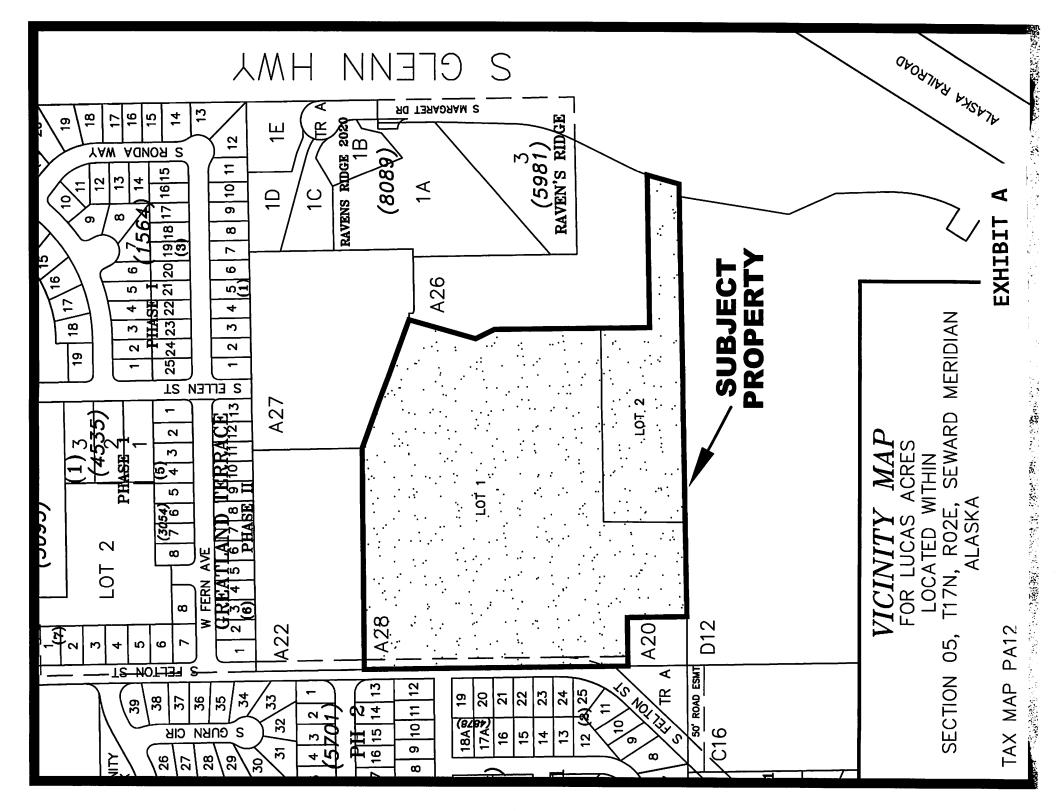
CONCLUSION: The preliminary plat of LUCAS ACRES is consistent with AS 29.40.070 Platting Regulations and MSB 43.15.025 Abbreviated Plats. There were no objections from any federal or state agencies, Borough departments, or utilities. There were no objections to the plat from the public in response to the Notice of Public Hearing. Legal and physical access will exist to the proposed lots, consistent with MSB 43.20.100 Access Required, MSB 43.20.120 Legal Access and MSB 43.20.140 Physical Access. Frontage for the subdivision will exist, pursuant to MSB 43.20.320.

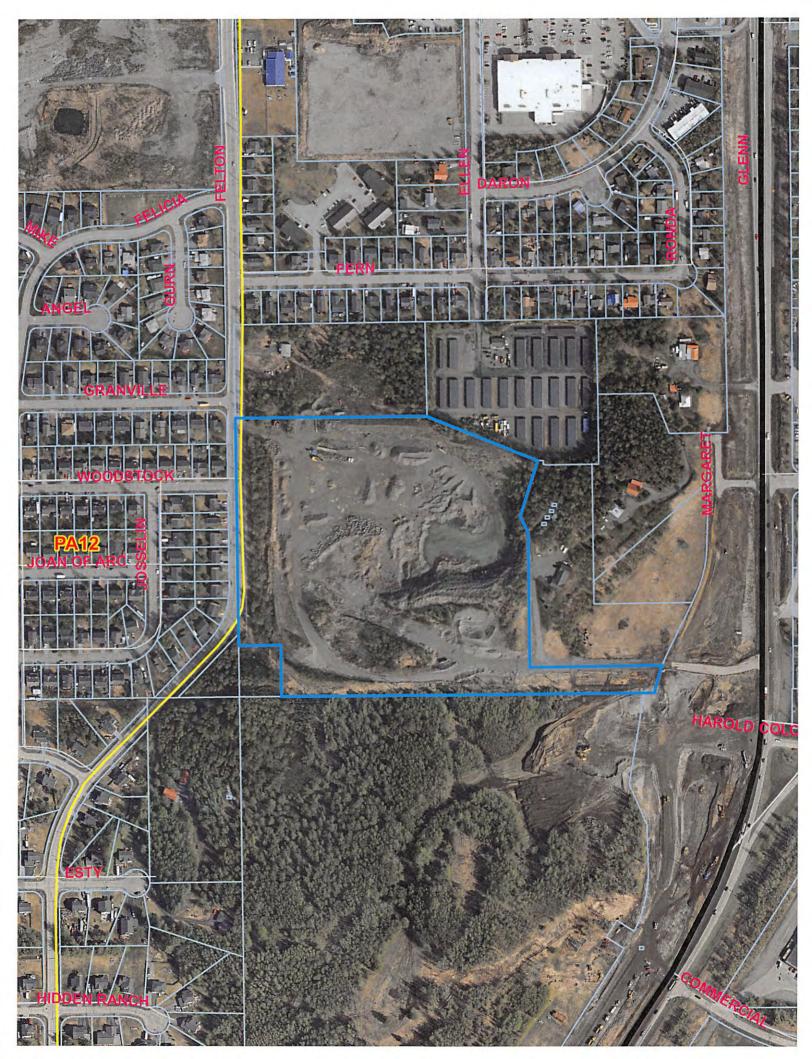
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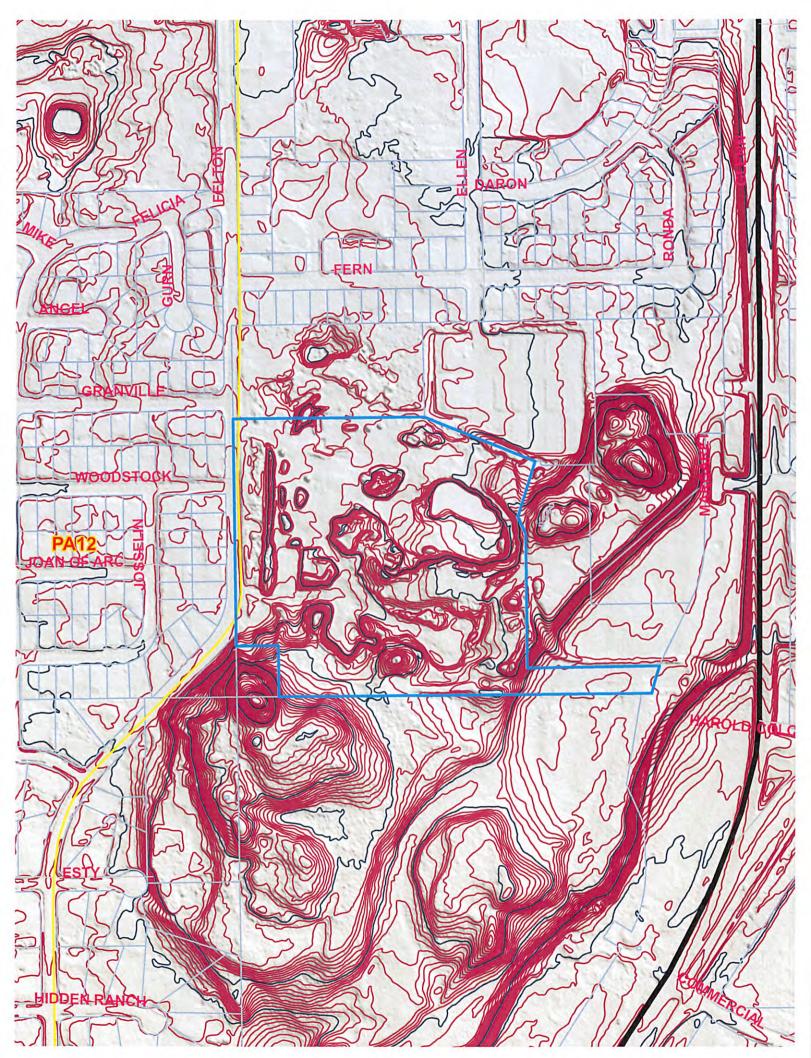
- 1. The plat of LUCAS ACRES is consistent with AS 29.40.070 Platting Regulations and MSB 43.15.025 Abbreviated Plats.
- 2. A soils report was not required, pursuant to MSB 43.20.281(A)(1)(i)(i).
- 3. All lots will have legal and physical access consistent with MSB 43.20.100, MSB 43.20.120 and MSB 43.20.140.
- 4. Each lot has the required frontage pursuant to MSB 43.20.320.
- 5. At the time of staff report write-up, there were no responses to the Request for Comments from USACE; ADOT&PF; MSB Community Development, Assessments, Planning, Pre-Design Division or Development Services.
- 6. There were no objections from any federal or state agencies, or Borough departments.
- 7. There were no objections from the public in response to the Notice of Public Hearing.

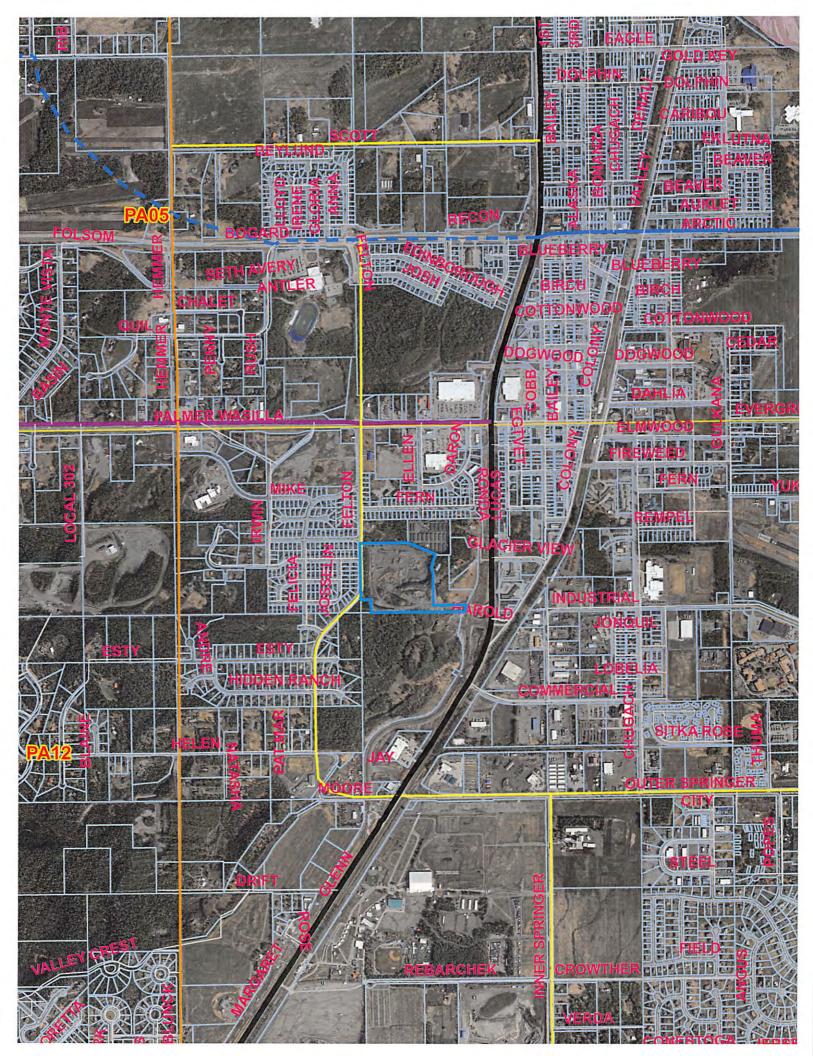
<u>RECOMMENDATIONS OF CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL</u> for the abbreviated plat of LUCAS ACRES, Section 5, Township 17 North, Range 02 East, Seward Meridian, Alaska, contingent on staff recommendations:

- 1. Taxes and special assessments must be paid in full for the year of recording, pursuant to MSB 43.15.053(F) and AS 40.15.020. Pay taxes and special assessments (LIDs), by CERTIFIED FUNDS OR CASH.
- 2. Provide updated Certificate to Plat executed within seven (7) days of recording of plat and submit Beneficiary Affidavit for any holders of a beneficial interest.
- 3. Pay postage and advertising fees.
- 4. Show all easements of record on final plat.
- 5. Provide a plat note stating Lot 2 is a utility lot with no on-lot water or septic systems.
- 6. Submit recording fees, payable to Department of Natural Resources (DNR).
- 7. Submit final plat in full compliance with Title 43.









From: Sent: To: Subject: Jamie Taylor Wednesday, August 25, 2021 5:39 PM Fred Wagner RE: RFC Lucas Ac

No comment.

Jamie Taylor, PE Civil Engineer Matanuska-Susitna Borough Department of Public Works t: 907-861-7765 c: 907-355-9810 jamie.taylor@matsugov.us http://www.matsugov.us/

From: Fred Wagner < Frederic.Wagner@matsugov.us>

Sent: Wednesday, August 4, 2021 3:04 PM

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Sincerely,

Fred Wagner, PLS MSB Platting Officer



From: Sent: To: Subject: Percy, Colton T (DFG) <colton.percy@alaska.gov> Wednesday, August 25, 2021 8:38 AM Fred Wagner FW: RFC Lucas Ac

[EXTERNAL EMAIL - CAUTION: Do not open unexpected attachments or links.] Good morning,

ADF&G has no objections to the proposed platting actions. All public use easements are accurately depicted, and the platting actions will not affect public access to public lands. Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment.

Colton T. Percy Habitat Biologist Access Defense Program

From: Fred Wagner < Frederic.Wagner@matsugov.us>

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Fred Wagner, PLS **MSB Platting Officer** (907)861-7870 Office





Dusten Voehl Building Inspector

MEMORANDUM - UPDATED

Beth Skow Library Director

TO:Fred Wagner, Chief of PlattingFROM:Nichole Degner, Community DevelopmentDATE:August 20, 2021SUBJECT:Pre-Application Plat Review Lucas Acres☑ Inside City Limits□ Outside City Limits

We have distributed the pre-application packet for the subject project and have received the following comments from the following departments:

- 1. City Manager: No comments.
- 2. Building Inspector: No comments.
- 3. Community Development: No changes necessary.
- 4. Fire Chief: No comments.
- 5. Public Works: No comments.
- 6. Planning and Zoning Commission: No comments from the Commission.





ENSTAR Natural Gas Company A DIVISION OF SEMCO ENERGY Engineering Department, Right of Way Section 401 E. International Airport Road P. O. Box 190288 Anchorage, Alaska 99519-0288 (907) 277-5551 FAX (907) 334-7798

August 10, 2021

Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Platting Division 350 East Dahlia Avenue Palmer, AK 99645-6488

To whom it may concern:

ENSTAR Natural Gas Company has reviewed the following plat and has no comments or recommendations.

- Lucas Acres (MSB Case # 2021-120)
- K and T Acres (MSB Case # 2021-123)

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 334-7944 or by email at james.christopher@enstarnaturalgas.com.

Sincerely,

James Christopher

James Christopher Right of Way & Compliance Technician ENSTAR Natural Gas Company

EXHIBIT E

From:	OSP Design Group <ospdesign@gci.com></ospdesign@gci.com>	
Sent:	Tuesday, August 10, 2021 10:23 AM	
То:	Fred Wagner	
Cc:	OSP Design Group	
Subject:	RE: RFC Lucas Ac	
Attachments:	RFC Packet.pdf; Agenda Plat.pdf	

[EXTERNAL EMAIL - CAUTION: Do not open unexpected attachments or links.] Fred,

In review GCI has no comments or objections to the plat, attached is the signed plat for your records.

Thanks, MIREYA ARMESTO GCI | Technician II, GIS Mapping m: 907-744-5166 | w: www.gci.com

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From: Sent: To: Subject: Holly Sparrow <hsparrow@mtasolutions.com> Wednesday, August 4, 2021 3:35 PM Fred Wagner RE: RFC Lucas Ac

[EXTERNAL EMAIL - CAUTION: Do not open unexpected attachments or links.] Hello,

MTA has reviewed the plat for Lucas Acres. MTA has no comments.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Holly Sparrow, Right of Way Agent

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VE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT WE ARE THE OWNERS OF THE	M1 PALMER-WASILL
REAL PROPERTY SHOWN AND DESCRIBED HEREON, THAT WE HEREBY ADOPT THIS PLAN OF SUBDIVISION, AND BY OUR OWN FREE CONSENT DEDICATE ALL RIGHTS OF WAYS TO THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH.	
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DWNERS: DATED: GRANITE CONSTRUCTION BY DEREK BETTS, VICE PRESIDENT/MANAGER ALASKA REGION 11471 LANG STREET	30' 30'
ANCHORAGE, AK. 99515	
NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGMENT SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME THIS DAY OF,2021.	TRACT B-2
NOTARY PUBLIC MY COMMISSION EXPIRES	ANY ESTATES SUBD. DDN. No. 1, PH. 2 PLAT No. 2005-60
CERTIFY THAT THIS SUBDIVISION PLAT HAS BEEN FOUND TO COMPLY WITH	
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PLAT RESOLUTION NUMBER: DATED:	
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DISTRICT, STATE OF ALASKA, IN WHICH THE PLAT IS LOCATED.	X OI
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THOUGH AGAINST THE PROPERTY INCLUDED IN THE SUBDIVISION HEREON, HAVE BEEN PAID.	
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2. THERE MAY BE FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING LAND USE. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL PARCEL OWNER TO OBTAIN A DETERMINATION WHETHER SUCH REQUIREMENTS	50' ROAD ESMT. PER BK.239, PG.805
 APPLY TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF PARCELS SHOWN HEREON. 3. NO INDIVIDUAL SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM SHALL BE PERMITTED ON ANY LOT UNLESS SUCH SYSTEM IS LOCATED, CONSTRUCTED, AND EQUIPPED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS, STANDARDS, AND 	60' PUBLIC USE ESMT. PER DOC.No. 2003-008555
RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STATE OF ALASKA, DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION, WHICH GOVERN THOSE SYSTEMS.	LEG
4. PARCEL 2 FALLS OUTSIDE THE 100-YEAR FLOOD PLAIN, AND WITHIN AN AREA OF MINIMAL FLOOD HAZARD.	
5. A BLANKET ELECTRIC LINE RIGHT OF WAY EASEMENT EXISTS RECORDED IN BOOK 279, PAGE 429, PALMER RECORDING DISTRICT, ALASKA.	
 A BLANKET TELEPHONE LINE RIGHT OF WAY EASEMENT EXISTS RECORDED IN BOOK 556, PAGE 795, PALMER RECORDING DISTRICT, ALASKA. 	(M) (C)
7. A PUBLIC USE EASEMENT RECORDED AS DOCUMENT No. 2007-018902-0 IN THE PALMER RECORDING DISTRICT, ALASKA, EXISTS COVERING THE ENTIRETY OF LOTS 1, 2A, AND 2B.	

