MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH

350 East Dahlia Avenue, Palmer, Alaska 99645 – 907-861-7874

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ABBREVIATED PLAT AGENDA

ASSEMBLY CHAMBERS 350 EAST DAHLIA AVENUE, PALMER

REGULAR MEETING

8:30 A.M.

May 31, 2023

Public Participation: To participate in the Abbreviated Plat Hearing, you can attend in person, or you can submit written comments by email to platting@matsugov.us or by mail to Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Platting Division, 350 E. Dahlia Avenue, Palmer, AK 99645.

1. INTRODUCTION

A. Introduction of Staff

2. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

(None)

3. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

A. <u>RIPJENSON:</u> The request is to adjust the common lot lines between Lot 2, RIP, Plat No. 2019-164, and Lot 9A, Jensen, Plat No. 2021-133 to be known as **Ripjenson**, containing 10.00 acres +/-. The property is located south and east of S. Hyer Road, west of S. Trunk Road, and north of E. Parks Highway (Tax ID # 8193000L009A / 7964000L002); within the NW ¹/₄ Section 16, Township 17 North, Range 01 East, Seward Meridian, Alaska. In the Gateway Community Council and in Assembly District #3. (*Petitioner/Owner: McKenna Investments, Staff: Matthew Goddard, Case # 2023-050*)

HE ABBREVIATED PLAT HEARING WILL CONVENE AT <u>8:30 A.M.</u> on <u>May 31, 2023</u>, in the <u>Assembly Chambers</u> at the Dorothy Swanda Jones Building, 350 E. Dahlia Avenue, Palmer, Alaska.

Public Hearing Process

- > Platting Officer states/reads the case/item to be addressed into the record.
- ➤ **Public Hearing Notices**: Secretary states the number of public hearing notices sent out and the date sent.
- > Staff Report: The Platting Officer gives an overview of the project for the hearing and the public.
- **Public Testimony**: Members of the public are invited to sign in and testify before the officer.
 - o <u>3-minute time limit</u> per person for members of the public.
 - The time limit may be extended at the discretion of the Platting Officer.
- **The public hearing is closed by the Officer.** No further public input is appropriate.
- **Petitioner Comments**: Petitioner, or his/her representative, comes before the officer to discuss staff recommendations and compliance with Title 43 and other applicable regulations.
 - o Testimony is limited to five (5) minutes for the petitioner/applicant.
 - o The time limit may be extended at the discretion of the Platting Officer
- ➤ **Motion to Approve:** Motion to approve is made by the Platting Officer.
 - o No further unsolicited input from petitioner is appropriate.
 - o Conditions and Findings must be written for all decisions made regarding the action being taken, whether it passed or failed.
 - o Decisions are final unless reconsidered by the platting board MSB 43.35.005 or appealed to the board of adjustments and appeals. MSB 43.35.015

STAFF REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS PUBLIC HEARING May 31, 2023

ABBREVIATED PLAT: RIPJENSON

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SEC 16, T17N, R01E, SEWARD MERIDIAN AK

PETITIONERS: MCKENNA INVESTMENTS

SURVEYOR/ENGINEER: BULL MOOSE SURVEYING / DOWL

ACRES: $10.00 \pm$ PARCELS: 2

REVIEWED BY: MATTHEW GODDARD CASE #: 2023-050

REQUEST: The request is to adjust the common lot lines between Lot 2, RIP, Plat No. 2019-164, and Lot 9A, Jensen, Plat No. 2021-133 to be known as **RIPJENSON**, containing 10.00 acres +/-. The property is located south and east of S. Hyer Road, west of S. Trunk Road, and north of E. Parks Highway; within the NW ¼ Section 16, Township 17 North, Range 01 East, Seward Meridian, Alaska.

EXHIBITS

Vicinity Map and Aerial Photos	EXHIBIT A – 5 pgs
Soils Report	EXHIBIT B – 12 pgs
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AGENCY COMMENTS

ADF&G	EXHIBIT C – 2 pgs
MSB Department of Public Works	EXHIBIT D -1 pg
MSB Development Services	EXHIBIT E -1 pg
Utilities	EXHIBIT F – 4 pgs
Public Comments	EXHIBIT $G-1$ pg

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: The proposed subdivision is adjusting the common lot line between Lot 9A, Jensen Subdivision, Plat #2021-133 and Lot 2, RIP Subdivision, Plat #2019-164. This will resolve an encroachment on the existing lot line. Both lots take access from S. Tanya Court, a Borough owned and maintained road.

<u>Soils Report</u>: A geotechnical report was submitted (**Exhibit B**) giving an overview of the existing lots. A geotechnical report was not required pursuant to MSB 43.20.281(A)(1)(i)(ii) as this action is a lot line adjustment affecting less than 2,000 aggregate square feet.

Comments:

Alaska Department of Fish and Game (Exhibit C) has no objections.

MSB Department of Public Works (Exhibit D) has no objections.

MSB Development Services (Exhibit D) has no objections.

<u>Utilities</u>: (Exhibit F) Enstar has no comments or recommendations. GCI has no comments. MEA did not respond.

<u>Public:</u> Dan Tucker objects to the flag lot design and has concerns based on potential conflict, snow removal complications and future driveway access degradation.

At the time of staff report write-up, there were no responses to the Request for Comments from USACE; Community Council #22 Gateway; Fire Service Area #130 Central Mat-Su; Road Service Area #09 Midway; MSB Community Development, Emergency Services, Assessments, Planning Division; or MEA.

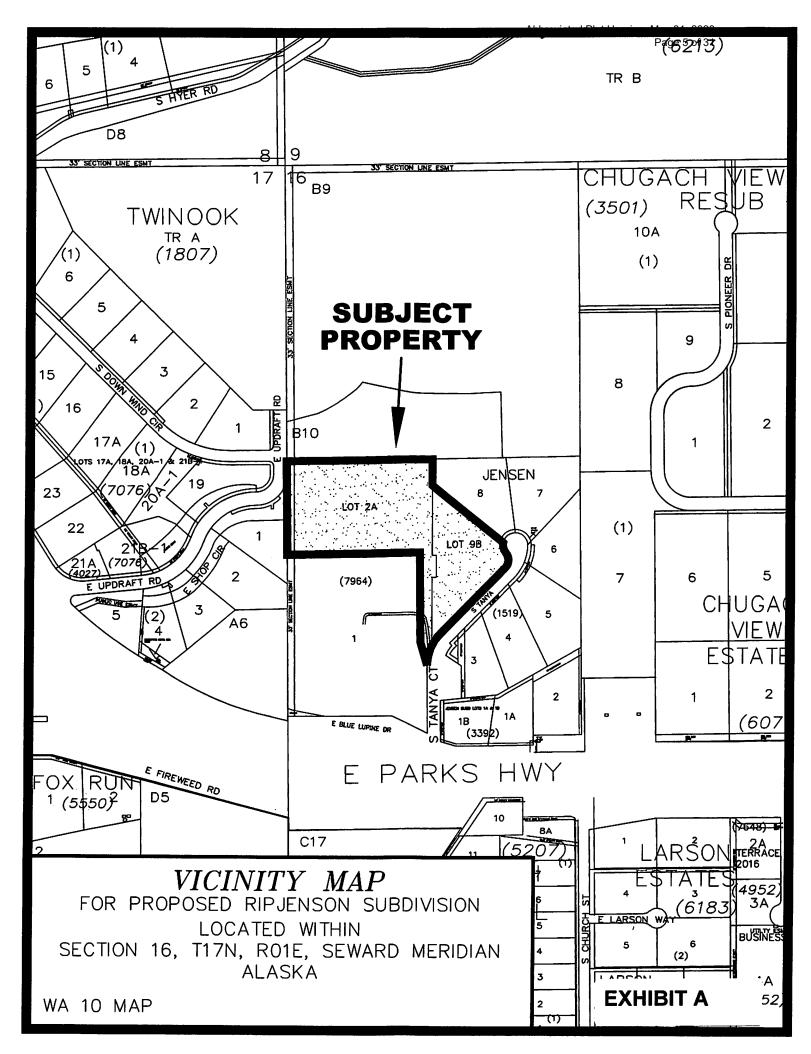
CONCLUSION: The abbreviated plat of RIPJENSON is consistent with AS 29.40.070 Platting Regulations and MSB 43.15.025 Abbreviated Plats. There were no objections from any federal or state agencies, Borough departments, or utilities. There was one objection to the plat from the public in response to the Notice of Public Hearing. Legal and physical access exists 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 exists, pursuant to MSB 43.20.320 Frontage. A soils report was submitted, pursuant to MSB 43.20.281(A)(1).

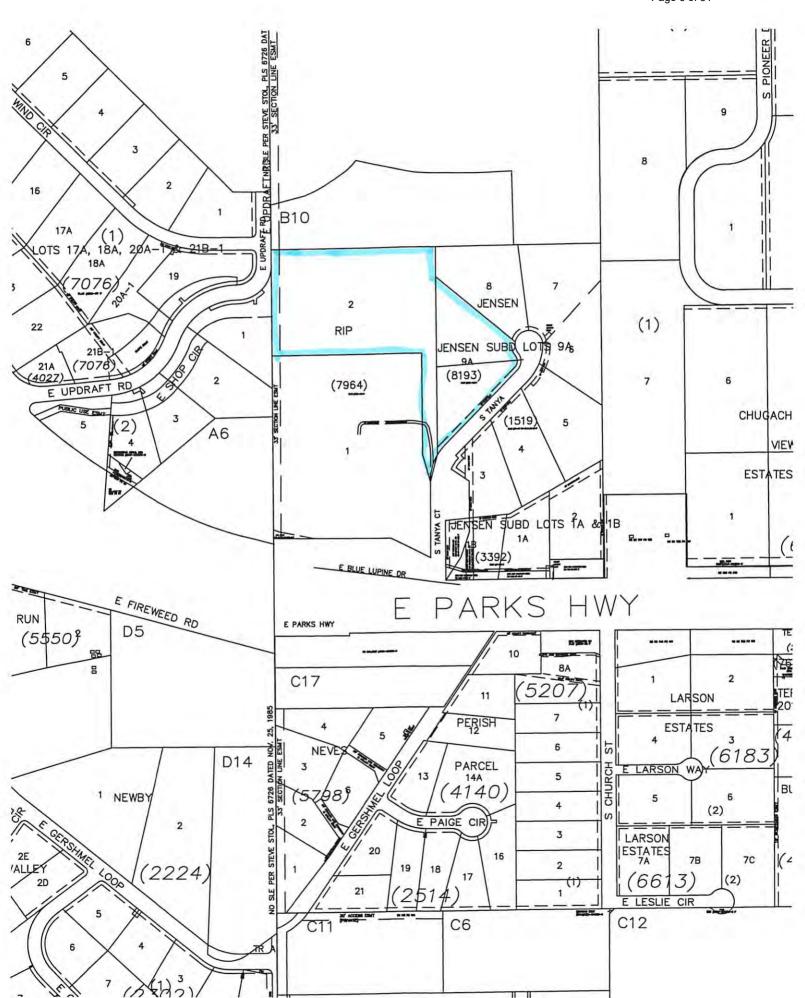
FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The plat of RIPJENSON is consistent with AS 29.40.070 Platting Regulations and MSB 43.15.025 Abbreviated Plats.
- 2. A soils report was submitted, pursuant to MSB 43.20.281(A)(1).
- 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; Community Council #22 Gateway; Fire Service Area #130 Central Mat-Su; Road Service Area #09 Midway; MSB Community Development, Emergency Services, Assessments, Planning Division; or MEA.
- 6. There were no objections from any federal or state agencies, or Borough departments.
- 7. There was one objection from the public in response to the Notice of Public Hearing.

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS OF CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL</u> for the abbreviated plat of RIPJENSON, Section 16, Township 17 North, Range 01 East, Seward Meridian, Alaska, contingent on staff recommendations:

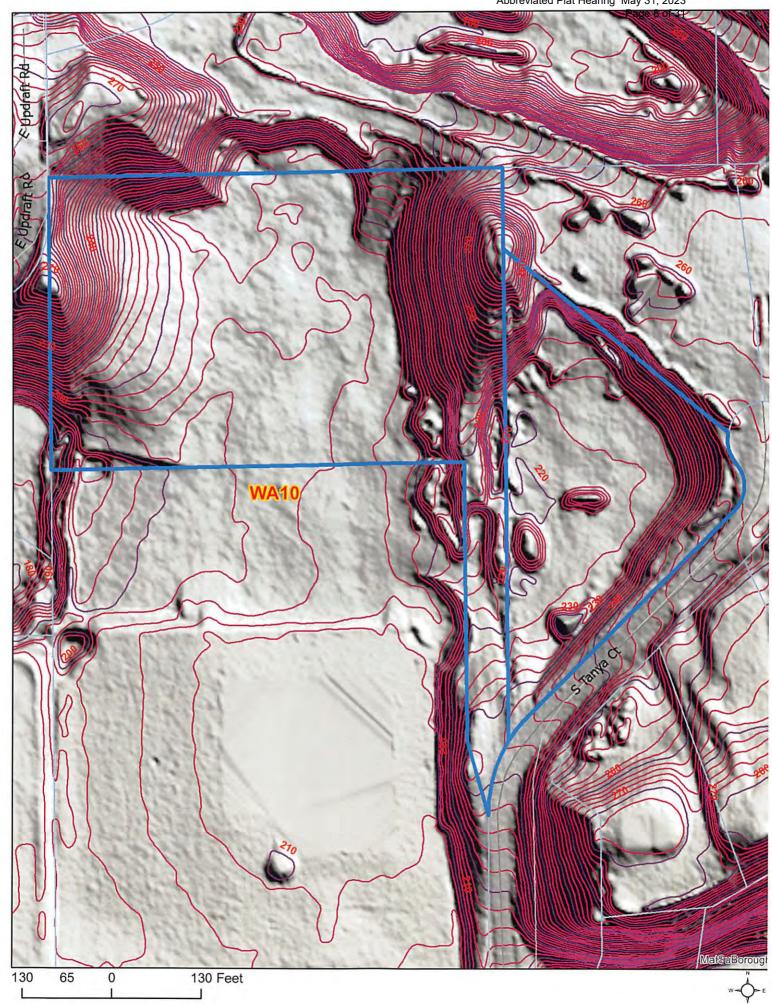
- 1. Taxes and special assessments must be paid in full for the year of recording, pursuant to MSB 43.15.053(F) and AS 40.15.020. Pay taxes and special assessments (LIDs), by CERTIFIED FUNDS OR CASH.
- 2. Provide updated Certificate to Plat executed within seven (7) days of recording of plat and submit 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. Submit recording fees, payable to Department of Natural Resources (DNR).
- 6. Submit final plat in full compliance with Title 43.







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Abbreviated Plat Hearing May 31, 2023



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PLATTING

April 23, 2023

Mr. Fred Wagner Platting Officer Matanuska-Susitna Borough 350 E. Dahlia Avenue Palmer, Alaska 99645

Subject: Lot 2 RIP Subdivision and Lot 9A, Jensen Subdivision

Preliminary Plat Application

Dear Mr. Wagner:

The purpose of this letter is to provide the preliminary plat for Lot 2, RIP Subdivision (1672 S. Tanya Court) and Lot 9A Jensen Subdivision (1600 S. Tanya Court). The plat is being completed to adjust the interior property line to provide the required setbacks for an existing fuel tank that is located on the site.

Property Information

McKenna Investments owns both Lot 2, RIP Subdivision and Lot 9A, Jensen(Plat 2021-133) Subdivision. Lot 9A is 2.99 acres and Lot 2 is 7.0 acres (Plat 2019-164). The lots are bounded by Tanya Court to the east, Swickard GMC of Palmer car dealership to the south, Palmer Electric's facility to the west and Quality Sand and Gravel's natural resource extraction operation to the north.

Current Site Conditions

Both lots are currently developed. Lot 9A contains an operations building and maintenance garage and a gravel parking area extends across both Lot 9A and Lot 2. A fuel tank is located on the interior property line. The fuel tank is located on a concrete pad that provides containment in the case of a spill. The site is served by an on-site well and septic system.

Soils Information

The site was previously developed and is served by well and septic system. Soils information from the original platting to create Lot 2 and 9A has been included as part of this plat. The sols report for RIP Subdivision was completed in 2019 and site was found to have soils suitable for supporting a soil absorption system that meets Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) requirements. The soils report for the Jensen Subdivision was completed in 1977 and the area was found to have soils suitable for supporting a soil absorption system that meets ADEC requirements.

Sincerely, DOWL

LaQuita Chmielowski, P.E., LEED AP Land Use Planning Manager

5900 W. Dewberry Dr Wasilla, AK 99623

SDCS, LLC STEINER DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION SERVICES. LLC

Phone: (907) 357-5609 Fax: (907) 357-5608

June 24, 2019

Fred Wagner Platting Officer Matanuska-Susitna Borough 350 E. Dahlia Ave. Palmer, AK 99645-6488



Re: Engineering Report-Rip Subdivision

Mr. Wagner,

This letter is to serve for the engineering report for the above referenced subdivision and platting action. The platting action is to replat two lots, totaling approximately 17.4 acres into two lots with different lots sizes than currently exists. Lot 1 will be 10.39 acres and lot 2 will be 7 acres. Lot 1 will contain an existing car dealership.

Lot 1 will have access from Blue Lupine Drive, as it currently does. Lot 2 will have access from Tanya Court. Both of these are existing roads. No new roads will be constructed as part of this platting action.

Soils Investigation

Soil information is needed to determine if existing soil conditions are suitable for onsite wastewater disposal systems. This includes soils capable of supporting a soil absorption system that meets all Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) requirements including offset requirements from groundwater and bedrock.

The proposed Lot 1 has an existing, functioning, septic system that serves the car dealership. A single test hole was excavated within proposed lot 2. There was a layer, approximately 3' thick, of silty sand with gravel and cobbles at the surface. Beneath this layer was encountered gravely sand with cobbles. The test hole was excavated to a depth of 12'. The gravely sand soils encountered are capable of supporting on-site septic systems. No groundwater was encountered in the test hole.

A diagram showing the layout of the lots and the locations of the test hole and a log of the test holes are included with this report.

Mr. Fred Wagner Matanuska-Susitna Borough Engineering Report – Rip Subdivision

Page 2 of 2

Drainage Plan and Site Topography

This platting action will not require new roads. As a result, the drainage patterns in this subdivision will not change from what currently exists.

The existing topography will allow construction on each lot and each lot has a minimum of 10,000 square feet of usable building area.

Summary

Based on the soils data and existing topography, there is a minimum of 10,000 square feet of contiguous septic area and a minimum of 10,000 square feet of usable building area within each of the proposed lots as required by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough.

The drainage pattern of the existing roads and topography will not be altered by this platting action.

Sincerely,

Dan Steiner, P.E.

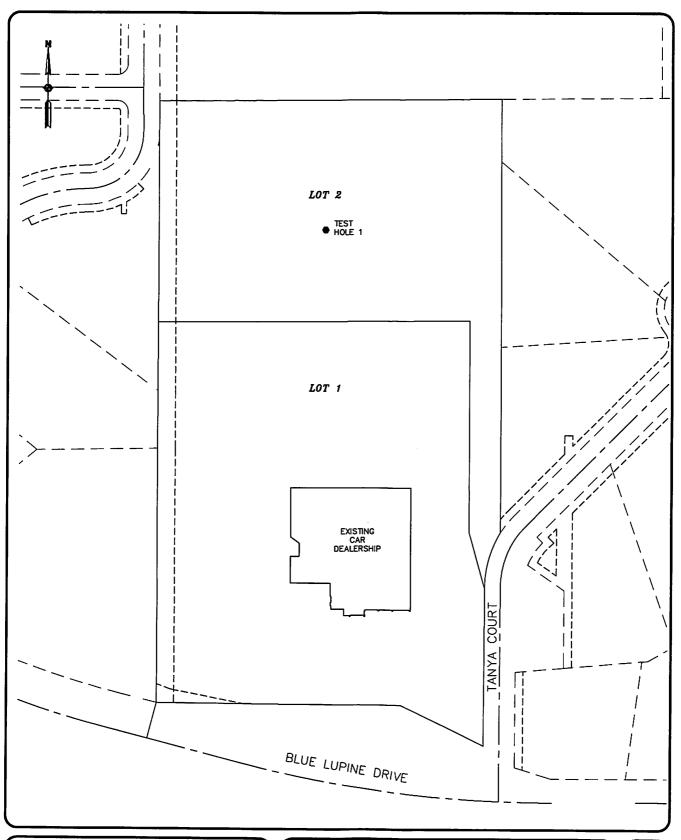
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ENGINEER'S REPORT

FIGURE

No. CE 9505

STEINER DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION SERVICES, LLC

5900 W. Dewberry Dr. Wasilla, AK 99654

TEST HOLE #

Phone: (907) 357-5609 Fax: (907) 357-5608

DATE: 6/24/2019

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John M. Lambe, P.E. 4303 North Star Street Anchorage, Alaska, 99503 907-279-8056

September 5, 1977

DeCamp-Brown Land Surveying P. U. Box 1120 Wasilla, Alaska, 99687

Attention: Richard K. DeCamp, L.S.

Subject: Soils Investigation - Jensen Subdivision

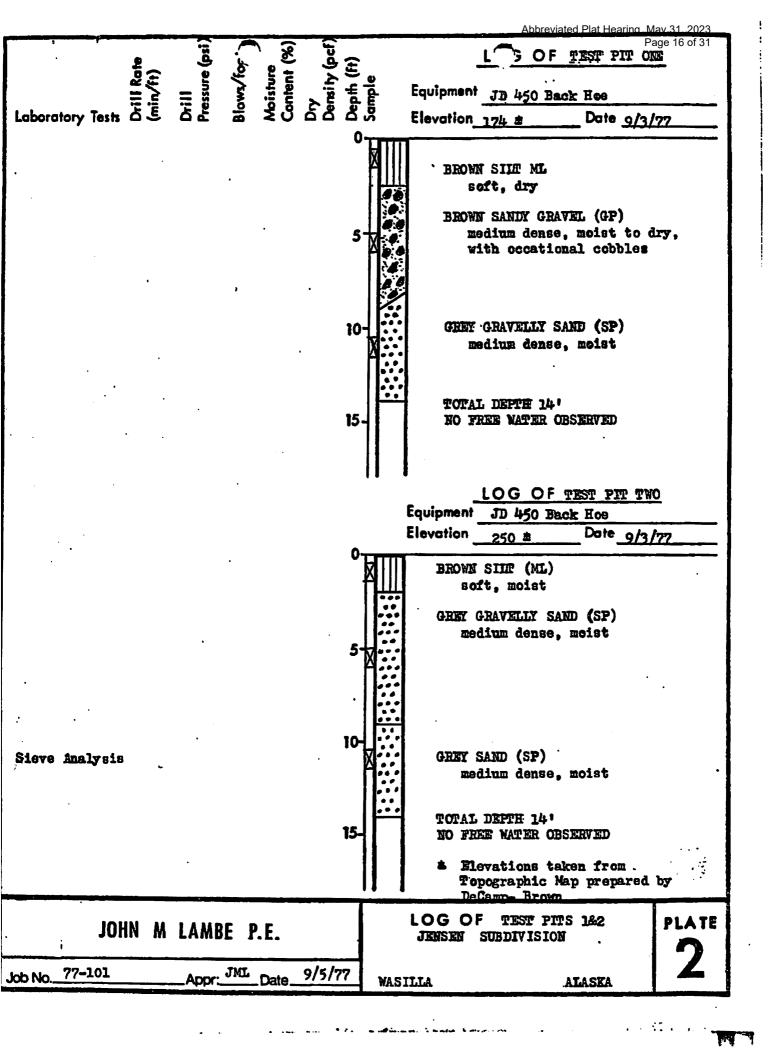
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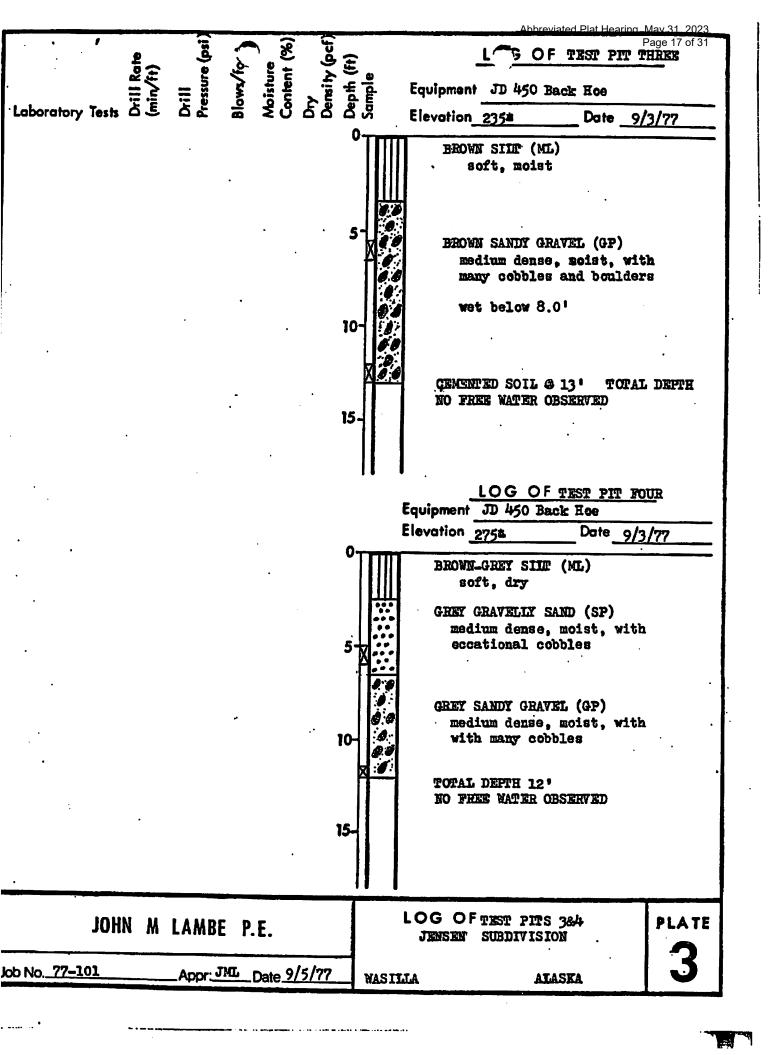
This report presents the results of the soils exploration that we preformed on September 3, 1977, for Jensen Subdivision. In accordance with your request, we discussed the soils exploration required of this site with Gary Garthwait of the State of Alaska Dept. of Environmental Conservation. Pursuant to this discussion, six test pits were dwg with a JD 450 track backnoe in the approximate locations shown on the preliminary plat. All soils encountered in these excavations were logged in the field by the writer, with the results presented on Plates 2-4. Sieve analyses were performed on selected samples with the results presented on Plate 5. All soils were classified in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System presented on Plate 5.

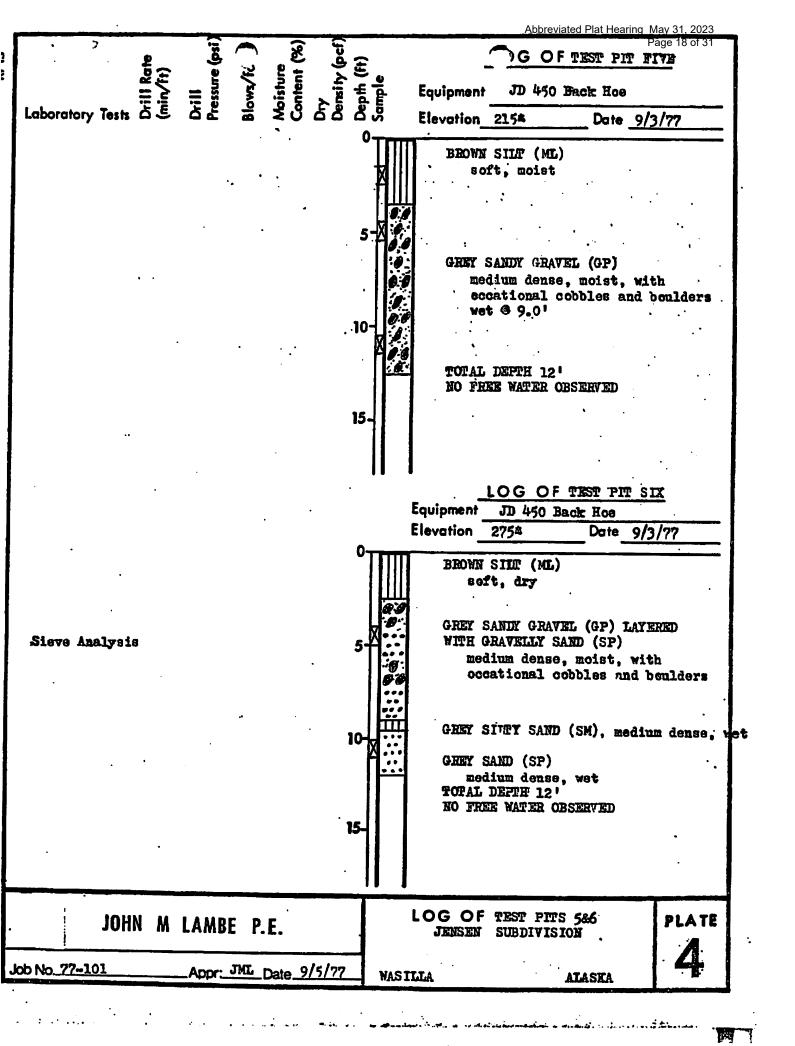
In accordance with the criteria presented in the Instructions for Subdivision Plan Review under 18 AAC 72.065, dated May 25, 1977, all areas tested have soils suitable to accept soil absorption wastewater disposal systems, and neither bedrock nor a free water level were encountered within the depth of exploration.

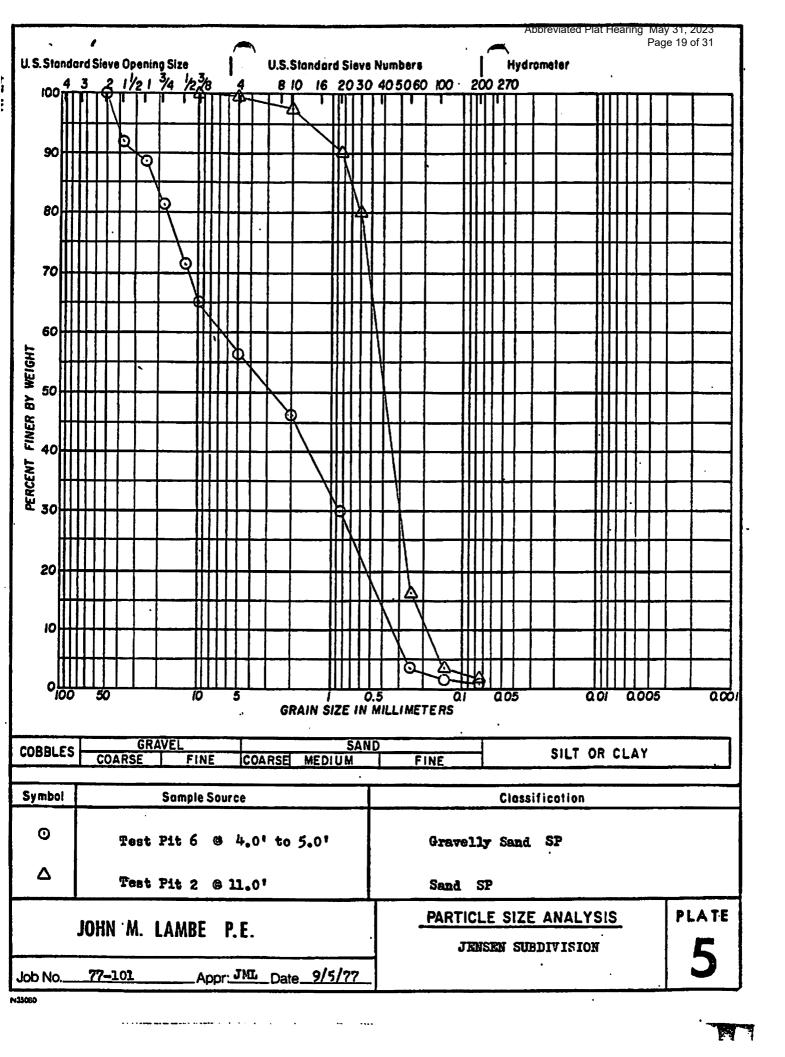
Very Truly Yours,

John m. Lambe, P.E. Civil Engineer 4254-E



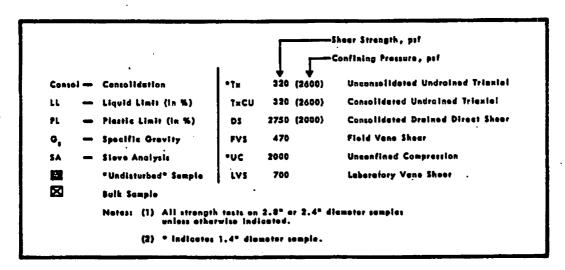






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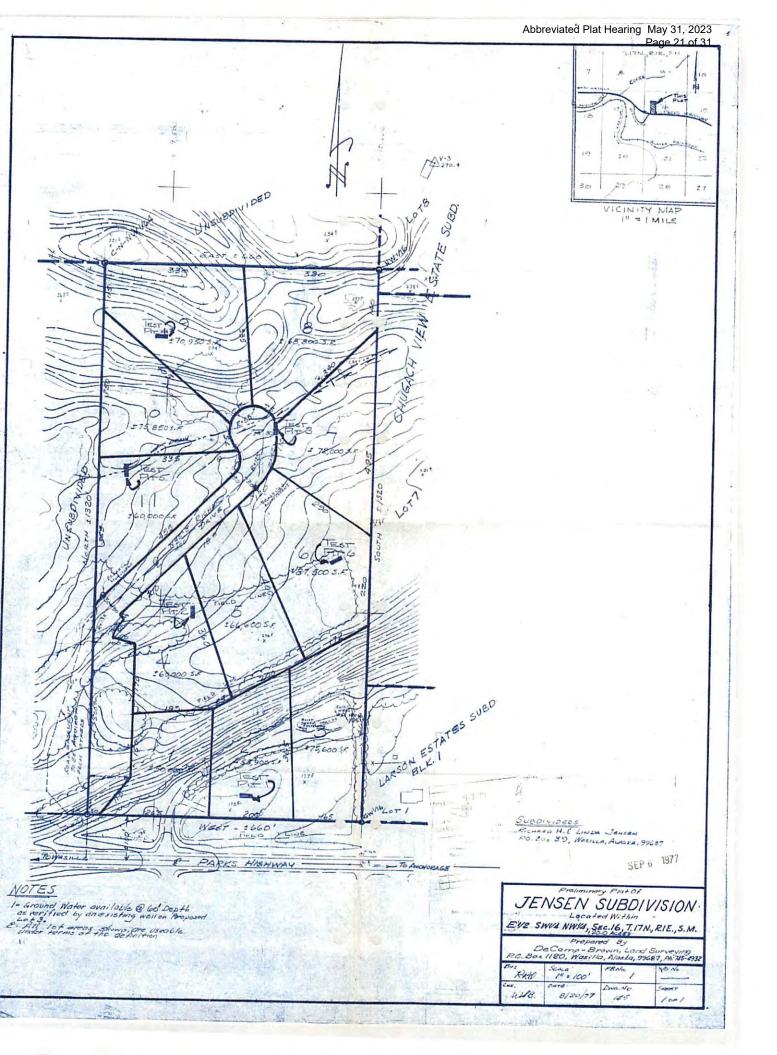
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From:

Moenaert, Crystal L (DFG) <crystal.moenaert@alaska.gov>

Sent:

Monday, May 8, 2023 8:44 AM

To:

Matthew Goddard

Subject:

RE: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

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Good Morning,

The ADF&G Habitat Section has reviewed the RFC packet and associated documents to the common lot lines between two lots to be known as RIPJENSON. Currently there are no anadromous or resident fish water bodies present within the boundaries of the subject property, and therefore a fish habitat permit is not required at this time. Should fish presence be discovered, please notify the ADF&G Habitat section at 907-861-3200.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Crystal Moenaert

Habitat Biologist 2 ADF&G Habitat Section 1801 S Margaret Drive, Suite 6 Palmer AK 99645 Ph: 907-861-3204

ADF&G Habitat Section Permits Link



From: Matthew Goddard < Matthew. Goddard @matsugov.us>

Sent: Tuesday, May 2, 2023 3:26 PM

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From: Percy, Colton T (DFG) <colton.percy@alaska.gov>

Sent: Monday, May 15, 2023 8:12 AM

To: Matthew Goddard

Subject: RE: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

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Hi Matthew,

Alaska Department of Fish and Game has reviewed the proposed platting action and has no objections. The proposed actions will not affect public access to public lands and waters. Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment.

Colton Percy

Habitat Biologist Access Defense Program

Alaska Department of Fish and Game Division of Wildlife Conservation 333 Raspberry Rd Anchorage, AK 99518 907-267-2118

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Hello,

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Please ensure all comments are submitted by May 15, 2023, so they can be incorporated in the staff report that will be presented to the Platting Officer.



Thank you,

From: Daniel Dahms

Sent: Wednesday, May 3, 2023 12:49 PM

To: Matthew Goddard

Cc: Jamie Taylor; Brad Sworts; Tammy Simmons

Subject: RE: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

Matthew,

PD&E has no comments.

Daniel Dahms, PE
Department of Public Works
Pre-Design and Engineering Division

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RIPJENSON

Thank you,

Matthew Goddard
Platting Technician
907-861-7881
Matthew.Goddard@matsugov.us

From: Permit Center

Sent: Tuesday, May 2, 2023 3:37 PM

To: Matthew Goddard

Subject: RE: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

No comment

Thank you,

Jennifer Monnin, CFM
Permit Technician
350 E Dahlia Ave
Palmer, AK 99645
Jennifer.monnin@matsugov.us
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Subject: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

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RIPJENSON

Thank you,

Matthew Goddard Platting Technician 907-861-7881

EXHIBIT E



ENSTAR Natural Gas Company, LLC

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

May 3, 2023

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 preliminary plat and has no comments or recommendations.

 RIPJENSON SUBDIVISION (MSB Case # 2023-050)

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

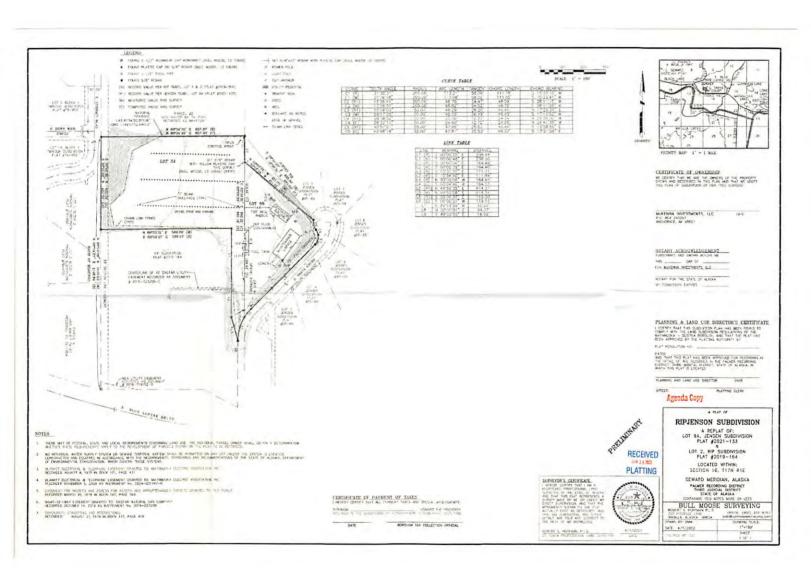
Sincerely,

James Christopher

Right of Way & Compliance Technician

ENSTAR Natural Gas Company, LLC

James Christopher



From: OSP Design Group <ospdesign@gci.com>

Sent: Tuesday, May 2, 2023 3:41 PM

To: Matthew Goddard Cc: OSP Design Group

Subject: RE: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

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GCI has no comment on this proposed subdivision

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Platting Technician
907-861-7881
Matthew.Goddard@matsugov.us

From: Cayla Ronken <cronken@mtasolutions.com>

Sent: Wednesday, May 3, 2023 9:19 AM

To: Matthew Goddard

Subject: RE: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

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Good morning,

MTA has reviewed RIPJENSON subdivision. MTA has no comments to add.

Thank you for reaching out,

Cayla Ronken, Right of Way Agent

1740 S. Chugach St., Palmer, Alaska 99645

Office: (907) 761-2465 | www.mtasolutions.com



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From: Dan Tucker <antiquetuck@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 3, 2023 6:54 PM

To: Matthew Goddard
Subject: Re: RFC RIPJENSON (MG)

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For years, as both an RSA and FSA board member I've fiercely despised and rejected any and all 'flag lot' platting for numerous practical and very real reasons of conflict avoidance. The rewrite of Title 43 to alter them even to what is allowed now is still not to my liking.

After living within the 'wind tunnel' that effects this general area, it also does not escape me that prevailing winds in this particular vicinity are south-westerly in direction and will naturally force any snow that is not moved to the northeast will cascade down the steep bank and encroach on the adjoining property owner on Lot 1. It will literally mandate a situation that will require the snow be plowed in the most unfavorable direction, with the obvious effects. This simply defies justification.

While both lots in this proposed replat happen to be owned and controlled by the same owner, it does not alter the fact that there is potential for the current and convenient 'seamless line' between them, eliminating unrestricted snow removal toward the northeast from the 'driveway (as plotted)', to become restricted.

Further, there is opportunity for the present owner of both lots to sell either lot, setting the stage for a clearly restricted and conflicted snow removal problem.

Likewise, natural erosion and gravity will tend to allow the steep embankment on the Lot 1 edge of the driveway of Lot 2A to slide downhill, narrowing the driveway/access for the rest of Lot 2A, possibly even to the degree of insufficient width to allow passage from Tanya Ct. to the bulk of the property. This would be unacceptable under all circumstances.

I can imagine that with the current owner of the properties being a road contractor, the problems with managing the situation presently is not a thought – it's simple for them to overlook because they've got the equipment to overcome it. But that sets a poor precedent for the future.

I would propose, if any changes to accommodate the stated problem are made that a 'land trade' be made. Replat the proposed 'leg' or 'flagpole driveway' of Lot 2 to Jenson Lot 9A and replat the lot line between Jensen lots 8 and 9 to be the driveway for access into Lot 2 (or 2A, as shown on the replat).

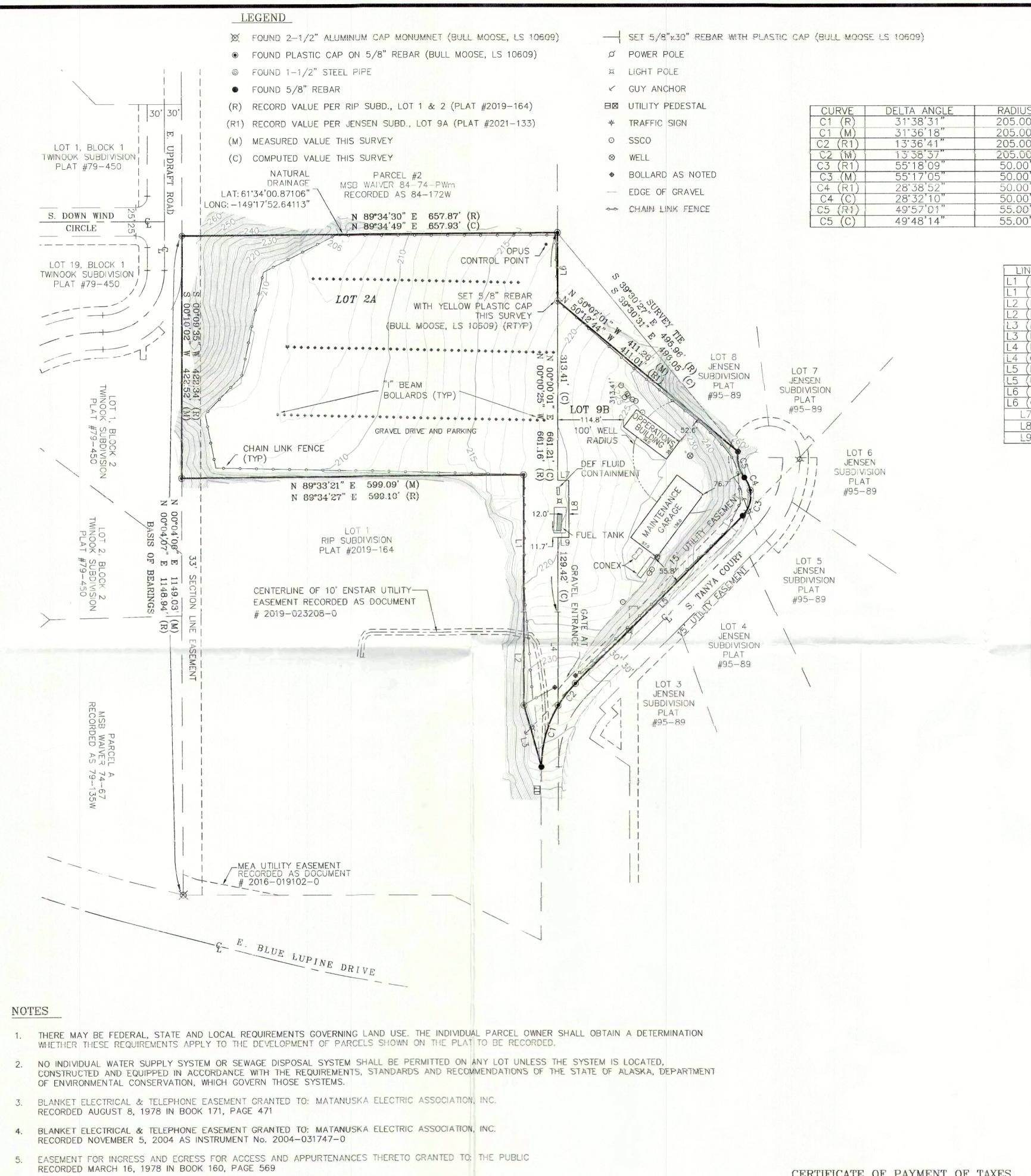
It just makes a lot more sense to me.

(My comment has not been through a RSA#9 Board review - it is my comment alone.)

Daniel J. Tucker RSA #9 Road Services Board Primary Member (907) 376-2630 home (907) 863-1313 cell MatSu Problem Reporter link

https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/166cb8a69f8441908700860c85bbc6ee

EXHIBIT G



RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT GRANTED TO: ENSTAR NATURAL GAS COMPANY

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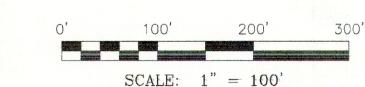
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COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS:

CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT OF TAXES I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ALL CURRENT TAXES AND SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS , AGAINST THE PROPERTY INCLUDED IN THE SUBDIVISION OR RESUBDIVISION HEREON HAVE BEEN PAID.

DATE

BOROUGH TAX COLLECTION OFFICIAL



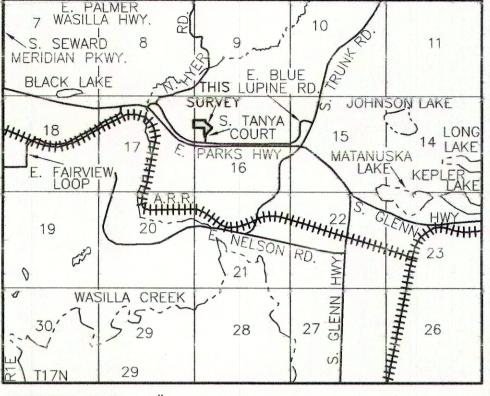
CURVE TABLE

CURVE	DELTA ANGLE	RADIUS	ARC LENGTH	TANGENT	CHORD LENGTH	CHORD BEARING
C1 (R)	31°38′31"	205.00'	113.21	58.09	111.78'	S 15°33'10" W
C1 (M)	31°36'18"	205.00	113.08	58.02	111.65	S 15°33'41" W
C2 (R1)	13°36'41"	205.00'	48.70'	24.47	48.59	S 38°11'15" W
C2 (M)	13°38'37"	205.00	48.82	24.52	48.70'	S 38'11'09" W
C3 (R1)	55°18'09"	50.00'	48.26	26.20'	46.41	N 17°20'31" E
C3 (M)	55°17'05"	50.00'	48.25	26.19	46.40'	S 17°13'02" W
C4 (R1)	28°38'52"	50.00'	25.00'	12.77	24.74	N 24°38'00" W
C4 (C)	28°32'10"	50.00'	24.90'	12.72	24.65	N 24°41'35" W
C5 (R1)	49°57'01"	55.00	47.95	25.62	46.44	S 13°58'56" E
C5 (C)	49°48'14"	55.00'	47.81	25.53	46.32	S 13°51'08" E

LINE TABLE

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
1 (R)	S 00°00'25" E	238.44
_1 (M)	S 00°00'48" E	238.40
_2 (R)	S 00°05'06" E	164.49
$_{2}$ (M)	S 00°05'29" E	164.46
3 (R) 3 (M)	S 15°35'37" E	111.71
_3 (M)	S 15°34'10" E	111.84
_4 (R)	N 00°05'06" W	164.45
_4 (C)	S 00°04'40" W	164.53
$_{-5}$ (R1)	N 44°59'35" E	414.37
_4 (C) _5 (R1) _5 (M)	N 44°59'06" E	414.34
$_{6}$ (R1)	S 00°06'07" E	119.00
_6 (R1) _6 (C)	S 00°00'01" W	119.01
L7	N 89°59'59" W	18.99
L8	N 00°00'01" E	99.37'
L9	S 89°59'59" E	18.99'





VICINITY MAP: 1" = 1 MILE

CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP

WE CERTIFY THAT WE ARE THE OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY SHOWN AND DESCRIBED IN THIS PLAN AND THAT WE ADOPT THIS PLAN OF SUBDIVISION BY OUR FREE CONSENT.

MCKENNA INVESTMENTS, LLC P.O. BOX 240007 ANCHORAGE, AK 99501

DATE

NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME

THIS _____ DAY OF _____

FOR MCKENNA INVESTMENTS, LLC

NOTARY FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

PLANNING & LAND USE DIRECTOR'S CERTIFICATE

I CERTIFY THAT THIS SUBDIVISION PLAN HAS BEEN FOUND TO COMPLY WITH THE LAND SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS OF THE MATANUSKA - SUSITNA BOROUGH, AND THAT THE PLAT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE PLATTING AUTHORITY BY

ATTEST:

PLAT RESOLUTION NO.

AND THAT THIS PLAT HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR RECORDING IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER IN THE PALMER RECORDING DISTRICT, THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT, STATE OF ALASKA, IN WHICH THIS PLAT IS LOCATED.

PLANNING AND LAND USE DIRECTOR

Agenda Copy

PLATTING CLERK

DATE

A PLAT OF

RIPJENSON SUBDIVISION

A REPLAT OF: LOT 9A, JENSEN SUBDIVISION

LOT 2, RIP SUBDIVISION

PLAT #2021-133

PLAT #2019-164 LOCATED WITHIN:

SECTION 16, T17N R1E

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THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

STATE OF ALASKA

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SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM A

REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR IN THE STATE OF ALASKA AND THAT THIS PLAT REPRESENTS A SURVEY MADE BY ME OR UNDER MY DIRECT SUPERVISION, AND THAT THE MONUMENTS SHOWN ON THE PLAT ACTUALLY EXIST AS DESCRIBED, AND THAT ALL DIMENSIONAL AND OTHER DETAILS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

ROBERT S. HOFFMAN, P.L.S.

4/7/2023 LS 10609 PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR