

# MEMO

TO:	George Binger, III Public Works Department 220 SE Green Street Lee's Summit, MO 64063
FROM:	Eric Shelton, PE & Emma Schneider, El
RE:	The Retreat at Hook Farms 2 <sup>nd</sup> Plat – Conditional Letter of Map Revision based on Fill Lee's Summit, MO – 2021
DATE:	June 17, 2021
PROJECT #:	A19-4059

#### **Description of Project:**

The Retreat at Hook Farms 2<sup>nd</sup> Plat is a residential development located in Lee's Summit, Missouri north of SW Hook Road. Mouse Creek Tributary M5 flows northwest on the north side of SW Hook Farms and the Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA) for Tributary M5 extends onto the east side of the proposed development. There are four (4) lots on the west side of Tributary M5 that will be located partially within the Zone AE floodplain from Tributary M5. The development is located within Section 23, Township 47N, Range 32W. The developer, Hunt Midwest Real Estate Development, Inc., has requested Olsson to assist in obtaining a Conditional Letter of Map Revision based on Fill (CLOMR-F) from FEMA which would show that the lots are going to be removed from the floodplain as a result of the proposed fill. Removing the lots from the floodplain will require the placement of compacted fill to elevate the lowest lot elevation above the highest base flood elevation touching the lot.

Provided are the submittal documents for the FEMA CLOMR-F requirements. **The attached MT-1 Form 3 must be signed by the community official prior to submittal to FEMA.** 

Any alteration of these documents renders them null and void. Please advise if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Eric Shelton, PE

# Forms

### **LOMC** Application

Application ID: 3753734599814

### Amendment

#### **Amendment Review**

-Property Information Form

Letter of Map Amendment Type: CLOMR-F

#### **Fill Section**

Has fill been placed on your property to raise ground that was previously below the BFE? No When was fill placed? Will fill be placed on your property to raise ground that is below the BFE? Yes

When will fill be placed? 06/2021

#### **Street Address of Property**

Address	Legal Description		
	Lot:	180	
	Block/Section:		
SW Heartland Lee's Summit, MO 64082	Subdivision:	The Retreat at Hook Farms Second Plat	
	Property Description:		
	Lot:	181	
	Block/Section:		
SW Heartland Lee's Summit, MO 64082	Subdivision:	The Retreat at Hook Farms Second Plat	
	Property Description:		

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	Property Description:	
	Lot:	183
	Block/Section:	
SW Heartland Lee's Summit, MO 64082	Subdivision:	The Retreat at Hook Farms Second Plat
	Property Description:	

#### Legal Description of Property

Requesting that a flood zone determination be completed for: A portion of land within the bounds of the property

Date of Construction:

Lot Type: Multiple lots

Number of structures:

Number of lots: 4

#### Applicant Information

Applicant Title:	Ms.
First Name:	Emma
Last Name:	Schneider
Address 1:	550 E St Louis St
Address 2:	
City:	Springfield
State, District or Territory:	MO
ZIP Code:	65806
Email Address:	eschneider@olsson.com
Company:	Olsson
Phone:	417-885-1737
Phone: Fax:	417-885-1737

#### DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY - FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY ELEVATION FORM

#### PAPERWORK BURDEN DISCLOSURE NOTICE

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	This form must be completed for requests and must be completed and signed by a registered professional engineer or licensed land surveyor. A DHS - FEMA National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Elevation Certificate may be submitted in lieu of this form for single structure requests.								
For requests to remove a structure on natural grade OR on engineered fill from the Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA), submit the lowest adjacent grade (the lowest ground touching the structure), <i>including an attached deck or garage</i> . For requests to remove an entire parcel of land from the SFHA, provide the lowest lot elevation; or, if the request involves an area described by metes and bounds, provide the lowest elevation within the metes and bounds description. All measurements are to be rounded to nearest tenth of a foot. In order to process your request, all information on this form must be completed <i>in its entirety</i> . Incomplete submissions will result in processing delays.									
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	Address	Lot Number	Block Number		Lowest Lot Elevation*	Lowest Adjacent Grade To Structure	Base I Eleva		BFE Source
This certification is to be signed and sealed by a licensed land surveyor, registered professional engineer, or architect authorized by law to certify elevation information. All documents submitted in support of this request are correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, Section 1001. Certifier's Name: License No.: Expiration Date:									
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Company Name:			Telephone No.:		<u> </u>		
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# **Exhibits**

## NOTES TO USERS

This map is for use in administering the National Flood Insurance Program. It does not necessarily identify all areas subject to flooding, particularly from local drainage sources of small size. The **community map repository** should be consulted for possible updated or additional flood hazard information.

To obtain more detailed information in areas where **Base Flood Elevations** (BFEs) and/or **floodways** have been determined, users are encouraged to consult the Flood Profiles and Floodway Data and/or Summary of Stillwater Elevations tables contained within the Flood Insurance Study (FIS) Report that accompanies this FIRM. Users should be aware that BFEs shown on the FIRM represent rounded whole-foot elevations. These BFEs are intended for flood elevation information. Accordingly, flood elevation data presented in the FIS Report should be utilized in conjunction with the FIRM for purposes of construction and/or floodplain management.

Boundaries of the **floodways** were computed at cross sections and interpolated between cross sections. The floodways were based on hydraulic considerations with regard to requirements of the National Flood Insurance Program. Floodway widths and other pertinent floodway data are provided in the Flood Insurance Study Report for this jurisdiction.

Certain areas not in Special Flood Hazard Areas may be protected by **flood control structures**. Refer to Section 2.4 "Flood Protection Measures" of the Flood Insurance Study Report for information on flood control structures for this jurisdiction.

The **projection** used in the preparation of this map was Missouri State Plane West Zone (FIPS zone 2403). The **horizontal datum** was NAD 83, GRS 1980 spheroid. Differences in datum, spheroid, projection or UTM zones used in the production of FIRMs for adjacent jurisdictions may result in slight positional differences in map features across jurisdiction boundaries. These differences do not affect the accuracy of this FIRM.

Flood elevations on this map are referenced to the North American Vertical Datum of 1988. These flood elevations must be compared to structure and ground elevations referenced to the same **vertical datum**. For information regarding conversion between the National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929 and the North American Vertical Datum of 1988, visit the National Geodetic Survey website at <u>http://www.ngs.noaa.gov</u> or contact the National Geodetic Survey at the following address:

NGS Information Services NOAA, N/NGS12 National Geodetic Survey SSMC-3, #9202 1315 East-West Highway Silver Spring, Maryland 20910-3282 (301) 713-3242

To obtain current elevation, description, and/or location information for **bench marks** shown on this map, please contact the Information Services Branch of the National Geodetic Survey at **(301) 713- 3242**, or visit its website at <u>http://www.ngs.noaa.gov</u>.

**Base map** information shown on this FIRM was derived from the U.S.D.A Farm Service National Agriculture ImageryProgram (NAIP) dated 2014. Produced at scale of 1:24,000.

The **profile baselines** depicted on this map represent the hydraulic modeling baselines that match the flood profiles in the FIS report. As a result of improved topographic data, the **profile baseline**, in some cases, may deviate significantly from the channel centerline or appear outside the SFHA.

Based on updated topographic information, this map reflects more detailed and up-to-date **stream channel configurations and floodplain delineations** than those shown on the previous FIRM for this jurisdiction. As a result, the Flood Profiles and Floodway Data tables for multiple streams in the Flood Insurance Study Report (which contains authoritative hydraulic data) may reflect stream channel distances that differ from what is shown on the map. Also, the road to floodplain relationships for unrevised streams may differ from what is shown on previous maps.

**Corporate limits** shown on this map are based on the best data available at the time of publication. Because changes due to annexations or de-annexations may have occurred after this map was published, map users should contact appropriate community officials to verify current corporate limit locations.

Please refer to the separately printed **Map Index** for an overview map of the county showing the layout of map panels; community map repository addresses; and a Listing of Communities table containing National Flood Insurance Program dates for each community as well as a listing of the panels on which each community is located.

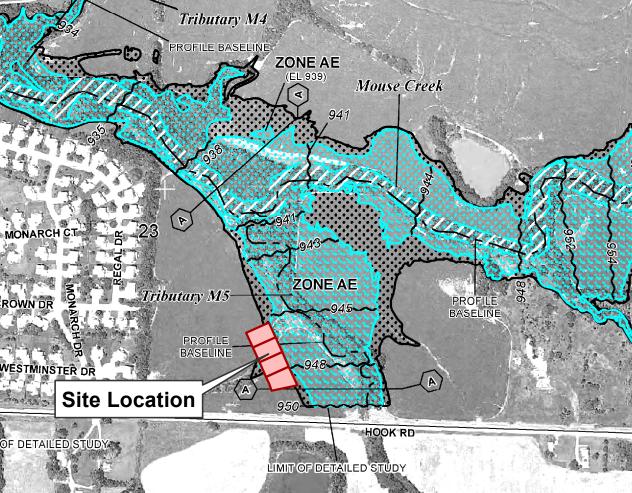
For information on available products associated with this FIRM visit the **Map Service Center (MSC)** website at <u>http://msc.fema.gov.</u> Available products may include previously issued Letters of Map Change, a Flood Insurance Study Report, and/or digital versions of this map. Many of these products can be ordered or obtained directly from the MSC website.

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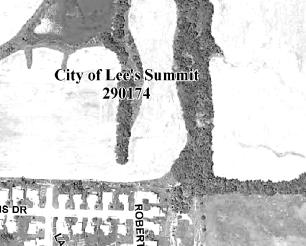
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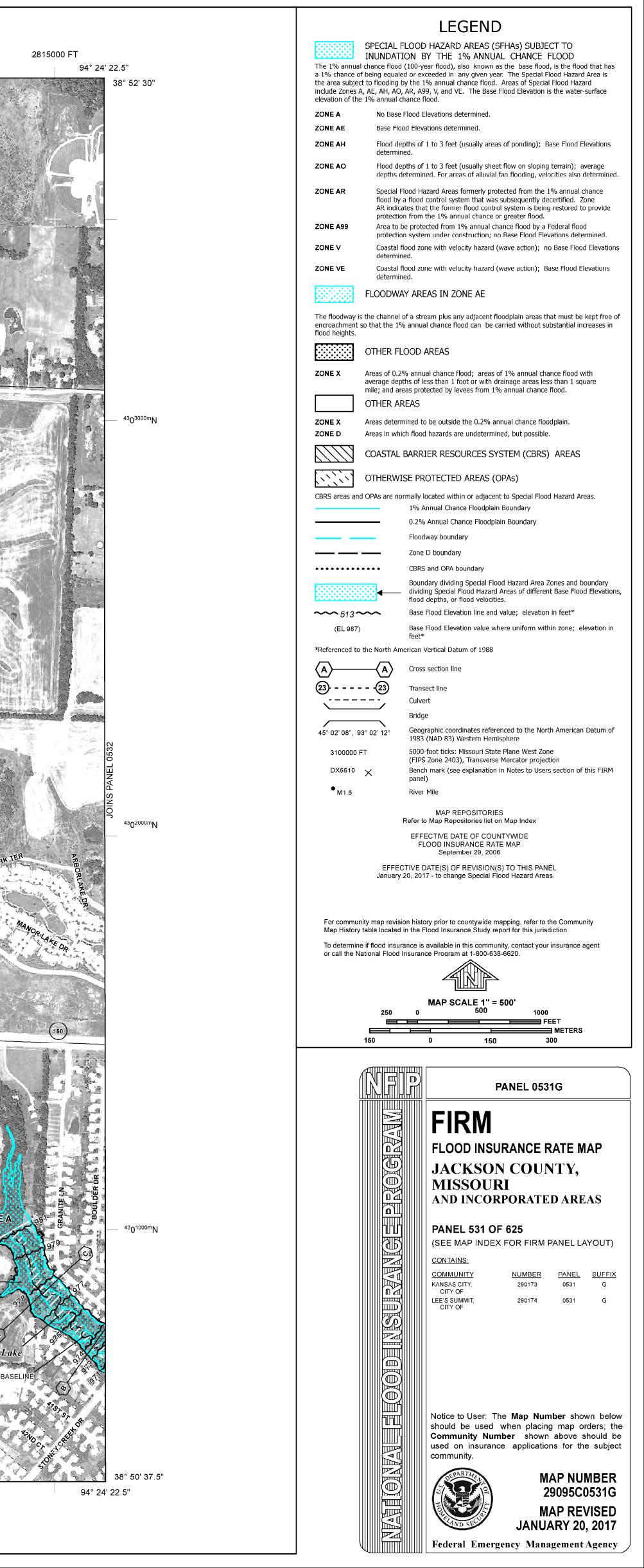


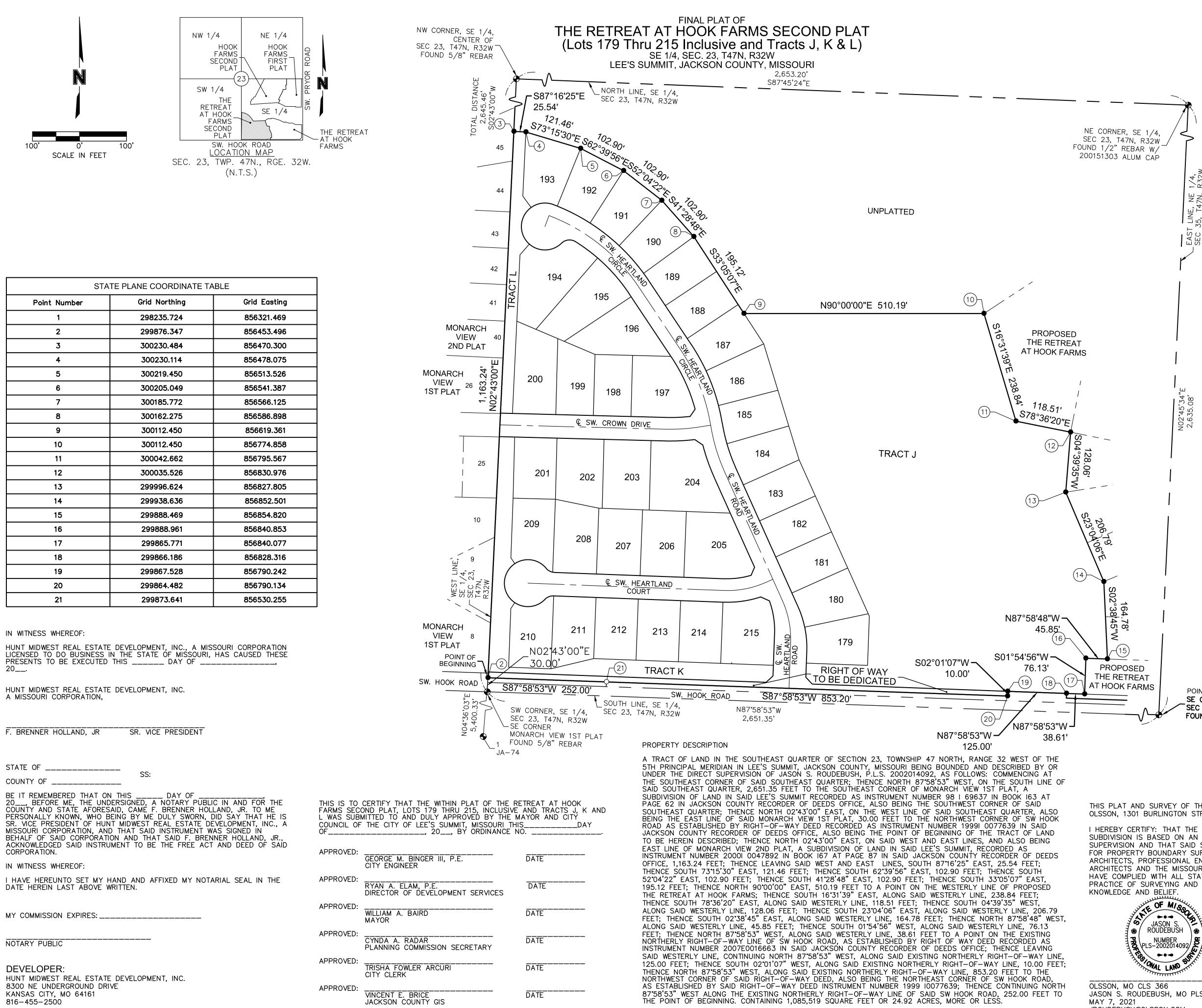
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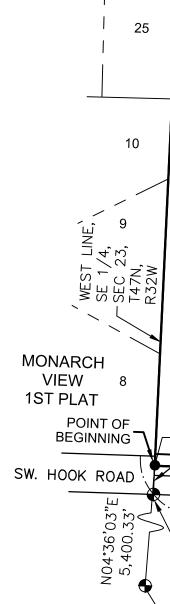


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STATE PLANE COORDINATE TABLE				
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3	300230.484	856470.300		
4	300230.114	856478.075		
5	300219.450	856513.526		
6	300205.049	856541.387		
7	300185.772	856566.125		
8	300162.275	856586.898		
9	300112.450	856619.361		
10	300112.450	856774.858		
11	300042.662	856795.567		
12	300035.526	856830.976		
13	299996.624	856827.805		
14	299938.636	856852.501		
15	299888.469	856854.820		
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17	299865.771	856840.077		
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20	299864.482	856790.134		
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APPROVED:	GEORGE M. BINGER III, P.E. CITY ENGINEER
APPROVED:	RYAN A. ELAM, P.E. DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES
APPROVED:	WILLIAM A. BAIRD MAYOR
APPROVED:	CYNDA A. RADAR PLANNING COMMISSION SECRETARY
APPROVED:	TRISHA FOWLER ARCURI CITY CLERK
APPROVED:	VINCENT E. BRICE JACKSON COUNTY GIS

PLAT DEDICATION:

THE UNDERSIGNED OWNERS OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED TRACT OF LAND HAVE CAUSED THE SAME TO BE SUBDIVIDED IN THE MANNER AS SHOWN ON THE ACCOMPANYING PLAT, WHICH SUBDIVISION AND PLAT SHALL HEREAFTER BE KNOWN AS:

THE RETREAT AT HOOK FARMS SECOND PLAT (LOTS 179 THRU 215, INCLUSIVE AND TRACTS J, K AND L)

EASEMENT DEDICATION: AN EASEMENT IS HEREBY GRANTED TO CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, TO LOCATE, CONSTRUCT AND MAINTAIN OR TO AUTHORIZE THE LOCATION, CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF POLES, WIRES, ANCHORS, CONDUITS, AND/OR STRUCTURES FOR WATER, GAS, SANITARY SEWER, STORM SEWER, SURFACE DRAINAGE CHANNEL, ELECTRICITY, TELEPHONE, CABLE TELEVISION, OR ANY OTHER NECESSARY PUBLIC UTILITY OR SERVICES, ANY OR ALL OF THEM, UPON, OVER, OR UNDER THOSE AREAS OUTLINED OR DESIGNATED UPON THIS PLAT AS "UTILITY EASEMENT" (U.E.) OR WITHIN ANY STREET OR THOROUGHFARE DEDICATED TO PUBLIC USE ON THIS PLAT. THE GRANTOR, ON BEHALF OF HIMSELF, HIS HEIRS, HIS ASSIGNS AND SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST, HEREBY WAIVES, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, SECTION 527.188 RSMO. (2006) ANY RIGHT TO REQUEST RESTORATION OF RIGHTS PREVIOUSLY TRANSFERRED AND VACATION OF THE EASEMENTS HEREIN GRANTED.

#### STREET DEDICATION:

THE ROADS AND STREETS SHOWN ON THIS PLAT AND NOT HERETOFORE DEDICATED TO PUBLIC USE AS THOROUGHFARES, ARE HEREBY SO DEDICATED.

**BUILDING LINES:** BUILDING LINES OR SETBACK LINES ARE HEREBY ESTABLISHED AS SHOWN ON THE ACCOMPANYING PLAT AND NO BUILDINGS OR PORTION THEREOF SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED BETWEEN THIS LINE AND THE STREET RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE.

FLOODPLAIN:

ACCORDING TO "FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP" COMMUNITY PANEL NO. 29095C0531G REVISED JANUARY 20, 2017, AS PUBLISHED BY THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, THIS PROPERTY LIES WITHIN "ZONE X" (AREAS DETERMINED TO BE OUTSIDE THE 0.2% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOODPLAIN) and ZONE "AE" (THE 1% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD (100-YEAR FLOOD), ALSO KNOWN AS THE BASE FLOOD, IS THE FLOOD THAT HAS A 1% CHANCE OF BEING EQUALED OR EXCEEDED IN ANY GIVEN YEAR.

#### OIL AND GAS WELLS:

THERE IS NO VISIBLE EVIDENCE, THIS DATE, OF ABANDON OIL, OR GAS WELLS LOCATED WITHIN THE PROPERTY BOUNDARY, AS IDENTIFIED IN "MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, STATE OIL AND GAS COUNCIL - WELLS AS OF FEBRUARY 1, 2017".

#### COMMON AREA: TRACTS J, K AND L (10.81 ACRES)

TRACTS J. K AND L ARE HEREBY RESERVED AS COMMON AREA AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED AND OWNED BY THE HOOK FARMS HOMES ASSOCIATION. DURING THE PERIOD IN WHICH THE DEVELOPER MAINTAINS EFFECTIVE CONTROL OF THE BOARD OF THE CONDOMINIUM OR PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, OR OTHER ENTITY APPROVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY, THE DEVELOPER SHALL REMAIN JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY LIABLE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OBLIGATIONS OF THE CONDOMINIUM OR PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION.

#### RESTRICTED ACCESS:

TRACTS J AND K SHALL NOT HAVE DIRECT VEHICULAR ACCESS TO SW. HOOK ROAD. DRAINAGE NOTE:

INDIVIDUAL LOT OWNER(S) SHALL NOT CHANGE OR OBSTRUCT THE DRAINAGE FLOW PATHS ON THE LOTS AS SHOWN ON THE MASTER DRAINAGE PLAN, UNLESS SPECIFIC APPLICATION IS MADE AND APPROVED BY THE CITY ENGINEER.

ALL STORM WATER CONVEYANCE, RETENTION OR DETENTION FACILITIES TO BE LOCATED ON COMMON PROPERTY SHALL BE OWNED AND MAINTAINED BY THE (PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION, HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARDS SET FORTH IN THE COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS. THESE STORMWATER DETENTION FACILITIES SHALL BE INSPECTED BY THE (PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCATION, HOWEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, OR OWNER, AS APPROPRIATE) ON FREQUENCY SPECIFIED IN THE CURRENT CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION MANUAL, TO ASSURE THAT ALL INLET AND OUTLET STRUCTURES ARE FULLY-FUNCTIONAL, THE DETENTION BASIN HAS FULL STORAGE CAPACITY AND ALL LANDSCAPING, VEGETATION AND STRUCTURAL IMPROVEMENTS ARE BEING MAINTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE

#### SURVEYORS NOTES:

1. PROPERTY INFORMATION REFERENCING THIS SURVEY WAS TAKEN FROM THE COMMITMENT FOR TITLE INSURANCE REPORT, ISSUED BY KANSAS CITY TITLE, COMMITMENT NO. KCT-234779 EFFECTIVE MARCH 26, 2021 AT 8:00 A.M.

2. BEARINGS USED HEREON ARE BASED ON THE MISSOURI STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM, NAD 1983, WEST ZONE USING MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES MONUMENT "JA-74" WITH A GRID FACTOR OF 0.9998961. ALL COORDINATES SHOWN ARE IN METERS.

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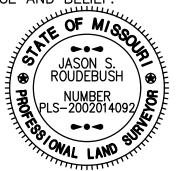
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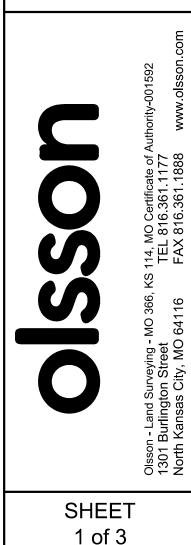
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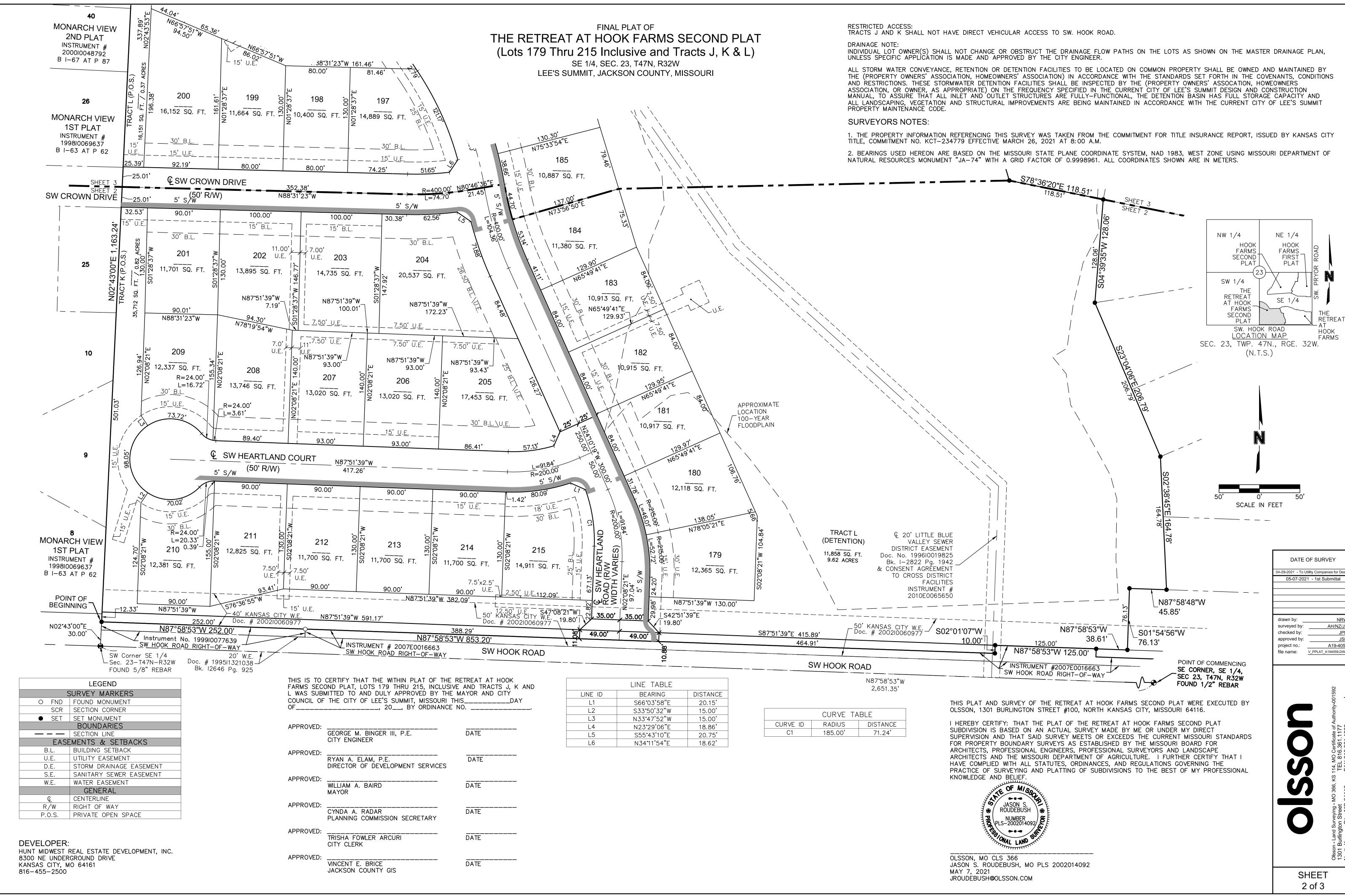
THIS PLAT AND SURVEY OF THE RETREAT AT HOOK FARMS SECOND PLAT WERE EXECUTED BY OLSSON, 1301 BURLINGTON STREET #100, NORTH KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI 64116.

I HEREBY CERTIFY: THAT THE PLAT OF THE RETREAT AT HOOK FARMS SECOND PLAT SUBDIVISION IS BASED ON AN ACTUAL SURVEY MADE BY ME OR UNDER MY DIRECT SUPERVISION AND THAT SAID SURVEY MEETS OR EXCEEDS THE CURRENT MISSOURI STANDARDS FOR PROPERTY BOUNDARY SURVEYS AS ESTABLISHED BY THE MISSOURI BOARD FOR ARCHITECTS, PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS AND THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT I HAVE COMPLIED WITH ALL STATUTES, ORDINANCES, AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE PRACTICE OF SURVEYING AND PLATTING OF SUBDIVISIONS TO THE BEST OF MY PROFESSIONAL



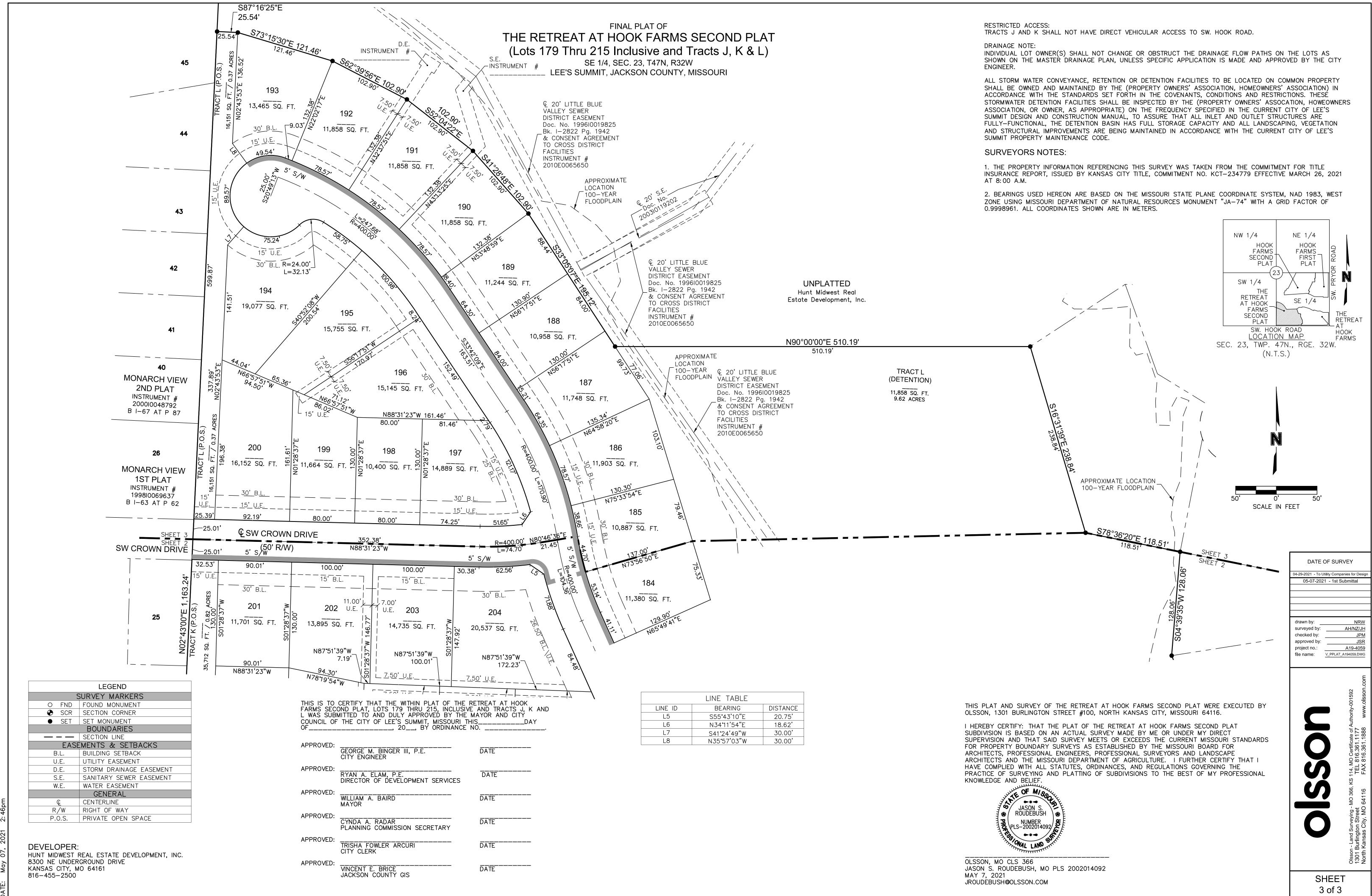
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#### GENERAL NOTES:

1. CONTRACTOR SHALL ADHERE TO THE "DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION MANUAL" SECTION 2100 AS ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT (LATEST EDITION), FOR EXCAVATION AND EMBANKMENT WORK WITHIN THE PROPOSED RIGHT-OF-WAY.

2. AREAS OF CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE STRIPPED OF ALL VEGETATION, ORGANIC MATTER AND TOPSOIL TO A DEPTH AS RECOMMENDED BY GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER AND OR TESTING AGENCY. SOILS REMOVED DURING SITE STRIPPING SHOULD BE EVALUATED TO DETERMINE IF PORTIONS OF THE TOPSOIL STRATUM MAY BE UTILIZED AS STRUCTURAL FILL WITHIN PAVEMENT AREAS. ANY MATERIAL NOT DEEMED AS SUITABLE FILL MATERIAL BY THE GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER AND OR TESTING AGENCY SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE JOB SITE BY THE CONTRACTOR AT HIS EXPENSE.

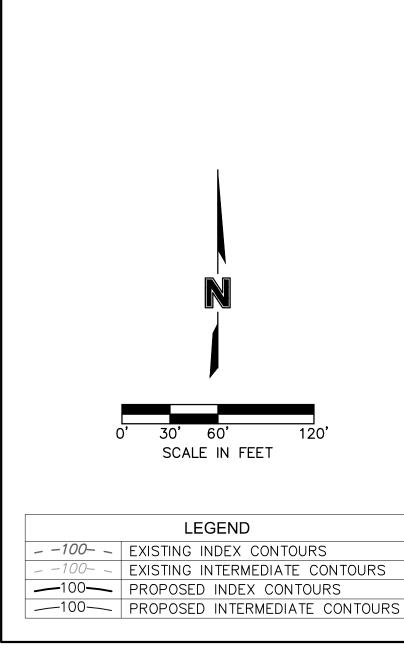
3. ALL EMBANKMENT OUTSIDE OF RIGHT-OF-WAY SHOULD BE PLACED IN CONTROLLED LIFTS HAVING A MAXIMUM LOOSE LIFT THICKNESS OF 8". EMBANKMENT SHOULD BE COMPACTED TO A MINIMUM OF 95% OF THE MATERIALS MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY AS DETERMINED BY ASTM D-698 (STANDARD PROCTOR COMPACTION). MOISTURE CONTENT OF THE FILL AT THE TIME OF COMPACTION SHALL BE WITHIN A RANGE OF -0 TO +4 PERCENT OF OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT.

EARTHWORK	QUANTITIES
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LOCATION	CUT (C.Y.)	FILL (C.Y.)			
STREET	4,389	9,192			
SITE	45,873	31,198			
TOTAL	50,262	40,390			

EARTHWORK QUANTITIES NOTES: 1. EARTHWORK QUANTITIES BASED ON FINISHED GRADE SURFACE AND DO NOT INCLUDE ADJUSTMENTS FOR TOPSOIL AND SHRINKAGE.

2. EARTHWORK QUANTITIES DO NOT TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION EXCAVATION, REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL OF MATERIAL DEEMED UNSUITABLE BY A GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER. THE EARTHWORK CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR EXCAVATION, REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL OF UNSUITABLE MATERIAL AND FOR REPLACING IT WITH SUITABLE MATERIAL.





# ESA



June 3, 2021

Public Works Department 220 SE Green Street Lee's Summits, MO 64063

Dear George Binger, III

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that Olsson has completed the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's (USFWS) Section 7 Decision Process for "No Effect" Determinations for the proposed development of Hook Farms 2<sup>nd</sup> Plat, lots 180 through 183 in Lee's Summit, Missouri.

In accordance with Section 7 guidelines, Olsson obtained an official species list for the action area of the proposed development site using the USFWS Information for Planning and Consultation (IPaC) tool. The species lists contained three threatened or endangered species: gray bats, Indiana bats, and northern long-eared bats. Using the USFWS Decision Process for "No Effect" Determinations, Olsson concluded that development of Hook Farms 2<sup>nd</sup> Plat, lots 179 through 182, will have No Effect on listed species because, while the development includes tree removal, trees will be cleared during the winter months to avoid take of listed bats that could be using the trees for summer roost habitat.

There is **no potential for take** to occur to threatened and endangered gray bats, Indiana bats, and northern long-eared bats in Jackson County, Missouri, as a result of the project.

Attached to this letter is documentation of Olsson's "No Effect" determination, as well as an official USFWS IPaC species list for the action area. Should you require any further information or have additional questions, please contact me at 417.885.1705, or by email at eshelton@olsson.com.

Sincerely,

Eric Shelton, PE Senior Engineer, Olsson

# **S7 Consultation Technical Assistance** Decision Process for "No Effect" Determinations

**FEMA: Conditional Letter of Map Revision (CLOMR) Projects - Step 6 Step 6.** "No Effect" Determination and Documentation

Date: 6/3/2021

Title of Project: The Retreat at Hook Farms - Lee's Summit, Missouri

**Brief Description of Project:** Residential development of four, quarter acre lots within the Hook Farms 2<sup>nd</sup> Plat on SW Hook Road in Lee's Summit, Jackson County, Missouri. Tree removal will be required, and the clearing will take place in the winter months.

In conclusion of the Region 3 Section 7 Step-by-Step guidance, you have determined that the action for which you are seeking a Conditional Letter of Map Revision (or CLOMR-F) will have no effect on listed species because it meets one of the following criteria.

- Is located entirely within a "developed area" (an area that is paved or supports structures and vegetation limited to grass or conventional landscaping),
- Suitable habitat is not present in the action area of your project, or
- Suitable habitat is present, but current data (e.g., surveys) indicate species and critical habitat are absent from the action area. (Documentation of survey or other evidence is attached to this form).

Based on these characteristics, a "No Effect" determination is appropriate because the project will not occur within suitable habitat for any listed species, no habitat disturbance is anticipated, or listed species are *known* to not occur within the action area. Hence, no listed species or designated critical habitat is anticipated to be directly or indirectly affected by this action.



### United States Department of the Interior

FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE Missouri Ecological Services Field Office 101 Park Deville Drive Suite A Columbia, MO 65203-0057 Phone: (573) 234-2132 Fax: (573) 234-2181



May 17, 2021

In Reply Refer To: Consultation Code: 03E14000-2021-SLI-1567 Event Code: 03E14000-2021-E-04155 Project Name: Hook Farms 2nd Plat

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project location or may be affected by your proposed project

To Whom It May Concern:

This response has been generated by the Information, Planning, and Conservation (IPaC) system to provide information on natural resources that could be affected by your project. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) provides this response under the authority of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543), the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668-668d), the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703-712), and the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act (16 U.S.C. 661 et seq.).

#### **Threatened and Endangered Species**

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirement for obtaining a Technical Assistance Letter from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS-IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS-IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

#### **Consultation Technical Assistance**

Refer to the Midwest Region <u>S7 Technical Assistance</u> website for step-by-step instructions for making species determinations and for specific guidance on the following types of projects: projects in developed areas, HUD, pipelines, buried utilities, telecommunications, and requests for a Conditional Letter of Map Revision (CLOMR) from FEMA.

#### **Federally Listed Bat Species**

Indiana bats, gray bats, and northern long-eared bats occur throughout Missouri and the information below may help in determining if your project may affect these species.

*Gray bats* - Gray bats roost in caves or mines year-round and use water features and forested riparian corridors for foraging and travel. If your project will impact caves, mines, associated riparian areas, or will involve tree removal around these features – particularly within stream corridors, riparian areas, or associated upland woodlots –gray bats could be affected.

Indiana and northern long-eared bats - These species hibernate in caves or mines only during the winter. In Missouri the hibernation season is considered to be November 1 to March 31. During the active season in Missouri (April 1 to October 31) they roost in forest and woodland habitats. Suitable summer habitat for Indiana bats and northern long-eared bats consists of a wide variety of forested/wooded habitats where they roost, forage, and travel and may also include some adjacent and interspersed non-forested habitats such as emergent wetlands and adjacent edges of agricultural fields, old fields and pastures. This includes forests and woodlots containing potential roosts (i.e., live trees and/or snags  $\geq 5$  inches diameter at breast height (dbh) for Indiana bat, and  $\geq 3$  inches dbh for northern long-eared bat, that have exfoliating bark, cracks, crevices, and/or hollows), as well as linear features such as fencerows, riparian forests, and other wooded corridors. These wooded areas may be dense or loose aggregates of trees with variable amounts of canopy closure. Tree species often include, but are not limited to, shellbark or shagbark hickory, white oak, cottonwood, and maple. Individual trees may be considered suitable habitat when they exhibit the characteristics of a potential roost tree and are located within 1,000 feet (305 meters) of other forested/wooded habitat. Northern long-eared bats have also been observed roosting in human-made structures, such as buildings, barns, bridges, and bat houses; therefore, these structures should also be considered potential summer habitat and evaluated for use by bats. If your project will impact caves or mines or will involve clearing forest or woodland habitat containing suitable roosting habitat, Indiana bats or northern long-eared bats could be affected.

Examples of <u>unsuitable</u> habitat include:

- Individual trees that are greater than 1,000 feet from forested or wooded areas;
- Trees found in highly-developed urban areas (e.g., street trees, downtown areas);
- A pure stand of less than 3-inch dbh trees that are not mixed with larger trees; and
- A stand of eastern red cedar shrubby vegetation with no potential roost trees.

#### Using the IPaC Official Species List to Make No Effect and May Affect Determinations for Listed Species

1. If IPaC returns a result of "There are no listed species found within the vicinity of the project," then project proponents can conclude the proposed activities will have **no effect** on any federally listed species under Service jurisdiction. Concurrence from the Service is not required for **No Effect** determinations. No further consultation or coordination is required. Attach this letter to the dated IPaC species list report for your records. An example <u>"No Effect"</u> <u>document</u> also can be found on the S7 Technical Assistance website.

2. If IPaC returns one or more federally listed, proposed, or candidate species as potentially present in the action area of the proposed project – other than bats (see #3 below) – then project proponents can conclude the proposed activities **may affect** those species. For assistance in determining if suitable habitat for listed, candidate, or proposed species occurs within your project area or if species may be affected by project activities, you can obtain Life History Information for Listed and Candidate Species through the S7 Technical Assistance website.

3. If IPac returns a result that one or more federally listed bat species (Indiana bat, northern long-eared bat, or gray bat) are potentially present in the action area of the proposed project, project proponents can conclude the proposed activities **may affect** these bat species **IF** one or more of the following activities are proposed:

- a. Clearing or disturbing suitable roosting habitat, as defined above, at any time of year;
- b. Any activity in or near the entrance to a cave or mine;
- c. Mining, deep excavation, or underground work within 0.25 miles of a cave or mine;
- d. Construction of one or more wind turbines; or
- e. Demolition or reconstruction of human-made structures that are known to be used by bats based on observations of roosting bats, bats emerging at dusk, or guano deposits or stains.

If none of the above activities are proposed, project proponents can conclude the proposed activities will have **no effect** on listed bat species. Concurrence from the Service is not required for **No Effect** determinations. No further consultation or coordination is required. Attach this letter to the dated IPaC species list report for your records. An example <u>"No Effect" document</u> also can be found on the S7 Technical Assistance website.

If any of the above activities are proposed in areas where one or more bat species may be present, project proponents can conclude the proposed activities **may affect** one or more bat species. We recommend coordinating with the Service as early as possible during project planning. If your project will involve removal of over 5 acres of <u>suitable</u> forest or woodland habitat, we recommend you complete a Summer Habitat Assessment prior to contacting our office to expedite the consultation process. The Summer Habitat Assessment Form is available in Appendix A of the most recent version of the <u>Range-wide Indiana Bat Summer Survey</u> <u>Guidelines</u>.

#### **Other Trust Resources and Activities**

*Bald and Golden Eagles* - Although the bald eagle has been removed from the endangered species list, this species and the golden eagle are protected by the Bald and Golden Eagle Act and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act. Should bald or golden eagles occur within or near the project area

please contact our office for further coordination. For communication and wind energy projects, please refer to additional guidelines below.

*Migratory Birds* - The Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) prohibits the taking, killing, possession, transportation, and importation of migratory birds, their eggs, parts, and nests, except when specifically authorized by the Service. The Service has the responsibility under the MBTA to proactively prevent the mortality of migratory birds whenever possible and we encourage implementation of recommendations that minimize potential impacts to migratory birds. Such measures include clearing forested habitat outside the nesting season (generally March 1 to August 31) or conducting nest surveys prior to clearing to avoid injury to eggs or nestlings.

*Communication Towers* - Construction of new communications towers (including radio, television, cellular, and microwave) creates a potentially significant impact on migratory birds, especially some 350 species of night-migrating birds. However, the Service has developed voluntary guidelines for minimizing impacts.

*Transmission Lines* - Migratory birds, especially large species with long wingspans, heavy bodies, and poor maneuverability can also collide with power lines. In addition, mortality can occur when birds, particularly hawks, eagles, kites, falcons, and owls, attempt to perch on uninsulated or unguarded power poles. To minimize these risks, please refer to <u>guidelines</u> developed by the Avian Power Line Interaction Committee and the Service. Implementation of these measures is especially important along sections of lines adjacent to wetlands or other areas that support large numbers of raptors and migratory birds.

*Wind Energy* - To minimize impacts to migratory birds and bats, wind energy projects should follow the Service's <u>Wind Energy Guidelines</u>. In addition, please refer to the Service's <u>Eagle</u> <u>Conservation Plan Guidance</u>, which provides guidance for conserving bald and golden eagles in the course of siting, constructing, and operating wind energy facilities.

#### **Next Steps**

Should you determine that project activities **may affect** any federally listed species or trust resources described herein, please contact our office for further coordination. Letters with requests for consultation or correspondence about your project should include the Consultation Tracking Number in the header. Electronic submission is preferred.

If you have not already done so, please contact the Missouri Department of Conservation (Policy Coordination, P. O. Box 180, Jefferson City, MO 65102) for information concerning Missouri Natural Communities and Species of Conservation Concern.

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. Please feel free to contact our office with questions or for additional information.

Karen Herrington

Attachment(s):

Official Species List

- USFWS National Wildlife Refuges and Fish Hatcheries
- Wetlands

# **Official Species List**

This list is provided pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and fulfills the requirement for Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary of the Interior information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of a proposed action".

This species list is provided by:

#### **Missouri Ecological Services Field Office**

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### **Project Summary**

Consultation Code:03E14000-2021-SLI-1567Event Code:03E14000-2021-E-04155Project Name:Hook Farms 2nd PlatProject Type:DEVELOPMENTProject Description:Regrading of 4 lots within the Hook Farms 2nd Plat on SW Hook Road in<br/>Lee's Summit, Jackson County, Missouri.

Project Location:

Approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <u>https://www.google.com/maps/@38.870256,-94.42438887861096,14z</u>



Counties: Jackson County, Missouri

### **Endangered Species Act Species**

There is a total of 3 threatened, endangered, or candidate species on this species list.

Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species.

IPaC does not display listed species or critical habitats under the sole jurisdiction of NOAA Fisheries<sup>1</sup>, as USFWS does not have the authority to speak on behalf of NOAA and the Department of Commerce.

See the "Critical habitats" section below for those critical habitats that lie wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

1. <u>NOAA Fisheries</u>, also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of Commerce.

#### Mammals

NAME	STATUS
Gray Bat <i>Myotis grisescens</i> No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: <u>https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/6329</u>	Endangered
Indiana Bat <i>Myotis sodalis</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available. Species profile: <u>https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5949</u>	Endangered
Northern Long-eared Bat <i>Myotis septentrionalis</i> No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: <u>https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9045</u>	Threatened

#### **Critical habitats**

THERE ARE NO CRITICAL HABITATS WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA UNDER THIS OFFICE'S JURISDICTION.

# USFWS National Wildlife Refuge Lands And Fish Hatcheries

Any activity proposed on lands managed by the <u>National Wildlife Refuge</u> system must undergo a 'Compatibility Determination' conducted by the Refuge. Please contact the individual Refuges to discuss any questions or concerns.

THERE ARE NO REFUGE LANDS OR FISH HATCHERIES WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA.

# Wetlands

Impacts to <u>NWI wetlands</u> and other aquatic habitats may be subject to regulation under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, or other State/Federal statutes.

For more information please contact the Regulatory Program of the local <u>U.S. Army Corps of</u> <u>Engineers District</u>.

Please note that the NWI data being shown may be out of date. We are currently working to update our NWI data set. We recommend you verify these results with a site visit to determine the actual extent of wetlands on site.

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