Midway City Council 7 November 2023 Regular Meeting

Whitaker Farm Subdivision / Amendment



CITY COUNCIL MEETING STAFF REPORT

DATE OF MEETING: November 7, 2023

NAME OF PROJECT: Whitaker Farm

NAME OF APPLICANT: Griffin Johnson

NAME OF OWNER: Thomas and Laura Wardle

AGENDA ITEM: Plat Amendment of Whitaker Farm

LOCATION: Intersection of Whitaker Farm Way and Waters Edge

ZONING DESIGNATION: RA-1-43 zone

ITEM: 6

Griffin Johnson, agent for Thomas and Laura Wardle, is requesting a Plat Amendment of Whitaker Farm subdivision. The proposal is to remove note #4 from the plat, which limits driveway access to lots 1 and 50 from Whitaker Farm Way. The property is located at the intersection of Whitaker Farm Way and Waters Edge and is in the RA-1-43 zone.

BACKGROUND:

Griffin Johnson, agent for Thomas and Laura Wardle, is proposing a plat amendment to the Whitaker Farm subdivision. The proposed amendment would remove a note from the plat that requires access for lots 1 and 50 to Waters Edge and does not allow driveway access to Whitaker Farm Way. The proposal is to remove the note and therefore, driveway access would be allowed

directly from Whitaker Farm Way. Note #4 states the following: "Lots 1 & 50 shall only have driveway access from Waters Edge Road. No driveway access is allowed from Whitaker Farm Way".

The note was required on the plat because at the time that Whitaker Fam subdivision was approved, the then future Whitaker Farm Way was designated as a collector road. Collector roads have limited access for safety and traffic flow purposes. Driveways may only be created to collector roads if the City Council has approved a specific petition for driveway access. Since the approval of Whitaker Farms, Midway has adopted a revised General Plan. In the current version of the General Plan, the Master Street Plan now has Whitaker Farm Way designated as a local street which does not have the same access restrictions.

This item has been noticed for a public hearing. Notices were mailed to all property owners within 600' of the proposed amendment. Notices were also posted in three public locations in Midway. The proposal was also posted on the Midway website and the Utah State noticing website. This proposal is a legislative action, and the City Council has broad discretion regarding this proposal.

ANALYSIS:

One item to consider with this request is the trail that runs along the east side of Whitaker Farm Way. With current regulations, the driveway for lot 1 will not cross the trail. If the proposal is approved, a driveway could cross the trail. Generally, limiting driveway crossings across trails should be followed. In some cases it cannot be avoided, but generally fewer crossings are the best option. Lot 50 will need to cross the trail at least in one location. Staff feels it is important to limit both lots to only one crossing. This would eliminate the possibility of a horseshoe type driveway for either lot. Staff suggests not removing the note but modifying the note to possibly read the following: "Lots 1 & 50 are allowed to have driveway access from either Whitaker Farm Way or Waters Edge, but only one driveway access is allowed per lot. No horseshoe type driveway is allowed for either lot".

For the Land Use Authority to approve a plat amendment, Utah State Code dictates that the Land Use Authority consider the petition in a public meeting. The City Council should consider if the proposal is in the best interests of the community and if the petition matches the vision of Midway as described in the General Plan.

A plat amendment is a legislative item and the City Council is not obligated to allow any changes even if they feel that the applicant complies with the requirements of the Code. Subsection 9a-608(2)(a) states "a land use authority may consider at a public meeting an owner's petition to vacate or amend a subdivision plat if the petition seeks to:

(iv) on a lot owned by the petitioning fee owner, adjust an internal lot restriction imposed by the local political subdivision;"

No public street, right-of-way, easement will be vacated or altered.

POSSIBLE FINDINGS:

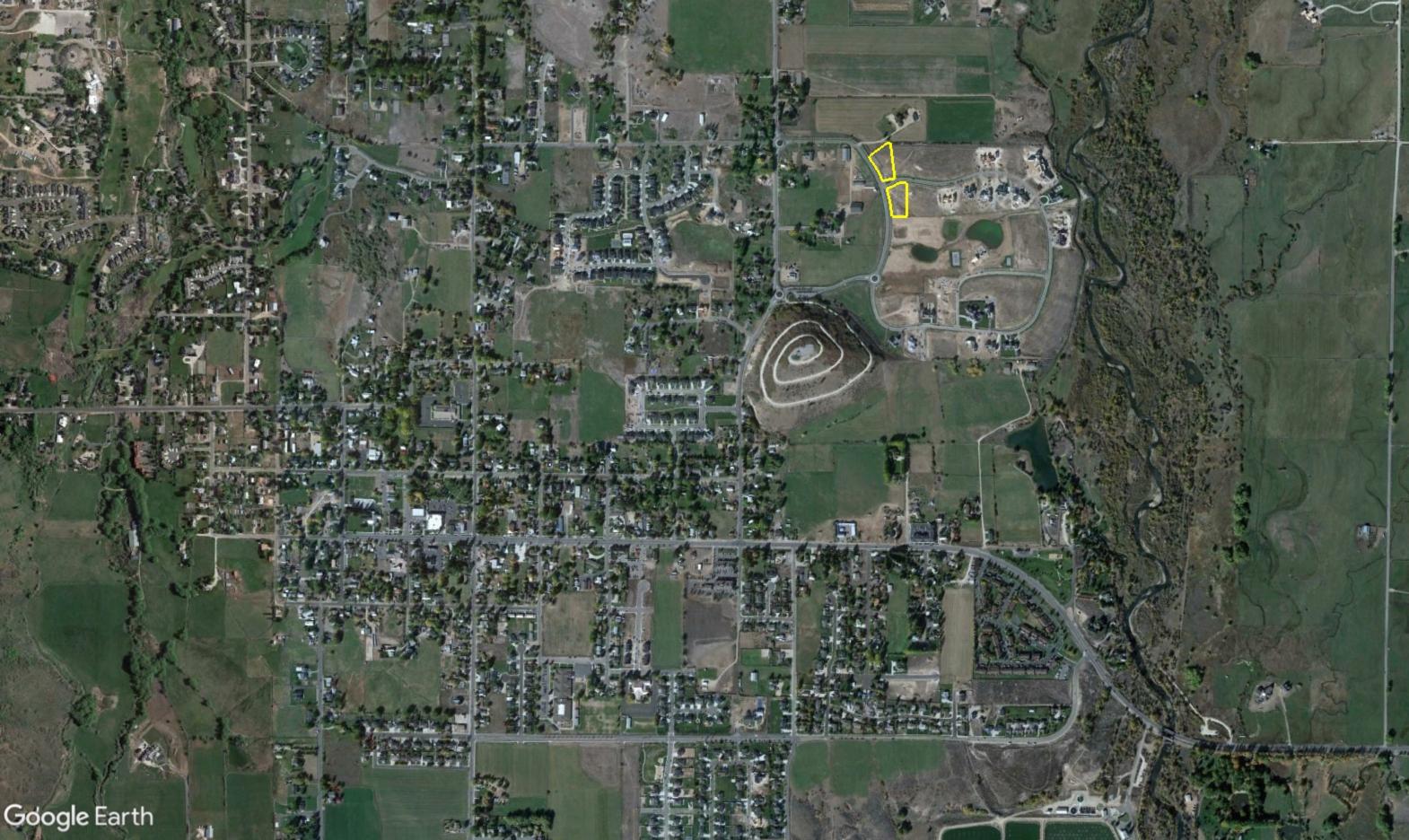
- Only lots 1 and 50 will be affected by the proposed amendment.
- The proposal is a legislative action, and the City Council can remove or amend the note.
- Limiting driveway crossings across the trail creates a safer trail pedestrian experience.
- No public street, right-of-way, or easement will be vacated or altered.

ALTERNATIVE ACTIONS:

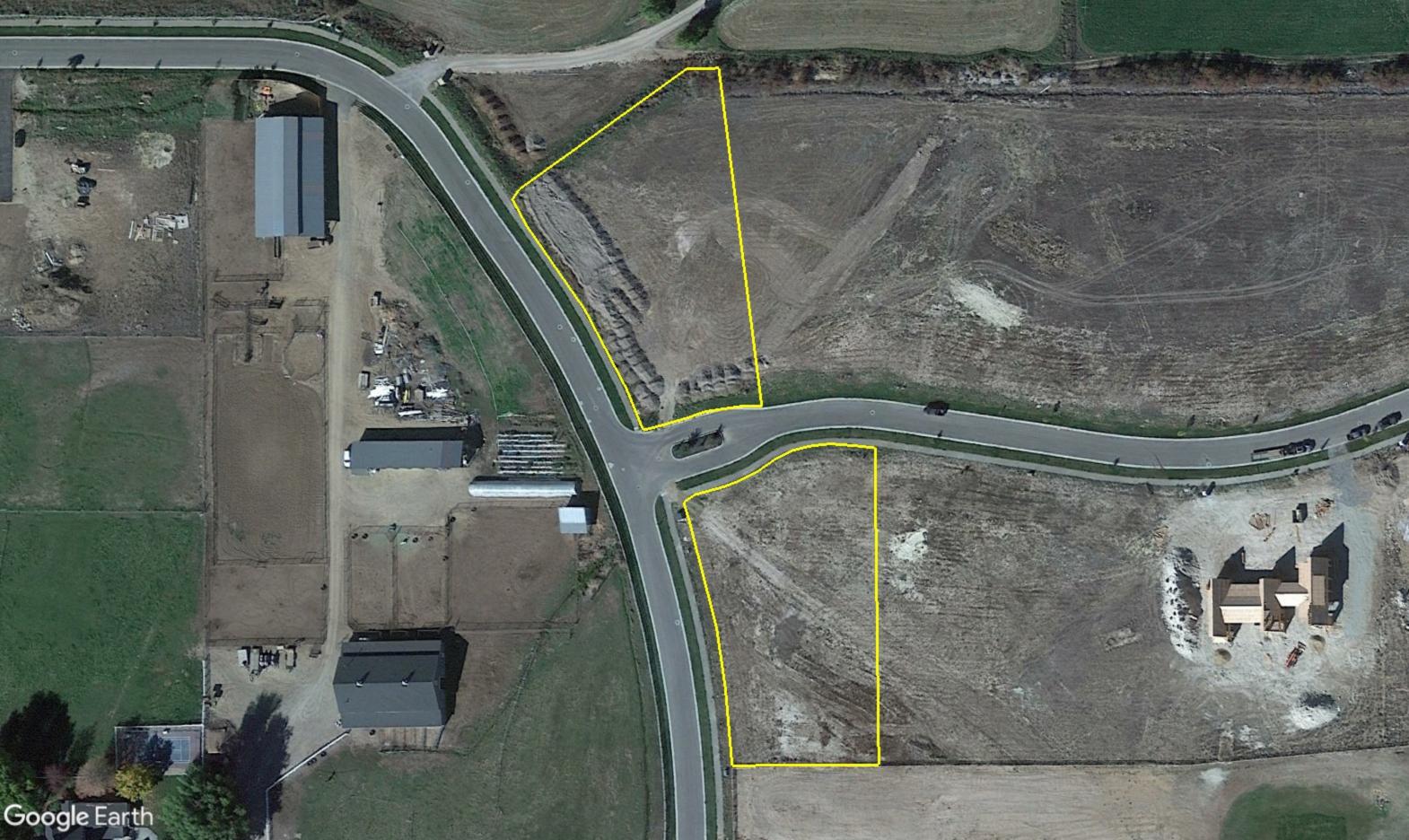
- 1. <u>Approval (conditional)</u>. This action can be taken if the City Council finds there is good cause to approve the proposal.
 - a. Accept staff report
 - b. Reasons for approval (findings)
 - c. Place condition(s) if needed
- 2. <u>Continuance</u>. This action can be taken if the City Council finds that there are unresolved issues.
 - a. Accept staff report
 - b. List accepted findings
 - c. Reasons for continuance
 - i. Unresolved issues that must be addressed
 - d. Date when the item will be heard again
- 3. <u>Denial</u>. This action can be taken if the City Council finds that the request does not meet the intent of the ordinance.
 - a. Accept staff report
 - b. List accepted findings
 - c. Reasons for denial

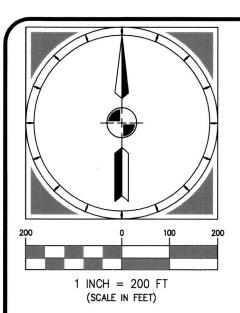
PROPOSED CONDITION:

1. The note is amended to read as follows: "Lots 1 & 50 are allowed to have driveway access from either Whitaker Farm Way or Waters Edge, but only one driveway access is allowed per lot. No horseshoe type driveway is allowed for either lot".



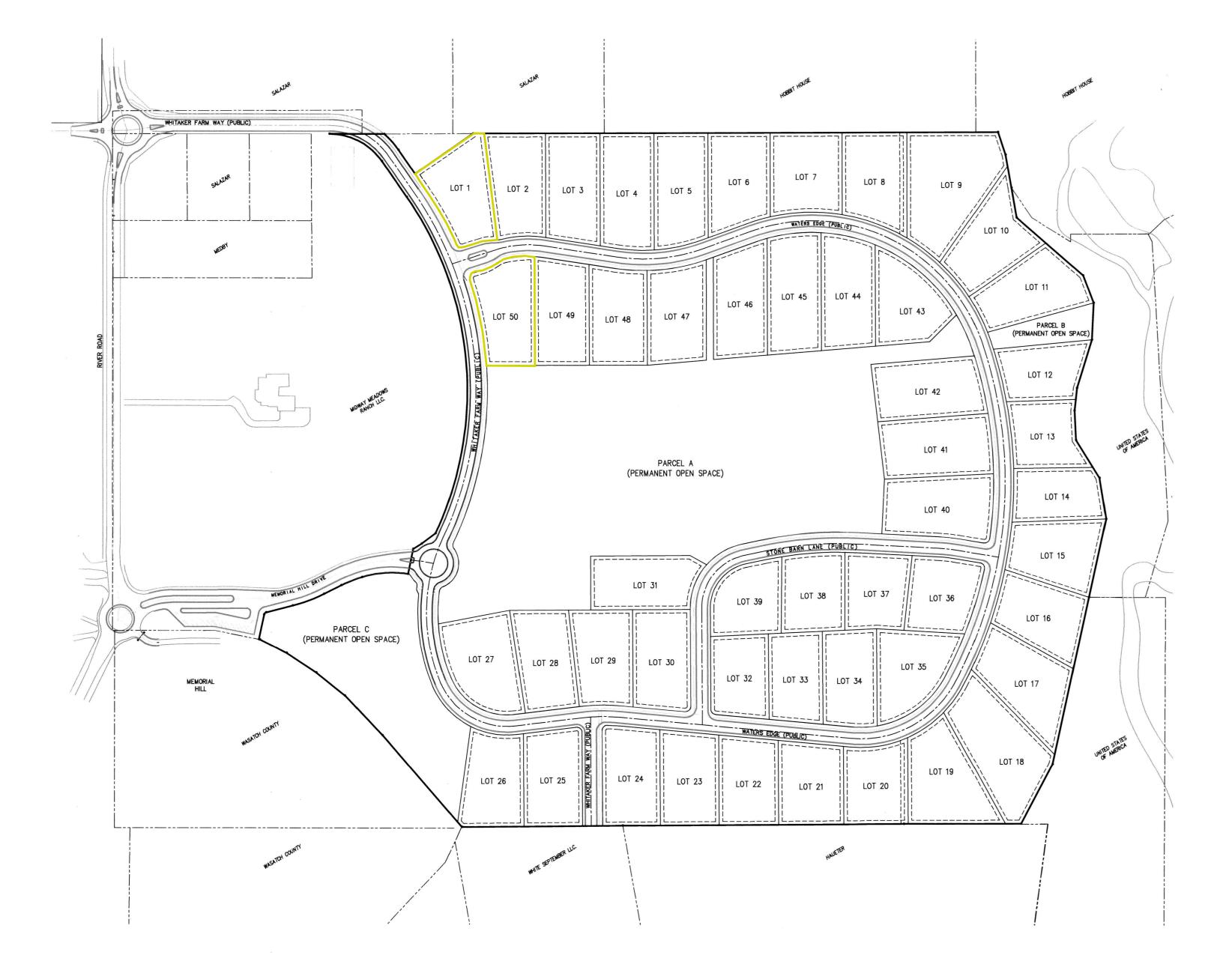


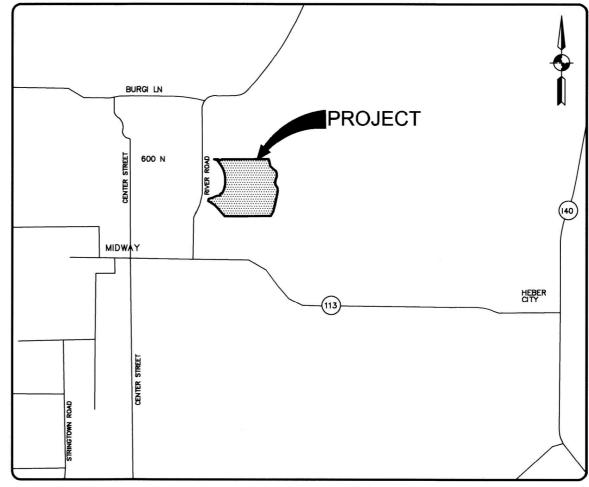




WHITAKER FARM

TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 4 EAST, SLB&M, MIDWAY CITY, WASATCH COUNTY, UTAH





VICINITY MAP

N.T.S.

PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENTS:

ALL LOTS IN THIS SUBDIVISION ARE SUBJECT TO PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENTS ALONG ALL PROPERTY LINES AS FOLLOWS: FRONT: 10 FEET REAR: 10 FEET

PROPERTY CORNER NOTES

1. 5/8" REBAR AND PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "SUMMIT ENG 435-654-9229" TO BE SET AT SUBDIVISION CORNERS AND REAR LOT CORNERS.

2. COPPER PLUG STAMPED SUMMIT ENG 435-654-9229 TO BE SET AT POINTS WHERE EXTENSION OF SIDE LOT LINES INTERSECT THE CONCRETE STREET CURB.

PLAT NOTES:

SIDE: 10 FEET

- 1. A GEO-TECHNICAL ENGINEERING STUDY WAS PERFORMED ON THIS PROPERTY BY CMT ENGINEERING LABORATORIES IN 2017 AS CMT PROJECT NO. 10726, WITH A REPORT DATED DEC. 22, 2017. A COPY OF THE REPORT MAY BE OBTAINED FROM SUMMIT ENGINEERING GROUP, HEBER CITY, UT. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION STATE THAT FOUNDATIONS AND FLOOR SLABS MAY BE CONSTRUCTED ENTIRELY ON SUITABLE UNDISTURBED NATURAL SOILS, ENTIRELY ON TUFA (POT ROCK), OR ENTIRELY ON STRUCTURAL/ENGINEERED FILL WHICH EXTENDS TO NATURAL SOILS AND/OR
- 2. THE OPEN SPACE PARCELS SHOWN HEREON MAY BE PRIVATELY OWNED, SHALL REMAIN UNDEVELOPED, AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED FOR AGRICULTURAL USE.
- 3. THE SEWER EASEMENTS ACROSS LOT 8 AND LOT 20 ARE GRANTED TO MIDWAY SANITATION DISTRICT FOR THE INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC SEWER LINES. NO PERMANENT STRUCTURES MAY BE CONSTRUCTED WITHIN THESE EASEMENTS.

4. LOTS 1 & 50 SHALL ONLY HAVE DRIVEWAY ACCESS FROM WATERS EDGE ROAD. NO DRIVEWAY ACCESS IS ALLOWED FROM WHITAKER FARM WAY.

5. RIGHT TO FARM NOTICE: THE PURCHASERS OF LOTS IN THIS DEVELOPMENT ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THEY ARE PURCHASING PROPERTY ADJACENT TO OR NEARBY FARMLAND AND AGREE TO PROTECT THE RIGHT TO FARM OF THESE PROPERTY OWNERS. PURCHASERS ARE ADVISED THAT FARM HOURS BEGIN EARLY AND RUN LATE AND THAT FARM OPERATIONS AND ANIMALS CREATE NOISE AND ODORS WHICH MAY BE OBJECTIONABLE TO SOME PURCHASERS. EVEN THOUGH FARMERS MAY NOT DIRECTLY WATER YOUR PROPERTIES, YOU MAY EXPERIENCE GROUND WATER SEEPAGES AND/OR SPRINKLER OVER SPRAY FROM THEIR IRRIGATION. DUMPING GRASS CLIPPINGS OR ANY OTHER MATERIALS ONTO THE PROPERTY OF ANOTHER WITHOUT PERMISSION IS AN ILLEGAL TRESPASS.

LOT NO.	ADDRESS	LOT NO.	ADDRESS
1	536 N WATERS EDGE RD	28	328 N WHITAKER FARM LN
2	528 N WATERS EDGE RD	29	323 N WATERS EDGE RD
3	522 N WATERS EDGE RD	30	331 N WATERS EDGE RD
4	512 N WATERS EDGE RD	30	743 E STONE BARN LN
5	502 N WATERS EDGE RD	31	763 E STONE BARN LN
6	492 N WATERS EDGE RD	32	734 E STONE BARN LN
7	482 N WATERS EDGE RD	32	347 N WATERS EDGE RD
8	472 N WATERS EDGE RD	33	355 N WATERS EDGE RD
9	462 N WATERS EDGE RD	34	365 N WATERS EDGE RD
10	456 N WATERS EDGE RD	35	383 N WATERS EDGE RD
11	448 N WATERS EDGE RD	36	401 N WATERS EDGE RD
12	442 N WATERS EDGE RD	36	846 E STONE BARN LN
13	432 N WATERS EDGE RD	37	822 E STONE BARN LN
14	422 N WATERS EDGE RD	38	802 E STONE BARN LN
15	412 N WATERS EDGE RD	39	774 E STONE BARN LN
16	402 N WATERS EDGE RD	40	837 E STONE BARN LN
17	394 N WATERS EDGE RD	40	419 N WATERS EDGE RD
18	384 N WATERS EDGE RD	41	429 N WATERS EDGE RD
19	376 N WATERS EDGE RD	42	439 N WATERS EDGE RD
20	368 N WATERS EDGE RD	43	461 N WATERS EDGE RD
21	358 N WATERS EDGE RD	44	475 N WATERS EDGE RD
22	348 N WATERS EDGE RD	45	485 N WATERS EDGE RD
23	336 N WATERS EDGE RD	46	493 N WATERS EDGE RD
24	326 N WATERS EDGE RD	47	505 N WATERS EDGE RD
25	331 N WHITAKER FARM LN	48	513 N WATERS EDGE RD
26	343 N WHITAKER FARM LN	49	521 N WATERS EDGE RD
27	358 N WHITAKER FARM LN	50	531 N WATERS EDGE RD

BASIS OF BEARINGS

THE BASIS OF BEARINGS FOR THIS SURVEY IS NORTH 00°06'57" WEST 5322.62 FEET FROM THE MONUMENT REFERENCING THE NORTH 1/4 CORNER OF SECTION 35 TO THE 1995 WASATCH COUNTY MONUMENT AT THE NORTH 1/4 CORNER OF SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 4 EAST, SALT LAKE BASE AND MERIDIAN IN CONFORMANCE WITH UTAH STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM 1983 CENTRAL ZONE

BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

THENCE EAST 151.16 FEET TO THE BEGINNING OF A NON-TANGENT CURVE CONCAVE SOUTHWESTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 232.00 FEET AND TO WHICH POINT A RADIAL LINE BEARS NORTH 40°39'26" EAST; THENCE 58.73 FEET ALONG SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 14°30'15" (CHORD BEARING AND DISTANCE OF SOUTH 42°05'26" EAST 58.57 FEET); THENCE SOUTH 34°50'19" EAST 81.72 FEET; THENCE NORTH 55'09'41" EAST 196.68 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89'46'06" EAST 1459.36 FEET ALONG THE SECTION LINE; THENCE FOLLOWING ALONG THE HOBBIT HOUSE PROPERTY BOUNDARY PER RECORD OF SURVEY #545 THE FOLLOWING TWO COURSES: 1) SOUTH 18°25'10" EAST 66.51 FEET, 2) SOUTH 10'16'10" EAST 94.00 FEET; THENCE FOLLOWING THE DEED FOR PROPERTY OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (ENTRY NO. 221202)

THE FOLLOWING TEN COURSES: 1) SOUTH 09'51'20" EAST 84.10 FEET, 2) SOUTH 49'04'15" EAST 245.07 FEET, 3) SOUTH 21'07'10" EAST 82.27

FEET, 4) SOUTH 02'39'15" WEST 102.71 FEET, 5) SOUTH 17'08'31" WEST 140.73 FEET, 6) SOUTH 06'05'45" WEST 64.07 FEET, 7) SOUTH 02°57'09" EAST 82.00 FEET, 8) SOUTH 32°09'13" EAST 123.39 FEET, 9) SOUTH 09°01'38" EAST 115.86, 10) SOUTH 12°11'03" WEST 223.51 FEET; THENCE FOLLOWING ALONG PROPERTY OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (ENTRY NO. 209025) THE FOLLOWING TWO COURSES:) SOUTH 12M1'03" WEST 475.80 FEET, 2) SOUTH 27*44'45" WEST 188.06 FEET; THENCE ALONG THE BOUNDARY OF HAUTER PER RECORD OF SURVEY #1597, AS EVIDENCED BY FOUND REBARS, THE FOLLOWING THREE COURSES: 1) SOUTH 89°51'40" WEST 326.08 FEET, 2) SOUTH

89'37'09" WEST 781.56 FEET, 3) SOUTH 89'25'44" WEST 447.30 FEET TO A FENCE LINE REPRESENTING THE BOUNDARY OF MEMORIAL HILL; THENCE ALONG SAID MEMORIAL HILL FENCE LINE BOUNDARY THE FOLLOWING FIVE COURSES: 1) NORTH 40°58'07" WEST 337.74 FEET, 2) NORTH 43'20'49" WEST 151.72 FEET, 3) NORTH 50'56'07" WEST 101.86 FEET, 4) NORTH 56'37'55" WEST 99.46 FEET, 5) NORTH 63'34'27" WEST 83.21 FEET; THENCE NORTH 78'24'46" WEST 2.93 FEET; THENCE NORTH 11'35'14" EAST 70.36 FEET TO THE BEGINNING OF A TANGENT CURVE CONCAVE SOUTHEASTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 8.00 FEET; THENCE 8.95 FEET ALONG SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 64°05'52" (CHORD BEARING AND DISTANCE OF NORTH 43'38'10" EAST 8.49 FEET); THENCE NORTH 75'41'06" EAST 76.75 FEET TO THE BEGINNING OF A TANGENT CURVE CONCAVE NORTHERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 432.00 FEET: THENCE 93.47 FEET ALONG SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 12°23'50" (CHORD BEARING AND DISTANCE OF NORTH 69°29'11" EAST 93.29 FEET); THENCE NORTH 63°17'17" EAST 53.59 FEET THE BEGINNING OF A TANGENT CURVE CONCAVE SOUTHERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 368.00 FEET; THENCE 60.88 FEET ALONG SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 09°28'44" (CHORD BEARING AND DISTANCE OF NORTH 68°01'39" EAST 60.81 FEET) TO THE BEGINNING OF A COMPOND CURVE CONCAVE SOUTHERLY HAVING A RADUIS OF 283.00 FEET; THENCE 130.13 FEET ALONG SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 26°20'47" (CHORD BEARING AND DISTANCE OF NORTH 85°56'25" EAST 128.99 FEET); THENCE NORTH 11°20'26" EAST 71.05 FEET; THENCE NORTH 58°23'16" EAST 27.57 FEET; THENCE NORTH 53°23'20" EAST 48.07 FEET TO THE BEGINNING OF A NON-TANGENT CURVE CONCAVE WESTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 944.00 FEET AND TO WHICH POINT A RADIAL LINE BEARS SOUTH 65"04'31" EAST; THENCE 984.66 FEET ALONG SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 59'45'48" (CHORD BEARING AND DISTANCE OF NORTH 04'57'25" WEST 940.62 FEET ☐ THENCE NORTH 34*50'19" WEST 121.99 FEET TO THE BEGINNING OF A TANGENT CURVE CONCAVE SOUTHWESTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 176.00 FEET; THENCE 169.44 FEET ALONG SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 55"09"41" (CHORD BEARING AND DISTANCE OF NORTH

BEGINNING NORTH 89°47'17" EAST 603.51 FEET FROM THE NORTH QUARTER CORNER OF SECTION 35. TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 4 EAST. SALT LAKE BASE AND MERIDIAN, SAID NORTH QUARTER CORNER LIES SOUTH 85'32'21" WEST 1.98 FEET FROM A WASATCH COUNTY MONUMENT

SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 10−9α−603 OF THE UTAH CODE, I, BING CHRISTENSEN, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM A PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR HOLDING LICENSE NUMBER 145796 IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 58, CHAPTER 22, OF THE PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS LICENSING ACT.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT I HAVE COMPLETED A SURVEY OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED ON THE PLAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 17-23-17 OF THE UTAH CODE, AND HAVE VERIFIED ALL

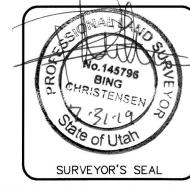


MEASUREMENTS, AND HAVE PLACED MONUMENTS AS REPRESENTED ON THE PLAT.

62°25'10" WEST 162.98 FEET) TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

REFERENCING THE NORTH QUARTER CORNER;

7.31110 DATE



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OWNER'S DEDICATION

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED OWNERS OF THE TRACTS OF LAND SHOWN AND DESCRIBED ON THIS SUBDIVISION PLAT, HAVE CAUSED THE SAME TO BE SUBDIVIDED INTO LOTS, STREETS, AND EASEMENTS, TO BE HEREAFTER KNOWN AS THE WHITAKER FARM SUBDIVISION, AND DO HEREBY DEDICATE FOR THE PERPETUAL USE OF THE PUBLIC THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY, PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENTS, AND SPECIAL UTILITY EASEMENTS AS SHOWN HEREON.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS THIS DAY OF AND WEST





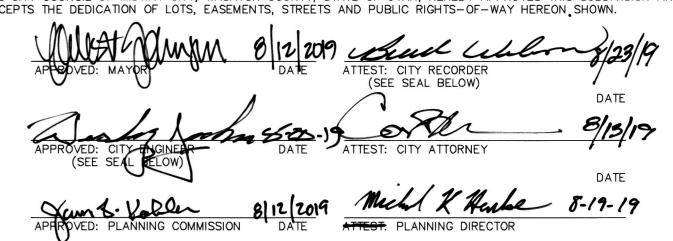
STATE OF COUNTY OF WASAT

ON THIS DAY OF AND USTER, THE SIGNER OF THE ABOVE OWNER'S DEDICATION. WHO ACKNOWLEDGED TO ME THAT HE SIGNED THE OWNER'S DEDICATION FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY FOR AND IN BEHALF OF SAID CORPORATION FOR THE PURPOSES MENTIONED AND THAT SAID CORPORATION

Notary Public - State of Utal Comm. No. 704493 My Commission Expires of Feb 7, 2023

ACCEPTANCE BY MIDWAY CITY

THE CITY COUNCIL OF MIDWAY CITY, WASATCH COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH, HEREBY APPROVES THIS SUBDIVISION AND ACCEPTS THE DEDICATION OF LOTS, EASEMENTS, STREETS AND PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY HEREON SHOWN.



MIDWAY IRRIGATION COMPANY

MIDWAY SANITATION DISTRICT



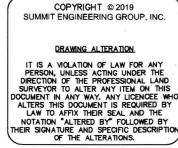
WASATCH COUNTY RECORDER

ENTRY #: 4674/9 . DATE: 8-30-19 . TIME: 8:30AM

FEE: \$ 256.00 . BOOK: 1262 . PAGE: 1762-1791. FOR: WHITAKER FARM DEVELOPMENT LLC

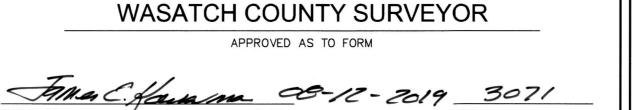
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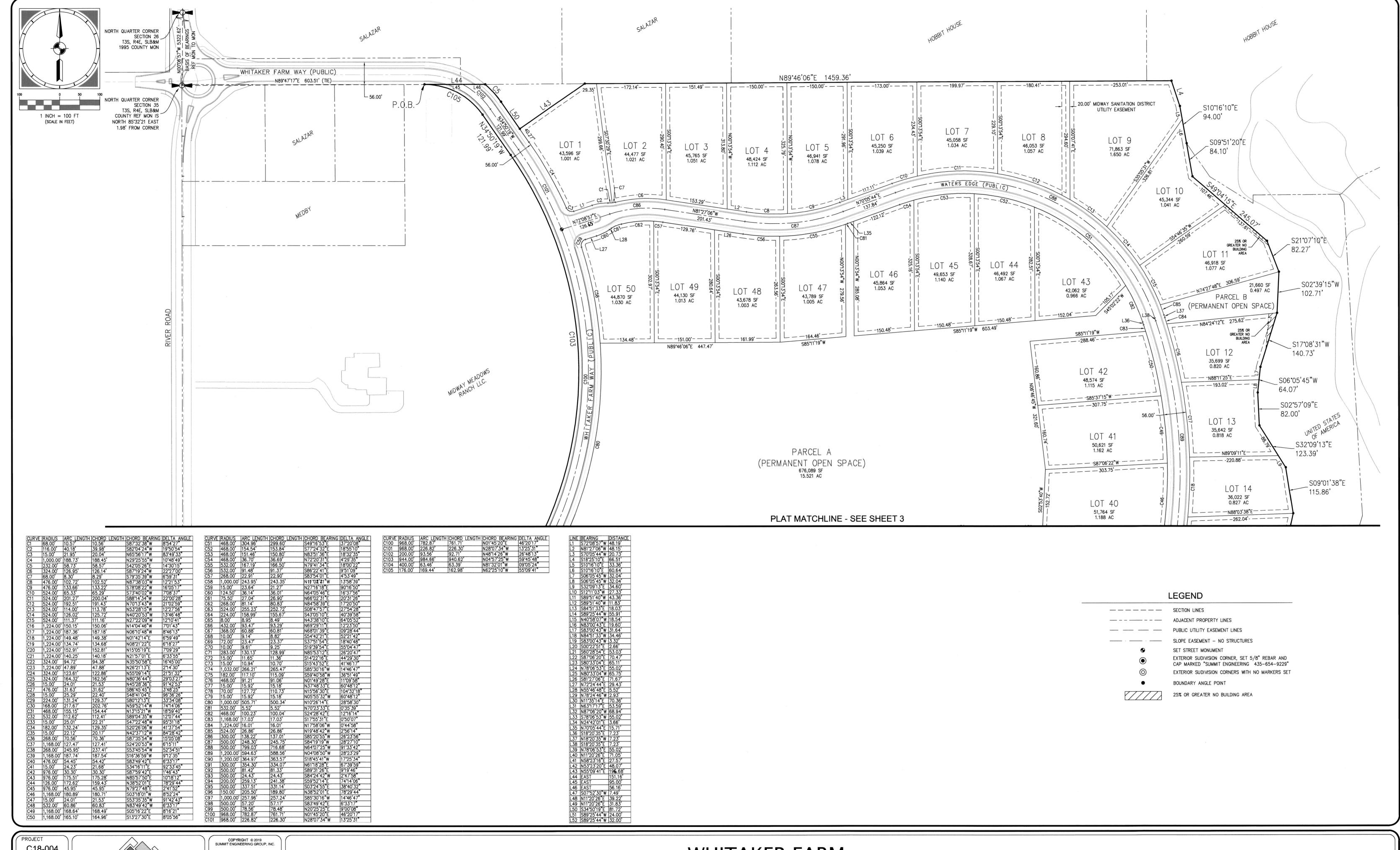
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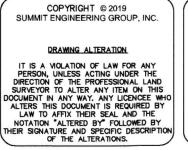


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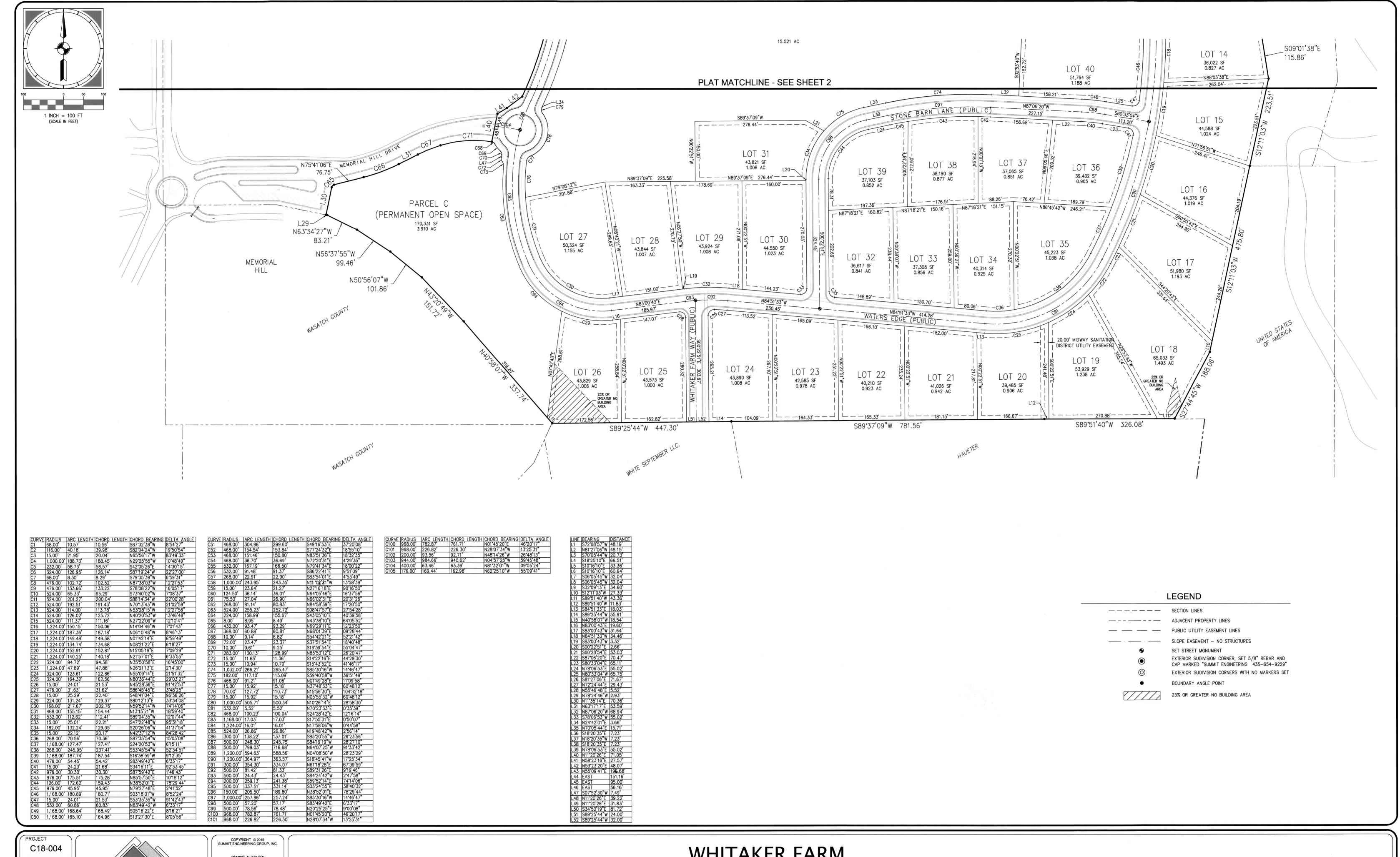
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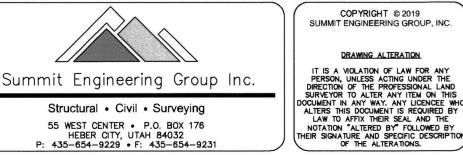
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