

Board of County Commissioners Agenda Request



Requested Meeting Date: November 26, 2024

Title of Item: Meadow View Lots at Barnacles Resort Final Board Approval Direction Requested **Action Requested: REGULAR AGENDA** Approve/Deny Motion Discussion Item CONSENT AGENDA Adopt Resolution (attach draft) Hold Public Hearing* INFORMATION ONLY *provide copy of hearing notice that was published Submitted by: **Department: Andrew Carlstrom Environmental Services Estimated Time Needed:** Presenter (Name and Title): Andrew Carlstrom, Environmental Services Director 5 Minutes Summary of Issue: On November 18, 2024 the Aitkin County Planning Commission approved the conditional use permit (CUP) for the proposed by Meadow View Lots at Barnacles Resort proposed, by RD Holdings, LLC. This fish house park/campground is a commercial planned unit development on private property, and is a 102 unit recreational vehicle park. The proposal is a re-development of a three decade old and unpermitted existing campground that will reduce campsite densities 60%, improve open space, improve campground safety and efficiency, the upgrading of all campground utilities, and will bring campground into conforming standards to Aitkin County ordinances. Recreational camping season will be year around. In accordance with the General Zoning Ordinance Section 16.0, the Planning Commission is now recommending approval of this CUP to the County Board with the attached 15 conditions. In order to remain compliant with our ordinances I am respectfully requesting a motion to approve this conditional use permit and new campground addition to Aitkin County. Alternatives, Options, Effects on Others/Comments: Deny approval of conditional use permit. Recommended Action/Motion: Motion to approve conditional use permit of Meadow View Lots at Barnacles Resort in accordance with the General Zoning Ordinance. Financial Impact: Is there a cost associated with this request? Yes What is the total cost, with tax and shipping? \$ Please Explain: Is this budgeted? Yes No

Conditions for Widseth/Chad Conner #2024-002035

- 1. Must comply with all local, state and federal regulations that pertain to this type of proposal. Must comply with all local, state, and federal regulations that pertain to this type of operation.
- 2. Approved use is for 102 site redesign to an existing recreational vehicle campground and site must remain under 35% impervious surface coverage.
- 3. All outdoor lighting must be downward directed.
- 4. Must comply with all State Wetland Conservation Act requirements and work with Aitkin County Environmental (Wetland) Specialist addressing any wetland concerns.
- 5. RV Park is for year-round leased sites, and no transient or weekend camping allowed.
- 6. All pets are to be kept under control at all times and must be cleaned up after.
- 7. Only two vehicles allowed per campsite. Considered as a possible second vehicle will be one boat, or jet-ski, or snowmobile, or ATV, or fish house, etc. and will be allowed to be stored on a leased lot while member is away.
- 8. Quiet hours are from 10:00 pm to 7:00 am and campers must refrain from loud party noises, music, etc.
- 9. One storage shed per lot allowed not to exceed 120 square feet in size and buildings greater than 25 square feet must be permitted with Aitkin County.
- 10. No decks greater than 6 inches off the ground and larger than 32 square feet shall be allowed unless permitted by Aitkin County Environmental Services/Planning & Zoning, and must not be larger than 300 square feet total.
- 11. No fireworks allowed unless permitted by the Aitkin County Sheriff.
- 12. No hunting or discharge of firearms is allowed.
- 13. Garbage service is required from year-round, no burning of garbage, and no refuse, garbage, or waste allowed outside of the dumpsters.
- 14. Upon approval of this conditional use permit, final approval must be made by the Aitkin County Board of Commissioners in accordance with Section 15 of the Aitkin County Zoning Ordinance.
- 15. Standardized, reflective, and numbered lot space signs shall be installed by October 1, 2025.

