



**HAMBURG TOWNSHIP
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
Hamburg Township Board Room
Tuesday, May 24, 2022 – 3:00 p.m.**

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge to the Flag
3. Roll Call of the Board
4. Call to the Public
5. Approval of the Agenda
6. Approval of the Minutes
 - A. April 26, 2022 – Regular Meeting
7. Correspondence
 - A. Hamburg Township Historical Museum Newsletter
8. Current Business
 - A. None
9. Old Business

A. Parks & Recreation Master Plan/Pending Grants/Supervisor Report

1. Iron Belle Trail/Lakelands Trail Projects – Supervisor Update
 - Hay Creek Bridge Project – Update – 6/1/22 Completion
 - Trail Maintenance Project – Summer 2022
 - Huron River free-span Bridge Grant - Update
2. 5-year Master Plan Update – Bids requested from 3 firms
3. West Park Trust Fund Grant Update – Water level report requested for Kayak Launch

B. Township Park Use Policy/Fee/Procedures

1. Park Facility Use Policy
 - Park Use Policy updates – pending
 - Community Center Policy & Fee change – Discussion/Park Ranger duties
 - Hamburg Administrative Fee Schedule updates – pending (file with Municode)

C. Administrative Services

1. Park Coordinator's Report – May 2022
 - A. Blackout List 2022
2. Senior Center Report – May 2022
3. Scholarship Request – None
4. Park Use Requests:
 - A. PowerAde Tournament – August 20-21, 2022 (re-application)
 - B. Scrap Metal Drive Fundraising Event – PHS Wrestling – June 25-26, 2022

D. Special Projects

1. Community Clean-Up Day – Recap
2. East Park Playground Renovation Project – Bids requested
3. Baseball Dugout Renovation Project – Work underway
4. Pickleball Area Amenities – Updates

E. Sponsorships/Volunteerism

1. Amenities and Beautification Committee
 - A. Adopt a Garden/Memorial Bench/Tree Project – Volunteers Needed

F. Signage and Community Awareness

1. Wayfinding Signage – Updates
2. Hamburg Historical Sign in Hamburg Cemetery - Update

G. Risk Management (Insurance/ADA)

1. ADA Compliance in Parklands – Transition Plan update due 6/1/22
10. Call to the Public
11. Committee Comments
12. Adjournment

Next Meeting Date:

Parks Committee: June 28, 2022 – 3:00 p.m.

Pledge to the Flag



No
Information



Hamburg Township Parks & Recreation

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www.hamburg.mi.us

Hamburg Township
Parks & Recreation Committee
Regular Meeting
Hamburg Township Hall
Tuesday, April 26, 2022
3:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order

Dolan called the meeting to order at 3:07 p.m.

2. Pledge to the Flag

3. Roll Call of the Parks & Recreation Committee

Board Members Present: Michniewicz, Muck, Dolan

Board Members Absent: Auxier, Member At Large - Vacant

Also Present: Deby Henneman, Township Coordinator, Pat Hohl, Supervisor

4. Call to the Public

A call was made with no response.

5. Approval of the Agenda

Motion by Dolan, supported by Michniewicz, to approve the agenda with the addition of Wayfinding Signage Discussion addition.

VOICE VOTE: Ayes: 3 Absent: 2 (Auxier, Member at Large)

MOTION CARRIED

6. Approval of the Minutes

Motion by Michniewicz, supported by Muck, to approve the minutes from the March 22, 2022 Regular Meeting as presented.

VOICE VOTE: Ayes: 3 Absent: 2 (Auxier, Member at Large)

MOTION CARRIED

7. Correspondence

Hamburg Historical Museum newsletters were received and filed.

8. Current Business - None

9. Old Business

A. Parks & Recreation Master Plan/Pending Grants/Supervisor Report

1. Iron Belle Trail/Lakelands Trail

- a. Hay Creek Bridge Project – Updated completion date: 6/1/22
- b. Trail Maintenance Project – Vendor selected, summertime project
- c. Huron River free-span Bridge Project – Estimates in, grants underway

2. 5-year Master Plan Update – Coordinator to request bids
3. West Park Trust Fund Grant – Application submitted

Muck announced that funding for Trust Fund is being held up at the State level. He will contact State Representative on our behalf since we have a pending project that is promised funds.

Henneman stated Township has received the grant funds from Ralph Wilson, Jr.

B. Township Park Use Policy/Fee/Procedures

1. Park Use Policy updates – Pending (to include proposed Vendor Procedure)
2. Community Center Policy & Fee change – Going to Board at 4/5/22 meeting
3. Administrative Fee Schedule updates will be made once all policy changes are approved.

C. Administrative Services

1. Park Coordinator's Report – March 2022 – Report received and filed
2. Senior Center Report – March 2022 – Report received and filed
4. Scholarship Request – East Michigan Panthers – Spring 2022

Motion by Muck, supported by Michniewicz, to approve the Every Child Shall Play Scholarship request from East Michigan Panthers, for programming run at the West Manly Bennett Park soccer fields.

VOICE VOTE: Ayes: 3 Absent: 2 (Auxier, Member at Large) MOTION CARRIED

4. Park Use Requests

- A. Jogging for Jakey – August 13, 2022

Motion by Michniewicz, supported by Muck, to recommend approval of the Park Facility Use Application for Jogging for Jakey Charity 5K as presented, contingent on all requested documents being received to the Clerk Department's satisfaction, that charity be identified, and that charges be waived due to the nature of the event.

VOICE VOTE: Ayes: 3 Absent: 2 (Auxier, Member at Large) MOTION CARRIED

- B. PYA Football Practice – Fall 2022

Motion by Dolan, supported by Michniewicz, to recommend approval of the Park Facility Use Application for Hamburg Flyers RC Club as presented, contingent on all requested documents being received to the Clerk Department's satisfaction, that charges be charged based on the current Park Use Fee Schedule, and that no use be allowed during BLACKOUT dates.

VOICE VOTE: Ayes: 3 Absent: 2 (Auxier, Member at Large) MOTION CARRIED

D. Special Projects

1. Community Clean-Up Event – Saturday, April 23, 2022 – 9AM to 3PM – Recap.
2. East Park Playground Renovation Project

Muck stated that the City of Novi generally approaches the vendor(s) with a budget, and asks them to come back with a design including all costs for installation. He suggested having staff tear down the existing structures in order to save costs on demolition.

Motion by Dolan, supported by Muck, to bring back acquired bids and designs to the Parks Committee for the East Park Playground Project, in anticipation of a summer 2022 construction.

3. Baseball Dugout Renovation Project – Supplies ordered, construction to be done by 6/1/22.

E. Sponsorships/Volunteerism

1. Amenities and Beautification Committee – Updates will be made to program. Benches will be going up.

F. Signage and Community Awareness

1. Wayfinding Signage

Discussion took place regarding wayfinding signage needs in park, specifically the Manly Bennett Monument sign which is in very poor condition. Updated costs were requested for:

- Manly Bennett Park – Monument Sign (East Park Entrance)
- Municipal Complex – Monument Sign
- Clock Tower Directional Sign (in driveway to Municipal Complex)
- Directional Signage – Wayfinding (West Park & Disc Golf Entrances)
- Kiosk Signage – Township Hall with Bike Rack
- Kiosk Signage - Pickleball

G. Risk Management (Insurance/ADA)

1. ADA Compliance in Parklands - No update

10. Call to the Public

A call was made with no response.

11. Committee Comments

Henneman expressed her concerns with the striping of the soccer fields, and the lack of sports volunteers to do it.

12. Adjourn Meeting

Motion by Michniewicz, supported by Dolan, to adjourn the meeting.

VOICE VOTE: Ayes: 3 Absent: 2 (Auxier, Member at Large)

MOTION CARRIED

Meeting adjourned at 3:53 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Debra Henneman
Township Coordinator
Parks, ADA, Grants, Ordinances

Next meeting: Tuesday, May 24, 2022 – 3:00 p.m.



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hamburgmuseum.org
(URL coming soon)



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NEXT MEETING
Saturday, May 21
9:30 pm
at the museum

VISITING HOURS
11 am-3 pm
Weds. & Sats.

The Wave

Newsletter of the Hamburg Township Historical Society • May 2022

Welcome to Our New Look!

It's a new look for a new day at the Hamburg Township Museum! With graphic assistance from Hunter Advertising, we've adopted a new logo that reflects the direction the museum is moving in to serve you better.

How did we arrive at this look? It started with a 2020 township survey we did to gauge your opinion of the museum and its contents. From a list of a dozen themes, you picked the history of the Huron River and the lakes as the subject you were most interested in. We also took into account the theme around which the Hamburg Township Historical Society, the museum's governing body, first organized itself: railroad history. Trying to combine the present and the past in a single graphic took a bit of time and lots of talk, eventually resulting in the "wavy H" you see in the upper left corner of this newsletter.

The H obviously stands for "Hamburg," and the crossbar on the H is represented by a wave of water. But did you notice the subtle reference to railroading in the uprights of the letter? They are cross sections of two rails.

Like it? We hope so. You can expect to see it soon in all kinds of media including our letterhead, email blasts, gift shop merchandise, and our new website – set to launch this month.

And a new look is not all we've been working on. Keep checking back with us to read about our plans for reimagining the main galleries, developing new exhibits and new programs for kids and adults, and being more present in the community.



ON PAGE 2...

Denise Emery recently donated a set of Hamburg Township Hall china to the historical society.

DIVE INTO YOUR HISTORY

WHO'S NEW?

Please welcome these new members who've signed on since January 1.

- **Ellen & Dorothy Babas**
- **Carl & Deb Baker**
- **Nancy Dickman**
- **Larry & Irene Gauthier**
- **Jeff Harmon & Megan Stainer**
- **Heather Harrison**
- **Pat & Stacy Hewitt**
- **Eleanore Keenan**
- **Kim Kozal**
- **Patrick & Teresa Tegels**



JOIN US MAY 14

That's the day the Michigan DNR will be hosting a ribbon cutting to dedicate a new series of interpretive signs on the Mike Levine Lakelands Trail. The historical society contributed photos to this project. The event starts at 10:30 am at the trailhead near the museum.

**HELP US
PRESERVE AND
PRESENT
THE HISTORY
OF HAMBURG.
JOIN THE
HISTORICAL
SOCIETY!**

WHAT'S NEW?

Have you seen the **new display in the changing exhibit gallery** called "Making *Her*story: Famous Females of Hamburg Township"? It honors eight women who enhanced life in our community, our state, and even nationwide: Julia Ball (journalist), Velma Bennett (firefighter), Mary Marguerite Dunning (World War II nurse), Olive Robinson (religious leader), Nancy Roberts (environmentalist),



Carol Richardson brought her granddaughters to see the section of the new exhibit devoted to her mother, environmentalist Nancy Roberts.

Wilhelmina Swarthout (teacher and author) Patricia Waters (librarian), and Bertha Winklehaus (hotelier).

The museum staff continues to collect **artifacts representing life in Hamburg Township**. Recent acquisitions include a matchbook from Pedersen's Hardware, 1954 and 1955 yearbooks from Hamburg Elementary, and a set of Hamburg Township Hall china.

WHAT'S NEW? CONTINUED...

On April 21, museum administrator Pat Majher entertained a group of Whitmore Lake Girl Scouts with **a talk about "Great Girls in Michigan History."**



WHAT'S COMING?

MAY 30
Memorial Day Open House
9 am-1 pm
Free

JUNE 4
Museum Ghost Hunt w/ Flyer Paranormal
7:30-10:30 pm and
11:30 pm-2:30 am
(Tickets: Eventbrite.com)

JUNE 18
Hamburg Fun Fest
1-8 pm

JULY 23 & 30
Rummage Sales
9 am-3 pm

(NOTE: We are **not yet** accepting donations of gently used items for the rummage sales. Check the June newsletter for more details.)

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Email address _____

ANNUAL DUES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual \$20.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Dual \$25.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Family \$30.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business \$50.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Life \$300.00 | |

Please make your check payable to the Hamburg Township Historical Society. Mail it with this form to P.O. Box 272, Hamburg, MI 48139 or drop it off at the museum at 7225 Stone Street during visiting hours.

Suggested uses for Park Rangers

Parks & Recreation

- Enforce Leash Laws
- Enforce Flying activities (ie: drones, kites & rockets) back to Manly Bennett RC Airfield
- Fill Kiosk signs with informational brochures, maps, or postings, etc.
 - West Park Entrance
 - East Park Concession (once we get one, in the works)
- Assist with Blackout Events
- Routine checks of Township Hall to ensure the doors are locked, front and back
- Set-up of traffic/pedestrian signage for Large Events in Manly Bennett Park (Blackouts)
- Bring all lost items to Lost And Found area in Township Hall

Community Center

- Monitor evening and weekend activity
 - Possibility to Open building for set-up and secure building after tear-down
 - Ensure that all tables, chairs, etc. have been placed back in rightful places
 - Ensure that all areas of use have been cleaned up and garbage to dumpster
 - Keep an eye on activities on Outdoor Patio (keep eye out for vandals)
- Routine checks of Senior building to ensure doors are locked, front and back

Lakelands Trail

- Check areas of concern for vandalism and report immediately
 - Tunnel under M-36
 - All historical signs, as well as traffic signs, along the trail
 - Benches
 - Fences, trees, etc. are sometimes used as a canvas as well
- Fill Kiosk signs with informational brochures, maps, or postings, etc.
 - Village Trailhead
 - Merrill Trailhead (Disc Golf)
 - Pettysville Trailhead
- Check construction sites (when occurring) to ensure caution signage/tape is still up

Park Use Calendars:

Parks:

https://www.hamburg.mi.us/departments/parks_and_recreation/event_calendar_info/parks_events_calendar.php

Community Center:

https://www.hamburg.mi.us/resident/seniors_senior_community_center/building_use_calendar_of_reserved_use_days.php



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May 18, 2022

To: Parks & Recreation Committee

From: Deby Henneman, Township Coordinator

Re: Parks & Recreation Report

The grant application for the Bennett Park & Water Trail Access Improvements was submitted and we are waiting for the preliminary scores which we typically receive by September. Inspections of the premises typically take place in the summer, and I anticipate the possibility of having that coincide with a ribbon cutting event that we will be holding for the Hay Creek Bridge Project sometime in July or August.

The 2022 Master Plan Update will take place after we secure a planner for the project. I have reached out to 3 firms for price quotes and am waiting for a response. In the meantime, we have requested pricing, and plan to proceed with the following projects as soon as possible:

- Playground Safety Inspections & EP re-design
- Volleyball safety upgrades
- Shade structure for Pickleball
- Shade structure for Outdoor Patio
- Wayfinding signage – Temporary & Permanent – Directional and Warning
- Historical Signage Replacement Project – Hamburg Cemetery
- Campbell Town Cemetery Sign – ordered
- Memorial Benches – Total of 7 being installed this summer, pending concrete
- Memorial Trees – Total of 4 being installed this summer

Our Community Clean-Up day was a success, even with the “plan Bs” we needed to implement on the spot. I would like to thank all of the volunteers! I would especially like to thank Deputy Clerk Kuzner and Trustee Hughes for their extra efforts on the document shredding end of things. Also, many thanks to Clerk Dolan, Trustee Menzies, Trustee Michniewicz, and the staff members from Building & Grounds and Zoning for their extra efforts to make our day a success! A detailed report will be provided once all of the cost details have been received.



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Blackout dates for 2022 Playing Season

(Includes Tentative and Pending – **Hi-lite** has event both sides)

No other uses allowed on Blackout Dates unless approved by Township

East Park

May 14, 2022	PHBSA Opening Day Event
May 14, 2022	Hamburg RC Swap Meet – Approved (Rain Date 15 th)
June 11-21, 2022	HERO – Family Fun Fest w/set-up – Approved
July 26, 2022	Livingston County Concert Band – Free Concert
August 13, 2022	Hamburg RC Airshow – Approved (Rain Date 27 th)
August 19-21, 2022	Michigan Alliance – Powerade – Pending

West Park

May 6, 7 & 8, 2022	MI Jaguars Invitational Tournament - Approved
June 15-21, 2022	HERO – Family Fun Fest Fireworks - Approved
August 19-21, 2022	Michigan Alliance – Powerade – Pending

Lakelands Trail

June 25-26, 2022	Scrap Metal Drive – Pettysville Trailhead – PHS Wrestling
August 13, 2022	Jogging for Jakey 5K – 9A-12PM – Pending

Winkelhaus Park

Projects

- Hay Creek Bridge Project
- Trail Maintenance Project

For Use Schedule go to:

https://www.hamburg.mi.us/departments/parks_and_recreation/event_calendar_info/parks_events_calendar.php



May 18, 2022

To: Parks and Recreation Committee
From: Julie Eddings, Senior Program
Director
Re: Senior Center Director's Report

April Statistics:

- Monthly Attendance: 1432
- Daily Average: 71
- Transportation Daily Average: 16
- Number of New Members: 26

Correspondence:

- Thank you note from Holly Hentz, Pearl Monkiewicz, and Linda Dassori
- Wishes from Cathy Crowley

Upcoming Closures:

- Friday, May 20 for Rummage Sale Set Up
- Monday, May 30 for Memorial Day

Upcoming Programming:

- Fiber Arts with Phyllis – every Tuesday at 11:30
- Brain Works Class – every Wednesday at 11:30- starting May 25
- Captain Mark Concert-Friday, May 6
- Low Vision Class-Monday, May 9
- Senior Center Bus trip to Greektown Casino-Wednesday, May 11
- Acrylic Painting Class-Friday, May 13
- Cooking Matters Class-Wednesday, May 18
- Spring Concert at Hartland Senior Center-Thursday, May 19
- New and Used Rummage Sale-Saturday, May 20
- Senior Center Lunch Bunch-Wednesday, May 25
- Book Club-Thursday, May 26
- Summer Patio Kick off-Friday, May 27
- Village Travelers Meeting-Tuesday, May 31

Other Information:

- We are working on a new member letter to welcome new members. Letters will be mailed monthly.

PowerAde Discussion – May 24, 2022

Report by: Township Coordinator, Deby Henneman

Game Schedule (w/estimated times):

- Set up Friday, August 19, 2022 (No games)
- Games Saturday, August 20, 2022 (8AM-8PM)
- Games Sunday, August 21, 2022 (8AM-5PM)

Present at meeting:

- Police - Deputy Chief Nisenbaum
- Parks - Township Coordinator Deby Henneman
- Applicant - Tournament Coordinator – Gretchen McKernan

Topic of Discussion:

- Smartwater and PowerAde event application denials, and response to the motion made by Parks Committee as follows:
- **Motion by Muck, supported by Dolan, to recommend denial of both applications from Michigan Alliance FC both dated March 10, 2022 for the Smartwater Tournament April 30-May 1, 2022 and PowerAde Invitational August 20-21, 2022, and to not recommend approval of these events until the Director of Public Safety is satisfied with the crowd control, directional signage, and the comprehensive traffic plan which should be submitted in writing by the applicant. This decision has been made due to historical lack of communication from this group, and past events that have raised public safety concerns.**

VOICE VOTE: Ayes: 4 Absent: 1 (Member at Large)

MOTION CARRIED

Changes in event proposed:

- Won't be using East side of Merrill Rd.
- Will enforce one-way traffic using one driveway in, one driveway out
 - Deputy Chief suggested utilizing the gate located at the southern-most driveway
- Suggested lining the gravel lots to designate parking spaces
- Special area for ADA parking blocked off and clearly marked near fields
 - Deputy Chief suggested the placement of advisory signs in road right of way
- Volunteers will be available to guide cars to available spaces
- Field map will be posted to tournament website and sent to teams with instructions re: traffic flow
- New Park Rangers will be scheduled to assist on Tournament days

Next Steps:

- Request was made to applicant to send an updated Field Map with proposed layout
- Deputy Chief and Township Coordinator to work on temporary signage solutions
 - Enter and Exit signs/banners at ends of driveways – Parks
 - Crosswalk signs for pedestrians in Merrill – Chief
 - Congested area signs for road right of way – Chief
 - Wayfinding signage for ADA parking – Parks
 - Wayfinding signage internally for field assignments – Applicant
- Township Coordinator to forward application for consideration to:
 - Parks – May 24, 2022
 - Public Safety – June 1, 2022
 - Township Board – June 7, 2022
- Applicant to forward updated plan for Packets
- Deputy Chief to provide memo for Packets

Attachments:

- Applicant Email dated 5/13/22 – Including terms and updated Field Map showing traffic flow
- Deputy Chief Email dated 5/13/22 – Meeting report and determination
- Tournament images from similar Tournament from May 2022 (Novi Jaguar) to show parking

Dariusz Nisenbaum

From: Gretchen McKernan <gretchen.mafc@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 13, 2022 12:11 PM
To: Deby Henneman
Cc: Dariusz Nisenbaum
Subject: 2022 Powerade Invitational
Attachments: 2022 PWI WBP Field Map.jpg

Hi Deby,

Attached is the updated Field Map for the 2022 Powerade Invitational. As discussed we no longer plan to use the fields on the east side of Merrill, and have reversed the Entrance and Exit to West Bennett. As a result of not using the 3 east fields, our total number of participants/spectators should be approximately 2400 and average approximately 1200.

We also plan to take these additional measures to assist with traffic flow:

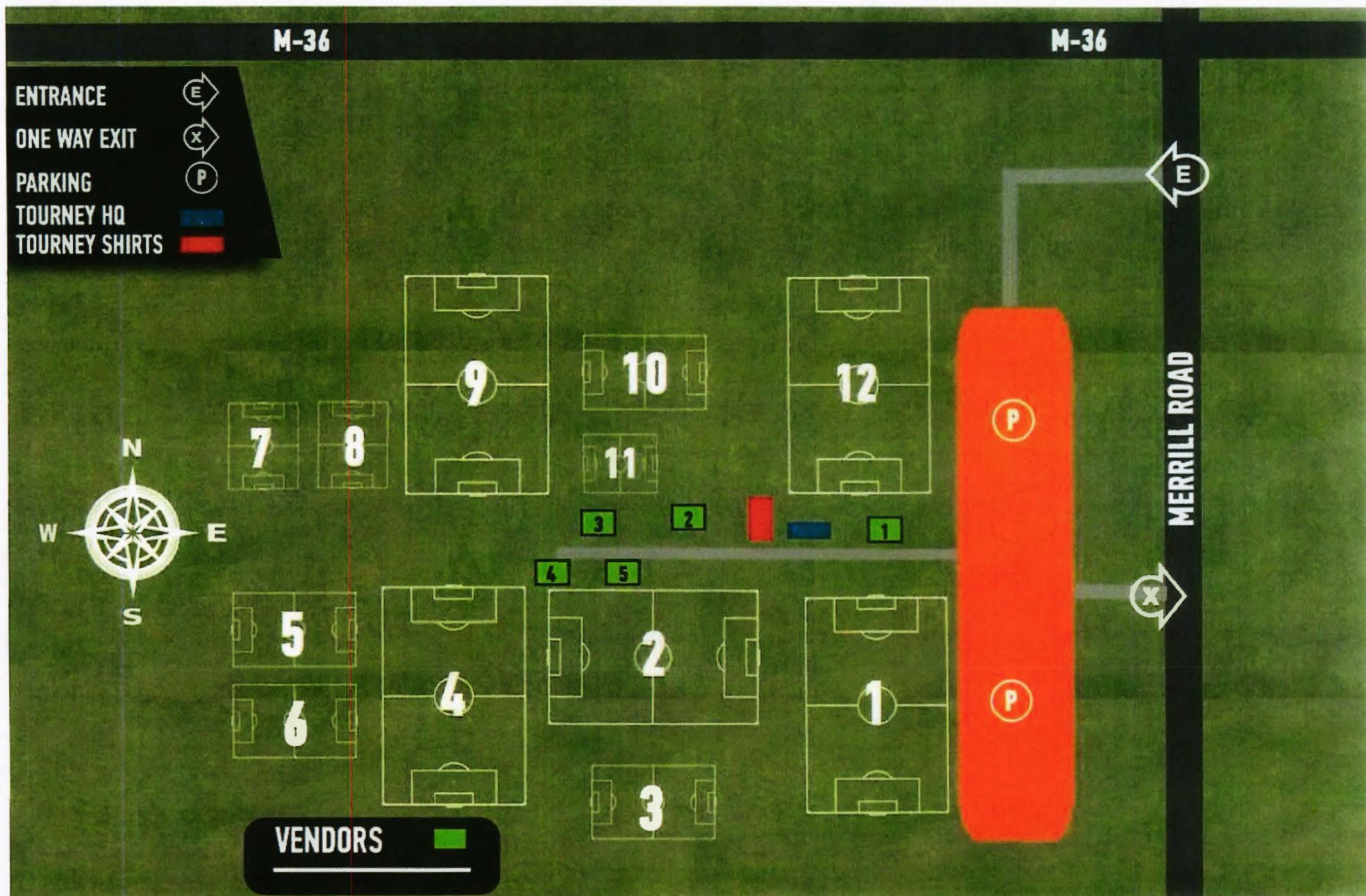
1. Will enforce one way entrance and exit, with signage and staff
2. Tournament volunteers will help guide cars to available parking spots.
3. Parking lot will be lined to help organize and maximize parking
4. Additional handicap parking will be designated
5. Field Map will be posted to the tournament website and sent to teams with discussion about traffic flow.

Let me know if you need anything else.

Thanks,
Gretchen McKernan
Legends FC
Club Administrator
(734) 260-1907

POWERADE INVITATIONAL WEST BENNETT FIELD MAP

810.231.9288 | 10446 Merrill Rd, Whitmore Lake 48189



2022 POWERADE INVITATIONAL

1. Will not be using fields on East Side of Merrill
2. Will enforce one way entrance, and exit, with signage and staff
3. Parking lot staff will also help guide cars to available parking spots
4. Field Map will be posted to tournament website and sent to teams with discussion about traffic flow

Deby Henneman

From: Dariusz Nisenbaum
Sent: Friday, May 13, 2022 10:51 PM
To: Richard Duffany
Cc: Deby Henneman
Subject: 2022 Powerade Invitational
Attachments: 2022 Powerade.pdf

Deby and I met with Gretchen from Powerade. Powerade would like to utilize all the soccer fields in West Bennett Park, limited to the west side of Merrill on August 19-21. Keeping all the soccer fields to the west side, along with the additional steps they are making should make this event manageable and avoid the traffic issues we have experienced in the past. Some overflow parking will likely be needed on the east side of Merrill Rd, but Public Safety staff will be on hand to help pedestrian's cross Merrill Rd when needed, as was done during the Jaguars soccer tournament last weekend.

The total number of participants expected should be approx. 2400 and average approx. 1200 at any one time. Powerade also agreed to take the below additional measures to assist with traffic flow and address problems from previous years:

1. Provide a one way entrance and exit, with signage and staff.
2. Tournament volunteers will help guide cars to available parking spots.
3. Parking lot will be lined to help organize and maximize parking.
4. Additional handicap parking will be designated.
5. Field Map will be posted to the tournament website and sent to teams with discussion about traffic flow.

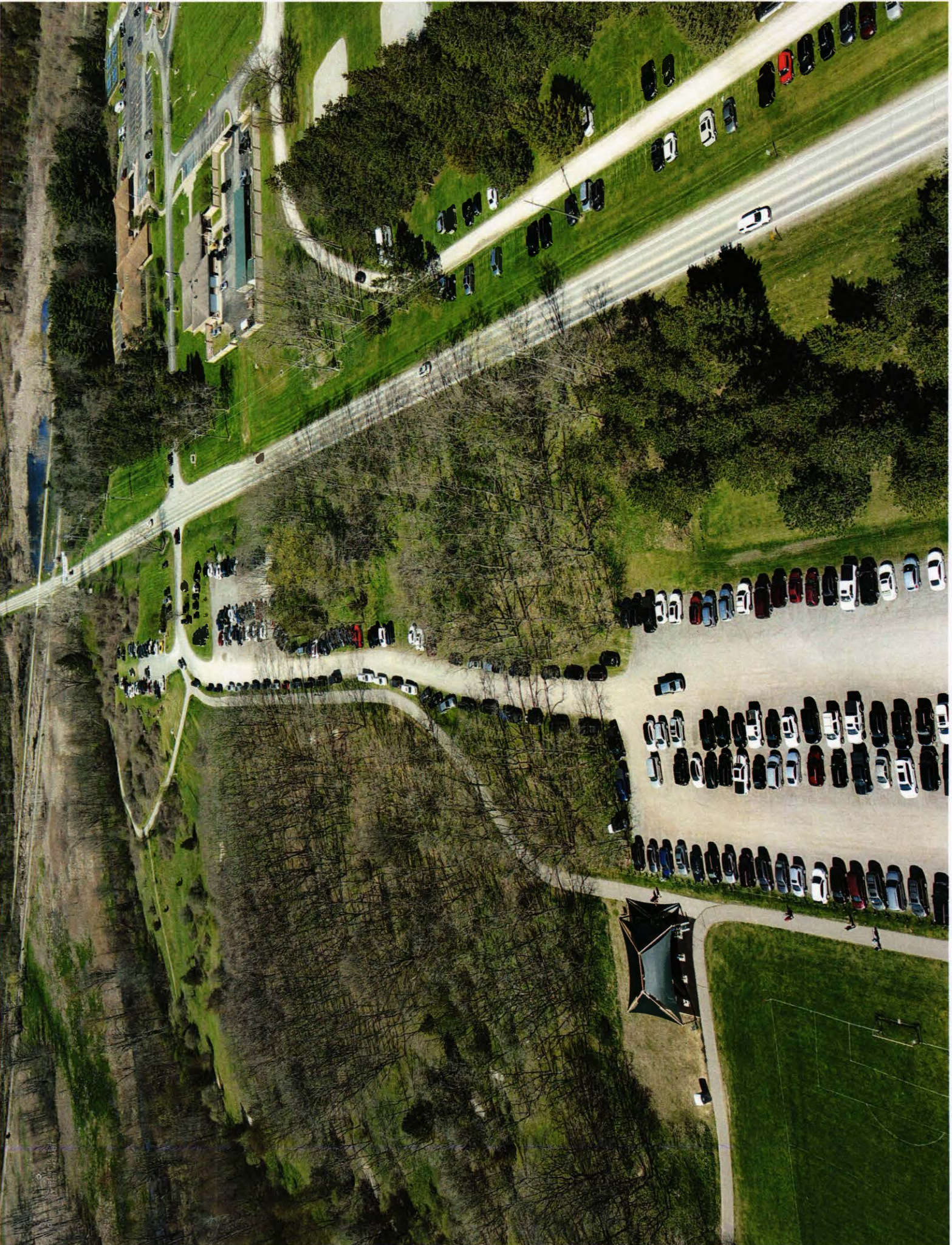
As long as the above steps are taken, I have no issue with Powerade Invitational using West Bennett Park for their event. See the attached for further.

Dariusz Nisenbaum
Deputy Director of Public Safety
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PARKING 517122 5015 event 22-00377

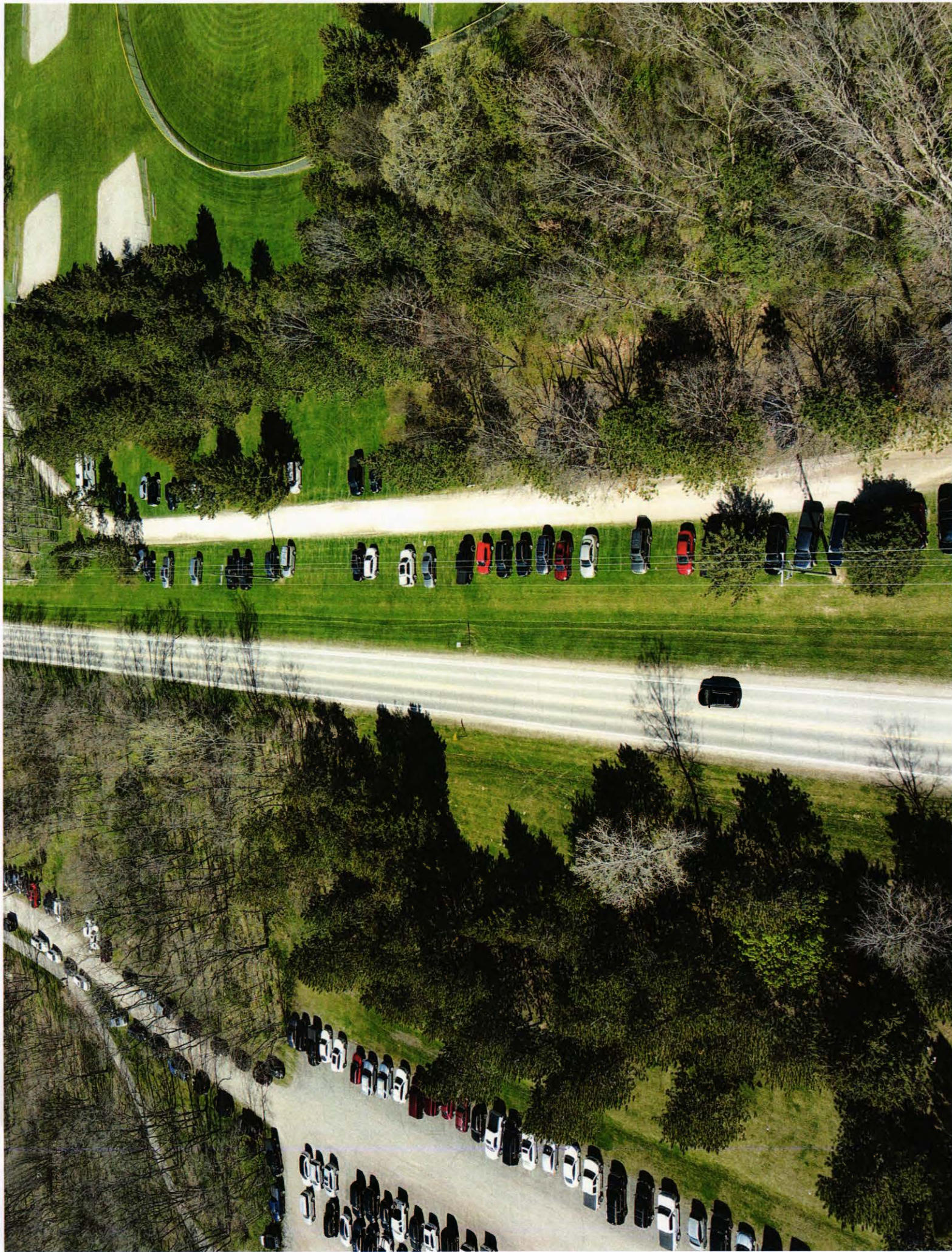






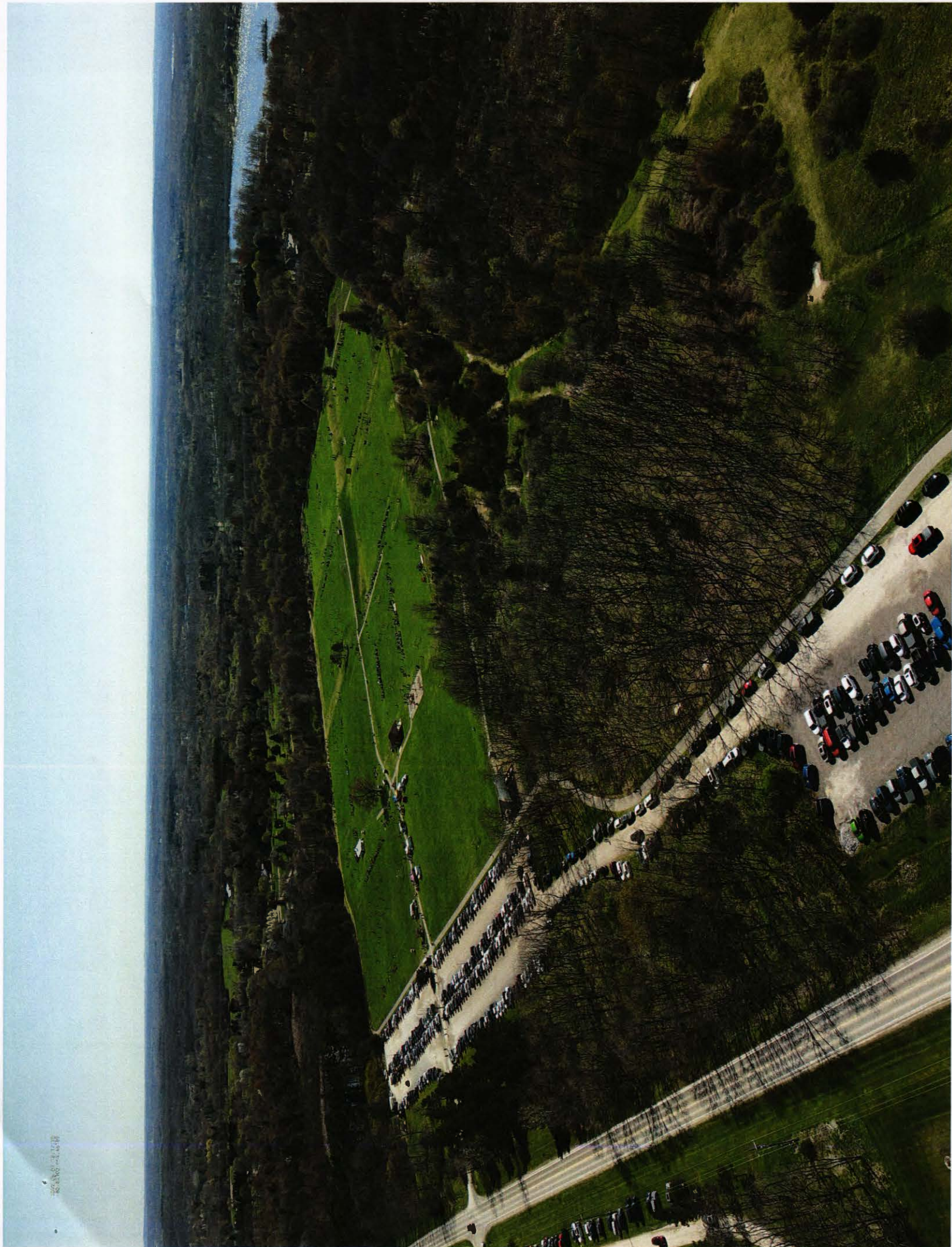












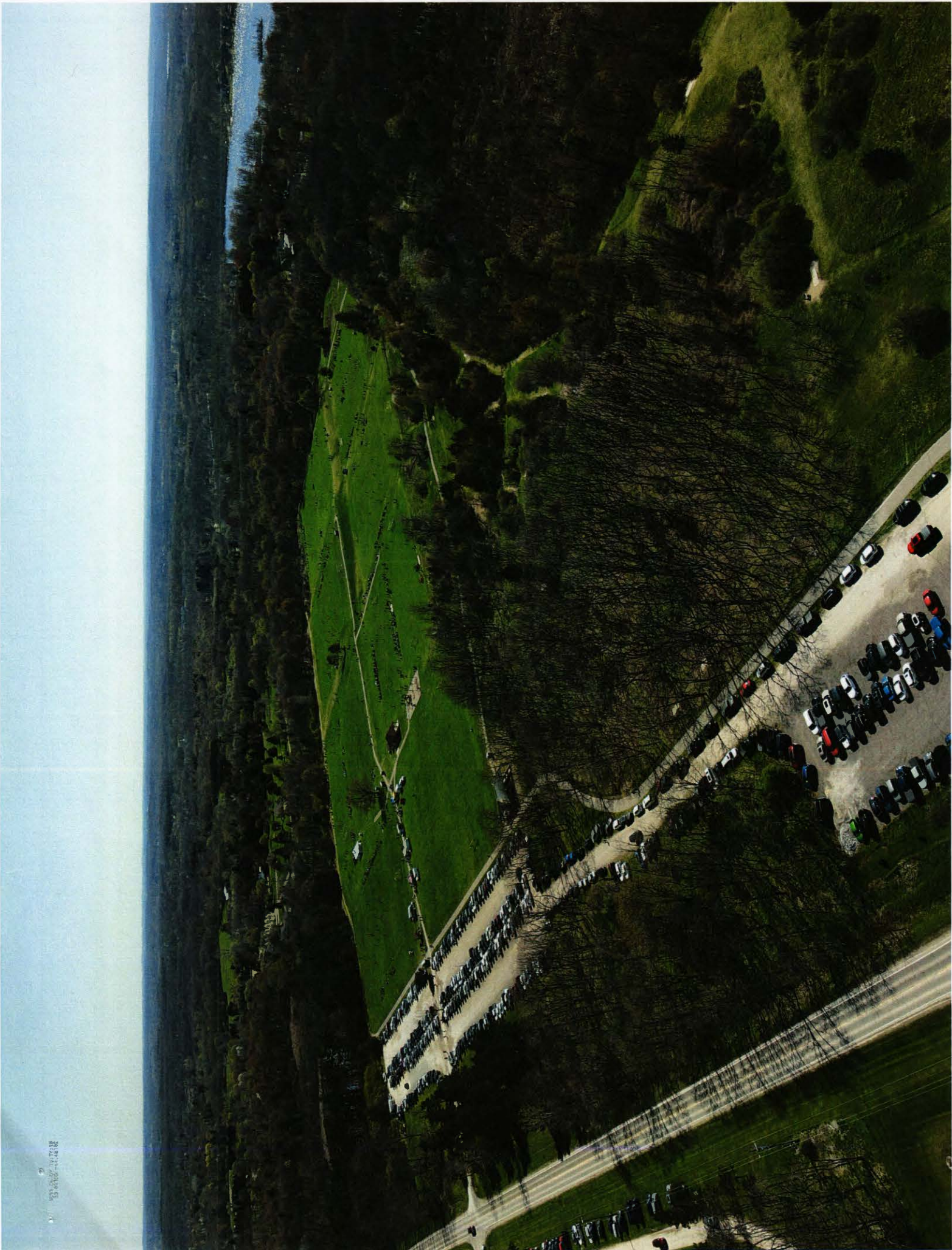


















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Memorandum

Date: March 18, 2022

To: Parks & Recreation Committee

From: Deby Henneman, Parks Coordinator

Re: PowerAde Invitational Tournament 2022

Michigan Alliance FC – Manly Bennett Park – Entire West Park with request for East Park Football Field usage – 100% of fields (blackout)

Dates of Event: August 20 & 21, 2022

We are in receipt of a Park Use Application from the Michigan Alliance for use of all Soccer Fields in Manly Bennett West, as well as the Football fields in East Park, for the PowerAde Invitational Soccer Tournament to be held on the captioned dates. Based on safety concerns from past events, and the current park application procedure, it will be required that Public Safety make their recommendation to accommodate the event as requested, or if approval will be limited to West Park. The anticipated hazard level is Medium, but all charges will be based on the recommendation from Public Safety. This group will be charged as a non-partnering user group.

The applicant will be in charge of requesting additional portable toilets as well as dumpsters for this event, and all charges incurred for these services. They will also be expected to have all additional facilities removed by the Monday of the following week and will be charged for any damages incurred to the premises due to their event. Should the event be approved on both sides of the park, they will need to work out a safety plan with Public Safety staff.

Should the Parks & Recreation Committee recommend approval of the application, it should include a contingency that a Certificate of Insurance naming Hamburg Township as Additional Insured be provided, that the user be charged a \$500 non-refundable hold the date deposit and charged for use less deposit based on fee schedule, that the Clerk Department be provided all requested documents to their satisfaction, that the Concession vendors supply a Certificate of Insurance and proof of Food Service license, if applicable, subject to a Vendor Inspection by the Fire Marshal, and that a recommendation from the Public Safety Committee be received prior to requesting the Township Board's approval.



Hamburg Township Manly Bennett Park

P.O. Box 157
10405 Merrill Road
Hamburg, Michigan 48139-0157
(810) 231-1000 Office X-218
(810) 231-4295 Fax

Park Use Application

And Release of Liability & Indemnification Agreement

(Application must be submitted 60 days before requested use)

Applicant Information:

Event Sponsor (or name if family or individual use): Michigan Alliance FC

Name of Event: Powerade Invitational

Type of Event: Soccer Tournament Park Use Category #: 2 - Qualified User

Applicant Name: Gretchen McKernan

Date(s) of Event: August 20-21, 2022 Time(s) of Event: 8:00 am - 8:00 pm

Applicant Address: 9299 Goble Drive Suite or Apt #: _____

Applicant City: Brighton State: MI Zip: 48116

Contact Person (present during use): Gretchen McKernan

Contact's Affiliation with Applicant: Administrator

Contact's Phone: 734-260-1907 Contact's E-Mail: gretchen.maafc@gmail.com

Event Co-applicant, if any: _____

All Co-applicants must also sign all applications and waivers.

Co-applicant relationship to Applicant: _____

Co-applicant's phone: _____

Insurance Information:

Insurance Carrier: K&K Insurance Group

Certificate of Insurance must be provided by all applicants as outlined in Appendix B in the Park Facility Use Policy.

Policy #: _____ Expiration Date: 9-1-22

Limit of General Liability: \$1,000,000 Occurrence 1,000,000 Aggregate _____

Umbrella Coverage Limit (if any): 5,000,000 Occurrence 5,000,000 Aggregate _____

Event Description: *(any information that doesn't pertain to your event please indicate not applicable)*

Please describe the event you propose to host: Youth Soccer Tournament for 8U - 18U teams

Total Number of participants/spectators/guests anticipated during event: 2500

Average of participants/spectators/guests anticipated at any given time: 1500

Site of Proposed Event; include all areas of the parklands that will be used: Fields in both East and West Bennett Parks

Include site plan drawing reflecting all areas of the Township Park and recreational facilities the event will effect

Will there be camping and trailer facilities? If so, are overnight stays anticipated: No

Number of Volunteers: 100

Are Volunteers trained?: Yes

Please attach copy of Volunteer Handbook if applicable

Will tents be used?: Yes If so, please indicate locations: Along pathway,
in non-sprinklered areas

Under no circumstances are tent stakes to be driven into asphalt surfaces. Tent locations must be pre-approved.

Will admission be charged? If so, how much: No

Parking fee charged? If so, how much: No Valet service available? No

Will Food/Beverages be served? If so, types of food and name of persons serving: Licensed vendors will
be selling carnival-type food, barbeque, smoothies, shaved ice, etc.

For anything other than pre-packaged foods, Concession Application, Health Department License and Products Liability coverage is required.

Will there be Fireworks or any other pyrotechnic display? If so, describe: No

Insurance requirements to be established during the event review process as stated in Appendix B of the Park Facility Use Policy.

Will there be any animals present? If so, describe: No

Pets are not allowed in Parkland during events. Service Dogs are allowed with proper certification.

Will there be Amusement rides or games? If so, describe: No

Insurance requirements to be established during the event review process as stated in Appendix B of the Park Facility Use Policy.

Will there be a need for vehicles to be used on Township grounds? If so, describe: Just golf carts

Personal vehicles require proof of Auto Liability based on the description of use and areas needing to be accessed during event.

Will there be a need for Emergency Responders over and above what is included in the Public Safety Fee? If so, describe: No

Hamburg Township reserves the right to require private security and/or emergency responders be present during any event.

Specific services required from the Township, if any: Just typical field maintenance

Other information regarding your event that you feel may be helpful: _____

Organized Sports and/or Sporting Events:

Please indicate type of sports event: ☐ Regular Season (Games/Practices) ☒ Sports Tournament ☐ Other

If Tournament or other event, complete Event Description on Page 2 and provide additional details, if any:

Release of Liability & Indemnification Agreement

The approval of this park use request is contingent upon receipt of all requested information, review process of the Hamburg Township Parks & Recreation Committee, and approval of the Hamburg Township Board. The applicant may be required to provide additional information as is deemed necessary by the Parks & Recreation Committee and/or Township Board, and may be required to meet with the Parks Administrator and/or Parks Coordinator to supply additional information or to answer questions. If the Park Use Application is received less than 60 days prior to the requested event date, the Parks & recreation Committee and Township Board may process the application, however, the application fee may be increased in an amount to be determined by the Parks & Recreation Committee and/or the Township Board.

The undersigned acknowledges that he/she/they are authorized to sign this application on behalf of the applicant and that he/she/they have received a copy of all documents relating to the use of the park and recreational facilities including the Hamburg Township Park Facility Use Policy Rules and Regulations.

In further consideration of entering into this agreement, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the Applicant agrees to defend, pay on behalf of, indemnify, and hold harmless Hamburg Township, its elected and appointed officials, employees and volunteers, and others working on behalf of Hamburg Township against any and all claims, demands, suits, or loss, including all costs connected therewith, and for any damages which may be asserted, claimed, or recovered against or from Hamburg Township, by reason of personal injury, including bodily injury or death and/or property damage, including loss of use thereof, which arises out of, or is in any way connected or associated with this contract.

The Applicant covenants and agrees that it will have a representative on the premises at all times to monitor the set-up, use and tear-down of the use and all activities related to thereto and under no circumstances shall the use of the park be granted or sublet to any other group or organization without the express written permission of the Hamburg Township Board of Trustees.

Any Applicant or group or entity co-hosting an event must provide a Certificate of Insurance naming Hamburg Township as an additional insured and proof of that coverage must be provided prior to the issuance of the permit for the event. The Applicant and/or co-host of any event must comply with all rules, regulations and policies of the Township pertaining to the said use and will be ultimately responsible for any and all damages to any Hamburg Township property resulting from the use, and shall otherwise restore the Township property to its previous condition.

Personal Property Damage Claims: The applicant hereby releases Hamburg Township, Its elected and appointed officials, employees and volunteers, and others working behalf of Hamburg Township, from any and all liability or responsibility to the applicant or anyone claiming through or under the applicant by way of subrogation or otherwise, for any loss or damage to applicant's property resulting from any incident, except damages resulting from the gross negligence of the Township, as it relates to the activities and uses contemplated by the application. It is understood by the applicant that all private property kept, stored or maintained in and on the Hamburg Township Park and recreational facilities shall be so kept, stored or maintained at the risk of the Applicant.

Initials: gdm

Public Health & Safety: The applicant hereby swears and attests that they have complied with all aspects and intent, of Background Checks and that they are in compliance with the Michigan Sports Concession Law, Acts 342 & 343, Public Acts of 2012, as referenced in the Park Facility Use Policy and outlined in Appendix A. The applicant understands that falsification of the above statement and/or failure to comply with these requirements may result in the suspension and/or revocation of the use of the Hamburg Township parkland facilities.

Initials: gdm

Applicant's Signature: Gretchen McKerann Date: 3/10/2022

Co- applicant's Signature: [Signature] Date: 3/18/22

Parks Coordinator: [Signature] Date: 3/18/22

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Comments: Park Coon rec High Hay

Meeting Approval Dates: _____ Parks & Recreation _____ Public Safety _____ Township Board

Application has been (Circle one)



Approved



Denied

Hamburg Township Representative: _____



**Hamburg Township
Parks & Recreation**

**Hamburg Township Offices
10405 Merrill Rd., P.O. Box 157
Hamburg, MI 48139
(810)231-1000
www.hamburg.mi.us**

Memorandum

Date: May 12, 2022

To: Parks & Recreation Committee

From: Deby Henneman, Parks Coordinator

Re: Pinckney High School Wrestling Club – Metal Drive
June 25-26, 2022 – 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. - Pettysville Trailhead

We are in receipt of a Park Use Application from the Pinckney H.S. Wrestling Club requesting use of the Pettysville Trailhead for a Scrap Metal Drive Fundraiser for the captioned dates. This organization has hosted this event for a few years at this location. The applicant will be responsible for clean-up of all debris and metal from the site, as well as removal of the dumpsters no later than Monday, June 27, 2022.

On April 5, 2022, Section 2.5 of the Park Facility Use Policy pertaining to Business, Vending and Concessions was updated. The new language does support consideration of special use for non-profit organizations for fundraising events which must be approved by the Township Board through the Park application process.

The materials for the Hay Creek Bridge Project are being staged at the Pettysville Trailhead, and I have been advised that it should be cleared out of there by the end of May. It is anticipated this project will be done by the beginning of June, so the applicant changed their originally planned weekend at my request to accommodate both the busy Family Fun Fest traffic and the use of the parking lot during the Hay Creek Bridge construction. Should this application be approved as submitted, I recommend a waiver of fees be considered due to the nature of the event. Use will be subject to the Clerk Department be provided all requested documents to their satisfaction, and that residents be allowed use of the trailhead to obtain access to the Trail during the event.



Hamburg Township Manly Bennett Park

P.O. Box 157
10405 Merrill Road
Hamburg, Michigan 48139-0157
(810) 231-1000 Office X-218
(810) 231-4295 Fax

Park Use Application

And Release of Liability & Indemnification Agreement

(Application must be submitted 60 days before requested use)

Applicant Information:

Event Sponsor (or name if family or individual use): Pineckney Wrestling Club
Name of Event: Scrap Metal Drive
Type of Event: Scrap Metal Drive Park Use Category #: _____
Applicant Name: Stephanie Lamb - Pineckney Wrestling Club
Date(s) of Event: 4-25-23 Time(s) of Event: 8-4
Applicant Address: 8595 Merrill Rd Suite or Apt #: _____
Applicant City: Whitmore Lake State: MI Zip: 48189
Contact Person (present during use): Stephanie Lamb
Contact's Affiliation with Applicant: same
Contact's Phone: 734-904-3145 Contact's E-Mail: stephanie.lamb777@gmail.com
Event Co-applicant, if any: _____
All Co-applicants must also sign all applications and waivers.
Co-applicant relationship to Applicant: _____
Co-applicant's phone: _____

Insurance Information:

Insurance Carrier: Fireman's Fund Insurance Company
Certificate of Insurance must be provided by all applicants as outlined in Appendix B in the Park Facility Use Policy.
Policy #: XPK80998373 Expiration Date: 4/30/23
Limit of General Liability: 1,000,000 Occurrence 2,000,000 Aggregate
Umbrella Coverage Limit (if any): none Occurrence X Aggregate

Event Description: *(any information that doesn't pertain to your event please indicate not applicable)*

Please describe the event you propose to host: We would like to host our annual scrap metal drive for the public to drop off any scrap metal so we can raise funds for our club.
Total Number of participants/spectators/guests anticipated during event: 50-100?

Average of participants/spectators/guests anticipated at any given time: 10-20

Site of Proposed Event; include all areas of the parklands that will be used: Trailhead across from captain frosty's
Pettysville Trailhead

Include site plan drawing reflecting all areas of the Township Park and recreational facilities the event will effect

Will there be camping and trailer facilities? If so, are overnight stays anticipated: _____

Number of Volunteers: 15-20 Are Volunteers trained?: yes
Please attach copy of Volunteer Handbook if applicable

Will tents be used?: 1 If so, please indicate locations: towards the back for sun coverage for volunteers
Under no circumstances are tent stakes to be driven into asphalt surfaces. Tent locations must be pre-approved.

Will admission be charged? If so, how much: no

Parking fee charged? If so, how much: no Valet service available? no

Will Food/Beverages be served? If so, types of food and name of persons serving: no

For anything other than pre-packaged foods, Concession Application, Health Department License and Products Liability coverage is required.

Will there be Fireworks or any other pyrotechnic display? If so, describe: no

Insurance requirements to be established during the event review process as stated in Appendix B of the Park Facility Use Policy.

Will there be any animals present? If so, describe: no

Pets are not allowed in Parkland during events. Service Dogs are allowed with proper certification.

Will there be Amusement rides or games? If so, describe: no

Insurance requirements to be established during the event review process as stated in Appendix B of the Park Facility Use Policy.

Will there be a need for vehicles to be used on Township grounds? If so, describe: Just
the dumpster trucks to haul/replace dumpsters
Personal vehicles require proof of Auto Liability based on the description of use and areas needing to be accessed during event.

Will there be a need for Emergency Responders over and above what is included in the Public Safety Fee? If so, describe: no

Hamburg Township reserves the right to require private security and/or emergency responders be present during any event.

Specific services required from the Township, if any: none

Other information regarding your event that you feel may be helpful: This is a two
day event that is a fundraiser for the
Pinkney Wrestling Club

Organized Sports and/or Sporting Events:

Please indicate type of sports event: ☐ Regular Season (Games/Practices) ☒ Sports Tournament ☐ Other

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Initials: SR

Public Health & Safety: The applicant hereby swears and attests that they have complied with all aspects and intent, of Background Checks and that they are in compliance³ with the Michigan Sports Concession Law, Acts 342 & 343, Public Acts of 2012, as referenced in the Park Facility Use Policy and outlined in Appendix A. The applicant understands that falsification of the above statement and/or failure to comply with these requirements may result in the suspension and/or revocation of the use of the Hamburg Township parkland facilities.

Initials: SR

Applicant's Signature: [Signature] Date: 5-1-22

Co- applicant's Signature: [Signature] Date: _____

Parks Coordinator: [Signature] Date: 5-12-22

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Comments: Trailhead will open during event for residents to access trail

Meeting Approval Dates: _____ Parks & Recreation _____ Public Safety _____ Township Board

Application has been (Circle one)

Approved

Denied

Hamburg Township Representative: _____



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
04/18/2022

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER R.V. Nuccio & Associates Insurance Brokers, Inc. 10148 Riverside Drive Toluca Lake, CA 91602	CONTACT NAME: Robert V. Nuccio		
	PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (800) 364-2433	FAX (A/C, No): (818) 980-1595	
	E-MAIL ADDRESS: support@rvnuccio.com		
INSURED Pinckney Wrestling Club 2130 E. M-36 Pinckney, MI 48169	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC #
	INSURER A: Fireman's Fund Insurance Company		21873
	INSURER B: Nationwide Life Insurance Company		66869
	INSURER C:		
	INSURER D:		
	INSURER E:		
		INSURER F:	

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSR	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	GENERAL LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		XPk80998373 NANPO0055045	4/20/2022	4/20/2023	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES \$ 100,000 MEDICAL EXPENSE \$ 5,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 1,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 2,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$ 2,000,000 \$
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS						COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT \$ BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$
	UMBRELLA LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> DED <input type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$	<input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE					EACH OCCURRENCE \$ AGGREGATE \$ \$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	N/A				WC STATUTORY LIMITS OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$
A	Directors and Officers			NPODO0062361	4/20/2022	4/20/2023	\$1,000,000
A	Sexual Misconduct Liability			NANPO0055045	4/20/2022	4/20/2023	1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (Attach ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, if more space is required)

Additional Insured: Hamburg Township / Sexual Misconduct Liability included. Event Description: Various events Start Date: 4/20/2022 End Date: 4/20/2023

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

Hamburg Township
10405 Merrill Rd P.O. Box 157
Hamburg, MI 48139

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

Robert V. Nuccio

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Large two-sided marker
Different Text Each Side
2" caption
1 ½" text
Livingston Co.
Hamburg
Side One

HAMBURG

1 The Potawatomi spent summers in this
2 area for centuries before the 1831
3 arrival of the first Euro-American
4 settlers—Felix Dunlavy, Jesse Hall,
5 Calvin Jackson, Cornelius Miller,
6 Heman Lake, and their families. In
7 1835 E. F. Gay and Amariah Hammond
8 purchased land along Horseshoe Creek
9 and built a dam and the area's first
10 sawmill. They later sold their interests
11 to the Grisson brothers—emigrants
12 from Hamburg, Germany—who added
13 a gristmill, store, and hotel later known
14 as the Hamburg House to the village. A
15 fire destroyed the hotel in 1968. In the
16 1880s the Ann Arbor and Grand Trunk
17 railroads laid tracks through Hamburg.
18 This spurred economic growth and
19 drew tourists to the nearby lakes. In the
20 1950s and 1960s, the development of
21 I-96 and U.S. 23 prompted an influx of
22 residents that made Hamburg Township
23 the largest municipality in the county.

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Side Two

EDWIN B. WINANS

1 Edwin B. Winans (1826-1894) was the
2 first Democrat to be elected governor of
3 Michigan after the Civil War. Serving a
4 two-year term starting in 1890, he
5 instituted the secret ballot system. A
6 New York native, Winans had moved
7 to Livingston County, Michigan, at the
8 age of eight. He attended Albion
9 College and the University of Michigan
10 Law School before leaving the state to
11 seek his fortune in the California gold
12 rush. In 1858 he returned to Michigan
13 and purchased a 400-acre farm in
14 Hamburg. Winans enjoyed an active
15 political career. He served as state
16 representative (1861-65), constitutional
17 convention delegate (1867), township
18 supervisor (1872-73), probate judge for
19 Livingston County (1877-81), and as
20 congressman (1883-87). On July 4,
21 1894, he died at his Winans Lake home
22 in Hamburg Township, where he had
23 lived for thirty-six years.