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Timothy Huey Director

To: Dee F Bruemmer, County Administrator

From: Timothy Huey, Planning Director

Date: February 7, 2012

Re: A request by Charles Brozovich for approval of the Final Plat of Charles Brozovich Subdivision, a two lot residential and agricultural subdivision located east of 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue and south of 12705 and 12581 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue and part of the South 35 acres of the West 70 acres in the NW ¼ of Section 11, Buffalo Township.

The Planning Commission unanimously recommended approval of the Final Plat in accordance with staff's recommendation with the added condition that the private covenants include a disclaimer regarding the underground mining that is conducted in the vicinity of the property.

Approval of this Final Plat will split this undeveloped residential and agricultural tract into two parcels; Lot 1, a proposed 19 acre tract and Lot 2, a proposed 12 acre tract. The western 1/3 of this 32 acre tract is zoned R-1 and the eastern 2/3's is zoned A-G. Lot 1 has 502 feet of frontage on 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Lot 2 has 376 feet of frontage. Both lots are approximately1150 feet deep, with the west 550 feet zoned Single-Family Residential (R-1) and the remainder zoned Ag General.

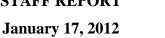
This proposed replat would allow one house to be developed on each of these two proposed lots. Both these lots would have direct access to the adjacent County road. Any house constructed on these parcels would have to be built on the portion of the property zoned R-1 or within 550 feet of the road.

Linwood Mining Company, as an adjacent property owner, was notified of the replat and requested, as it has done with previous subdivisions in Buffalo Township that the private covenants include a disclaimer regarding the underground mining that is conducted in the vicinity of the property. The applicant did not express any objections to this condition.

**PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:** The Planning Commission recommends approval of the Final Plat of Charles Brozovich Subdivision with the condition that the private covenants include a disclaimer regarding the underground mining that is conducted in the vicinity of the property.



# PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT





**Applicant:** Charles Brozovich

**Request:** Sketch Plan /Final Plat of Charles Brozovich Subdivision, a two lot

residential and agricultural subdivision

**Legal Description:** Part of the South 35 acres of the West 70 acres in the NW ¼ of Section 11,

**Buffalo Township** 

**General Location:** East of 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue, South of 12705 and 12581 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue

**Zoning:** Single Family Residential (R-1) the west 550 feet adjacent to the road and

Agricultural General (A-G) the east 600 feet

#### **Surrounding Zoning:**

North: Single Family Residential (R-1)
South: Agricultural General (A-G)
East: Agricultural General (A-G)

West: Single Family Residential (R-1) and Agricultural General (A-G)

**GENERAL COMMENTS:** This Plat is submitted to split an undeveloped residential and agricultural tract that is approximately 32 acres in size into two parcels; Lot 1, a proposed 19 acre tract and Lot 2, a proposed 12 acre tract. Lot 1 has 502 feet of frontage on 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Lot two has 376 feet of frontage. Both lots are approximately1150 feet deep, with the west 550 feet zoned Single-Family Residential (R-1) and the remainder zoned Ag General.

STAFF REVIEW: Staff has reviewed this request for approval of a Sketch Plan and Final Plat of a Minor Plat. The Subdivision Regulations allow a plat to be reviewed as a Minor Plat if the plat creates less than five (5) lots and does not involve the extension of any new streets. This plat would comply with those requirements, since both lots would have frontage on the existing County road.

This proposed replat would allow one house to be developed on each of these two proposed lots. Both these lots would have direct access to the adjacent County road. Any house constructed on these parcels would have to be built on the portion of the property zoned R-1 or within 550 feet of the road.

The Scott County Engineer stated that the placement of the driveway entrances to these two properties would require prior approval. He states his concern is that the road is in this area is quite hilly, which limits sight distances and placement of the driveway should be in the areas where such distances are determined to be adequate.

The Health Department did not have any comments or concerns with lots of this size.



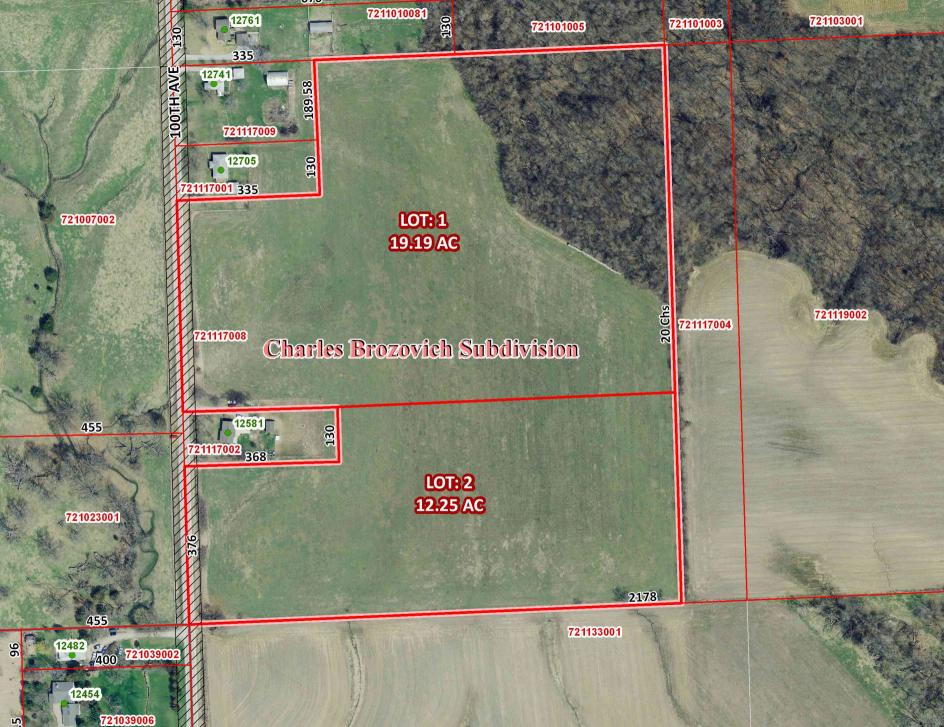
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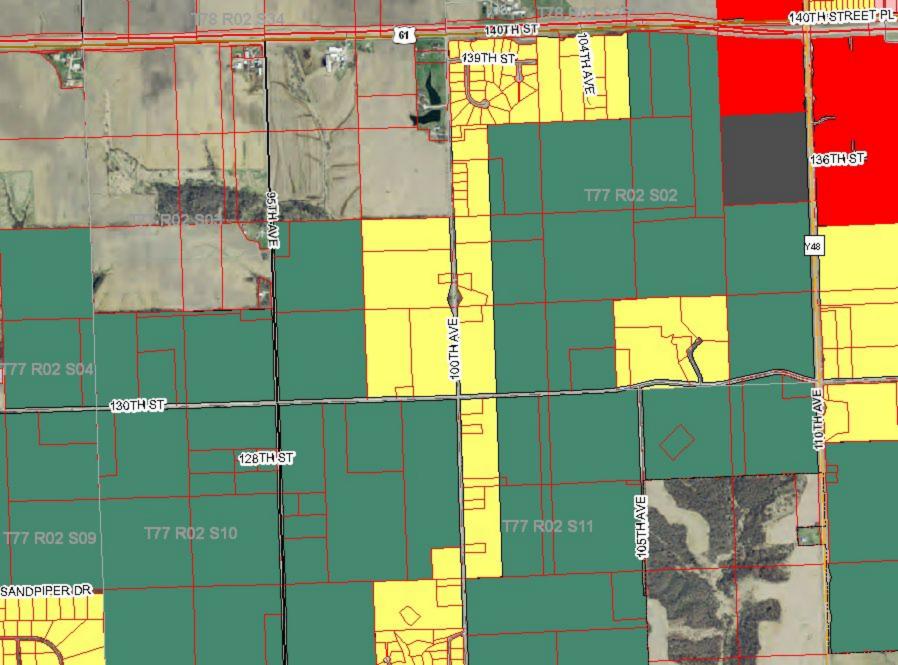
Staff has mailed notification to the adjacent property owners within five hundred feet (500') of this property regarding this subdivision request. Staff has not, as of yet, received any calls or comments on this proposed plat.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends that the sketch plan and Final Plat of Lots 1 & 2 of Charles Brozovich Subdivision be approved

Submitted by: Timothy Huey, Director January 12, 2012









THE COUNTY AUDITOR'S SIGNATURE CERTIFIES THAT THIS RESOLUTION HAS BEEN FORMALLY APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ON DATE	
SCOTT COUNTY AUDITOR	

#### RESOLUTION

#### SCOTT COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS\

### February 16, 2012

#### APPROVING THE FINAL PLAT OF CHARLES BROZOVICH SUBDIVISION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Scott County Board of Supervisors as follows:

- Section 1. As the local governing body responsible for the approval of subdivision plats within its rural jurisdiction, the Scott County Board of Supervisors has on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February considered the Final Plat of Charles Brozovich Subdivision, a two (2) lot subdivision, being a part of the South 35 acres of the West 70 acres in the NW \(^1\)4 of Section 11. Buffalo Township and having found the same made in substantial accordance with the provisions of Chapter 354, Code of Iowa, and the Scott County Subdivision Ordinance, does hereby approve the Final Plat of said subdivision with the condition that a the restrictive covenant states "The proprietor of Charles Brozovich Subdivision and all future purchasers of lots within the Addition are placed on notice that real estate near the subdivision is currently owned by a company that performs underground mining. The events of a mining operation are likely to have an impact on the lots within Charles Brozovich Subdivision. Blasting is one example that is likely to have an impact on lots within Charles Brozovich Subdivision through underground shockwaves. Other events of the mining operation will also likely impact the lots."
- Section 2. The Board Chairman is authorized to sign the Certificate of Approval on behalf of the Board of Supervisors and the County Auditor to attest to his signature.
- Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

#### CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL BY SCOTT COUNTY

I, Tom Sunderbruch, Chairman of the Scott County Board of Supervisors, do hereby certify that said Board adopted a Resolution on February 16, 2012 in which it approved the Final Plat of **Charles Brozovich Subdivision** as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Scott County Board of Supervisors as follows:

**Section 1**. As the local governing body responsible for the approval of subdivision plats within its rural jurisdiction, the Scott County Board of Supervisors has on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2012 considered the Final Plat of Charles Brozovich Subdivision, a two (2) lot subdivision being a part of the South 35 acres of the West 70 acres in the NW 1/4 of Section 11, Buffalo Township and having found the same made in substantial accordance with the provisions of Chapter 354, Code of Iowa, and the Scott County Subdivision Ordinance, does hereby approve the Final Plat of said subdivision with the condition that the restrictive covenant states "The proprietor of Charles Brozovich Subdivision and all future purchasers of lots within the Addition are placed on notice that real estate near the subdivision is currently owned by a company that performs underground mining. The events of a mining operation are likely to have an impact on the lots within Charles Brozovich Subdivision. Blasting is one example that is likely to have an impact on lots within Charles Brozovich Subdivision through underground shockwaves. Other events of the mining operation will also likely impact the lots."

**Section 2.** The Board Chairman is authorized to sign the Certificate of Approval on behalf of the Board of Supervisors and the County Auditor to attest to his signature.

**Section 3**. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Signed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2012

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BY:	
Tom Sunderb	ruch, Chairman
ATTESTED BY:	
Roxanna Mor	itz Auditor

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