

MCKENZIE COUNTY
NORTH DAKOTA

Opens: Tuesday, August 23 | 8AM

Closes: Tuesday, August 30 | 12PM CST 2022

REAL ESTATE AUCTION Timed Online

Absolute!

Watford City, ND Lumber Yard

Auctioneer's Note: Excellent opportunity to purchase Watford City commercial property on an absolute timed online auction. The former home to Watford City Lumber, this tract offers over 5.5 acres and several outbuildings in an expansive and growth focused part of town. Frontage access on 4th Ave SE connecting the heart of downtown Watford to commercial and residential growth areas on the east side of town makes this property one you don't want to miss. This property will sell regardless of price to the highest bidder.

Preview Date: Tuesday August 23rd 11am - 2pm



📍 1504 4th Ave NE, Watford City, ND 58854

Steffes Group, Inc. | 2000 Main Avenue East, West Fargo, ND | 701.237.9173 | SteffesGroup.com

First International Bank & Trust, Owners

Contact Martin Peterson at Steffes Group, 701.237.9173 or 320.905.5325 or Terry Moe 701.580.2426, or visit SteffesGroup.com

Max Steffes ND999, Scott Steffes ND81, Brad Olstad ND319. **TERMS:** 10% down upon signing purchase agreement with balance due at closing in 45 days.

The Terms and Conditions of Sale are set forth upon this page in this Buyer's Prospectus and the Earnest Money Receipt and Purchase Agreement (the "Purchase Agreement"). The information set forth is believed to be accurate. However, the owner of the properties and Steffes Group make no warranties or guarantees expressed or implied. Information contained in this document was collected from sources deemed to be reliable and is true and correct to the best of the writer's knowledge. Auctioneers and owners will not be held responsible for advertising discrepancies or inaccuracies.

All ANNOUNCEMENTS ON AUCTION DAY TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED INFORMATION.

Prospective buyers are advised to consult with an attorney of their choice with respect to the purchase of any real property including but not limited to, seeking legal advice from their own attorney regarding disclosures and disclaimers set forth below.



SPECIFIC TERMS FOR ONLINE ONLY AUCTION

This is an online only auction with no buyer's premium.

Steffes Group along with their employees are seller's agents and are licensed in the state where the property is located. We strongly recommend buyers secure buyer representation, at their expense, in all real estate transactions.

Bid placed within the last 4 minutes of the auction will extend the auction an additional 4 minutes. Bid extensions continue and auction does not end until there are no bids for 4 minutes.

This property sells for cash with no owner financing. Bidders must have financing secured prior to bidding. The sale of this property IS NOT contingent on the bidder securing financing.

The auction begins Tuesday, August 23, 2022 at 8AM and will end Tuesday, August 30, 2022 at 12PM.

- All bidders must register with SteffesGroup.com as an online bidder to participate in the auction.
- All bidders must register their name, address and telephone number in order for your bidding number to be approved.
- The successful bidder will be required to sign an Earnest Money Receipt and Purchase Agreement at the close of the real estate auction. A total deposit of 10% of the purchase price will be required. Those funds will be placed in a Real Estate Trust Account as good faith money until closing.
- The contract signing will take place at Steffes Group, 2000 Main Avenue East, West Fargo ND.
- If the winning bidder is unable to come to the Steffes office for signing of the contract, contact Max Steffes 701.237.9173. Arrangements will be made to email or fax a copy of the contract for signature. The buyer would fax the signed copy back to 701.237.0976 or send a scanned copy by email.
- Purchasers who are unable to close because of insufficient funds will be

in default and the deposit money will be forfeited. Balance of the purchase price must **be paid in full at closing in 45 days.**

- Closing will take place at a professional closing company agreeable to both buyer and seller.
- Prior to closing, SELLER at SELLER'S expense and election shall furnish to Buyer either: (i) an abstract of title updated to a current date, or (ii) an ALTA title insurance commitment for an owner's policy of title insurance in the amount of the purchase price. Seller shall provide good and marketable title. Zoning ordinances, building and use restrictions and reservations in federal patents and state deeds, existing tenancies, easements and public roads shall not be deemed encumbrances or defects.
- **2022 taxes to be prorated to the date of close.** Subsequent taxes and or special assessments, if any, to be paid by buyer. Real Estate Taxes are subject to reassessment under new owner.
- Closing Agent Fee will be shared equally between Buyer and Seller.
- The auction sale is for registered bidders and their guests. All bidding is open to the public and the property is offered for sale to qualified purchasers without regard to sex, race, color, religion, natural origin or handicap.
- Please note the bidding will not close and property will not be sold until everyone has had the opportunity to make his or her highest and best bid.
- **THE PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD AS IS WITH NO WARRANTIES EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED.**
- **THE PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD ABSOLUTE REGARDLESS OF PRICE AFTER THE OPENING BID.**

PROPERTY SOLD WITHOUT WARRANTY

All dimensions and descriptions are approximations only based upon the best information available and are subject to possible variation. Sketches may not be drawn to scale and photographs may not depict the current condition of the property. Bidders should inspect the

property and review all the pertinent documents and information available, as each bidder is responsible for evaluation of the property and shall not rely upon the Seller, Broker or Auctioneer, their Employees or Agents. The property will be sold AS IS and without any warranties or representations, expressed or implied.

SUCCESSFUL BIDDER

The successful bidder of the property shall be determined by competitive bidding. Should any dispute arise between bidders, the auctioneer shall have the right to make the final decision either to determine the successful bidder or to re-offer the property that is in dispute. The auction will be recorded and the auctioneer's records shall be conclusive in all respects.

SELLER'S PERFORMANCE

The Seller has agreed to the terms of the sale as published. However, the Broker and Auctioneer make no warranties or guarantees as to the Seller's performance.

AGENCY DISCLOSURE

Steffes Group, Inc. is representing the Seller.

POSSESSION

Possession will be at closing or completion of current crop harvest, whichever is later, unless otherwise agreed to in writing and agreeable by buyer and seller.

MINERAL RIGHTS

All mineral rights, if any, held by Seller will be transferred upon closing. However, the Seller does not warrant the amount or adequacy of the mineral rights.

ENVIRONMENTAL DISCLAIMER

The Seller, Broker and Auctioneers do not warrant with respect to the existence or nonexistence of any pollutants, contaminants or hazardous waste prohibited by federal, state or local law. Buyer is responsible for inspection of the property prior to purchase for conditions including but not limited to water quality, and environmental conditions that may affect the usability or value of the property. No warranties are made as to the existence or nonexistence of water wells on the property, or the condition of any well.

EASEMENTS AND SURVEY

The property to be sold is subject to any restrictive covenants or easements of record and any results that an accurate survey may show.

BIDDING PROCEDURE

As a buyer you have two objectives to accomplish:

1. Purchasing the property.
2. Purchasing the property at a price you can afford.

How is this accomplished?

1. Estimate comparative value.
2. Experienced buyers always decide what to pay before the bidding begins.
3. Inspect the property carefully.
4. Compare with other properties available in the area.
5. Check the selling price of previously sold properties.
6. Discuss your buying plans with a lender. Have your financing arrangements made in advance.
7. This sale is not subject to financing.

AVOID OVER OR UNDER BIDDING

- Always bid on a property toward a price.
- Establish that price before the bidding begins. By doing this you will avoid getting caught up in the auction excitement and pay a price that is too high for the market or one that you cannot afford. It will also make you confident to bid to your established fair market value. Many bidders who do not plan ahead end up with regrets after the auction because they were too nervous or uncertain about their judgment to bid.

THE BIDDING STRATEGY

- Research and know the value of the property.
- Have your financing arranged before the auction.
- Establish your highest and best bid before the bidding begins.
- Make your bids promptly to force other bidders up or out without delay

Timed Online Bidding Process


Please note the bidding will not close until there has been no bidding activity for a period of 4 minutes. This is accomplished through the bid extension feature of our website. Bids placed within the last 4 minutes of the auction will extend the auction an additional 4 minutes. Bid extensions continue and the auction does not end until there are no bids for 4 minutes. Our goal is to realize the highest return to the seller, and satisfy all interested parties.

CATALOG ORDER

EXTENDED

#1 Cavalier County, ND
Land Auction - 153,24± Acres

Description: NW ¼ Section 5-163-57
 Deeded Acres: 160.00+/-
 Cropland Acres: 124+/-
 Wooded Acres: 26+/-
 Soil Productivity Index: 75
 Taxes ('15): \$978.47



More Photos

00:04:00
US \$115,000.00 (5 bids)

This is an AUCTION! To the Highest Bidder.

The bidding will not close and property will not be sold until everyone has had the opportunity to make his or her highest and best bid. PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A SAMPLE FOR THE TIMED ONLINE BIDDING PLATFORM AND DOES NOT REPRESENT THIS AUCTION SALE!

August 2022 - Opens 8/23, and Closes 8/30



S	M	T	W	TH	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	<i>Preview</i> 23 <i>Opens</i>	24	25	26	27
28	29	30 <i>Closes</i>	31			



Description: 2nd Annexation 150-98 to Watford City It 845-Pt SW1/4 Section 17-150-98

Address: 1504 4th Ave NE, Watford City, ND 58854

Total Acres: 5.5±

Lot Size: 592'x409' (242,165 sq. ft.)

PID #: 82-15-07000

Taxes (2021): \$15,027.08

Main Building Details:

Main Building approx.: 117'x145' (16,965 sq. ft.), (8) segmented retail areas, (1) uni-sex bathroom, (1) employee bathroom, (4) 12'x12' offices, (1) 15'x12' office, (4) mechanical rooms, (1) 22'x15' employee lounge, loft storage above offices along west wall, 16' Midland overhead door located in 30'x24' receiving area (manual opening) (missing torsion spring and track on left side), 8' Midland overhead door located in 30'x24' receiving area (manual opening), known roof leak in 44'x25' retail space on southeast side of property

Building #3 Details:

Building #3 approx.: 97'x70' (6,790 sq. ft.), (6) open bay storage compartments, (1) small office

Building #4 Details:

Building #4 approx.: 25' x 31' (775 sq. ft.), 12' wide overhead door and walk-in door

Building #5-6 Details:

Building #5-6 approx.: 106' x 84' (8,904 sq. ft.), damage to northwest corner of building from spring snowstorms will be repaired prior to closing date.

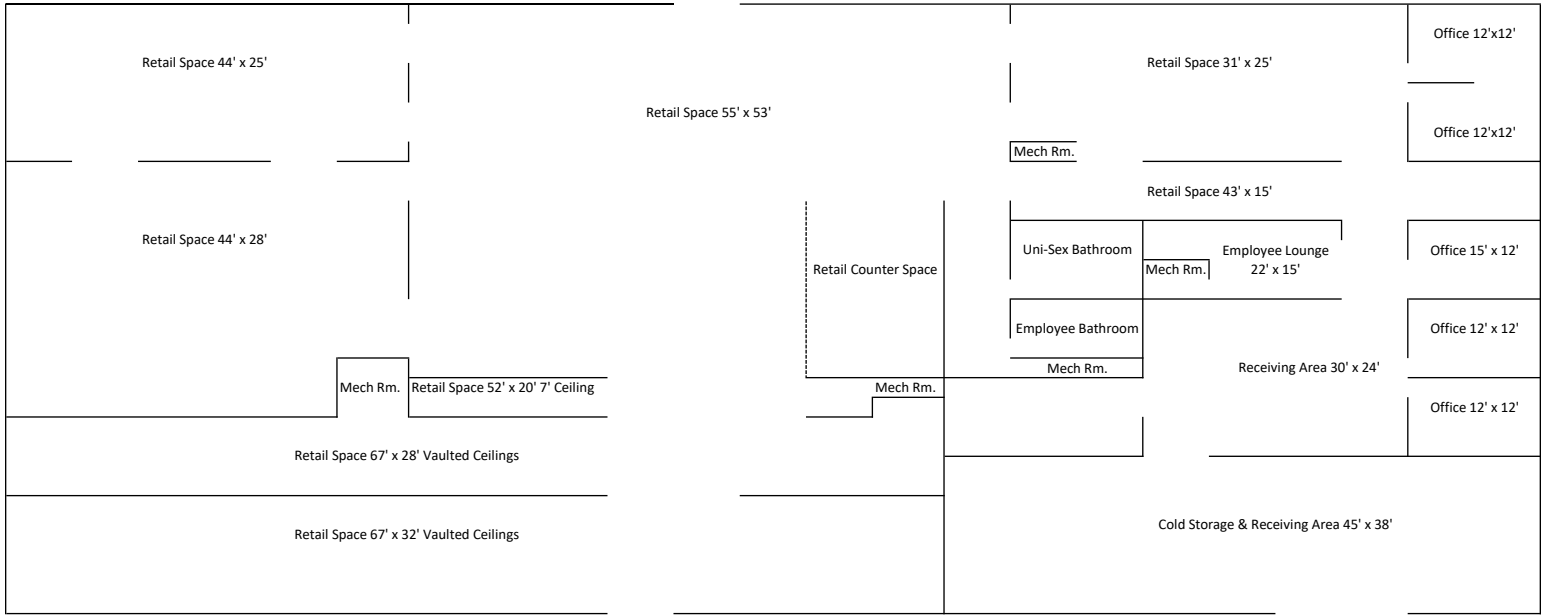
Utilities:

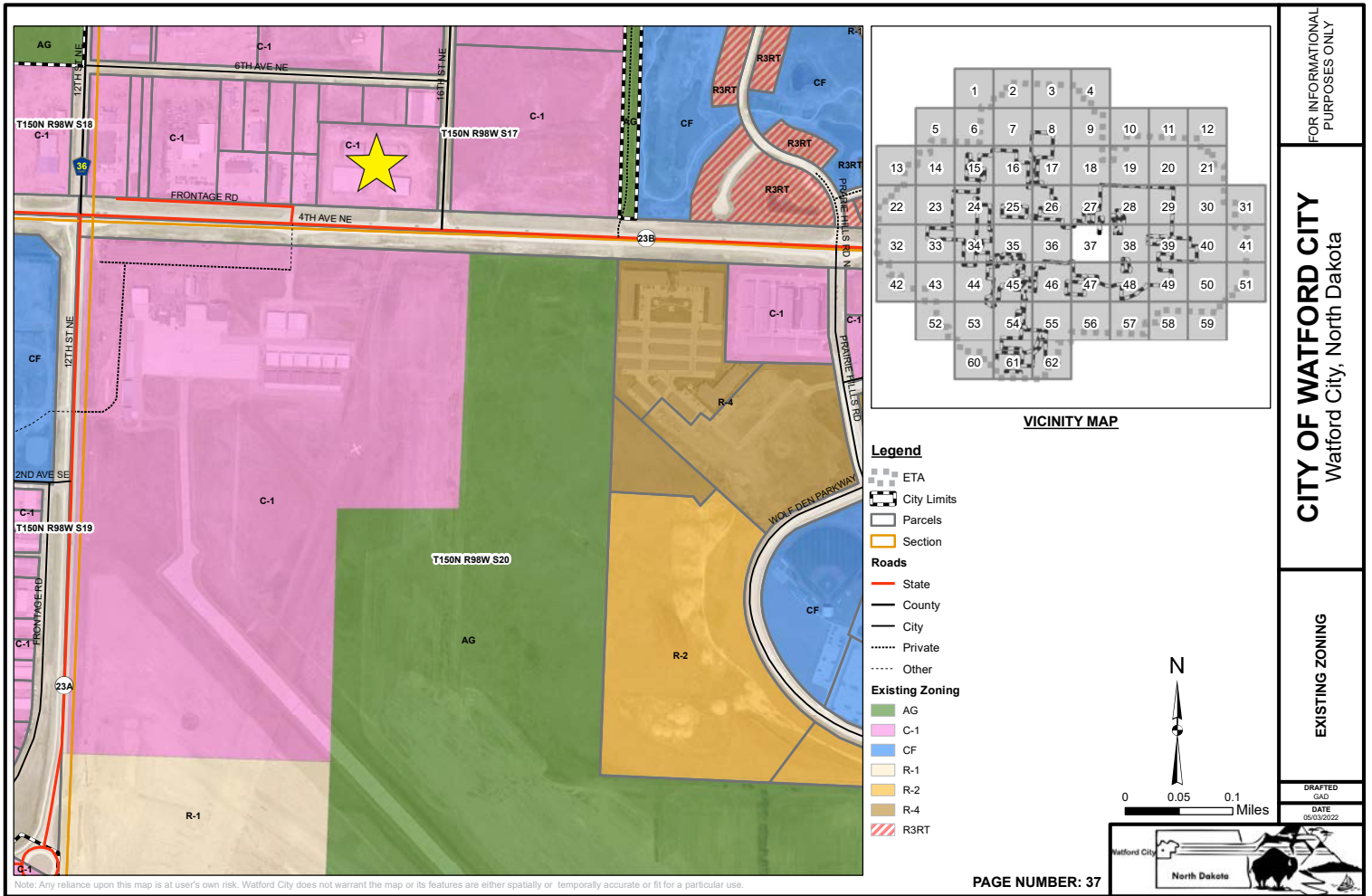
- Connected to Watford City sewer and serviced by Watford City Public Works for Garbage.
- Serviced by well located on property for water (City Water located along southern boundary)
- Electricity serviced by McKenzie County Electric (2 meters)

Please Note: All Personal Property items located in buildings to be sold with buildings. Vehicles located on property will be removed on or before closing date of real estate.



Front Door

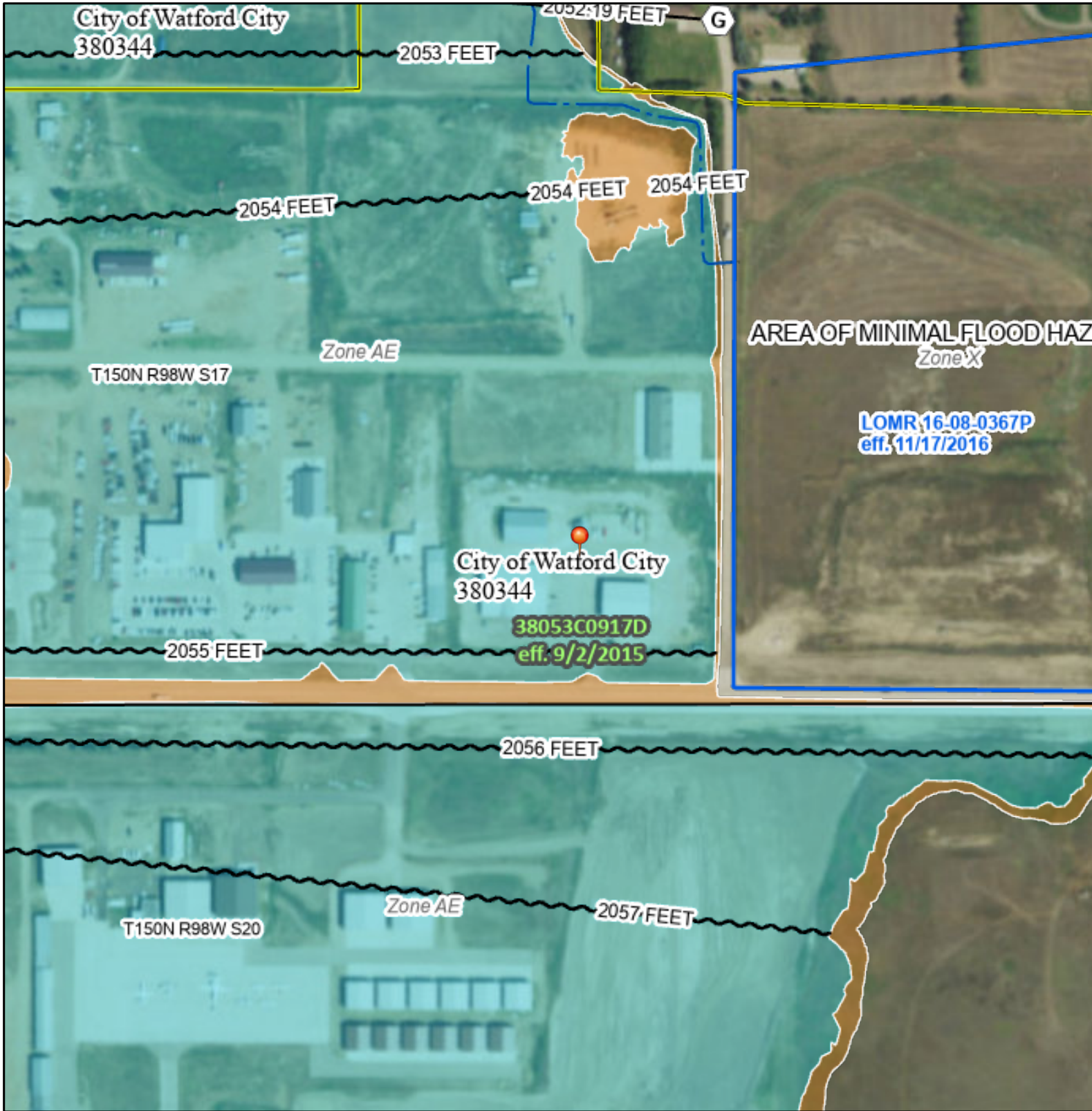




National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette
























103°15'41"W 47°48'32"N




Legend

SEE FIS REPORT FOR DETAILED LEGEND AND INDEX MAP FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT

SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS		Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) <i>Zone A, V, A99</i>
		With BFE or Depth <i>Zone AE, AO, AH, VE, AR</i>
		Regulatory Floodway
OTHER AREAS OF FLOOD HAZARD		0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Areas of 1% annual chance flood with average depth less than one foot or with drainage areas of less than one square mile <i>Zone X</i>
		Future Conditions 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard <i>Zone X</i>
		Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Levee. See Notes. <i>Zone X</i>
		Area with Flood Risk due to Levee <i>Zone D</i>
OTHER AREAS		NO SCREEN Area of Minimal Flood Hazard <i>Zone X</i>
		Effective LOMRs Area of Undetermined Flood Hazard <i>Zone D</i>
GENERAL STRUCTURES		Channel, Culvert, or Storm Sewer
		Levee, Dike, or Floodwall
OTHER FEATURES		20.2 Cross Sections with 1% Annual Chance Water Surface Elevation
		17.5 Cross Sections with 1% Annual Chance Water Surface Elevation
		8 Coastal Transect
		Base Flood Elevation Line (BFE)
		Limit of Study
		Jurisdiction Boundary
MAP PANELS		Digital Data Available
		No Digital Data Available
		Unmapped



 The pin displayed on the map is an approximate point selected by the user and does not represent an authoritative property location.



This map complies with FEMA's standards for the use of digital flood maps if it is not void as described below. The basemap shown complies with FEMA's basemap accuracy standards

The flood hazard information is derived directly from the authoritative NFHL web services provided by FEMA. This map was exported on **7/20/2022 at 10:41 AM** and does not reflect changes or amendments subsequent to this date and time. The NFHL and effective information may change or become superseded by new data over time.

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47°48'8"N
er, 2020

2021 MCKENZIE COUNTY REAL ESTATE TAX STATEMENT

Statement No: 24676

Parcel Number: 82-15-07000
 Jurisdiction: WATFORD CITY

FIRST INTERNATIONAL BANK & TRU
 Physical Location: 1504 4TH AVE NE

Legal Description
 SECT-17 TWP-150 RANG-098
 2ND ANNEXATION 150-98 TO WATFORD CITY
 IT 845-PT SW1/4

2021 TAX BREAKDOWN

Net consolidated tax	15,027.08
Plus: Special Assessments	
Total tax due	15,027.08
Less: 5% discount if paid by Feb. 15th	751.35
Amount due by Feb. 15th	14,275.73
Or pay in two installments(with no discount)	
Payment 1: Pay by Mar. 1st	7,513.54
Payment 2: Pay by Oct. 17th	7,513.54

Legislative tax relief (3-year comparison):

	2019	2020	2021
Legislative tax relief	5,555.34	6,147.14	6,126.52

Special Assessments .00
 Specials Interest .00

Tax distribution(3-year comparison):

	2019	2020	2021
True And Full Value	1,463,270	1,650,240	1,650,240
Taxable Value	73,164	82,512	82,512
Less: Homestead credit			
Disabled Veterans' credit			
Net Taxable Value	73,164	82,512	82,512
Mill Levy	175.090	175.850	182.120

Penalty on 1st Installment & Specials
 March 2..... 3%
 May 2..... 6%
 July 1..... 9%
 October 17..... 12%
 Penalty on 2nd Installment
 October 18..... 6%

Taxes By District (in dollars):

State	73.16	82.51	82.51
County	1,313.29	1,488.52	1,473.66
City/Twp WATFORD CITY	6,114.32	6,973.09	7,161.22
School MCKENZIE COUNTY #1	4,937.11	5,560.48	5,949.94
GARRISON	73.16	82.51	82.51
MCKEN SOIL 3	146.33	165.02	123.77
MCKEN AMBULA 3	152.91	157.60	153.47

FOR ASSISTANCE:
 Office: McKenzie County Treasurer
 Phone: 701-444-3616 ext. 3
 Email: treas@co.mckenzie.nd.us
 Website: county.mckenziecounty.net
 -Auditor/Treasurer Department-

Consolidated Tax	12,810.28	14,509.73	15,027.08
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Net consolidated tax	12,810.28	14,509.73	15,027.08
Net effective tax rate	.88%	.88%	.91%



Main Building



Building 3



Building 4



Buildings 5 & 6











Date: _____

Received of _____

Whose address is _____

SS # _____ Phone # _____ the sum of _____ in the form of _____ as earnest money and in part payment of the purchase of real estate sold by Auction and described as follows:

This property the undersigned has this day sold to the BUYER for the sum of..... \$ _____

Earnest money hereinafter received for..... \$ _____

Balance to be paid as follows..... In Cash at Closing..... \$ _____

1. Said deposit to be placed in the Steffes Group, Inc. Trust Account until closing, BUYERS default, or otherwise as agreed in writing by BUYER and SELLER. By this deposit BUYER acknowledges purchase of the real estate subject to Terms and Conditions of this contract, subject to the Terms and Conditions of the Buyer's Prospectus, and agrees to close as provided herein and therein. BUYER acknowledges and agrees that the amount of deposit is reasonable; that the parties have endeavored to fix a deposit approximating SELLER'S damages upon BUYERS breach; that SELLER'S actual damages upon BUYER'S breach may be difficult or impossible to ascertain; that failure to close as provided in the above referenced documents will result in forfeiture of the deposit as liquidated damages; and that such forfeiture is a remedy in addition to SELLER'S other remedies.

2. Prior to closing, SELLER at SELLER'S expense and election shall furnish to Buyer either: (i) an abstract of title updated to a current date, or (ii) an ALTA title insurance commitment for an owner's policy of title insurance in the amount of the purchase price. Seller shall provide good and marketable title. Zoning ordinances, building and use restrictions and reservations in federal patents and state deeds, existing tenancies, easements and public roads shall not be deemed encumbrances or defects.

3. If the SELLER'S title is not insurable or free of defects and cannot be made so within sixty (60) days after notice containing a written statement of defects is delivered to SELLER, then said earnest money shall be refunded and all rights of the BUYER terminated, except that BUYER may waive defects and elect to purchase. However, if said sale is approved by the SELLER and the SELLER'S title is marketable and the buyer for any reason fails, neglects, or refuses to complete purchase, and to make payment promptly as above set forth, then the SELLER shall be paid the earnest money so held in escrow as liquidated damages for such failure to consummate the purchase. Payment shall not constitute an election of remedies or prejudice SELLER'S rights to pursue any and all other remedies against BUYER, included, but not limited to specific performance. Time is of the essence for all covenants and conditions in this entire agreement.

4. Neither the SELLER nor SELLER'S AGENT make any representation of warranty whatsoever concerning the amount of real estate taxes or special assessments, which shall be assessed against the property subsequent to the date of purchase.

5. Minnesota Taxes: SELLER agrees to pay _____ of the real estate taxes and installment of special assessments due and payable in _____ BUYER agrees to pay _____ of the real state taxes and installments and special assessments due and payable in _____ SELLER warrants taxes for _____ are Homestead, _____ Non-Homestead. SELLER agrees to pay the Minnesota State Deed Tax.

6. North Dakota Taxes: _____

7. South Dakota Taxes: _____

8. The property is to be conveyed by _____ deed, free and clear of all encumbrances except special assessments, existing tenancies, easements, reservations and restrictions of record.

9. Closing of the sale is to be on or before _____ Possession will be at closing.

10. This property is sold AS IS, WHERE IS, WITH ALL FAULTS. BUYER is responsible for inspection of the property prior to purchase for conditions including but not limited to water quality, seepage, septic and sewer operation and condition, radon gas, asbestos, presence of lead based paint, and any and all structural or environmental conditions that may affect the usability or value of the property.

11. The contract, together with the Terms and Conditions of the Buyer's Prospectus, contain the entire agreement and neither party has relied upon any oral or written representations, agreements, or understanding not set forth herein, whether made by agent or party hereto. This contract shall control with respect to any provisions that conflict with or are inconsistent with the Buyer's Prospectus or any announcements made at auction.

12. Other conditions: Subject to easements, reservations and restrictions of record, existing tenancies, public roads and matters that a survey may show. Seller and Seller's agent DO NOT MAKE ANY REPRESENTATIONS OR ANY WARRANTIES AS TO MINERAL RIGHTS, TOTAL ACREAGE, TILLABLE ACREAGE OR BOUNDARY LOCATION.

13: Any other conditions: _____

14. Steffes Group, Inc. stipulates they represent the SELLER in this transaction.

Buyer: _____

Seller: _____

Seller's Printed Name & Address:

Steffes Group, Inc.



Mckenzie County, North Dakota

