

### PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING STAFF REPORT

**DATE OF MEETING:** October 13, 2020

NAME OF PROJECT: Howland Subdivision

NAME OF APPLICANT: Howland Partners

OWNER: Pointe 11 LLC

CIVIL ENGINEER: Berg Engineering

AGENDA ITEM: Preliminary/Final Approval

**LOCATION OF ITEM:** 600 West 200 North

**ZONING DESIGNATION:** R-1-15

### ITEM: 4

Howland Partners, agent for Pointe 11 LLC, is requesting preliminary/final approval a one lot subdivision 2.49 acres to be known as Howland Subdivision. The property is located at 600 West and 200 North and is in the R-1-15 zone.

### **BACKGROUND:**

This request is for preliminary/final approval of a small-scale subdivision on 2.49 acres that will contain one lot. The lot proposed in the subdivision will obtain frontage along 200 North (State Route 222). The property is in the R-1-15 zoning district and the lot

does comply with the minimum requirements of frontage, width, and acreage for a lot in this zone.

A portion of the property has been agricultural production while the remainder of the property is covered mostly by sensitive lands. The sensitive lands on the property include wetlands, floodplain, slopes greater than 25%, and the Snake Creek stream corridor. A portion of the property also includes a Midway Irrigation Company easement that contains a water storage and debris removal machinery.

It is unknown if the property is a lot of record or not. Staff discussed the requirements with a representative of the property owner and the applicant decided to apply for a single lot subdivision. The applicant also owns other contiguous and nearby parcels that combined are about 18 acres.

### LAND USE SUMMARY:

- 2.31-acre parcel
- R-1-15 zoning
- Proposal contains one lot
- Frontage on 200 North (State Route 222)
- Public trail corridor
- Sensitive land includes wetlands, floodplain, slopes greater than 25%, and the Snake Creek stream corridor
- The lot will connect to the Midway City's culinary water line, Midway Sanitation District's sewer line, and Midway Irrigation Company's secondary water line

### **ANALYSIS:**

*Water Connection* – The future dwelling will be connected to the City's water line located along River Road.

Sewer Connection – The future dwelling will connect to Midway Sanitation District's sewer line under River Road.

Secondary Water Connection – The lot will connect to Midway Irrigation Company's secondary water line which services property in the area.

Setbacks – A 50' setback from 200 North is required for any structures built in the proposal. The required setback will be noted on the plat.

200 North Trail – The master trail plan shows a trail that crosses the property from the east boundary along 200 North to the northwest boundary of the property. This trail is an important component of the Midway's master system that will help connect the existing trail on 200 North the Homestead Trail that that ands at The Links. The trail across the proposal will require a public trail easement and construction of the trail. The trail will deed-end at the northwest corner of the property until the property to the north develops. Also, the trail will be a relatively expensive trail because of the sensitive lands that will require water crossings, wetland crossings, and grade excavation. Some of the trail will, most likely, be a boardwalk. The developer has expressed concern over the cost of the trail for a one lot subdivision. The developer has offered 10,000 towards the future construction of the trail. The trail will cost much more than 10,000 to build but the developer feels that for a one lot subdivision, the proposed amount will cover nay responsibilities regarding building the trail.

FEMA Floodplain – FEMA Flood zone AE covers part of the property and a 50' setback is required from the flood zone for all structures.

Sloped areas – Any sloped areas greater than 25% are not buildable and will be identified on the plat.

Wetlands – A wetlands study was conducted in 2006 and identified wetlands on the property. Wetland areas may change over time, so staff is requiring a new study. Wetlands are not buildable and delineated wetlands have a 25' buffer that does not allow any disturbance unless specifically approved.

Driveway access —The proposal fronts on a State Route. The applicant has met with you and received instructions regarding the residential driveway. UDOT is requiring 150' from the nearest driveways to the east and the west. It will also be required that the lot will have a turnaround so that no vehicles will back out onto 200 North.

*Midway Irrigation Company easement* - A portion of the property also includes a Midway Irrigation Company easement that contains a water storage and debris removal machinery.

### WATER BOARD RECOMMENDATION:

The Water Board recommended that 3.65 acre feet of water is tendered to the City for required culinary and secondary water for the lot.

### **POSSIBLE FINDINGS:**

- The proposed lot meets the minimum requirements for the R-1-15 zoning district
- The proposal does meet the intent of the General Plan for the R-1-15 zoning district
- The subdivision will contribute to the master trails plan by either building the public through the property or contributing the public trail easement across the property and other property owned by the applicant.

### **ALTERNATIVE ACTIONS:**

- 1. <u>Recommendation of Approval (conditional)</u>. This action can be taken if the Planning Commission finds that conditions placed on the approval can resolve any outstanding issues.
  - a. Accept staff report
  - b. List accepted findings
  - c. Place condition(s)
- 2. <u>Continuance</u>. This action can be taken if the Planning Commission 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>Recommendation of Denial</u>. This action can be taken if the Planning Commission finds that the request does not meet the intent of the ordinance.
  - a. Accept staff report
  - b. List accepted findings
  - c. Reasons for denial

### **RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS:**

1. The developer will dedicate a public trail easement across the property and pay \$10,000 to help build the trail.



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October 13h, 2020

Midway City Attn: Michael Henke 75 North 100 West Midway, Utah 84049

Subject: Howland Small Scale 1 lot Subdivision – Preliminary / Final Approval

### Dear Michael:

Horrocks Engineers recently reviewed the Howland subdivision plans for Preliminary/Final approval. The proposed subdivision is located at approximately 600 West 200 North. The proposed subdivision consists of 1 lot. The following comments should be addressed prior to City Council approval.

### General Comments

• The current wetlands delineation is older than 5 years and needs to be renewed with the Army Corp of Engineers.

### Water

- The proposed development will be served from the Gerber Mahogany pressure zone.
- The proposed lot will connect to the existing 12" water line within 200 North

### Roads

- The proposed lot will not construct any new roads, the lot will front 200 North.
- The development will need to obtain an access permit from UDOT for a driveway access.

### Storm Drain

The swale along with the existing shoulder will accommodate the storm drain for the lot.

### Trails

• A trail easement shall be given within the existing lot. This trail will connect to the future development to the North.

### Irrigation

• The proposed lot will connect to the existing pressurized line within 200 North.

Please feel free to call our office with any questions.

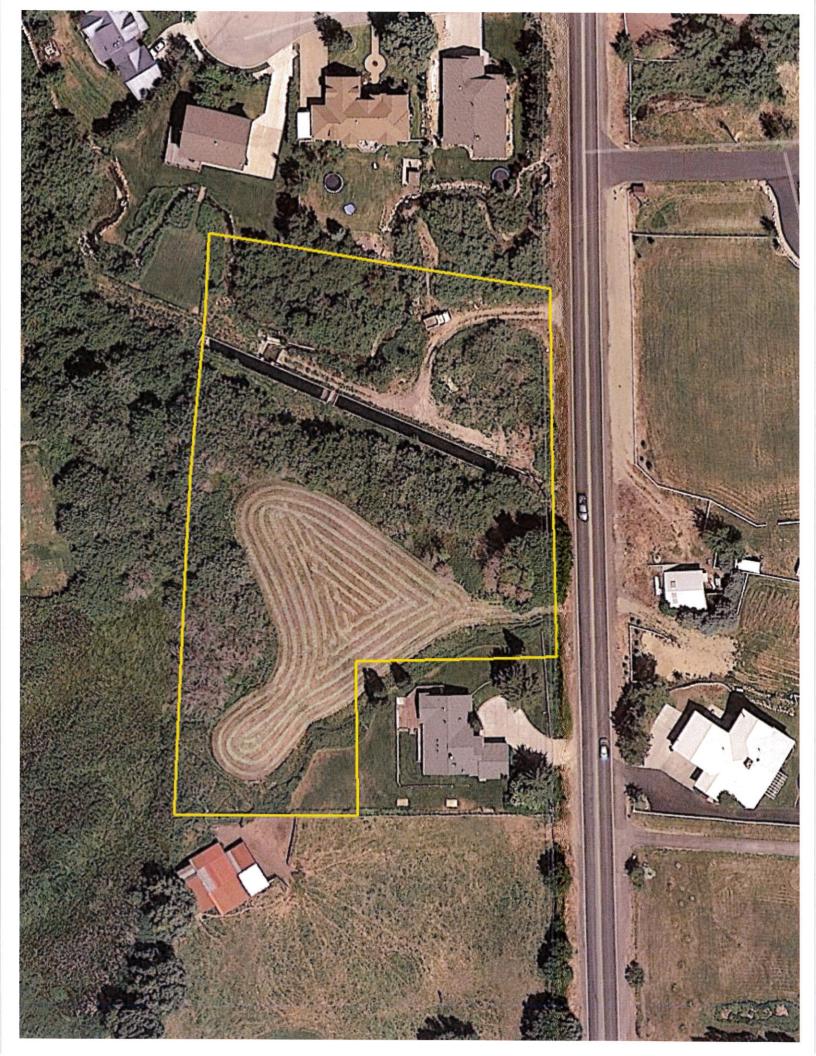
Sincerely,

HORROCKS ENGINEERS

Wesley Johnson, P.E. Midway City Engineer

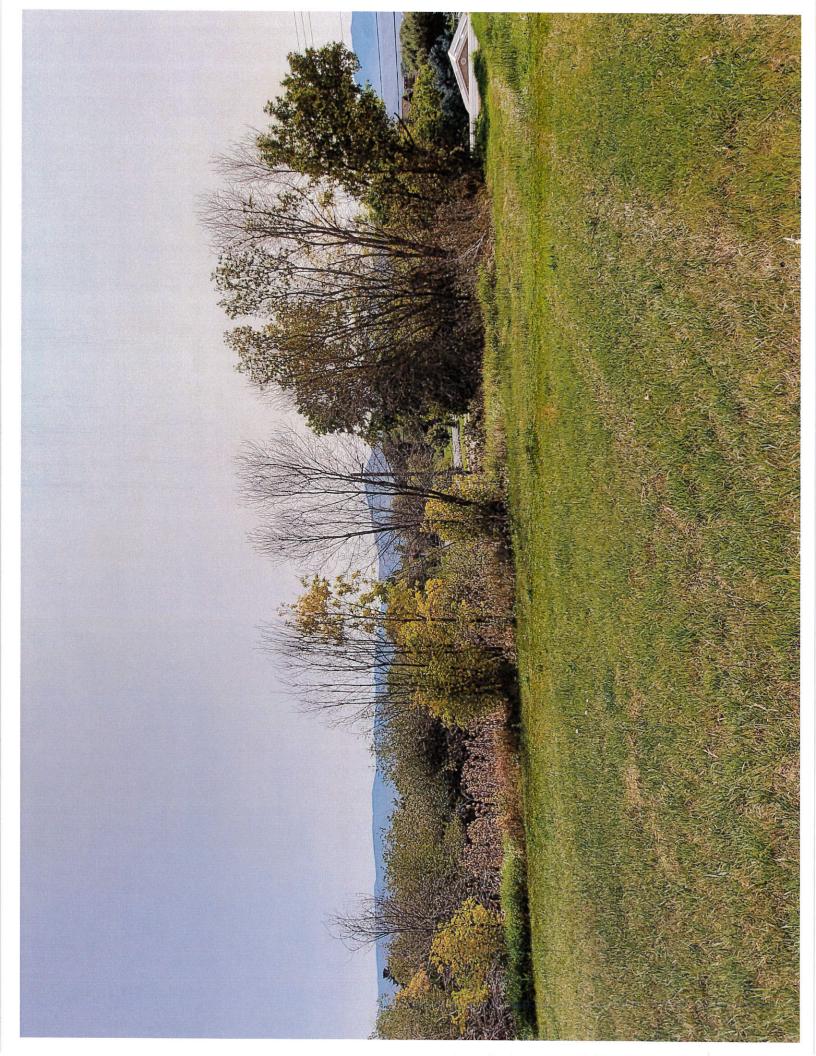
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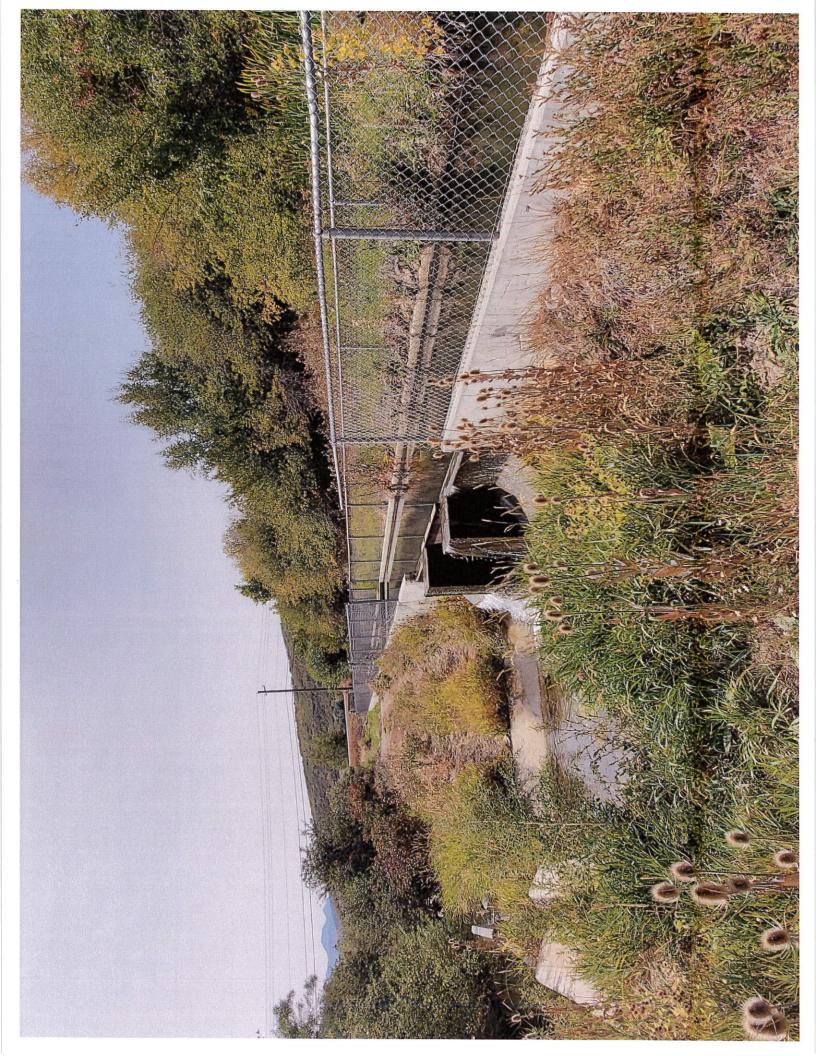




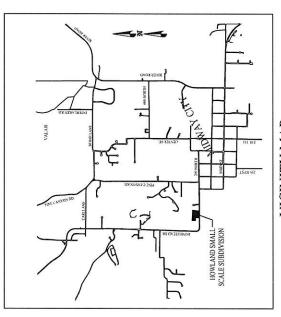








# HOWLAND SMALL SCALE SUBDIVISION FINAL APPLICATION

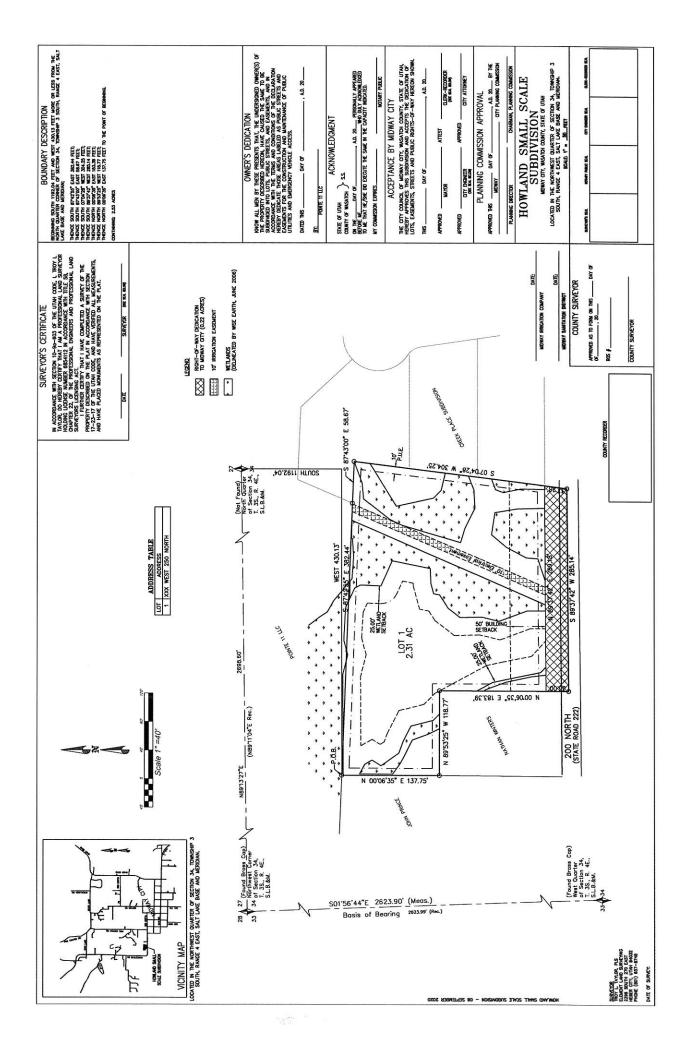


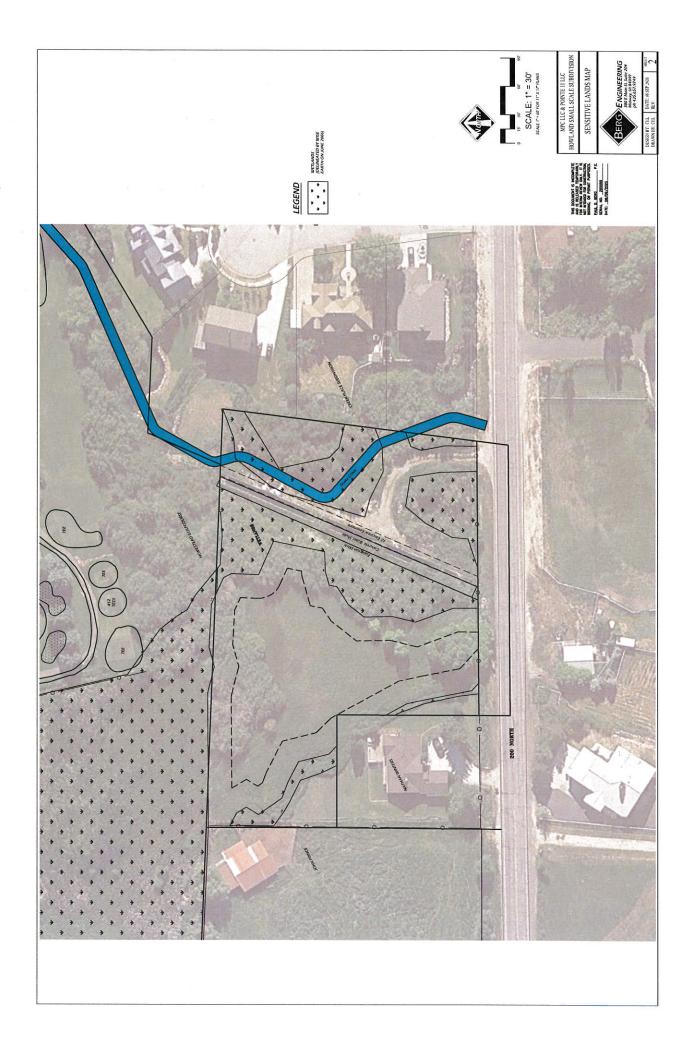
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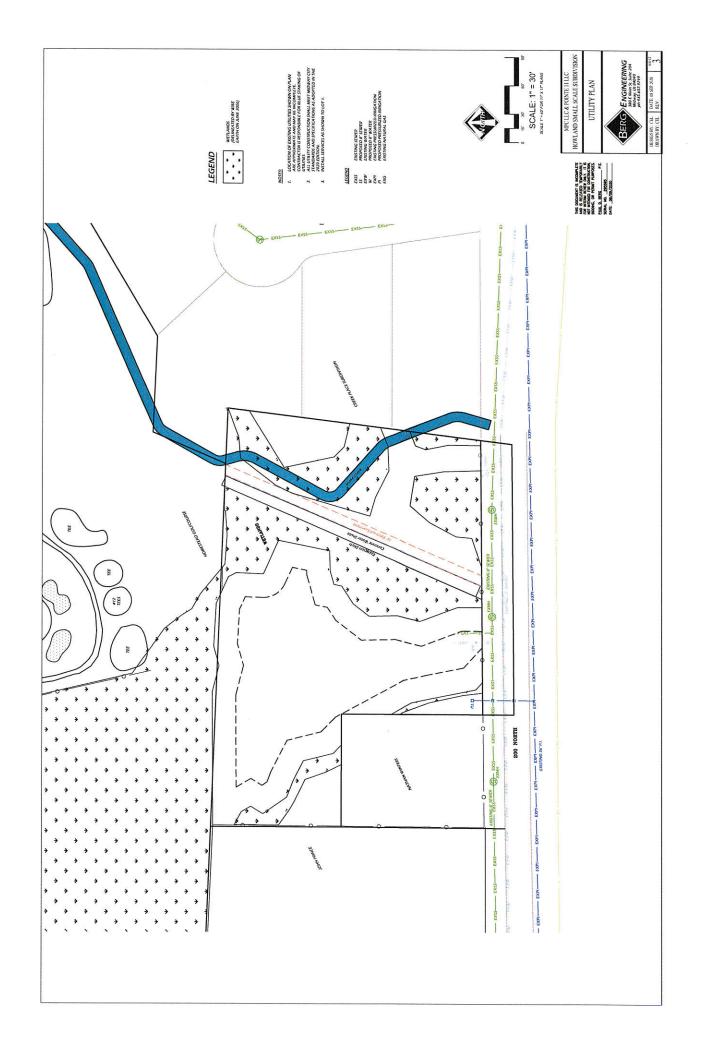
- HOWLAND SMALL SCALE SUBDIVISION PLAT
   SENSITIVE LANDS MAP
   UTILITY PLAN



VICINITY MAP









### **DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**

### U.S. ARMY ENGINEER DISTRICT, SACRAMENTO CORPS OF ENGINEERS 1325 J STREET SACRAMENTO CA 95814-2922

REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

December 19, 2007

Regulatory Branch (SPK-200702271-UO)

Sowby and Berg Consultants Attn: Carl Berg 360 East Main Street, Suite B Midway, Utah 84049

Dear Mr. Berg:

We are responding to your consultant's request for an approved jurisdictional determination for the Midway Pointe Project. This approximately 9.56-acre site is located in Section 34, Township 3 South, Range 4 East, SLB&M, Latitude 40.517° North, Longitude - 111.485° West, City of Midway, Wasatch County, Utah.

Based on available information, we concur with the estimate of waters of the United States, as depicted on the Eagle Pointe- Wetland Map prepared by Wise Earth. Approximately 5.14 acres of waters of the United States, including wetlands, are present within the survey area. These waters are regulated under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, since they are directly abutting a tributary (relatively permanent waterway), tributary to Utah Lake (navigable in fact waterway).

This verification is valid for five years from the date of this letter, unless new information warrants revision of the determination before the expiration date. This letter contains an approved jurisdictional determination for your subject site. If you object to this determination, you may request an administrative appeal under Corps regulations at 33 CFR Part 331.

A Notification of Appeal Process (NAP) fact sheet and Request for Appeal (RFA) form is enclosed. If you request to appeal this determination you must submit a completed RFA form to the South Pacific Division Office at the following address: Administrative Appeal Review Officer, Army Corps of Engineers, South Pacific Division, CESPD-PDS-O, 1455 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94103-1399, Telephone: 415-503-6574, FAX: 415-503-6646.

In order for an RFA to be accepted by the Corps, the Corps must determine that it is complete, that it meets the criteria for appeal under 33 CFR Part 331.5, and that it has been received by the Division Office within 60 days of the NAP. Should you decide to submit an RFA form, it must be received at the above address by 60 days from the date of this letter. It is not necessary to submit an RFA form to the Division Office if you do not object to the determination in this letter.

You should provide a copy of this letter and notice to all other affected parties, including any individual who has an identifiable and substantial legal interest in the property.

