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**REAL ESTATE TRANSFER - GROUNDWATER HAZARD STATEMENT**  
TO BE COMPLETED IN FULL BY TRANSFEROR

If the transaction is exempt from filing a declaration of value pursuant to Iowa Code 428A.1(2), **STOP HERE**. Pursuant to Iowa Code section 558.69(1), when no declaration of value is submitted during a transaction, you are not required to submit a groundwater hazard statement or include the statutory language in Iowa Code section 558.69(8A). Please consult your realtor or legal counsel for further advice, including on whether a declaration of value is required. The Department provides this information for statutory reference only.

Instructions for this document can be found at:

<https://www.iowadnr.gov/Portals/idnr/uploads/forms/5420960%20Instructions.pdf>

Attachment 1, if required, can be found at: <https://www.iowadnr.gov/Portals/idnr/uploads/forms/5420960a.pdf>

**TRANSFEROR:**

Name Thomas J. Steffes

Address 3089 Cumming Road, Van Meter IA 50261

Number and Street or RR

City, Town or PO

State

Zip

**TRANSFeree:**

Name James Kronkow

Address 3089 Cumming Road, Van Meter IA 50261

Number and Street or RR

City, Town or PO

State

Zip

Address of Property Transferred:

3089 Cumming Road, Van Meter IA 50261

Number and Street or RR

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Zip

Legal Description of Property: (Attach if necessary)

**1. Wells (check one)**

- No Condition - There are no known wells situated on this property.
- Condition Present - There is a well or wells situated on this property. The type(s), location(s) and legal status are stated below or set forth on an attached separate sheet, as necessary.

**2. Solid Waste Disposal (check one)**

- No Condition - There is no known solid waste disposal site on this property.
- Condition Present - There is a solid waste disposal site on this property and information related thereto is provided in Attachment #1, attached to this document.

**3. Hazardous Wastes (check one)**

- No Condition - There is no known hazardous waste on this property.
- Condition Present - There is hazardous waste on this property and information related thereto is provided in Attachment #1, attached to this document.

**4. Underground Storage Tanks (check one)**

- No Condition - There are no known underground storage tanks on this property. (Note exclusions such as small farm and residential motor fuel tanks, most heating oil tanks, cisterns and septic tanks, in instructions.)
- Condition Present - There is an underground storage tank on this property. The type(s), size(s) and any known substance(s) contained are listed below or on an attached separate sheet, as necessary.

**5. Private Burial Site (check one)**

- No Condition - There are no known private burial sites on this property.
- Condition Present - There is a private burial site on this property. The location(s) of the site(s) and known identifying information of the decedent(s) is stated below or on an attached separate sheet, as necessary.

**6. Private Sewage Disposal System (check one)**

- No Condition - All buildings on this property are served by a public or semi-public sewage disposal system.
- No Condition - This transaction does not involve the transfer of any building which has or is required by law to have a sewage disposal system.
- Condition Present - There is a building served by private sewage disposal system on this property or a building without any lawful sewage disposal system. A certified inspector's report is attached which documents the condition of the private sewage disposal system and whether any modifications are required to conform to standards adopted by the Department of Natural Resources. A certified inspection report must be accompanied by this form when recording.
- Condition Present - There is a building served by private sewage disposal system on this property. Weather or other temporary physical conditions prevent the certified inspection of the private sewage disposal system from being conducted. The buyer has executed a binding acknowledgment with the county board of health to conduct a certified inspection of the private sewage disposal system at the earliest practicable time and to be responsible for any required modifications to the private sewage disposal system as identified by the certified inspection. A copy of the binding acknowledgment is attached to this form.
- Condition Present - There is a building served by private sewage disposal system on this property. The system is failing to ensure effective wastewater treatment or is otherwise improperly functioning, and the buyer has executed a binding acknowledgment with the county board of health to install a new private sewage disposal system on this property within an agreed upon time period. A copy of the binding acknowledgment is provided with this form.
- Condition Present - There is a building served by private sewage disposal system on this property. The building to which the sewage disposal system is connected will be demolished without being occupied. The buyer has executed a binding acknowledgment with the county board of health to demolish the building within an agreed upon time period. A copy of the binding acknowledgment is provided with this form. [Exemption #7]
- Condition Present - There is a building served by private sewage disposal system on this property. This property is exempt from the private sewage disposal inspection requirements pursuant to the following Exemption [Note: for exemption #7 use prior check box]: \_\_\_\_\_
- Condition Present - There is a building served by private sewage disposal system on this property. The private sewage disposal system has been installed within the past two years pursuant to permit number: \_\_\_\_\_

Review the following two directions carefully:

- A. **If you selected a box stating "No Condition" for every numbered section above, STOP HERE. Do not submit this form.** Instead, pursuant to Iowa Code section 558.69(8A), you must include the following language on the first page of the recorded deed, instrument, or other writing:

"There is no known private burial site, well, solid waste disposal site, underground storage tank, hazardous waste, or private sewage disposal system on the property as described in Iowa Code section 558.69, and therefore the transaction is exempt from the requirement to submit a groundwater hazard statement."

Please consult your realtor or legal counsel for further advice on this exemption. By law, the owner of the property is responsible for the accuracy of this statement, and the Department provides this information for statutory reference only.

- B. **If you checked any box stating "Condition Present" for any of the numbered sections above, continue below.** You must complete this form, including providing all required information, and you must submit this form to the county recorder's office with declaration of value.

**Information required by statements checked above should be provided here or on separate sheets attached hereto:**

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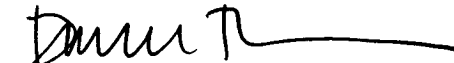
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**I HEREBY DECLARE THAT I HAVE REVIEWED THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR THIS FORM AND THAT THE INFORMATION STATED ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT.**

Signature:  Telephone No.: 515-494-2160  
(Transferor or Agent)

## Legal Description

Lot Ten (10) of Lake View Rural Estates, a Subdivision of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Seventy-seven (77) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P .M., Madison County, Iowa.



Time of Transfer Inspection Report (DNR Form 542-0191)

Property information

Current owner Thomas Steffes
Buyer ? Realtor ?
Mailing address -

Site Address/County 3089 Cumming Rd VAN Meter 50261
Legal Description -

No. of bedrooms 3 Last occupied? still Records available yes

Permit/installation date 5-4-10 Separation distances (ok)no? -

Septic system information

Septic tank(s): size 1500 material Concrete condition good
Tank pumped? yes date 4-15-22 licensed pumper #237 Wiegert
Septic/trash/processing tank: size - material - condition -
Tank pumped? - date - licensed pumper -

Aerobic treatment unit (ATU) mfgr - size -
Tank pumped? - date - licensed pumper -
Maintenance contract? - expiration date - service provider -
Condition -

Pump tanks/vaults: type - size - condition -

Distribution system: distribution box yes outlets used 5 condition good
Header pipe(s) yes # of lines 5 Pressure dosed? no

Secondary treatment:
length of absorption fields 84' SLAT. determined by probe MAP
condition of fields good determined by probe hydraulic
type of trench material Eg 36" Load test

Size of sand filter - determined by -
Vent pipes above grade? - discharge pipe located? -
Effluent sample taken? - Results -

Media filters: type -
Maintenance contract? - expiration date - service provider -
Condition -

NPDES General Permit No. 4: required? - permitted? - NOI provided -



### Time of Transfer Inspection Report

Other components:

Alarms      Working?      disinfection      working?     

Control box      Timers      inspection ports     

Other components \_\_\_\_\_

Overall condition of the private sewage disposal system

Report system status Septic system was in properly working condition as of 4-15-22  
Explain (attach additional pages as needed): \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Site status at conclusion of Time of Transfer inspection:

- Verify that controls are set on the appropriate mode.
- Power is on to all components.
- Revisit all components to verify lids are secure.
- Gather all tools for removal from the site.
- Verify that no sewage is on the ground surface. none

Using this worksheet, write a narrative report of the inspection results and attach a site sketch.

This report indicates the condition of the private sewage disposal system at the time of the inspection. It does not guarantee that it will continue to function satisfactorily.

Signature of Certified inspector: Mike Harkin Date: 4-15-22  
 Name (print): MIKE HARKIN Certificate #: 8450  
 Address: 3311 140th St Cumming  
 Phone #: 515-360-0399

Provide a copy of this report, the narrative report and sketch to the seller/agent, buyer/agent or the person ordering the inspection, the county sanitarian/environmental health office, and to;

Iowa DNR  
 Private Sewage Disposal Program  
 502 E. 9<sup>th</sup> St.  
 Des Moines, IA 50319

