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NATURAL RESOURCES

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources
Division of EcoWaters
246 125th Ave. NE
Thief River Falls, MN 56701

November 20, 2017

Rich Sanders
Polk County Highway Department
820 Old Highway 75 South
Crookston, MN 56716

RE: PERMIT # 2017-4025, NEW BRIDGE (60565), RED RIVER OF THE NORTH (60001a), POLK COUNTY

Dear Mr. Sanders,

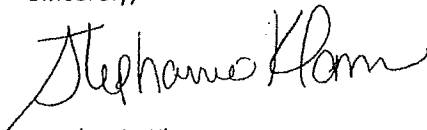
DNR Ecological and Water Resources has received your application to install a new bridge on CSAH 1, 2 miles west of Nielsville in Hubbard Township, located in the NW ¼ NE ¼ of Section 26, T147N, R49W, Polk County. The purpose of the project is to replace an existing structurally deficient bridge (No. 5767) with a new continuous 7 span steel beam bridge with 6 piers spanning the Red River of the North (No. 60565).

This project is authorized by General Permit 2014-1778. Please note the permittee shall ensure the contractor has received and thoroughly understands all provisions and conditions of this permit. The permittee must also complete the enclosed **Landowner Statement and Contractor Responsibility** form for work in the public waters.

Please review all conditions associated with this permit and General Permit 2014-1778. Final construction and demolition plans for the project must be submitted to me, two weeks prior to the start of the project.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions regarding this permit, please contact me at 218-681-0947 or email at stephanie.klamm@state.mn.us.

Sincerely,



Stephanie Klamm



**Public Waters Work General
Permit Authorization**

Expiration Date: 12/31/2019

Authorization Number
2017-4025

General Permit Number
2014-1778

On the basis of statements and information contained in the permit application, letters, maps, and plans submitted by the applicant and other supporting data, all of which are made part hereof by reference, **PERMISSION IS HEREBY GRANTED** to the applicant to perform actions as authorized below. Applicant must comply with all conditions listed in the above referenced General Permit.

Project Name: SP 060-601-059	County: Polk	Watershed: Red River of the North - Sandhill River	Resource: Stream/River: Red River (H-026); Stream/River: Red River	
Purpose of Permit: Bridge Construction/Modification/Replacement		Authorized Action: Removal of old structurally deficient bridge (Polk Co. Bridge 5767/Traill Co. Bridge 4-120-10.0), and replace with a new 7-span continuous steel beam bridge with 6 piers spanning the Red River of the North, 2 miles west of the city of Nielsville on CSAH 1 (Bridge No. 60565). The banks of the Red River of the North will be resloped for stability. Both abutment banks will be sloped to a 1V:5H down to a bench elevation of 838. Riprap of 1,400 cubic yards will be placed under the bridge at 1.5' thick. Project is to be completed per the preliminary plans submitted by Erickson Engineering and Polk County Highway Department on October 24th, 2017 with the application and the understanding that final plans will need to be submitted prior to the start of the construction.		
Permittee: POLK COUNTY HIGHWAY CONTACT: CARLSTROM, DARIN, (218) 470-8254 820 OLD HIGHWAY 75 SOUTH CROOKSTON, MN 56716 (218) 281-3972		Authorized Agent: N/A		
Property Description (land owned or leased or where work will be conducted): UTM zone 15N, 208665m east, 5271013m north, NWNE of Section 26, T147N, R49W				
Authorized Issuer: Stephanie Klamm	Title: Area Hydrologist	Issued Date: 11/20/2017	Effective Date: 11/20/2017	Expiration Date: 12/31/2019

This permit is granted **subject to** the following **CONDITIONS**:

Applicant must comply with all conditions listed in General Permit 2014-1778.

CONSTRUCTION DEWATERING - GENERAL: All construction dewatering in excess of 10,000 gallons per day or one million gallons per year must be authorized by a separate water appropriation permit. All worksite discharge water must be treated for sediment reduction prior to return to the surface water. Water from designated infested waters shall not be diverted to other waters, transported on a public road, or transported or appropriated off property riparian to infested waters without a DNR permit specifically for this use. All equipment in contact with infested waters must be decontaminated upon