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June 13, 2023

RE: Special Use – Agricultural ExemptionFile: AL-23-007PID: 4335000015

This is to inform you that the above referenced request for approval of a Special Use application for an agricultural structure exemption located at 3250 Slocum Road was **approved** by the Planning and Community Development Director on June 13th, 2023. Agricultural structure exemptions from the building code that exceed the allowable size in Section 5.2.5.B of the Land Development Code require approval of a special use permit. It is the determination and finding of the Planning and Community Development Department (PCD) Director that the application meets the review criteria for approval of a Special Use included in Section 5.3.2 of the El Paso County Land Development Code (2022).

This approval is subject to the following conditions and notations:

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

- 1. Approval is limited to the existing 50,000 square foot structure, as discussed and depicted in the applicant's letter of intent and site plan drawings.
- 2. Driveway Access Permits are required for all access points onto a county road and there is no Driveway Access Permit on file for the existing driveway. Please apply for a Driveway Access Permit through EDARP (<u>https://epcdevplanreview.com</u>)
- 3. The Agricultural Structure must be used solely for one or more of the following:
 - a. Shelter for livestock (including hen chickens) or for the storage of the feed and equipment relating to the care, training, raising, and/or maintenance of the livestock (including hen chickens); or
 - b. Agricultural products associated with horticultural, dairy, livestock, hen chickens, as well as other products customarily produced on a farm or ranch; or
 - c. Agricultural implements and machinery, such as tractors and tractor attachments, when used as part of a farming or ranching operation as defined in Chapter 1 of this Code.



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NOTATIONS

- 1. Special Use approval includes conditions of approval and the accompanying site plan and elevation drawings. No substantial expansion, enlargement, intensification, or modification shall be allowed except upon reevaluation and may require a public hearing as specified in the El Paso County Land Development Code.
- 2. The Board of County Commissioners may consider revocation and/or suspension if zoning regulations and/or special use conditions/standards are being violated, preceded by notice and public hearing.
- 3. If the Special Use is discontinued or abandoned for two (2) years or longer, the Special Use shall be deemed abandoned and of no further force and effect.

All administrative decisions, such as this one, may be appealed to the Board of County Commissioners within 30 days of the date of the decision. Should you have any questions, please contact me at (719) 520-6442.

Sincerely,



Meggan Herington, AICP, Executive Director El Paso County Planning and Community Development Department File: Al-23-007



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Type C Application Form (1-2B)

Please check the applicable application type (Note: each request requires completion of a separate application form):

- □ Administrative Relief
- □ Certificate of Designation, Minor
- □ Site Development Plan, Major
- □ Site Development Plan, Minor
- CMRS Co-Location Agreement
- Condominium Plat
- Crystal Park Plat
- Early Grading Request associated with a Preliminary Plan
- □ Maintenance Agreement
- Minor PUD Amendment
- □ Resubmittal of Application(s) (>3 times)
- □ Road or Facility Acceptance, Preliminary
- Road or Facility Acceptance, Final
- Townhome Plat

Administrative Special Use (mark one)

- Extended Family Dwelling
- □ Temporary Mining or Batch Plant
- □ Oil and/or Gas Operations
- Rural Home Occupation
- □ Tower Renewal
- □ Other_

Construction Drawing Review and Permits (mark one)

- Amendment
- □ Review of Construction Drawings
- Construction Permit
- Major Final Plat
- Minor Subdivision with
 Improvements
- Site Development Plan, Major
- □ Site Development Plan, Major
- Early Grading or Grading

Minor Vacations (mark one)

- □ Vacation of Interior Lot Line(s) □ Utility, Drainage, or Sidewalk
- Easements
- □ Sight Visibility
- □ View Corridor

🗆 Other:

This application form shall be accompanied by all required support materials.

For PCD Office Use:		
Date:	File :	
Rec'd By:	Receipt #:	
DSD File #:		

PROPERTY INFORMATION: Provide information to identify properties and the proposed development. Attached additional sheets if necessary.

Property Address(es):		
3250 sheum A	el Payton, Co	\$\$831
Tax ID/Parcel Numbers(s)	Parcel size(s) in Acres:	
4335000015	30	
Existing Land Use/Development:	Zoning District:	

- □ Check this box if **Administrative Relief** is being requested in association with this application and attach a completed Administrative Relief request form.
- □ Check this box if any **Waivers** are being requested in association with this application for development and attach a completed Waiver request form.

PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION: Indicate the person(s) or organization(s) who own the property proposed for development. Attached additional sheets if there are multiple property owners.

Name (Individual or Organization): Mile Monger Mailing Address: 3750 Steenm Rd. Email or Alternative Contact Information:

Michael_Wonger @ hotmail. com

Description of the request: (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Letter of Intent

PCD File # AL-23-007

4/11/23

Ref: 50,000 SF structure located at 3250 Slocum Rd., Peyton CO 80831 (Parcel #4335000015)

Owners: Michael and Lourdes Monger, 719-243-4467, michael monger@hotmail.com

Zoning: RR-5

To whom it concerns:

This letter is to establish a desire to work with the county to resolve code enforcement issues by applying for a special use permit to allow for agricultural/farm use only with the existing 50,000 SF structure. The Agricultural exemption for the structure was revoked after the previous owner did not follow the rules for agricultural exemption.

There will be no additional traffic generated by this special use. The previously proposed special use (EA21-185) to establish a repair shop has been abandoned is no longer being considered. No grading or land disturbances will be associated with this special use as the structure is existing.

The special use is generally consistent with the applicable master plan and will be in harmony with the character of the neighborhood with a rural setting and will be compatible with the current allowable land uses in this area such as cattle ranching.

The impact of the special use will not overburden or exceed the capacity of public facilities and services under this special use request and is not currently.

The special use will not create unmitigated traffic congestion or hazards and is not currently. This structure currently has adequate legal access from Slocum Road.

This special use will comply with all Federal, local and State laws concerning air, water, light and noise pollution.

The special use will not be detrimental to the public health safety and welfare of the present or future residents of El Paso County and currently is not. This special use will conform to all rules and regulations such as Faring and Ranching related use only.

We (the Mongers) purchased this property in 2021 and were unaware that one of the existing structures was in violation of county rules and regulations. We started litigation against the realtors and previous owners for other issues previous to being notified by El Paso County of being in violation. At this point we wish to get this matter resolved so that the property will be in compliance and will be usable again.

