

**BIKE RACE/5K/MARATHON APPLICATION**


Name of Applicant Larry Stracke Date of Race 6/27/2020  
Sponsoring Organization Active Central MN  
Affected Roadways See attached map  
Time of Race: Beginning 9:00am Ending 11:30am  
Race Coordinator Larry Stracke Telephone 320-230-8637  
Address PO Box 522, Sauk Rapids, MN 56379  
Email larry@centralmnevents.org

**A map of the proposed route shall accompany the application.**

Permission is hereby granted for a race, run, walk or marathon on the above referenced highway, subject to the following provisions:

1. That a specific time and date is set for the race and such use shall not exceed (6) hours.
2. That all participants and event officials shall obey all Minnesota and Local laws pertaining to the use of highway rights of way.
3. That there shall be no signed changes to stop or yield conditions at any intersections along the route.
4. That adequate/necessary police coverage race is available. Coordination with local police and the Stearns County Sheriff is required.
5. That no stands, buildings, tents or other encroachments be permitted within the highway right of way.
6. That the local community or sponsoring organization is responsible for all costs involved, including providing police coverage for traffic control.
7. The local community or sponsoring organization agree to indemnify, save and hold harmless the County of Stearns and all its agents and employees from all suits, actions and claims of any character brought because of injuries of damages received or sustained by any person, persons or property on account of any problems, accidents or other issues associated with the event.

Date: 10/25/19 Requested By: Larry Stracke (e-signature), Active Central MN  
Signature & Title of Organization

Date: 10/25/2019 Authorized By:   
Stearns County Highway Department

A representative of the Stearns County Highway Department may arrange to meet with the applicant and review the proposed race route prior to the date of the race.

cc: Area Maintenance Engineer  
Stearns County Sheriff



October 25, 2019

Chris Scepaniak  
Administrative Assistant  
Stearns County Highway Department  
PO Box 246  
St. Cloud, MN 56302

Dear Chris,

The Clearwater Triathlon is scheduled for June 27, 2020. The events begins at 9:00 am and will end at approximately 11:30 am. Enclosed please find:

- Application for the Clearwater Triathlon
- Course maps
- Traffic plan for Sheriff support (I will work with Lt. Kellan Hemmesch again this year)
- Proof of insurance liability will be forthcoming as we draw closer to the race.

A few days before the race could the roads for the bike route be swept on the right side of the bike route, to include all shoulders. In addition could patchwork be completed for all potholes and damaged road surfaces to ensure the safety of all bikers.

Please let me know if you need anything further or if you have any questions. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Larry Stracke  
Apple Duathlon  
Course Director  
C: 320-230-8637  
larry@centralmnevents.org

## **14.34 mile bike on rural roads**

### **BIKE ROUTE**

- 1. Go Left out of the transition area onto Co Rd 143**
- 2. Continue onto Co Rd 44**
- 3. Follow to the T and turn Right onto Co Rd 7**
- 4. Turn Right onto Co Rd 75**
- 5. Turn Right onto 27<sup>th</sup> Ave E**
- 6. Turn Right onto Co Rd 143 all the way back to Warner Lake Park**
- 7. Cross over Interstate 94 and make a quick Left into Warner Lake Park**

## **6.19 mile run on Park trail and rural roads**

### **RUN ROUTE**

- 1. Run on Park trail**
- 2. Exit Park trail and go left onto 200<sup>th</sup> St. E.**
- 3. Go right onto Co Rd 145**
- 4. Turnaround at 195<sup>th</sup> St. E and return to the finish line on same route**

## **Scepaniak, Chris**

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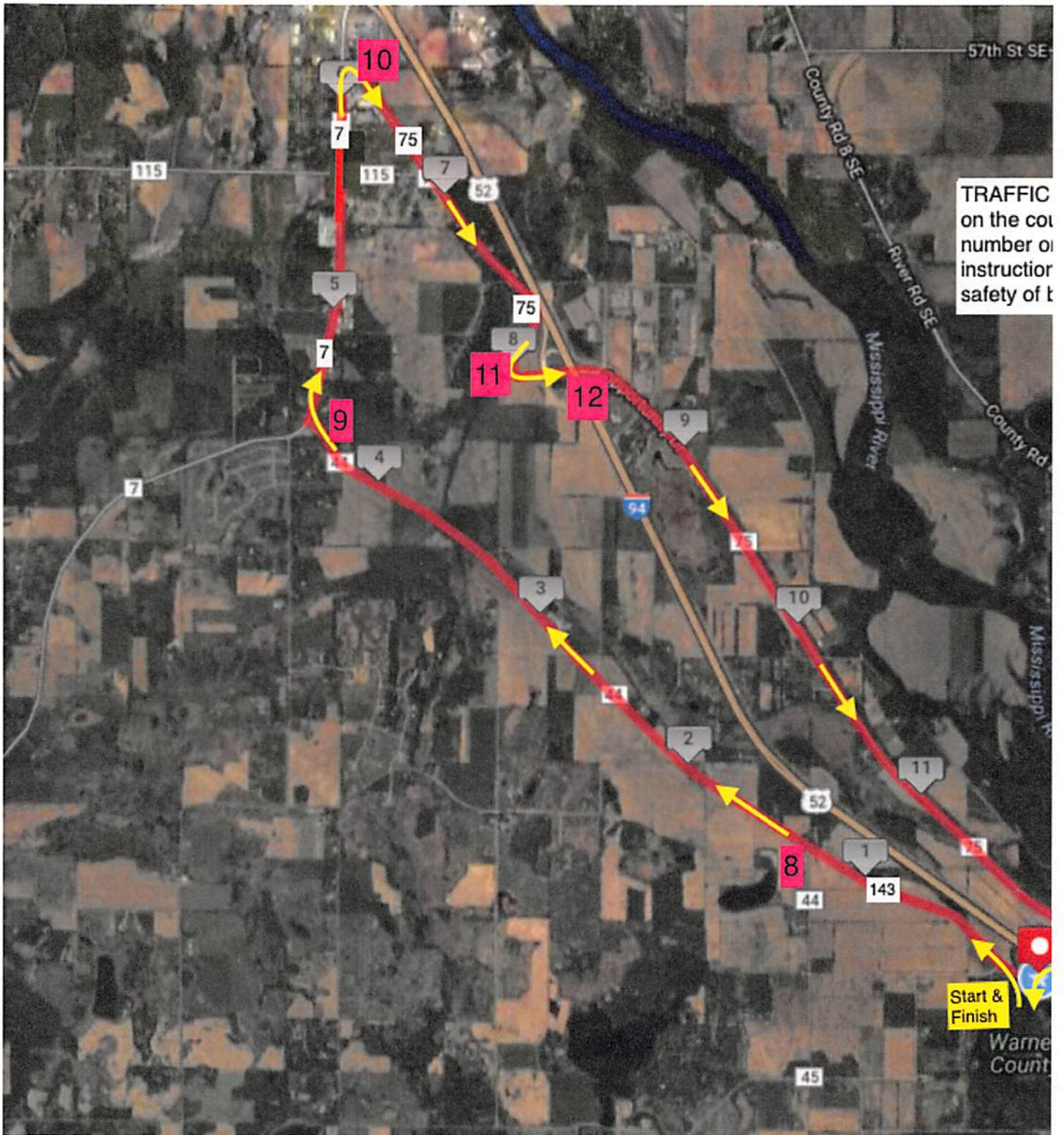
**From:** Graniteman Events <larry@centralmnevents.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 24, 2019 12:58 PM  
**To:** Scepaniak, Chris  
**Subject:** 2020 Clearwater Triathlon  
**Attachments:** Letter Stearns Hwy Dept 2020.docx; Application Bike-5k-Half-Stearns.pdf; Bike Route written description-Sheriff doc.doc; Run Route written description-Sheriff doc.doc

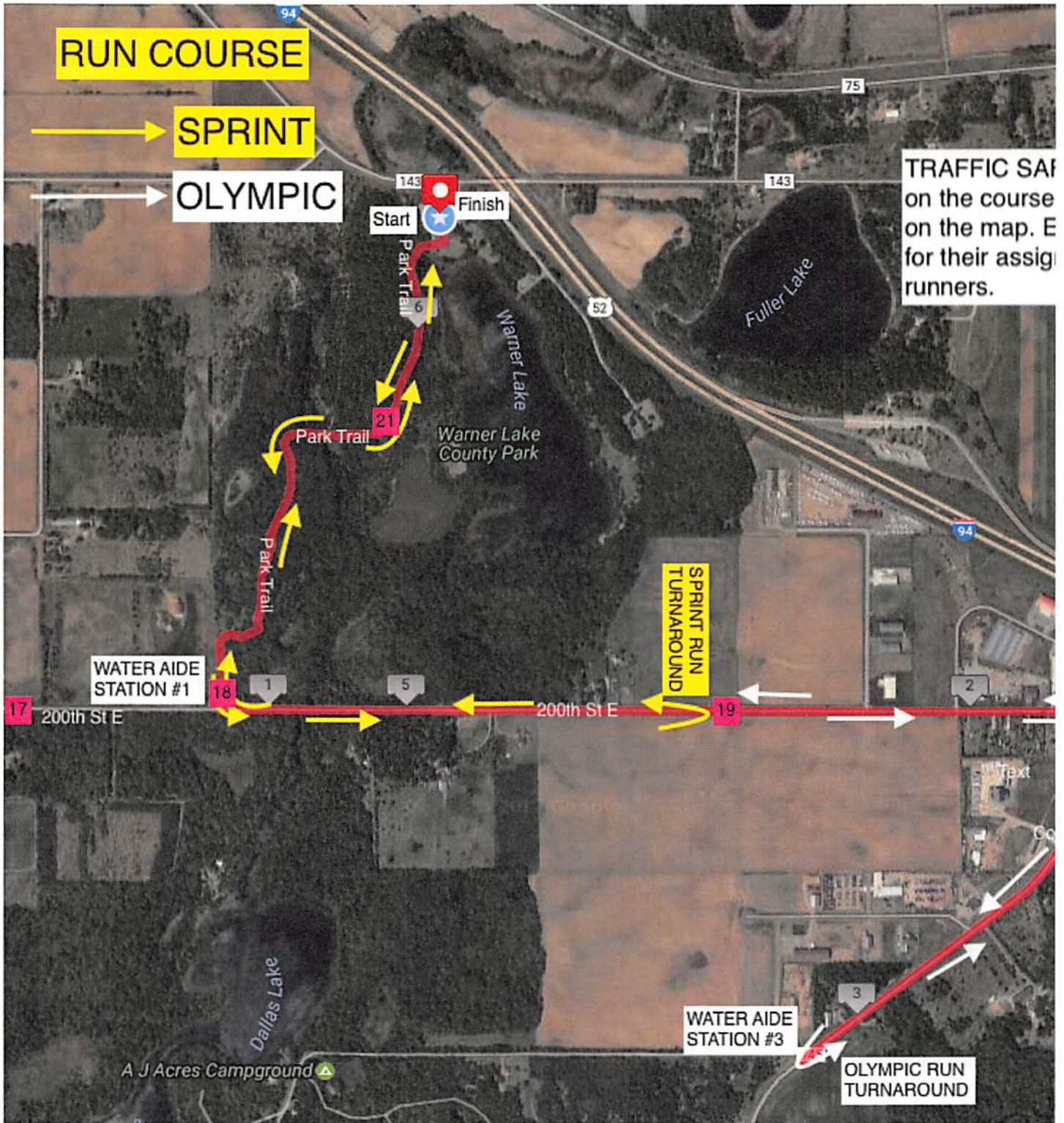
Hello Chris,

Attached is the information for the 2020 Clearwater Triathlon. Please get in touch if you have any questions or comments. Thank you for your assistance.

Take care!

Larry Stracke  
Clearwater Triathlon  
Course Director  
320-230-8637





# BIKE COURSE

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Locate west on Co Rd 143 in the direction after bikers exit Warner Lake Park. Outgoing bikers will exit Warner Lake Park and will cross over to the right side of Co Rd 143. Returning bikers will cross over to the left side of Co Rd 143 as they enter Warner Lake Park. Stop vehicle traffic when bikers are present.

Plum Creek

Start  
Finish