## **City of Denton**



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## **Meeting Agenda**

## Planning and Zoning Commission

Wednesday, August 14, 2024	5:00 PM	Council Work Session Room
		&
		Council Chambers

### WORK SESSION BEGINS AT 5:00 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL WORK SESSION ROOM

### **REGULAR MEETING BEGINS AT 6:30 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

### **REGISTRATION GUIDELINES FOR ADDRESSING THE PLANNING AND ZONING** COMMISSION

Individuals may speak during a Planning and Zoning Commission meeting under one of the following categories:

#### **Comments on Agenda Items:**

Public comments can be given for any item considered by the Planning and Zoning Commission, EXCEPT work session reports or closed meetings. Individuals are only able to comment one time per agenda item and cannot use more than one method to comment on a single agenda item. Public comments are limited to three (3) minutes per citizen.

#### **Public Hearing Items:**

Individuals are limited to four (4) minutes per public hearing item.

Individuals may participate by using one of the following methods:

### 1. In Person for Regular or Consent Agenda Items:

To provide in-person comments regular or consent agenda items (excluding public hearing items), Individuals must be present at the meeting and submit a speaker card (available at the meeting location) to the Secretary prior to the item being called.

### 2. In Person for Public Hearing Items:

For public hearing items, speaker cards are encouraged but not required.

#### 3. eComment:

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After determining that a quorum is present, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Denton, Texas will convene in a Work Session on Wednesday, August 14, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Work Session Room at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas at which the following items will be considered:

#### WORK SESSION

#### 1. Citizen Comments on Consent Agenda Items

This section of the agenda allows citizens to speak on any item listed on the Consent Agenda prior to its consideration. Each speaker will be given a total of three (3) minutes to address any item(s). Any person who wishes to address the Planning and Zoning Commission regarding these items may do so by utilizing the "By Phone" registration process as referenced under the REGISTRATION GUIDELINES FOR ADDRESSING THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION detailed at the beginning of this agenda. Registration is required prior to the time the Planning and Zoning Commission considers this item. Registrants may call in and remain on hold or receive a call back at the time the Work Session is called to Order and are encouraged to ensure they remain accessible to accept the call.

#### 2. Clarification of agenda items listed on the agenda for this meeting

This is an opportunity for Commissioners to ask questions of staff on the Consent and Regular Agenda items, which may include a full briefing on an item in the order it appears on the regular session agenda. Any such briefing will be repeated in regular session.

#### 3. Work Session Reports

A.	<u>PZ24-163</u>	Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give staff direction regarding an ordinance of the
		City of Denton, Texas amending the Denton Development Code to include Section 2.12:
		Affordable Housing Incentive Procedures.
	Attachments:	Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet
		Exhibit 2 - Draft of Section 2.12 Affordability Incentive Procedures
		Exhibit 3 - Summary of Public Feedback
B.	<u>PZ24-167</u>	Receive a report and hold a discussion regarding North Central Texas Council of
		Governments (NCTCOG) demographic projections update associated with the regional
		travel demand forecast model.
	Attachments:	Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet

#### **REGULAR MEETING**

After determining that a quorum is present, the Planning and Zoning Commission will convene in a Regular Meeting on Wednesday, August 14, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas at which time the following items will be considered:

### **1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

### A. U.S. Flag

B. Texas Flag

"Honor the Texas Flag – I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible."

# 2. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MINUTES FOR:

A. PZ24-155

5 Consider the approval of the July 17, 2024, and July 24, 2024, Planning and Zoning meeting minutes.

<u>Attachments:</u> July 17, 2024 July 24, 2024

### 3. CONSENT AGENDA

Staff recommends approval of the following items because they meet the requirements of the Denton Development Code. Approval of the Consent Agenda includes staff recommendations for approvals and authorizes staff to proceed. The Planning and Zoning Commission has reviewed the applications and has had an opportunity to raise questions regarding the items prior to consideration.

A. <u>FP24-0024b</u> Consider a request by Claudio Segovia of Johnson Volk Consulting, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Sage Creek Townhomes. The approximately 23.849-acre site is generally located at the northwest corner of the intersection of Audra Lane and Lattimore Street, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0024b, Sage Creek Townhomes, Sean Jacobson)

 Attachments:
 Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet

 Exhibit 2 - Staff Analysis

 Exhibit 3 - Site Location Map

 Exhibit 4 - Final Plat

B. <u>FP23-0031b</u> Consider a request by Aimee Bissett, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Mayhill Addition, Lots 1 and 2, Block 1. The approximately 32.633-acre site is generally located on the west side of Mayhill Road, approximately 1,166 feet south of the intersection of South Mayhill Road and Foster Road, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP23-0031b, Mayhill Addition, Sean Jacobson).

 Attachments:
 Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet

 Exhibit 2 - Staff Analysis

 Exhibit 3 - Site Location Map

 Exhibit 4 - Final Plat

### 4. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

A. <u>FP24-0026a</u> Consider a request by Reece Flanagan of Flanagan Land Solutions, LLC, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Acintyo Ventures Addition, Lots 1 and 2, Block 1. The approximately 0.300-acre site is generally located on the south side of Fannin Street, approximately 105 feet east of the intersection of Fannin Street and South Avenue B, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0026a, Acintyo Ventures Addition,

Sean Jacobson)

<u>Attachments:</u>	Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet
	Exhibit 2 - Staff Analysis
	Exhibit 3 - Site Location Map
	<u>Exhibit 4 - Final Plat</u>
	Exhibit 5 - Extension Request

**B.** <u>FP24-0023c</u> Consider a request by Barron Stark Engineers, on behalf of JVAC Properties LLC, for approval of a Final Plat of Lot 1, Block A Riviera Addition. The approximately 15-acre tract is generally located on the north side of Fishtrap Rd, approximately 259.2 feet west of Greenleaf Circle in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0023c, Water Line Extension Riviera, Matt Bodine)

Attachments:Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information SheetExhibit 2 - Staff AnalysisExhibit 3 - Site Location MapExhibit 4 - Final PlatExhibit 5 - Extension Letter RequestExhibit 6 - LLC Members List

- C. <u>FR24-0005a</u> Consider a request by Kimley-Horn & Associates, on behalf of Forestar Group for a Final Replat of Eagle Creek Phase 3B. The approximately 36.07-acre site is generally located 0.5 miles east of South Bonnie Brae Street and north of Roselawn Drive in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0005a, Eagle Creek Phase 3B, Bryce Van Arsdale)
  - Attachments:Exhibit 1 Agenda Information SheetExhibit 2 Staff AnalysisExhibit 3- Site Location MapExhibit 4- Final ReplatExhibit 5- Extension Request
- **D.** <u>FR24-0008</u> Consider a request by Bloomfield Homes, LP for approval of a Replat of Country Lakes North, Phase 6AB. The approximately 6.997-acre tract of land is generally located on the south side of Johnson Lane between John Paine Road and Old John Paine Road in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0008, Country Lakes North, Phase 6AB, Julie Wyatt)
  - Attachments:Exhibit 1 Agenda Information SheetExhibit 2 Staff AnalysisExhibit 3 Site Location MapExhibit 4 ReplatExhibit 5 Extension Request Letter
- E. <u>ZCP24-0015</u> Consider a request by Allegiance Hillview, LP for approval of a Site Plan for a multifamily residential development within the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District, South Campus South

Mixed-Use District 2 (SMUD-2) subarea, located on Lot 2, Block B of Rayzor Ranch East. The approximately 6.41-acre subject property is generally located at the southeast corner of Crescent Street and Eastpark Boulevard in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (ZCP24-0015, Altera Rayzor Ranch, Mia Hines).

<u>Attachments:</u>	Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet
	Exhibit 2 - Staff Analysis
	Exhibit 3 - Site Location Map
	Exhibit 4 - Proposed Site Plan
	Exhibit 5 - Proposed Landscape & Open Space Plan
	Exhibit 6 - Proposed Conceptual Building Elevations
	Exhibit 7 - RROD Exhibit C-2A
	Exhibit 8 - RROD Exhibit D-2

F. <u>FR24-0006</u> Consider a request by Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. for a final replat of Hickory Grove, Phase 1A. The 2.655-acre site is generally located just north of West University Drive and west of Thomas J Eagan Road in City of Denton's ETJ Division 1, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0006, Hickory Grove Phase 1A, Mia Hines).

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#### **5. PUBLIC HEARINGS**

This notice authorizes the Planning and Zoning Commission to recommend and City Council to approve a different zoning district which is equivalent to or more restrictive than that which is requested by the applicant, as the different district may not have a maximum structure height, floor area ratio, or density that is higher than the one requested or be nonresidential when the request is for a residential use or vice versa. The different zoning district must be deemed consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and the Future Land Use Plan.

A. PD23-0001b Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request by McAdams on behalf of the property owner, 195 Denton Partners, LLC to rezone approximately 26.151 acres from Residential 2 (R2) zoning district to Overlay Planned Development with Mixed-Use Neighborhood (PD-MN) base zoning district. The subject site is generally south of Corbin Road and 1,066 feet east of I35-W within the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (PD23-0001b, Denton 195 Planned Development Overlay, Angie Manglaris) THE APPLICANT IS REQUESTING THIS ITEM BE POSTPONED INDEFINITELY.

Attachments: Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet

**B.** <u>Z22-0018b</u> Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request by McAdams on behalf of the property owner, 195 Denton Partners, LLC to

rezone approximately 166.1 acres from Residential 2 (R2) zoning district to Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN) zoning district and Public Facilities (PF) zoning district. The subject site is generally located at the southeast corner of I35-W and Corbin Road in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (Z22-0018b, Denton 195, Angie Manglaris) THE APPLICANT IS REQUESTING THIS ITEM BE POSTPONED INDEFINITELY.

Attachments: Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet

- C. <u>CA24-0003</u> Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding an ordinance adopting the Design Downtown Denton Plan and amending the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan. The Design Downtown Denton Plan has an approximate boundary line of Carroll Boulevard to the west, Eagle Drive to the south, Bell Avenue and Mingo Road to the east, and a northern boundary generally along College Street, Texas Street, Oakland Street and University Drive, encompassing approximately 767 acres in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (CA24-0003, Design Downtown Denton Plan, Cameron Robertson and Sean Jacobson)
  - Attachments:
     Exhibit 1 Agenda Information Sheet

     Exhibit 2 Draft Design Downtown Denton Plan

     Exhibit 4 Draft Ordinance
- D. <u>ASUP23-000</u> Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a 1
   request by Brian Bridgewater of Manhard Consulting, on behalf of the property owner, for an Amending Specific Use Permit to allow for Multifamily Dwelling Uses on approximately 53.407 acres of land, generally located at the southeast corner of the intersection of Locust Street and Loop 288, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (ASUP23-0001, Landmark at Locust Multifamily, Sean Jacobson)
  - Attachments:Exhibit 1 Agenda Information SheetExhibit 2 Staff AnalysisExhibit 3 Site Location MapExhibit 4 Zoning MapExhibit 5 Future Land Use MapExhibit 6 Ordinance S21-0006bExhibit 7 Proposed Site PlanExhibit 8 Proposed Landscape PlanExhibit 9 Proposed Building ElevationsExhibit 10 Applicant Project NarrativeExhibit 11 Notification Map and Public EngagementExhibit 12 Draft OrdinanceExhibit 13 LLC Membership

#### 6. PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION PROJECT MATRIX

- A. <u>PZ24-151</u> Hold a discussion regarding the Planning and Zoning Project Matrix.
  - Attachments: Matrix 2024

### 7. CONCLUDING ITEMS

A. Under Section 551.042 of the Texas Open Meetings Act, respond to inquiries from the Planning & Zoning Commission or the public with specific factual information or recitation of policy, or accept a proposal to place the matter on the agenda for an upcoming meeting AND Under Section 551.0415 of the Texas Open Meetings Act, provide reports about items of community interest regarding which no action will be taken, to include: expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence; information regarding holiday schedules; an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen; a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body; information regarding a social, ceremonial, or community event organized or sponsored by an entity other than the governing body that was attended or is scheduled to be attended by a member of the governing body or an official or employee of the municipality; or an announcement involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality that has arisen after the posting of the agenda.

NOTE: The Planning and Zoning Commission reserves the right to adjourn into a Closed Meeting on any item on its Work Session or Regular Session agenda consistent with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, as amended, including without limitation, Sections 551.071-551.086 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.

### CERTIFICATE

certify that the above notice of meeting the official website Ι was posted on (https://tx-denton.civicplus.com/242/Public-Meetings-Agendas) and bulletin board at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas, on August 9, 2024, in advance of the 72-hour posting deadline, as applicable, and in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

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NOTE: DENTON'S DESIGNATED PUBLIC MEETING FACILITIES THE CITY OF ARE ACCESSIBLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. THE CITY WILL PROVIDE ACCOMMODATION, SUCH AS SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS FOR THE REQUESTED LEAST HEARING IMPAIRED, IF AT 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE SCHEDULED MEETING. PLEASE CALL THE CITY SECRETARY'S OFFICE AT 940-349-8309 OR USE TELECOMMUNICATIONS DEVICES FOR THE DEAF (TDD) BY CALLING 1-800-RELAY-TX SO THAT REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION CAN BE ARRANGED.



Legislation Text

### File #: PZ24-163, Version: 1

### AGENDA CAPTION

Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give staff direction regarding an ordinance of the City of Denton, Texas amending the Denton Development Code to include Section 2.12: Affordable Housing Incentive Procedures.

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### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** City Manager's Office

CM/ DCM/ ACM: Christine Taylor

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

### **SUBJECT**

Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give staff direction regarding an ordinance of the City of Denton, Texas amending the Denton Development Code to include Section 2.12: Affordable Housing Incentive Procedures.

### BACKGROUND

As our community continues to grow, the City of Denton is committed to fostering an economically diverse community with opportunities for everyone. The City has prioritized supporting affordable housing as outlined in the Denton Affordable Housing Strategic Toolkit, as well as other strategic planning documents, such as the Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development and Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan.

City Council adopted Denton's Affordable Housing Strategic Toolkit on February 15, 2022 (ID 22-090). The toolkit outlines five recommended strategies with targeted activities to deliver housing interventions. One of these five strategies is Zoning Relief and Variances, combining adjustments to development regulations with targeted incentives to enable the private sector to produce lower priced units.

On July 17, 2024, staff initially presented the proposed Denton Development Code (DDC) Affordability Incentive amendments to the Planning and Zoning Commission in a work session. The Commission requested staff conduct more public engagement related to the proposed incentives being recommended and seek feedback particularly from the development community to ascertain if the incentives would be used and effective towards implementing affordable housing projects, followed by a second work session with the Commission before proceeding to public hearing. The results of the feedback received are addressed below in the Public Engagement portion of this report, as well as in Exhibit 3 (Summary of Public Feedback).

### What is Affordable Housing?

Affordable Housing is any dwelling unit designed such that a household at 80% Area Median Income (AMI) or below can afford to live in, with the cost being no more than 30% of their income.

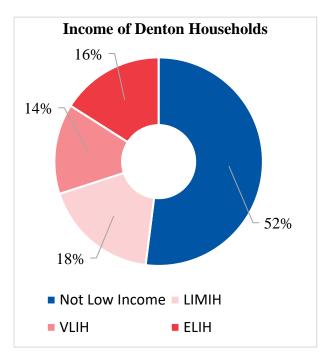
### Affordability

Household Area Median Income is determined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) on an annual basis for regions. Below is the Area Median Income by Household Size table for the greater Dallas/Fort Worth region, Denton inclusive.

Area	Income	Household Size									
Median Income	Limit Category	1	2	3	4*	5	6	7	8		
	100%	77,300	88,300	99,300	110,300	119,200	128,000	136,800	145,600		
110,300	<u>Low /</u> <u>Moderate</u> (80%)	61,800	70,600	79,450	88,250	95,350	102,400	109,450	116,500		
110,500	<u>Very Low</u> (50%)	38,650	44,150	49,650	55,150	59,600	64,000	68,400	72,800		
	Extremely Low 30%	23,200	26,500	29,800	33,100	35,750	38,400	41,050	43,700		

Affordable Housing Aims to serve "Low Income Households" – Those households earning 80% or less of Denton County Area Median Income. The Area Median Income (AMI), also known as Income Limit, is established and annually updated by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). AMI includes the following Income Categories:

- i. Extremely Low-Income Households (ELIH), earning no more than 30% of AMI as determined by the most Recent Income Limits set by HUD for Denton County or Persons Experiencing Homelessness (PEH) (Income Limits found here).
- ii. Very Low-Income Households (VLIH), earning no more than 50% of the AMI as determined by the most Recent Income Limits set by HUD for Denton County (Income Limits found here).
- iii. Low-Income and Moderate-Income households (LIMIH), earning no more than 80% of the AMI as determined by the most Recent Income Limits set by HUD or Denton County (<u>Income Limits found here</u>).



## Need

In the City of Denton, 48% of households are Low Income Households.

• 18% are Low-Income and Moderate-Income Households,

- 14% are Very Low-Income Households,
- 16% are Extremely Low-Income Households.

30% of Denton households (14,530 households) are Very Low Income, earning 50% AMI or below.

Of Denton's current 49,550 housing units, only 6,650 are affordable to Low Income – Moderate Income Households.

By incentivizing the private market to create mixed-income developments, the City seeks to ensure that poverty is not concentrated in one area of the city, while at the same time

leveraging local resources as effectively as possible to foster economic opportunity and affordability.

## AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROCEDURES

As an activity outlined in the Affordable Housing Strategic Toolkit, City staff proposes an amendment to the Denton Development Code (DDC) outlining Incentives for Affordable Housing Development. These incentives will offer targeted zoning relief in exchange for affordability of the dwelling unit(s).

Under these procedures, prospective developers would submit an Affordable Housing Incentives Program Application to City staff. If approved by City staff, the developer will be allowed specific chosen variances from the Affordability Incentives below, in exchange for setting aside a portion of units as Affordable Housing. The more incentives a developer chooses to utilize, the greater proportion of units the developer will need to set aside as affordable.

## **Affordability Incentives**

Projects providing affordable units may request one or more of the following incentives, depending upon the income level of the targeted households and the percentage of affordable units set-aside as described in Table 2.12-B.

- 1. 20% reduction in minimum yard/setback requirements in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
  - a. Townhome developments are not eligible for this incentive but may instead receive a 20% reduction in open space requirements.
- 2. 20% deviation from building coverage requirements in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 -3.5,
- 3. 20% reduction in minimum lot width in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
- 4. 20% reduction in minimum lot depth in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
- 5. 20% reduction in minimum lot area in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
- 6. 20% increase in maximum building height in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5, provided the development is still in compliance with Section 7.10.6,
- 7. 20% reduction in minimum unit size for townhome, duplex, multifamily dwelling, and tiny home developments as defined in Subsection 5.3.3,
- 8. For multifamily dwellings, a 10 point reduction in the Landscaping Area Point System (development must provide at least two Elements from Section A and one Element from Section B, regardless of reduction) in Table 7.E,
- 9. A reduction or waiver in parking requirements from Table 7.9-I:
  - a. A reduction in parking requirements to not less than 1 parking space per affordable dwelling unit irrespective of the number of habitable rooms, or,
  - b. A reduction in parking requirements to not less than ½ parking space per affordable dwelling unit for dwelling units restricted to senior citizens, with senior being defined as those 62 years of age or older.

## **Affordability Qualifications**

To qualify for an Affordability Incentive(s), the residential development must have set aside for affordable units, as defined under Subsection 2.12.2.D, a portion of the unit total equal to or greater than the percentage provided in Table 2.12-B for the requested number of Affordability Incentives.

TABLE 2.12-B: Number of Incentives Granted Per Percent of Units held Affordable								
Income Category	Percent of Units Affordable	Percent of Units Affordable	Percent of Units Affordable	Percent of Units Affordable				
NUMBER OF INCENTIVES	1	2	3	4 or more				
ELIH	5%	10%	15%	20%				
VLIH	10%	15%	20%	25%				
LIMIH	5%	10%	15%	20%				

TOTAL PERCENT OF UNITS AFFORDABLE	20%	35%	50%	65%
DURATION OF AFFORDABILITY	20 years	30 years	40 years	45 years

## PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Staff hosted a town hall Monday, August 5, 2024 at 5:30 pm. Approximately 30 individuals attended the town hall, and the primary feedback expressed was a desire to see stronger incentives that would increase developer buy-in. To accommodate residents and developers who could not attend the in-person town hall, staff attached to all invitations the presentation presented to the Planning and Zoning Commission on July 17, 2024 along with a website link to an online feedback form; 11 responses were received. A summary of the Public Feedback collected is provided in Exhibit 3.

### **REQUESTED DIRECTION**

Staff seeks direction from the Planning and Zoning Commission regarding next steps related to the proposed DDC Affordability Incentives amendments:

- Proceed to public hearing at the August 28, 2024 Planning and Zoning Commission meeting <u>as</u> <u>proposed.</u>
- Proceed to public hearing at the August 28, 2024 Planning and Zoning Commission meeting <u>with</u> <u>modifications to the draft ordinance.</u> Requested modifications could include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - Increase the ratio of incentives allowed per affordable units (such as starting the initial incentive offerings at 3 incentives) and/or;
  - Standardize duration of affordability to 30 years, regardless of the number of incentives utilized.
- If there are substantial modifications requested by the Planning and Zoning Commission, or if additional feedback is required, since legal notices have been distributed for publication in the newspaper, staff would then **postpone** the August 28, 2024 public hearing to a future date in order to allow sufficient time for staff to make the appropriate ordinance modifications.

## **EXHIBITS**

- Exhibit 1 Agenda Information Sheet
- Exhibit 2 Draft of Section 2.12 Affordability Incentive Procedures
- Exhibit 3 Summary of Public Feedback

Respectfully submitted: Dani Shaw Director of Community Services

Prepared by: Leia Atkinson Housing Programs Coordinator

## Subchapter 9 considerations for definition additions:

"Low Income Household" – Those households earning 80% or less of Denton County Area Median Income. The Area Median Income (AMI), also known as Income Limit, is established and annually updated by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). AMI includes the following Income Categories:

- Extremely Low-Income Households (ELIH), earning no more than 30% of AMI as determined by the most Recent <u>Income Limits set by HUD</u> for Denton County or Persons Experiencing Homelessness (PEH).
- 2. Very Low-Income Households (VLIH), earning no more than 50% of the AMI as determined by the most Recent Income Limits set by HUD for Denton County.
- 3. Low-Income and Moderate-Income households (LIMIH), earning no more than 80% of the AMI as determined by the most Recent <u>Income Limits set by HUD</u> for Denton County

## 2.12 Affordability Incentive Procedures

1. **Purpose**: The purpose of this section is to encourage the development of affordable housing within the City of Denton. The City is committed to fostering an economically diverse community with opportunities for everyone. The City has prioritized supporting affordable housing, and the implementation of this Affordability Incentive Process recognizes the public benefits affordable housing contributes to local communities and businesses.

### 2. Applicability:

- A. Any development which provides dwelling units for Low Income Households, in accordance with the qualifications in Subsection 2.12.5A may be eligible for one or more Affordability Incentives.
- B. The Affordability Incentives may be utilized for the development of the following types of residential uses which include affordable units allocated for Low-Income Households at the percentages described in table 2.12-B:
  - 1. Multifamily Dwelling,
  - 2. Single-Family Detached Dwelling,
  - 3. Townhome,
  - 4. Duplex,
  - 5. Triplex,
  - 6. Fourplex,
  - 7. Tiny Home Development,
  - 8. Accessory Dwelling Unit, or
  - 9. Manufactured Home Development (HUD Code).

- C. <u>Duration of Affordability</u>. Affordable housing units created by the Affordability Incentives Process shall remain affordable, as defined in Subsection 2.12.2.D, for at least the period of time stipulated in Table 2.12-B.
- D. <u>Definitions for Affordability</u>. To be deemed affordable for the purposes of this Section the sale or rental price of a dwelling unit shall be based on the Income Limits for the year the housing unit is offered for sale or rent. The Income Limits for each Low-Income Household Income Category are as follows:
  - 1. Extremely Low-Income Households (ELIH): Housing units allocated to this Income Category shall be priced no higher 30% of the income for a household at the ELIH AMI as determined by the most Recent Income Limits set by HUD for Denton County or Persons Experiencing Homelessness (PEH).
  - Very Low-Income Households (VLIH): Housing Units allocated to this Income Category shall be priced no higher than 30% of the income for a household at VLIH AMI as determined by the most Recent <u>Income Limits set by HUD</u> for Denton County.
  - 3. Low-Income and Moderate-Income households (LIMIH): Housing Units Allocated to this Income Category shall be priced no higher than 30% of income for a household at LIMIH AMI as determined by the most Recent Income Limits set by HUD for Denton County.
- E. <u>Applicability of other Development Regulations</u>. Affordability Incentive Program participation is the only process required for approval of Affordability Incentives. Participation in the Affordability Incentives Program does not remove the obligation to obtain any other approvals required by this DDC.

### 3. Procedure:

### A. Step 1: Pre-Application Activities.

- 1. <u>Pre-Application Conference</u>. A pre-application conference is recommended in accordance with Subsection 2.4.3.
- 2. <u>Citizen Participation</u>. Not required.

### B. Step 2: Application Submittal and Processing:

- 1. <u>Affordability Incentives Agreement</u>. Prior to issuance of the building permit, the applicant must execute an Affordability Incentives Agreement (hereafter, the "Agreement") in a form approved by the City Attorney. The Agreement must include, but is not to be limited to:
  - a. Legal description of the subject property;
  - b. Duration of Affordability, according to Table 2.12-B;
  - c. Identification of all the incentives that the project proposes to incorporate;
  - Identification of the minimum number of affordable housing units required to be provided in the project to qualify for the incentives per section 2.12.5;
  - e. Identification of the AMI categories assigned to the affordable housing units;
  - f. The information required to be in the Affordability Incentives Application, as provided in Section 2.12.3.B.#;

- g. Confirmation that the development shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, familial status or disability in the lease, use, or occupancy of the Development. Further the Development shall not deny admission to any person exclusively on the basis of such person receiving rental assistance payments under a local, state, federal or other housing assistance program, including, but not limited to, Section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 as amended;
- h. A recordable Security Interest that protects the City's interests in the event that a developer applies Affordability Incentives to the platting or building phases but fails to provide affordable housing for the Duration of Affordability, or to the AMI Income Categories as agreed;
- i. A Right of First Refusal clause that requires the City be offered the chance to buy the property if the applicant decides to sell the property prior to the end of the Duration of Affordability;
- j. Consent to modify the Agreement if the submitted project requires alteration through normal development review and approval process;
- k. A default provision stating the conditions of default, which shall include, but not be limited to: failure to provide the required number of affordable housing units as stipulated under the Agreement or conversion of the property to a use other than for affordable housing as defined under this section before the expiration of the Duration of Affordability.; and
- I. Language that requires documentation of a recorded agreement, lien, or covenant running with the land, binding all the assigns, heirs, and successors of the applicant. The recorded agreement, lien, or covenant shall secure the required affordability provisions prior to the building permit for a Single-Family Detached Dwelling, Townhome, Duplex, Triplex, Fourplex, Tiny Home Development, or Manufactured Home development or Multifamily Dwelling building permit. Additionally, the recorded agreement, lien, or covenant must include all provisions related to the Agreement, including, but not limited to, Duration of Affordability, proposed incentives, minimum number of affordable housing units, required Income Categories, the City's Right of First Refusal, and remedies related to a failure to fulfill the terms of the agreement.
- C. **Step 3: Staff Review and Action**. In addition to traditional staff review, The Director or their designee (as applicable) shall review the draft Affordability Incentives Agreement, residential project, and proposed Affordability Incentives outlined in this Subchapter in conjunction with the City Attorney. No building permit shall be issued or land use approvals finalized , and no

other permits shall be issued until the Affordability Incentives Agreement has been fully reviewed, approved, and executed by the City.

- D. Step 4: Scheduling and Notice of Public Meetings/Hearings. Not required.
- E. **Step 5**: **Post-Decision Actions and Limitations**. Post-decision actions and limitations in DDC Subsection 2.4.8 shall apply, with the following modifications:
  - 1. <u>Monitoring Continued Affordability</u>. The City of Denton Community Services Department shall be the responsible party to monitor the continued affordability of both rental and owner-occupied housing units.
  - 2. <u>Resale of Affordable Homeownership Units</u>. Affordable Housing units provided for under this Chapter may be sold or resold only to eligible households or a nonprofit organization through the end of the required Duration of Affordability. For Affordable Housing units to be sold or resold at market rate prior to the end of the required Duration of Affordability, the benefit provided through this section shall be accounted for as follows:
    - a. Reimbursement shall be made to the City of Denton as reasonable compensation for the value of all incentives originally granted.
      - i. As provided in Subsection 2.12.5.B, 50 percent of net proceeds from the sale shall be paid to the City.
      - ii. The City shall dedicate all such conversion payments towards future incentives offered through this section or other affordable housing initiatives as directed by City Council.
    - b. A recorded agreement, lien, and covenant running with the land, binding all the assigns, heirs and successors of the applicant shall secure the conversion requirements in Subsection 2.12.3.F as outlined in 2.12.3.B.
  - 3. <u>Conversion of Affordable Rental Units to Market Rate.</u> Affordable Housing units provided for under this Chapter when sold or resold are still subject to the requirements in the Affordability Incentives Agreement in accordance to the recorded agreement, lien, or covenant running with the land, until the end of the affordability period specified. In the event that the terms of the agreement are not fulfilled, the City may pursue the remedies specified in the Affordability Incentives Agreement.
- 4. **Approval Criteria**. In reviewing the Affordability Incentives Agreement application, the Director or their designee shall consider the general approval criteria in Subsection 2.4.5 and the following criteria:
  - A. The proposal complies with the Affordability Incentive Qualifications outlined in Table 2.12-B,
  - B. Number, distribution, and building design of affordable housing units within the project area,
  - C. A proportional amount of affordable housing units scheduled to be completed at or prior to the construction of related market rate housing units, for mixed-income developments constructed in phases exceeding 12 months.
  - D. The Development shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, familial status or disability in the lease, use, or occupancy of the Development. Further the Development shall not deny admission to any person exclusively on the basis of such

person receiving rental assistance payments under a local, state, federal or other housing assistance program, including, but not limited to, Section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 as amended.

- E. Uniformity of building design between affordable and market rate dwelling units. and
- F. Conformance with all other applicable standards in this DDC, except for deviations consistent with the requested Affordability Incentives.

### 5. Qualifications and Incentives.

A. <u>Affordability Incentive Qualifications</u>. To qualify for an Affordability Incentive(s), the residential development must have set aside for affordable units, as defined under Subsection 2.12.2.D, a portion of the unit total equal to or greater than the percentage provided in Table 2.12-B for the requested number of Affordability Incentives.

TABLE 2.12-B: Number of Incentives Granted Per Percent of Units held Affordable						
	Percent of	Percent of	Percent of	Percent of		
Income Category	Units	Units	Units	Units		
	Affordable	Affordable	Affordable	Affordable		
NUMBER OF INCENTIVES	1	2	3	4 or more		
ELIH	5%	10%	15%	20%		
VLIH	10%	15%	20%	25%		
LIMIH	5%	10%	15%	20%		
TOTAL PERCENT OF UNITS AFFORDABLE	20%	35%	50%	65%		
DURATION OF AFFORDABILITY	20 years	30 years	40 years	45 years		

- B. <u>Affordability Incentives</u>. Projects providing affordable units may request one or more of the following incentives, depending upon the income level of the targeted households and the percentage of affordable units set-aside as described in Table 2.12-B.
  - 1. 20% reduction in minimum yard/setback requirements in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
    - a. Townhome developments are not eligible for this incentive, but may instead receive a 20% reduction in open space requirements
  - 2. 20% deviation from building coverage requirements in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
  - 3. 20% reduction in minimum lot width in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
  - 4. 20% reduction in minimum lot depth in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
  - 5. 20% reduction in minimum lot area in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5,
  - 6. 20% increase in maximum building height in the applicable zoning district in Section 3.2 3.5, provided the development is still in compliance with Section 7.10.6,
  - 7. 20% reduction in minimum unit size for townhome, duplex, multifamily dwelling, and tiny home developments as defined in Subsection 5.3.3,

- 8. For multifamily dwellings, a 10 point reduction in the Landscaping Area Point System (development must provide at least two Elements from Section A and one Element from Section B, regardless of reduction) in Table 7.E,
- 9. A reduction or waiver in parking requirements from Table 7.9-1:
  - a. A reduction in parking requirements to not less than 1 parking space per affordable dwelling unit irrespective of the number of habitable rooms, or,
  - b. A reduction in parking requirements to not less than ½ parking space per affordable dwelling unit for dwelling units restricted to senior citizens, with senior being defined as those 62 years of age or older.

## 2.12 Affordability Incentives

## **Public Feedback**

### Town Hall (30 Attendees)

- Wanted to see more incentive options
- Interested in Overlay districts
- Potential Incentive: No additional off-street parking for affordable rehabs
- Wanted to see stronger incentives, as well as bigger reward scale
  - Starting at 3 Incentives and scaling higher
- Emphasis that biggest incentive would be in reduction, waiving or reimbursement of impact fees or assistance paying for utilities
- Potential Incentive: Infill allowed by right
- Interested in seeing stronger incentives for small development

### <u>Virtual</u>

### Developer

- 1. Are any of these incentives something you could see your team utilizing on a new development in Denton?
  - a. Definitely
- If so, which would you say you're most likely to find helpful, and which are you less likely to utilize?
  - a. Parking, Setbacks, Height, and Landscaping are all things that we have been working through on our current applications that would be greatly helped by this incentive program. For the unit sizes and lot sizes these are things that are normally easier for us to meet because of the standards of the TDHCA program (with their set unit sizes normally being larger than city requirements)
- 3. Do the affordability requirements offered in exchange strike you as fair for the incentive(s) being gained?
  - a. Yes, this is similar to the Affordability Unlocked program that we have been utilizing in Austin that has helped us create great infill developments.

### <u>Resident</u>

- No (2)
  - "There is no such thing as affordable housing. The market dictates housing prices. It's the reality. You can call it affordable but it's just a marketing gimmick."
  - "The City of Denton has no business subsidizing or encouraging low income housing. Homelessness has escalated in recent years because the City has ignored the needs of the residents in favor of outsiders that have taken advantage of our way of life. The excessive building of high density apartments and housing developments has outstripped our infrastructure and led to increased crime and a drastic lowering of the standard of living in the City. Adding additional low income housing and high density

developments will only escalate these problems and turn our City into a "Northern South Dallas" with shooting and other violent crime present on a daily basis. Simply stated, there is no "right" to housing. The current ordinances are in place to protect the public from high density shanty town developments which inevitably arise when poor populations are crowded into small geographic areas. The type of individual that this high density development attracts is exactly the opposite of the type of individual we should be looking to attract to this city. Those of us who live here do not want to support housing welfare for the poor. Remember that our own taxes have doubled in the last 10 years with no reduction in sight, meaning that it is growing increasingly difficult to support our own residence in this city. We have no desire to subsidize housing that supports the influx of outsiders who cannot meaningfully contribute to the city. This amendment needs to be rejected by the city counsel and any person who has a hope of retaining a decent standard of living or safety in Denton."

- Yes (5)
  - "Denton needs more affordable housing and I think this is something that would help move the city in that direction"
  - "I'm excited about any amendments that may increase the amount of affordable housing in Denton. I want people from all walks of life to be able to reside in Denton and contribute to its economy and culture. By failing to pass amendments such as this one that will improve the housing market in Denton, one risks Denton becoming the sort of city where people who work there cannot afford to live there, which would detract seriously from both its economy and its characteristic charm."
  - "As a single mother of two, I am struggling to afford to live in Denton. The schools are amazing and I want to keep my children in these schools but rent increases make it almost impossible. Eventually I would like to buy a home but I just don't see how it would be possible without assistance."
  - "Although I am writing in my capacity as a Denton resident, I also work as a research and • policy director for Texas Housers, a statewide low-income housing advocacy nonprofit. I support increasing the delivery of much needed units for lowest-income households through the Affordability Incentives program. Relaxing certain development restrictions in exchange for providing deeply affordable housing allows developers to produce the affordable units that low-income Denton residents need without having to stretch the use of limited public funding. My concerns and comments with the program as proposed are only presented in service of making the tool stronger and more effective, as I am fully in support of the City adopting such a tool. I encourage the City to ensure that the incentives offered to developers in exchange for income-restricted units are calibrated so that they will be desirable and feasible for developers. Making sure that several of the incentives offered (and the levels that those incentives are offered at) will be desirable to developers in different situations will make the program more flexible and effective. Regarding the affordability requirements, I applaud the proposal's focus on units that will be affordable for households making between 0-50% of AMI, and specifically including units affordable to households making <30% of AMI. Data consistently shows that households in Denton that are struggling the most to afford their housing are those with these very low and extremely low incomes. I am generally in favor of the way that model programs such as Austin's

Affordability Unlocked allow for some flexibility of income-restricted unit mix as long as certain baseline affordability requirements are met, and am slightly cautious about the fixed income level requirements. However, given that the unit share requirement for extremely low income households is so small already, I would not the City to make any changes to the proposal that would risk not incentivizing those much needed (and difficult to deliver) units. Regarding the affordability period, I strongly advocate a minimum affordability period of 30 years, similar to current federal programs. I recognize the way that the duration of affordability toggles up and down to mirror the number of incentives granted, but I do not see any reason why the City wouldn't be able to simply require a stronger affordability period (of 45 years) across the board. Finally, I would like to know more about the proposed monitoring and compliance plan, as this will be essential to ensuring the success of the program. We have seen similar tools in other cities be incredibly effective at incentivizing developers to produce deeply affordable housing without having to tap public funding. If the City of Denton can develop a tool that balances appropriate affordability levels with incentives that developers will want, this will be a powerful mechanism for producing deeply affordable housing in Denton. Thank you for your important work on this effort."

• "It's time we try something different. Make room for different housing."



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### AGENDA CAPTION

Receive a report and hold a discussion regarding North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) demographic projections update associated with the regional travel demand forecast model.



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### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

### **SUBJECT**

Receive a report and hold a discussion regarding North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) demographic projections update associated with the regional travel demand forecast model. (PZ24-167, Farhan Butt)

### **BACKGROUND**

North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) is updating its demographic data sets for the base year of 2019. These data sets are crucial inputs for NCTCOG's aggregate regional travel demand forecast model, which guides regional transportation investment decisions.

The review aims to gather input on locations where the travel demand forecast model and the demographic growth projections process may not fully capture developments since 2019, the base year for these forecasts. Therefore, NCTCOG is seeking input from local jurisdictions regarding any updates to the data set and staff is currently working on this effort.

Transportation Services staff will present the NCTCOG's demographic growth projections and estimates to the Planning and Zoning Commission at their meeting on August 14, 2024, including addressing the following:

- Base Data
- County Level Forecast Targets
- Preliminary Demographics
- Estimated Traffic Congestion Levels
- Demand Flow Paths of Least Resistance
- Local Review Process

### **EXHIBITS**

1. Agenda Information Sheet

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/ Planning Director



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### File #: PZ24-155, Version: 1

### AGENDA CAPTION

Consider the approval of the July 17, 2024, and July 24, 2024, Planning and Zoning meeting minutes.

### MINUTES PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSSION June 17, 2024

After determining that a quorum was present, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Denton, Texas convened in a Work Session on Wednesday, July 17, 2024, at 5:02 p.m. in the Council Work Session Room at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas.

PRESENT: Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Desiree Padron, and Jordan Villarreal

ABSENT: Commissioner Kimberly Thaggard

### WORK SESSION

### 1. In Person for Regular or Consent Agenda Items:

None

### 2. <u>Clarification of agenda items listed on the agenda for this meeting.</u>

The following items were presented, and discussion was had: 2.A (CA24-0002) and 2.C (DCA24-0009)

The following item was presented, and no discussion was had: 2.B (DCA24-0008)

### 3. Work Session Reports

A. PZ24-131 Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give staff direction regarding amending the Denton Development Code to include Section 2.12: Affordable Housing Incentive Procedures.

Staff presented the report to the Commission and a discussion followed.

The Work Session was adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

### SPECIAL CALLED MEETING

After determining that a quorum was present, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Denton, Texas convened in a Special Called Meeting on Wednesday, July 17, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney, Denton, Texas.

PRESENT: Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Desiree Padron, and Jordan Villarreal

ABSENT: Commissioner Kimberly Thaggard

### 1. <u>PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE</u>

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### 2. <u>PUBLIC HEARINGS</u>

A. CA24-0002a Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding an ordinance adopting the Southeast Denton Area Plan and amending the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan. The Southeast Denton Area Plan has an approximate boundary line of 800 feet north of East McKinney Street, 900 feet east of South Woodrow Lane, 700 feet south of Shady Oaks Drive, Dallas Drive to the south, and South Bell Avenue to the west, encompassing approximately 975 acres in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (CA24-0002, Southeast Denton Area Plan, Julie Wyatt and Mia Hines)

Chair Ellis opened the public hearing.

City staff presented the item. Discussion followed.

Citizen comments will be listed on Exhibit A.

Discussion continued.

Chair Ellis closed the public hearing.

Commissioner Villarreal moved to approve the item as presented. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cole. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Desiree Padron, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Kimberly Thaggard

B. DCA24-0008 Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding amending the Denton Development Code Subchapter 2: Administration and Procedures Subsection 2.3.3B Planning and Zoning Commission Operational Procedures related to establishing an agenda item reconsideration process within the Planning and Zoning Commission Operational Procedures. (DCA24-0008, P & Z Reconsideration Process, Keisha Cyriaano)

Chair Ellis opened the public hearing.

City staff presented the item. Discussion followed.

Chair Ellis closed the public hearing.

Commissioner Villarreal moved to approve the item as presented. Motion seconded by Vice-Chair Pruett. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Desiree Padron, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Kimberly Thaggard

C. DCA24-0009 Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a proposed revision to the Denton Development Code; amendments include but are not limited to Table 5.2-A: Table of Allowed Uses, Section 5.3.4: Public, Institutional, Religious, and Civic Uses Use-Specific Standards, Table 7.9-I: Minimum Required Off-Street Parking, and Section 9.2: Definitions related to the applicability and regulation of charter schools. (DCA24-0009, Charter School Uses, Erin Stanley)

Commissioner Cole moved to approve the item as presented. Motion seconded by Commissioner Padron. Motion carried.

AYES (4): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, and Desiree Padron NAYS (1): Commissioner Jordan Villarreal ABSENT (1): Commissioner Kimberly Thaggard

## 3. <u>CONCLUDING ITEMS</u>

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

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Margie Ellis, Planning and Zoning Commission Chair

## X\_\_\_\_\_

Cathy Welborn, Administrative Assistant III

Minutes approved on: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

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		July 17, 2024	4 Planning and	Zoning N	Aeeting - EXHIBIT A
	Sp	eaker Commentarie	s/ Registration	- Online,	E-mail, In-Person, and Phone
Name	Address	Agenda Item	Position	Method	Comments
Charles Patrick Lee	Not Stated	CA24-0002a	Not Stated	In Person	This is not going to address the issue at all because the problem here is this happening all over the country. Stated he is not from here, he is from New Jersey and the problem here is really the Federal Governments problem because they are not balancing a budget and they keep printing endless money and that why you have the gentlemen over here talking about he bought a house for \$100,000.00 and now it cost \$300,000.00 because that's how much the dollar has fallen in value and its going to keep falling in value until someone in Washington starts balancing a budget and stop spending money to where people have to get taxed. Stated he moved to Texas because he couldn't afford New Jersey anymore. This plan is not going to do anything its going to keep the prices going up because the Country is bankrupt and know one wants to live within their means.
Colette Johnson	327 Ruth Street, Denton, 76205	CA24-0002a	Support	In Person	Stated she is president of the Southeast Denton Neighborhood Association Community group is here to back Julie because they did put the information out. Every single month they were at the meetings for a whole year and those that attended the meetings knew what was going on. Stated City Staff was at the National Night Out, American Legion Hall, and Juneteenth. But some people just don't get involved to know what is going on until its to late. But she is just here to say that Julie has been at the meetings every month, this information was out, they did go to the churches may not have gone to every church but they did come out to the churches. Some people say Clara's is not a restaurant but City Staff was there. The information was brought out, is sorry if everybody didn't know about it but we have those meetings every month and has personally invited people to those meetings and tried to get people involved. Provided the Southeast Denton Neighborhood Association Community meeting dates and times.
Donald McDade	926 E Prairie Street, Denton, 76205	CA24-0002a	Support	In Person	Is here in support of the plan but with a caveat. The caveat is he is here to support the plan as it is presented July 17, 2024. Understand we are looking at the 2040 plan which is 16 years away a lot the neighborhood is skeptical because of homeowners like himself who are 60, 70, and 80 plus and that one thing the City has that we don't and that's all the time in the world. Our biggest concern is the value of homes and the taxes. Stated to be honest with you I don't see this plan going anywhere in the next 16 years and hates to say it but as he sat on the board and heard other communities present to us its not what we got and could see that happening here. His biggest concern is and has said it all along come in say what you mean, mean what you say, the last 100 years you talk about distrust doesn't really see that changing. I tell people all the time that contract here are written in pencil and invisible ink.
Karen Thomas	1212 McDonald Drive, Denton, 76205	CA24-0002a	Not Stated	In Person	Has a question about how much land Southeast Denton is losing in all of this. Wanted to know when the City quit working on all the sidewalks that haven't been completed and where do all the Southeast Denton residents eat. Also wanted to know about the new complex going up when you are driving down Duncan going onto Lakey and how much is the rent on those apartments going to be.
L. Awtrey	1008 Scott Drive, Denton, 76205	CA24-0002a	Support	In Person	Questioned if future City Council make their own plan or disregard which so much time and effort has gone into the Area Plan.
Stephen Richard	1106 Morse Street, Denton, 76205	CA24-0002a	Not Stated	In Person	His question is the communication and transparency about the plan, because he is one of the individuals that found out about this as well. Been a member and resident of Southeast Denton for twenty years and no he not the most in engaged on what is going on with his community. The concern he has is it was stated that staff was restaurants but we really don't have any restaurants. Then what communication was sent out about the meetings regarding the Southeast Denton Community and future developments. He feels if you want to have a really good communication and get a full scope of everybody in the community go to the churches. Nobody went to the churches, beauty shops or barber shops nobody went to those place that really have a solid figure or pulse of our neighborhood where we go and talk. Stated its harder for the younger generation to be a participant if they aren't aware of them. Stated if we could get a little bit more of transparency and open communication that would be fantastic.

Willie Sellers	930 Scott Drive, Denton 76205	CA24-0002a	Not Stated	In Person	Shares some of the same concerns that Mr. McDade has. Asked who was on the Steering Committee and if it
					was only City employees. Pulled up at list that are people that work for the City and external partners. Spoke
					about 4.2 in the Neighborhood Revising Strategy Area, asked if the County owns property within Southeast
					Denton. Also reference action 6.2 when he looks at the structure you have there for bike trails and etc and
					Mr. McDade mentioned that the people are going to be 60 and 70 years old those people are not going to be
					able to use those type of investments. The only thing I could see happening in Southeast Denton is a
					microcosm of what happened in Quakertown and don't get him wrong he's not in opposition of
					improvement, but the improvements have to have a value added for the remaining people that are going to
					be there that cant go anywhere else. Because as Mr. McDade stated the property value is going up and up
					and up. Another thing is he sees Southeast Denton being targeted as a Habitat for Humanity Area. Spoke
					with Ms. Hines about that and shared with her that the only thing Southeast Denton is that it is the cheapest
					land in Denton currently. Another thing he noticed is that the Downtown area is moving toward Southeast
					Denton, because you cant go North because TWU owns all that, you cant go west because you got the
					Historic District and UNT so you have to come get us but what he is saying is you are going to create an
					additional problem. Asked what the targeted areas are?

### MINUTES PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSSION July 24, 2024

After determining that a quorum was present, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Denton, Texas convened in a Work Session on Wednesday, July 24, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Work Session Room at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas.

PRESENT: Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal

ABSENT: Commissioners Desiree Padron

### WORK SESSION

### 1. In Person for Regular or Consent Agenda Items:

None

### 2. <u>Clarification of agenda items listed on the agenda for this meeting.</u>

The following item withdrawn by the applicant: 3.C (FP24-0025)

The following items were presented, and discussion was had: 3.D (FP24-0024a), 3.F (FP24-0023b), 4.D (CA24-0001), and 4.E (Z24-0009)

The following items were presented, and no discussion was had: 3.A (FR24-0005), 3.B (PP24-0003), 3.E (FP24-0026), and 4.C (S23-0001)

The following items were postponed, and no discussion was had: 4.A (PD23-0001a) and 4.B (Z22-0018a)

### 3. Work Session Reports

A. PZ24-089a Receive a report and hold a discussion related to amending the Denton Development Code to establish a Community Engagement Incentive participation process including offering potential development process incentives associated with Memorandum of Understandings.

Staff presented the report to the Commission and a discussion followed.

The Work Session was adjourned at 5:44 p.m.

### **REGULAR MEETING**

After determining that a quorum was present, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Denton, Texas convened in a Regular Meeting on Wednesday, July 24, 2024, at 6:31 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney, Denton, Texas.

PRESENT: Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal

ABSENT: Commissioners Desiree Padron

### 1. <u>PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE</u>

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### 2. <u>CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION</u> <u>MINUTES</u>

A. PZ24-135 Consider approval of the June 26, 2024, Planning and Zoning meeting minutes.

Commissioner Villarreal moved to approve the June 26, 2024, Planning and Zoning meeting minutes. Motion seconded by Vice-Chair Pruett. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

## 3. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

A. FR24-0005 Consider a request by Kimley-Horn & Associates, on behalf of Forestar Group for a Final Replat of Eagle Creek Phase 3B. The approximately 36.07-acre site is generally located 0.5 miles east of South Bonnie Brae Street and north of Roselawn Drive in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0005, Eagle Creek Phase 3B, Bryce Van Arsdale)

City staff presented the item. No discussion followed.

Commissioner Villarreal moved to approve the extension of the item to date certain of August 14, 2024. Motion seconded by Commissioner Thaggard. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron B. PP24-0003 Consider a request by Kimley-Horn & Associates, on behalf of Vandesmith Developers LTD for a Preliminary Plat of Grand Parkside. The approximately 19.15-acre site is generally located 266.11 feet east of Country Club Road and north of Hobson Lane in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (PP24-0003, Grand Parkside, Bryce Van Arsdale)

City staff presented the item. No discussion followed.

Commissioner Villarreal moved to approve the extension of the item to date certain of August 14, 2024. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cole. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

C. FP24-0025 Consider a request by Stonehawk Capital Partners, LLC for a Final Plat of the Sereno Village Addition. The 18.235-acre site is generally located at the northwest corner of East University Drive (US 380) and Old North Road, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0025, Sereno Village Addition, Mia Hines).

The item was withdrawn by the applicant. No action was taken.

D. FP24-0024a Consider a request by Claudio Segovia of Johnson Volk Consulting, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Sage Creek Townhomes. The approximately 23.849-acre site is generally located at the northwest corner of the intersection of Audra Lane and Lattimore Street, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0024a, Sage Creek Townhomes, Sean Jacobson)

City staff presented the item. No discussion followed.

Commissioner Cole moved to approve the extension of the item to date certain of August 14, 2024. Motion seconded by Commissioner Thaggard. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

E. FP24-0026 Consider a request by Reece Flanagan of Flanagan Land Solutions, LLC, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Acintyo Ventures Addition, Lots 1 and 2, Block 1. The approximately 0.300-acre site is generally located on the south side of Fannin Street, approximately 105 feet east of the intersection of Fannin Street and South Avenue B, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0026, Acintyo Ventures Addition, Sean Jacobson)

City staff presented the item. No discussion followed.

Commissioner Villarreal moved to approve the extension of the item to date certain of August 14, 2024. Motion seconded by Commissioner Thaggard. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

F. FP24-0023b Consider a request by Barron Stark Engineers, on behalf of JVAC Properties LLC, for approval of a Final Plat of Lot 1, Block A Riviera Addition. The approximately 15-acre tract is generally located on the north side of Fishtrap Rd, approximately 259.2 feet west of Greenleaf Circle in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0023b, Water Line Extension Riviera, Matt Bodine)

City staff presented the item. No discussion followed.

Commissioner Villarreal moved to approve the extension of the item to date certain of August 14, 2024. Motion seconded by Commissioner Thaggard. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

### 4. <u>PUBLIC HEARINGS</u>

A. PD23-0001 Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request by McAdams on behalf of the property owner, 195 Denton Partners, LLC to rezone approximately 26.151 acres from Residential 2 (R2) zoning district to Overlay Planned Development with Mixed-Use Neighborhood (PD-MN) base zoning district. The subject site is generally south of Corbin Road and 1,066 feet east of I35-W within the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (PD23-0001a, Denton 195 Planned Development Overlay, Angie Manglaris) STAFF IS REQUESTING THIS ITEM BE POSTPONED TO THE AUGUST 14, 2024 MEETING.

Chair Ellis opened the public hearing.

The item was not presented or discussed.

Vice-Chair Pruett moved to postpone the item to a date certain of August 14, 2024. Motion seconded by Commissioner Thaggard. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron B. Z22-0018a Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request by McAdams on behalf of the property owner, 195 Denton Partners, LLC to rezone approximately 166.1 acres from Residential 2 (R2) zoning district to Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN) zoning district and Public Facilities (PF) zoning district. The subject site is generally located at the southeast corner of I35-W and Corbin Road in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (Z22-0018a, Denton 195, Angie Manglaris) STAFF IS REQUESTING THIS ITEM BE POSTPONED TO THE AUGUST 14, 2024 MEETING.

Chair Ellis opened the public hearing.

The item was not presented or discussed.

Vice-Chair Pruett moved to postpone the item to a date certain of August 14, 2024. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cole. Motion carried.

AYES (5): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, Kimberly Thaggard, and Jordan Villarreal NAYS (0): None ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

C. S23-0001 Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request for a Specific Use Permit (SUP) to allow for a Multifamily use on approximately 2.4 acres of land, generally located on the south side of North Elm Street approximately 560 feet east of Riney Road in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas (S23-0001, 3301 N Elm Multifamily, Ashley Ekstedt)

Chair Ellis opened the public hearing.

City staff presented the item. Discussion followed.

Chair Ellis closed the public hearing.

Vice-Chair Pruett moved to approve the item as presented. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cole. Motion carried.

AYES (4): Chair Margie Ellis, Vice-Chair Eric Pruett, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, and Kimberly Thaggard NAYS (1): Commissioner Jordan Villarreal ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

D. CA24-0001 Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request by Kimley-Horn on behalf on behalf of the property owner, Dentex Land, Cattle, and Energy LP, for a Comprehensive Plan Amendment to modify the Future Land Use Map to change the designation from Rural Areas to Moderate Residential and Community Mixed Use. The approximately 92.382-acre site is generally located north of Johnson Lane, south of Allred Road, and 2,325 feet east of John Paine Road in the City of

Denton, Denton County, Texas. (CA24-0001, Dentex Comprehensive Plan Amendment, Angie Manglaris)

Chair Ellis opened the public hearing.

City staff presented the item. Discussion followed.

Citizen comments will be listed on Exhibit A.

Chair Ellis closed the public hearing.

Commissioner Cole moved to approve the item as presented. Motion seconded by Commissioner Thaggard. Motion carried.

AYES (3): Chair Margie Ellis, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, and Kimberly Thaggard, NAYS (2): Vice-Chair Eric Pruett and Commissioner Jordan Villarreal ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

Chair Ellis recessed the Regular Meeting at 7:16 p.m.

Chair Ellis reconvened the Regular meeting at 7:25 p.m.

E. Z24-0009 Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request by Kimley-Horn on behalf of the property owner, Dentext Land, Cattle, and Energy LP, to rezone approximately 92.382 acres from Rural Residential (RR) zoning district to Mixed Use Neighborhood (MN) zoning district and Residential 6 (R6) zoning district. The subject site is generally located north of Johnson Lane, south of Allred Road and 2,325 feet east of John Paine Road to the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (Z24-0009, Dentex Rezoning, Angie Manglaris)

Chair Ellis opened the public hearing.

City staff presented the item. Discussion followed.

Citizen comments will be listed on Exhibit A.

Chair Ellis closed the public hearing.

Commissioner Cole moved to approve the item as presented. Motion seconded by Commissioner Thaggard. Motion carried.

AYES (3): Chair Margie Ellis, and Commissioners: Jason Cole, and Kimberly Thaggard, NAYS (2): Vice-Chair Eric Pruett and Commissioner Jordan Villarreal ABSENT (1): Commissioner Desiree Padron

#### 5. PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION PROJECT MATRIX

PZ24-107: Staff provided updates regarding the matrix, City Council outcomes, and area A. plans. No items were added to the matrix.

#### **CONCLUDING ITEMS** 6.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

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Margie Ellis, Planning and Zoning Commission Chair

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X\_\_\_\_\_Cathy Welborn, Administrative Assistant III

Minutes approved on:

Date

Date

		July 24, 2024 I	Planning an	d Zoning N	Neeting - EXHIBIT A
	S	peaker Commentaries/	Registratio	n - Online,	E-mail, In-Person, and Phone
Name	Address	Agenda Item	Position	Method	Comments
Thomas Fletcher	6160 Warren Parkway, Frisco 75034	4.D (CA24-0001) 4.E (Z24-0009)	Support	In Person	Stated he has worked with Hughes for quit sometime. As the Hughes mentioned we have had numerous meetings with the City just to get them familiar with the process. They are land owners not developers and they wanted to make sure they were understanding of the process and making the decision to move forward with Annexation and now the Comp Plan amendment and zoning change request. Thanked Angie and showed the proposed zoning map along with the mobility plan so that it gives a real picture of what this area is going to evolve into.
Alan Hughes	6150 Allred Road, Denton 76226	4.D (CA24-0001) 4.E (Z24-0009)	Support	In Person	We are the owners along with our parents of Dentex Land Cattle and Energy LP. Have owned the tract for thirty years, his sister currently operates a farm there JM Prosperity Farm Rustic Barn Venue. Lifelong residents of Denton County and have seen the tremendous growth first hand. Over the last ten years as development has started to move closer and closer to the farm and our parents have aged we have discussed more about the future of the farm and knowing at some point it would make sense to develop into something more. With Country Lakes North now at our south property line and Sagebrook moving closer from the east we believe now is the right time to position our property to develop in a manner that will make our family legacy proud. Have had several meetings with the City to discuss concerns which included the Annexing into the City, his sister ability to continue to operate the venue and live on the property and the uncertainty of the zoning process. In hearing that his sister and business wouldn't be impacted and staff would be supportive of zoning that is compatible with Country Lakes, Sagebrook, and the adjacent portion of Hunter Ranch it obliviated some of our concerns. Continued to state as staff stated the Annexation was finalized last week on July 16, 2024. They requested the support of the Commission.
Angela Dominguez	6250 Allred Road, Argyle, 76226	4.D (CA24-0001) 4.E (Z24-0009)	Support	In Person	Stated her and her husband first met the Hughes in 1998 when we bought 35 acres next to them. Have known them to be wonderful neighbors and stewards of the land. Jan and Alan were kind enough to share their ideas for their properties next chapter with us and as a neighbor and civil engineer I found it to be a very thoughtful concept and legacy to their family and a proposed addition to the City of Denton. I whole heartly support their land use and zoning request.



Legislation Text

#### File #: FP24-0024b, Version: 1

#### AGENDA CAPTION

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#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

#### **SUBJECT**

Consider a request by Claudio Segovia of Johnson Volk Consulting, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Sage Creek Townhomes. The approximately 23.849-acre site is generally located at the northwest corner of the intersection of Audra Lane and Lattimore Street, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0024b, Sage Creek Townhomes, Sean Jacobson)

#### **BACKGROUND**

The purpose of this Final Plat is to establish 163 residential townhome lots and 9 common area lots, dedicate easements and dedicate right-of-way. The subdivision will have two points of access on Lattimore Street.

Initial Application Date:	May 29, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	June 26, 2024
Days in Review:	29 Days
Extension Approved:	June 26, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	July 24, 2024
Days in Review:	28 Days
Extension Approved:	July 24, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	August 14, 2024
Days in Review:	21 Days

This application is being considered under TX LGC 212.009, which was updated as of September 1, 2023, with the passage of House Bill 3699.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Approve as submitted
- 2. Deny with reasons

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends approval of this plat as it meets the established criteria for approval. See Staff Analysis (Exhibit 2) for detailed reasons for recommendation.

Date	Council, Board,	Request	Action
	Commission		
June 26, 2024	Planning & Zoning	Sage Creek Townhomes (FP24-	Extension
	Commission	0024)	approved

July 24, 2024 Planning & Zoning		Sage Creek Townhomes (FP24-	Extension	
	Commission	0024a)	approved	

#### **PUBLIC OUTREACH**

No public outreach is required for a Final Plat.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Final Plat

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/ Planning Director

Prepared by: Sean Jacobson Associate Planner

# **Planning Staff Analysis** FP24-0024b / Sage Creek Townhomes Planning & Zoning Commission

#### **REQUEST:**

Final plat for an approximately 23.849-acre site

#### **APPLICANT:**

Claudio Segovia on behalf of the property owner.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of this Final Plat as it meets the established approval criteria.

# **Final Plat Approval Review Criteria**

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	Compliance		
	Met	Not Met	N/A
1. Generally			
<ul> <li>a. Unless otherwise specified in this DDC, City review and decision-making bodies must review all development applications submitted pursuant to this subchapter for compliance with the general review criteria stated below. Findings:</li> <li>The Final Plat meets all review criteria.</li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		
<ul> <li>b. The application may also be subject to additional review criteria specific to the type of application, as set forth in sections 2.5 through 2.9. Findings:</li> <li>The Final Plat meets all review criteria as described below in Criteria 14, 15, and 16.</li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		
<ul> <li>c. If there is a conflict between the general review criteria in this section and the specific review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9, the applicable review criteria in sections 2.5-2.9 controls.</li> <li>Findings: <ul> <li>There is no conflict.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			X

Appro	Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)			Compliance	
			Met	Not Met	N/A
2.	Pr	ior Approvals			
	a.	The proposed development shall be consistent with the terms and conditions of any prior land use approval, plan, development agreement, or plat approval that is in effect and not proposed to be changed. This includes an approved phasing plan for development and installation of public improvements and amenities. Findings: The proposed development is consistent with the terms and conditions of prior approvals that remain in effect.	$\boxtimes$		
3.		nsistent with Comprehensive Plan and Other Applicable Plans e proposed development shall be consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and			
	an	by applicable plans. Indings: Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			$\boxtimes$
	a.	The decision-making authority shall weigh competing plan goals, policies, and strategies Findings:			
		There are no competing plan goals, policies, and strategies for this site.			$\boxtimes$
	b.	May approve an application that furthers the overall goals of the Comprehensive Plan even if the development does not match the future land use designation in Comprehensive Plan. Findings:			$\boxtimes$
		The overall goals of the Comprehensive Plan are met with the proposed Final Plat.			
Appro	val	Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	0	Compliar	nce

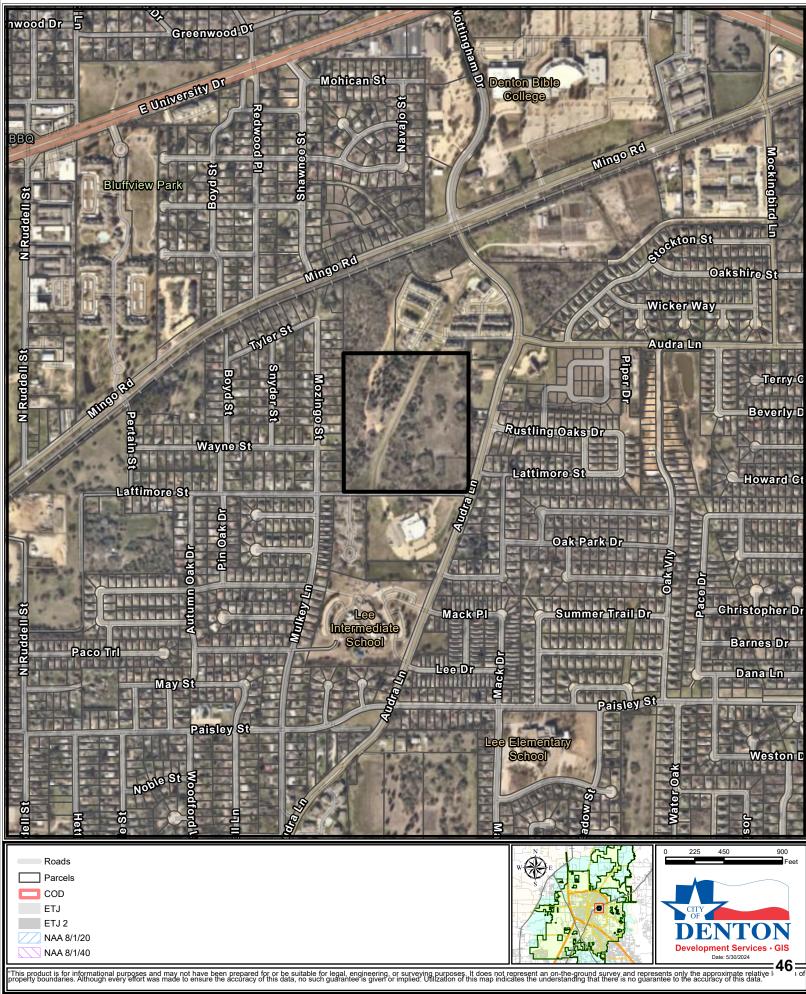
Appro	Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Complian		ıce
			Met	Not Met	N/A
4.	Co	mpliance with this DDC			
	a.	The proposed development shall comply with all applicable standards in this DDC, unless the standard is to be lawfully modified.         Findings:         Proposed Final Plat complies with all applicable standards in the DDC.	$\boxtimes$		
	b.	Compliance with these standards is applied at the level of detail required for the subject submittal. Findings: The Final Plat was submitted at an adequate level of detail.	$\boxtimes$		
5.	Co	mpliance with Other Applicable Regulations			
	a.	The proposed development shall comply with all other city regulations and with all applicable regulations, standards, requirements, or plans of the federal or state governments and other relevant jurisdictions. This includes, but is not limited to, wetlands, water quality, erosion control, and wastewater regulations. Findings: Proposed Final Plat complies with all applicable other city, federal, and state regulations.	$\boxtimes$		
6.	Co	nsistent with Interlocal and Development Agreements			
	a.	The proposed development shall be consistent with any adopted interlocal and applicable development agreements, and comply with the terms and conditions of any such agreements incorporated by reference into this DDC. Findings: No interlocal or development agreements apply to this development.			×
7.	Mi	nimizes Adverse Environmental Impacts			
	a.	The proposed development should be designed to minimize negative environmental impacts, and should not cause significant adverse impacts on the natural environment. Examples of the natural environment include water, air, noise, stormwater management, scenic resources, wildlife habitat, soils, and native vegetation. Findings: Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			$\boxtimes$

Approv	al Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	Complian		nce
		Met	Not Met	N/A
8.	Minimizes Adverse Impacts on Surrounding Property			
	<ul> <li>a. The proposed development should not cause significant adverse impacts on surrounding properties. The results of the citizen participation process may be appropriately considered under this section. Findings:</li> <li>Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.</li> </ul>			$\boxtimes$
9.	Minimizes Adverse Fiscal Impacts			
	<ul> <li>a. The proposed development should not result in significant adverse fiscal impacts on the city.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.</li> </ul>			
10.	Compliance with Utility, Service, and Improvement Standards			
	<ul> <li>As applicable, the proposed development shall comply with federal, state, county, service district, city and other regulatory authority standards, and design/construction specifications for roads, access, drainage, water, sewer, schools, emergency/fire protection, and similar standards.</li> <li>Findings:         <ul> <li>The proposed Final Plat has been determined to be compliant with all applicable standards and specifications.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		
11.	Provides Adequate Road Systems			
	<ul> <li>a. Adequate road capacity shall exist to serve the uses permitted under the proposed development, and the proposed uses shall be designed to ensure safe ingress and egress onto the site and safe road conditions around the site, including adequate access onto the site for fire, public safety, and EMS services.</li> <li>Findings: <ul> <li>Adequate road capacity has been for the proposed Final Plat. The proposed uses have been determined to be designed to ensure safe ingress and egress and safe road conditions around the site.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	C	ompliar	nce
	Met	Not Met	N/A
12. Provides Adequate Public Services and Facilities			
<ul> <li>a. Adequate public service and facility capacity shall exist to accommodate uses permitted under the proposed development at the time the needs or demands arise, while maintaining adequate levels of service to existing development. Public services and facilities include, but are not limited to, roads, domestic water, sewer, schools, public safety, fire protection, utilities, libraries, and vehicle/pedestrian connections and access within the site and to adjacent properties.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>Adequate public service and facility capacity exists to serve the uses proposed by this Final Plat, while maintaining adequate levels of service to existing development.</li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		
13. Rational Phasing Plan			
<ul> <li>a. If the application involves phases, each phase of the proposed development shall contain all of the required streets, utilities, landscaping, open space, and other improvements that are required for that phase, and may not defer those improvements to subsequent phases.</li> <li>Findings:         <ul> <li>No phasing plan is proposed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			$\boxtimes$

Final Plat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.4.D)	Applicability		lity
	Met	Not Met	N/A
<ul> <li>14. Whether the final plat conforms to the preliminary plat, including any conditions of approval.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>The proposed Final Plat conforms to the approved preliminary plat.</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>15. Whether the development will substantially comply with all requirements of this DDC.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>Proposed Final Plat has been determined to substantially comply with all requirements of this DDC.</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>16. Whether the development will comply with the applicable technical standards and specifications adopted by the City.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>Proposed Final Plat has been determined to comply with applicable technical standards and specifications adopted by the City.</li> </ul>			

# FP24-0024 Site Location





- NO PORTION OF THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT LIES WITHIN THE 100-YR FLOODPLAIN PER FEMA FIRM PANEL NUMBER 0380G, MAP NUMBER 48121C0380G, DATED APRIL 18, 2011
- SITE WILL BE SERVED THROUGH CITY OF DENTON WATER/SEWER. THERE IS TOTAL OF 3,347.5 INCHES DBH OF PROTECTED TREES TO BE PRESERVED ON THIS SITE. FUTURE LAND DISTURBING ACTIVITY SHALL NOT IMPACT AND/OR DAMAGE TREES MARKED FOR PRESERVATION ON THE ACCOMPANYING PRESERVATION PLAN. NO PERMITS FOR CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY SHALL BE ISSUED FOR THIS PROPERTY UNTIL THE REQUIRED TREE PROTECTION MEASURES PER SECTION 7.7.4.D. OF THE DEVELOPMENT CODE OF THE CITY OF DENTON ARE IN PLACE. PRESERVED TREES ARE LOCATED ON: Lot 5X, Block A - 3,347.5 inches
- REDUCED LOT AREAS, WIDTHS, AND DEPTHS, ARE APPROVED CONTINGENT ON THESE LOTS BEING DEVELOPED WITH TOWNHOMES, AS THE USE IS DEFINED BY DDC 9.2, PER DDC 3.7.2A.2. IF A USE OTHER THAN TOWNHOMES IS PROPOSED, THIS PROPERTY WILL NEED TO BE REPLATTED WITH LOTS THAT MEET ALL MINIMUM DIMENSIONAL STANDARDS FOR THE R6 ZONING DISTRICT.
- ALL PROPOSED ALLEYS SHALL BE FOR CITY OF DENTON AND PUBLIC USE THE COMMON AREA LOTS (5X,13X,35X, BLOCK A; 1, BLOCK G ;5X,16X,28X,32X, BLOCK H;1X, BLOCK I) ARE HEREBY DEDICATED TO AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH HOMEOWNER'S
- ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS FILED WITH DENTON COUNTY ( THIS PLAT IS HEREBY ADOPTED BY THE OWNER AND APPROVED BY THE CITY OF DENTON SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS THAT SHALL BE BINDING UPON THE OWNERS, THEIR HEIRS, GRANTEES, AND SUCCESSORS. THE DRAINAGE AND/OR DETENTION EASEMENTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THIS ADDITION, SHALL BE MAINTAINED IN A SAFE AND SANITARY CONDITION BY THE HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION, AS APPLICABLE. THE CITY WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF SAID EASEMENTS OR FOR ANY DAMAGE TO PRIVATE PROPERTY OR PERSON THAT RESULTS FROM CONDITIONS IN THE EASEMENTS, OR FOR THE CONTROL OF EROSION. NO OBSTRUCTION TO THE NATURAL FLOW OF STORM WATER RUN-OFF SHALL BE PERMITTED BY CONSTRUCTION OF ANY TYPE OF BUILDING, FENCE, OR ANY OTHER STRUCTURE WITHIN THE DRAINAGE AND/OR DETENTION EASEMENTS, UNLESS APPROVED BY THE CITY. THE OWNERS SHALL KEEP THE DRAINAGE EASEMENTS CLEAR AND FREE OF DEBRIS, SILT, AND ANY SUBSTANCE THAT WOULD RESULT IN UNSANITARY CONDITIONS OR OBSTRUCT THE FLOW OF WATER. THE CITY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO INGRESS AND EGRESS FOR THE PURPOSES OF INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF MAINTENANCE BY THE OWNERS TO ALLEVIATE ANY UNDESIREABLE CONDITIONS THAT MAY OCCUR. FURTHERMORE, THE CITY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT, BUT NOT THE OBLIGATION, TO ENTER UPON THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED DRAINAGE AND/OR DETENTION EASEMENTS TO REMOVE ANY OBSTRUCTION TO THE FLOW OF WATER, AFTER GIVING THE OWNERS WRITTEN NOTICE OF SUCH OBSTRUCTION AND OWNERS FAIL TO REMOVE SUCH OBSTRUCTION. SHOULD THE CITY OF DENTON BE COMPELLED TO REMOVE ANY OBSTRUCTION TO THE FLOW OF WATER, AFTER GIVING THE HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION WRITTEN NOTICE OF SUCH OBSTRUCTION AND OWNERS FAIL TO REMOVE SUCH OBSTRUCTION, THE CITY OF DENTON SHALL BEREIMBURSED BY THE HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION FOR REASONABLE COSTS FOR LABOR, MATERIALS, AND EQUIPMENT FOR EACH INSTANCE. THE NATURAL DRAINAGE THROUGH THE DRAINAGE AND/OR DETENTION EASEMENTS IS SUBJECT TO STORM WATER OVERFLOW AND NATURAL BANK EROSION TO AN EXTENT THAT CANNOT BE DEFINITELY DEFINED. THE CITY SHALL NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGES OF ANY NATURE RESULTING FROM THE OCCURRENCE OF THESE NATURAL PHENOMENA OR RESULTING FROM THE FAILURE OF ANY STRUCTURE OR STRUCTURES, WITHIN THE EASEMENTS OR OTHERWISE. CITY OF DENTON STAFF SHALL HAVE ACCESS TO SITE FOR NECESSARY
- INSPECTIONS DURING DEVELOPMENT
- LOT 1, BLOCK G SHALL NOT BE USED AS RESIDENTIAL LOT. 10. THE PURPOSE OF THIS PLAT IS TO CREATE 163 RESIDENTIAL LOTS & 9 COMMON EXTENSION
- AREA LOTS AND TO DEDICATE RIGHT-OF-WAY AND EASEMENTS. 11. PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS CANNOT ENCROACH ONTO EXISTING PUBLIC OR
- PRIVATE EASEMENTS.

WAYNE STREET

Center Line

Street Name Change

Drainage Easement

Utility Easement

Control Monument

Iron Rod Found

D.R.D.C.T. = Deed Records of Denton County, Texas

LINE TYPE LEGEND

DRAINAGE EASEMENT TO BE ABANDONMENED

UTILITY EASEMENT TO BE ABANDONMENED

P.R.D.C.T. = Official Public Records of Denton

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BOUNDARY LINE PROPOSED ROW

EXISTING EASEMENT

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PROPOSED EASEMENT

Right-Of-Way

Building Line

Curve No.

Easement

Line No.

Acre

Square Feet

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LEGEND

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1/2" Iron rod set with a yellow plastic cap

stamped "JVC" (unless otherwise noted)

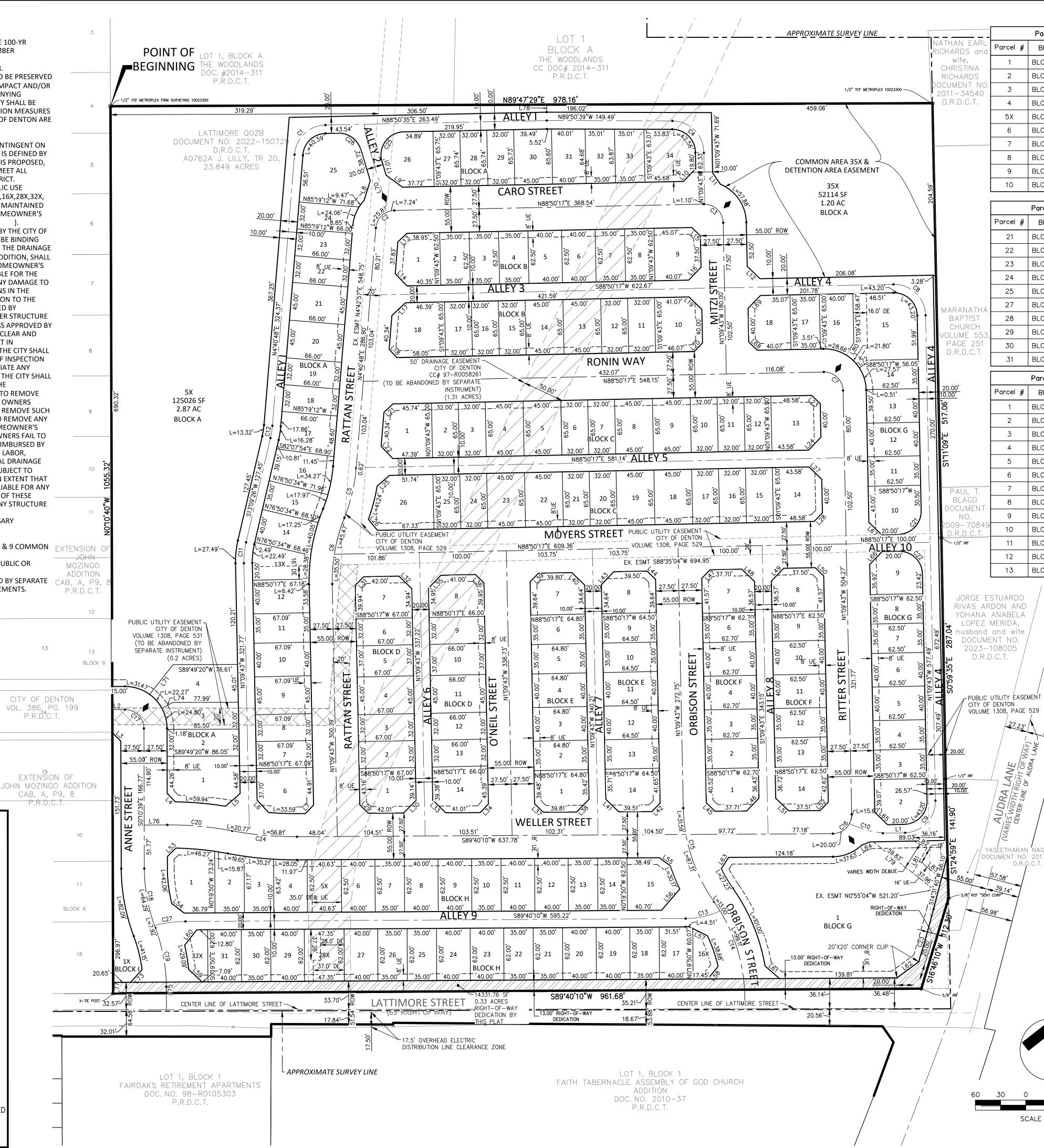
12. 50' DRAINAGE EASEMENT (CC# 97-R0058261) TO BE ABANDONED BY SEPARATE INSTRUMENT FOLLOWING ACCEPTANCE OF ALL PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

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Parcel Table						
cel #	Block	SF	AC.			
1	BLOCK A	4725	0.11			
2	BLOCK A	2745	0.06			
3	BLOCK A	2770	0.06			
4	BLOCK A	4242	0.10			
5X	BLOCK A	125026	2.87			
6	BLOCK A	3465	0.08			
7	BLOCK A	2147	0.05			
8	BLOCK A	2147	0.05			
9	BLOCK A	3019	0.07			
10	BLOCK A	2684	0.06			

Parcel Table					
cel #	Block	SF	AC.		
21	BLOCK A	2970	0.07		
22	BLOCK A	2112	0.05		
23	BLOCK A	2112	0.05		
24	BLOCK A	2155	0.05		
25	BLOCK A	6070	0.14		
27	BLOCK A	2104	0.05		
28	BLOCK A	2104	0.05		
29	BLOCK A	2104	0.05		
30	BLOCK A	2957	0.07		
31	BLOCK A	2606	0.06		

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1	BLOCK C	3678	0.08
2	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
3	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
4	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
5	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
6	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
7	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
8	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
9	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
10	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
11	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
12	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
13	BLOCK C	3645	0.08

	Parcel Tab	ole	
Parcel #	Block	SF	AC.
11	BLOCK A	2348	0.05
12	BLOCK A	2684	0.06
13X	BLOCK A	2517	0.06
14	BLOCK A	2708	0.06
15	BLOCK A	2454	0.06
16	BLOCK A	3019	0.07
17	BLOCK A	3114	0.07
18	BLOCK A	2112	0.05
19	BLOCK A	2112	0.05
20	BLOCK A	2970	0.07

Parcel Table					
Parcel #	Block	SF	AC.		
32	BLOCK A	2250	0.05		
33	BLOCK A	2222	0.05		
34	BLOCK A	3519	0.08		
35X	BLOCK A	52114	1.20		

	Parcel Tal	ble	
Parcel #	Block	SF	AC.
14	BLOCK C	3645	0.08
15	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
16	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
17	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
18	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
19	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
20	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
21	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
22	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
23	BLOCK C	2925	0.07
24	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
25	BLOCK C	2080	0.05
26	BLOCK C	4508	0.10

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	4	BLOCK B	2188	0.05		12		BLOCK B	2080	0.05
	5	BLOCK B	2500	0.06		13		BLOCK B	2925	0.07
	6	BLOCK B	2500	0.06		14		BLOCK B	2925	0.07
	7	BLOCK B	2187	0.05		15		BLOCK B	2080	0.05
	8	BLOCK B	2187	0.05		16		BLOCK B	2080	0.05
	9	BLOCK B	3279	0.08		17		BLOCK B	2080	0.05
	10	BLOCK B	3482	0.08		18		BLOCK B	4045	0.09
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	1	BLOCK D	3432	0.08		1		BLOCK E	3074	0.07
	2	BLOCK D	2144	0.05		2		BLOCK E	2268	0.05
	3	BLOCK D	2144	0.05		3		BLOCK E	2592	0.06
	4	BLOCK D	3015	0.07		4		BLOCK E	2592	0.06
4	5	BLOCK D	2479	0.06		5		BLOCK E	2268	0.05
4	6	BLOCK D	2144	0.05		6		BLOCK E	2268	0.05
_	7	BLOCK D	3184	0.07		7		BLOCK E	3054	0.07
	8	BLOCK D	3134	0.07		8		BLOCK E	3039	0.07
-	9	BLOCK D	2112	0.05		9		BLOCK E	2258	0.05
-	10	BLOCK D	2442	0.06		10		BLOCK E	2257	0.05
-	11	BLOCK D	2970	0.07		11		BLOCK E	2580	0.06
	12	BLOCK D	2112	0.05		12		BLOCK E	2580	0.06

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FOUND CITY OF DENTON MONUMENT LOCATED ON THE TOP

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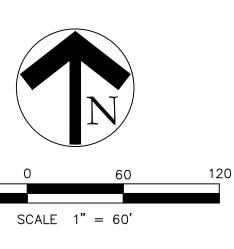
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**BENCHMARK NO. 1:** 

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IMPORTANT NOTICE: THE CITY OF DENTON HAS ADOPTED THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL SAFETY CODE (THE "CODE"). THE CODE GENERALLY PROHIBITS STRUCTURES WITHIN 17.5 FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTER LINE OF OVERHEAD DISTRIBUTION LINES AND WITHIN 37.5 FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTER LINE OF OVERHEAD TRANSMISSION LINES.IN SOME INSTANCES, THE CODE **REQUIRES GREATER CLEARANCES. BUILDING PERMITS** WILL NOT BE ISSUED FOR STRUCTURES WITHIN THESE CLEARANCE AREAS. CONTACT THE BUILDING OFFICIAL WITH SPECIFIC QUESTIONS.



Owner/Applicant: Lattimore QOZB LLC 181 Grand Ave, Suite 200 Southlake, TX 76092 Phone: 248-220-0440 Contact: Vasant Makineni Email: makineni@batteryalexander.com

Engineer/Surveyor: Johnson Volk Consulting, Inc. 704 Central Parkway East, Suite 1200 Plano, Texas 75074 Phone: 972-201-3102 Contact: Claudio Segovia Email: claudio.segovia@johnsonvolk.com

FINAL PLAT **SAGE CREEK TOWNHOMES** FP24-0024 23.849 AC 1,038,876 SF ZONED: R-6 LOTS 1-4,5X,6-12,13X,14-34,35X BLOCK A; LOTS 1-18, BLOCK B; LOTS 1-26, BLOCK C LOTS 1-14, BLOCK D; LOTS 1-14, BLOCK E LOTS 1-14 BLOCK F; LOT 1 AMENITY CENTER LOT LOTS 2-18, BLOCK G; LOTS 1-4,5X,6-15,16X,17-27,28X,29-31,32X, BLOCK H; LOT 1X, BLOCK I TOTAL RESIDENTIAL LOTS - 163 TOTAL COMMON AREA LOTS-9 OUT OF THE J. LILLY SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 762 CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS 16 July 2024 SHEET 1 OF 2 JOHNSON VOLK CONSULTING TBPELS: Engineering Firm No. 11962 / Land Surveying Firm No. 10194033 704 Central Parkway East | Suite 1200 | Plano, TX 75074 | 972.201.3100

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**RECORDING INFORMATION** 

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION 23.849 ACRES LATTIMORE QOZB LLC

BEING ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND SITUATED IN THE J. LILLY SURVEY, ABSTRACT NUMBER 762, AND BEING A PORTION OF THAT TRACT OF LAND REFFERED TO AS TRACT ONE, CONVEYED TO AGUILAR PROPERTIES. INC., ACCORDING TO THE DOCUMENT FILED OF RECORD IN DOCUMENT NUMBER 2004-49868, REAL PROPERTY RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, (R.P.R.D.C.T.) AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A 1/2" IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "METROPLEX FIRM SURVEYING 10023300" FOUND IN THE WEST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE, SAME BEING COMMON WITH THE EAST LINE OF THE JOHN MOZINGO ADDITION, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT FILED OF RECORD IN CABINET A, PAGE 8, PLAT RECORDS DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS (P.R.D.C.T.) AND BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 1. BLOCK A. THE WOODLANDS, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT FILED OF RECORD IN COUNTY CLERK'S DOCUMENT NUMBER 2014-311, (P.R.D.C.T.) FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THIS TRACT:

THENCE NORTH 89' 47' 29" EAST, WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 1, A DISTANCE OF 978.16 FEET TO A 1/2" IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "METROPLEX FIRM SURVEYING 10023300" FOUND IN THE WEST LINE OF THAT CALLED 0.9943 ACRE TRACT CONVEYED TO NATHAN EARL RICHARDS, ET UX, ACCORDING TO THE DOCUMENT FILED OF RECORD IN DOCUMENT NUMBER 2011-34540, (R.P.R.D.C.T.) SAID POINT BEING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1 AND COMMON NORTHEAST CORNER OF THIS TRACT:

THENCE SOUTH 01° 11' 09" EAST, WITH THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE, A DISTANCE OF 517.06 FEET TO A 1/2" IRON ROD FOUND IN THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE, SAME BEING COMMON WITH THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT TRACT OF LAND CONVEYED TO PAUL T. BLAGG, ACCORDING TO THE DOCUMENT FILED OF RECORD IN DOCUMENT NUMBER 2009-70849, (D.R.D.C.T.) AND BEING A COMMON CORNER OF THIS TRACT;

THENCE SOUTH 00° 59' 35" EAST, WITH THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE, A DISTANCE OF 287.04 FEET TO A 1/2" IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "JVC" SET IN THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE. FOR THE COMMON SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT TRACT OF LAND CONVEYED TO JORGE ESTUARDO RIVAS ARDON, AND WIFE, YOHANA ANABELA, ACCORDING TO THE DOCUMENT FILED OF RECORD IN DOCUMENT NUMBER 2023-108005, (D.R.D.C.T.), SAID POINT ALSO BEING THE COMMON NORTHWEST CORNER OF THAT TRACT OF LAND CONVEYED TO YASEETHARAN NAGALINGAM, ACCORDING TO THE DOCUMENT FILED OF RECORD IN DOCUMENT NUMBER 2017-148888, (R.P.R.D.C.T.) AND BEING A COMMON CORNER OF THIS TRACT:

THENCE SOUTH 01° 24' 59" EAST, WITH THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE, SAME BEING COMMON WITH THE WEST LINE OF SAID NAGALINGAM TRACT. A DISTANCE OF 141.90 FEET TO A 5/8"IRON ROD WITH RED PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "SENT CORP" FOUND IN SAID EAST LINE FOR A SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NAGALINGAM TRACT, SAME POINT BEING ON THE WEST LINE OF AUDRA LANE FOR A CORNER OF THIS TRACT:

THENCE SOUTH 16' 46' 10" WEST, WITH THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE, SAME BEING COMMON WITH THE WEST LINE OF AUDRA LANE, A DISTANCE OF 112.30 FEET TO A 5/8" IRON ROD FOUND FOR THE SOUTHERN MOST SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID TRACT ONE AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE WEST LINE OF AUDRA LANE AND THE NORTH LINE OF LATTIMORE STREET, FOR THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THIS TRACT;

THENCE SOUTH 89' 40' 10" WEST, WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE, SAME BEING COMMON WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LATTIMORE STREET, A DISTANCE OF 961.68 FEET TO A CROSS-TIE CORNER POST FOUND FOR THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID TRACT ONE, THE COMMON SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED JOHN MOZINGO ADDITION, AND BEING THE COMMON SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THIS TRACT;

THENCE NORTH 00° 10' 40" WEST. WITH THE WEST LINE OF SAID TRACT ONE AND THE COMMON EAST LINE OF SAID JOHN MOZINGO ADDITION, A DISTANCE OF 1055.32 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAINING 1,038,876 SQUARE FEET OR 23.849 ACRES OF LAND.

Line Table			
Line #	Length	Direction	
L1	16.00	N88° 50' 17"E	
L2	15.03	N89° 49' 20"E	
L3	14.14	N45°10'40"W	
L4	13.95	N44° 35' 55"W	
L5	23.01	S48° 55' 41"W	
L6	20.07	N43°09'47"W	
L7	14.04	N44° 15' 13"E	
L8	24.79	N17° 27' 17"E	
L9	23.91	S53° 59' 34"E	
L10	21.21	N43° 50' 17"E	
L11	16.41	N34°19'25"W	
L12	21.21	N46°09'43"W	
L13	14.84	S46° 45' 32"W	
L14	20.10	S43° 14' 28"E	
L15	14.14	N46°09'43"W	
L16	21.21	N43° 50' 17"E	
L17	22.27	S46° 45' 32"W	
L18	13.40	S43° 14' 28"E	
L19	21.21	N46°09'43"W	
L20	14.14	N43° 50' 17"E	
L21	14.84	S46° 45' 32"W	

	Line	Table
Line #	Length	Direction
L22	20.10	S43° 14' 28"E
L23	14.14	N46°09'43"W
L24	21.21	N43° 50' 17"E
L25	19.16	S49°09'12"W
L26	16.75	S39°29'27"E
L27	21.21	S46°09'43"E
L28	14.14	S43° 50' 17"W
L29	14.24	S45° 44' 47"E
L30	21.06	S44° 15' 31"W
L31	14.14	S43° 50' 17"W
L32	21.21	S46°09'43"E
L33	21.37	N45° 43' 28"W
L34	14.03	S44° 16' 32"W
L35	21.21	S43° 50' 17"W
L36	14.14	N46°09'43"W
L37	14.24	N45°44'47"W
L38	21.06	N44° 15' 13"E
L39	14.14	S43° 50' 17"W
L40	21.21	N46°09'43"W
L41	21.37	N45° 44' 47"W
L42	14.04	N44° 15' 13"E

	Line Table			
Line #	Length	Direction		
L43	21.21	N43° 50' 17"E		
L44	14.14	S46°09'43"E		
L45	14.24	N45° 44' 47"W		
L46	21.06	N44° 15' 13"E		
L47	14.14	S43° 50' 17"W		
L48	21.21	S46°09'43"E		
L49	21.21	N43° 50' 17"E		
L50	14.14	S46°09'43"E		
L51	21.37	S45° 44' 47"E		
L52	14.04	N44° 15' 13"E		
L53	14.27	N45° 31' 23"E		
L54	18.48	S52° 15' 13"E		
L55	15.89	N53°48'19"W		
L56	33.30	N40°45'56"E		
L57	19.44	N63°28'06"W		
L58	19.29	S39°40'34"W		
L59	21.85	S46° 54' 17"E		
L60	23.40	S38°24'09"W		
L61	22.57	S49°06'47"E		
L62	32.29	N53°29'15"E		
L63	16.10	N33° 23' 29"E		

# OWNER'S CERTIFICATE:

THAT we Lattimore QOZB LLC, acting herein by and through its duly authorized officers, do hereby adopt that plat designating the hereinabove described property as SAGE CREEK TOWNHOMES an addition to the City of Denton and do hereby dedicate to the public use forever, in fee simple, alleys, the streets, rights-of-way, and easements shown thereon and do hereby reserve the easement strips shown on this plat for the mutual use and accommodation of garbage collection agencies and all public utilities desiring to use or using same. Any public utility shall have the right to remove and keep removed all or part of any buildings, fences, trees, shrubs, or other improvements or growths which in any way endanger or interfere with the construction, maintenance or efficiency of its respective systems on any of these easement strips and any public utility shall at all times have the right of ingress and egress to and from and upon the said easement strips for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, inspecting, and patrolling, without the necessity at any time of procuring the permission of anyone other than city of Denton. This plat approved subject to all platting ordinances, rules, regulations, and resolutions of the City of Denton, Texas.

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	Line	Table
Line #	Length	Direction
L64	10.52	S67° 51' 16"
L65	21.21	S46°09'43'
L66	21.21	S43° 50' 17"
L67	21.21	N46°09'43'
L68	14.14	S46°09'43'
L69	21.21	S43° 50' 17"
L70	80.00	S16° 49' 24'
L71	45.22	S38° 18' 03"
L72	16.69	S56° 40' 05"
L73	20.39	N42°29'21'
L74	14.76	S61°25'20"
L75	7.37	S00° 19' 50'
L76	27.53	S89° 40' 10"
L77	13.00	S00° 10' 50'
L78	9.00	N00° 12' 31"
L79	97.78	S51° 50' 53'
L80	17.28	S31°41'01"
L81	33.88	N29°40'10'
L82	17.20	S60° 19' 50'
L83	33.34	S51° 50' 53'

#### NOW THEREFORE, KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

INESS	SOUR HANDS at Denton County, Texas, this day of,	2024.
	re QOZB LLC imited liability company	
By:		
	a Texas limited liability company	
lts:	Manager	
	Ву:	
	NAME:	
	TITLE:	
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	OF DENTON §	

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County and State on this date personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purpose and considerations therein expressed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

#### List of Deviations approved for this project

DEVIATION#	DETAILS
V24-0068	Install improvements in existing easement to be abandoned
V24-0075	Begin Improvemets in PUE to be Abandoned
V24-0077	Max Slope Street-to-Street Intersections
V24-0078	Max Slope Alley Intersections

		С	urve Table		
Curve #	Length	Radius	Delta	Chord Length	Chord Bearing
C1	55.08	37.50	084°09'29"	50.26	S46°45'32"W
C2	33.05	22.50	084°09'29"	30.16	S46°45'32"W
C3	35.34	22.50	090°00'00"	31.82	N46°09'43"W
C4	58.04	37.50	088°40'56"	52.42	N45°30'11"W
C5	60.58	200.00	017°21'14"	60.35	N13°21'25"E
C6	80.97	200.00	023 <b>°</b> 11'45"	80.42	S10°26'09"W
C7	35.34	22.50	090°00'00"	31.82	N46°09'43"W
C8	58.90	37.50	090°00'00"	53.03	N46°09'43"W
С9	58.90	37.50	090°00'00"	53.03	N43°50'17"E
C10	51.35	105.00	028°01'07"	50.84	S77°09'10"E
C11	24.99	100.00	014°19'09"	24.93	S05°59'51"W
C12	14.80	100.00	008°28'39"	14.78	N08°55'07"E
C13	42.40	100.00	024°17'37"	42.08	N77°31'21"E
C14	112.12	200.00	032 <b>°</b> 07'08"	110.65	N19°06'46"W
C15	118.90	200.00	034°03'41"	117.15	S18°11'34"E
C16	20.00	22.53	050°51'08"	19.35	N64°13'27"E
C17	35.34	22.50	090°00'00"	31.82	N45°10'39"W
C18	72.17	200.00	020 <b>°</b> 40'29"	71.78	S10°30'54"E
C19	71.63	200.00	020 <b>°</b> 31'18"	71.25	N10°35'29"W
C20	77.58	400.00	011°06'46"	77.46	N84°46'27"W
C21	43.20	27.50	089°59'59"	38.89	N43°50'17"E
C22	43.20	27.50	090°00'00"	38.89	N46°09'43"W
C23	64.90	1545.00	002 <b>°</b> 24'24"	64.89	N15°43'52"E
C24	77.58	400.00	011°06'46"	77.46	S84°46'27"E
C25	50.71	27.50	105 <b>°</b> 39'41"	43.83	S36°00'26"W
C26	35.68	27.50	074°20'19"	33.23	N53°59'34"W
C27	37.30	150.00	014°14'48"	37.20	S82°32'46"W

#### SURVEYORS CERTIFICATE:

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That I, Ryan S. Reynolds, do hereby certify that I prepared this plat from an actual and accurate survey of the land and that the corner monuments shown thereon as set were properly placed under my personal supervision in accordance with the platting rules and regulations of City of Denton, Texas.

FOR REVIEW PURF DOCUMENT SHALL PURPOSE.

RYAN S. REYNOLDS, R.P.L.S. Registered Professional Land Surveyor No. 6385

STATE OF TEXAS	ş
COUNTY OF DENTON	ş

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County and State on this date personally appeared Ryan S. Reynolds, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purpose and considerations therein expressed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

#### Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

	Parcel Tat	ble	
Parcel #	Block	SF	AC.
1	BLOCK F	3033	0.07
2	BLOCK F	2194	0.05
3	BLOCK F	2194	0.05
4	BLOCK F	2508	0.06
5	BLOCK F	2508	0.06
6	BLOCK F	2194	0.05
7	BLOCK F	3071	0.07
8	BLOCK F	3061	0.07
9	BLOCK F	2188	0.05
10	BLOCK F	2500	0.06
11	BLOCK F	2500	0.06
12	BLOCK F	2188	0.05
13	BLOCK F	2188	0.05
14	BLOCK F	3098	0.07
	Parcel Tab	le	

Parcel # | Block | SF | AC

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	Parcel Ta	ble				Parcel Tat	ole	
Parcel #	Block	SF	AC.		Parcel #	Block	SF	AC.
1	BLOCK G	35417	0.81		1	BLOCK H	4025	0.09
2	BLOCK G	3105	0.07		2	BLOCK H	2456	0.06
3	BLOCK G	2187	0.05		3	BLOCK H	2277	0.05
4	BLOCK G	2187	0.05		4	BLOCK H	2509	0.06
5	BLOCK G	2500	0.06		5X	BLOCK H	2540	0.06
6	BLOCK G	2500	0.06		6	BLOCK H	2500	0.06
7	BLOCK G	2188	0.05		7	BLOCK H	2187	0.05
8	BLOCK G	2188	0.05		8	BLOCK H	2500	0.06
9	BLOCK G	2908	0.07		9	BLOCK H	2500	0.06
10	BLOCK G	3350	0.08		10	BLOCK H	2187	0.05
11	BLOCK G	2187	0.05		11	BLOCK H	2500	0.06
12	BLOCK G	2500	0.06		12	BLOCK H	2500	0.06
13	BLOCK G	2500	0.06		13	BLOCK H	2187	0.05
14	BLOCK G	2259	0.05		14	BLOCK H	2187	0.05
15	BLOCK G	6073	0.14		15	BLOCK H	3301	0.08
16	BLOCK G	2677	0.06		16X	BLOCK H	1315	0.03
17	BLOCK G	2275	0.05		17	BLOCK H	2476	0.06
18	BLOCK G	3092	0.07		18	BLOCK H	2170	0.05
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RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL THIS DAY OF , 2024 BY THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DENTON.

CHAIRMAN, PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS

ATTESTED

21 BLOCK H 2170 0.05

**CITY SECRETARY** CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS

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Parcel #	Block	SF	AC.
22	BLOCK H	2170	0.05
23	BLOCK H	2480	0.06
24	BLOCK H	2480	0.06
25	BLOCK H	2170	0.05
26	BLOCK H	2170	0.05
27	BLOCK H	2480	0.06
28X	BLOCK H	2936	0.07
29	BLOCK H	2480	0.06
30	BLOCK H	2170	0.05
31	BLOCK H	2480	0.06
32X	BLOCK H	1308	0.03

Owner/Applicant: Lattimore QOZB LLC 181 Grand Ave, Suite 200 Southlake, TX 76092 Phone: 248-220-0440 Contact: Vasant Makineni Email: makineni@batteryalexander.com

Engineer/Surveyor: Johnson Volk Consulting, Inc. 704 Central Parkway East, Suite 1200 Plano, Texas 75074 Phone: 972-201-3102 Contact: Claudio Segovia Email: claudio.segovia@johnsonvolk.com

**FINAL PLAT** SAGE CREEK **TOWNHOMES** PP23-0012

23.849 AC 1,038,876 SF ZONED: R-6

LOTS 1-4,5X,6-12,13X,14-34,35X BLOCK A; LOTS 1-18, BLOCK B; LOTS 1-26, BLOCK C LOTS 1-14, BLOCK D; LOTS 1-14, BLOCK E LOTS 1-14 BLOCK F; LOT 1 AMENITY CENTER LOT, LOTS 2-18, BLOCK G; LOTS 1-4,5X,6-15,16X,17-27,28X,29-31,32X,

> BLOCK H; LOT 1X, BLOCK I

TOTAL RESIDENTIAL LOTS - 163 TOTAL COMMON AREA LOTS- 9 OUT OF THE

J. LILLY SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 762 CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS

16 July 2024

SHEET 2 OF 2

JOHNSON VOLK TBPELS: Engineering Firm No. 11962 / Land Surveying Firm No. 10194033

**RECORDING INFORMATION** 



Legislation Text

#### File #: FP23-0031b, Version: 1

#### AGENDA CAPTION

Consider a request by Aimee Bissett, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Mayhill Addition, Lots 1 and 2, Block 1. The approximately 32.633-acre site is generally located on the west side of Mayhill Road, approximately 1,166 feet south of the intersection of South Mayhill Road and Foster Road, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP23-0031b, Mayhill Addition, Sean Jacobson).



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#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

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#### **BACKGROUND**

The purpose of this Final Plat is to facilitate the development of 1 multifamily lot and 1 lot to be maintained by the owner of the multifamily lot as an Environmentally Sensitive Area (ESA) lot, and to dedicate right-of-way.

Date Application Filed:	October 17, 2023
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	November 15, 2023
Days in Review:	29 Days
Date Extension Approved:	November 15, 2023
Date of Withdrawal:	December 6, 2023
Days in Review:	21 Days
Date of Resubmittal:	April 16, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	May 15, 2024
Days in Review:	29 Days
Date of Withdrawal	June 3, 2024
Days in Review	19 Days
Date of Resubmittal	July 16, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	August 14, 2024
Days in Review:	28 Days

This application is being considered under Texas Local Government Code (TX LGC) 212.009, which was updated as of September 1, 2023 with the passage of House Bill 3699. Since this plat application was submitted after September 1, 2023 the changes to LGC Chapter 212 are applicable.

A full Staff Analysis of the request is provided in Exhibit 2.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Approve as submitted
- 2. Approve with conditions.
- 3. Deny with reasons

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends approval of this plat as it meets the established criteria for approval. See Staff Analysis (Exhibit 2) for detailed reasons for the recommendation.

Date	Council, Board, Commission	Request	Action
February 17, 2021	Planning & Zoning Commission	Mayhill Addition Preliminary Plat (PP20-0031)	Deemed Approved due to Shot-Clock (Weather Emergency) – <i>Expired 2/17/23</i>
June 14, 2023	Planning & Zoning Commission	Mayhill Addition Preliminary Plat (PP23-0014)	Extension approved
September 13, 2023	Planning & Zoning Commission	Mayhill Addition Preliminary Plat (PP23-0014)	Preliminary Plat approved
November 15, 2023	Planning & Zoning Commission	Mayhill Addition Final Plat (FP23-0031)	Extension approved
May 15, 2024	Planning & Zoning Commission	Mayhill Addition Final Plat (FP23-0031a)	Extension approved

#### PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

#### PUBLIC OUTREACH

No public outreach is required for final plats.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Final Plat

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/ Planning Director

Prepared by: Sean Jacobson Associate Planner

## **Planning Staff Analysis** FP23-0031b / Mayhill Addition Planning & Zoning Commission

#### **REQUEST:**

Final plat for an approximately 32.633-acre site

#### **APPLICANT:**

Aimee Bissett on behalf of the property owner.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of this Final Plat as it meets the established approval criteria.

# **Final Plat Approval Review Criteria**

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Complian	ce
	Met	Not Met	N/A
1. Generally			
<ul> <li>a. Unless otherwise specified in this DDC, City review and decision- making bodies must review all development applications submitted pursuant to this subchapter for compliance with the general review criteria stated below.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>The Final Plat meets all review criteria.</li> </ul>	X		
<ul> <li>b. The application may also be subject to additional review criteria specific to the type of application, as set forth in sections 2.5 through 2.9. Findings:</li> <li>The Final Plat meets all review criteria as described below in Criteria 14, 15, and 16.</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>c. If there is a conflict between the general review criteria in this section and the specific review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9, the applicable review criteria in sections 2.5-2.9 controls. Findings:         <ul> <li>There is no conflict.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
2. Prior Approvals	-		
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development shall be consistent with the terms and conditions of any prior land use approval, plan, development agreement, or plat approval that is in effect and not proposed to be changed. This includes an approved phasing plan for development and installation of public improvements and amenities.         Findings:         The Final Plat is consistent with the previously approved Preliminary Plat.         </li> </ul>			

	val (	Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Complian	ce
			Met	Not Met	N/A
3.	Th	nsistent with Comprehensive Plan and Other Applicable Plans e proposed development shall be consistent with the Comprehensive Plan d any applicable plans. <u>Findings:</u>			
		Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			
	a.	The decision-making authority shall weigh competing plan goals, policies, and strategies         policies, and strategies         Findings:         There are no competing plan goals, policies, and strategies for this site.			$\boxtimes$
	b.	May approve an application that furthers the overall goals of the Comprehensive Plan even if the development does not match the future land use designation in Comprehensive Plan. Findings: The overall goals of the Comprehensive Plan are met with the proposed Final Plat.			$\boxtimes$
		Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Complian	ce
4.		mpliance with this DDC			
	a.	The proposed development shall comply with all applicable standards in this DDC, unless the standard is to be lawfully modified. Findings:			_
		Proposed development appears to comply with all applicable DDC	$\times$		
		standards.			
	b.	standards. Compliance with these standards is applied at the level of detail required for the subject submittal. Findings:			
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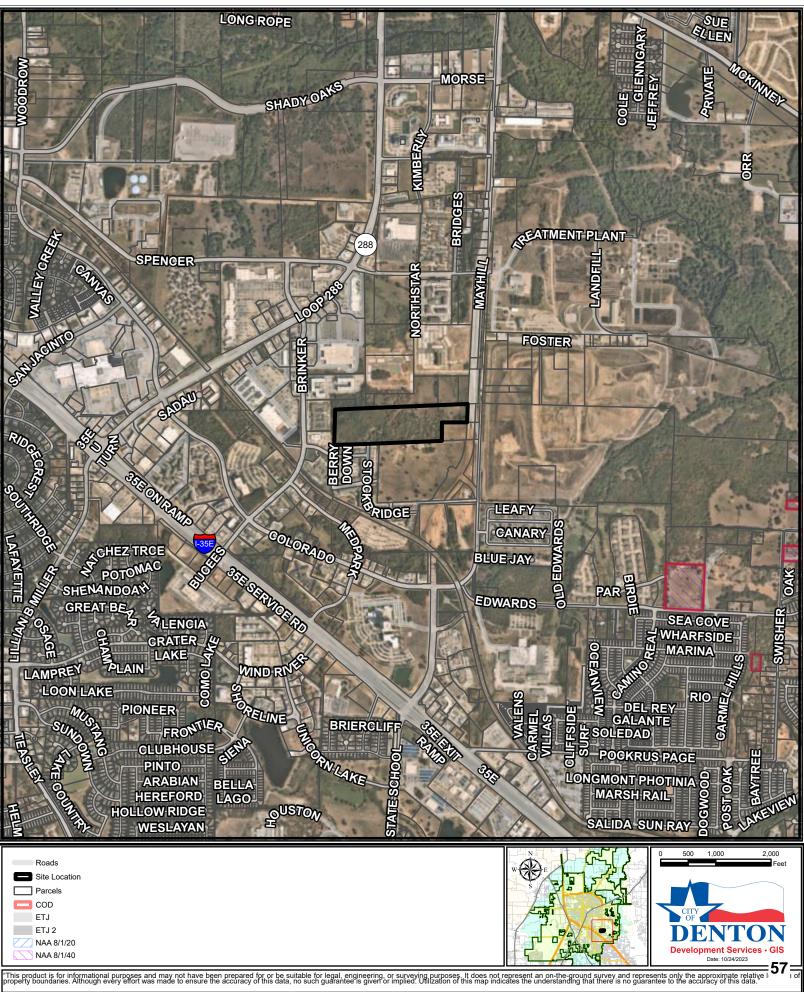
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	Met	Not Met	N/A
6. Consistent with Interlocal and Development Agreements			
a. The proposed development shall be consistent with any adopted interlocal and applicable development agreements, and comply with the terms and conditions of any such agreements incorporated by reference into this DDC. Findings:			
No interlocal or development agreements apply to this development.			
7. Minimizes Adverse Environmental Impacts			
a. The proposed development should be designed to minimize negative environmental impacts, and should not cause significant adverse impacts on the natural environment. Examples of the natural environment include water, air, noise, stormwater management, scenic resources, wildlife habitat, soils, and native vegetation. Findings:			
Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			
8. Minimizes Adverse Impacts on Surrounding Property			
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development should not cause significant adverse impact on surrounding properties. The results of the citizen participation process may be appropriately considered under this section. Findings:</li> <li>Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.</li> </ul>	s		
<ul> <li>9. Minimizes Adverse Fiscal Impacts         <ul> <li>a. The proposed development should not result in significant adverse fiscal impacts on the city.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	ı 		
Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			
10. Compliance with Utility, Service, and Improvement Standards			
a. As applicable, the proposed development shall comply with federal, state, county, service district, city and other regulatory authority			
standards, and design/construction specifications for roads, access, drainage, water, sewer, schools, emergency/fire protection, and similar standards. Findings: The proposed Final Plat has been determined to be compliant with all	$\boxtimes$		

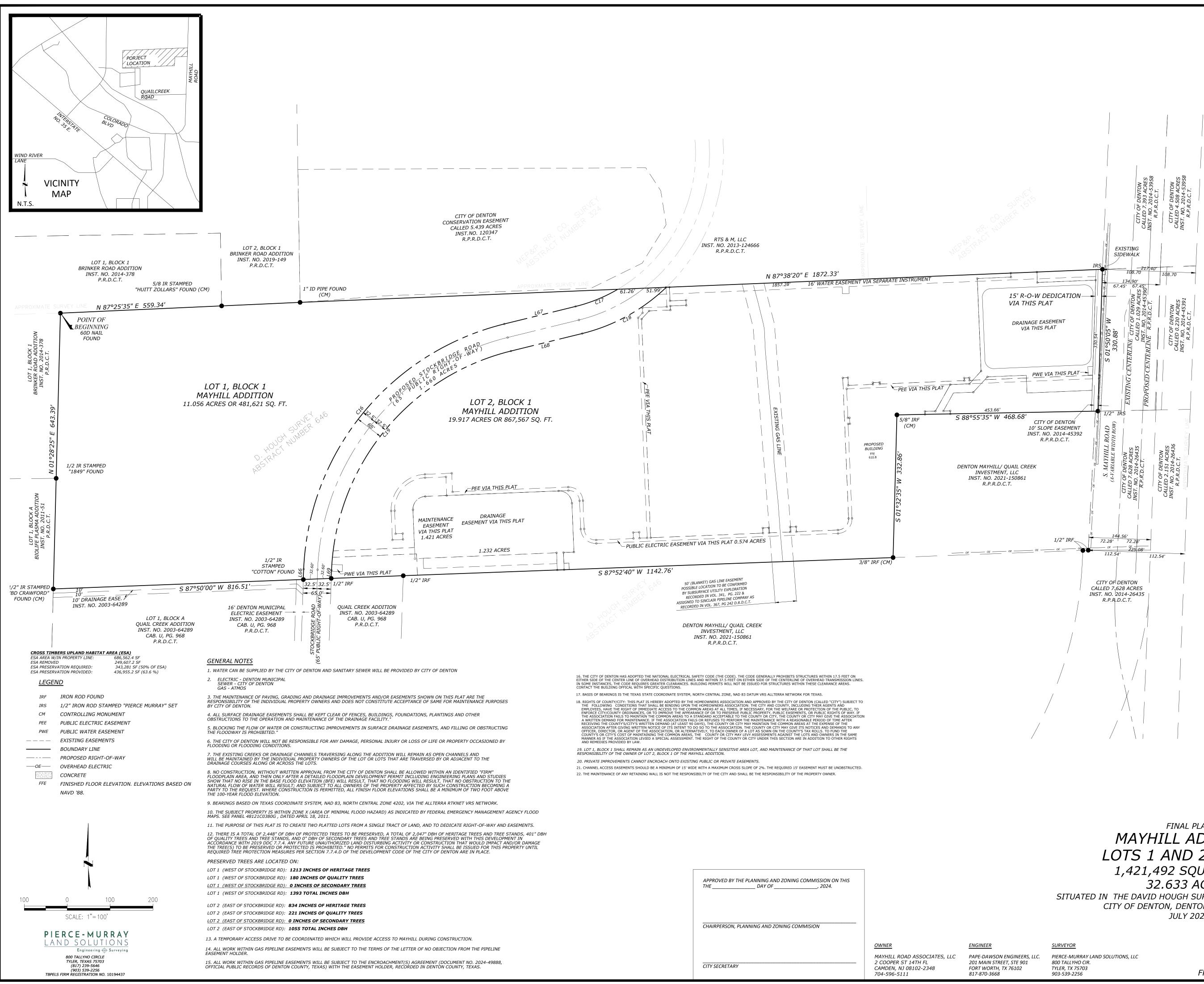
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<ul> <li>11. Provides Adequate Road Systems         <ul> <li>Adequate road capacity shall exist to serve the uses permitted proposed development, and the proposed uses shall be designed safe ingress and egress onto the site and safe road conditions site, including adequate access onto the site for fire, public EMS services.</li> <li>Findings:</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	ed to ensure around the	$\square$		
Adequate road capacity exists external to the site. Additional rig way dedication is reflected on the Final Plat to accommodate re right-of-way improvements associated with the development of site.	quired			
12. Provides Adequate Public Services and Facilities				
uses permitted under the proposed development at the time the demands arise, while maintaining adequate levels of service				
development. Public services and facilities include, but are not roads, domestic water, sewer, schools, public safety, fire utilities, libraries, and vehicle/pedestrian connections and ac the site and to adjacent properties. Findings:	protection,	$\boxtimes$		
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	Met	Not	
		Met	N/A
14. Whether the final plat conforms to the preliminary plat, including any conditions of approval. Findings:			
The proposed layout of this Final Plat complies with the approved Preliminary Plat.	$\square$		

Final Plat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.4.D)	Арј	olicabili	ty
	Met	Not Met	N/A
15. Whether the development will substantially comply with all requirements of this DDC. Findings:			
This Final Plat does comply with the applicable requirements of the DDC.	$\boxtimes$		
16. Whether the development will comply with the applicable technical standards and specifications adopted by the City. Findings:			
Proposed Final Plat has been determined to comply with applicable technical standards and specifications adopted by the City.	$\boxtimes$		

FP23-0031 Site Location





#### **OWNER'S CERTIFICATE** STATE OF TEXAS § COUNTY OF DENTON

WHEREAS MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC ARE THE OWNERS OF A 32.633 ACRE TRACT OF LAND SITUATED IN THE DAVID HOUGH SURVEY, ABSTRACT NUMBER 646, CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NO. 2021-159238, REAL PROPERTY RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED BY METES AND BOUNDS AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT 60D NAIL FOUND FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT, SAID NAIL BEING AT AN INSIDE "L" CORNER OF LOT 1, BLOCK A, BRINKER ROAD ADDITION, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2014-378, PLAT RÉCORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS;

THENCE N 87°25'35″E, ALONG THE COMMON LINE OF THE NORTH PROPERTY LINE OF SAID MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT AND THE MOST NORTHERLY SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 1, BLOCK 1, BRINKER ROAD ADDITION, AT 376.27 FEET PASS A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH CAP STAMPED "HUITT ZOLLARS" FOUND, BEING THE MOST NORTHERLY SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1, BLOCK 1, BRINKER ROAD ADDITION AND ALSO BEING THE MOST SOUTHERLY SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 2, BLOCK 1, BRINKER ROAD ADDITION, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2019-149. PLAT RECORDS. DENTON COUNTY. TEXAS. IN ALL A DISTANCI

OF 559.34 FEET TO A 1 INCH PIPE FOUND. BEING THE SOUTHEASTERLY CORNER OF SAID LOT 2 AND BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THOSE CERTAIN TRACTS OF LAND DESCRIBED BY DEED TO RTS & M. LLC. AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2013-124666. REAL PROPERTY RECORDS. DENTON COUNTY. TEXAS. THENCE N 87°38'20″E, A DISTANCE OF 1872.33 FEET ALONG THE COMMON LINE OF THE NORTH LINE OF SAID

MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT AND THE SOUTH LINE OF THOSE CERTAIN TRACTS OF LAND DESCRIBED BY DEED TO RTS & M, LLC TO A 1/2 INCH IRON ROD WITH CAP STAMPED "PIERCE MURRAY" SET FOR THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE HEREIN DSCRIBED TRACT, SAID IRON ROD BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT CERTAIN CALLED 7.393 ACRE TRACT OF LAND DÉSCRIBED BY DEED TO CITY OF DENTON, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2014-53958, REAL PROPERTY RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS AND ALSO BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THAT CERTAIN CALLED 1.029 ACRE TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED BY DEED TO CITY OF DENTON, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2014-45390, REAL PROPERTY RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS;

THENCE S 01°50'05"W, A DISTANCE OF 330.88 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID CALLED 1.029 ACRE CITY OF DENTON TRACT TO A 1/2 INCH IRON ROD WITH CAP STAMPED "PIERCE MURRAY" SET. BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID CALLED 1.029 ACRE CITY OF DENTON TRACT AND BEING IN THE NORTH LINE OF THAT CALLED 7.628 ACRE TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN A DEED TO THE CITY OF DENTON, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2014-26435, REAL PROPERTY RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS;

THENCE S 88°55'35"W, AT 6.02 FEET PASS THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID CALLED 7.628 ACRE CITY OF DENTON TRACT AND THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THAT TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN A DEED TO DENTON MAYHILL/QUAIL CREEK LLC, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2021-150861, REAL PROPERTY RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, IN ALL A DISTANCE OF 468.68 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD FOUND BEING A CORNER OF SAID DENTON MAYHILL/QUAIL CREEK LLC, TRACT AND A CORNER OF SAID MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT;

THENCE S 01°32'35"W, A DISTANCE OF 332.86 FEET ALONG THE COMMON BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID DENTON MAYHILL/QUAIL CREEK, LLC TRACT AND SAID MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT TO A 3/8 INCH IRON ROD

THENCE S 87°52'40″W, A DISTANCE OF 1142.76 FEET ALONG THE COMMON BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID DENTON MAYHILL/QUAIL CREEK, LLC TRACT AND SAID MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT TO A 1/2 INCH IRON ROD FOUND, BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID DENTON MAYHILL/QUAIL CREEK, LLC TRACT AND THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE QUAIL CREEK ADDITION, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2003-64289, PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS;

THENCE S 87°50'00"W. 816.51 FEET ALONG THE COMMON BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT AND SAID QUAIL CREEK ADDITION TO A 1/2 INCH IRON ROD WITH CAP STAMPED "BD CRAWFORD" FOUND. BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT AND BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID QUAIL CREEK ADDITION AND BEING IN THE EAST LINE OF LOT 1, BLOCK A, BIOLIFE PLASMA ADDITION, AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2011-51, PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY. TEXAS:

THENCE N 01°28'25″E, ALONG THE COMMON BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT AND SAID BIOLIFE PLASMA ADDITION, AT A DISTANCE OF 257.95 FEET PASS A 1/2 INCH IRON ROD WITH CAP STAMPED "1849" FOUND AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID BIOLIFE PLASMA ADDITION AND THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE AFOREMENTIONED LOT 1, BLOCK 1, BRINKER ROAD ADDITION, AND THEN ALONG THE COMMON BOUNDARY LINE OF MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC TRACT AND LOT 1, BLOCK 1, BRINKER ROAD ADDITION, IN ALL A DISTANCE OF 643.39 FEET RETURNING TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, AND CONTAINING 1,421,492 SQUARE FEET OR 32.633 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

NOW THEREFORE KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT WE, MAYHILL ROAD ASSOCIATES, LLC ARE THE OWNERS OF THE HEREIN ABOVE DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY AND DO HEREBY ADOPT THIS PLAT AS MAYHILL ADDITION, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS AND WE DO HEREBY DEDICATE TÓ THE PUBLIC'S USE FOREVER IN FEE SIMPLE THE RIGHT-OF-WAY AND EASEMENTS SHOWN HEREON.

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#### OWNER

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF DENTON §

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED KNOWN TO BE THE PERSON WHOSE NAME IS SUBSCRIBED TO THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT AND ACKNOWLEDGED TO ME THAT HE EXECUTED THE SAME FOR THE PURPOSE AND CONSIDERATION THEREIN EXPRESSED, IN THE CAPACITY THEREIN STATED AND AS THE ACT AND DEED OF SAID CORPORATION.

WITNESSED UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS THE \_\_\_\_\_, DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2024

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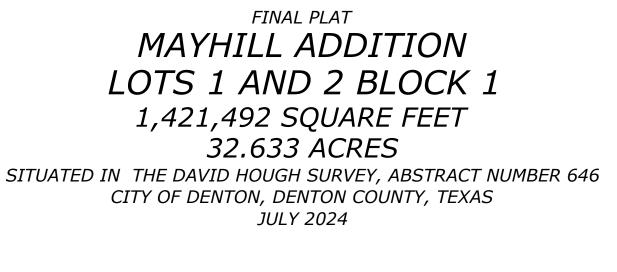
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

#### SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATION

I, CAMDEN D. PIERCE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I PREPARED THIS PLAT FROM AN ACTUAL AND ACCURATE SURVEY OF THE LAND AND THAT THE CORNER MONUMENTS SHOWN THEREON AS "SET" WERE PROPERLY PLACED UNDER MY DIRECTION AND SUPERVISION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLATTING RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE CITY OF DENTON.

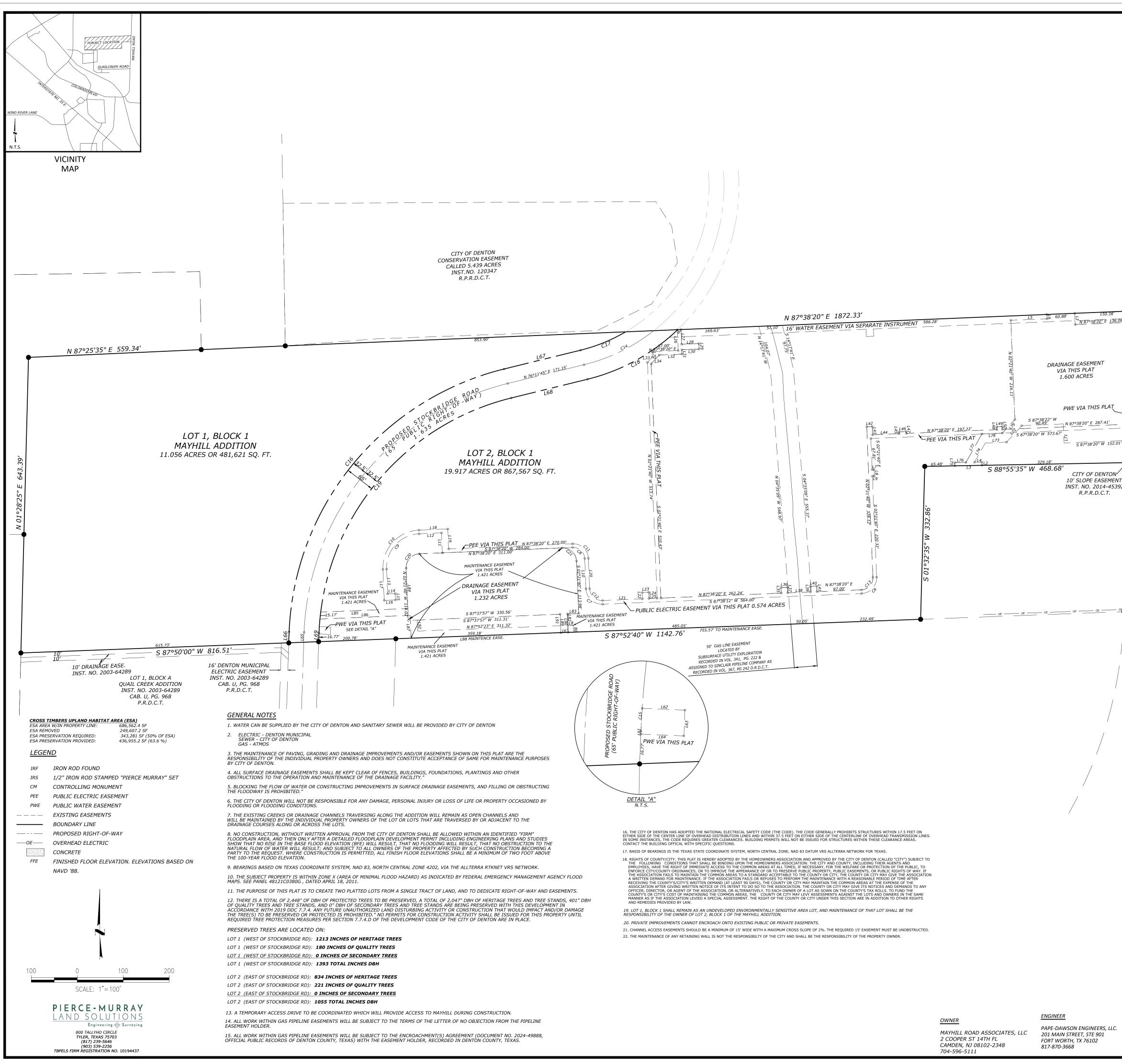
PRELIMINARY, THIS DOCUMENT SHALL NOT BE RECORDED FOR ANY PURPOSE AND SHALL NOT BE USED OR VIEWED OR RELIED UPON AS A FINAL SURVEY DOCUMENT CAMDEN D. PIERCE, RPLS 6791

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#### File #: FP24-0026a, Version: 1

#### AGENDA CAPTION

Consider a request by Reece Flanagan of Flanagan Land Solutions, LLC, on behalf of the property owner, for a Final Plat of Acintyo Ventures Addition, Lots 1 and 2, Block 1. The approximately 0.300-acre site is generally located on the south side of Fannin Street, approximately 105 feet east of the intersection of Fannin Street and South Avenue B, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0026a, Acintyo Ventures Addition, Sean Jacobson)



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#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

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ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

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#### BACKGROUND

The purpose of this Final Plat is to establish 2 residential lots and dedicate easements. The subdivision will have access on Fannin Street. The subject property is zoned Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN).

Initial Application Date:	June 25, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	July 24, 2024
Days in Review:	29 Days
Extension Approved:	July 24, 2024
Resubmittal Date:	July 23, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	August 14, 2024
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This is the **second extension request** for this item.

This application is being considered under TX LGC 212.009, which was updated as of September 1, 2023, with the passage of House Bill 3699. The applicant has requested a 30-day extension to allow for additional time to work through staff's comments on the plat and additional review (Exhibit 5). In accordance with Texas Local Government Code Section 212.009 the extension cannot exceed 30 days and could be granted to a date certain of September 11, 2024. Based upon recent updates to Section 212.009, the applicant may request additional 30-day extensions in the future if they are determined to be necessary.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Approve requested extension
- 2. Approve as submitted
- 3. Approve with conditions
- 4. Deny with reasons

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends denial of this plat as it does not meet the established criteria for approval; however, Staff has no objection to the requested extension (Exhibit 5), which could be granted to a date certain of September 11, 2024. See Staff Analysis (Exhibit 2) for detailed reasons for recommendation.

#### PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

No prior action/review has been done by Council, a Board, or a Commission related to this request.

#### PUBLIC OUTREACH

No public outreach is required for a Final Plat.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Final Plat
- 5. Extension Request

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/ Planning Director

Prepared by: Sean Jacobson Associate Planner

## **Planning Staff Analysis** FP24-0026a / Acintyo Ventures Addition Planning & Zoning Commission

#### **REQUEST:**

Final plat for an approximately 0.300-acre site

#### **APPLICANT:**

Reece Flanagan on behalf of the property owner.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends denial of this Final Plat as it does not meet the established approval criteria; however, staff has no objection to the requested extension, which could be granted to September 11, 2024.

# **Final Plat Approval Review Criteria**

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	C	ompliar	ice
	Met	Not Met	N/A
1. Generally			
a. Unless otherwise specified in this DDC, City review and decision-making bodies must review all development applications submitted pursuant to this subchapter for compliance with the general review criteria stated below. Findings:			
The Final Plat does not meet all review criteria, as detailed below in Criteria 4, 5, 10, and 12.		$\boxtimes$	
<ul> <li>b. The application may also be subject to additional review criteria specific to the type of application, as set forth in sections 2.5 through 2.9. Findings:</li> <li>The Final Plat does not meet all review criteria as described below in Criteria 15 and 16.</li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$	
<ul> <li>c. If there is a conflict between the general review criteria in this section and the specific review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9, the applicable review criteria in sections 2.5-2.9 controls.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>There is no conflict.</li> </ul>			X

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		C	omplian	ice
		Met	Not Met	N/A
<ul> <li>2. Prior Approvals         <ul> <li>a. The proposed development shall be consistent with the terms a of any prior land use approval, plan, development agreement, approval that is in effect and not proposed to be changed. This approved phasing plan for development and installation of pu improvements and amenities.             <ul></ul></li></ul></li></ul>	or plat s includes an blic			
3. Consistent with Comprehensive Plan and Other Applicable Plans The proposed development shall be consistent with the Comprehe any applicable plans. Findings: Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.	nsive Plan and			
<ul> <li>a. The decision-making authority shall weigh competing plan gos and strategies Findings:</li> <li>There are no competing plan goals, policies, and strategies for this site.</li> </ul>	als, policies,			$\boxtimes$
<ul> <li>b. May approve an application that furthers the overall goals of a Comprehensive Plan even if the development does not match to use designation in Comprehensive Plan.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>The overall goals of the Comprehensive Plan are met with the proposed Final Plat.</li> </ul>				

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	<u> </u>	omplian	ce
	Met	Not Met	N/A
4. Compliance with this DDC			
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development shall comply with all applicable standards in this DDC, unless the standard is to be lawfully modified. Findings:</li> <li>Provide a plat note referencing the tree preservation plan (DDC 7.7.4E.7) The Final Plat does not meet all review criteria, as detailed in the following items as required by the Final Plat Checklist (FPC) authorized per Denton Development Code Section 2.4.4B:</li> <li>1. Provide a copy of the City of Denton's Owner Authorization Form (FPC 1.2).</li> <li>2. Provide a completed copy of the Final Plat checklist (FPC 1.4).</li> <li>3. Provide a copy of a current title policy or title survey for the subject property (FPC 1.5).</li> <li>4. Add city assigned project number to the title block in clearly visible text (FPC 2.2).</li> <li>5. Correctly dimension and label the distance from centerline to edge of right-of-way for adjacent existing public rights-of-way (FPC 3.15).</li> <li>6. Verify that proposed sidewalk along Fannin Street is in the ROW. If any part of the sidewalk is outside the ROW, and update the rest of the plat accordingly to reflect the dedication (TCM 4.3.1; FPC 3.1 and 3.9).</li> <li>7. Provide notes indicating how adequate water and wastewater service will be provided for the development (DDC 8.4.10-11 and FPC 2.14).</li> <li>8. If water and/or sever service will be provided through the City of Denton, include a note stating that the site will be served through City of Denton water/sever (FPC 2.15).</li> <li>9. Provide a copy of the computer-generated closure report for the metes and bounds description (FPC 5.2a).</li> <li>10. Expand sidewalk easement to be degicated along Margie Street to extend two inches beyond the edge of the sidewalk (TCM4.3.1; FPC 3.9).</li> <li>11. Include specific dedication language for access and/or utility easements.</li> </ul>			
b. Compliance with these standards is applied at the level of detail required for the subject submittal. Findings:			
The Final Plat was submitted at an adequate level of detail.	$\boxtimes$		

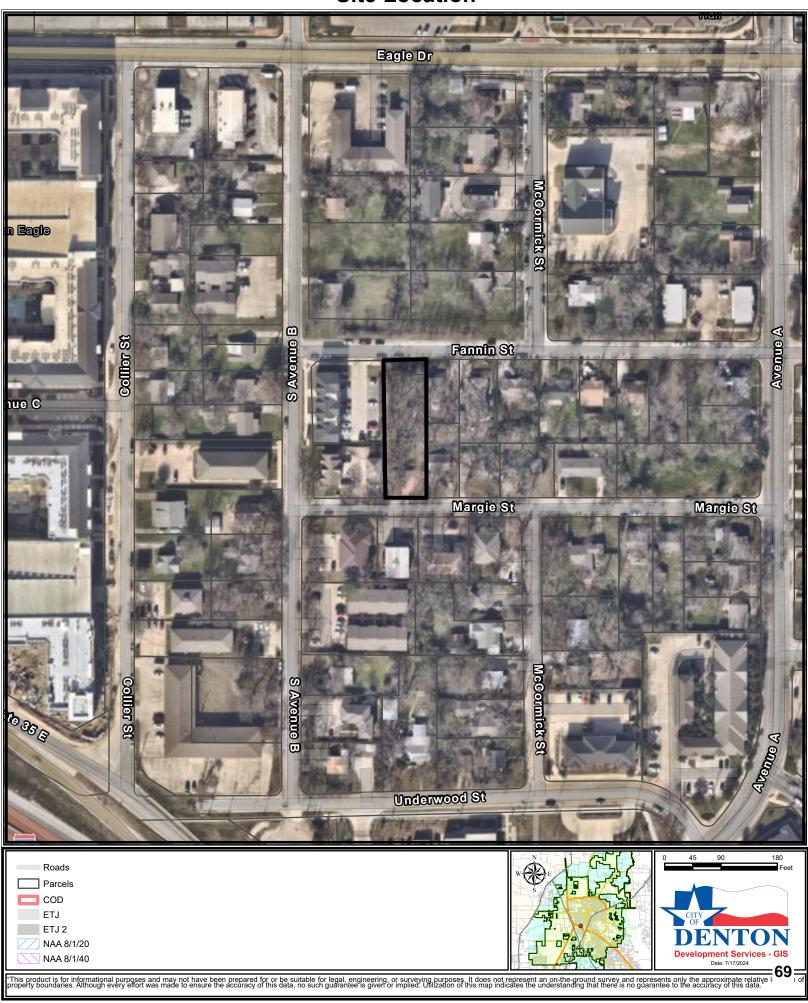
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5. Compliance with Other Applicable Regulations			
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development shall comply with all other city regulations and with all applicable regulations, standards, requirements, or plans of the federal or state governments and other relevant jurisdictions. This includes, but is not limited to, wetlands, water quality, erosion control, and wastewater regulations.</li> <li>Findings:         <ul> <li>As noted in Criterion 4a above, the proposed plat must be revised to come into compliance with the applicable standards in Transportation</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$	
Criteria Manual Section 4.3.1.			
6. Consistent with Interlocal and Development Agreements			
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development shall be consistent with any adopted interlocal and applicable development agreements, and comply with the terms and conditions of any such agreements incorporated by reference into this DDC. Findings:</li> <li>No interlocal or development agreements apply to this development.</li> </ul>			$\boxtimes$
7. Minimizes Adverse Environmental Impacts			
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development should be designed to minimize negative environmental impacts, and should not cause significant adverse impacts on the natural environment. Examples of the natural environment include water, air, noise, stormwater management, scenic resources, wildlife habitat, soils, and native vegetation.         Findings:         Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.     </li> </ul>			
8. Minimizes Adverse Impacts on Surrounding Property			
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development should not cause significant adverse impacts on surrounding properties. The results of the citizen participation process may be appropriately considered under this section. Findings:</li> <li>Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.</li> </ul>			$\boxtimes$

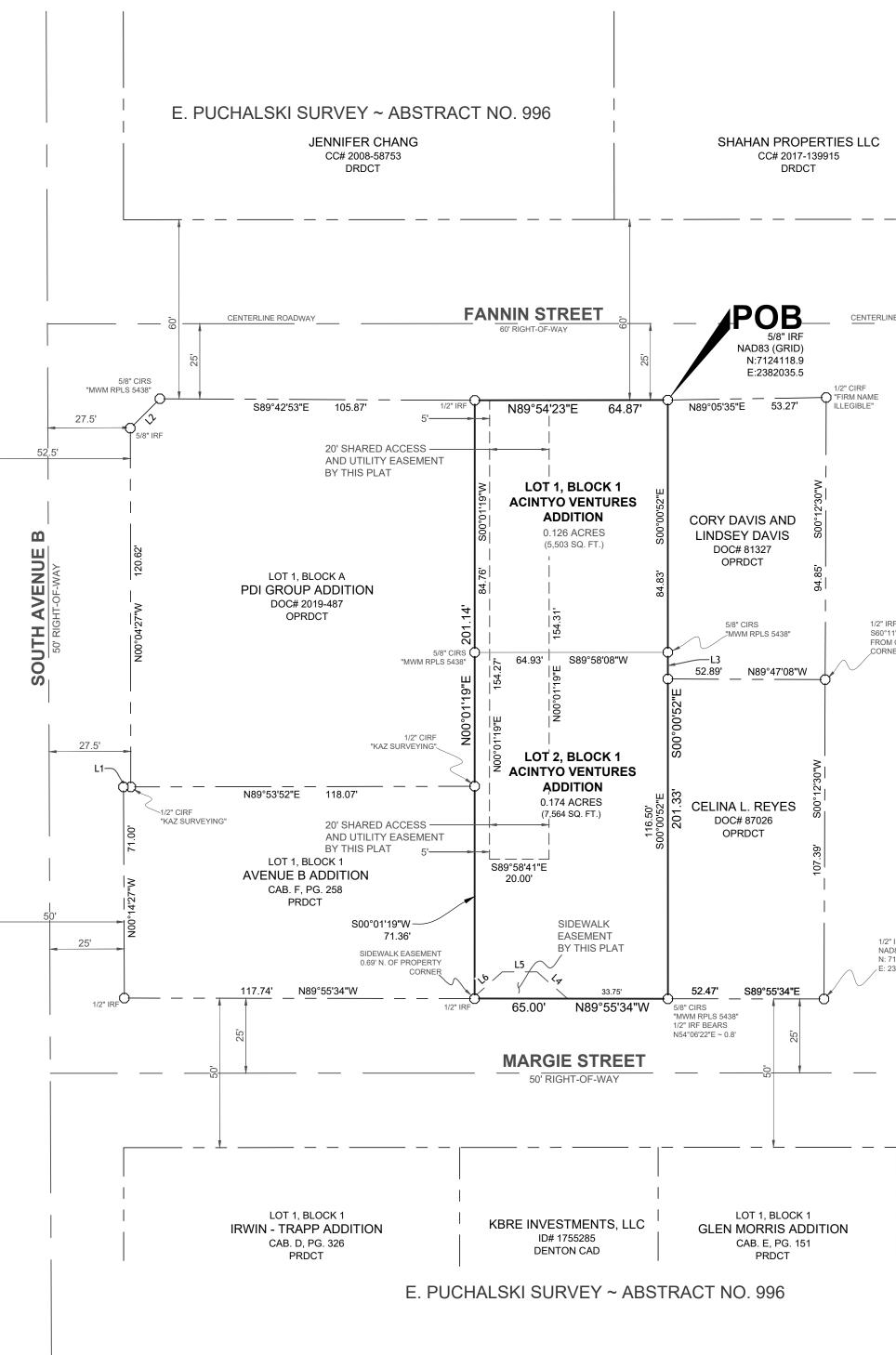
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9. Minimizes Adverse Fiscal Impacts			
<ul> <li>a. The proposed development should not result in significant adverse fiscal impacts on the city.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.</li> </ul>			
10. Compliance with Utility, Service, and Improvement Standards			
a. As applicable, the proposed development shall comply with federal, state,			
<ul> <li>county, service district, city and other regulatory authority standards, and design/construction specifications for roads, access, drainage, water, sewer schools, emergency/fire protection, and similar standards.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>As discussed in Criteria 4a and 5a above, the proposed development requires revisions to the proposed sidewalk easements to comply with the standards of the City of Denton Transportation Criteria Manual</li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$	[
Section 4.3.1.			
11. Provides Adequate Road Systems         a. Adequate road capacity shall exist to serve the uses permitted under t			
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	Met	Not Met	N/A	
13. Rational Phasing Plan				
a. If the application involves phases, each phase of the proposed development shall contain all of the required streets, utilities, landscaping, open space, and other improvements that are required for that phase, and may not defer those improvements to subsequent phases. Findings:			$\boxtimes$	
No phasing plan is proposed.				

Final Plat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.4.D)		olicabili	ty
	Met	Not Met	N/A
14. Whether the final plat conforms to the preliminary plat, including any conditions of approval. Findings:			
As no preliminary plat was proposed or approved for this subdivision, this criteria is not applicable.			$\boxtimes$
15. Whether the development will substantially comply with all requirements of this DDC. Findings:			
As discussed in further detail in Criterion 4a above, this criterion is not yet satisfied.		$\boxtimes$	
16. Whether the development will comply with the applicable technical standards and specifications adopted by the City. Findings:			
As discussed in further detail in Criterion 5a above, this criterion is not yet satisfied.		$\boxtimes$	

# FP24-0026 Site Location





#### SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I, MARK PEEPLES, A REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, HAVE PLATTED THE ABOVE SUBDIVISION FROM AN ACTUAL ON THE GROUND SURVEY, AND THAT ALL LOT CORNERS, ANGLE POINTS, AND POINTS OF CURVE SHALL BE PROPERLY MARKED ON THE GROUND, AND THAT THIS PLAT CORRECTLY REPRESENTS THE PROPERTY AS DETERMINED BY A SURVEY MADE BY ME OR UNDER MY DIRECT SUPERVISION.

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TARRANT

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED KNOWN TO ME TO BE THE PERSON WHOSE NAME IS SUBSCRIBED TO THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT, AND ACKNOWLEDGED TO ME THAT HE EXECUTED THE SAME FOR THE PURPOSES AND CONSIDERATIONS THEREIN EXPRESSED IN THE CAPACITY THEREIN STATED.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE ON THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_

MARK PEEPLES REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR NO. 6443 STATE OF TEXAS

DATE:

NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS

# **OWNERS CERTIFICATE**

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DENTON

WHEREAS ACINTYO VENTURES LLC, A TEXAS LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE UNDERSIGNED. IS THE SOLE OWNER OF A 0.300 ACRE TRACT OF LAND SITUATED IN THE E. PUCHALSKI SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 996, CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, BEING ALL OF TRACTS 1 & 2, AS DESCRIBED IN THE GENERAL WARRANTY DEED TO ACINTYO VENTURES LLC, A TEXAS LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, FILED FOR RECORD IN COUNTY CLERK'S INSTRUMENT NO. 92955, OFFICIAL PUBLIC RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS (OPRDCT), SAID 0.300 ACRE TRACT OF LAND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED BY METES AND BOUNDS AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A 5/8" IRON ROD FOUND ON THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FANNIN STREET, A 60-FOOT PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY (25-FOOT TO CENTERLINE OF ROADWAY), BEING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID TRACT 2, SAME BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF A CALLED 0.11 ACRE TRACT OF LAND AS DESCRIBED IN THE WARRANTY DEED TO CORY DAVIS AND LINDSEY DAVIS, HUSBAND AND WIFE, FILED FOR RECORD IN COUNTY CLERK'S DOCUMENT NO. 81327, FROM WHICH A 1/2" CAPPED IRON ROD FOUND FOR THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID CALLED 0.11 ACRE TRACT OF LAND BEARS NORTH 89 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 35 SECONDS EAST, A DISTANCE OF 53.27 FEET, SAID BEGINNING POINT HAVING A NAD83 TEXAS COORDINATE SYSTEM POSITION (GRID) OF N:7124118.9 E:2382035.5 (BEARINGS & COORDINATE VALUES SHOWN HEREON ARE IN REFERENCE TO THE NAD83 - TEXAS COORDINATE SYSTEM - NORTH CENTRAL ZONE, 4202, BASED ON GPS OBSERVATIONS UTILIZING THE TOPNET LIVE GPS REFERENCED NETWORK):

THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 52 SECONDS EAST, DEPARTING SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE, AND ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT 1 AND TRACT 2, A DISTANCE OF 201.33 FEET, TO A 5/8" IRON ROD SET WITH BLUE CAP, BEING ON THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF MARGIE STREET, A 50-FOOT PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY, BEING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID TRACT 1, FROM WHICH A 1/2" IRON ROD FOUND FOR REFERENCE BEARS NORTH 54 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 22 SECONDS EAST, A DISTANCE OF 0.8 FEET, AND FROM WHICH A 1/2" IRON ROD FOUND FOR THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF A CALLED 0.13 ACRE TRACT OF LAND AS DESCRIBED IN THE GENERAL WARRANTY DEED TO CELINA L REYES, A SINGLE PERSON, BEARS SOUTH 89 DEGREES 55 MINUTES 34 SECONDS EAST, A DISTANCE OF 52.47 FEET;

THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 55 MINUTES 34 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE, A DISTANCE OF 65.00 FEET, TO A 1/2" IRON ROD FOUND, BEING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 1, BLOCK 1, AVENUE B ADDITION, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED IN CABINET F, SLIDE 258, PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY (PRDCT);

THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 01 MINUTES 19 SECONDS EAST, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID TRACT 1, AT A DISTANCE OF 71.36 FEET, PASSING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1, BLOCK 1, AVENUE B ADDITION, AND CONTINUING IN ALL A TOTAL DISTANCE OF 201.14 FEET, TO A 1/2" IRON ROD FOUND, BEING ON THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SAID FANNIN STREET, SAME BEING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 1. BLOCK A. PDI GROUP ADDITION. AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON. DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED IN COUNTY CLERK'S DOCUMENT NO. 2019-487, OPRDCT;

THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 54 MINUTES 23 SECONDS EAST, ALONG SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE, A DISTANCE OF 64.87 FEET, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, AND CONTAINING 0.300 ACRES OF LAND (13,067 SQUARE FEET), MORE OR LESS.

#### **OWNER'S DEDICATION**

NOW THEREFORE KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT, ACINTYO VENTURES LLC, A TEXAS LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, BEING THE SOLE OWNER OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PARCEL, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE UNDERSIGNED, ITS DULY AUTHORIZED AGENT, DO HEREBY ADOPT THE HEREIN ABOVE DESCRIBED PROPERTY AS LOTS 1 & 2, BLOCK 1, ACINTYO VENTURES, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, AND DOES DEDICATE TO THE PUBLIC USE, IN FEE SIMPLE, THE STREETS AND EASEMENTS AS SHOWN THEREON.

WITNESS MY HAND AT DENTON, TEXAS, THIS THE \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_

ACINTYO VENTURES LLC, A TEXAS LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DENTON )(

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, A NOTARY PUBLIC, IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY AND STATE, ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED TO ME TO BE THE PERSON WHOSE NAME IS SUBSCRIBED TO THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT AND ACKNOWLEDGED TO ME THAT HE EXECUTED THE SAME FOR THE PURPOSE AND CONSIDERATIONS THEREIN EXPRESSED

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, THIS THE DAY OF

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF TEXAS

#### **GENERAL NOTES**

1. BEARINGS & COORDINATE VALUES SHOWN HEREON ARE IN REFERENCE TO THE NAD83 - TEXAS COORDINATE SYSTEM - NORTH CENTRAL ZONE, 4202, BASED ON OBSERVATIONS UTILIZING THE TOPNET LIVE GPS REFERENCED NETWORK.

2. ALL PROPERTY CORNERS SET ARE 5/8 INCH CAPPED IRON RODS.

3. THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IS LOCATED IN ZONE "X", AREAS OF 0.2% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD; AREAS OF 1% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD WITH AVERAGE DEPTHS OF LESS THAN 1 FOOT OR WITH DRAINAGE AREAS LESS THAN 1 SQUARE MILE; AND AREAS PROTECTED BY LEVEES FROM 1% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD; AREAS DETERMINED TO BE OUTSIDE THE 0.2% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOODPLAIN, ACCORDING TO THE FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM), MAP NUMBER 48121C0360G, EFFECTIVE DATE: APRIL 18, 2011.

4. SELLING A PORTION OF ANY LOT IN THIS ADDITION BY METES AND BOUNDS IS A VIOLATION OF STATE LAW AND CITY ORDINANCE AND IS SUBJECT TO PENALTIES IMPOSED BY LAW.

5. THE PURPOSE OF THIS FINAL IS TO CREATE 2 (TWO) BUILDABLE LOTS FROM AN UNPLATTED TRACT OF LAND.

6. PROPERTY OWNERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE FACILITIES LOCATED WITHIN THE ACCESS EASEMENT SHOWN WITHIN THIS PLAT.

7. A TREE SURVEY AND PRESERVATION PLAN WILL BE REQUIRED TO PROCEED WITH BUILDING PERMITS ON THE SUBJECT SITE. MINIMUM TREE PRESERVATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE DENTON DEVELOPMENT CODE SECTION 7.74. MUST BE MET PRIOR TO THE RELEASE OF ANY PERMITS.

8. IMPORTANT NOTICE: THE CITY OF DENTON HAS ADOPTED THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL SAFETY CODE (THE "CODE"). THE CODE GENERALLY PROHIBITS STRUCTURES WITHIN 17.5 FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTER LINE OF OVERHEAD DISTRIBUTION LINES AND WITHIN 37.5 FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTERLINE OF OVERHEAD TRANSMISSION LINES. IN SOME INSTANCES THE CODE REQUIRES GREATER CLEARANCES. BUILDING PERMITS WILL NOT BE ISSUED FOR STRUCTURES WITHIN THESE CLEARANCE AREAS. CONTACT THE BUILDING OFFICIAL WITH SPECIFIC QUESTIONS.

CERTIFICA	TE OF APPROVAL
	_ DAY OF JANUARY, 2024, BY THE ING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF OUNTY, TEXAS.

CHAIRPERSON

CITY SECRETARY

ENGINEER: FLANAGAN LAND SOLUTIONS CONTACT: REECE FLANAGAN, PE PHONE: 940-327-7963 4447 N. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY SUITE 110, BOX 123, DALLAS, TX 75205

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# LINE TABLE

# OWNER/DEVELOPER: ACINTYO VENTURES, LLC

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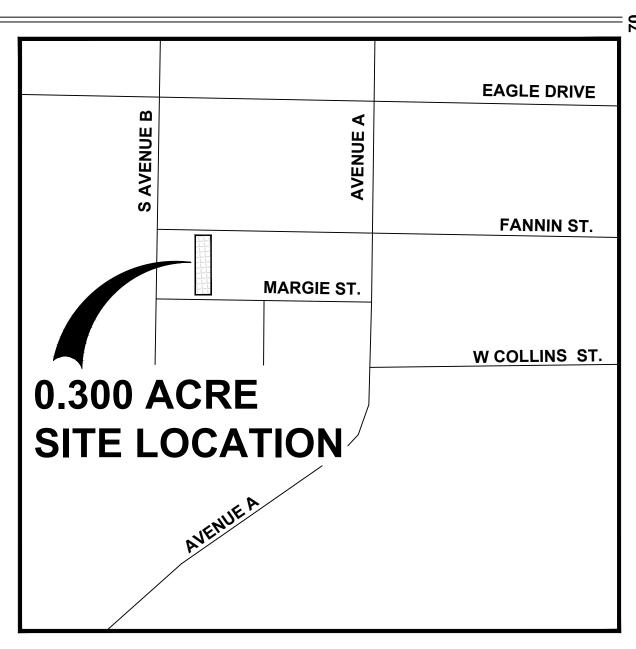
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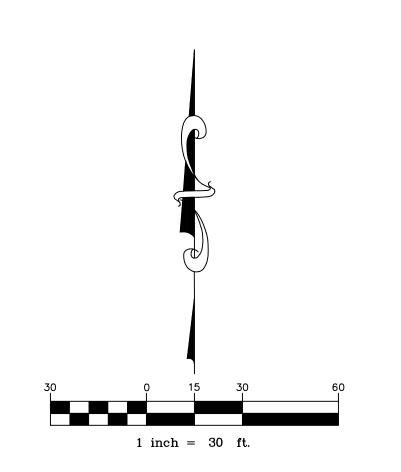
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**ABBREVIATIONS** 

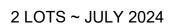
OPRDCT = OFFICIAL PUBLIC RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS DRDCT = DEED RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS PRDCT = PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS CC# = COUNTY CLERK'S FILE NUMBER IRF = IRON ROD FOUND CIRS = 5/8" CAPPED IRON ROD SET **UE = UTILITY EASEMENT** 

Know what's below. **Call** before you dig.

FINAL PLAT LOTS 1 & 2, BLOCK 1 **ACINTYO VENTURES ADDITION** 

**BEING 0.300 ACRES SITUATED IN THE** E. PUCHALSKI SURVEY ~ ABSTRACT NO. 996 CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS.







August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024

City of Denton 601 East Hickory Street Denton, Texas 76205

Re: Final Plat Submittal – Extension Request – FP24-0026 Margie & Fannin Triplexes 1408 Margie Street, Denton, Texas

Dear City of Denton,

FLANAGAN is respectfully requesting an extension for FP24-0026 (Margie & Fannin Triplexes) to allow additional time to work through City comments. We intend on resubmitting August 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

We appreciate the opportunity to do business in Denton and look forward to working through the development process and continuing to grow our professional relationship. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions regarding our submittal package.

Sincerely, FLANAGAN

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Reece Flanagan, PE, MBA reece@flanagan-ls.com P:940.327.7963



Legislation Text

#### File #: FP24-0023c, Version: 1

#### AGENDA CAPTION

Consider a request by Barron Stark Engineers, on behalf of JVAC Properties LLC, for approval of a Final Plat of Lot 1, Block A Riviera Addition. The approximately 15-acre tract is generally located on the north side of Fishtrap Rd, approximately 259.2 feet west of Greenleaf Circle in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FP24-0023c, Water Line Extension Riviera, Matt Bodine)



#### **City of Denton**

City Hall 215 E. McKinney Street Denton, Texas www.cityofdenton.com

#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

#### **SUBJECT**

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#### BACKGROUND

The purpose of the Final Plat is to create a lot of record from a previously unplatted tract of land. The property is zoned Light Industrial (LI) and takes access from Fishtrap Rd. The property owner has previously relied on a private water well for water services but has recently submitted civil engineering plans to access City water. As part of the process to connect to City water, the owner is required to submit a final plat for the property.

A full analysis of the criteria for approval is provided as Exhibit 2.

Date Application Filed: Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	May 28, 2024 June 26, 2024
Days in Review:	29 Days
Extension Approved:	June 26, 2024
Resubmitted:	June 25,2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting	July 24, 2024
Days in Review:	28 Days
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This is the **third extension request** for this item.

This application is being considered under Texas Local Government Code (TX LGC) 212.009, which was updated as of September 1, 2023, with the passage of House Bill 3699. The applicant has requested an additional 30-day extension to allow for additional time to work through staff's comments on the plat and additional review (see Exhibit 5). The requested extension could be granted to a date certain of September 11, 2024. The applicant may request additional 30-day extensions in the future if they are determined to be necessary.

#### **OPTIONS**

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#### **RECOMMENDATION**

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#### PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

Date	Council, Board, Commission	Request	Action			
June 26, 2024	Planning & Zoning	Final Plat	Extension Annewad			
June 26, 2024	Commission	FP24-0023	Extension Approved			
July 24, 2024	Planning & Zoning	Final Plat	Extension Approved			
July 24, 2024	Commission	FP24-0023	Extension Approved			

#### PUBLIC OUTREACH

No public outreach is required for a Final Plat.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

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- 6. LLC Members List

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/Planning Director

Prepared by: Matt Bodine Assistant Planner

#### **Planning Staff Analysis** FP24-0023c / Water Line Extension Riveria City of Denton City Council District 2 Planning & Zoning Commission

#### **REQUEST:**

Final Plat to create a lot of record from a previously unplatted tract of land.

#### **APPLICANT:**

Barron Stark Engineers on behalf of JVAC Properties LLC.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends denial of this Final Plat as it does not meet the established approval criteria for final plats, as shown in the following table. However, staff has no objections to the requested extension which could be granted to a date certain of September 11, 2024.

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<ul> <li>c. If there is a conflict between the general review criteria in this section and the specific review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9, the applicable review criteria in sections 2.5-2.9 controls.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>There is no conflict between the review criteria.</li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		
2. Prior Approvals			
a. The proposed development shall be consistent with the terms and conditions of any prior land use approval, plan, development agreement, or plat approval that is in effect and not proposed to be			$\boxtimes$

## **Final Plat Approval Review Criteria**

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		Met	Not Met	N/A
	changed. This includes an approved phasing plan for development and installation of public improvements and amenities. Findings:			
	No prior approvals applicable to the development.			
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	Met	Not Met	N/A
<ul> <li>a. Adequate public service and facility capacity shall exist to accommodate uses permitted under the proposed development at the time the needs or demands arise, while maintaining adequate levels of service to existing development. Public services and facilities include, but are not limited to, roads, domestic water, sewer, schools, public safety, fire protection, utilities, libraries, and vehicle/pedestrian connections and access within the site and to adjacent properties. Findings:         <ul> <li>Current City capacity can accommodate the existing development.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
13. Rational Phasing Plan			
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al Plat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.4.D)		Applicability		
	Met	Not Met	N/A	
14. Whether the final plat conforms to the preliminary plat, including any conditions of approval. Findings:				
Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, preliminary plats are no longer required.			$\boxtimes$	
15. Whether the development will substantially comply with all requirements of this DDC. Findings:				
16. Whether the development will comply with the applicable technical standards and specifications adopted by the City. Findings:	$\boxtimes$			

#### FP24-0023 Site Location



GENERAL NOTES:

1.)THE PURPOSE OF THIS PLAT IS TO PROVIDE MUNICIPAL WATER UTILITY ACCESS BY CREATING ONE LOT FROM A PREVIOUSLY UNPLATTED TRACT. WASTEWATER & WATER UTILITY SERVICES TO THIS SITE WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE CITY OF DENTON.

2.)BEARINGS SHOWN HEREON ARE REFERENCED TO THE TEXAS COORDINATE SYSTEM OF 1983, NORTH CENTRAL ZONE (4202), AND ARE BASED ON THE NORTH AMERICAN DATUM OF 1983, 2011 ADJUSTMENT.

3.)THE CITY OF DENTON HAS ADOPTED THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL SAFETY CODE (THE "CODE"). THE CODE GENERALLY PROHIBITS STRUCTURES WITHIN 17.5 FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTERLINE OF OVERHEAD DISTRIBUTION LINES AND WITHIN 37.5 FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTERLINE OF OVERHEAD TRANSMISSION LINES. IN SOME INSTANCES THE CODE REQUIRES GREATER CLEARANCES, BUILDING PERMITS WILL NOT BE ISSUED FOR STRUCTURES WITHIN THESE CLEARANCE AREAS, CONTACT THE BUILDING OFFICIAL WITH SPECIFIC QUESTIONS.

4.) THE SUBJECT TRACT SHOWN IS LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF DENTON.

5.) PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS CANNOT ENCROACH ONTO EXISTING PUBLIC OR PRIVATE EASEMENTS.

6.) DENTON COUNTY WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY OR LOSS OF LIFE OR PROPERTY OCCASIONED BY FLOODING OR FLOODING CONDITIONS.

7.) THE EXISTING CREEKS OR DRAINAGE CHANNELS TRAVERSING ALONG OR ACROSS THE ADDITION WILL REMAIN AS OPEN CHANNELS AND WILL BE MAINTAINED BY THE INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE LOT OR LOTS THAT ARE TRAVERSED BY OR ADJACENT TO THE DRAINAGE COURSES ALONG OR ACROSS THE LOTS.

8.) ANY REFERENCE TO THE 100 YEAR FLOOD PLAIN OR FLOOD HAZARD ZONES ARE AN ESTIMATE BASED ON THE DATA SHOWN ON THE FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP PROVIDED BY FEMA AND SHOULD NOT BE INTERPRETED AS A STUDY OR DETERMINATION OF THE FLOODING PROPENSITIES OF THIS PROPERTY. ACCORDING TO THE FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP FOR DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, DATED APRIL 18, 2011 MAP NO. 48121C0380G , THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN DOES NOT APPEAR TO LIE WITHIN A SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREA.

9.) WATER UTILITY SERVICE WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE CITY OF DENTON.

10.) WASTEWATER UTILITY SERVICE WILL BE PROVIDED BY AN ONSITE SANITARY SEWER FACILITY PERMITTED THROUGH THE CITY OF DENTON.

11.) SEE VICINITY MAP FOR CITY LIMITS.

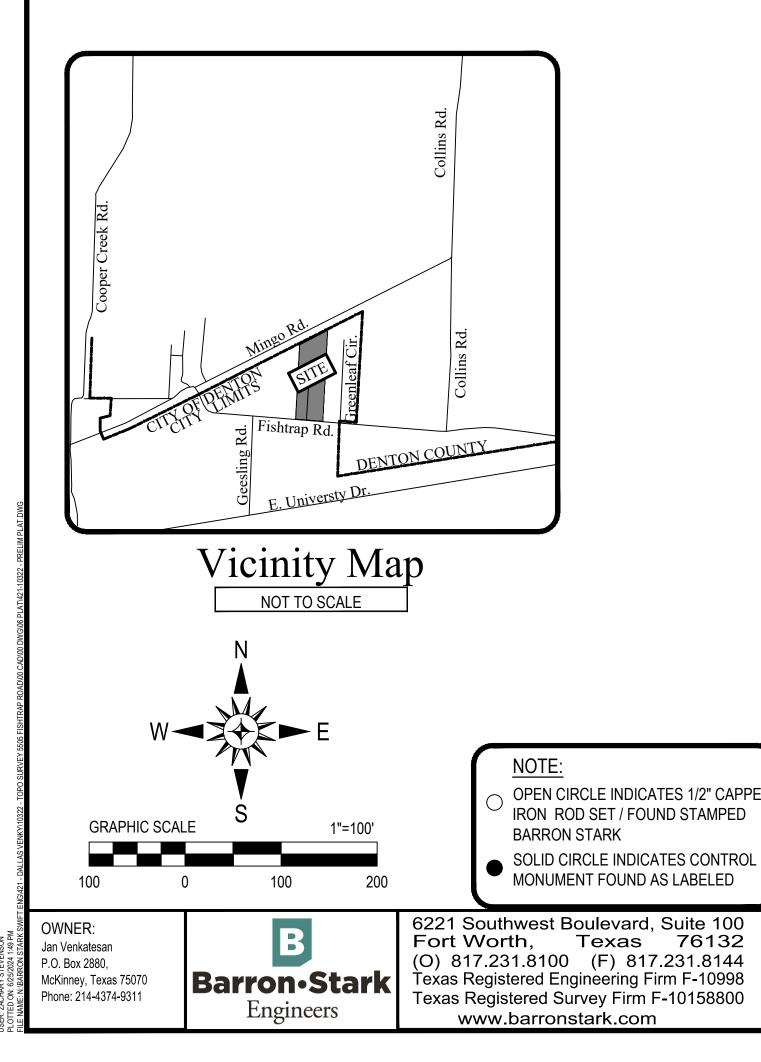
12.) SELLING A PORTION OF THIS ADDITION BY METES AND BOUNDS IS A VIOLATION OF CITY ORDINANCE AND STATE LAW, AND IS SUBJECT TO FINES AND/OR WITHHOLDING OF UTILITIES AND BUILDING PERMITS

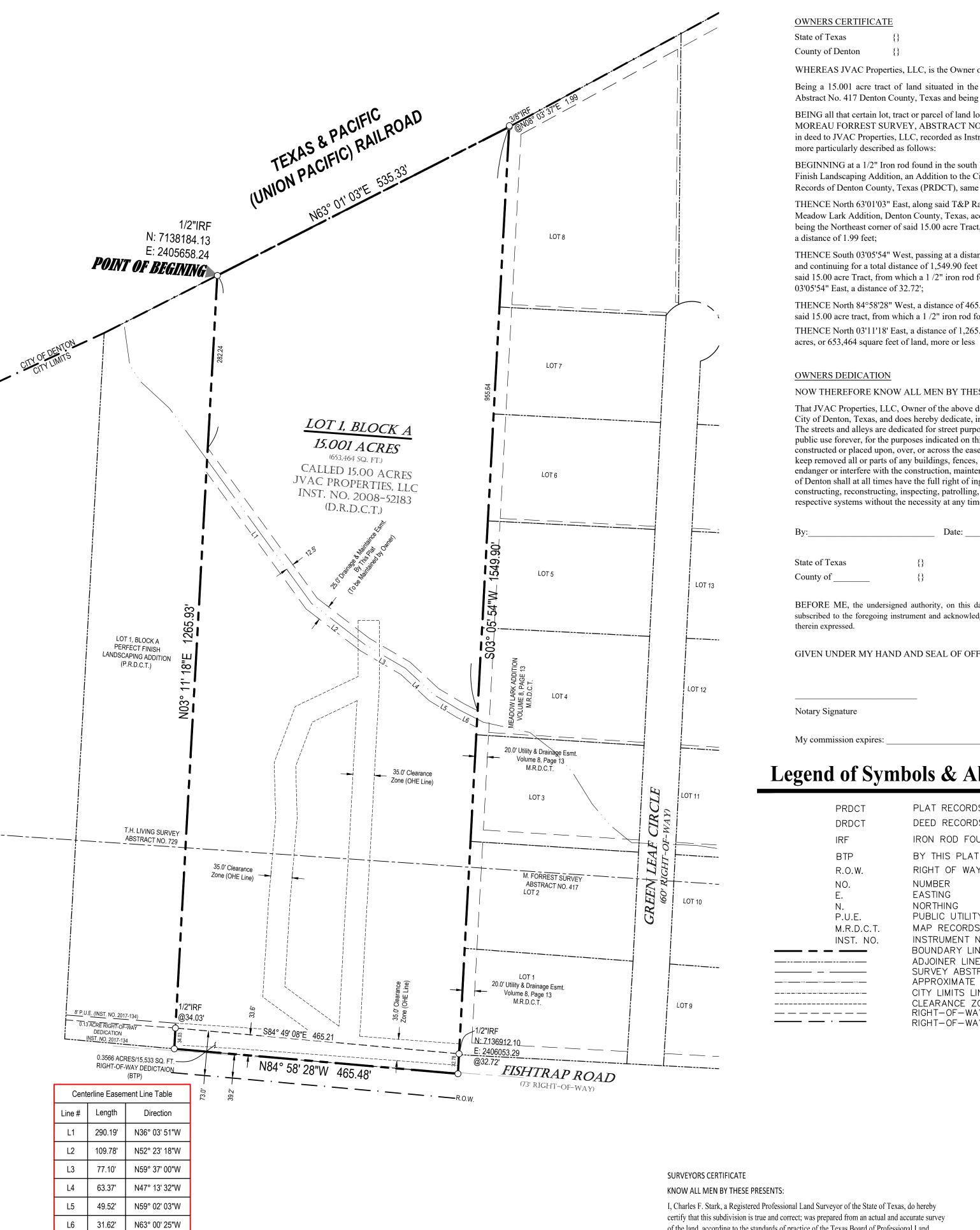
13.) APPROVAL OF THIS PLAT WILL EXPIRE TWO YEARS FROM PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION APPROVAL IF NOT RECORDED IN THE REAL PROPERTY RECORDS OF THE COUNTY OF DENTON.

14.) A TREE SURVEY AND PRESERVATION PLAN WILL BE REQUIRED TO PROCEED WITH BUILDING PERMITS ON THE SUBJECT SITE. MINUMUM TREE PRESERVATION REQUIREMENTS OF DENTON DEVELOPMENT CODE SECTION 7.74. MUST BE MET PRIOR TO THE RELEASE OF ANY PERMITS.

15.) ALL LANDSCAPING AND STRUCTURES, INCLUDING FENCES, ON OR ADJACENT TO EASEMENTS AND AT INTERSECTIONS SHALL CONFORM TO THE CITY OF DENTON AND AASHTO SITE DISTANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR MOTORISTS.

16.) MAINTENANCE OF ALL PRIVATE SANITARY SEWER, STORM SEWER, AND WATER FACILITIES ONSITE SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PROPERTY OWNER. THE CITY OF DENTON SHALL HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITY TO MAINTAIN SUCH FACILITIES.





I, Charles F. Stark, a Registered Professional Land Surveyor of the State of Texas, do hereby certify that this subdivision is true and correct; was prepared from an actual and accurate survey of the land, according to the standards of practice of the Texas Board of Professional Land Surveyors; and that all previously existing property monuments are sufficiently described on this document as found and all set monuments meets or exceeds the requirements of section 138.87, The State of Texas, Texas Engineering and Land Surveying Practice Acts and Rules concerning Practice and Licensure.

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CHARLES F. STARK

5084

NOT TO BE RECORDED -FOR REVIEW PURPOSES

Charles F. Stark, RPLS

Texas Registration No. 5084

USE OF THIS ELECTRONIC SEAL/SIGNATURE AUTHORIZED BY CHARLES F. STARK, R.P.L.S TEXAS REGISTRATION NO. 5084

Date

WHEREAS JVAC Properties, LLC, is the Owner of the herein described real property to wit:

Being a 15.001 acre tract of land situated in the Thomas H. Living Survey, Abstract No. 729, & Moreau Forrest Survey, Abstract No. 417 Denton County, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:

BEING all that certain lot, tract or parcel of land located in the THOMAS H. LIVING SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 729 and MOREAU FORREST SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 417, Denton County, Texas, and being that same tract of land described in deed to JVAC Properties, LLC, recorded as Instrument No. 2008-52183, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas, and being

BEGINNING at a 1/2" Iron rod found in the south line of T&P Railroad Co., at the Northeast corner of Lot 1, Block A Perfect Finish Landscaping Addition, an Addition to the City of Denton, Texas as recorded in Instrument No. 2017-134 of the Plat Records of Denton County, Texas (PRDCT), same being the Northwest corner of said 15.00 acre Tract;

THENCE North 63'01'03" East, along said T&P Railroad Co. a distance of 535.33 feet to a 14" tree found in the west line of Meadow Lark Addition, Denton County, Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 8, Page 13 (PRDCT), same being the Northeast corner of said 15.00 acre Tract, from which a 3/8" iron rod found for reference bears North 08'03'37" East,

THENCE South 03'05'54" West, passing at a distance of 1,516.26 feet the southwest corner of said Meadow Lark Addition, and continuing for a total distance of 1,549.90 feet to a point for corner in Fishtrap Road, same being the southeast corner of said 15.00 acre Tract, from which a 1 /2" iron rod found for reference bears North

THENCE North 84°58'28" West, a distance of 465.48 feet to a point for corner thereof, same being the Southwest corner of said 15.00 acre tract, from which a 1 /2" iron rod found for reference bears North 03'11'18" East, a distance of 34.03 feet; THENCE North 03'11'18' East, a distance of 1,265.93 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAINING 15.001

NOW THEREFORE KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That JVAC Properties, LLC, Owner of the above described tract of land, Lot 1, Block A Riviera Addition an addition to the City of Denton, Texas, and does hereby dedicate, in fee simple, to the public use forever, the streets and alleys shown thereon. The streets and alleys are dedicated for street purposes. The easements and public use areas, as shown, are dedicated for the public use forever, for the purposes indicated on this plat. No buildings, fences, trees, or other improvements shall be constructed or placed upon, over, or across the easements as shown. The City of Denton shall have the right to remove and keep removed all or parts of any buildings, fences, trees, shrubs, or other improvements or growths which may in any way endanger or interfere with the construction, maintenance, or efficiency of their respective systems in said easements. The City of Denton shall at all times have the full right of ingress and egress to or from their respective easements for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, inspecting, patrolling, maintaining, reading meters, and adding to or removing all or parts of their respective systems without the necessity at any time of procuring permission from anyone.

Date:

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared known to me to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledge to me that he/she/they executed the same for the purposes and considerations

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE this the day of , 2024.

# Legend of Symbols & Abbreviations

PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY TEXAS DEED RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY TEXAS IRON ROD FOUND BY THIS PLAT RIGHT OF WAY NUMBER EASTING NORTHING PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENT MAP RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY TEXAS INSTRUMENT NUMBER BOUNDARY LINE TYPE ADJOINER LINE TYPE SURVEY ABSTRACT LINE APPROXIMATE CENTERLINE OF TIMBER BRANCH CREEK CITY LIMITS LINE TYPE CLEARANCE ZONE RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION LINE RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE

#### Planning and Zoning Commission Approval - Final Replat

This is to certify that the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Denton, Texas has approved this replat and subdivision of Riviera Addition in conformance with the laws of the State of Texas and the ordinances of the City of Denton as shown hereon and authorizes the recording of this plat this\_\_\_\_\_day of\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Chair, Planning & Zoning Commission

City Secretary

# FINAL PLAT LOT 1, BLOCK A **RIVIERA ADDITION** AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON

Being 15.001 Acres Situated in the Thomas H. Living Suvrey, Abstract No. 729 & Moreau Forrest Survey, Abstract No. 417 Denton County, Texas JUNE 2024

PROJECT NO. 421-10322 DRAWN:ZDS SHEET 1 OF 1 CITY OF DENTON PROJECT NUMBER FP24-0023

From:	Jabreel Graham <jabreelg@barronstark.com></jabreelg@barronstark.com>
Sent:	Thursday, August 8, 2024 8:56 AM
То:	Bodine, Matt
Subject:	Re: extension request for FP24-0023

Good Morning Matt,

We would like to request an extension for FP24-0023 as the civil plans are under review and have not been approved.

Thanks,



JABREEL GRAHAM CIVIL ENGINEER 6221 Southwest Blvd, Ste. 100, Fort Worth, TX 76132 d 817.231.8124 | c 336.317.4133 | jabreelg@barronstark.com LinkedIn | Facebook | Twitter | barronstark.com

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Name		Address		
Nandhini J Venkatesan				

#### ASSOCIATED ENTITIES

#### INITIAL ADDRESS

Inactive Date

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#### File #: FR24-0005a, Version: 1

#### AGENDA CAPTION

Consider a request by Kimley-Horn & Associates, on behalf of Forestar Group for a Final Replat of Eagle Creek Phase 3B. The approximately 36.07-acre site is generally located 0.5 miles east of South Bonnie Brae Street and north of Roselawn Drive in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0005a, Eagle Creek Phase 3B, Bryce Van Arsdale)



#### **City of Denton**

City Hall 215 E. McKinney Street Denton, Texas www.cityofdenton.com

#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

#### **SUBJECT**

Consider a request by Kimley-Horn & Associates, on behalf of Forestar Group for a Final Replat of Eagle Creek Phase 3B. The approximately 36.07-acre site is generally located 0.5 miles east of South Bonnie Brae Street and north of Roselawn Drive in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0005a, Eagle Creek Phase 3B, Bryce Van Arsdale)

#### **BACKGROUND**

The purpose of this Final Replat is to establish 125 single family lots, 7 homeowners' association lots, dedicate easements, and establish right-of-way. The lots will have access to Roselawn Drive via an internal street network. The subject property is situated within the City of Denton's city limits.

On August 14, 2019, Development Services received a Preliminary Plat application (PP19-0019) from Forestar Group, Inc. for the development. The Preliminary Plat was later approved by the Planning & Zoning Commission on February 5, 2020 and included a phasing plan that showed four overall phases.

An overall Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) for the development (TIA20-0001) was submitted March 31, 2020 and was approved on June 16, 2020.

On August 5, 2020, an Alternative Environmentally Sensitive Area Plan (AESA20-0003) for the development was forwarded to City Council with a recommendation of approval by the Planning & Zoning Commission with staff recommendations. The Alternative Environmentally Sensitive Area Plan was later approved by City Council on September 15, 2020.

The property is currently zoned Residential 4 (R4).

Initial Application Date:	June 25, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	July 24, 2024
Days in Review:	29 Days
Extension Approved:	July 24, 2024
Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting:	August 14, 2024
Days in Extension:	21 Days

This is the **second extension reques**t received for this item.

This application is being considered under TX LGC 212.009, which was updated as of September 1, 2023, with the passage of House Bill 3699. The applicant has requested a 30-day extension to allow for additional

time to work through staff's comments on the plat and additional review (Exhibit 5). Based upon recent updates to Section 212.009, the applicant may request additional 30-day extensions in the future if they are determined to be necessary.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Approve as submitted
- 2. Approve requested  $2^{nd}$  extension
- 3. Deny with reasons

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends denial of this plat as it does not meet the established criteria for approval. However, staff has no objections to the requested extension to a date certain of September 11, 2024; see Staff Analysis (Exhibit 2) for detailed reasons for recommendation.

Date	Council, Board, Commission	Request	Action
October 31, 1960	City Council	Annexation into City Limits	Approved
1969	City Council	Citywide Rezoning to Agriculture District (A)	Approved
February 5, 2002	City Council	Requested zoning change from Agricultural (A) to Neighborhood Residential 4 (NR-4)	Approved
February 5, 2020	Planning and Zoning Commission	Request approval of a Preliminary Plat for approximately 213.96-acres	Approved
August 5, 2020	Planning and Zoning Commission	AlternativeEnvironmentallySensitive Area Plan (AESA20-0003)for the development	Approved, with staff recommendations
August 18, 2020	City Council	Alternative Environmentally Sensitive Area Plan (AESA20-0003) for the development	Postponed consideration, pending a tree assessment of the area to be disturbed and of the Upland Habitat Environmental Sensitive Area
August 25, 2020	City Council	Reconsider the postponement of the Alternative Environmentally Sensitive Area Plan, pending a tree assessment of the area to be disturbed and of the Upland Habitat Environmental Sensitive Area	Approved
September 15, 2020	City Council	AlternativeEnvironmentallySensitive Area Plan (AESA20-0003)for the development	Approved
July 24, 2024	Planning and Zoning Commission	Eagle Creek Phase 3B (FR24-0005) extension request	Extension approved

#### PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

#### **PUBLIC OUTREACH**

No public outreach is required for a Final Replat.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Final Replat
- 5. Extension Request

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/ Planning Director

Prepared by: Bryce Van Arsdale Assistant Planner

## Planning Staff Analysis

FR24-0005a Eagle Creek Phase 3B City Council District #3 Planning & Zoning Commission

#### **REQUEST:**

Final Replat for an approximately 36.07-acre site

**APPLICANT:** Kimley-Horn & Associates, on behalf of Forestar Group

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends denial of this Final Replat as it does not meet the established approval criteria, as shown in the following table. Staff has no objection to the requested extension to a date certain of September 11, 2024.

## **Final Replat Approval Review Criteria**

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Complian	ce
	Met	Not Met	N/A
<ul> <li>1. Generally <ul> <li>a. Unless otherwise specified in this DDC, City review and decision-making bodies must review all development applications submitted pursuant to this subchapter for compliance with the general review criteria stated below.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>The proposed Final Replat is not compliant with all City regulations, as noted below and in the Outstanding Comments listed at the end of this document.</li> <li>1. Approval will be through Planning and Zoning Commission.</li> <li>Please update signature block accordingly. (FPC 5.5)</li> <li>2. The Park Dedication Ordinance (98-039) will apply to this development. Clarification is needed on the ownership of Lot 2X-HOA, Block O. Park Development Agreements for Eagle Creek have been uploaded to the attachments. Add park dedication language to the notes. (FPC 6.5)</li> </ul></li></ul>			
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	There is no conflict.			
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	On February 5, 2020, the Planning and Zoning Commission voted [6-0] to approve the proposed Preliminary Plat for the approximately 213.96-acre site. This Final Replat is a phase of the proposed development that was presented and approved.	$\boxtimes$		
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b.	Compliance with these standards is applied at the level of detail required for the subject submittal. Findings:			
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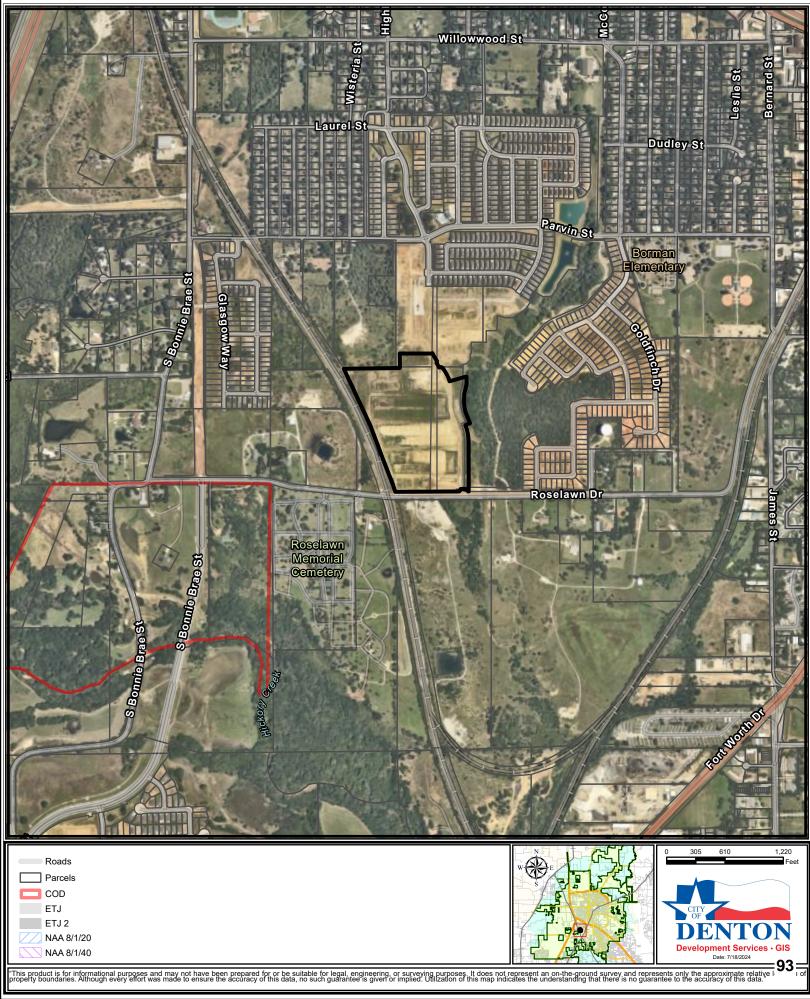
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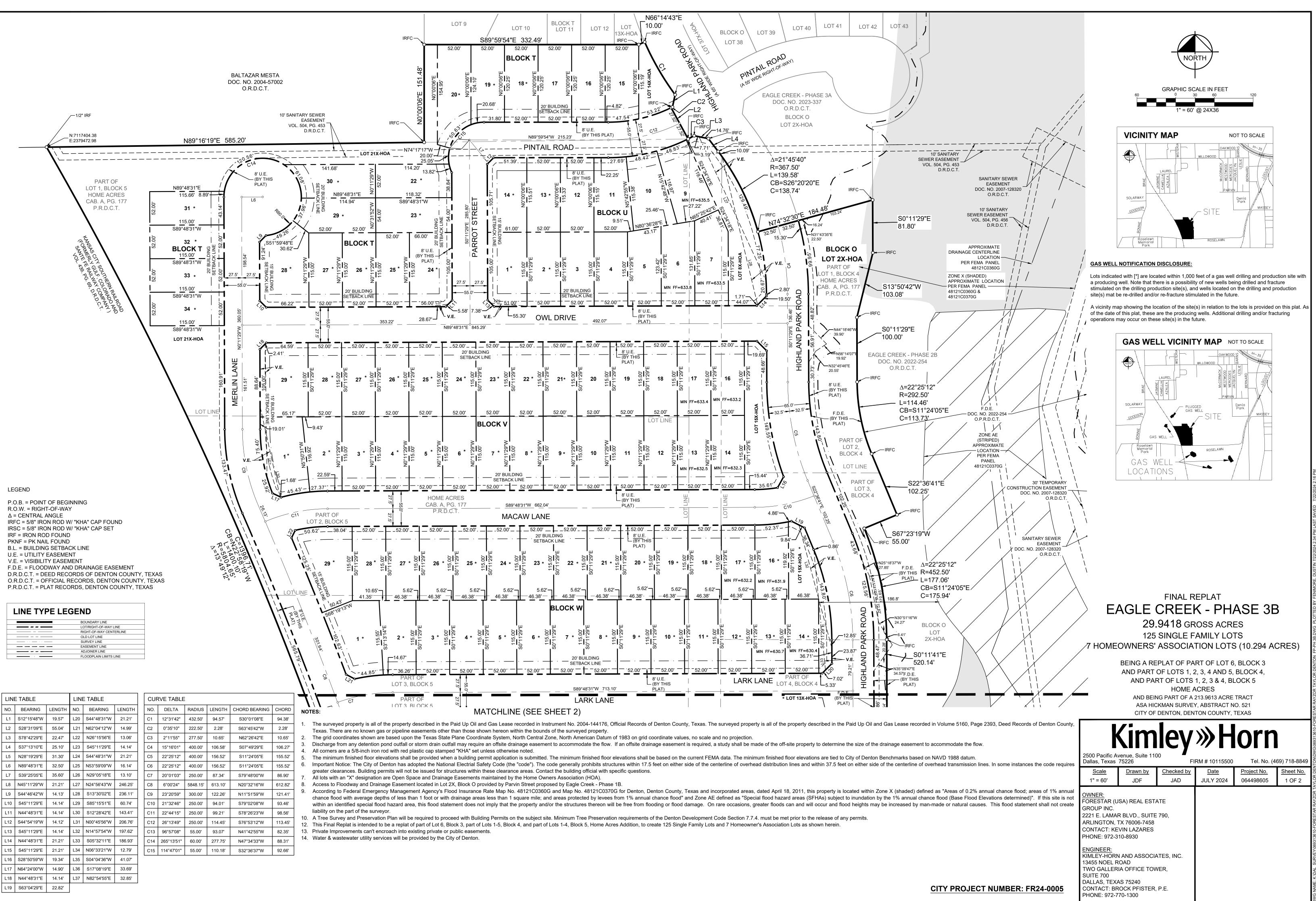
Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Complian	ce
	Met	Not Met	N/A
<ul> <li>a. Adequate public service and facility capacity shall exist to accommodate uses permitted under the proposed development at the time the needs or demands arise, while maintaining adequate levels of service to existing development. Public services and facilities include, but are not limited to, roads, domestic water, sewer, schools, public safety, fire protection, utilities, libraries, and vehicle/pedestrian connections and access within the site and to adjacent properties.</li> <li>Findings:</li> </ul>	X		
13. Rational Phasing Plan			
<ul> <li>a. If the application involves phases, each phase of the proposed development shall contain all of the required streets, utilities, landscaping, open space, and other improvements that are required for that phase, and may not defer those improvements to subsequent phases.</li> <li>Findings:         <ul> <li>This Final Replat is the sixth phase of a greater development.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		

Final Replat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.7.D)	Applicability		ty
	Met	Not Met	N/A
14. Is consistent with the underlying zoning districts;			
The plat is consistent with the underlying Residential-6 zoning district.	$\boxtimes$		
15. Complies with all applicable dimensional and development standards in this DDC;			
The Final Replat complies with all applicable DDC standards other than the outstanding comment listed above.		$\boxtimes$	
16. Does not affect a recorded easement without approval from the easement holder;			
No recorded easements are affected by this replat.	$\boxtimes$		
17. Will not result in adverse impacts to the surrounding property;			
Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			$\boxtimes$

Final Replat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.7.D)	Ap	plicabili	ty
	Met	Not Met	N/A
18. Will not limit the city's ability to provide adequate and sufficient facilities or services; and			
The replat will not affect the City's ability to provide services to the lots created or surrounding properties.	$\square$		
19. Complies with all other ordinances and plans and regulations adopted by the City, including the Comprehensive Plan and other long-range or special purpose area planning documents.			[
The final replat complies with the development agreement and preliminary plat approved by the City.			

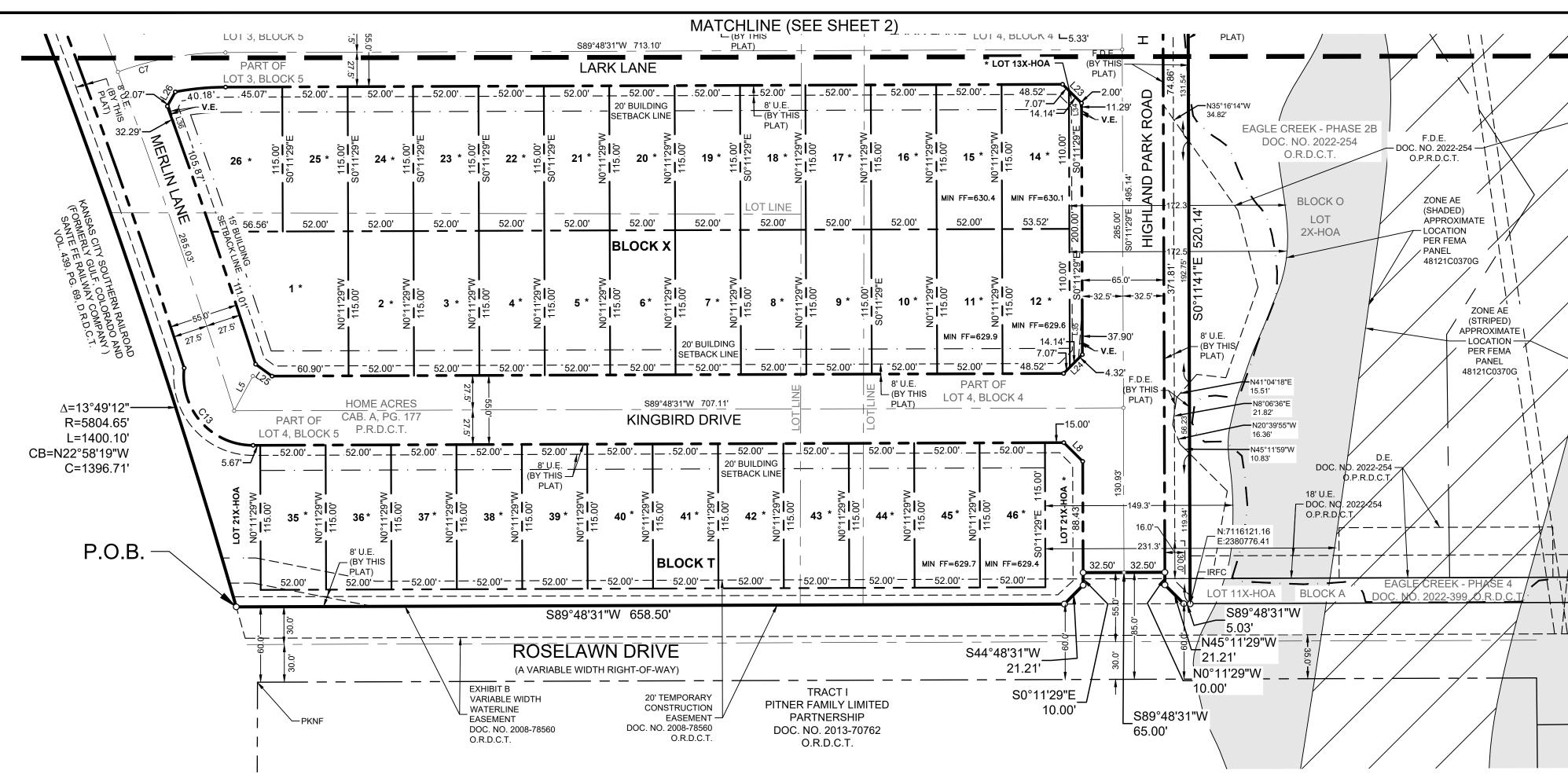
#### FR24-0005 Site Location





NO.	BEARING	LENGTH	NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L1	S12°15'48"W	19.57'	L20	S44°48'31"W	21.21'
L2	S28°31'09"E	55.04'	L21	N62°04'12"W	14.99'
L3	S78°42'29"E	22.47'	L22	N26°15'56"E	13.06'
L4	S37°13'10"E	25.10'	L23	S45°11'29"E	14.14'
L5	N28°19'29"E	31.30'	L24	S44°48'31"W	21.21'
L6	N89°48'31"E	32.50'	L25	N53°59'09"W	16.14'
L7	S39°25'05"E	35.60'	L26	N29°05'18"E	13.10'
L8	N45°11'29"W	21.21'	L27	N24°56'43"W	246.25'
L9	S44°46'42"W	14.13'	L28	S13°30'02"E	236.11'
L10	S45°11'29"E	14.14'	L29	S85°15'51"E	60.74'
L11	N44°48'31"E	14.14'	L30	S12°28'42"E	143.41'
L12	S44°54'19"W	14.12'	L31	N00°45'56"W	206.76'
L13	S45°11'29"E	14.14'	L32	N14°57'54"W	197.62'
L14	N44°48'31"E	21.21'	L33	S05°32'11"E	186.93'
L15	S45°11'29"E	21.21'	L34	N06°33'21"W	12.79'
L16	S28°50'59"W	19.34'	L35	S04°04'36"W	41.07'
L17	N64°24'00"W	14.90'	L36	S17°08'19"E	33.69'
L18	N44°48'31"E	14.14'	L37	N82°54'55"E	32.85'
L19	S63°04'29"E	22.82'			

NO.	DELTA	RADIUS	LENGTH	CHORD BEARING	CHORD
C1	12°31'42"	432.50'	94.57'	S30°01'08"E	94.38'
C2	0°35'10"	222.50'	2.28'	S63°45'42"W	2.28'
C3	2°11'55"	277.50'	10.65'	N62°26'42"E	10.65'
C4	15°16'01"	400.00'	106.58'	S07°49'29"E	106.27'
C5	22°25'12"	400.00'	156.52'	S11°24'05"E	155.52'
C6	22°25'12"	400.00'	156.52'	S11°24'05"E	155.52'
C7	20°01'03"	250.00'	87.34'	S79°48'00"W	86.90'
C8	6°00'24"	5848.15'	613.10'	N20°32'16"W	612.82'
C9	23°20'59"	300.00'	122.26'	N11°51'59"W	121.41'
C10	21°32'46"	250.00'	94.01'	S79°02'08"W	93.46'
C11	22°44'15"	250.00'	99.21'	S78°26'23"W	98.56'
C12	26°13'49"	250.00'	114.45'	S76°53'12"W	113.45'
C13	96°57'08"	55.00'	93.07'	N41°42'55"W	82.35'
C14	265°13'51"	60.00'	277.75'	N47°34'33"W	88.31'
C15	114°47'01"	55.00'	110.18'	S32°36'37"W	92.66'



LOT NO.	ACRES	SQ. FT.
14X	0.094	4,078
15	0.142	6,174
16	0.144	6,253
17	0.144	6,253
18	0.144	6,253
19	0.144	6,279
20	0.172	7,504
21X	2.078	90,532
22	0.141	6,122
23	0.146	6,381
24	0.173	7,540
25	0.137	5,980
26	0.137	5,980
27	0.137	5,980
28	0.207	9,015
29	0.146	6,380
30	0.146	6,372
31	0.137	5,982
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45	0.137	5,980
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	0.160	6,965		1	0.18
	0.137	5,980		2	0.14
	0.137	5,980		3	0.13
	0.137	5,980		4	0.13
	0.142	6,199		5	0.13
	0.152	6,637		6	0.13
	0.164	7,162		7	0.13
	0.301	13,105		8	0.13
	0.159	6,933		9	0.13
	0.155	6,735		10	0.13
	0.147	6,424		11	0.13
	0.138	5,993		12	0.13
	0.138	6,002		13	0.13
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BLOCK	V			BLOCK W		
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1	0.181	7,896		1	0.193	8,42
2	0.147	6,422		2	0.143	6,21
3	0.137	5,980		3	0.137	5,98
4	0.137	5,980		4	0.137	5,98
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14	0.137	5,980		14	0.137	5,98
15X	0.217	9,469		15X	0.168	7,30
16	0.137	5,980		16	0.139	6,06
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1	0.193	8,425		1	0.235	10,246
2	0.143	6,211		2	0.137	5,980
3	0.137	5,980		3	0.137	5,980
4	0.137	5,980		4	0.137	5,980
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10	0.137	5,980		10	0.137	5,980
11	0.137	5,980		11	0.137	5,980
12	0.137	5,980		12	0.141	6,143
13	0.137	5,980		13X	0.048	2,100
14	0.137	5,980		14	0.141	6,143
15X	0.168	7,305		15	0.137	5,980
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17	0.137	5,980		17	0.137	5,980
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24	0.137	5,980		24	0.137	5,980
25	0.137	5,980		25	0.137	5,980
26	0.137	5,980		26	0.199	8,647
27	0.137	5,980				
28	0.137	5,980				
29	0.211	9,194				

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#### **CITY OF DENTON DRAINAGE STATEMENT**

The City and County, including their agents and employees, have the right of immediate access to the Common Areas at all times, if necessary, for the welfare or protection of the public, to enforce City/County ordinances, or to improve the appearance of or to preserve public property, public easements, or public rights of way. If the Association fails to maintain the Common Areas to a standard acceptable to the County or City, the County or City may give the Association a written demand for maintenance. If the Association fails or refuses to perform the maintenance within a reasonable period of time after receiving the County's/City's written demand (at least 90 days), the County or City may maintain the Common Areas at the expense of the Association after giving written notice of its intent to do so to the Association. The County or City may give its notices and demands to any officer, director, or agent of the Association, or alternatively, to each owner of a Lot as shown on the County's tax rolls. To fund the County's or City's cost of maintaining the Common Areas, the County or City may levy assessments gainst the lots and owners in the same manner as if the Association levied a special assessment. The rights of the County or City under this Section are in ddition to other rights and remedies provided by law.

#### **OWNER'S DEDICATION**

#### COUNTY OF

NOW THEREFORE, KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT, FORESTAR (USA) REAL ESTATE GROUP INC., does hereby adopt this plat designating the herein described property as EAGLE CREEK - PHASE 3B, an addition to the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas, and does hereby dedicate to the public use forever the streets and alleys shown thereon, and does hereby reserve the easement strips shown on this plat for the mutual use and accommodations of all public utilities desiring to or using same. Any public utility shall have the right to remove and keep removed all or part of any building, fence, trees, shrubs or other growths or improvements which in any way endangers or interferes with the construction, maintenance, or efficiency of its respective systems on any of these easement strips, and any public utility shall, at all times, have the right of ingress and egress to and from and upon the said easement strips for the purpose of construction, reconstruction, inspecting, patrolling, maintaining and adding to or removing all or part of its respective system without the necessity at any time procuring permission of anyone.

WITNESS MY HAND, this	day of	, 202
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Signature

## Name - Title

STATE OF \_\_\_\_ COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed, in the capacity therein stated.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 202\_.

Notary Public, State of Texas

#### **OWNER'S CERTIFICATE**

WHEREAS, FORESTAR (USA) REAL ESTATE GROUP, INC., is the owner of a (1,304,266 square feet or 29.9418 acres) tract of land situated in the ASA Hickman Survey, Abstract No. 521, City of Denton, Denton County, Texas, being part of Lot 6, Block 3 and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Block 4, and part of Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block 5, Home Acres, an addition to the City of Denton, Texas according to the plat recorded in Cabinet A, Page 177, Plat Records of Denton County, Texas and being part of a called 213.9613 acre tract described in Special Warranty Deed to Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc., recorded in Instrument No. 20200624000409 of said Official Records and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found at the intersection of the north right-of-way line of Roselawn , Drive (a variable width right-of-way) and the east right-of-way line of Kansas City Southern Railroad and being at the beginning of a curve to the left having a central angle of 13°49'12", a radius of 5804.65 feet, a chord bearing and distance of North 22°58'19" West, 1396.71 feet;

**THENCE** in a northwesterly direction, with said curve to the left, an arc distance of 1400.10 feet to a 1/2" iron rod found for corner in the south line of a tract of land described in Assumption Warranty Deed to Baltazar Mesta recorded in Instrument No. 2004-57002 of said Official Records;

North 89°16'19" East, a distance of 585.20 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for the southeast corner ✓ of said Baltazar Mesta tract;

**THENCE** with the east line of said Baltazar Mesta tract, North 0°00'06" East, a distance of 151.48 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for the southwest corner of Lot 9, Block T, Eagle Creek - Phase 3A, an addition to the City of Denton, Texas, according to the plat recorded in Document No. 2023-337 of said Official Public Records;

THENCE departing said east line of Baltazar Mesta tract, with the south lines of Lots 9-13X-HOA, Block T of said Eagle Creek -Phase 3A plat, the following courses and distances:

South 89°59'54" East, a distance of 332.49 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner; North 66°14'43" East, a distance of 10.00 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found in the southwest right-of-way line of Highland Park Road (a 65-foot wide right-of-way) and being the beginning of a non-tangent curve to the left having a central angle of 12°31'42", a radius of 432.50 feet, a chord bearing and distance of South 30°01'08" East, 94.38

THENCE with said southwest right-of-way line of Highland Park Road, the following courses and distances:

In a southeasterly direction, with said curve to the left, an arc distance of 94.57 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner; South 12°15'48" West, a distance of 19.57 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found at the beginning of a non-tangent curve to the right having a central angle of 0°35'10", a radius of 222.50 feet, a chord bearing and distance of South 63°45'42" West, 2.28 feet;

In a southwesterly direction, with said curve to the right, an arc distance of 2.28 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner;

South 28°31'09" East, a distance of 55.04 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found at the beginning of a non-tangent curve to the left having a central angle of 2°11'55", a radius of 277.50 feet, a chord bearing and distance of North 62°26'42" East, 10.65 feet;

In a northeasterly direction, with said curve to the left, an arc distance of 10.65 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner;

South 78°42'29" East, a distance of 22.47 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner; South 37°13'10" East, a distance of 25.10 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found at the beginning of a tangent curve to the right having a central angle of 21°45'40", a radius of 367.50 feet, a chord bearing and distance of South 26°20'20" East, 138.74 feet;

In a southeasterly direction, with said curve to the right, an arc distance of 139.58 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for the southwest terminus corner of said Highland Park Road;

THENCE with the south terminus line of said Highland Park Road, North 74°32'30" East, passing at a distance of 65.00 feet the northeast terminus corner of said Highland Park Road and being a southwest corner of Lot 2X - HOA, Block O of said Eagle Creek - Phase 3A plat, and continuing with the south line of said Lot 2X - HOA for a total distance of 184.48 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for a southeast corner of said Lot 2X - HOA, in the west line of Lot 2X - HOA, Block O, Eagle Creek - Phase 2B, an addition to the City of Denton, Texas, according to the plat recorded in Document No. 2022-254 of said Official Public Records;

**THENCE** with said west line of Lot 2X - HOA, Block O (Phase 2B), the following courses and distances:

South 00°11'29" East, a distance of 81.80 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner: South 13°50'42" West, a distance of 103.08 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner; South 00°11'29" East, a distance of 100.00 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found at the beginning of a tangent curve to the left with a radius of 292.50 feet, a central angle of 22°25'12", and a chord bearing and distance of South

11°24'05" East. 113.73 feet: In a southerly direction, with said tangent curve to the left, an arc distance of 114.46 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap

stamped "KHA" found for corner; South 22°36'41" East, a distance of 102.25 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner; South 67°23'19" West, a distance of 55.00 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found at the beginning of a

non-tangent curve to the right with a radius of 452.50 feet, a central angle of 22°25'12", and a chord bearing and distance of South 11°24'05" East, 175.94 feet; In a southerly direction, with said non-tangent curve to the right, an arc distance of 177.06 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic

cap stamped "KHA" found for corner;

north right-of-way line of Roselawn Drive;

THENCE with said north right-of-way line of Roselawn Drive, the following courses and distances:

South 89°48'31" West, a distance of 5.03 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" set for corner; North 45°11'29" West, a distance of 21.21 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" set for corner; North 00°11'29" West, a distance of 10.00 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" set for corner; South 89°48'31" West, a distance of 65.00 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" set for corner; South 00°11'29" East, a distance of 10.00 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" set for corner; South 44°48'31" West, a distance of 21.21 feet to a 5/8° iron rou with plastic cap stamped that octaining 1,304,266 square feet or South 89°48'31" West, a distance of 658.50 feet to the **POINT OF BEGINNING** and containing 1,304,266 square feet or THOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION LOTS (10.294 ACRES)

Bearing system based on the Texas Coordinate System of 1983, North Central Zone (4202), North American Datum of 1983.

#### SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATION

I J. Andy Dobbs, do hereby certify that I prepared this plat and the field notes made a part thereof from an actual and accurate survey of the land and that the corner monuments shown thereon were properly placed under my personal supervision, in accordance with the Subdivision regulations of the City of Denton, Texas.

J. Andy Dobbs Date Registered Professional Land Surveyor No. 6196 Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc. 2500 Pacific Avenue, Suite 1100 Dallas, Texas 75240 Ph. (972) 770-1300 andy.dobbs@kimley-horn.com

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DALLAS §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day perso person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrum same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed,

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE on the

Notary Public, State of Texas

THENCE departing said east right-of-way line of Kansas City Southern Railroad and with said south line of Baltazar Mesta tract,

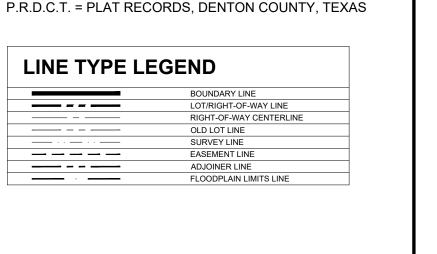
South 00°11'41" East, a distance of 520.14 feet to a 5/8" iron rod with plastic cap stamped "KHA" found for corner in said

FINL REPLAT EAGLE CREEK - PHASE 3B 29.9418 GROSS ACRES

BEING A REPLAT OF PART OF LOT 6, BLOCK 3 AND PART OF LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4 AND 5, BLOCK 4, AND PART OF LOTS 1, 2, 3 & 4, BLOCK 5 HOME ACRES AND BEING PART OF A 213.9613 ACRE TRACT

ASA HICKMAN SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 521 CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS

PRELIMINARY				»»H	orn	
THIS DOCUMENT SHALL NOT BE RECORDED FOR	2500 Pacific Av Dallas, Texas	venue, Suite 110 75226		RM # 10115500	Tel. No. (46	69) 718-8849
ANY PURPOSE AND	Scale	<u>Drawn by</u>	Checked by	Date	Project No.	Sheet No.
SHALL NOT BE USED OR VIEWED OR RELIED	1" = 60'	JDF	JAD	JULY 2024	064498605	2 OF 2
UPON AS A FINAL SURVEY DOCUMENT personally appeared J. Andy Dobbs, known to me to be the strument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the sed, in the capacity therein stated.	GROUP INC.	VIN LAZARES				
the day of, 202  CITY PROJECT NUMBER: FR24-0005	13455 NOEL R TWO GALLER SUITE 700 DALLAS, TEXA	IA OFFICE TOV AS 75240 ROCK PFISTER,	VER,			



ROSELAW

THE \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_, 2024

APPROVED BY THE DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES ON THIS

**GRAPHIC SCALE IN FEET** 

1" = 60' @ 24X36

NOT TO SCALE

VICINITY MAP

NORTH

SOLARWAY

LEGEND

Roselawn Memorial Park

P.O.B. = POINT OF BEGINNING

B.L. = BUILDING SETBACK LINE

IRFC = 5/8" IRON ROD W/ "KHA" CAP FOUND

F.D.E. = FLOODWAY AND DRAINAGE EASEMENT

D.R.D.C.T. = DEED RECORDS OF DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS

O.R.D.C.T. = OFFICIAL RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS

IRSC = 5/8" IRON ROD W/ "KHA" CAP SET

R.O.W. = RIGHT-OF-WAY

IRF = IRON ROD FOUND

PKNF = PK NAIL FOUND

U.E. = UTILITY EASEMENT

V.E. = VISIBILITY EASEMENT

 $\Delta$  = CENTRAL ANGLE

DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

CITY SECRETARY

# Kimley **»Horn**

August 7, 2020

Department of Development Services 401 N. Elm St., Denton, Texas 76201

RE: Project Number: FR24-0005 Project Name: Eagle Creek Phase 3B

This letter is being sent to formally request a 30-day extension for the Eagle Creek Phase 3B – Final Replat (FR24-0005).

Sincerely,

Brock Pfister, P.E. Kimley-Horn and Associates



Legislation Text

#### File #: FR24-0008, Version: 1

#### AGENDA CAPTION

Consider a request by Bloomfield Homes, LP for approval of a Replat of Country Lakes North, Phase 6AB. The approximately 6.997-acre tract of land is generally located on the south side of Johnson Lane between John Paine Road and Old John Paine Road in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0008, Country Lakes North, Phase 6AB, Julie Wyatt)



#### **City of Denton**

City Hall 215 E. McKinney Street Denton, Texas www.cityofdenton.com

#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

#### **SUBJECT**

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#### **BACKGROUND**

The purpose of this Replat is to abandon an 8-foot-wide utility easement along the north property line of 33 single-family residential lots within Planned Development 174 (PD-174). The easement does not contain any public infrastructure and is not needed by the City to serve the lots or extend water/wastewater.

The proposal will not introduce any new uses or lots and is consistent with the requirements for PD-174.

Date Application Filed	July 16, 2024
Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting	August 14, 2024
Days in Review	29 Days

This application is being considered under Texas Local Government Code (TX LGC) 212.009, which was updated as of September 1, 2023 with the passage of House Bill 3699. Since this plat application was submitted after September 1, 2023 the changes to LGC Chapter 212 are applicable. The applicant has requested a 30-day extension to allow for additional time to work through staff's comments on the plat and additional review (Exhibit 6). In accordance with TX LGC Section 212.009 the extension cannot exceed 30 days and could be granted to a date certain of September 11, 2024. Based upon recent updates to Section 212.009, the applicant may request additional 30-day extensions in the future if they are determined to be necessary.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Approve 1<sup>st</sup> extension
- 2. Approve as submitted.
- 3. Deny with reasons

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends denial of this plat as it does not meet the established criteria for approval; however, Staff has no objection to the requested extension (Exhibit 5), which could be granted to a date certain of September 11, 2024. **This is the first extension request.** See Staff Analysis (Exhibit 2) for detailed reasons for denial.

#### PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

Date	Council, Board, Commission	Request	Action
June 15, 1999	City Council	Annexation	Approval
June 15, 1999	City Council	General Concept Plan for PD-174 (Ordinance 99-205)	Approval
September 12, 2000	City Council	Detailed Plan for single- family uses (Ordinance 2000-321)	Approval
August 2013	Planning and Zoning Commission	Preliminary Plat	Approval
September 17, 2019	City Council	Citywide rezoning with provision to allow legacy PDs to remain under the development regulations established by their respective PDs (DCA18- 0009u)	Approval
February 23, 2022	Planning and Zoning Commission	Final Plat FP22-0004	Withdrawn
March 22, 2023	Planning and Zoning Commission	Final Plat FP22-0004	Approved

#### PUBLIC OUTREACH

Once all comments are addressed and the replat is approved, staff will comply with Texas Local Government Code 212.015 and send written notice to each owner of a lot in the original subdivision that is within 200 feet of the lots to be replatted. The notice must be mailed no later than the 15th day after the date the replat is approved and include the following:

- The zoning designation of the property after the replat; and
- A telephone number and e-mail address an owner of a lot may use to contact the municipality about the replat.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Replat
- 5. Extension Request Letter

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/Planning Director

Prepared by: Julie Wyatt Principal Planner

#### **Planning Staff Analysis** FR24-0008/Country Lakes Phase 6AB City Council District #4 Planning & Zoning Commission

#### **REQUEST:**

Replat of 33 single-family residential lots.

#### **APPLICANT:**

Brighton Yau with LJA Engineering on behalf of Bloomfield Homes, LP.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends denial of this plat as it doesn't meet the established approval criteria for Final Plats, as shown in the following table:

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)			Compliance		
		Met	Not Met	N/A	
1.	Generally				
1.	<ul> <li>a. Unless otherwise specified in this DDC, City review and decision- making bodies must review all development applications submitted pursuant to this subchapter for compliance with the general review criteria stated below.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>All applications shall include all required information requested by the Director to demonstrate compliance with City codes per DDC Section 2.4.4B. In order for the Final Plat to meet all general review criteria established by the as required by the Final Plat Checklist (FPC) authorized per Denton Development Code Section 2.4.4B and as detailed in Approval Criteria 4a and 10 the following corrections are required: PLN1.Provide a separate Owner's Authorization for each property owner, including individual homeowners (FPC 1.2) PLN2. Change project number to FR24-0008 (FPC 2.2) PLN3. Add all current owners to the plat (FPC 2.4) PLN4. "Ghost" in the easement being abandoned with recording information and language "To be abandoned by this plat" (FPC</li> </ul>		Not Met		
	<ul> <li>3.6)</li> <li>Eng 1.1 Some of these notes are outdated and some of the necessary standard notes are missing. Please refer to the City's updated standard plat notes: <a href="https://tx-denton.civicplus.com/DocumentCenter/View/9297/Standard-Plat-Notes-05-31-24">https://tx-denton.civicplus.com/DocumentCenter/View/9297/Standard-Plat-Notes-05-31-24</a> (FPC 5.9)</li> </ul>				

## **Final Plat Approval Review Criteria**

Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Compliance	
	Met	Not Met	N/A
<ul> <li>b. The application may also be subject to additional review criteria specific to the type of application, as set forth in sections 2.5 through 2.9.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>The Replat does not meet all review criteria, as detailed in Approval Criterion 1 above.</li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$	
c. If there is a conflict between the general review criteria in this section and the specific review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9, the applicable review criteria in sections 2.5-2.9 controls. Findings:			$\boxtimes$
2. Prior Approvals         a. The proposed development shall be consistent with the terms and conditions of any prior land use approval, plan, development agreement, or plat approval that is in effect and not proposed to be changed. This includes an approved phasing plan for development and installation of public improvements and amenities. Findings:         The development is consistent with PD 174 and previously approved plats.			
3. Consistent with Comprehensive Plan and Other Applicable Plans The proposed development shall be consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and any applicable plans. Findings: Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			
a. The decision-making authority shall weigh competing plan goals, policies, and strategies Findings:			$\boxtimes$

Approval Crit	teria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	Compliance		e
		Met	Not Met	N/A
Co fut	ay approve an application that furthers the overall goals of the omprehensive Plan even if the development does not match the ture land use designation in Comprehensive Plan. ndings:			$\boxtimes$
	liance with this DDC			
sta Fir	The proposed development shall comply with all applicable andards in this DDC, unless the standard is to be lawfully modified. ndings: The proposed development complies with all applicable standards.	$\boxtimes$		
rec Fir T	Dempliance with these standards is applied at the level of detail quired for the subject submittal. ndings: The subject submittal is a replat, and it was reviewed based on the checklist and requirements for a final plat.	$\boxtimes$		
5. Compl	liance with Other Applicable Regulations			
a. Th reg red rel wa Fir	The proposed development shall comply with all other city gulations and with all applicable regulations, standards, quirements, or plans of the federal or state governments and other levant jurisdictions. This includes, but is not limited to, wetlands, ater quality, erosion control, and wastewater regulations. ndings: The proposed development compiles with all applicable regulations, standards, and requirements.	$\boxtimes$		
	stent with Interlocal and Development Agreements			
int the ref	ne proposed development shall be consistent with any adopted terlocal and applicable development agreements, and comply with e terms and conditions of any such agreements incorporated by ference into this DDC. ndings:			$\boxtimes$

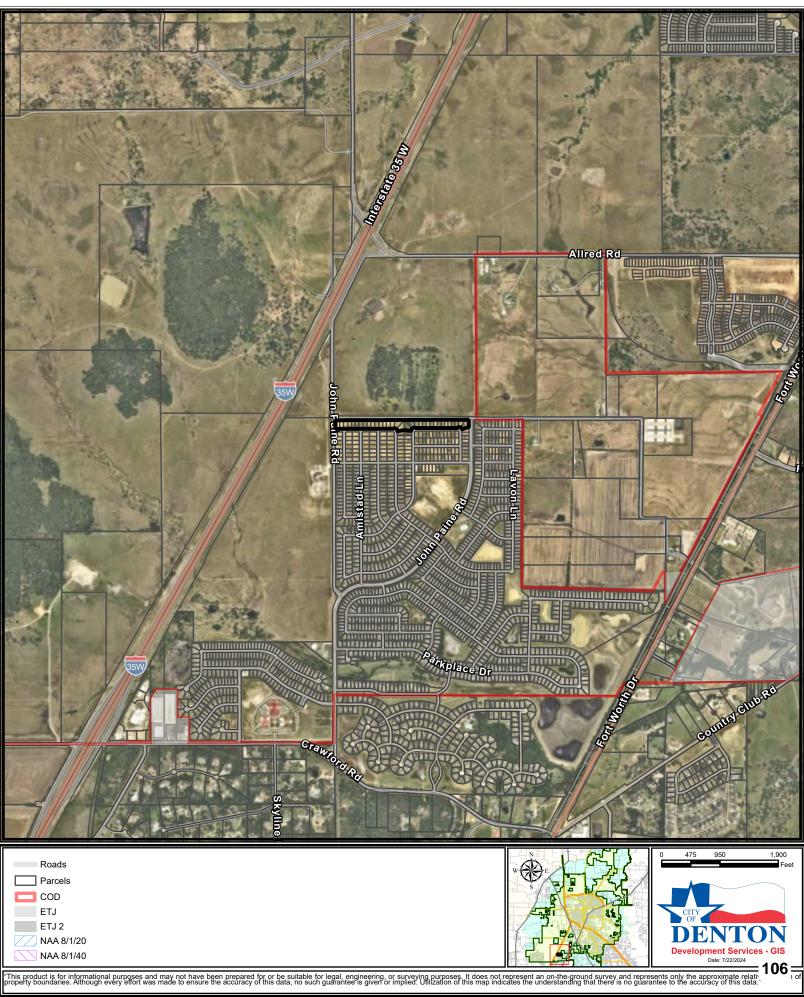
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		Met	Not Met	N/.
<u>7. M</u> a.	Iminizes Adverse Environmental ImpactsThe proposed development should be designed to minimize negative environmental impacts, and should not cause significant adverse impacts on the natural environment. Examples of the natural environment include water, air, noise, stormwater management, 			Ē
8. M	inimizes Adverse Impacts on Surrounding Property			
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9. M	(inimizes Adverse Fiscal Impacts			
a.	The proposed development should not result in significant adverse fiscal impacts on the city. Findings: Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			×
10. Co	ompliance with Utility, Service, and Improvement Standards			
	As applicable, the proposed development shall comply with federal, state, county, service district, city and other regulatory authority standards, and design/construction specifications for roads, access, drainage, water, sewer, schools, emergency/fire protection, and similar standards. Findings: The development complies with all standards and specifications.	$\boxtimes$		
	rovides Adequate Road Systems			
a.	Adequate road capacity shall exist to serve the uses permitted under the proposed development, and the proposed uses shall be designed to ensure safe ingress and egress onto the site and safe road conditions around the site, including adequate access onto the site for fire, public safety, and EMS services. Findings: There is adequate road capacity to accommodate the proposed use.	$\boxtimes$		

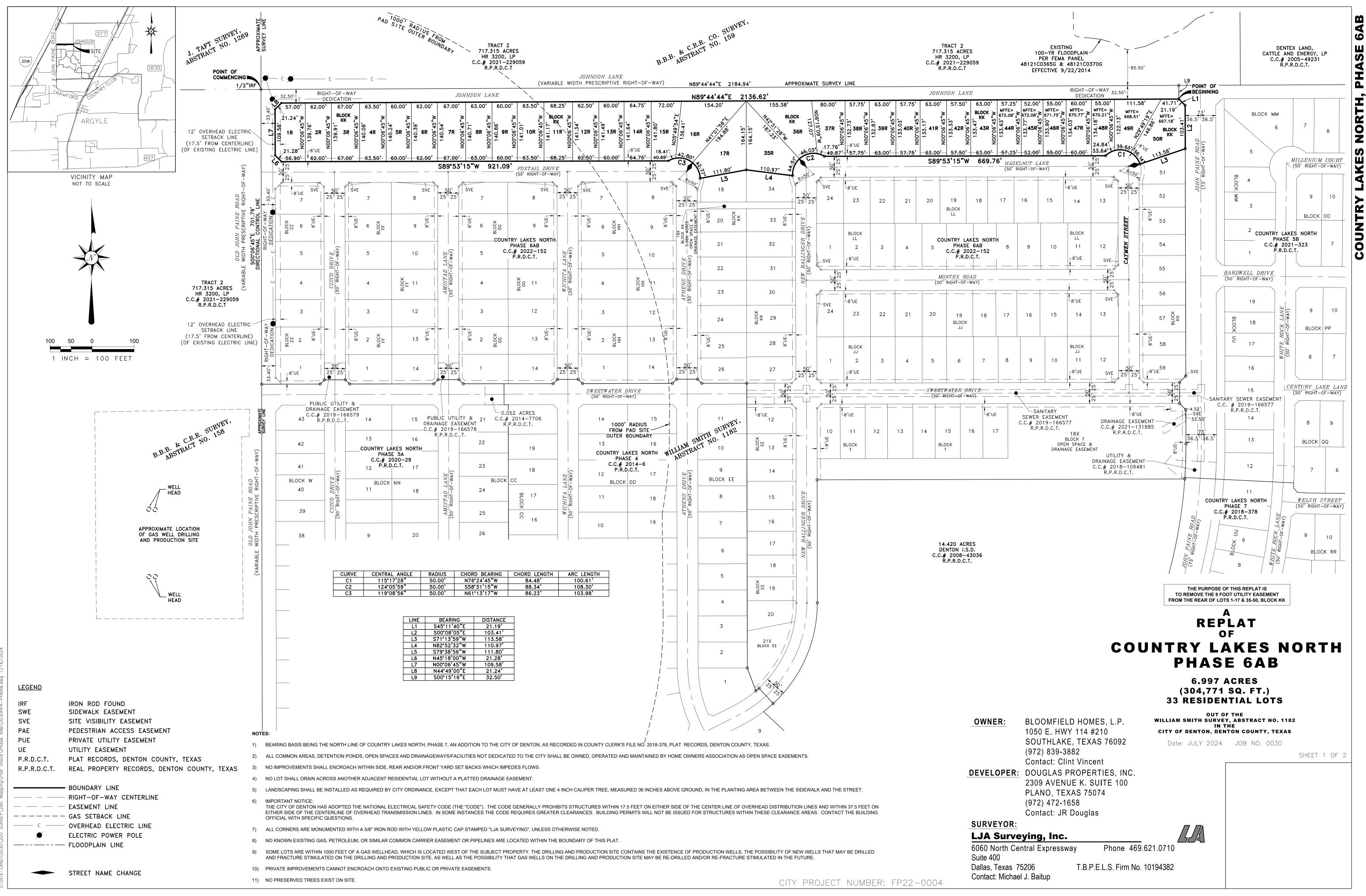
Approval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)		Compliance	
	Met	Not Met	N/A
12. Provides Adequate Public Services and Facilities			
<ul> <li>a. Adequate public service and facility capacity shall exist to accommodate uses permitted under the proposed development at the time the needs or demands arise, while maintaining adequate levels of service to existing development. Public services and facilities include, but are not limited to, roads, domestic water, sewer, schools, public safety, fire protection, utilities, libraries, and vehicle/pedestrian connections and access within the site and to adjacent properties. Findings:</li> <li>Current capacity can accommodate the proposed development.</li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		
13. Rational Phasing Plan			
<ul> <li>a. If the application involves phases, each phase of the proposed development shall contain all of the required streets, utilities, landscaping, open space, and other improvements that are required for that phase, and may not defer those improvements to subsequent phases.</li> <li>Findings:</li> <li>The proposed project includes the final phases for the residential component of PD-174.</li> </ul>	$\boxtimes$		

Final Replat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.7.D)	Applicability		
	Met	Not Met	N/A
14. Is consistent with the intent of the underlying zoning districts;			
The proposal is consistent with PD-174.			
15. Complies with applicable dimensional and development standards in this DDC;			$\boxtimes$
The proposal conforms to the dimensional and development standards established by PD-174			
16. Does not affect a recorded easement without approval from the easement holder;			
Staff has no objection to the removal of the utility easement.			

Final Replat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.7.D)		Applicability		
	Met	Not Met	N/A	
17. Will not result in adverse impacts to surrounding property;			$\boxtimes$	
Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.				
18. Will not limit the city's ability to provide adequate and sufficient facilities or services; and				
The replat will not affect the City's ability to provide services to the lots created or surrounding properties.				
19. Complies with all other ordinances and plans and regulations adopted by the City, including the Comprehensive Plan and other long-range or special purpose area planning documents.				
The proposed replat complies will all regulations.				

#### FR24-0008 Site Location





#### LOT AREA TABLE LOT BLOCK ACRES LOT BLOCK ACRES S.F. S.F. 1R KK 0.226 9,831 35R KK 0.288 12,532 2R КК 0.199 8,670 36R KK 0.307 13,388 37R КК 0.221 9,607 3R KK 0.215 9,380 38R KK 0.176 7,669 4R КК 0.204 8,900 5R KK 0.193 8,419 39R KK 0.192 8,376 6R KK 0.200 8,709 40R KK 0.176 7,687 7R KK 0.216 9,422 41R KK 0.193 8,395 8R KK 0.204 8,869 42R KK 0.176 7,671 9R KK 0.194 8,456 43R KK 0.193 8,414 10R KK 0.206 8,959 44R KK 0.176 7,654 11R KK 0.221 9,640 45R КК 0.160 6,959 12R KK 0.203 8,838 46R KK 0.169 7,368 13R KK 0.195 8,494 47R KK 0.185 8,047 14R KK 0.211 9,176 48R KK 0.166 7,228 15R KK 0.209 9,104 49R KK 0.214 9,328 16R KK 0.320 13,960 50R KK 0.298 12,991 17R KK 0.290 12,629

#### STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DENTON

THIS PLAT WITHIN THE AREA DESCRIBED BY METES AND BOUNDS AS FOLLOWS:

PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED BY METES AND BOUNDS AS FOLLOWS:

DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS;

RIGHT-OF-WAY):

THENCE, CONTINUING ALONG SAID EAST LINE OF COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, SAID WEST LINE OF COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 5B AND THE EAST LINE OF SAID LOT 50, BLOCK KK, THE FOLLOWING COURSES AND DISTANCES:

SOUTH 45 DEGREES 11 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST, ALONG SAID CORNER CLIP AND THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 50, BLOCK KK, A DISTANCE OF 21.19 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR A NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 50, BLOCK KK AND THE SOUTH END OF SAID CORNER CLIP:

THENCE, SOUTH 71 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 59 SECONDS WEST, OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 50, BLOCK KK AND THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 51, BLOCK KK, A DISTANCE OF 113.58 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE SOUTHERN MOST SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 50, BLOCK KK AND THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 51, BLOCK KK, SAID POINT BEING ON THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF HAZELNUT LANE (A 50' RIGHT-OF-WAY) AND THE BEGINNING OF A NON-TANGENT CURVE TO THE LEFT HAVING A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 115 DEGREES 17 MINUTES 28 SECONDS, A RADIUS OF 50.00 FEET AND A LONG CHORD THAT BEARS NORTH 76 DEGREES 24 MINUTES 45 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 84,48 FEET

THE FOLLOWING COURSES AND DISTANCES:

"LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR CORNER:

OF 88.34 FEET:

ALONG SAID NON-TANGENT CURVE TO THE LEFT. PASSING AT AN ARC DISTANCE OF 63,79 FEET A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR CORNER AT THE INTERSECTION OF SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF HAZELNUT LANE AND THE WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF NEW BALLINGER DRIVE (A 50' RIGHT-OF-WAY), CONTINUING ALONG SAID WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF NEW BALLINGER DRIVE, IN ALL A TOTAL ARC DISTANCE OF 108.30 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 35, BLOCK KK AND THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 34, BLOCK KK OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB;

PHASE 6AB:

THENCE, SOUTH 79 DEGREES 38 MINUTES 56 SECONDS WEST, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, ALONG THE 17, BLOCK KK AND THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 18, BLOCK KK, A DISTANCE OF 111.80 FEET YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 17, BLOCK KK AND THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 18, BLOCK KK, SAID POINT BEING ON THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF ATHENS DRIVE (A 50' RIGHT-OF-WAY) AND THE BEGINNING OF A NON-TANGENT CURVE TO THE LEFT HAVING A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 119 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 56 SECONDS, A RADIUS OF 50.00 FEET AND A LONG CHORD THAT BEARS NORTH 61 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 17 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 86.23 FEET;

THENCE, SOUTH 89 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB AND ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FOXTAIL DRIVE, A DISTANCE OF 921.09 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE SOUTHERN MOST SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 1, BLOCK KK OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, SAID POINT BEING AT THE SOUTH END OF A CORNER CLIP AT THE INTERSECTION OF SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FOXTAIL DRIVE AND THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF A 33.40 FOOT RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION FOR OLD JOHN PAINE ROAD:

THENCE, NORTH 45 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 1, BLOCK KK AND ALONG SAID CORNER CLIP, A DISTANCE OF 21.28 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR A SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1, BLOCK KK, SAID POINT BEING AT THE NORTH END OF SAID CORNER CLIP; THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 45 SECONDS WEST, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID LOT 1, BLOCK KK AND SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF 33.40 FOOT RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION. A DISTANCE OF 109.58 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LIA SURVEYING" SET FOR A NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1 BLOCK KK. SAID POINT

BEING AT THE SOUTH END OF A CORNER CLIP AT THE INTERSECTION OF SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF 33,40 FEET RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION AND AFORESAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF 32.50 FOOT RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION FOR JOHNSON LANE;

THENCE, NORTH 44 DEGREES 49 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, ALONG SAID WEST LINE OF LOT 1, BLOCK KK AND SAID CORNER CLIP, A DISTANCE OF 21.24 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE NORTHERN MOST NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1, BLOCK KK, SAID POINT BEING ON SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF 32.50 FOOT RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION FOR JOHNSON LANE;

THENCE, NORTH 89 DEGREES 44 MINUTES 44 SECONDS EAST, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB AND ALONG SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF 32.50 FEET RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION, A DISTANCE OF 2136.62 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAINING A CALCULATED AREA OF 6.997 ACRES, OR 304,771 SQUARE FEET OF LAND.

#### **OWNER'S CERTIFICATE**

WE, BLOOMFIELD HOMES, L.P., ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE UNDERSIGNED, OUR DULY AUTHORIZED AGENT ARE OWNERS OF THE LAND SHOWN ON

BEING A 6.997 ACRE TRACT OF LAND SITUATED IN THE WILLIAM SMITH SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 1182, CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, AND BEING PART OF COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, AS RECORDED IN COUNTY CLERK'S FILE NO. 2022-152, PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS. SAID 6.997 ACRE TRACT, WITH BEARING BEING THE NORTH LINE OF COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 7, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, AS RECORDED IN COUNTY CLERK'S FILE NO. 2018-378, PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, BEING MORE

COMMENCING AT A 1/2 INCH IRON ROD FOUND FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB AND AN INTERIOR ELL CORNER ON THE EAST LINE OF A 717.315 ACRE TRACT OF LAND CONVEYED AS "TRACT 2" TO HR 3200, LP, AS RECORDED IN COUNTY CLERK'S FILE NO. 2021-229059, REAL PROPERTY RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, SAID POINT BEING AT THE INTERSECTION OF OLD JOHN PAINE ROAD (A VARIABLE WIDTH PRESCRIPTIVE RIGHT-OF-WAY) AND JOHNSON LANE (A VARIABLE WIDTH PRESCRIPTIVE RIGHT-OF-WAY). FROM WHICH A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB AND THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 5A, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, AS RECORDED IN COUNTY CLERK'S FILE NO. 2020-29, PLAT RECORDS, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, BEARS SOUTH 00 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 45 SECONDS EAST, A DISTANCE OF 701.79 FEET;

THENCE, NORTH 89 DEGREES 44 MINUTES 44 SECONDS EAST, ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID 717.315 ACRE TRACT AND WITH SAID JOHNSON LANE, A DISTANCE OF 2184.94 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH. PHASE 6AB AND THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 5B, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF DENTON, AS RECORDED IN COUNTY CLERK'S FILE NO. 2021-323, PLAT RECORDS,

THENCE, SOUTH 00 DEGREES 15 MINUTES 16 SECONDS EAST, ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB AND THE WEST LINE OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 5B, OVER AND ACROSS SAID JOHNSON LANE, A DISTANCE OF 32.50 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE NORTHERN MOST NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 50, BLOCK KK OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB AND THE **POINT OF BEGINNING**, SAID POINT BEING AT THE NORTH END OF A CORNER CLIP AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF A 32.50 FOOT RIGHT-OF-WAY DEDICATION FOR JOHNSON LANE AND THE WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF JOHN PAINE ROAD (A 73'

SOUTH 00 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 05 SECONDS EAST, ALONG SAID WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF JOHN PAINE ROAD, A DISTANCE OF 103.41 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 50, BLOCK KK AND THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 51, BLOCK KK OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB;

THENCE, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB AND ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF HAZELNUT LANE,

ALONG SAID NON-TANGENT CURVE TO THE CURVE, AN ARC DISTANCE OF 100.61 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED SOUTH 89 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 669.76 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA

SURVEYING" SET FOR CORNER AND THE BEGINNING OF A NON-TANGENT CURVE TO THE LEFT HAVING A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 124 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 59 SECONDS, A RADIUS OF 50.00 FEET AND A LONG CHORD THAT BEARS SOUTH 58 DEGREES 31 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE

THENCE, NORTH 82 DEGREES 52 MINUTES 32 SECONDS WEST, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 35, BLOCK KK AND THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 34, BLOCK KK, A DISTANCE OF 110.97 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 35, BLOCK KK, THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 34, BLOCK KK, THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 17, BLOCK KK, THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 18, BLOCK KK OF SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH,

THENCE, CONTINUING OVER AND ACROSS SAID COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, ALONG SAID NON-TANGENT CURVE TO THE LEFT, ALONG SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF ATHENS DRIVE, PASSING AT AN ARC DISTANCE OF 42.77 FEET A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR CORNER AT THE INTERSECTION OF SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF ATHENS DRIVE AND THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FOXTAIL DRIVE (A 50' RIGHT-OF-WAY), CONTINUING ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FOXTAIL DRIVE, IN ALL A TOTAL ARC DISTANCE OF 103.98 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH YELLOW PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "LJA SURVEYING" SET FOR A SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 15, BLOCK KK;

#### STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DENTON THAT BLOOMFIELD HOMES, L.P., DOES HEREBY ADOPT THIS PLAT DESIGNATING THE HEREIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY AS COUNTRY LAKES NORTH, PHASE 6AB, AN ADDITION IN DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS, AND DOES HEREBY DEDICATED TO THE PUBLIC USE FOREVER,

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BLOOMFIELD HOMES, L.P., ON BEHALF OF: A TEXAS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

> BY: BLOOMFIELD PROPERTIES, INC. A TEXAS CORPORATION GENERAL PARTNER

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DONALD J. DYKSTRA, PRESIDENT

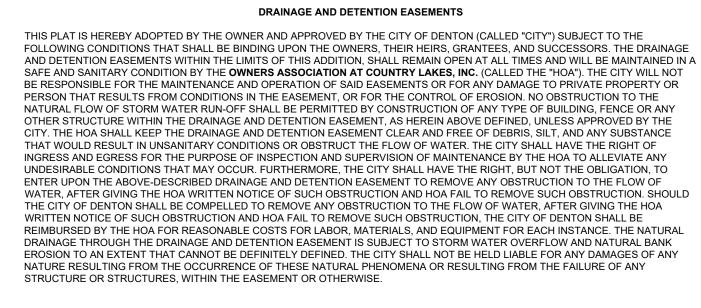
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FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT ONLY MICHAEL J. BAITUP REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR **TEXAS REGISTRATION NO. 4574** 

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Monday, August 5, 2024 Development Services City of Denton 401 N Elm Street Denton, TX 76201

Re: 30-Day Extension Request Country Lakes North Phase 6AB Replat - FR24-0008

Dear Ms. Wyatt,

In response to the Country Lakes North Phase 6AB Replat (FR24-0008) comments received on Thursday August 1, 2024 and the staff recommendation for denial, I would like to request a 30-day extension.

Please let me know if you require any additional information to approve this request.

Sincerely,

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Brighton Yau, PE Assistant Project Manager



Legislation Text

#### File #: ZCP24-0015, Version: 1

#### AGENDA CAPTION

Consider a request by Allegiance Hillview, LP for approval of a Site Plan for a multifamily residential development within the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District, South Campus - South Mixed-Use District 2 (SMUD-2) subarea, located on Lot 2, Block B of Rayzor Ranch East. The approximately 6.41-acre subject property is generally located at the southeast corner of Crescent Street and Eastpark Boulevard in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (ZCP24-0015, Altera Rayzor Ranch, Mia Hines).



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City Hall 215 E. McKinney Street Denton, Texas www.cityofdenton.com

#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

#### **SUBJECT**

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#### BACKGROUND

The request is for approval of a Site Plan (also known as a Zoning Compliance Plan) for a multifamily residential development located on Lot 2, Block B of Rayzor Ranch East. The applicant proposes a total of 192 residences within three 3-story multifamily buildings and one 4-story multifamily building along with associated parking and landscaping. The property is located within the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District (RROD), more specifically in the South Campus - South Mixed-Use District 2 subarea of the overlay zoning district. Multifamily units are permitted within this subarea, and the site is subject to the development standards of Section 4.8 of the Denton Development Code (DDC), recently adopted as Appendix A to the DDC.

Although site plans are typically reviewed and approved administratively in the City of Denton, the RROD requires site plan approval by the Planning and Zoning Commission pursuant to Subsection 4.8.2 of the DDC. The applicant has provided a site plan, landscape plan, and building elevations in compliance with the applicable architectural and landscape standards of Exhibits C-2A and D-2 of the RROD. A full staff analysis of the submittal is provided in Exhibit 2.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Approve
- 2. Approve With Conditions
- 3. Deny
- 4. Postpone Item

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends approval of this request as it meets the established requirements of the RROD.

Date	Council, Board, Commission	Request	Action	
November 28, 2007	Planning and Zoning Commission	Zoning Commission Established Zoning Approval and Development Approval Standards for RROD South Campus Subarea 2		
January 8, 2008	City Council	Established Zoning and Development Standards for RROD South Campus Subarea 2	Approved (Ordinance 2008-018)	
June 9, 2010	Planning and Zoning Commission	Amend Development Standards for RROD	Recommended Approval	
June 15, 2010	City Council	Amend Development Standards for RROD	Approved (Ordinance 2010-158)	
January 13, 2016	Planning and Zoning Commission	Amend Procedural and Development Standards for RROD	Recommended Approval	
January 26, 2016	City Council	Amend Procedural and Development Standards for RROD	Approved (Ordinance 2016-017)	
September 28, 2016	Planning and Zoning Commission	Amend Development Standards for multifamily in the RROD South Campus	Recommended Approval	
October 11, 2016	City Council	Amend Development Standards for multifamily in the RROD South Campus	Approved (Ordinance 2016-312)	
January 23, 2019	Planning and Zoning Commission	Final Plat Rayzor Ranch East	Approved (FP18-0025)	
May 15, 2019	Planning and Zoning Commission	Establish Procedural and Development Standards for RROD South Campus	Recommended Approval	
May 21, 2019	City Council	Establish Procedural and Development Standards for RROD South Campus	Approved (Ordinance Z18-0026c)	
September 14, 2022	Planning and Zoning Commission	Amend Development Standards for multifamily in the RROD South Campus	Recommended Approval	
September 20, 2022	City Council	Amend Development Standards for multifamily in the RROD South Campus	Approved (Ordinance Z22-0004b)	

June 26, 2024	Planning and Zoning Commission	Consolidate RROD	Recommended
		Standards and add to	Approval
		DDC Subsection 4.8	
July 16, 2024	City Council	Consolidate RROD	Approved (Ordinance
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		DDC Subsection 4.8	

#### **PUBLIC OUTREACH**

No public outreach is required for a Site Plan.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT**

No developer contact and/or meeting disclosures have been provided to staff as of issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Proposed Site Plan
- 5. Proposed Landscape & Open Space Plan
- 6. Proposed Conceptual Building Elevations
- 7. RROD Exhibit C-2A
- 8. RROD Exhibit D-2

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/Planning Director

Prepared by: Mia Hines, AICP Senior Planner

## Planning Staff Analysis ZCP24-0015 / Altera Rayzor Ranch City Council District #3

#### **REQUEST:**

Approval of a Site Plan for a multifamily development within the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District, South Campus – South Mixed-Use District 2, located on Lot 2, Block B of Rayzor Ranch East.

### **APPLICANT:**

Kimley-Horn on behalf of Allegiance Hillview, LP.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The request is for approval of a Site Plan (also known as a Zoning Compliance Plan) for a multifamily residential development on an approximately 6.41-acre property located Lot 2, Block B of Rayzor Ranch East. The applicant proposes three 3-story multifamily buildings and one 4-story multifamily building with a total of 192 dwelling units, associated parking, open spaces, and landscaping. Per the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District (RROD) land use plan and development standards, multifamily residential dwelling units are permitted by right within the South Campus – South Mixed-Use District 2 (SMUD-2) subarea of the RROD.

Since the initial version of the RROD was first adopted in 2007, all parts of the overlay were based upon zoning districts and standards from the 2002 DDC. On July 16, 2024, the City Council voted to consolidate the Ordinances and codify the applicable development regulations of the RROD as DDC Section 4.8. While there have been no previous site plan approvals for this site, Exhibit B-3 of the RROD, Detailed Use and Architectural Control Map, indicates the permitted land uses on this site are restricted to multifamily residential, single family residential, big houses, and office.

#### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of this request as it meets the established requirements of the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District (RROD).

### SITE DATA:

The subject site is an undeveloped property, consisting of approximately 6.56 acres platted as Lot 2, Block B of the Rayzor Ranch East Addition and situated at the southeast corner of Crescent Street and Eastpark Boulevard. In addition to frontage along Crescent Street and Eastpark Boulevard, the property also has frontage on Linden Drive. For primary access, the applicant proposes one approach onto Linden Street, a 60-foot-wide roadway, and one approach onto Crescent Street, a 50-foot-wide roadway. Both roadways are local streets that run east-to-west, each containing two lanes of travel, 7-foot-wide sidewalks on either side of the street, and on-street parking.

The Site Plan, Landscape Plan, and Conceptual Building Elevations (Exhibits 4-6, respectively) reflect the following site details:

- 1. The proposed multifamily residential development and associated parking are consistent with Rayzor Ranch Overlay District Development Standards as outlined in Section 4.8 of the DDC.
- 2. The Development Impact Area for the development encompasses approximately 6.41 acres of land known as Lot 2, Block B of Rayzor Rach East, and proposes three 3-story buildings and one 4-story building with a total of 192 units, an approximately 3,837 square foot amenity building, and an approximately 1,078 square foot utility building.
- 3. The proposed development requires 315 vehicular parking spaces consistent with the minimum parking ratio of 1.5 spaces per each one-bedroom unit, 1.75 spaces per each two-bedroom unit, and 2 spaces per each three-bedroom unit. Additionally, 25 on-street vehicular spaces surround the property and, while not required, the proposed development includes 16 bicycle parking spaces conveniently located near the buildings for the use of the development's residents.
- 4. The landscaping standards require a minimum of 20% tree canopy coverage and 10% landscape coverage. This development proposes 47% tree canopy coverage and 12% landscape coverage on the subject property.
- 5. The building proposes to have a similar level of architectural detailing on all sides of the buildings and is consistent with the development standards of the RROD.

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		undeveloped

#### SURROUNDING ZONING AND LAND USES:

#### **CONSIDERATIONS:**

Pursuant to DDC Section 4.8.2.F Approval Criteria, the Planning and Zoning Commission shall approve the site plan if it finds that:

# i. The site plan substantially complies with the Concept Plan previously approved by City Council;

Staff finds that the site plan complies with the established South Campus Development Standards (DDC Section 4.8.5.B) regarding the maximum building height of 100 feet, maximum lot coverage of 90%, maximum floor-to-area (F.A.R.) ratio of 4.0, and land use. As shown on the site plan, the proposed maximum building height for the 4-story building is 57 feet, and the maximum building height for the 3-story buildings is approximately 43 feet. For this site, the proposed total building footprint of 66,104 square feet equates to a total building coverage to approximately 23.7%, and the

proposed total building area of 195,248 square feet equates to a floor-to-area ratio of approximately 0.8.

# ii. The site plan provides for the design and arrangement of driveways and parking spaces in accordance with the applicable requirements of the Denton Development Code, as modified by the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District;

The parking lot and driveways are designed and placed in accordance with the standards of DDC Section 4.8.10, which requires minimum parking at a ratio of 1.5 spaces for each efficiency and one-bedroom unit, 1.75 space per bedroom for each two-bedroom unit, and 2 spaces per unit for each three-bedroom unit. Given the 97 efficiency or one-bedroom units, 85 two-bedroom units, and 10 three-bedroom units proposed, the applicant's plans indicate the provision of the 315 spaces required for this development. There are no proposed changes to the existing 25 striped on-street parking spaces around the subject property.

#### iii. There are adequate utilities, drainage, and supporting infrastructure or it shall be provided in accordance with the applicable requirements of the Denton Development Code, as modified by the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District; and

The proposed site plan indicates an intent to tap into existing water, sanitary sewer, and storm water lines within the Crescent Street, Eastpark Boulevard, and Linden Drive rights-of-ways. Civil Engineering Plans will follow the approval of this Zoning Compliance Plan to accommodate for any changes and ensure no conflicts between the proposed infrastructure and buildings within this development.

# iv. The site plan fully complies with all other sections of the Rayzor Ranch Overlay District.

The proposed development, being within the SMUD-2 subarea, is required to demonstrate compliance with the Multifamily Residential Guidelines (Exhibit C-2A for site design/architecture) and Exhibit D-2 for landscaping. These standards are provided as Exhibit 7 and 8. The proposed site plan, landscape plan, and elevations comply with these requirements as detailed below:

- To activate the public street, all residential buildings are located within 20 feet of the property line for more than 50% of the frontage abutting surrounding public streets, and buildings may be accessed directly from the street and the sidewalk. Additionally, there are no parking spaces located between the front building facades and the right-of-way/property line on any of the three street frontages.
- The development includes approximately 37,600 square feet of open space intended for recreational use by the tenants of the development. Included within this area is a pool and courtyard area, a dog park, and private patios.
- Overall, the landscaping standards require a minimum of 20% tree canopy coverage and 10% landscape overage. This development proposes 47% tree canopy coverage and 12% landscape coverage on the subject property. In compliance with DDC Section 7.7.7, street trees are provided along Eastpark

Boulevard and Linden Drive. For Crescent Street, alternate street tree locations are proposed throughout the site due to an existing utility easement along the property's frontage.

- Within the parking lot, the landscape plans indicate the provision of approximately 10% parking area landscape coverage and 28% parking area tree canopy coverage, exceeding the required minimum 7% and 15% respectively. The required parking lot trees are being provided with regard to appropriate spacing requirements from the existing utility and drainage easements located on and around this lot. The RROD authorizes Staff to approve alternative planting locations on this site should there be any planting challenges due to the number and location of easements encumbering the property. Additionally, landscape berms provide screening for the areas for parking and vehicular maneuvering that might be visible from the public rights-of-way.
- The proposed conceptual elevations indicate a combination of masonry, metal, and glass for the facades of all six buildings and reflects colors consistent with the approved color palette for the RROD.

## ZCP24-0015 Site Location



# ZONING COMPLIANCE PLANS FOR ALTERA RAYZOR RANCH

# PLANS SUBMITTAL/REVIEW LOG

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DEVELOPER: wood partners 5440 harvest hill road, suite 206 dallas, TX 75230 PH. (469) 206-4572

ARCHITECT:

CONTACT: RYAN MILLER

**DESIGN BALANCE, INC.** 2701 SUNSET RIDGE DR 602 ROCKWALL, TEXAS 75032 PH. (469) 887-6892 CONTACT: JOHN WOMBLE, AIA

# ENGINEER Kinley »Horn <sub>Exas registration NO. F-928</sub>

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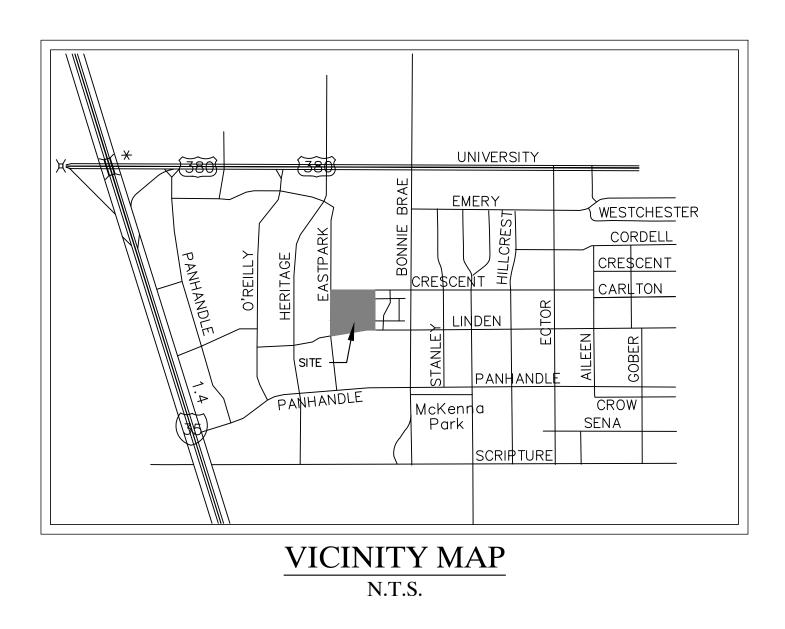
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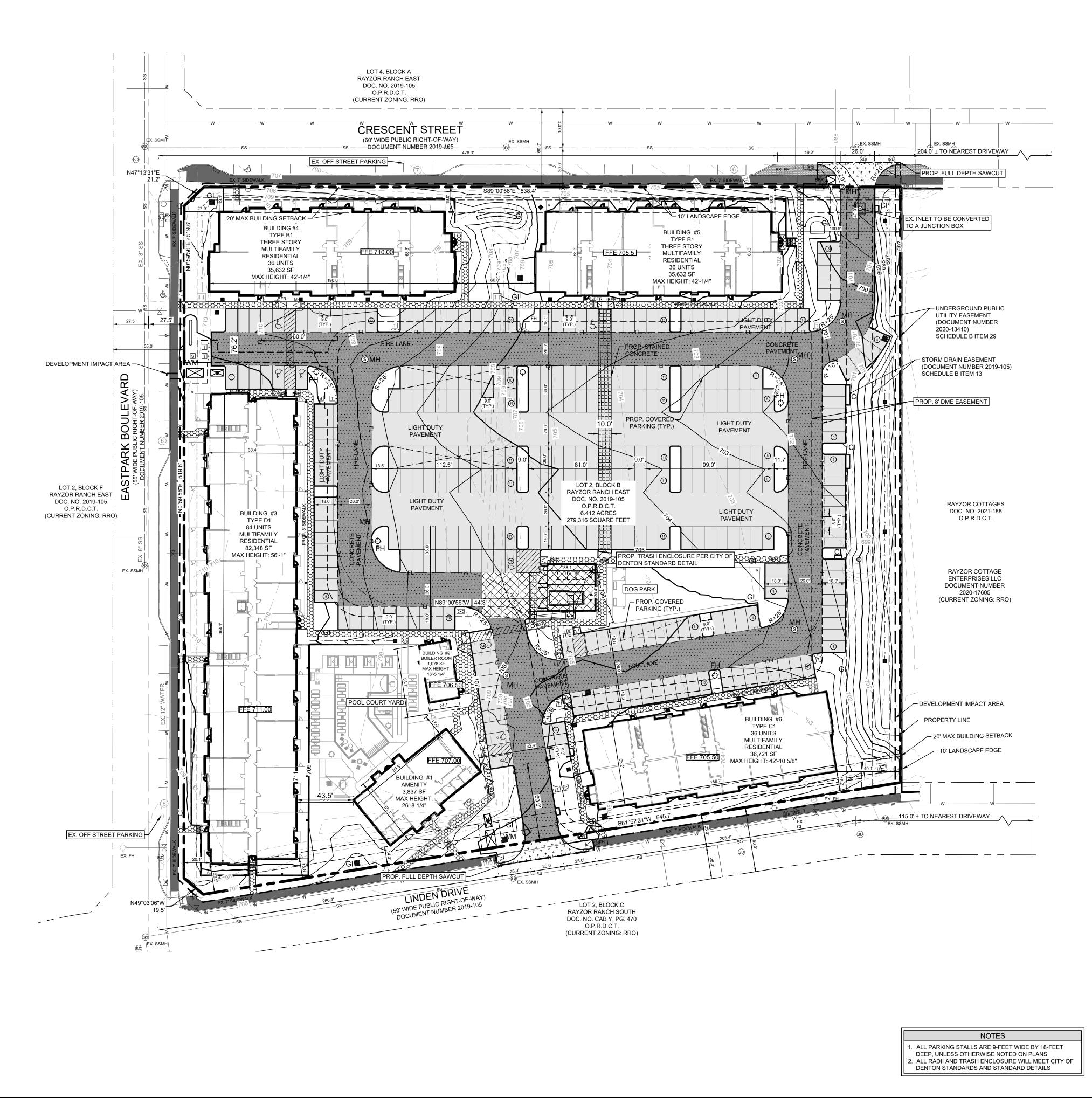
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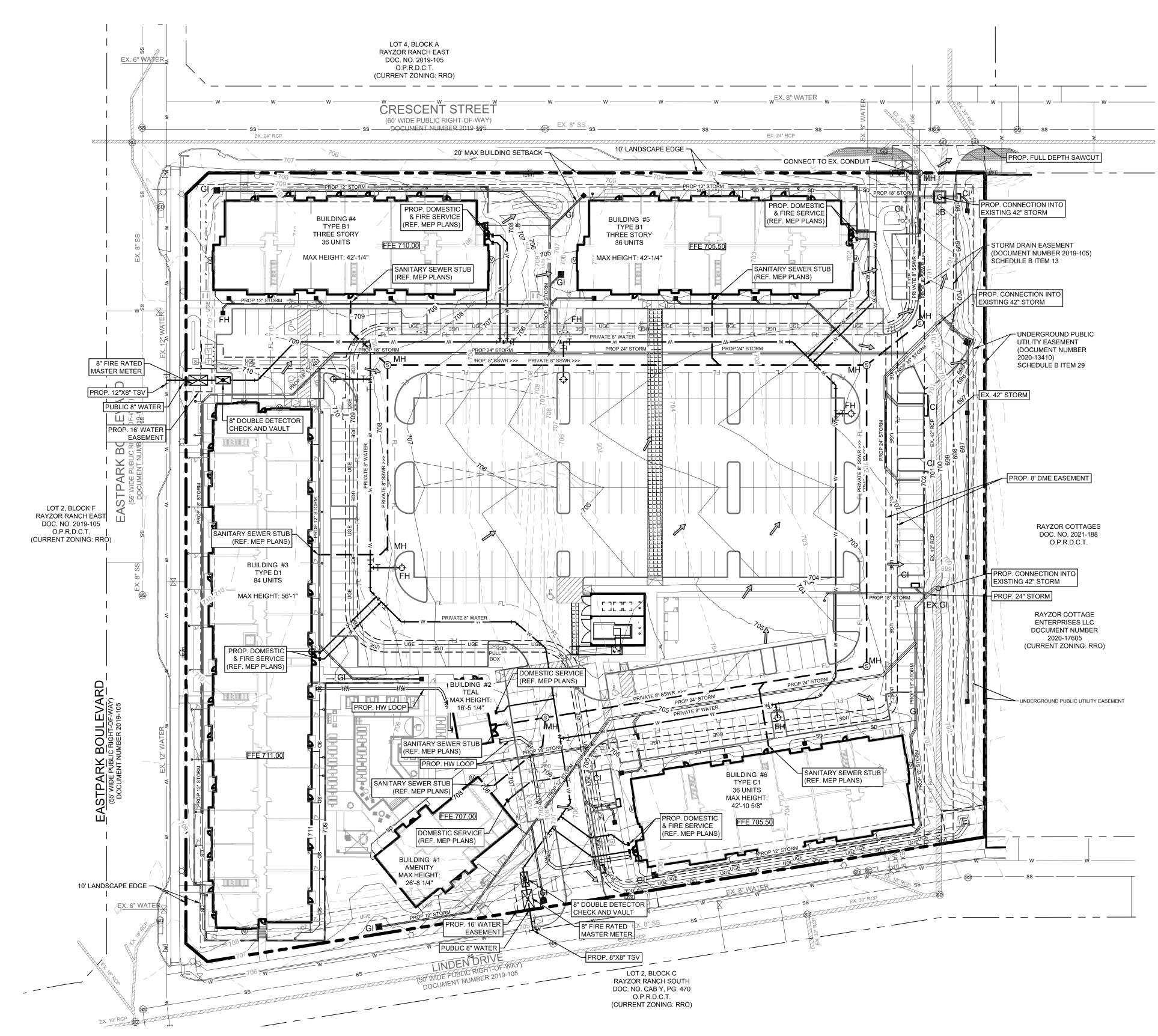
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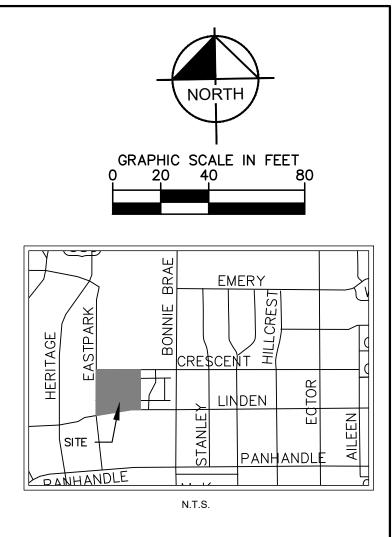
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- 2. ALL RADII AND TRASH ENCLOSURE WILL MEET CITY OF DENTON STANDARDS AND STANDARD DETAILS 3. DETENTION IS PROVIDED PER RAYZOR RANCH EAST
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- DECEMBER 10, 2018. 4. NO 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN EXISTS ON THE PROPERTY. DISCHARGE FROM ANY DETENTION POND OUTFALL OR STORM DRAIN OUTFALL MAY REQUIRE AN OFFSITE DRAINAGE EASEMENT TO ACCOMMODATE THE FLOW. IF AN OFFSITE DRAINAGE EASEMENT IS REQUIRED IS REQUIRED, A STUDY SHALL BE MADE OF THE OFF-SITE PROPERTY TO DETERMINE THE SIZE OF THE
- DRAINAGE EASEMENT TO ACCOMMODATE THE FLOW. 6. ACCEPTANCE OF THE DRAINAGE FEATURES IDENTIFIES ON THE ZONING COMPLIANCE PLAN ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DURING THE FINAL PLAT PROCESS AND DO NOT CONSTITUTE SUBSEQUENT APPROVAL OF SAME. THE CITY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REQUIRE ADDITIONAL DATA OR STUDIES TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH CITY OF DENTON SUBDIVISION AND LAND REGULATIONS, STORMWATER

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MASTER DRAINAGE PLAN.

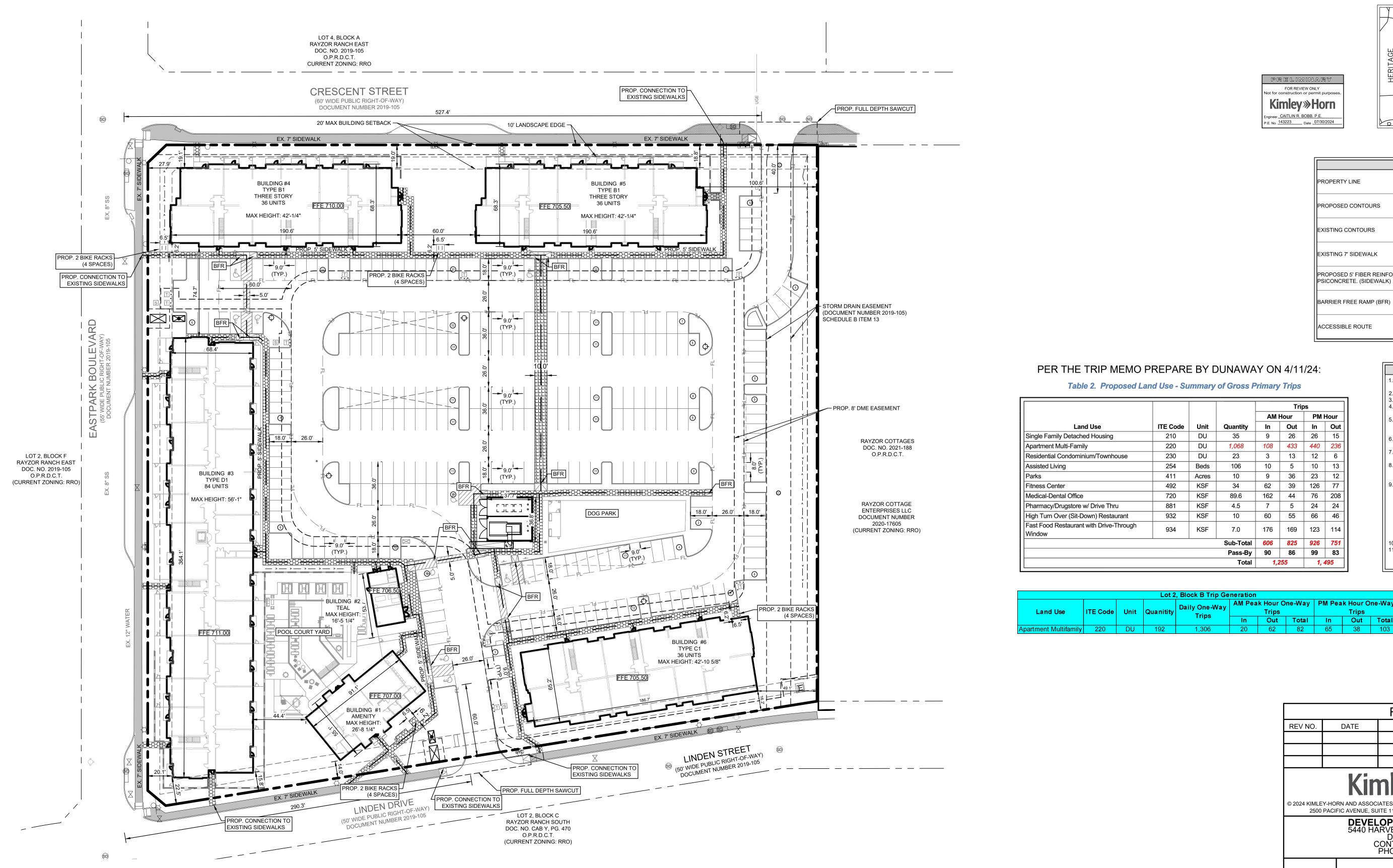
PROPERTY LINE		WM	WATER METER
FIRE LANE	— — FL—	FH	FIRE HYDRANT
PROP. STORM		CI	CURB INLET
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WATER METER	۵	TYP.	TYPICAL
CONCRETE RIPRAP		PROP. CONTOURS	590
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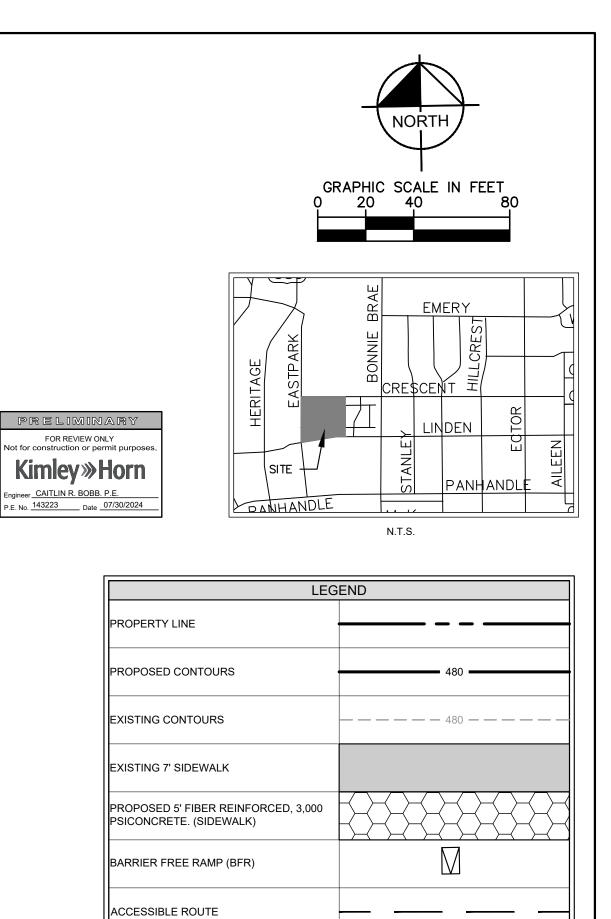
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Water Utilities	
Water Demand (GPD)	81,260
Water Demand - Peak Hour (GPD)	162,520
Wastewater Loading (GPD)	47,800
Wastewater Loading - Peak Flow (GPD)	191,200

DRAINAGE NOTE 1. DRAINAGE PATTERNS ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE DRAINAGE AREAS A-6 AND A-7 SHOWN IN THE RAYZOR RANCH EAST PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE DRAINAGE AREA MAP BY DUNAWAY DATED DECEMBER 2018. AS-BUILTS SHOW DEVELOPED AREA TO BE DETAINED IN A REGIONAL DETENTION POND TO NORTH EAST.

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# PER THE TRIP MEMO PREPARE BY DUNAWAY ON 4/11/24:

 Table 2. Proposed Land Use - Summary of Gross Primary Trips

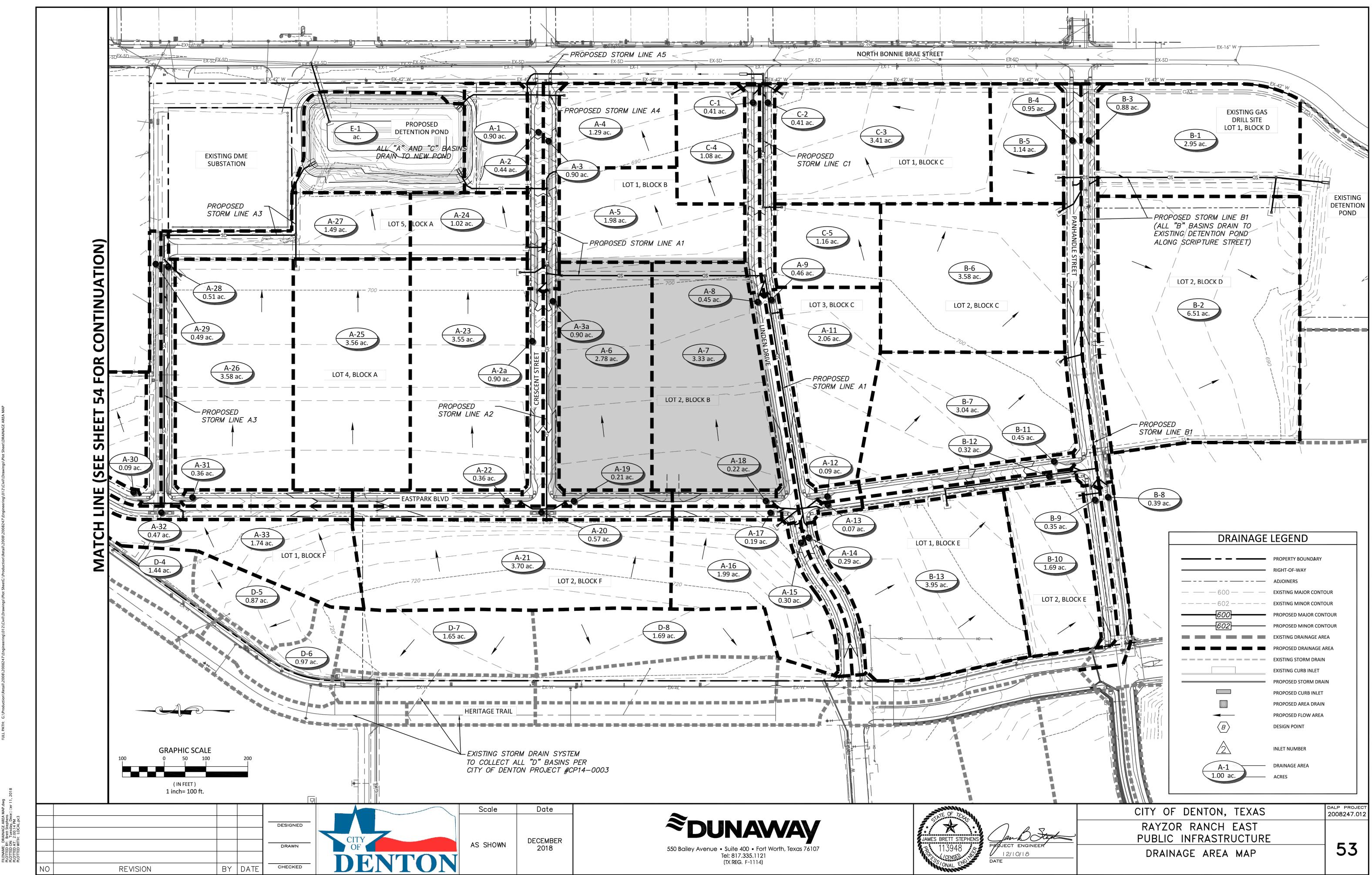
				Trips			
				AM	Hour	PM	Hour
Land Use	ITE Code	Unit	Quantity	In	Out	In	Out
mily Detached Housing	210	DU	35	9	26	26	15
t Multi-Family	220	DU	1,068	108	433	440	236
al Condominium/Townhouse	230	DU	23	3	13	12	6
_iving	254	Beds	106	10	5	10	13
	411	Acres	10	9	36	23	12
enter	492	KSF	34	62	39	126	77
ental Office	720	KSF	89.6	162	44	76	208
//Drugstore w/ Drive Thru	881	KSF	4.5	7	5	24	24
Over (Sit-Down) Restaurant	932	KSF	10	60	55	66	46
Restaurant with Drive-Through	934	KSF	7.0	176	169	123	114
		1	Sub-Total	606	825	926	751
			Pass-By	90	86	99	83
			Total	1,2	255	1, 4	495

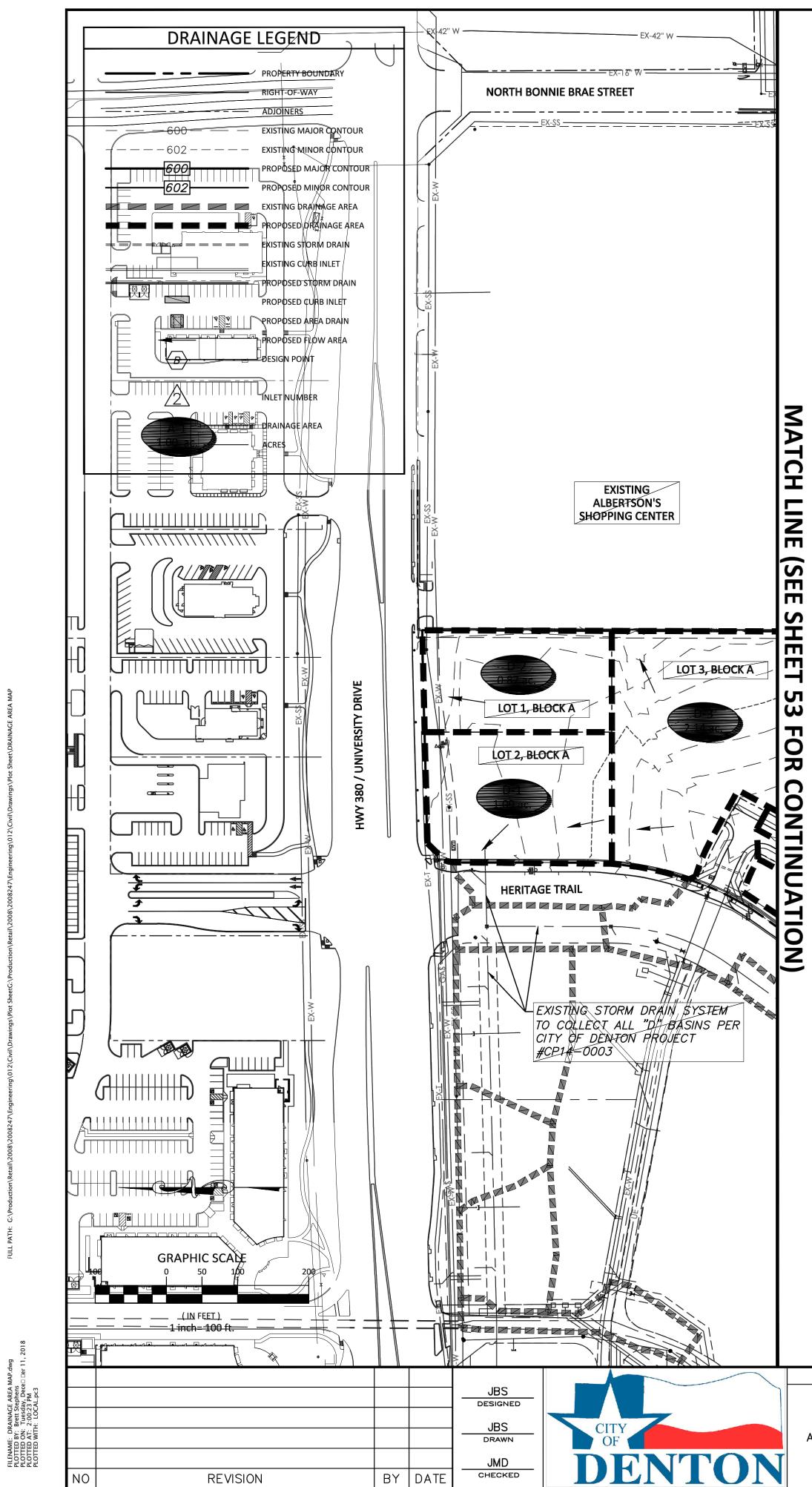
	NOTES
1.	ALL DIMENSIONS ARE TO FACE OF CURB UNLESS
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- . ALL SIDEWALKS ARE 5' UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED 3. ALL RADII ARE 2' UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
- 4. ALL PARKING STALLS ARE 9-FEET WIDE BY 18-FEET DEEP UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
- . ALL FIRE LANES ARE 25' WIDE AND RADII ARE TO BE A MINIMUM OF 30' AT THE FACE OF CURB, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
- 3. FIRE LANE TO BE CONSTRUCTED PER CITY OF DENTON STREET STANDARDS.
- . HANDICAP PARKING IS PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ADA STANDARDS.
- 8. ALL WORK AND MATERIALS SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL CITY/COUNTY REGULATIONS AND CODES AND O.S.H.A. STANDARDS.
- . CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL RELOCATIONS, (UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ON PLANS) INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TREES, ALL UTILITIES, STORM DRAINAGE, SIGNS, TRAFFIC SIGNALS & POLES, ETC. AS REQUIRED. ALL WORK SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNING
- AUTHORITIES REQUIREMENTS AND PROJECT SITE WORK SPECIFICATIONS AND SHALL BE APPROVED BY SUCH. ALL COST SHALL BE INCLUDED IN BASE BID.
- 10. BARRIER FREE RAMPS SHOWN AS SYMBOL ONLY. 1. ALL MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT SHALL BE INSTALLED ON THE ROOFTOPS, PLEASE REFERENCE ARCHITECTURAL PLANS FOR DETAILS.

			Lot 2	, Block B Trip Ge	neration					
				Daily One-Way	AM Pea	k Hour O	ne-Way	PM Pea	ak Hour C	)ne-Way
ITE Code	Unit	Quanitity	/ * *		Trips			Trips		
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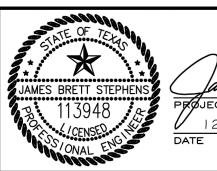


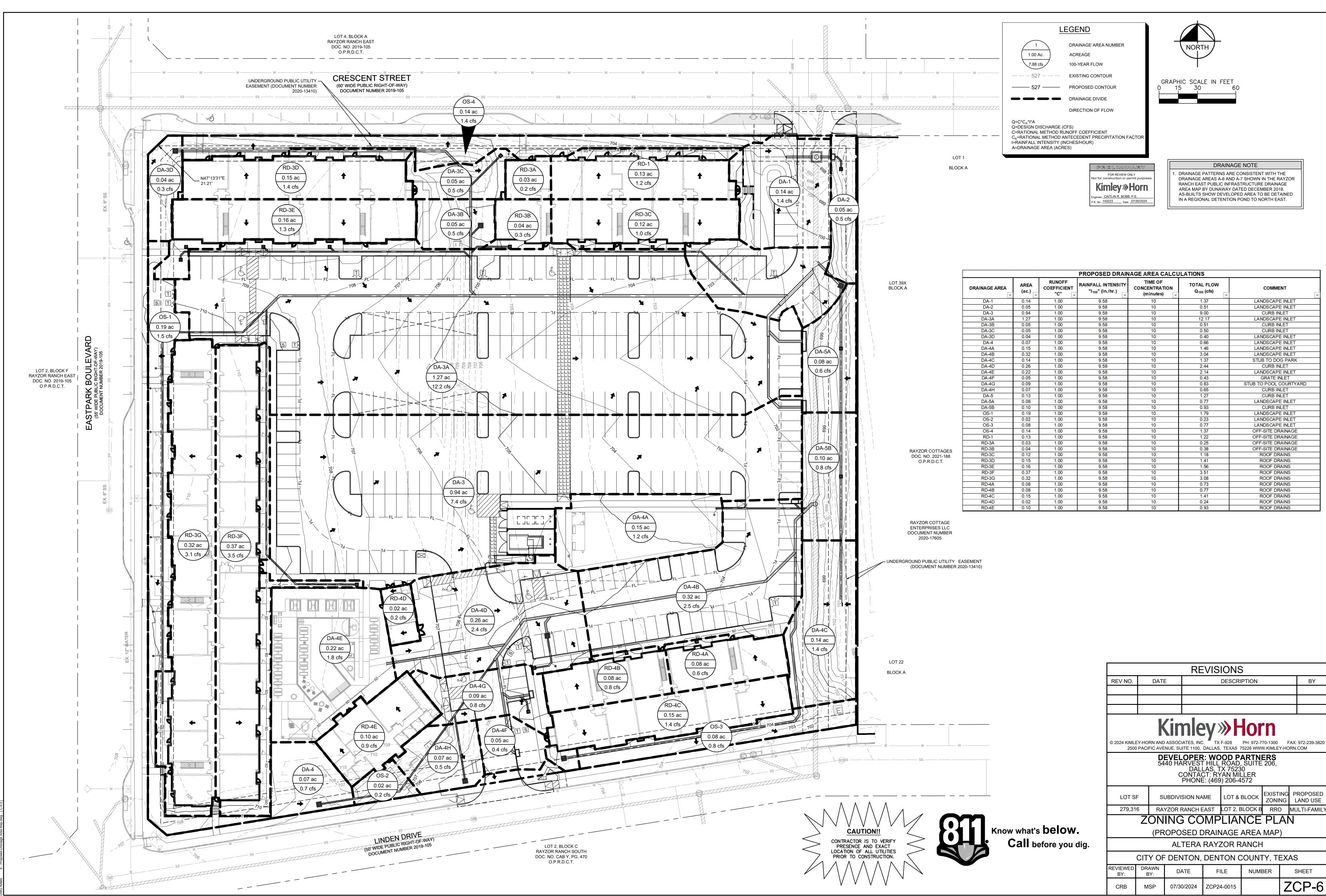
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AREA NAME	AREA (ac.)	Tc	"C"	C*A	l1 (in/hr)	Q1 (cfs)	l5 (in/hr)	Q5 (cfs)	C100	C100*A	l100 (in/hr)	Q100 (cfs)	COMMENTS	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7.	6	7	x1	x2	8	9	10	
A1	0.90	10.00	0.60	0.54	4.04	2.18	5.75	3.11	0.75	0.68	9.24	6.24	DETENTION POND	-
A2	0.44	10.00	0.95	0.42	4.04	1.69	5.75	2.40	1.00	0.44	9.24	4.06	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	
A2a	0.46	10.00	0.95	0.44	4,04	1.77	5.75	2.51	1.00	0.46	9.24	4.25	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	_
A3 A3a	0.44	10.00	0.95 0.95	0.42	4.04	1.69 1.77	5.75 5.75	2.40 2.51	1.00	0.44	9.24 9.24	4.06	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
AJa A4	1.29	15.00	0.60	0.44	3.31	2.56	4.85	3.75	0.75	0.40	9.24 7.91	7.65	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
A5	1 98	15 00	0.60	1 19	3 31	3.93	4 85	5 76	0.75	1 49	7 91	11 75	EUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
A6	2.78	10.00	0.85	2.36	4.04	9.56	5.75	13.59	1.00	2.78	9.24	25.68	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
A7 A8	3.33 0.58	10.00 10.00	0.85 0.95	2.83 0.55	4.04	11.45 2.23	5.75 5.75	16.28 3.17	1.00 1.00	3.33 0.58	9.24 9.24	30.76 5.36	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	
A9	0.58	10.00	0.95	0.55	4.04	2.23	5.75	3.17	1.00	0.58	9.24	5.36	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	LOT 2, BLOCK B
A11	2.06	10.00	0.85	1.75	4.04	7.08	5.75	10.07	1.00	2.06	9.24	19.03	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
A12	0.09	10.00	0.95	0.09	4.04	0.35	5.75	0.49	1.00	0.09	9.24	0.83	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	_
A13	0.07	10.00	0.95	0.07	4.04	0.27	5.75	0.38	1.00	0.07	9.24	0.65		-
A14 A15	0.29	10.00	0.95 0.95	0.28	4.04	1.11 1.15	5.75 5.75	1.58 1.64	1.00 1.00	0.29	9.24 9.24	2.68 2.77	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
A16	1.99	15.00	0.25	0.50	3.31	1.65	4.85	2.41	0.31	0.62	7,91	4.92	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
A17	0.19	10.00	<mark>0.9</mark> 5	0.18	4.04	0.73	5.75	1.04	1.00	0.19	9,24	1.76	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	
A18	0.22	10.00	0.95	0.21	4.04	0.85	5.75	1.20	1.00	0.22	9.24	2.03		-
A19 A20	0.21	10.00	0.95 0.95	0.20	4.04	0.81 2.19	5.75 5.75	1.15 3.11	1.00	0.21	9.24 9.24	1.94 5.27	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
A21	3.70	15.00	0.00	0.93	3.31	3.06	4.85	4.48	0.31	1.16	7.91	9.15	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
A22	0.36	10.00	0.95	0.34	4.04	1.38	5.75	1.97	1.00	0.36	9.24	3.33	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	_
A23	3.55	10.00	0.85	3.02	4.04	12.20	5.75	17.35	1.00	3.55	9.24	32.80	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	_
A24	1.02	15.00	0.65	0.66	3.31	2.19	4.85 5.75	3.21	0.81	0.83	7.91	6.56	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
A25 A26	3.56	10.00	0.85 0.85	3.03 3.04	4.04	12.24 12.31	5.75 5.75	17.40 17.50	1.00 1.00	3.56 3.58	9.24 9.24	32.89 33.07	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
A27	1.49	15.00	0.65	0.97	3.31	3.20	4.85	4.70	0.81	1.21	7.91	9.58	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
A28	0.51	10.00	0.95	0.48	4.04	1.96	5.75	2.79	1.00	0.51	<mark>9.24</mark>	4.71	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	
A29	0.49	10.00	0.95	0.47	4.04	1.88	5.75	2.68	1.00	0.49	9.24	4.53	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	_
A30 A31	0.09	10.00	0.95 0.95	0.09	4.04	0.35	5.75 5.75	0.49	1.00 1.00	0.09	9.24 9.24	0.83 3.33	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
A32	0.47	10.00	0.95	0.45	4.04	1.81	5.75	2.57	1.00	0.30	9.24	4.34	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
A33	1.74	15.00	0.65	1.13	3.31	3.74	4.85	5.48	0.81	1.41	7.91	11.19	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
B1	2.95	15.00	0.50	1.48	3.31	4.88	4.85	7.15	0.63	1.84	7.91	14.59	EXISTING GAS DRILL SITE	_
B2 B3	6.51 0.88	10.00 10.00	0.70 0.95	4.56 0.84	4.04	18.43 3.38	5.75 5.75	26.20 4.81	0.88	5.70 0.88	9.24 9.24	52.62 8.13	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
B3 B4	0.95	10.00	0.95	0.84	4.04	3.65	5.75	5.19	1.00	0.88	9.24	8.78	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
B5	1.14	15.00	0.60	0.68	3.31	2.26	4.85	3.32	0.75	0.86	7.91	6.76	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
B6	3.58	10.00	0.70	2.51	4.04	10.14	5.75	14.41	0.88	3.13	9.24	28.94	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
B7 B8	0.39	10.00	0.85 0.95	2.58 0.37	4.04	10.45 1.50	5.75 5.75	14.86 2.13	1.00 1.00	3.04 0.39	9.24 9.24	28.08 3.60	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
B9	0.39	10.00	0.95	0.37	4.04	1.34	5.75	1.91	1.00	0.35	9.24	3.23	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
B10	1.69	15.00	0.25	0.42	3.31	1.40	4.85	2.05	0.31	0.53	7,91	4.18	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
B11	0.45	10.00	0.95	0.43	4.04	1.73	5.75	2.46	1.00	0.45	9.24	4.16	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	_
B12	0.32	10.00	0.95	0.30	4.04	1.23	5.75	1.75	1.00	0.32	9.24	2.96		-
B13 C1	3.95 0.41	10.00 15.00	0.85 0.95	3.36 0.39	4.04 3.31	13.58 1.29	5.75 4.85	19.31 1.89	1.00 1.00	3.95 0.41	9.24 7.91	36.49 3.24	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	-
C2	0.41	15.00	0.95	0.39	3.31	1.29	4.85	1.89	1.00	0.41	7.91	3.24	HALF ROADWAY / PARKWAY	
C3	3.41	15.00	0.60	2.05	3.31	6.77	4.85	9.92	0.75	2.56	7.91	20.23	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
C4	1.08	15.00	0.60	0.65	3.31	2.14	4.85	3.14	0.75	0.81	7.91	6.41		-
C5	1.16	15.00 10.00	0.85 0.80	0.99	3.31 4.04	3.26 3.53	4.85 5.75	4.78 5.01	1.00	1.16	7.91 9.24	9.18 10.07	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
D2	0.87	10.00	0.80	0.70	4.04	2.81	5.75	4.00	1.00	0.87	9.24	8.04	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
D3	2.14	10.00	0.80	1,71	4.04	6.92	5.75	9.84	1.00	2.14	9.24	19.77	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
D4	1.44	15.00	0.65	0.94	3.31	3.10	4.85	4.54	0.81	1.17	7.91	9.26		_
D5 D6	0.87	15.00 15.00	0.65 0.65	0.57	3.31 3.31	1.87 2.09	4.85 4.85	2.74 3.06	0.81	0.71	7.91	6.24	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
D6 D7	1.65	15.00	0.65	0.63	3.31	1.36	4.85	2.00	0.81	0.79	7.91	4.08	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	-
D8	1.69	15.00	0.25	0.42	3.31	1.40	4.85	2.05	0.31	0.53	7.91	4.18	FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA	
E1	2.10	10.00	0.60	1.26	4.04	5.10	5.75	7.25	0.75	1.58	9.24	14.55	DETENTION POND	
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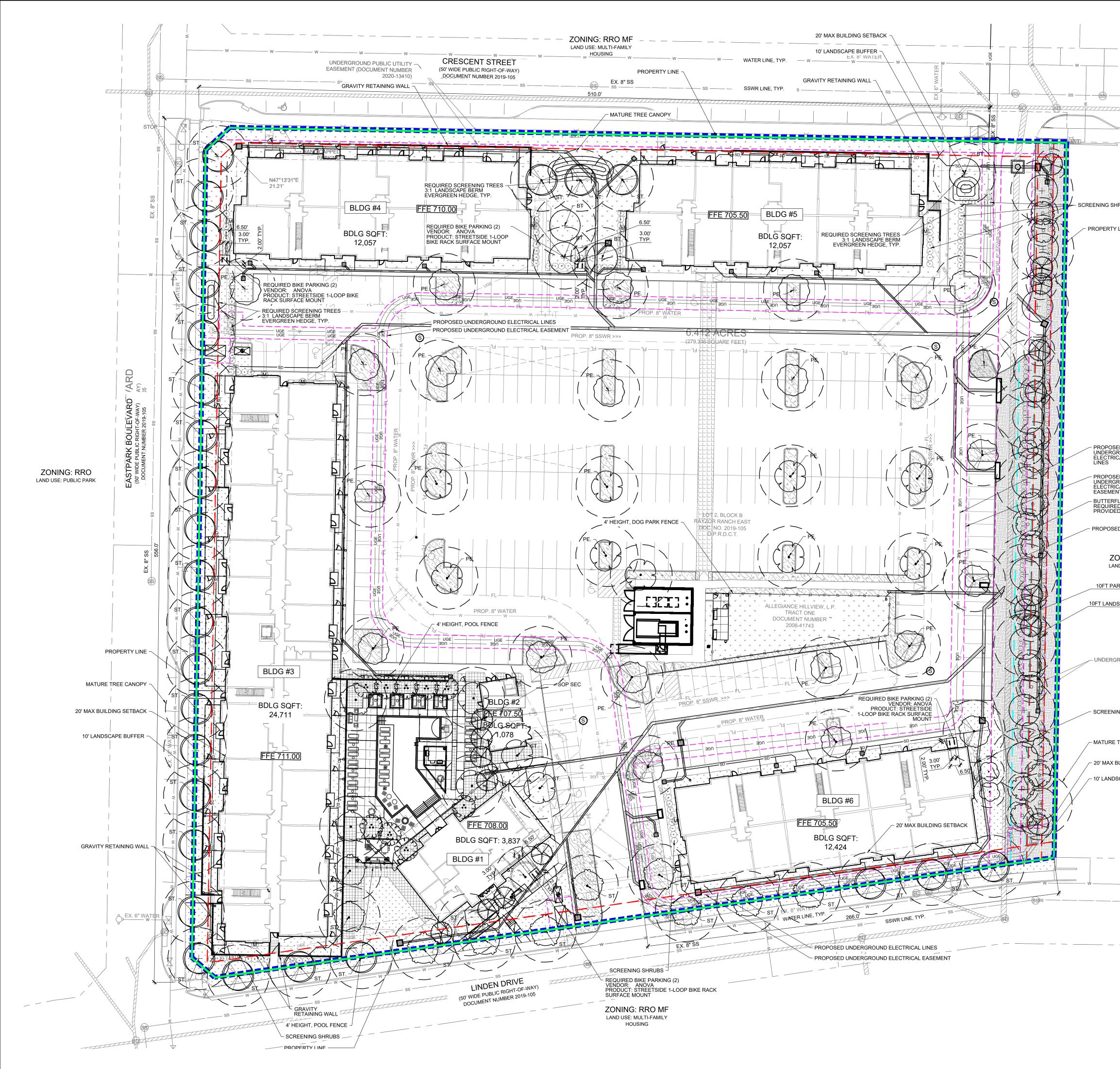




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			PROPOSED DRAIN	NAGE AREA CALCU	JLATIONS	
DRAINAGE AREA	AREA (ac.)	RUNOFF COEFFICIENT "C" -	RAINFALL INTENSITY "I <sub>100</sub> " (in./hr.)	TIME OF CONCENTRATION (minutes)	TOTAL FLOW Q <sub>100</sub> (cfs)	COMMENT
DA-1	0.14	1.00	9.58	10	1.37	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-2	0.05	1.00	9.58	10	0.51	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-3	0.94	1.00	9.58	10	9.00	CURB INLET
DA-3A	1.27	1.00	9.58	10	12.17	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-3B	0.05	1.00	9.58	10	0.51	CURB INLET
DA-3C	0.05	1.00	9.58	10	0.50	CURB INLET
DA-3D	0.04	1.00	9.58	10	0.40	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-4	0.07	1.00	9.58	10	0.66	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-4A	0.15	1.00	9.58	10	1.46	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-4B	0.32	1.00	9.58	10	3.04	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-4C	0.14	1.00	9.58	10	1.37	STUB TO DOG PARK
DA-4D	0.26	1.00	9.58	10	2.44	CURB INLET
DA-4E	0.22	1.00	9.58	10	2. <mark>1</mark> 4	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-4F	0.05	1.00	9.58	10	0.43	GRATE INLET
DA-4G	0.09	1.00	9.58	10	0.83	STUB TO POOL COURTYARD
DA-4H	0.07	1.00	9.58	10	0.65	CURB INLET
DA-5	0.13	1.00	9.58	10	1.27	CURB INLET
DA-5A	0.08	1.00	9.58	10	0.77	LANDSCAPE INLET
DA-5B	0.10	1.00	9.58	10	0.93	CURB INLET
OS-1	0.19	1.00	9.58	10	1.79	LANDSCAPE INLET
OS-2	0.02	1.00	9.58	10	0.23	LANDSCAPE INLET
OS-3	0.08	1.00	9.58	10	0.77	LANDSCAPE INLET
OS-4	0.14	1.00	9.58	10	1.37	OFF-SITE DRAINAGE
RD-1	0.13	1.00	9.58	10	1.22	OFF-SITE DRAINAGE
RD-3A	0.03	1.00	9.58	10	0.25	OFF-SITE DRAINAGE
RD-3B	0.04	1.00	9.58	10	0.38	OFF-SITE DRAINAGE
RD-3C	0.12	1.00	9.58	10	1.18	ROOF DRAINS
RD-3D	0.15	1.00	9.58	10	1.41	ROOF DRAINS
RD-3E	0.16	1.00	9.58	10	1.56	ROOF DRAINS
RD-3F	0.37	1.00	9.58	10	3.51	ROOF DRAINS
RD-3G	0.32	1.00	9.58	10	3.08	ROOF DRAINS
RD-4A	0.08	1.00	9.58	10	0.73	ROOF DRAINS
RD-4B	0.08	1.00	9.58	10	0.77	ROOF DRAINS
RD-4C	0.15	1.00	9.58	10	1.41	ROOF DRAINS
RD-4D	0.02	1.00	9.58	10	0.24	ROOF DRAINS
RD-4E	0.10	1.00	9.58	10	0.93	ROOF DRAINS

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		Improvements By Other
		Crosswalks
UNDERGROUND ELECTRICAL LINES		Property Line
- PROPOSED UNDERGROUND	ST.	Alternate placement of
ELECTRICAL EASEMENT 	51.	Trees along Cresecent
REQUIRED SQFT: 278,784 * 0.05 = 13,939 SQFT PROVIDED SQFT: 15,719 SQFT	PE	Parking Endcap Tree

## PROPOSED STORM LINE

### ZONING: RRO SF LAND USE: SINGLE FAMILY

#### 10FT PARKING LOT BUFFER

10FT LANDSCAPE BUFFER

#### - UNDERGROUND PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENT (DOCUMENT NUMBER 2020-13410)

## - SCREENING SHRUBS

/- MATURE TREE CANOPY

– 20' MAX BUILDING SETBACK

10' LANDSCAPE BUFFER

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Developmental Impact Area

Buffer Tree

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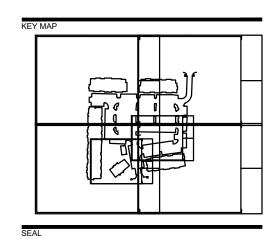
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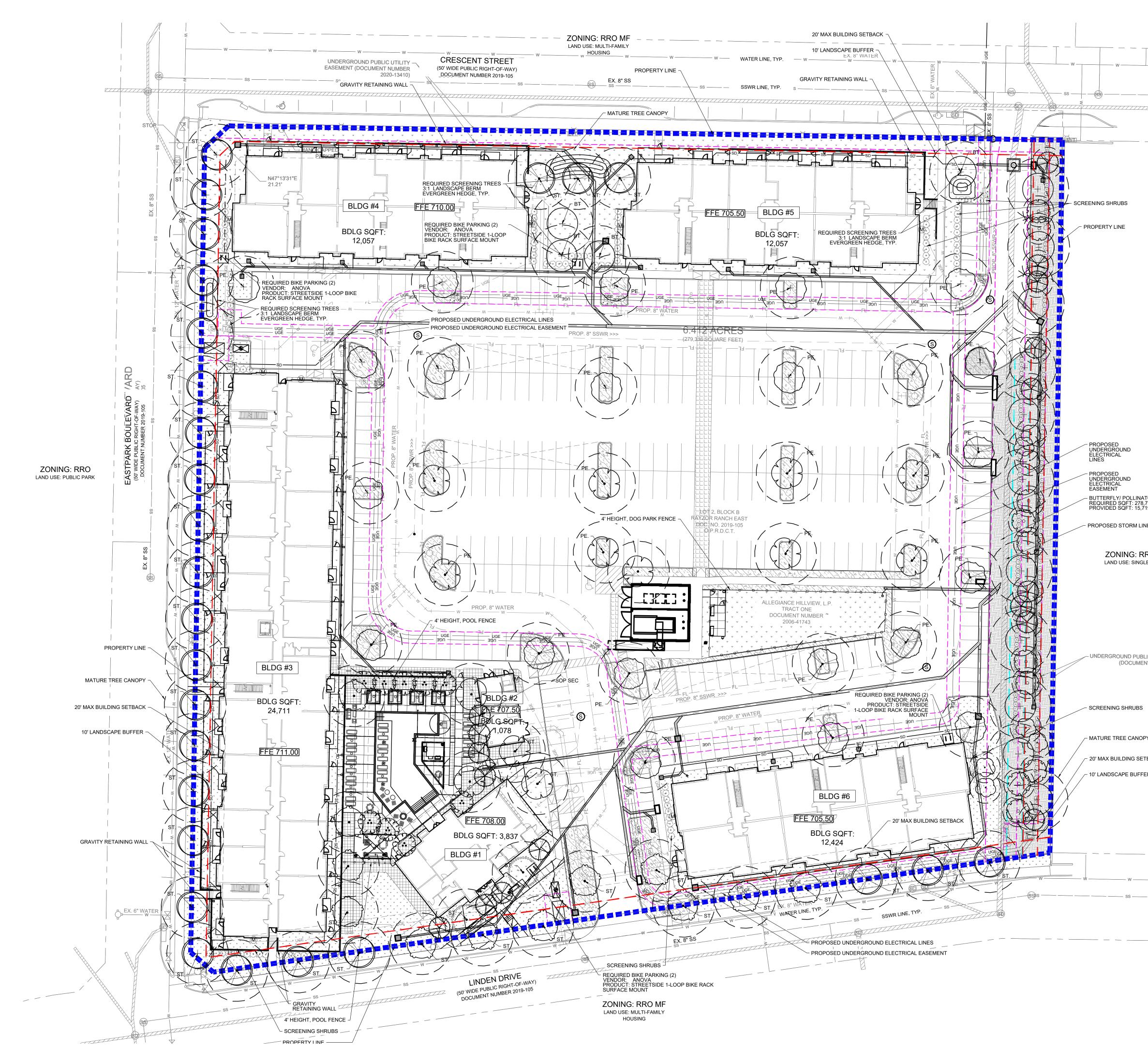
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OVERALL PLAN

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	+	QUMU	Quercus muehlenbergii / Chinkapin Oak
HRUBS	+	QUVI	Quercus virginiana / Southern Live Oak
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	$\left( \begin{array}{c} \\ \end{array} \right)$	ULPA	Ulmus parvifolia / Lacebark Elm
	CANOPY T	REES	
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	+	QUE SHU	Quercus shumardii / Shumard Oak
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ONING: RRO SF ND USE: SINGLE FAMILY	SHRUBS	1	
	+	ABGK	Abelia x grandiflora 'Kaleidoscope' / Kaleidoscope Glossy Abelia
	E	ILE COB	llex cornuta 'Burfordii Nana' / Dwarf Burford Holly
	GROUND	OVERS	Butterfly / Pollinator Mix / Butterfly / Pollinator Mix
ROUND PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENT (DOCUMENT NUMBER 2020-13410)		PLAR	PLANTING AREA / PLANTING AREA
		TRAS	Trachelospermum asiaticum / Asiatic Jasmine
ING SHRUBS	SOD/SEED	31	
		SOD	Cynodon dactylon `Tifway 419` / Bermuda Grass
TREE CANOPY	¥ ¥ ¥ ¥		

SCREENING SHRUBS

/- MATURE TREE CANOPY

- 20' MAX BUILDING SETBACK

10' LANDSCAPE BUFFER

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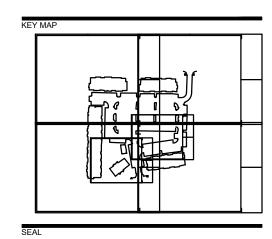
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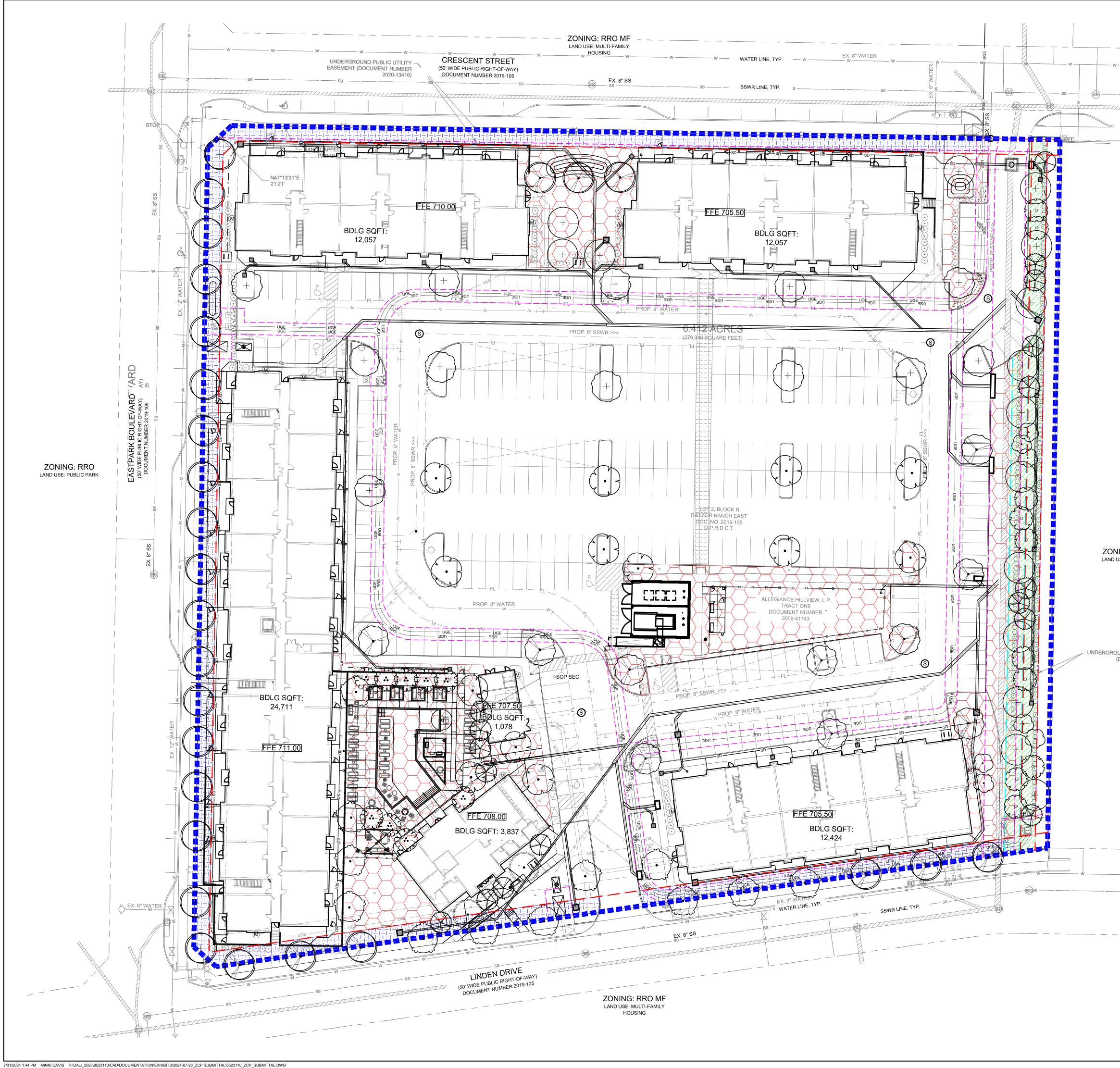
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LANDSCAPE PLAN

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ZONING: RRO SF LAND USE: SINGLE FAMILY		SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION REQUIRED OPEN SPACE	<u>QTY</u> 37,605 sf	PROJEC		ΓΙΟΝ
		LEAST 01		57,005 Si			
					R	AYZOR RA	NCH
		(PA-102)	REQUIRED BUFFER	9,926 sf			
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IDERGROUND PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENT		(PA-103)	REQUIRED STREET BUFFER	15,276 sf			.0
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8523110 ALTERA RAYZOR RANCH: MINIMUM LANDSCAPE AF	REA AND TREE CANOPY COVER	1		
LOT AREA / ACREAGE				
279,316 SQFT / 6.412 ACRES				
DEVELOPMENTAL IMPACT AREA 285,707 SQFT / 6.56 ACRES				
BIKE PARKING				
PROVIDE ONE BIKE SPACE PER 20 VEHICLE PARKING SPACES				
VEHICLE PARKING SPACES: 315				16 BIKE PAR
OPEN SPACE				
MIN. 8% OF TOTAL SITE AREA REQUIRED:				
OPEN SPACE PROVIDED: 37,700 SQFT				
LANDSCAPED AREAS				
MIN. 7% OF TOTAL PARKING AREA SHALL BE LANDSCAPED TOTAL PARKING AREA: 142,198 SQFT				
MIN. 5% OF TOTAL PARKING AREA SHALL BE COVERED BY TR	EE CANOPY AT MATURITY			
TOTAL PARKING AREA: 142,198 SQFT				
MIN. 10% LANDSCAPE AREA IS REQUIRED				
MIN. 20% TREE CANOPY AT MATURITY IS REQUIRED				
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TREE CANOPY COVER (LOT AREA - BUILDING FOOTPRINT)				мі
BUILDING FOOTPRINT (66,164 SQFT)				
LOT AREA (278,784 SQFT)				
TREE CANOPY TABULATION				
CANOPY SQFT	COMMON NAME	QTY	TOTAL SQFT	
1256	RED MAPLE	9	11304	
1256		17	21352	
1256 1256	LACEBARK ELM SOUTHERN LIVE OAK	13 12	16328 15072	
1256	CEDAR ELM	10		
1256	BIG TOOTH MAPLE	12	15072	
1256	MAIDENHAIR TREE	2	2512	
1256	SHUMARD OAK	18		
314 314	TEXAS RED BUD BUBBA DESERT WILLOW	7	2198 2826	
314	MEXICAN PLUM	10		
314	TEXAS MOUTIAN LAUREL	17	5338	
PROVIDED TREE CANOPY COVERAGE (SQFT)		136	130,310.0	
LANDSCAPE AREA POINT SYSTEM				
SECTION A. RIGHT OF WAY ELEMENTS				1
A LANDSCAPED BERM WITH A MAXIMUM 3:1 SIDE SLOPE ON 3' HIGH CONTINUOUS HEDGE OF EVERGREEN SHRUBS				
SECTION B. PARKING LOT LANDSCAPING ELEMENTS	1			
PORTION THEREOF) FOR LOTS OF TEN SPACES OR LESS, AT LE	AST ONE INTERNAL LANDSCAPI	E ISLAND IS REQUIRED BUT DOES NOT	HAVE TO BE CENTRALLY LOCATED	WITHIN A RO
END CAPS WITH AN AREA OF ATLEAST 9-FEET BY 18-FEET COI	NTAINING AT LEAST ONE LARGE	CANOPYTREE		
SECTION C. OTHER SITE LANDSCAPING ELEMENTS				
AT LEAST 75 % OF PLANTS ARE DROUGHT-TOLERANT				
BUTTERFLY OR POLLINATOR GARDENS THAT INCLUDE NATIV LANDSCAPE AREA. BUTTERFLY AND POLLINATOR GARDENS A				or plaza are
		SOUTH BUFFER - MF	WEST STREET BUFFER - PARK	NC
<b>BUFFER POINTS &amp; MIN. WIDTH REQUIREMENTS:</b>		(547 LF)	(562 LF)	
MULTIFAMILY & TOWNHOME		10' BUFFER WIDTH	10' BUFFER WIDTH	10
		N1 ( A	NI (A	
10 PLANTED STRIPE INCLUDING THE FOLLOWING: 30 SHRUBS PER 100' LF (5 GAL SIZE)		N/A N/A	N/A N/A	
5 EVERGREEN AND DECIDUOUS TREES PER 100' LF (3" CAL.)		N/A N/A	N/A N/A	
		TOTAL STREET FRONTAGE		PRO
STREET TREE REQUIEMENTS 1 CANOPY TREE PER 45 LF OF R.O.W			REQUIRED STREET TREES	P ROT
CRESCENT STREET		563		
LINDEN DRIVE EASTPARK BOULEVARD		551		
TOTAL		1670	1,670/45 = 38 STREET TREES	

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MIN. REQUIRED	PROVIDED	
315 / 20 = 15.75		
ARKING SPACES/ 8 BIKE RACKS	16 BIKE PARKING SPACES/ 8 BIKE RACKS	
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279,316 * .08 = 22,345		
22,345 SQFT	37,700 SQFT	
MIN. REQUIRED	PROVIDED	
142,198 * .07 = 8,768		
9,953.86 SQFT	14,925 SQFT	
142,198 * .05 = 6,263		
7, 109.9 SQFT	40,192 SQFT	
279,316 * .1 = 27,931		
27,931 SQFT	34,328 SQFT	
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279,316 * .2 = 55,863		
55,863 SQFT	130,310.0	
	BBOM	
MIN. REQUIRED: 40%	PROVIDED	
278,784 * .4 = 111,514		
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111,514 5([1]	120,210.0	
		REQUIRMENT: MIN. 30 POINTS
		POINTS
		5
		5
		POINTS
ROW OF PARKING SPACES		5
		5
		POINTS
		5
	EAST 5% OF ALL REQUIRED OVERALL	5
		POINT TOTAL: 30
NORTH BUFFER - MF	EAST BUFFER - SF	FORTIOTAL 30
(560 LF)	(462 LF)	REQUIREMENTS
10' BUFFER WIDTH	10' BUFFER WIDTH	
N/A	REQUIRED	PROVIDED
N/A	REQUIRED: 462/100 = 4.62*30 = 139 SHRUBS	139 SHRUBS
N/A	REQUIRED: 462/100 = 4.62*10 = 47 TREES	47 TREES
OVIDED STREET TREES		
39 STREET TREES		
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QTY	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	MIN. CONT.	MIN. CAL.	MIN. HT.	
9						REMARKS
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	Acer rubrum	Red Maple	CONT.	3" CAL	12-14` HT	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
17	Quercus muehlenbergii	Chinkapin Oak	CONT.	3" CAL	12-14` HT	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
12	Quercus virginiana	Southern Live Oak	CONT.	3" CAL	12-14` HT	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
10	Ulmus crassifolia	Cedar Elm	CONT.	3" CAL	12-14` HT	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
13	Ulmus parvifolia	Lacebark Elm	CONT.	3" CAL	12-14` HT	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
12	Acer grandidentatum	Bigtooth Maple	CONT.	3" CAL	14-16` HT.	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
2	Ginkgo biloba	Maidenhair Tree	CONT.	3" CAL	14-16` HT.	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT; ALL TREES OF THIS SPECIES SELECTED TO BE OF THE MALE VARIETY
18	Quercus shumardii	Shumard Oak	CONT.	3" CAL	14-16` HT.	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
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7	Cercis canadensis texensis 'Oklahoma'	Oklahoma Texas Redbud	CONT.	2" CAL	12-14` HT.	STRONG CENTRAL LEADER; MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
9	Chilopsis linearis 'Bubba'	Bubba Desert Willow	CONT.	2" CAL	12-14` HT.	MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
10	Prunus mexicana	Mexican Plum	CONT.	2" CAL	12-14` HT.	MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
17	Sophora secundiflora	Texas Mountain Laurel	CONT.	2" CAL	12-14` HT.	MATCHING; 4' CLEAR HEIGHT
QTY	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	MIN. CONT.	SPACING	MIN. HT.	REMARKS
					1	
120	Abelia x grandiflora 'Kaleidoscope'	Kaleidoscope Glossy Abelia	5 GAL		36"	
235	llex cornuta 'Burfordii Nana'	Dwarf Burford Holly	5 GAL		36"	
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15,719 sf	Butterfly / Pollinator Mix	Butterfly / Pollinator Mix	PALETTE	12" O.C.		NATIVE AMERICAN SEED ' BUTERFLY RETREAT' MIX 15LBS PER ACRE
4,529 sf	PLANTING AREA	PLANTING AREA	-			50% SHRUBS 25% GRASSES 22% GROUND COVERS 3% ANNUALS
11,829 sf	Trachelospermum asiaticum	Asiatic Jasmine	PALETTE	12" O.C.		
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34,000 sf	Cynodon dactylon `Tifway 419`	Bermuda Grass	SOLID SOD			
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		Alternate placement of rec

		REFERENC	E NOTES SCHEDULE	
	ROW Centerline	SYMBOL	PLANTING, LANDSCAPE DESCRIPTION	QTY
оне ——	Ex. Overhead Electric	PA-101	REQUIRED OPEN SPACE	37,605 sf
	Development Impact Area			
	Ex./Prop. Easement	 		
	Landscape Buffer	(PA-102)	REQUIRED BUFFER	9,926 sf
	Parking Buffer			
	ADA Route	(PA-103)	REQUIRED STREET BUFFER	15,276 sf
O	Courtyard/Backyard Fencing			

## NOTE

Alternate placement of required Street

Trees along Cresecent Street

PE Parking Endcap Tree

BT Buffer Tree

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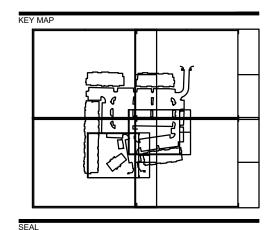
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ORIGINAL SHEET SIZE: 24" X 36"

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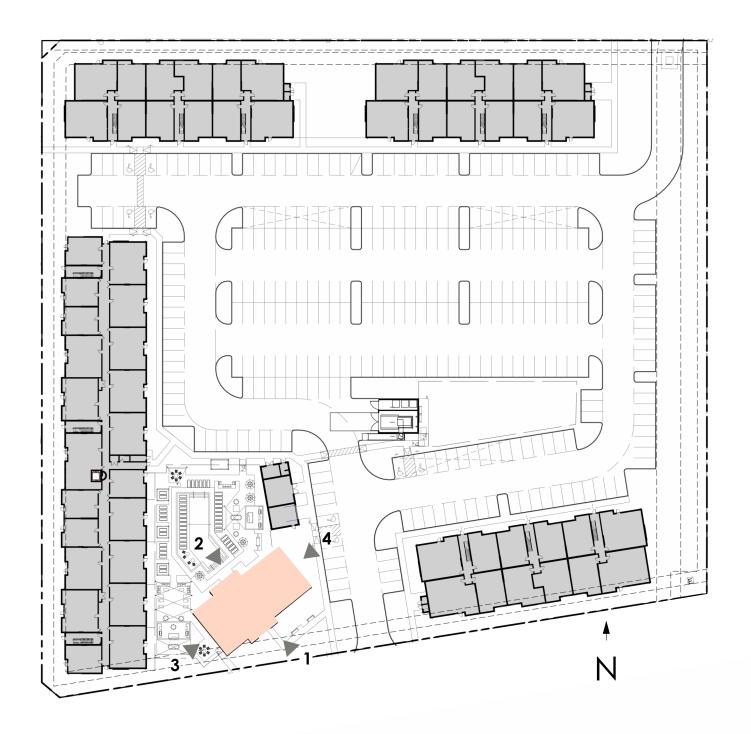


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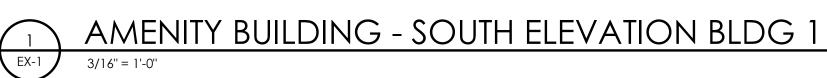
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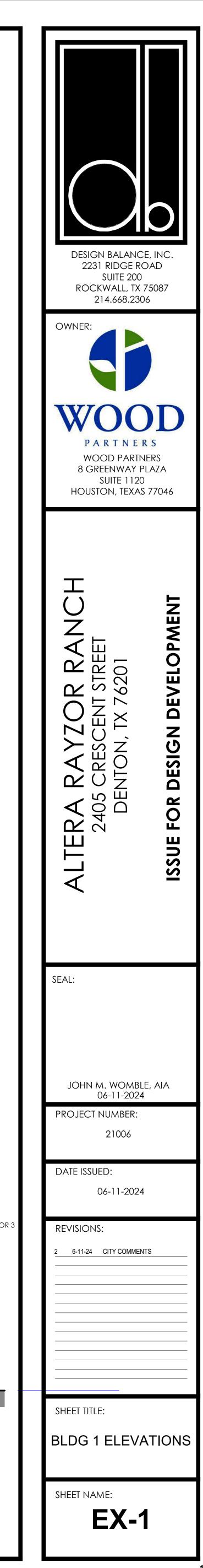


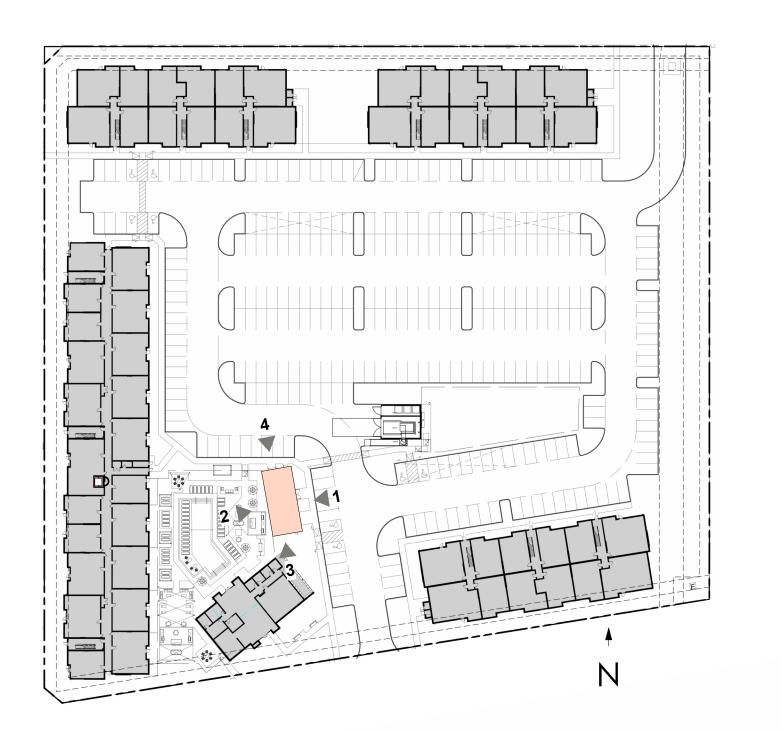
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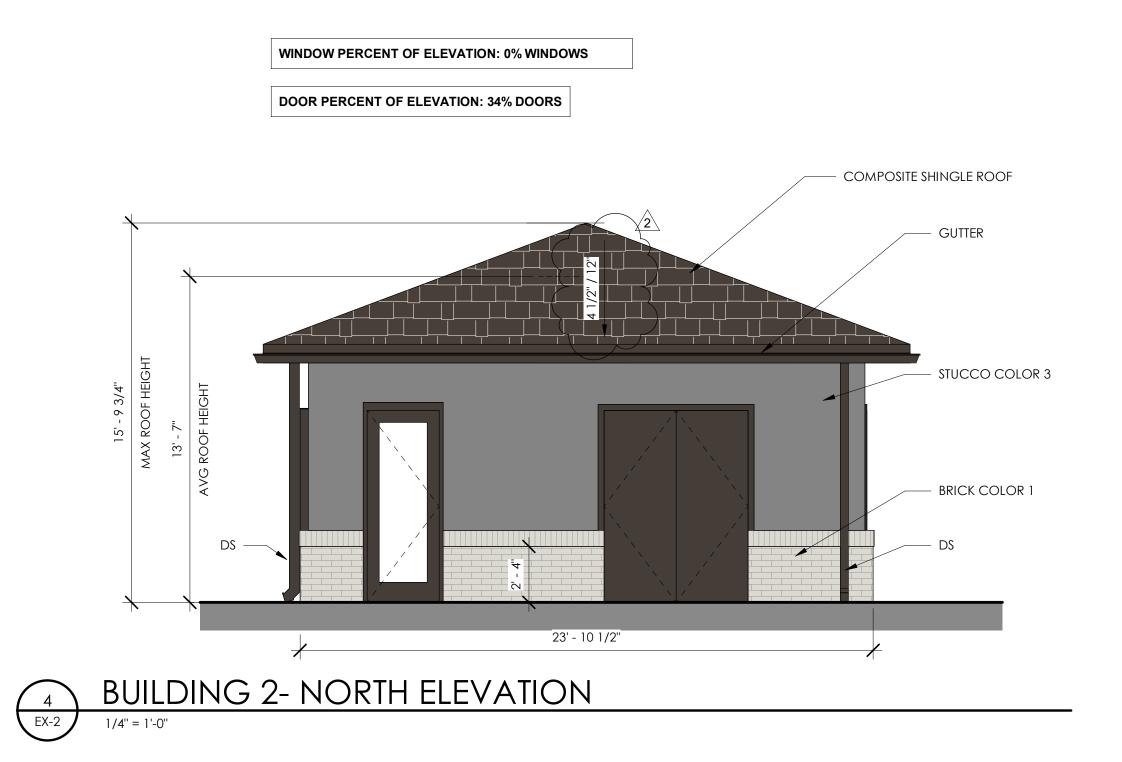


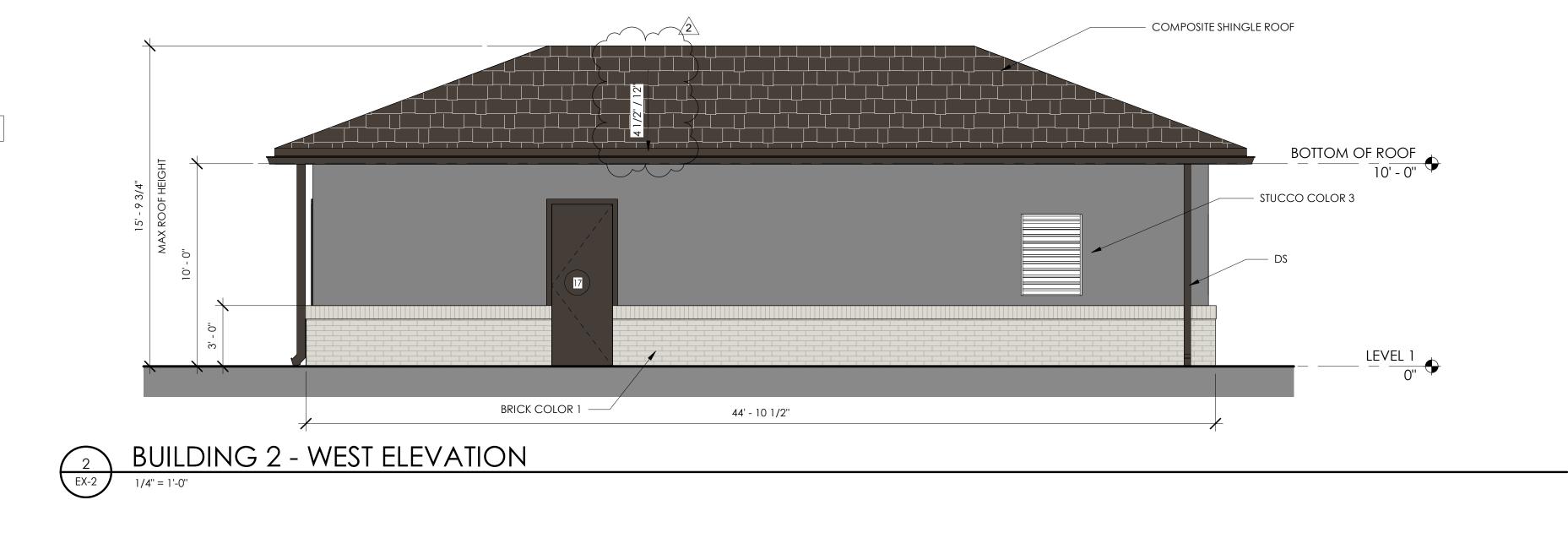
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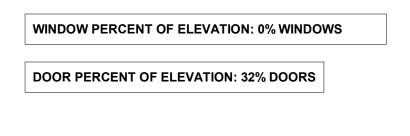




EXTERIOR FINISHES SCHEDULE
BRICK COLOR 1: WINTERSTONE
BRICK Color 2: Bordeaux
<b>STUCCO</b> COLOR 3: SW 7067 CITYSCAPE
STUCCO COLOR 4: SW 7043 WORLDLY
FIBER CEMENT LAP SIDING COLOR 5: SW 7069 IRON ORE
<b>MISC.</b> Color 6: SW 7048 Urbane Bronze
FIBER CEMENT TRIM COLOR 7: SW 7551 GREEK VILLA

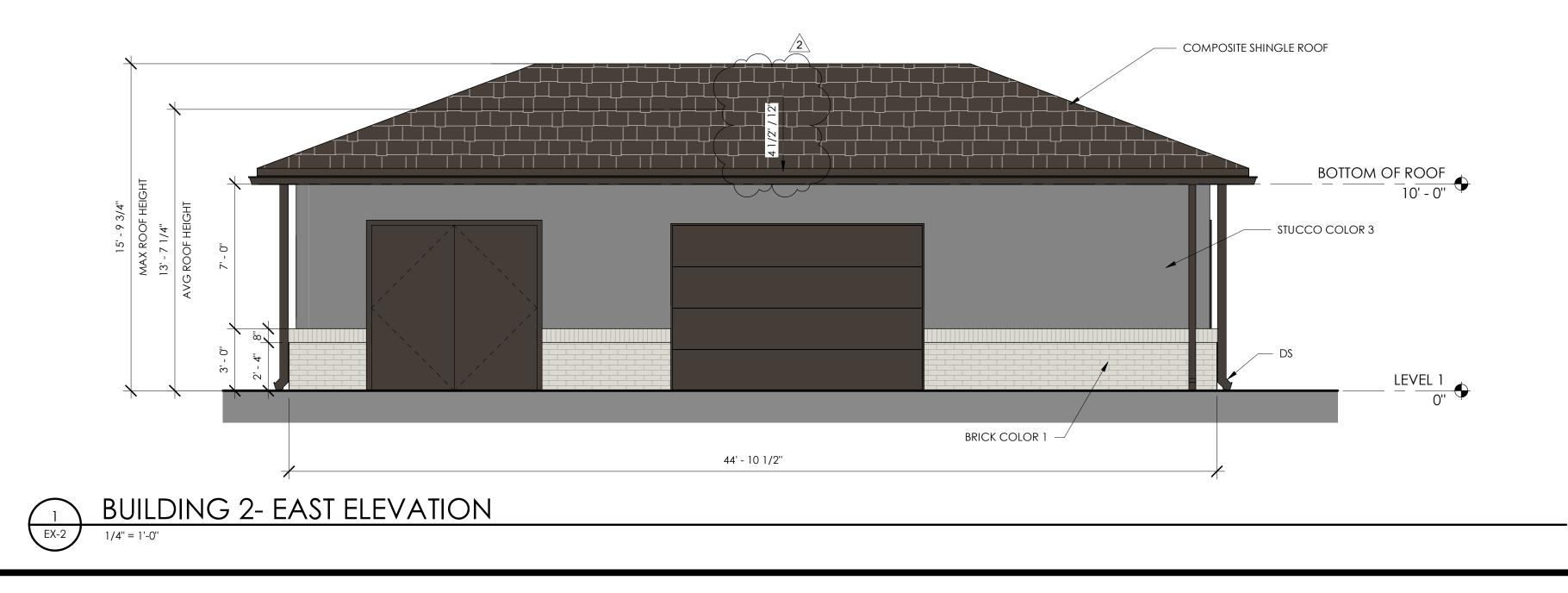


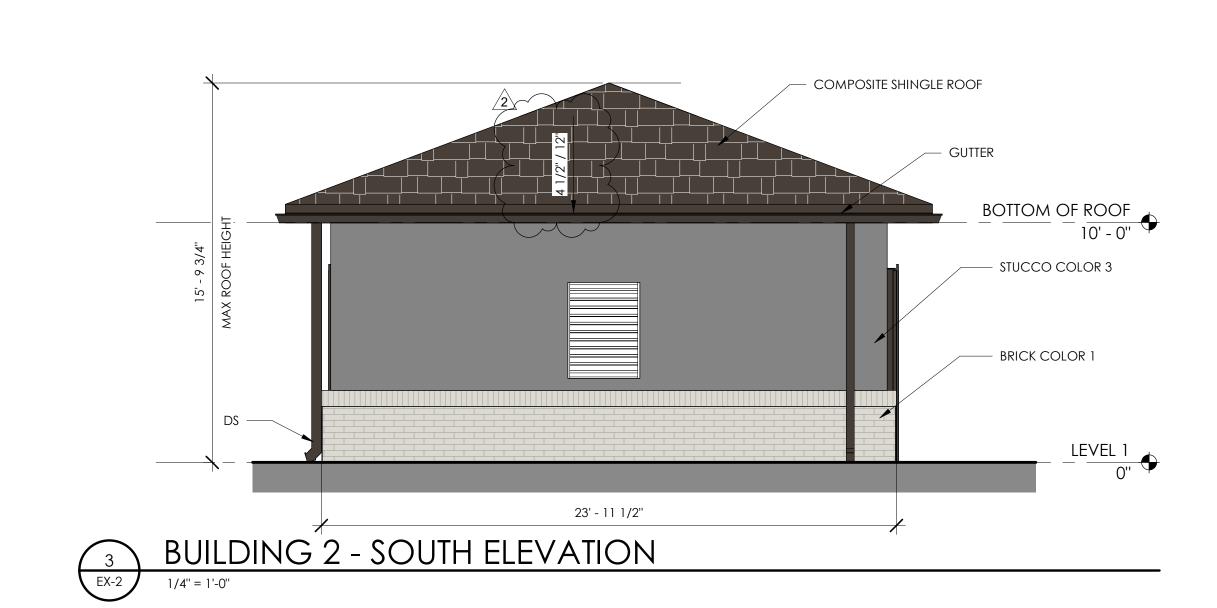




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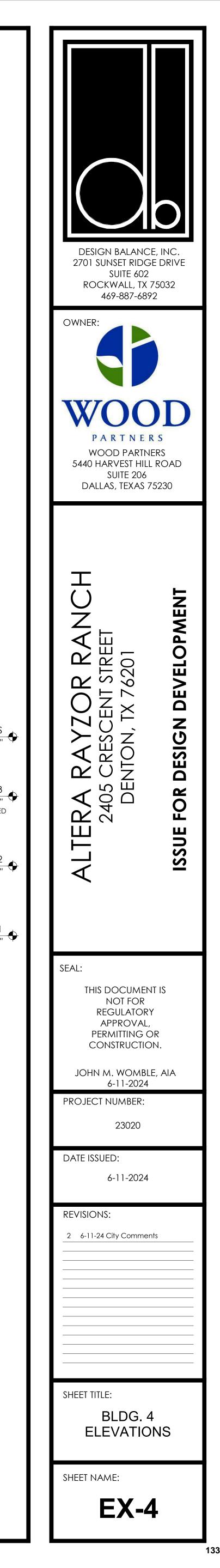


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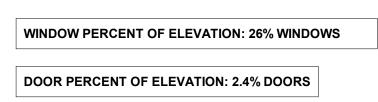














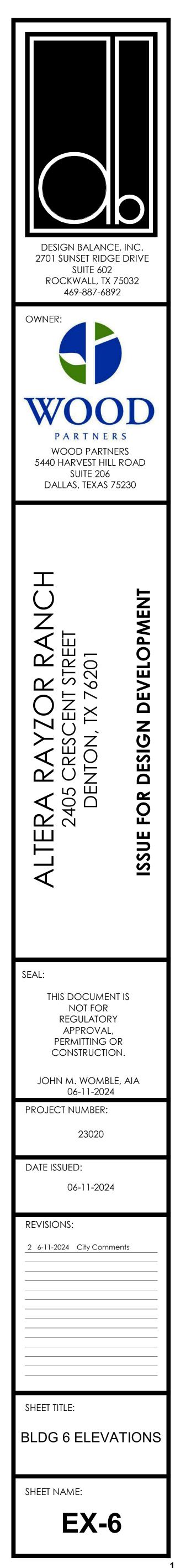


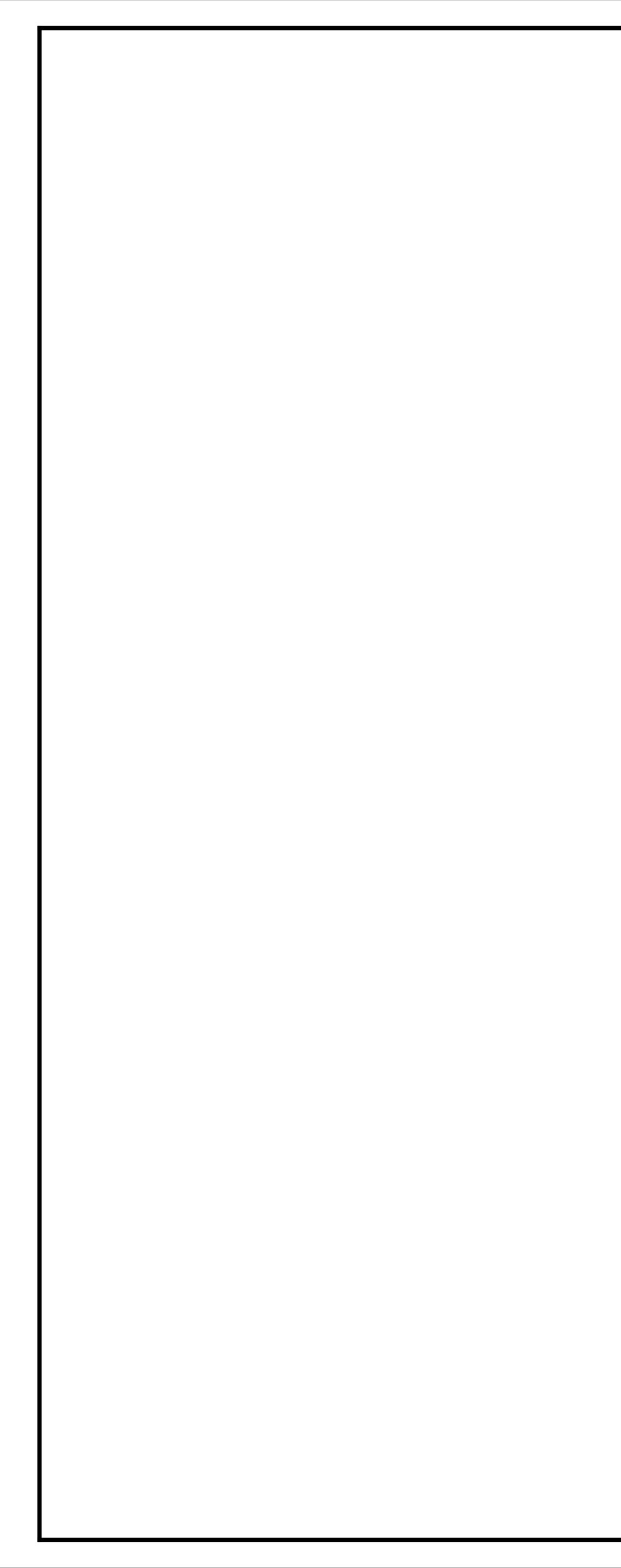
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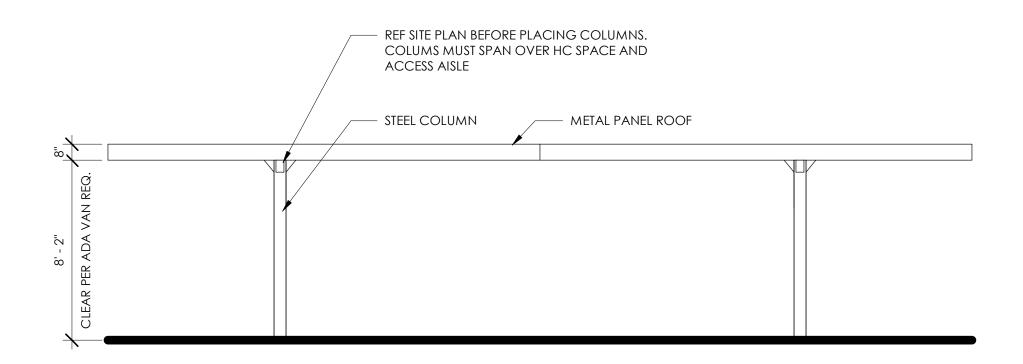
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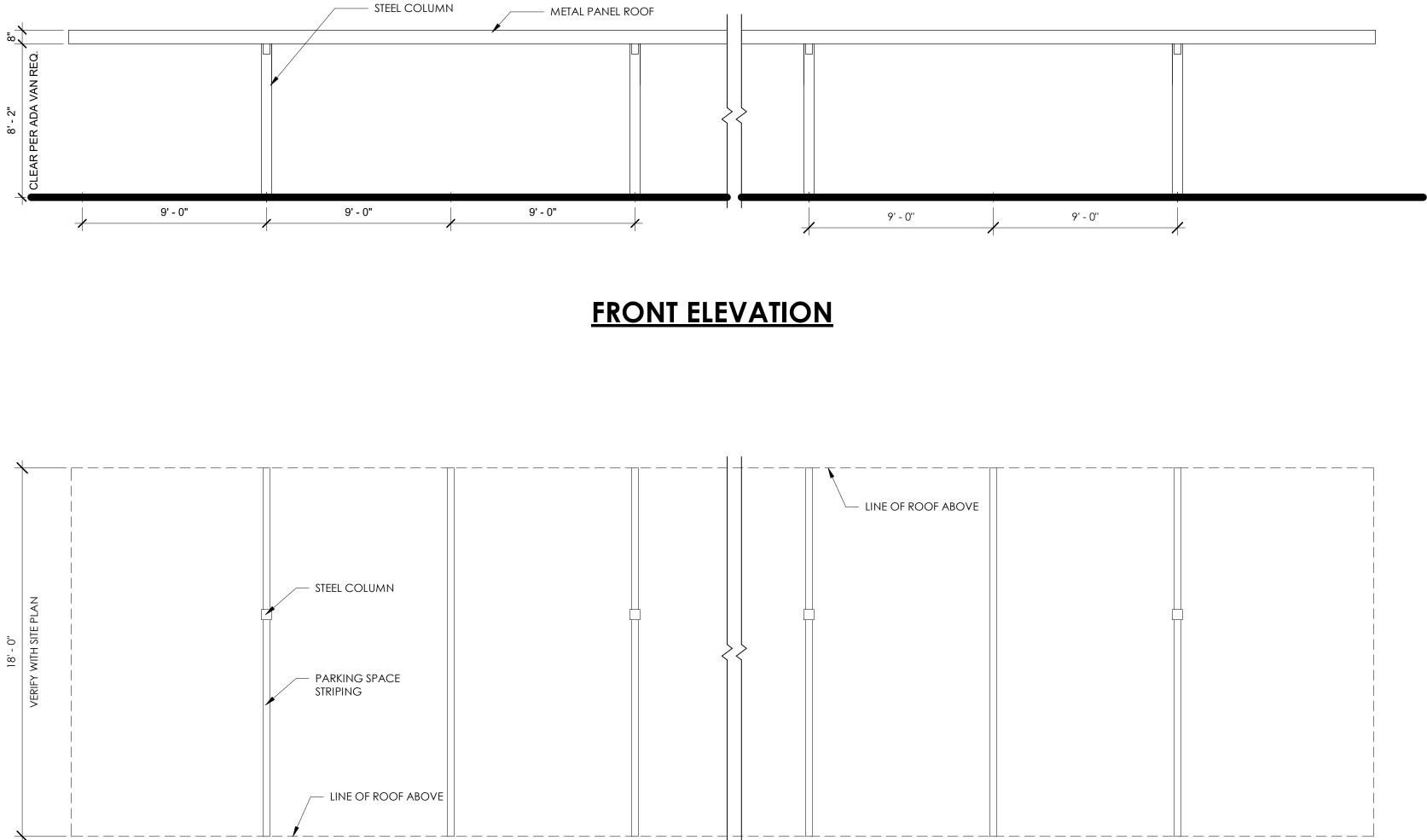
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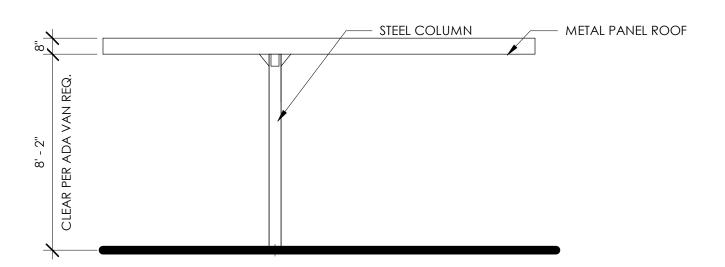




# NOTES:

1.CONFIRM AT HANDICAP ACCESSIBLE CARPORT SPACES THAT NO STRUCTURAL MEMBERS ENCROACH ON STALL WIDTH AND CLEARANCES. COLUMNS CANNOT LAND IN ACCESSIBE AISLES, AND MUST SPAN THE HC SPACE AND AISLE.

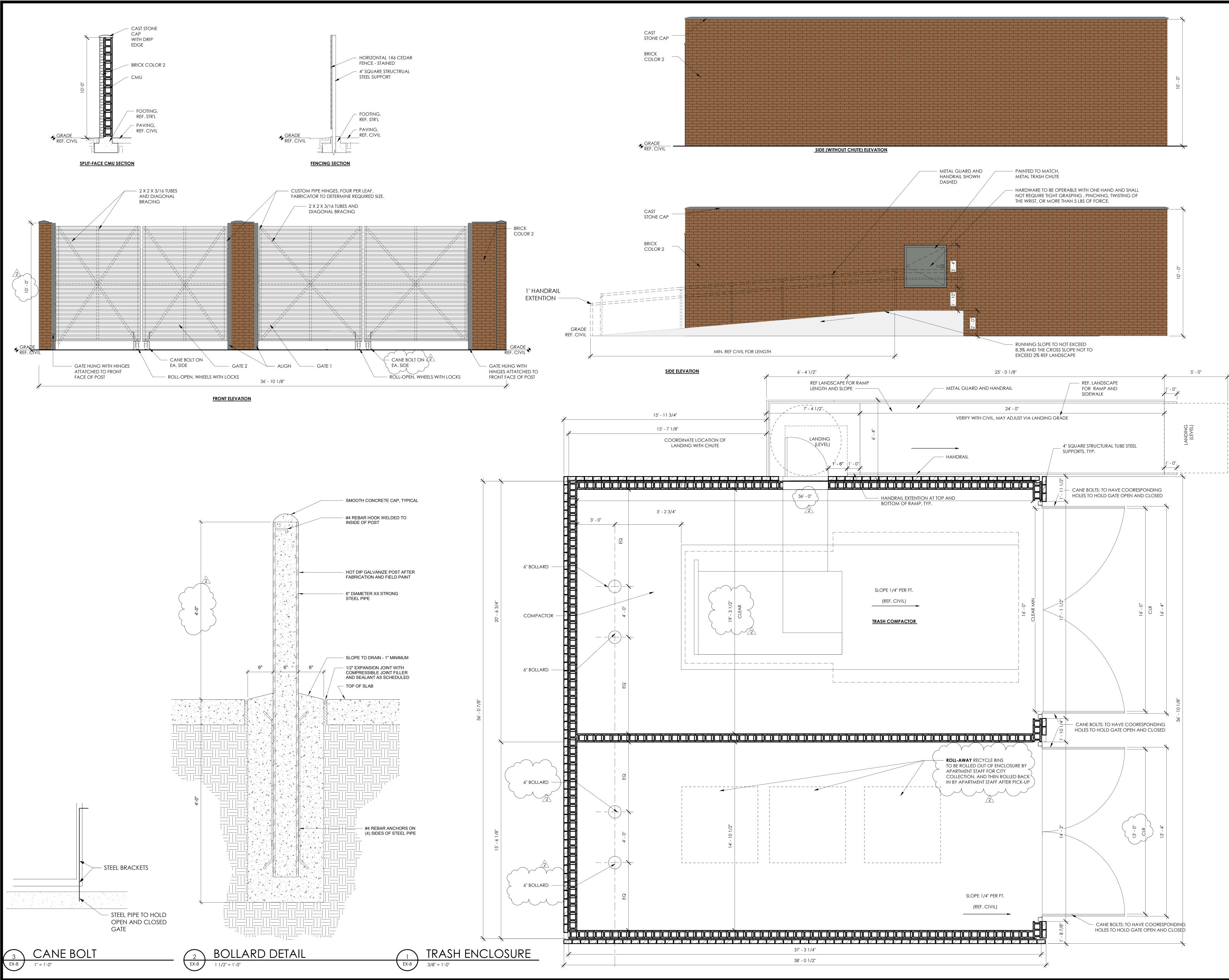
2. CARPORTS ARE A PRE-ENGINEERED METAL STRUCTURE



# **SECTION SINGLE BAY**

<u>PLAN</u> (SEE NOTE FOR HC SPOT CONDITIONS)







ALTERA RAYZOR RANCH																										06.11.20
	1 Bedroom				1 Bedroom	with Study			2 Bedroom					3 Bedroom			TOTALS		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2				(		
UNIT TYPE	1A	1B	1F	1F ANSI	1C	1D	1E	<b>1E ANSI</b>	2A	2B	2B ANSI	2C	2C ANSI	3A	3B	<b>3B ANSI</b>	Units per Bldg	Apart. NRSF per Bldg	Apart. Gross per Bldg	No. of Bldgs	Total Units	Storage	Circulation	Total NSF	TOTAL GSF	Apart. Net
AREA (SF)	767	789	712	712	854	858	903	903	1,064	1,127	1,127	1,076	1,076	1,238	1,342	1,342								(NIC Circ.SF or Stor SF)	$\langle \mathcal{A} \rangle$	Efflciency
Floor 1 (Ground)	4	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	10,789	12,027		24	0	902	21,578	24,054	89.71%
Floor 2	4	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	10,789	11,667		24	0	902	21,578	23,334	92.47%
Floor 3	1	2	0	0	3	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	11,050	11,938		24	0	902	22,100	23,876	92.56%
Subtotal	9	6	0	0	3	3	3	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	36			2	72	0	2,706			
Fotal SF/Type	6,903	4,734	0	0	2,562	2,574	2,709	0	6,384	6,762	0	0	0	0	0	0	32,628	32,628	35,632					65,256	71,264	91.57%
Floor 1 (Ground)	4	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	12	11,137	12,424		12	0	902	11,137	12,424	89.64%
Floor 2	4	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	12	11,137	12,014		12	0	670	11,137	12,014	92.70%
Floor 3	1	2	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	12	11,398	12,283		12	0	670	11,398	12,283	92.79%
Subtotal	9	6	0	0	3	3	2	1	0	5	1	0	0	6	0	0	36			1	36	0	2,242			
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Floor 1 (Ground)	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	1	0	21	20,314	24,711		21	162	3,712	20,314	24,711	82.21%
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Floor 3	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	1	21	20,678	24,587		21	0	3,538	20,678	24,587	84.10%
Floor 4	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	1	0	21	20,678	24,587		21	0	3,538	20,678	24,587	84.10%
Subtotal	0	0	23	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	1	0	3	1	84			1	84	162	14,326			
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SUBTOTAL	27	18	23	2	9	9	8	1	12	17	1	54	1	6	3	1				4	192	162	19,274			
Total SF/Type	20,709	14,202	16,376	1,424	7,686	7,722	7,224	903	12,768	19,159	1,127	58,104	1,076	7,428	4,026	1,342								181,276	206,457	87.80%

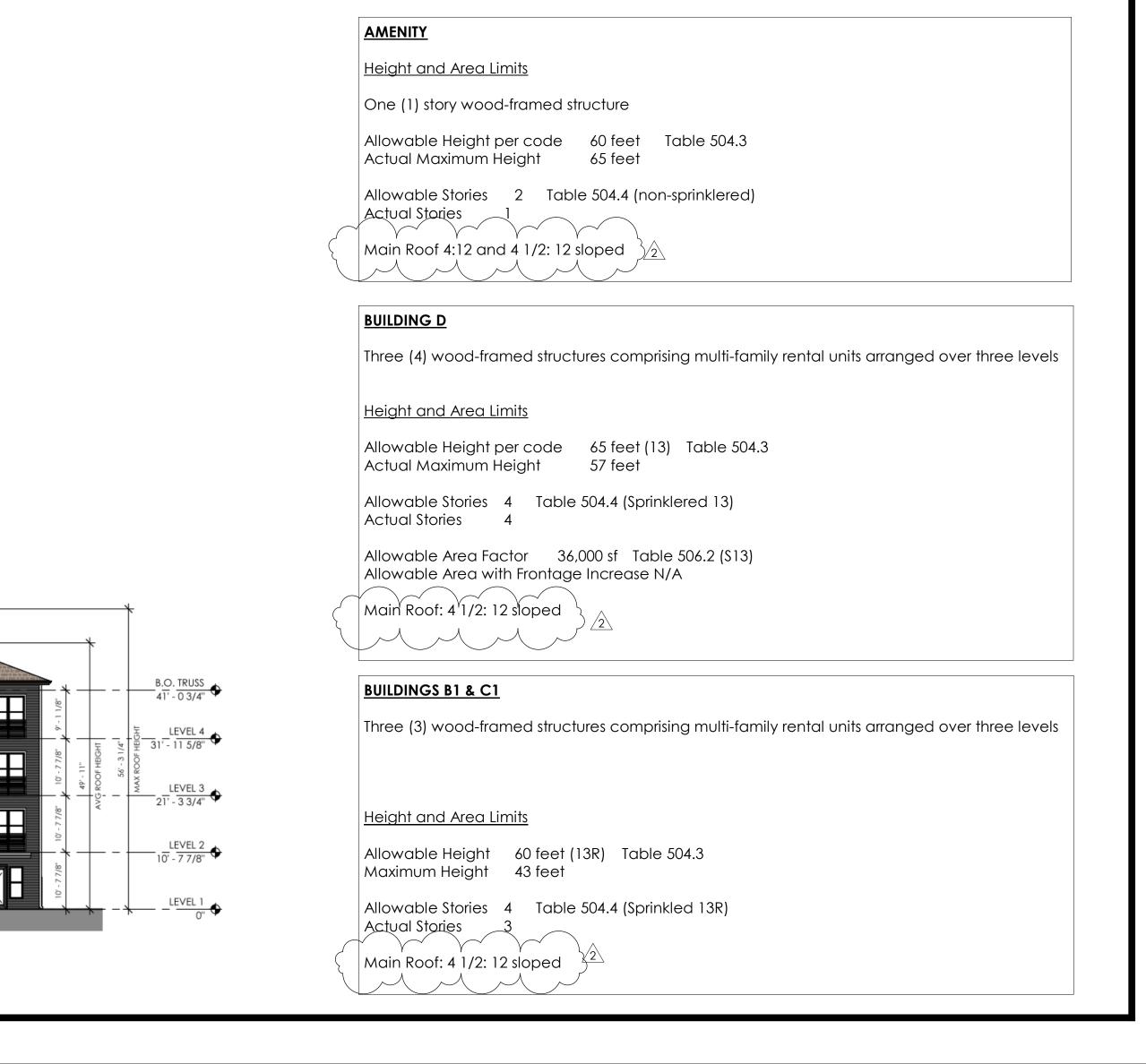
Unit Type Distribution	Count	Avg SF	Mix
1 BR	97	786	51%
2 BR	85	1085	44%
3 BR	10	1280	5%
Totals	192	944	100%

AMENITY	GSF:	3,837
TEAL	GSF:	1,078
APARTMENTS	GSF:	206,457
TOTAL GSF:		211,372

UNITS IN 4 STORY BUILDING D









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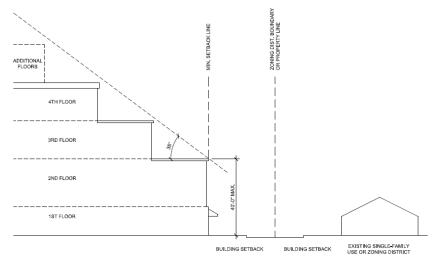
#### **EXHIBIT C-2A**

#### RAYZOR RANCH SOUTH MIXED-USE DISTRICT-1 and RAYZOR RANCH SOUTH MIXED-USE DISTRICT-2 MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL GUIDELINES

The following provisions apply to all Multi-Family Tracts and Lots located east of Heritage Trail, within Rayzor Ranch South Mixed-Use District-1 (SMUD) and Rayzor Ranch South Mixed-Use District-2 (SMUD-2). The Standards apply to Multi-Family and Age Restricted Multi-Family (Residents Restricted to 55 years and older).

#### A. Site Design & Orientation

- Buildings shall be located within 20 feet of the property line for at least 50% of the total frontage along all public streets. Up to an additional 10 feet from the property line may be granted to this 20 feet restriction for 25% of the total frontage; to reasonably accommodate enhanced sidewalks, street trees, landscaping, or other requirements that would otherwise be limited due to easements or other encumbrances. This provision does not establish a maximum setback for the remaining 50% of the building.
- 2. Parking is not permitted between front facades of buildings and the R.O.W. property line. On street parking is permitted.
- All buildings abutting an existing single-family use outside of Rayzor Ranch Overlay District and east of Bonnie Brae Street shall comply with the Residential Proximity Slope. No part of any building may extend beyond the Residential Proximity Slope.
  - a. Residential Proximity Slope is represented by two planes projected upward and outward from a specific property or site, as defined by the text and diagrams below:
    - 1) The first plane is a vertical plane extending through the boundary line of a specific property or site at the building setback line up to a height of 45 feet.
    - The second plane extends upwards and towards the restricted building at a slope of 35 degrees from horizontal, from its intersection with the top of the first plane.
    - The horizontal distances used to calculate the height restrictions imposed by the residential proximity slope may be determined by using the lot, block, and right- ofway dimensions.



A RESIDENTIAL PROXIMITY SLOPE IS REQUIRED IF THE NEW DEVELOPMENT SHARES A PROPERTY LINE WITH AN EXISTING SINGLE-FAMILY USE OR ZONING DISTRICT. A 33-DEORER RESIDENTIAL PROXIMITY SLOPE ANGLE IS MEASURED FROM A POINT 40 FEET ABOVE GRADE AT THE MINIMUM SETBACK LINE.



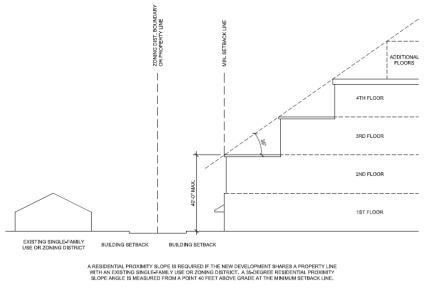


Figure 2

- 4. Buildings shall front on public streets and/or a private street system and may have secondary frontages onto parking lots.
- 5. Buildings shall be directly accessed from the street and the sidewalk with a minimum of one ground floor pedestrian entrance per building oriented toward the street or sidewalk.
  - a. Accessory structures such as carports, garages and storage units (but not including leasing offices, club houses or recreation centers) shall not be located along public right-of-way or private streets within the Rayzor Ranch District.
  - b. "Tuck under" or extended garages may occupy no more than 45% of the total building frontage. This measurement does not apply to garages facing an alley, courtyard, or parking field entrance. Any garage may not extend beyond the building front. Garages that are at least 30 feet behind the building front may exceed the 45% frontage minimum. Garages shall not be located along the portion of the building that fronts the public or private street.

#### B. Architectural Standards

- 1. Building frontages greater than 100 feet in length shall have recesses, projections, windows, arcades or other distinctive features to interrupt the length of building façade. Elements including, but not limited to, balconies, setbacks, and recesses or projections greater than 16 inches may be used to articulate individual units or collections of units.
- 2. Uninhabitable building features, outdoor patios (covered or uncovered), and architectural building feature elements (fountains, towers, awnings, trellis, outdoor gazebos for multi-family, or similar) may encroach upon the front setback or side setback (by as much as 10 feet).
- 3. Un-enclosed stairwells shall not be located on the exterior of any buildings. Stoops are permitted for the entrance to ground level units directly accessible from the sidewalk.
- 4. Use of false door or window openings shall be defined by frames, sills, and lintels.

- 5. All building façades shall include no less than 3 of the elements listed below. Elements shall occur at intervals of no more than 100 feet horizontally or 20 feet vertically. Vertical architectural design features, such as towers, are not required to comply with the 20 feet vertical requirement.
  - a. Color change.
  - b. Texture change.
  - c. Material change.
  - d. Medallions / accent pieces.
  - e. Decorative light fixtures.
- 6. Roofs:
  - a. If pitched roof forms (gable, hip, shed) with overhanging eaves are used, they shall be between 4 inches of vertical rise to 12 inches of horizontal run, and 12 inches of vertical rise to 12 inches of horizontal run.
  - b. Metal standing seam roofing allowed.
  - c. Asphalt roofing shingles shall be dimensional (shadow line) type and at least a "40 year" shingle.
  - d. Clay tile, concrete tile, and slate are permitted materials.
  - e. Distinctively shaped roof forms, detailed parapets, parapet steps, or exaggerated cornice lines should be incorporated into rooflines along building façades greater than 75 feet in length.
  - f. Flat roofs are permitted and must have parapets as required to screen any roof top equipment (equal to height of equipment). Walls adjoining flat roofs must contain a distinctive finish at the top of the wall such as a cornice, banding, large coping, or other architectural termination.
  - g. All sloped roofing areas shall include gutters and downspouts except for small roof areas such as, but not limited to, roofs over bay windows, awnings, and canopies.
- 7. Materials and Colors:
  - a. For all facades that face a public or private street, windows and doors shall comprise at least 20% of the wall area. All other facades may be reduced to 10%, or may provide one window or door per sleeping area (as defined by the Building Code), whichever method provides for the greater coverage of windows and doors. Shutters, trims, or false windows, shall not count toward the minimum requirement.
  - b. For all facades that face a public or private street, a minimum of 60% of the total net exterior wall area of each building elevation, excluding gables, windows, doors and related trim, are encouraged to be clay fired brick or native/natural stone. The balance of the 40% net exterior wall is encouraged to be comprised of at least 2 of the following materials.
    - 1) Stucco
    - 2) EIFS. When used, EIFS shall be a minimum of 8 feet above grade/walkway.
    - 3) Prefinished metal panels and siding materials with a dimensional shape (depth of approximately 1 inch or greater). All materials must have a factory finish with a 20 year warranty.
    - 4) Cement fiber siding such as Nichiha. All siding members must be individual boards or panels. (Soffits may utilize sheet materials of approximately 4' x 8')
    - 5) Cast stone.
  - c. For all other facades that do not face a public or private street, a minimum of 40% of total net exterior wall area of each building elevation, excluding gables, windows, doors and related trim, is encouraged to be clay fired brick or native/natural stone. The balance of the 60% net exterior wall is encouraged to be comprised of at least 2 of the following materials.
    1) Stucco
    - 2) EIFS. When used, EIFS shall be a minimum of 8 feet above grade/walkway.

- 3) Prefinished metal panels and siding materials with a dimensional shape (depth of approximately 1 inch or greater). All materials must have a factory finish with a 20 year warranty.
- 4) Cement fiber siding such as Nichiha. All siding members must be individual boards or panels. (Soffits may utilize sheet materials of approximately 4' x 8')
- 5) Cast stone.
- d. It is preferred that no individual building material, with the exception of clay fired brick or native/natural stone comprise more than 50% of the net exterior wall area of each building elevation.
- e. All buildings within a particular project shall be constructed of building materials from a similar color and material palette. This is not intended to require similar materials with adjacent properties within Rayzor Ranch. General color palette shall be of earth tones, gray tones, and neutral colors with other accent colors permitted up to a maximum of 10% of each façade.
- f. Windows may be residential type vinyl, aluminum, fiberglass, or wood with insulated glass. Storefront glazing systems are also permitted. Window surrounds (trim) are required in all walls other than brick or stone.
- 8. Public entrances to buildings shall be clearly defined and highly visible including features such as, canopies, porticos, awnings, peaked roof features, towers, or similar architectural forms and details.

#### C. Accessory Structures

- 1. Accessory structures (including parking structures, detached garages, and storage units) shall complement the main building architecture and use the same materials and color palette.
- 2. Accessory structures visible from a public or private street or a residential use or district are subject to the same masonry and roofing material requirements as the main buildings but are not subject to the other building design standards. Garage doors shall be metal or metal faced with wood.

#### CI. Landscaping

- 1. Street Trees shall be provided along all public and private streets consistent with the requirements in Subchapter 7.7.7 of the Denton Development Code.
- 2. All parking lots and areas for vehicle maneuvering or loading must be screened from view from public and private streets by a 10-foot landscape screening buffer. The 10-foot buffer is the area located between the right-of-way and the parking lot. Utility easements are allowed to count towards part of the 10-foot wide right-of-way landscape screening buffer subject to required separation from utilities. The landscape screening buffer shall contain the following items.
  - a. One large tree for every 40 feet or three small accent trees for every 30 feet. If small trees are used, they shall be clustered as appropriate.
  - b. Landscape plantings containing at least one of the following:
    - Xeriscaping landscaping may be planted within the landscape area and shall require water irrigation for a period of 3 years for landscaping to be established. After 3 years, no irrigation is required.
    - 2) A minimum 3 foot high, when mature, continuous row of evergreen shrubs. The shrubs may be grouped and not planted in a continuous row provided that the shrubs overlap to form a continuous buffer.
    - 3) A minimum 3 foot high continuous wall made of any combination of wrought iron,

stone, brick, or masonry. If wrought iron is used, vines shall be grown on the wrought iron to help screen the parking lot.

- 4) A grass or landscaped berm, 3 feet high above the parking pavement surface.
- 3. A minimum of 7% of the total parking area shall be landscaped.
- 4. A minimum of 5% of the total parking area shall be covered by tree canopy at maturity.
- 5. Landscape islands shall be evenly distributed throughout the parking areas at a maximum average spacing of 12 spaces. All landscape islands and endcaps shall be landscaped with sod or groundcover and include one large tree.
- 6. A 10 foot landscape buffer is required along the entire property line abutting a single-family use or district. The buffer shall include a combination of 6 evergreen and deciduous trees and 25 shrubs per 100 linear feet.
- 7. A minimum of 20% tree canopy at maturity is required. For the high density Multi-Family lot, trees may be planted in Civic Land or Park Land on the South Campus and the tree canopy be used as mitigation towards up to one-half of the canopy requirement.
- 8. See Appendix A for Plant List and Appendix B for Tree Mitigation List.

#### E. Open Space & Amenities

- 1. An area equal to at least 8% of the lot area, excepting required setbacks, shall be dedicated to open space for recreation for use by the tenants of the development. Mixed-use developments of greater than 25 units per acre may be allowed to reduce from this requirement to 5% of lot area.
- 2. Areas covered by shrubs, bark mulch and other ground covers which do not provide a suitable surface for human use may not be counted toward this requirement.
- 3. Private decks, patios, pool areas, and similar areas are eligible for up to 5% of the 8% required open space, or up to 2-1/2% of the 5% required.

#### F. Lighting

- 1. Lighting shall be provided for vehicular, pedestrian, signage and architectural and site features.
- 2. Site lighting fixtures used along entrance driveways and in parking areas shall be no taller than 25 feet high and the fixtures shall be of a consistent design within each project. This is not intended to require a consistent design within the whole of Rayzor Ranch.
- 3. Parking areas shall have a minimum average of 1 foot candle initial illumination. Maximum illumination at property lines where the adjacent property allows single family or multi-family uses shall not exceed 0.1 foot candles.
- 4. Light sources shall be LED. Yellow/orange source lights are prohibited from use in parking or drive areas, must be greater than minimum 2700 Kelvin.
- 5. Identification graphics and signs shall be lighted internally or from ground mounted locations. If ground mounted, light fixtures should be screened from view in front of the sign.
- 6. Illumination for all parking lots and pedestrian spaces shall commence one half hour before sunset and cease one half hour after sunrise.
- 7. Lights shall generally be shielded to prevent upward diffusion (full cut off). Up-lighting is only permitted for building elevations that are in excess of 150 feet from a single family residential use or district. LED light source is required for all such accent lighting.

#### G. Service & Security Areas

- 1. Service areas for common use recreation and activity buildings shall be located at the rear or side yard of the buildings. Such areas must not be visible from public roadways. No service or delivery vehicles may park or load/unload on public roadways, primary entrance drives or in visitor drop-off areas.
- 2. Service, loading and storage areas shall not encroach on any landscape area.
- 3. When used, guard houses (manned or unmanned) and entrance gates shall be a minimum of 60 feet from the property line.
- 4. When used, gate controls, card pads and intercom boxes shall be located in driveway islands adequate distances from the gate to allow "U-turning" without backing onto the public street.

#### H. Parking & Circulation

- 1. Parking areas must be paved with concrete, concrete pavers or brick pavers and curbed and guttered with concrete. Access drives must be paved, curbed and guttered with concrete in accordance with the development standards promulgated by the City.
- 2. Parking areas must be sufficient to accommodate all parking needs for employees, company vehicles, residents, invitees and visitors without the use of on-street parking. If parking needs increase on any building site, additional off-street parking must be provided by the Owner of such building site. The number of parking spaces must be provided as follows:
  - a. Multi-Family Development
    - 1) Studio unit or 1 bedroom units 501 to 600 sq. ft.
    - 2) 1 bedroom unit 601 sq. ft. or larger.
    - 3) 2 bedroom units
    - 4) 3 bedroom units
    - 5) 4 bedroom units or more

- 1.0 space/unit 1.5 space/unit 1.75 space/unit 2.0 space/unit 1.0 space/bedroom
- b. Age Restricted Multi-Family Development 1 space per dwelling unit.
- c. No additional guest parking is required.
- 3. See Diagram 1 for Island Example.
- 4. Pedestrian Connectivity:
  - a. Provide a logical layout for vehicular and pedestrian circulation to help minimize the conflicts between the two. When there are crossings or common path areas, provide well marked or differentiated pathways.
  - b. Sidewalks shall be provided along all sides of the lot that abut a public right-of-way and where otherwise required to promote pedestrian connectivity within the site and to adjacent properties. At a minimum, walkways shall connect focal points of pedestrian activity such as, but not limited to, transit stops, street crossings, building entry point.

#### I. Fencing

- If walls and fencing are used to secure the perimeter of a building site in a multi-family zone, they must be 6 feet to 8 feet high and constructed of materials and finishes that match the buildings. "Wrought iron" style metal fencing is allowed provided it is interrupted with masonry columns or walls (to match the building) such that no run of metal fencing exceeds 40 feet. Metal fencing is to be powder coated or otherwise pre-finished. Field painting is only allowed for touch up when required. Walls/fences located in the front yards or forward of the front building line shall be no more than 50% opaque.
- 2. Walls and columns must be constructed with appropriate structural footings and foundations to minimize movement and wall failure, and must be constructed with level wall/fence tops.

- 3. Concrete walls (precast, cast-in-place, or tilt up) regardless of texture, finish and color are not permitted.
- 4. Fencing shall be setback a minimum of 5 feet from the sidewalk or 10 feet from the back of curb along a public or private street, whichever is greater. Additionally, fencing shall comply with the sight visibility triangle requirements in the City's Transportation Criteria Manual.

## J. Screening (Dumpsters & Mechanical Equipment)

- 1. Storage areas, incinerators, storage tanks, trucks based on the premises, roof objects (including fans, vents, cooling towers, skylights and all roof-mounted equipment which rises above the roof line), trash containers and maintenance facilities, shall either be housed in closed buildings or otherwise completely screened from view from public access ways and adjacent properties. Service, loading and storage areas shall be screened from view by walls, berms or a combination thereof, constructed a minimum 1 foot above all service equipment, such as trash containers, incinerators, storage tanks and cooling towers. Dumpsters and recycling containers shall be screened from public view on three sides with a solid fence or wall constructed of brick, stone, or composite wood with metal posts and frame, only if compatible with building material.
- 2. No satellite dish shall be placed in an area visible from a public way and no dish shall be mounted to a balcony, unless not visible from public way.
- 3. Air conditioning units/compressors shall be located in clusters or linear groups and they shall be screened from view of public streets and pedestrian amenity areas by the use of parapet walls or screens of materials to match the building façade. If ground mounted, screens to be walls including berms, evergreen planting, or a combination thereof. Height of shrubs, at planting, shall be no less than 30 inches above the grade, and spaced no further than 36 inches apart. Screening walls shall be of a height of 1 foot above the units.
- 4. Utility meters shall be located in clusters or groups preferably in separate structures or on either end of the building's exterior walls. If located on the ends of the building, they shall be screened from view with a wall finished to match the building material with evergreen plantings, and allow convenient accessibility by the utility company. Height of screen to be 1 foot above height of utility meters.

## K. Signage

- 1. Each property shall be allowed one monument sign with a maximum height of 6 feet and maximum effective area of 60 square feet at each entry into the development. Related architectural features (such as clock towers, obelisks, etc) may be taller than six feet provided the signage mounted to such features is at a maximum height of six feet.
- 2. Building sites which front other perimeter public streets and have no access to that public street, may install one monument sign with a maximum height of 6 feet and maximum effective area of 60 square feet.
- 3. Monument signs are required to be setback a minimum of 10 feet from any public or private street and 10 feet from any rear or side property lines.
- 4. Directional signage is permitted and shall be limited to an effective sign area of 25 square feet and shall not exceed 5 feet in height.
- 5. Flashing or moving character signs may not be installed. Illuminated signs must be rear lighted or lighted from non-apparent light sources. Illuminated signs shall not be permitted to face an adjoining lot that is for residential use.
- 6. Each building elevation shall be allowed one wall sign limited to a maximum effective area no greater than 5% of the wall area to which the sign is attached. If signs are illuminated, it shall

be from gooseneck or similar wall mounted lighting.

- Site perimeter sign walls below 6 feet tall are allowed in lieu of monument sign, or at street corner. Graphic murals shall be counted as art, not signage. See Appendix 1, Project Identity Sign.
- 8. Building mounted blade signage is allowed. The materials and scale of the sign must be appropriate to the building it is mounted to, but shall not exceed 10 square feet and a 5 foot projection from the building wall. The bottom of blade mounted signs must be no lower than 9 feet above grade and the top shall not extend above the eave line of sloped roofs or the parapet height on flat roofs.
- 9. See attached Appendix 1 4 for Signage.

## L. Grading and Drainage

- 1. All grading must be done to alleviate ponding and must be coordinated with the master storm drainage plan and detention facilities. Depressions on paving or the landscape areas which will allow ponding of water are not permitted.
- Drainage swales must be shallow, gently contoured and sloped to minimize erosion. Concrete rip-rap, trapezoidal concrete channels and concrete pilot channel ditches are not permitted.

## Appendix A Approved Plan List

## **Canopy Trees**

Mature Canopy 314-1256 sq. ft. - Site Design Criteria Manual

Common Name	Scientific Name
Soapberry	Sapindus drummandii
Bald Cypress	Taxodium distichum
Black Locust	Robina pseudoacacia
Eastern Red Cedar	Juniperus virginiana
Cedar Elm	Ulmus crassifolia
Texas Mesquie	Prosopis glandulosa
Chinquanpin Oak	Quercus muhlenbergii
Post Oak	Quercus stellata
Live Oak	Quercus virginiana "Highrise"
Shummard Red Oak	Quercus shumardii
Texas Red Oak	Quercus texana
Chinese Pistache	Pistacia chinensis
Ginko	Ginko bilboa
Green Ash	Fraxinus pennsylvanica
Texas Ash	Fraxinus texensis
Bur Oak	Quercus macrocarpa
Bigtooth Maple	Acer grandidentatum
Foster Holly	Ilex x attenuata "Fosteri"
Caddo Maple	Acer saccharum "Caddo"
Pecan	Carya illinoinensis
Southern Magnolia	Magnolia grandiflora
River Birch	Betula nigra

## **Ornamental Trees**

Mature Canopy 79-314 sq. ft. - Site Criteria Manual

### Common Name

## **Scientific Name**

American Smoketree	Conius obovalus
Crape Myrtle	Lagerstromia indica
Desert Willow	Chilopsis linearis "Warren Jones"
Downy Hawthorne	Crataegus mollis
Hawthorn	Crataegus spp.
Mesquite Tree	Prosopis glandulosa
Mexican Plum	Prunus mexicana
Mexican Redbud	Cercis canadensis var mexicana
Possumhaw Holly	Llex decidua
Prairie Flameleaf Sumac	Rhus lanceoiata
Red Bud	Cercis canadensis
Reverchon Hawthorn	Crataegus reverchronis
Rusty Blackhaw	Viburnum rufidulum
Texas Persimmon	Diospryros texana
Texas Sophora	Sophora affinis
Vitex	Vitex agnus-castus - "LeCompte"
Wax Myrtle	Myrica cerifera
Yaupon Holly	Ilex vomitoria

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## Shrubs

Common Name	Scientific Name
Agarita	Mahonia (Berberis) trifolita
Buttonbush	Cephalanthus occidentilis
Sesert Spoon	Dasyliron spp.
Dwarf Buford Holly	Ilex cornuta "Dwarf Buford"
Dwarf Wax Myrtle	Myrica pusilia
Dwarf Yaupon Holly	Ilex vomitona "Nana"
Ebbing's Silverberry	Eleagnus ebbengei
False Indigo	Amorpha fruticosa
Foster Holly	Ilex x attenuaa
Fragrant Sumac	Rhus aromactica
Glossy Abelia	Abelia x grandoflora
Hardy Plumbago	Ceratostimgma plumbaginoides
Indian Hawthorn	Rhaphiolepios indica
Knockout Rose	Roa "Knockout"
Purple Smoke Tree	Cotinus coggygria 'Royal Purple'
Red Yucca	Hesperaloe parviflora
Rosemary	Rosmarius officinalis
Sacahuista	Nolina texana
St. John's Wort	Hypecum perforatum
St. John's Wort	Hypericum beanii
Texas Sage	Leucophyllum frutescens
	Malvaviscus arboreus var.
Turk's Cap	drummondoni
Waxleaf Ligustrum	Ligustrum japonica "Texana"
Western White	
Honeysuckle	Lonicera albiflora
Yucca	Yucca app.

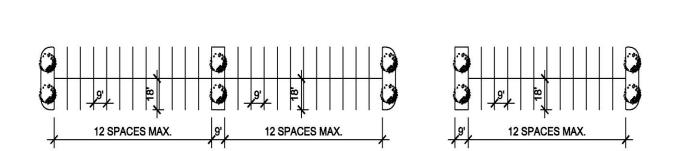
## Grasses / Ground Cover / Vines

Common Name	Scientific Name
Asian Jasmine	Trachelosperum asiaticum
Aster	Aster spp.
Bermuda Grass	Cynodon dactylon
Blackfoot Daisy	Melampodium leucanthium
Bracken Fern	Pteridum aquilnum
Buffalo Grass	Bucchloe dactyiodes
Bushy Bluestem	Andropgon Glomeratus
Butterfly Weed	Asclepias tuberosa
Cactus	Opuntia spp.
Coconut Thyme	Thymus pulegioides coccineus
Coneflower	Rudbeckia fulgida
Cross Vine	Bignonia capreoiata
Daylilly	Hermerocallis "Hyperion"
Desert Sage	Salvia gregii
Dwarf Fountain Grass	Pennisetum alopecuroldes 'Hamln'
Englemann Daisy	Englemannia pinnatifida
Evening Primrose	Oenothera speciosa
Giant Liriope	Lirope gigantea

Gray Rush HameIn Grass Inland Sea Oats Kentucky Wisteria Lady Banks Rose Lindheimer's Muly Little Bluestem Grass Little Bunny Fountain Grass Lirope Maiden Grass Mexican Feather Grass Muhly Grass Orange Wedelia Prairie Zinnia Purple Cornflower Purple Wintercreeper Russian Sage Sideoats Grama Splitbeard Grass Switchgrass Texas Green Eyes Texas Sage Trumpet Honeysuckle Vine Trumpet Vine Turfallo grass Virginia Creeper White Sagebrush Yellow Elder

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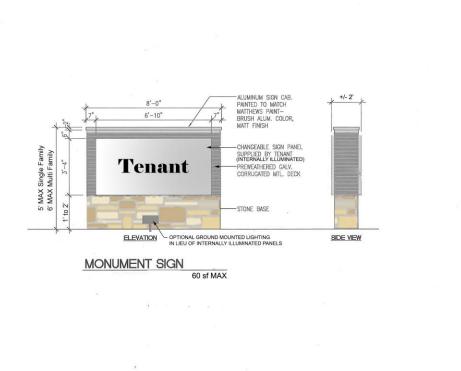
## Diagram 1 – Parking Lot Landscape Islands

Single Island 90º Parking Example

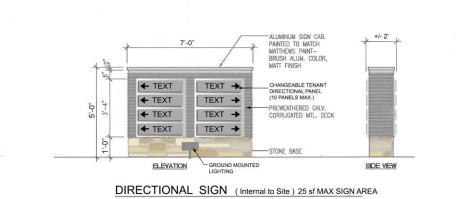
## **APPENDIX 1**

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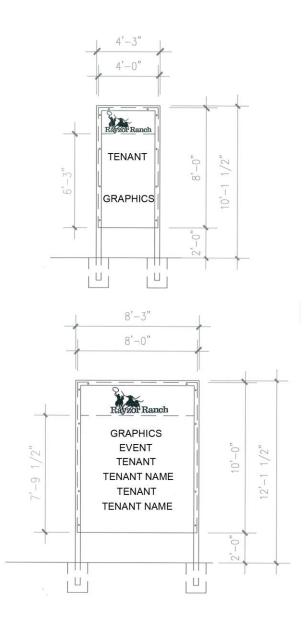
## **APPENDIX 2** Blade and Project Banner Sign Examples

All signage examples attached are for illustrative purposes only and to further define size calculations required for various sign types. Examples are not indicative of the final graphics for the Rayzor Ranch Sign District.





# APPENDIX 3 Project Announcement Sign Example



# **APPENDIX 4** Effective Area Example



EFFECTIVE SIGN AREA



SIGN AREA

## EXHIBIT D-2

## RAYZOR RANCH LANDSCAPE STANDARDS SOUTH MIXED-USE DISTRICT-1 AND SOUTH MIXED-USE DISTRICT-2

## A. Landscaping

- 1. Street Trees shall be provided along all public and private streets consistent with the requirements in Subchapter 7.7.7 of the Denton Development Code.
- 2. All parking lots and areas for vehicle maneuvering or loading must be screened from view from public and private streets by a 10-foot landscape screening buffer. The 10-foot buffer is the area located between the right-of-way and the parking lot. Utility easements are allowed to count towards part of the 10-foot wide right-of-way landscape screening buffer subject to required separation from utilities. The landscape screening buffer shall contain the following items.
  - a. One large tree for every 40 feet or three small accent trees for every 30 feet. If small trees are used, they shall be clustered as appropriate.
  - b. Landscape plantings containing at least one of the following:
    - 1) Xeriscaping landscaping may be planted within the landscape area and shall require water irrigation for a period of 3 years for landscaping to be established. After 3 years, no irrigation is required.
    - 2) A minimum 3 foot high, when mature, continuous row of evergreen shrubs. The shrubs may be grouped and not planted in a continuous row provided that the shrubs overlap to form a continuous buffer.
    - A minimum 3 foot high continuous wall made of any combination of wrought iron, stone, brick, or masonry. If wrought iron is used, vines shall be grown on the wrought iron to help screen the parking lot.
    - 4) A grass or landscaped berm, 3 feet high above the parking pavement surface.
- 3. A minimum of 7% of the total parking area shall be landscaped.
- 4. A minimum of 15% of the total parking area shall be covered by tree canopy at maturity.
- 5. Landscape islands shall be evenly distributed throughout the parking areas at a maximum average spacing of 12 spaces. All landscape islands and endcaps shall be landscaped with sod or groundcover and include one large tree. A linear landscape island between two head-in rows will suffice for this requirement provided that trees are planted in that island at average spacing of 12 spaces.
- 6. A 10 foot landscape buffer is required along the entire property line abutting a singlefamily use or district. The buffer shall include a combination of 6 evergreen and deciduous trees and 25 shrubs per 100 linear feet.
- 7. A minimum of 20% tree canopy at maturity is required.
- 8. See Appendix A for Plant List.



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## AGENDA CAPTION

Consider a request by Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. for a final replat of Hickory Grove, Phase 1A. The 2.655-acre site is generally located just north of West University Drive and west of Thomas J Eagan Road in City of Denton's ETJ Division 1, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0006, Hickory Grove Phase 1A, Mia Hines).



# **City of Denton**

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## AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

## **SUBJECT**

Consider a request by Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. for a final replat of Hickory Grove, Phase 1A. The 2.655-acre site is generally located just north of West University Drive and west of Thomas J Eagan Road in City of Denton's ETJ Division 1, Denton County, Texas. (FR24-0006, Hickory Grove Phase 1A, Mia Hines).

## BACKGROUND

The purpose of this final replat is to facilitate the development of 16 single-family residential lots and one common area to be owned and maintained by the HOA. The property is located within the Legends Ranch Municipal Utility District (MUD), and the full development proposed six phases for the construction of the single-family residential lots. This proposed replat is for a small portion of the first phase of this development, and the purpose of the replat is to adjust the lot lines within Block C to enlarge the area of the of the common area lot.

The approved preliminary plat included a total of 1,516 single-family residential lots, one amenity center lot, one multi-family lot, 48 lots to be owned and maintained by the Legends Ranch HOA, and a variety of other lots to be utilized for park space, commercial development, and utilities. Although Preliminary Plats are not typically allowed within the ETJ, as part of the City Council's consent to the creation of the MUD, a development agreement was entered into that included provisions allowing for the MUD developers to submit a preliminary plat to phase the development.

Date Application Filed:	July 16, 2024
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting:	August 14, 2024
Days in Review:	29 Days

This is the first extension request for this replat. This application is being considered under Texas Local Government Code (TX LGC) 212.009, which was updated as of September 1, 2023 with the passage of House Bill 3699. Since this plat application was submitted after September 1, 2023 the changes to LGC Chapter 212 are applicable. Based upon recent updates to Section 212.009, the applicant may request additional 30-day extensions in the future if they are determined to be necessary.

A full Staff Analysis of the request is provided in Exhibit 2.

## **OPTIONS**

- 1. Approve as submitted
- 2. Deny with reasons

## **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends denial of this plat as it does not meet the established criteria for approval; however, Staff has no objection to the requested extension (Exhibit 5), which could be granted to a date certain of September 11, 2024. **This is the first extension request.** See Staff Analysis (Exhibit 2) for detailed reasons for denial.

Date	Council, Board,	Request	Action
	Commission		
June 28, 2022	City Council	Legends Ranch MUD consent and	Approved
		development agreement	
August 10, 2022	Planning & Zoning	Legends Ranch Preliminary Plat	Extension
	Commission	(PP22-0017)	approved
October 26, 2022	Planning & Zoning	Legends Ranch Preliminary Plat	Approved
	Commission	(PP22-0017)	
October 11, 2023	Planning & Zoning	Legends Ranch Phase 1A Final Plat	Extension
	Commission	(FP23-0026)	Approved
October 25, 2023	Planning & Zoning	Legends Ranch Phase 1A Final Plat	Approved
	Commission	(FP23-0026)	

## PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

## PUBLIC OUTREACH

No public outreach is required for final plats.

## **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

## **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Final Replat
- 5. Extension Request

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/ Planning Director

Prepared by: Mia Hines, AICP Associate Planner

# **Planning Staff Analysis** FR24-0006/Hickory Grove Phase 1A Extraterritorial Jurisdiction (ETJ) Planning & Zoning Commission

## **REQUEST:**

Approval of a final replat for an approximately 2.655-acre site.

## **APPLICANT:**

Kimley Horn & Associates on behalf of Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group, owner.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends denial of the proposed final replat as it does not meet the established approval criteria, as shown in the following table:

# Final Replat Approval Review Criteria

oproval Criteria Applicable to all Applications (DDC Section 2.4.5.E)	Compliance		ce
	Met	Not Met	N/A
1. Generally			
<ul> <li>a. Unless otherwise specified in this DDC, City review and decision-making bodies must review all development applications submitted pursuant to this subchapter for compliance with the general review criteria stated below. Findings:</li> </ul>			
Proposed final replat does not meet all general review criteria as outlined below.			
<ul> <li>b. The application may also be subject to additional review criteria specific to the type of application, as set forth in sections 2.5 through 2.9. Findings:</li> </ul>			
The final replat complies with all additional review criteria as noted below.	$\boxtimes$		
c. If there is a conflict between the general review criteria in this section and the specific review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9, the applicable review criteria in sections 2.5-2.9 controls. Findings:			
There is no conflict.			

2. Prior Approvals		
The proposed development shall be consistent with the terms and conditions of any prior land use approval, plan, development agreement, or plat approval that is in effect and not proposed to be changed. This includes an approved phasing plan for development and installation of public improvements and amenities. Findings: This final replat does not conflict with any prior land use approvals.		
3. Consistent with Comprehensive Plan and Other Applicable Plans The proposed development shall be consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and any applicable plans. Findings:		
The Comprehensive Plan designates the subject property for Regional Mixed Use. The proposed replat does not conflict with this designation. However, due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.		
<ul> <li>a. The decision-making authority shall weigh competing plan goals, policies, and strategies. Findings:</li> <li>There are no competing plan goals, policies, or strategies for this site.</li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$
b. May approve an application that furthers the overall goals of the		
Comprehensive Plan even if the development does not match the future land use designation in Comprehensive Plan. Findings: There is no conflict.		

4. Compliance with this DDC		
<ul> <li>4. Compliance with this DDC</li> <li>a. The proposed development shall comply with all applicable standards in this DDC, unless the standard is to be lawfully modified. Findings:</li> <li>The proposed final replat does not comply with all applicable standards of the DDC as noted below: <ol> <li>GW.1.1. Indicate gas well locations for operational and plugged wells on site or on adjacent property, and dimension required revers setbacks, equipment separation distances, and gas well notifications (for residential plats), per Subchapter 6 and 8 of the DDC. For residential lots located within 1,000 feet of a gas well drilling and production site the following notification requirements apply per DDC Section 8.3.5: <ul> <li>a. The location of the gas well site(s) that is within 1,000 feet of the property must be shown on the plat</li> <li>b. A note shall be placed on the Plat identifying the Drilling and Production Site(s) and those proposed lots are within 1,000 feet of the Drilling and Production Site (s). Said note shall also include a statement that advises lot purchasers of the existence of the producing wells on the Drilling and Production Site(s), as well as the possibility of new wells that may be drilled and fracture stimulated on the Drilling and Production Site(s) may be re-drilled and/or re-fractured stimulated in the future.</li> <li>c. The lot(s) that are within 1,000 feet of the drilling and production site shall be denoted with an asterisk (*) that refers to the note described in section 5.8.2 above. Provide gas well disclosures as required by DDC Section 8.3.5</li> </ul> </li> <li>Add the following note to the plat: "A Tree Survey and Preservation Plan will be required to proceed with Building Permits on the subject site. Minimum Tree Preservation requirements of the Denton Development Code Section 7.7.4. must be met prior to the release of any permits." (DDC 7.7.4E.7)</li> </ol></li></ul>		
b. Compliance with these standards is applied at the level of detail required for the subject submitted		
for the subject submittal. Findings: The final replat was submitted with the level of detail required for staff to review.		

5.	Compliance with Other Applicable Regulations			
	a. The proposed development shall comply with all other city regulations and with all applicable regulations, standards, requirements, or plans of the federal or state governments and other relevant jurisdictions. This includes, but is not limited to, wetlands, water quality, erosion control, and wastewater regulations. Findings:			
	The proposed replat does not comply with all city, federal, and state regulations as noted below. The Final Plat does not meet all review criteria, as detailed in the following items as required by the Final Plat Checklist (FPC) authorized per Denton Development Code Section 2.4.4B:		$\boxtimes$	
	<ol> <li>Revise the lot name labels as the purpose of this plat is to create new lots with new dimensions and they should not have the same lot, block designation as the previous lots (Checklist 3.3).</li> <li>Add "R.O.W Right-Of-Way" to legend. (Checklist 3.15)</li> <li>Add R.O.W. centerline type to legend. (Checklist 3.15)</li> <li>Indicate street name breaks (Flannel Lane-Fitzgerald Street) with a diamond shape in the exhibit (Checklist 3.16)</li> </ol>			
6.	Consistent with Interlocal and Development Agreements			
	a. The proposed development shall be consistent with any adopted interlocal and applicable development agreements, and comply with the terms and conditions of any such agreements incorporated by reference into this DDC. Findings:	$\boxtimes$		
	The proposed replat is consistent with the development agreement that City Council approved in 2022 as part of the Legends Ranch Municipal Utility District consent consideration.			
7.	Minimizes Adverse Environmental Impacts			
	a. The proposed development should be designed to minimize negative environmental impacts, and should not cause significant adverse impacts on the natural environment. Examples of the natural environment include water, air, noise, stormwater management, scenic resources, wildlife habitat, soils, and native vegetation. Findings:			$\boxtimes$
	Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.			

8. Mi	nimizes Adverse Impacts on Surrounding Property		
a.	The proposed development should not cause significant adverse impacts on surrounding properties. The results of the citizen participation process may be appropriately considered under this section. Findings:		
	Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.		
9. Mi	nimizes Adverse Fiscal Impacts		
a.	The proposed development should not result in significant adverse fiscal impacts on the city. Findings:		
	Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.		
10. Co	mpliance with Utility, Service, and Improvement Standards		
a.	As applicable, the proposed development shall comply with federal, state, county, service district, city and other regulatory authority standards, and design/construction specifications for roads, access, drainage, water, sewer, schools, emergency/fire protection, and similar standards. Findings:	$\boxtimes$	
	The replat complies with all applicable access and utility standards.		
11. Pro	ovides Adequate Road Systems		
a.	Adequate road capacity shall exist to serve the uses permitted under the proposed development, and the proposed uses shall be designed to ensure safe ingress and egress onto the site and safe road conditions around the site, including adequate access onto the site for fire, public safety, and EMS services. Findings:	$\boxtimes$	
	Adequate road capacity exists to serve the lots created in this replat.		

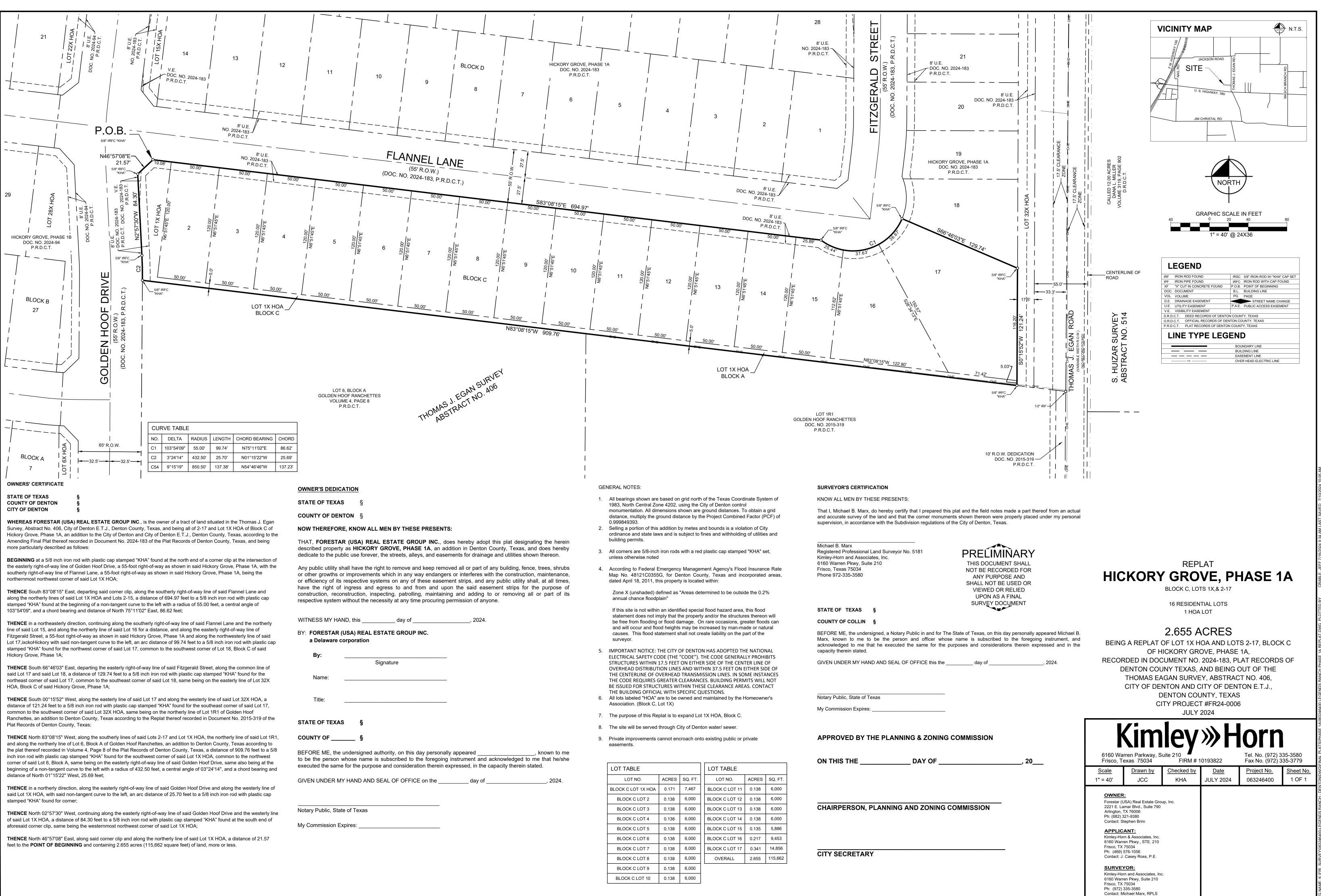
12. Provides Adequate Public Services and Facilities		
a. Adequate public service and facility capacity shall exist to accommodate uses permitted under the proposed development at the time the needs or demands arise, while maintaining adequate levels of service to existing development. Public services and facilities include, but are not limited to, roads, domestic water, sewer, schools, public safety, fire protection, utilities, libraries, and vehicle/pedestrian connections and access within the site and to adjacent properties. Findings:	$\boxtimes$	
Adequate public utilities exist or are being extended as part of the development to serve this property.		
13. Rational Phasing Plan		
a. If the application involves phases, each phase of the proposed development shall contain all of the required streets, utilities, landscaping, open space, and other improvements that are required for that phase, and may not defer those improvements to subsequent phases. Findings:	$\boxtimes$	
This replat is for a portion of Phase 1A. Six phases were proposed as part of the preliminary plat for this development.		

Final Replat Review Applicability Criteria (DDC Section 2.6.7.D)	Арј	olicabili	ty
	Met	Not Met	N/A
14. Is consistent with the intent of the underlying zoning districts;			$\boxtimes$
The subject property is located in the City's ETJ.			
15. Complies with applicable dimensional and development standards in this DDC;			$\boxtimes$
The subject property is located in the City's ETJ.			
16. Does not affect a recorded easement without approval from the easement holder;	$\boxtimes$		
No recorded easements are affected by this replat.			

17. Will not result in adverse impacts to surrounding property;		$\boxtimes$
Due to the passage of House Bill 3699 and resulting changes to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, this is no longer applicable.		
18. Will not limit the city's ability to provide adequate and sufficient facilities or services; and	$\boxtimes$	
The replat will not affect the City's ability to provide services to the lots created or surrounding properties.		
<b>19.</b> Complies with all other ordinances and plans and regulations adopted by the City, including the Comprehensive Plan and other long-range or special purpose area planning documents.	$\boxtimes$	
The final replat complies with the development agreement and preliminary plat approved by the City.		

# FR24-0006 Site Location





LOT TABLE			LOT TABLE		
LOT NO.	ACRES	SQ. FT.	LOT NO.	ACRES	SQ. F1
BLOCK C LOT 1X HOA	0.171	7,467	BLOCK C LOT 11	0.138	6,000
BLOCK C LOT 2	0.138	6,000	BLOCK C LOT 12	0.138	6,000
BLOCK C LOT 3	0.138	6,000	BLOCK C LOT 13	0.138	6,000
BLOCK C LOT 4	0.138	6,000	BLOCK C LOT 14	0.138	6,000
BLOCK C LOT 5	0.138	6,000	BLOCK C LOT 15	0.135	5,886
BLOCK C LOT 6	0.138	6,000	BLOCK C LOT 16	0.217	9,453
BLOCK C LOT 7	0.138	6,000	BLOCK C LOT 17	0.341	14,856
BLOCK C LOT 8	0.138	6,000	OVERALL	2.655	115,66
BLOCK C LOT 9	0.138	6,000			
BLOCK C LOT 10	0.138	6,000			

# Kimley »Horn

August 7, 2024

Michelle Reynolds City of Denton 401 N. Elm Street Denton, Texas 76201

## Re: Hickory Grove Phase 1A Final Re-Plat – (FR24-0006) 30-Day Extension Request Letter Denton, Texas

Dear Ms. Reynolds:

We request a 30-day extension of the review period for the above referenced project.

Please contact me at 469-605-2954 or <u>derek.troeger@kimley-horn.com</u> should you have any questions or need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Derek K. Troeger, P.E.



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## File #: PD23-0001b, Version: 1

## AGENDA CAPTION

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**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

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## BACKGROUND

The applicant, McAdams, on behalf of the property owner, 195 Denton Partners, LLC, is requesting to rezone approximately 26.15 acres from Residential 2 (R2) District, to an Overlay Planned Development with a base zoning district of Mixed-Use Neighborhood (PD-MN). The subject property is part of a larger 195-acre tract of land situated at the southeast corner of I35-W and Corbin Road. According to the applicant, the purpose of the Overlay Planned Development request is to rezone Parcel B of the overall tract to facilitate a multifamily development. The Overlay Planned Development is intended to address concerns brought up during neighborhood meetings for the overall development of the 195-acre parent tract. Specifically, residents expressed concern regarding the development of Parcel B given its proximity to existing residential uses in the region, hence why Parcel B is being considered as a separate zoning case.

A companion zoning application for the remaining 166.1 acres of land has been submitted, and is also on the July 24, 2024, Planning and Zoning Commission agenda (see case Z22-0018).

## The applicant is requesting this item be postponed indefinitely.

Staff will re-notice the new public hearing date for the Planning and Zoning Commission in accordance with State Law and the Denton Development Code when the applicant requests to move forward.

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/Planning Director

Prepared by: Angie Manglaris, AICP Development Review Manager



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## **EXHIBITS**

1. Agenda Information Sheet

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/Planning Director

Prepared by: Angie Manglaris, AICP Development Review Manager



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## File #: CA24-0003, Version: 1

## AGENDA CAPTION

Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding an ordinance adopting the Design Downtown Denton Plan and amending the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan. The Design Downtown Denton Plan has an approximate boundary line of Carroll Boulevard to the west, Eagle Drive to the south, Bell Avenue and Mingo Road to the east, and a northern boundary generally along College Street, Texas Street, Oakland Street and University Drive, encompassing approximately 767 acres in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (CA24-0003, Design Downtown Denton Plan, Cameron Robertson and Sean Jacobson)



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## PROPOSED PLAN ADOPTION

The purpose of the August 14, 2024 public hearing is to present the Design Downtown Denton Plan (the "Plan") and receive a recommendation of approval prior to consideration by City Council on September 17, 2024. Developing the Design Downtown Denton Plan has been a year-long project with active public engagement to identify the community's vision, priorities, recommendations, and actions to implement over the next 15 to 20 years. Since the Joint City Council; Planning and Zoning Commission; and Parks, Recreation, and Beautification Workshop held on December 5, 2023, the project team has developed the plan's implementation elements, which include 23 recommendation actions, a conceptual plan for Quakertown Park and the vacant property on the Square east of the historic County Courthouse, conceptual street cross-sections, and a new conceptual plan for a park in Southern Downtown Denton. The Advisory Group has evaluated the implementation elements, as well as provided input related to other area plan components (i.e. existing conditions, community engagement, vision statement, community priorities), and is supportive of the draft plan as proposed.

This proposed plan will supersede the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan goals and recommendations for the Downtown area. Furthermore, the proposed plan is reflective of the community's desires and the past input of the Design Downtown Denton Advisory Group, City Council, the Planning and Zoning Commission, and the Parks, Recreation and Beautification Board. Below is a summary of the steps taken to formulate the plan throughout the duration of this project.

## BACKGROUND

On March 22, 2022, City Council adopted an ordinance that approved an update to the City's Comprehensive Plan (Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan). Throughout the Planning and Zoning Commission and City Council work session presentations related to the update, area plans were discussed as a solution to address local challenges and were identified as one of the Commission's and Council's implementation priorities. Elected and appointed leaders, as well as staff, agreed that further in-depth analysis was needed to better refine the vision for targeted/specific areas and plan for future needs. Area

plans allow for a more detailed analysis of a given area within the framework of the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan. These types of plans provide the ability to address more refined and specific planning and development challenges, as well as enhance potential opportunities, at a scale more specific to a given area. Area plans also provide an opportunity for community members and stakeholders to create a shared vision, influence city land use and development decisions, prioritize capital investments, and establish programs which benefit the community. They are intended to be functional documents which provide both community goals and detailed implementation actions.

Per City Council's direction, staff initiated the Design Downtown Denton Plan study which kicked off in July 2023. Respecting the boundary established by the Southeast Denton Area Plan public outreach and consensus-building, an area for Downtown Denton, that includes approximately 767 acres, was selected, generally bounded by Carroll Boulevard to the west, Eagle Drive to the south, Bell Avenue and Mingo Road to the east, and a northern boundary generally along College Street, Texas Street, Oakland Street, and University Drive. The Design Downtown Denton project team coordinated with the Southeast Denton Area Plan project team to ensure Bell Avenue (the seam between Downtown and Southeast Denton) was planned comprehensively to support and connect both areas.

## **GOALS OF THE DESIGN DOWNTOWN DENTON PLAN**

The goal of the Design Downtown Denton Plan is to update the vision for the study area, including Quakertown Park, as well as set clear policy direction and supporting implementation actions for how Downtown should develop and evolve over time, including identifying key catalyst projects.

The main reason for the Design Downtown Denton plan is to build on the successes of Downtown over the past decade and to create a comprehensive, actionable strategy for economic development, mobility, parks and open spaces, small business development, historic preservation, and future infill development that builds upon and leverages the area's key unique assets. These unique assets, which would be difficult or impossible to replicate elsewhere in the City include walkable block patterns, a strong core of small local businesses, and historic structures.

The key goals to address as part of the Design Downtown Denton process have been to:

- Confirm if the vision and goals established for Downtown in 2002 are still relevant today and for the near future;
- Evaluate if the Downtown boundary should be expanded in size to maximize future opportunities;
- Set clear policy direction and supporting implementation actions that will continue the economic growth of Downtown, enhance the pedestrian experience, and preserve the character of the Downtown; and
- Identify additional open space, increase housing choices, enhance mobility connectivity and balance development while protecting existing neighborhoods and historic resources.

The primary purpose of updating the 2002 Downtown Denton Plan is to ensure that it remains relevant and effective in addressing the evolving needs and challenges of the community. Regular updates provide an opportunity to integrate new data and address emerging challenges, ensuring that Downtown Denton continues to thrive and that recommended actions are appropriate for the future of Downtown.

To be useful, the Design Downtown Denton Plan follows a framework which builds upon information gathered from public engagement and the existing conditions to determine the community's desired outcomes and priorities. From there, four overarching recommendations to achieve the community's priorities were formulated. Finally, implementation steps further break down the overarching recommendations into achievable, measurable steps. It is important to note that each of the implementation steps (action items) relates to one of the four overarching recommendations and helps to accomplish one or more of the community priorities.

## **PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT**

A key component of any area plan is public engagement, obtaining input and feedback from the Denton community, in order to determine not only what aspects of a project's study area are most important to them as stakeholders, but also how the stakeholders would like the study area to be 15 to 20 years from now. Over the last year, there was a variety of public engagement events that occurred for the Design Downtown Denton Plan. Below is a list of those events and approximate number of participants per public engagement event:

Date	Public Engagement	Description	Action
July 19, 20, and 27, 2023	Stakeholder Interviews	Conducted one-on-one interviews with Downtown stakeholders - including residents, business and property owners, and community leaders.	Hosted interviews with approximately 30 stakeholders; 13 in-person.
September 1- October 30	Downtown Business Survey	Gathered feedback from Downtown business owners via detailed surveys.	Distributed surveys both door-to-door and via email; received 62 survey responses either in person or via email.
September 9, 2023	Arts & Autos Pop-up Event	Collected community input on what they "Love" and "Need" in Downtown.	Hosted feedback table at event; 70+ residents gave responses (in-person)
September 14, 2023	Advisory Group Meeting #1	Presented project overview, previewed key aspects of the "Case for Action" for Downtown, and held a visioning discussion with the Advisory Group.	Advisory Group members reviewed the presentation and discussed Downtown opportunities, challenges to address, potential "big idea" projects, and what they most want to see in the plan.
September 15, 2023	Parking Day Pop-up Event	Collected community concerns and ideas on a map of Downtown and gathered responses as to what residents "Love" and "Need" in Downtown.	Hosted feedback table at event; 60+ residents gave responses (in-person)
September 16-17, 2023	Blues Fest Pop-up Event	Collected community input through an engagement map, and on what residents "Love" and "Need" in Downtown.	Hosted feedback table at event; 120+ residents gave responses (in-person)
September 13- October 30, 2023	Community Map and Online Survey	Gathered input from residents through the	Survey available for 6+ weeks; 2,000+ site

		plan's engagement	visitors, 615
		website. Distributed branded coasters with QR codes leading to the engagement website at Downtown bars and restaurants to increase engagement. Residents provided feedback via an interactive map of Downtown and a two- question survey on Downtown "Needs" and "Loves."	responses received
October 7, 2023	Quakertown Park Visioning Workshop at Jazz Fest	Conducted workshop to begin identifying preferred vision of Quakertown Park features and designs.	Conducted Workshop; 200+ attendees participated in various park visioning activities, including completing 73 surveys (in- person).
October 12 and 19, 2023	Twilight Tunes	Gathered input from residents on the engagement map and provided attendees with information about the engagement website and how to share their thoughts and ideas.	Hosted feedback table at October 12, 2023 event; passed out project cards with QR codes and initiated discussion with attendees at October 19, 2023 event; less than 10 responses (in-person).
November 16, 2023	Advisory Group Meeting #2	Shared the results of the public engagement conducted during the summer and fall and were introduced to the draft Case for Action. The Advisory group also received a report on the draft project Vision statement, Community Priorities, and December 4th Visioning Workshop activities.	Held meeting and received feedback. The Advisory Group provided edits and direction on the plan's Vision and Community Priority statements, guiding information to be presented at the December 5 <sup>th</sup> Joint Workshop.
December 4, 2023	Design Downtown Denton Visioning Workshop	Workshop conducted to confirm the vision for Downtown and Quakertown Park.	Held workshop and received feedback; approximately 60 attendees (residents,

			students, property and business owners)
			participated and gave
			feedback on proposed
			Community Priorities
			and Quakertown Park
			Amenities.
December 18,	Community Priority Rankings	Gathered input from	Survey available for
2023 - January 15,	and Quakertown Park	residents through the	4 weeks; 300+ site
2024	Amenities Survey	plan's engagement	visitors; over 100
		website. Residents	responses received
		provided feedback via	for Community
		online activities,	Priority rankings and
		including a Community	approximately 20
		Priorities ranking activity,	responses received
		and a Quakertown Park amenity design styles	for the Quakertown Park amenities
		activity.	activity.
January 25-29,	Denton Black Film Festival	Advertised a Downtown	Advertised at the
2024	Advertising	Plan survey throughout	event for five days,
2021		the festival, including	during which time
		with digital advertising	thousands of
		that played between films,	attendees had the
		posters at event locations,	opportunity to learn
		and handouts for	about the Downtown
		attendees.	Plan survey through
			multiple media styles.
April 9, 2024	Quakertown Descendants	Met with a core group of	Provided feedback
	Focus Group Meeting #1	descendants to clarify	regarding the
		monument design, tone,	visibility of a
		and relationship to the	monument from Bell
		existing Quakertown Park	Avenue/McKinney
		space.	Street and the emotions it should
			evoke; docent-led and
			self-directed tours;
			and an interior
			exhibition space.
			Approximately 5-8
			descendants.
April 16, 2024	Advisory Group Meeting #3	Presented proposed	Held meeting and
		catalyst projects and the	received feedback,
		draft Downtown Plan	which was overall
		recommendations and	supportive of draft
		received feedback.	recommendations.
April 16, 2024	Quakertown Descendants	Gather additional	Similar feedback to
	Focus Group Meeting #2	feedback from the	that provided at the
		descendants and discuss	April 9, 2024
		preliminary aspects of	meeting;
		monument design.	approximately 5-8
		1	descendants,

April 17, 2024	Quakertown Descendants Focus Group Meeting #3	Gather additional feedback from the descendants and discuss preliminary aspects of monument design.	including new individuals not present at the April 9, 2024 meeting. Continued discussion of desired design elements, tone, and relationship to the park in line with past discussion; approximately 8-9 descendants, including new individuals not present at the April 9 or 16 meetings.
April 17, 2024	Denton Woman's Club Focus Group Meeting	Met with members of the Denton Woman's Club to gather feedback regarding upgrades to Quakertown Park, concerns around the Club's 100-year lease from the City nearing its end and increasing maintenance needs.	Received feedback regarding the shared parking lot and concerns regarding the lease and future maintenance; approximately 10 Club members.
April 17, 2024	Quakertown Park Design Workshop	Presented two draft concept plans for the new Quakertown Park design. Attendees reviewed boards showing park concept plans, monumentation examples, prior community feedback, and overall Downtown Denton recommendations.	Held workshop; approximately 20 residents attended, discussed the concepts, and gave feedback on the boards presented.
April 20, 2024	Redbud Festival Pop-up Event	Boards showing two draft concept plans for the new Quakertown Park design were posted at the Planning Division's booth throughout the event.	Festival attendees could review the concept plans, ask questions, and give feedback via post-it; number of responses is not available.
April 22, 2024	Southeast Denton Neighborhood Association (SEDNA) Meeting	Passed out a survey instrument to gather input from SEDNA residents regarding their visions for a monument at Quakertown Park.	12 survey responses (in-line with Focus Group feedback); approximately 35 individuals in attendance.
April 24-28, 2024	Thin Line Fest Advertising	Advertised the Feedback Finale event throughout	Advertised at the event for five days,

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		the festival, including	during which time
		with digital advertising	attendees had the
		that played between films	opportunity to learn
		and a sign and handouts	about the Downtown
		in the Campus Theatre	Plan survey through
		foyer.	multiple mediums.
May 9, 2024	Design Downtown Denton:	Presented "Day in the	Gave presentation,
	The Feedback Finale	Life" video to help	answered resident
		attendees envision the	questions about
		future of Downtown.	recommendations,
		Boards showed	and conducted
		draft plan	implementation
		recommendations with	budgeting exercise;
		maps for review and	approximately 65
		discussion. Budgeting	attendees.
		activity enabled residents	attendees.
		to indicate their	
Mars 17, 2024	Less the De 111111 T	implementation priorities.	A
May 17, 2024	Imagine the Possibilities Tour	Staff presented the	Approximately 38
	Presentation	proposed	individuals
		recommendations for the	participated,
		Southeast Denton Area	comprised of
		Plan and the Design	investors, real estate
		Downtown Denton Plan,	agents, developers,
		followed by tours of those	and councilmembers.
		vacant, historic, available,	
		and/or recently renovated	
		buildings in Downtown.	
May 9-27, 2024	Recommended Actions	Gathered input from	Online budget
	Budget Activity	residents through the	activity available for
		plan's engagement	2+ weeks; 225
		website. Residents	individuals
		indicated their	participated in the
		implementation priorities	activity.
		through an interactive	
		activity that allowed them	
		to allocate budget dollars	
		toward the Design	
		Downtown Denton Plan	
		recommendations they	
		wanted implemented in	
		the first 5-years of the	
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		plan's adoption.	]

The findings from the engagement efforts were presented to the Design Downtown Denton Plan Advisory Group for feedback and validation at their September 14, 2023, November 16, 2023, and April 16, 2024 meetings and coalesced into the following four overarching policy recommendations:

- Better utilize Downtown's streetscape;
- Build a network of improved public spaces;
- Target development to build on Downtown's character and assets; and

• Promote Downtown's nightlife, music, events, history, and art.

The results and themes from these community engagement efforts, combined with the existing conditions analysis, create a foundation for the key plan elements, which are discussed in the paragraphs below: vision statement, community priorities, recommended actions, and implementation goals, and strategies.

#### VISION STATEMENT AND COMMUNITY PRIORITIES

During Phase 2: Envision, the project team synthesized information gathered from public engagement to create a list of community priorities, breaking each priority area down further into specific actions to help guide final recommendations. An additional crucial step in Phase 2 was setting an overall vision for Downtown Denton to steer the Design Downton Denton Plan and its proposed actions towards the desired future of Downtown Denton.

Based on community engagement, existing conditions research, and conversation, on November 16, 2023, the Design Downtown Denton Plan Advisory Group recommended the following draft vision statement and community priorities:

#### Vision Statement

"Design Downtown Denton to be a more walkable, beautiful, and fun destination for shopping, working, learning, and recreation that also serves as a hub of opportunity, welcoming all Dentonites. Cultivate a vibrant and diverse residential community. Preserve and expand the distinctive local businesses, foster a strong sense of community, and safeguard the historic and artistic character while promoting growth and development."

#### **Community Priorities**

#### • Arts, Entertainment and Events

- AE1: Create a marketing brand for the Downtown area and use that brand to tie Downtown to the surrounding community.
- AE2: Encourage and promote public art and music initiatives and festivals.
- AE3: Build on current successes by adding new activities and events, especially for children and families.
- AE4: Support the addition of interactive art, music, sculptures, and lighting to create engaging spaces.
- AE5: Explore the addition and improvement of a variety of music and art venues, stages, and theaters.

#### • Bike and Pedestrian Safety and Mobility (BP)

- BP1: Enhance walkability by improving our streetscapes, including sidewalks, lighting, landscaping, and crosswalks.
- BP2: Implement safety measures at dangerous intersections.
- BP3: Connect key areas, including the universities, the Square and the transit center through public realm improvements and infill development and through a common Downtown brand.
- BP4: Promote a safer environment for cyclists by expanding protected bike lanes, bike parking, and trails.
- BP5: Regularly close side streets for public events and community gatherings.
- Culture (C)
  - C1: Foster increased diversity and inclusion through the acknowledgment of history and increased opportunities for all Dentonites.
  - C2: Protect/continue to embody what people love most about the feel of Denton: community pride, welcoming atmosphere, and historic scale.
  - C3: Celebrate and connect Downtown to Denton's colleges and universities.

• C4: Highlight the Downtown culture within the broader Denton community and county.

#### • Housing Development (H)

- H1: Address rising rents and housing affordability through increased housing supply, mixed-use developments, and more residential options to foster a vibrant local community.
- H2: Provide more housing options Downtown, establishing a variety of housing stock that will appeal to many different residents' needs.

#### • Parks and Public Space (PS)

- PS1: Create a network of green spaces and public parks with amenities such as community gardens, picnic areas and kids play areas.
- PS2: Add more trees and landscaping in public spaces to provide shade and improve aesthetics.
- PS3: Build outdoor amenities like public seating, restrooms, water fountains, and more.
- PS4: Find ways to activate underutilized areas, such as alleys, vacant properties, and sidewalks.
- PS5: Preserve the view corridors and viewsheds of Downtown including the Courthouseon-the-Square and the Morrison Milling silos and sign.

#### • Retail and Commercial Development (RC)

- RC1: Invest in areas around the Square to improve business and housing variety, public safety, and overall aesthetics.
- RC2: Improve public space to encourage foot traffic and inspire building upkeep.
- RC3: Emphasize the historical significance and preservation of historical assets within the Downtown area, including expanding local, state, and national designations.
- RC4: Promote and protect the local business community, including those businesses beyond the Square.
- RC5: Fill empty storefronts and vacant lots with unique local shops and food and beverage options.
- Safety (S)
  - S1: Improve perception of safety by partnering with service providers to address homelessness concerns and needs.
  - S2: Design streets with infrastructure to enable street closures and to support outdoor events.
  - S3: Define key pedestrian corridors and improve their streetscapes, shade canopy and lighting.
  - S4: Improve maintenance and cleanliness on sidewalks.
- Traffic and Transit (TT)
  - TT1: Improve roadway safety for motorists, pedestrians, and bicyclists by implementing traffic closures on certain streets and during events, as well as exploring road rightsizing and traffic calming initiatives.
  - TT2: Improve parking availability and management by upgrading lots with trees and landscaping, adding wayfinding signage to and from parking to destinations, using paid parking as a management tool, and considering the construction of a public parking garage in the Downtown area.
  - TT3: Enhance accessibility to Downtown and reduce parking demand by expanding and improving bus and bike routes to the transit center and other key destinations.

On December 5, 2023, at the Joint Workshop between the Planning and Zoning Commission; Parks, Recreation, and Beautification Board; and City Council the vision statement and community priorities were approved as the guiding principles and areas of importance for the Plan.

#### **DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS**

On April 16, 2024, the project team presented the four overarching recommendations and related recommended actions, outlined below, to the Advisory Group for feedback, validation, and adjustments. These recommendations were built by breaking down the community priorities into tangible actions. The recommendations were updated based on the Advisory Group's feedback and presented to the public at The Feedback Finale on May 9, 2024. The majority of community members who reviewed the recommendations were in support.

- Recommendation 1: Better Utilize Downtown's Streetscape. Improving the use of Downtown Denton's streets is essential for fostering a safer, more inclusive, and lively city core. The Plan emphasizes the transformation of street space to prioritize pedestrian experiences. The introduction of 'Denton Chill Streets' is a novel approach aimed at improving comfort and environmental resilience by optimizing shade and walkability. The Plan advocates for improving links to vital destinations, thereby bolstering economic growth and encouraging eco-friendly transport options. Collectively, these initiatives are designed to cultivate a welcoming atmosphere for all modes of travel, thereby elevating the livability of Downtown Denton. The recommended actions below support the community priorities related to Bike and Pedestrian Safety and Mobility, and Traffic and Transit (as explained in the Community Priorities portion of this report).
  - 1A: Rightsizing and 4/3 Conversions
  - 1B: Pedestrian Priority Routes and Denton Chill Streets
  - 1C: Improve Bike Connections
  - 1D: Improve Transit
- **Recommendation 2: Build a Network of Improved Public Spaces**. The revitalization of Downtown Denton's public spaces is pivotal for enriching residents' lives and stimulating economic prosperity. The Plan emphasizes transforming new and existing parks and public spaces into dynamic hubs that bolster social engagement, wellness, and cultural activities. The strategy includes leveraging these enhancements to draw visitors, enhancing the local economy and prioritizes environmental stewardship. A key element of this vision is the redesign of Quakertown Park, acknowledging its layered history as a Freedmen's Town and its evolution into a City park. This plan seeks to honor the park's heritage while adapting it for contemporary community use. These enhancements are not just for recreation and aesthetics but are integral to the collective health and prosperity of Denton. The recommended actions below support the community priorities related to Arts, Entertainment and Events; Bike and Pedestrian Safety and Mobility; Culture; Parks and Public Spaces; Retail and Commercial Development; Safety; and Traffic and Transit.
  - 2A: Quakertown Park Master Plan
  - 2B: Activate Vacant Lots
  - 2C: Utilization of Alleys
  - 2D: Utilization of Underutilized Streets
  - 2E: Create a New Park in Southern Downtown
  - 2F: Improvements to the County's Historic Park
  - 2G: Develop Public Art Plan
- Recommendation 3: Target Development to Build on Downtown's Character and Assets. Emphasizing development is pivotal for ensuring Downtown Denton grows with the City while also preserving its distinctive character and assets. The updated approach focuses on fostering a vibrant community by introducing a mix of housing options that cater to various demographics, thereby promoting Downtown living and economic prosperity. The Plan underscores the importance of preserving Denton's historic charm through strategic infill and civic investments, while also expanding open spaces for public enjoyment. Affordability remains a key concern, with actions aimed at ensuring housing accessibility for a diverse population. The preservation of historic sites is strengthened, and design guidelines are refined to ensure new developments complement

Denton's architectural heritage. These measures are designed to bolster Downtown Denton's appeal as a place to live, work, and visit, contributing to its sustainable growth and preserving its historical and cultural legacy. <u>The recommended actions below support the community priorities related to</u> <u>Arts, Entertainment and Events; Bike and Pedestrian Safety and Mobility; Culture; Housing Development; Parks and Public Spaces; Retail and Commercial Development; Safety; and Traffic and Transit.</u>

- 3A: Develop Southern Downtown
- 3B: Encourage Downtown Living
- 3C: Strengthen Historic Preservation Opportunities
- o 3D: Public Realm Design Guidelines and Zoning
- 3E: Explore Opportunities for Specific Programming
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  - 4A: Support music and nightlife
  - 4B: Develop a Performing Arts Center
  - o 4C: Expand Programs to Support Small Businesses
  - 4D: Expand on Downtown Events
  - o 4E: Expand on Economic Development Tools
  - 4F: Establish a Downtown Brand
  - 4G: Establish a Public Improvement District

#### **IMPLEMENTATION ELEMENTS**

On April 16, 2024, the project team presented Design Downtown Denton Plan recommendations to the Advisory Group for feedback and validation. The Advisory Group reviewed the material in detail and provided comments. The Advisory Group's comments and suggestions were incorporated into the recommendations, which were then presented at The Feedback Finale on May 9, 2024 to the public. The additional public comment was gathered and incorporated into the final draft of the plan, further supporting the recommendations reviewed by the Advisory Group. Ultimately, the implementation elements summarized below were all endorsed by the Advisory Group:

- Conceptual Plans:
  - Street Sections Over the last year, the public engagement has revealed that the community desires streets that are well-designed to accommodate all ages and a variety of transportation modes. Safety (particularly at intersections and on narrow sidewalks) and connectivity were a top priority for many residents and stakeholders; therefore, the Plan has reimagined several streets in Downtown with those priorities in mind. The street concepts repurpose existing street rights-of-way where possible, while achieving the vehicular travel lanes and multimodal elements desired by the community. The concepts also depict the overall goal for the street design for a majority of the street length, while recognizing there may be some

engineering design concessions which have to be made due to existing constraints within the existing built environment. Historic areas of any community often present challenges for mobility planning—existing right-of-way widths can be narrow and the community's travel patterns are well established. Therefore, it is critical that before street design begins, the City work with residents to ensure that the final design meets the needs of those who are most affected. Lastly, the street designs proposed are generally consistent with the 2022 Mobility Plan direction to provide complete streets, thereby taking into account the various transportation modes desired by the community.

- Quakertown Park At 32 acres, the vast greenspace that is Quakertown Park is a distinctive and unique component of Downtown Denton. Historically a Freedman's Town, before being converted to a City park and later containing O'Neil Ford-designed civic structures and landscapes, Quakertown Park holds layers of history and story within its pastoral landscape. The proposed upgrades to the park intend to continue to support a variety of community events, civic spaces, and day-to-day activities. However, based on community engagement, the plan intends to reveal, provide education about, and memorialize the park's history, while putting in place the structures and infrastructure needed to provide the next generation of park services. The four key goals of the plan for Quakertown Park are: 1) recognize the past, 2) re-establish natural waterways, 3) reconnect to Downtown, and 4) reflect Downtown today.
- Vacant Property on the Square Over the last year, the public engagement has revealed that the Denton community desires that the vacant property on the Square be opened for active and passive public use. Therefore, the Plan has reimagined the vacant parcel with those priorities in mind. The vacant lot on the Square has the potential to enhance the downtown public realm and connect the Square to other active areas in Downtown such as Austin Street. Activating this parcel offers opportunities to enhance the public park and open space network, combat extreme temperatures through additional greenspace, and increase economic opportunity within Downtown through activation space. Initial low-cost improvements such as trees, planters, and benches will enhance comfort, and the property will provide the opportunity to provide an ADA-compliant entrance and exit to the Square from the east side of Downtown.
- New Park in Southern Downtown With the completion of Phases 1 and 2 of PEC-4 in 2022, more than 20 acres of land south of the Square were removed from the floodplain, opening up the opportunity for redevelopment in the area. Throughout the past year of public engagement, much of the community feedback has centered on the creation of more public greenspace, informal performance areas, and family-friendly play areas. A centralized green space in Southern Downtown can serve as an anchor to catalyze proposed development and economic opportunities, and meet those interests voiced by the Denton community. By dedicating a large central open space as a community park and incorporating a range of activities and amenities, the Southern Downtown redevelopment area can become a vibrant and inclusive destination, fostering community connections. Activating the park's edges, repurposing historic buildings, ensuring safe access, and creating a comfortable microclimate will all contribute to a dynamic and welcoming urban park that serves the community year-round.

#### **BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS MEETINGS**

With the endorsement of the implementation elements by the Advisory Group, the project team visited boards and commissions to provide an overview of the conceptual plans, along with the 23 recommendation actions, providing board and commission members the opportunity to and offer feedback and ask questions regarding the Plan.

July 24, 2024	Tax Increment Reinvestment	Presented an overview of	TIRZ #1 Board
	Zone No. 1 (TIRZ #1) Board	the Downtown Plan to the	members (Downtown
	Meeting	members of the TIRZ #1	business and/or
		Board.	property owners, and

			a councilmember) received a presentation previewing the Downtown Plan and asked questions.
August 5, 2024	Parks, Recreation and Beautification Board Meeting	Presented an overview of the Downtown Plan, with a focus on the Quakertown Park Concept Plan, to the members of the Parks Board.	Meeting cancelled due to lack of quorum
August 12, 2024	Historic Landmark Commission	Presented an overview of the Downtown Denton Plan, with a focus on the Quakertown Park Concept Plan and historic preservation recommendations, to the members of the board.	Results of this meeting will be communicated at the Planning and Zoning Commission meeting.

#### NEXT STEPS

Presuming a recommendation is received from the Planning and Zoning Commission, then City Council will conduct their respective public hearing and take action on the Design Downtown Denton Plan on September 17, 2024. Staff has republished the required legal notices accordingly.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Recommend approval
- 2. Recommend approval with conditions
- 3. Recommend denial
- 4. Postpone Item

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends **approval** of the Design Downtown Denton Plan, an amendment to the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan, as presented.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Draft Design Downtown Denton Plan
- 3. Design Downtown Denton "A Day-in-the-Life" Video
- 4. Draft Ordinance

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Design Downtown Denton represents the vision and efforts of hundreds of passionate residents, business owners, developers, city staff, and city officials. In conversation with all of these groups, you see love for Denton and a desire to see Downtown continue to grow as a welcoming environment full of entertainment and prosperity for current and future Dentonites. The team learned much from our dedicated stakeholders and wanted to extend a heartfelt **THANK YOU** to everyone who contributed to this plan!



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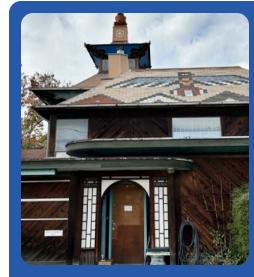














# Executive Summary



### **Overview**

Design Downtown Denton is a strategic blueprint for the next decade aimed at enhancing the vitality and character of Downtown Denton. This plan addresses key areas such as parks, housing, mobility, and historic preservation. Developed over a year with extensive community input, it provides a comprehensive guide for decision-making and resource allocation, ensuring that Denton's downtown remains vibrant, resilient, and responsive to the needs of its residents and businesses.

#### Why Plan?

The primary purpose of updating the plan The Design Downtown Denton plan is used by city officials, developers, businesses, for Downtown Denton is to ensure that it remains relevant and effective in addressing and residents as a comprehensive guide for the evolving needs and challenges of the decision-making and development. It provides community. This update, conducted every a policy and regulatory framework to support ten to fifteen years, allows the city to adapt desired growth and development, outlines to growth, incorporate new demographic, actionable strategies to achieve the goals of the economic, and environmental data, and engage plan, and engages the community in ongoing the community in shaping the future of their and future projects. The plan also helps city. Denton has experienced significant growth, prioritize investments and allocate resources and the updated plan reflects current and effectively to maximize impact and benefits future demands. Regular updates provide an for the community. By updating the plan every opportunity to integrate new data and address ten years, Denton ensures that its downtown emerging challenges, ensuring that Downtown remains vibrant, resilient, and responsive to the Denton continues to thrive. needs of its residents and businesses.

#### **Project Schedule**

The plan was developed over a year in four phases: Understand, Envision, Act, and Adopt. Each phase built upon the previous one, starting with understanding the current conditions and community needs, envisioning strategies for improvement, acting on refining these strategies, and finally, seeking official adoption by government bodies. This structured approach ensured that the plan was comprehensive, data-driven, and reflective of community input.





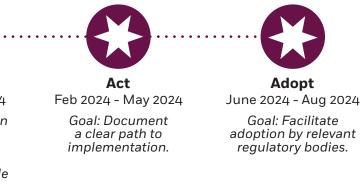
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Sept 2023- Feb 2024 Goal: Create a vision and community priorities based on community feedback that guide approaches to recommendations.

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#### How will the plan be used?





### Community Engagement

The primary goal of our community engagement was to create a collaborative environment where residents, business owners, and city officials could share their vision for Downtown Denton's future. Our inclusive and iterative process ensured every voice was heard. We used a variety of online and in person activities to:

- Understand the Community: Gather insights through surveys, workshops, and direct conversations to grasp the unique needs and desires of Dentonites.
- **Envision Together:** Develop and refine strategies that align with the community's aspirations for a vibrant, inclusive, and prosperous downtown.
- Act Collaboratively: Prioritize and detail actionable steps, working closely with stakeholders to ensure the feasibility and community support for each initiative.
- Adopt and Implement: Present the plan to governing bodies, revising as needed to reflect the community's feedback, leading to official adoption and execution.



Our period of dialoguing with the public included fun and engaging pop-up events that allowed us to hear from a wider variety of people.









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Design Downtown Denton to be a more walkable, beautiful, and fun destination for shopping, working, learning, and recreation that also serves as a hub of opportunity, welcoming all Dentonites. Cultivate a vibrant and diverse residential community. Preserve and expand the distinctive local businesses, foster a strong sense of community, and safeguard the historic and artistic character while promoting growth and development.

### Community **Priorities**

Based on analysis of conversations with community members a vision statement and community priorities were developed. Throughout the plan, these priorities are represented by a pie. Each recommendation fulfils at least one of these priorities:

- Arts, Entertainment, and Events: Enhance public art, music initiatives, and festivals to enrich the downtown area's cultural scene.
- Bike and Pedestrian Mobility: Improve • walkability and bike safety through better streetscapes and connected routes.
- **Culture:** Promote diversity and inclusion • by acknowledging history, celebrating local culture, and connecting Downtown to Denton's colleges and universities.
- Housing Development: Address rising rents and housing affordability by increasing housing supply, mixed-use developments, and various residential options to foster a vibrant community.



- Retail and Commercial Development: Invest in local businesses, increase housing options, and preserve historic landmarks to boost economic growth.
- **Safety**: Improve the perception of safety by addressing homelessness concerns, designing streets to support outdoor events, defining key pedestrian corridors, and enhancing sidewalk maintenance
- Traffic and Transit: Improve roadway safety, enhance parking availability and management, and expand bus and bike routes to reduce parking demand and improve downtown accessibility.

### Recommendations

In response to the extensive community input and collaboration among local stakeholders, Design Downtown Denton proposes a forward-thinking vision for revitalizing Downtown Denton. The plan emphasizes enhanced walkability, improved public spaces, and sustainable development that preserves the area's unique character. The following recommendations were informed by thorough stakeholder engagement, feasibility assessments, and best practices research, aimed at maximizing Downtown's potential while addressing current challenges. The recommendations are grouped into four categories.

#### **1. Better Utilize Downtown's Streetscape**

Improving the use of Downtown Denton's streets is essential for fostering a safer, more inclusive, and lively city core. The plan emphasizes the transformation of street space to prioritize pedestrian experiences.



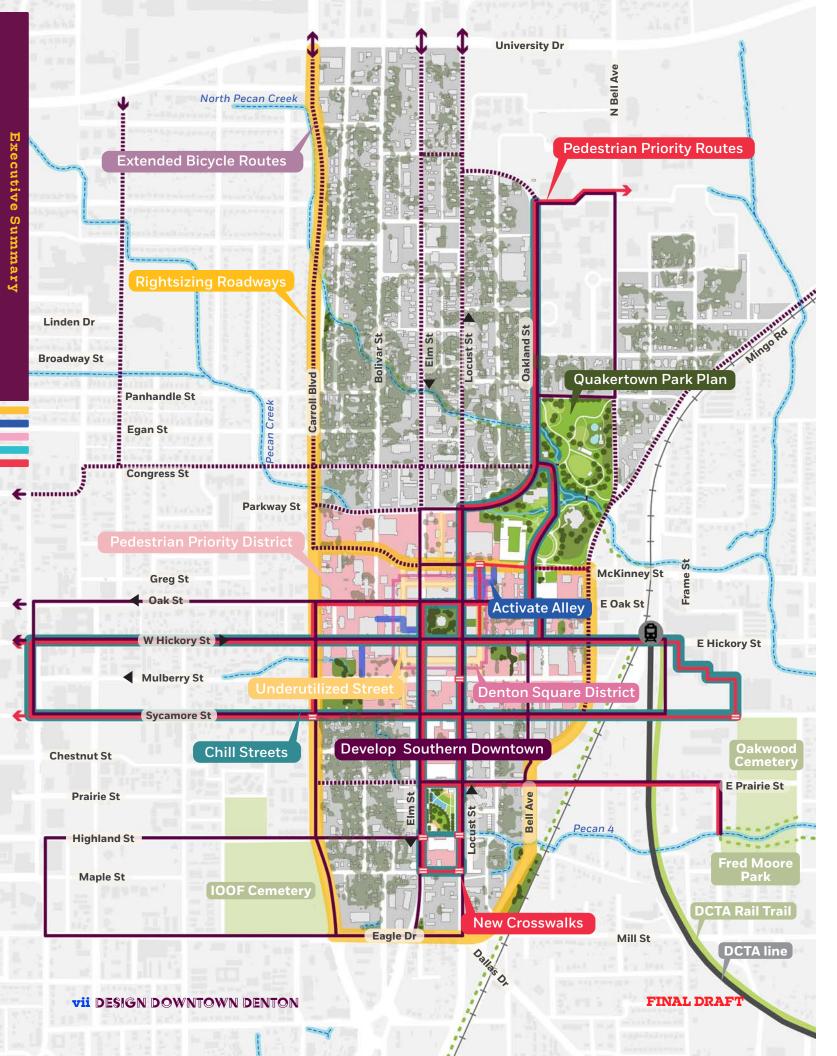
A rendering of a Chill Street. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

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The introduction of 'Denton Chill Streets' is a novel approach aimed at improving comfort and environmental resilience by optimizing shade and walkability. The plan advocates for improving links to vital destinations, thereby bolstering economic growth and encouraging eco-friendly transport options. Collectively, these initiatives are designed to cultivate a welcoming atmosphere for all modes of travel, thereby elevating the livability of Downtown Denton.



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#### 2. Build a Network of Improved Public Spaces

The revitalization of Downtown Denton's public spaces is pivotal for enriching residents' lives and stimulating economic prosperity. The plan emphasizes transforming new and existing parks and public spaces into dynamic hubs that bolster social engagement, wellness, and cultural activities. The strategy includes leveraging these enhancements to draw visitors, enhancing the local economy and prioritizes environmental stewardship. A key element of this vision is the redesign of Quakertown Park, acknowledging its layered history as a Freedmen's Town and its evolution into a city park. This plan seeks to honor the park's heritage while adapting it for contemporary community use. These enhancements are not just for recreation and aesthetics but are integral to the collective health and prosperity of Denton.



A rendering of the proposed new plaza adjacent to the Square. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

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- **B** Activate Vacant Lots
- **QC** Utilization of Alleys
- **2D** Utilization of Underutilized Streets
- **2E** Create a New Park in Southern Downtown



Improvements to the County's Historic Park

**2**G Develop Public Art Plan

#### 3. Target Development to Build on **Downtown's Character and Assets**

Emphasizing development is pivotal for ensuring Downtown Denton grows with the City while also preserving its distinctive character and assets. The updated approach focuses on fostering a vibrant community by introducing a mix of housing options that cater to various demographics, thereby promoting Downtown living and economic prosperity. The plan underscores the importance of preserving Denton's historic charm through strategic infill and civic investments, while also expanding open spaces for public enjoyment. Affordability remains a key concern, with actions aimed at ensuring housing accessibility for a diverse population. The preservation of historic sites is strengthened, and design guidelines are refined to ensure new developments complement Denton's architectural heritage. These measures are designed to bolster Downtown Denton's appeal as a place to live, work, and visit, contributing to its sustainable growth and preserving its historical and cultural legacy.

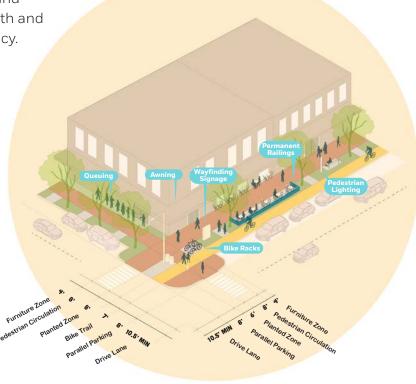


**Encourage Downtown** Living

**3C** Strengthen Historic Preservation Opportunities

**Public Realm Design Guidelines and Zoning** 

**3E** Explore Opportunities for Transformative Projects



Historic Square District and Chill Street on the Square. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

#### 4. Promote Downtown's Nightlife, Music, Events, History, and Art

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Many Denton businesses foster community with unique and fun outdoor spaces. Offering support to these businesses can help them continue to flourish. Image Source: Mend Collaborative



A school dance group performs on the Courthouse Square as part of Hispanic Heritage Month. Image Source: Mend Collaborative









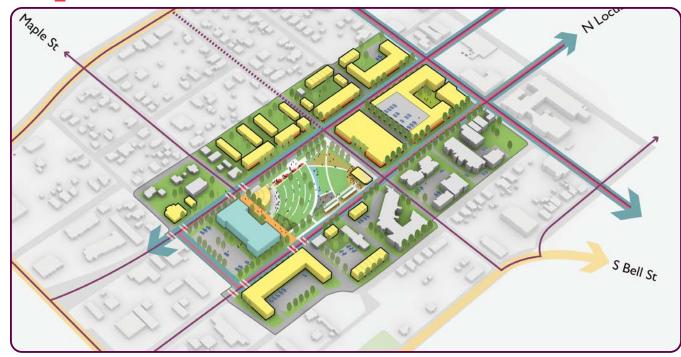




Establish a Downtown Brand

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### Implementation



New development in southern Downtown. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

#### **Overview of Implementation Approach**

The successful realization of the Downtown Denton plan hinges on a well-coordinated implementation strategy. This phase is critical for translating the vision and recommendations into tangible outcomes. Strategic execution ensures that the initiatives are carried out effectively, fostering a more vibrant and sustainable downtown.

#### **Key Implementation Steps**

To ensure systematic progress, the recommendations have been prioritized based on their potential impact, feasibility, and alignment with the community's needs. A phased rollout will be adopted, starting with high-priority projects that can deliver immediate benefits. This phased approach allows for careful monitoring and adjustments as needed, ensuring that each step builds on the success of previous efforts.

# Stakeholder Roles and Responsibilities

Effective implementation requires collaboration among various stakeholders:

- **City Government** Will lead the effort by providing regulatory support, funding, and oversight.
- Private Sector and Developers- Will be key partners in executing development projects, contributing to public realm improvements, and adhering to updated guidelines.
- **Community Involvement** Continuous community engagement is vital for maintaining public support and ensuring that the projects meet residents' needs and expectations.

#### **Next Steps**

The immediate actions involve initiating highpriority projects that can quickly demonstrate the plan's benefits. This includes starting with key infrastructure improvements, updating zoning regulations, and launching incentive programs for developers. Long-term goals will be achieved through continued investment in public spaces, fostering cultural activities, and ensuring ongoing community engagement. Milestones will be set to track progress and make necessary adjustments along the way.

#### Conclusion

The Downtown Denton plan represents a comprehensive vision for a thriving, inclusive, and dynamic urban center. By focusing on better utilizing street space, improving public spaces, targeting development, and promoting cultural activities, the plan aims to enhance the quality of life for residents and visitors alike. The commitment to this vision reflects the community's aspirations and the city's dedication to sustainable growth and development.



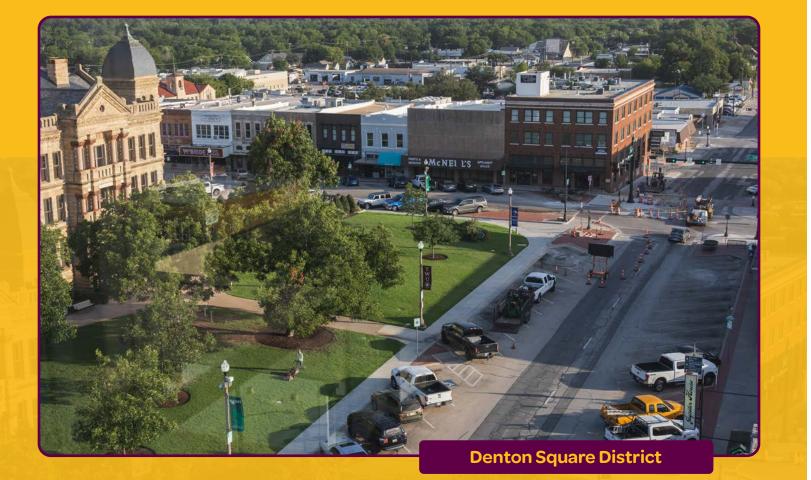
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We invite all stakeholders to join us in this transformative journey. Your participation, whether through feedback, investment, or active involvement, is crucial to the success of this plan. Together, we can create a downtown Denton that not only meets the needs of today but also paves the way for a brighter, more sustainable future. Let's work together to turn this vision into reality, ensuring that downtown Denton thrives for generations to come.

# Introduction



### Introduction

The Downtown Denton Master Plan requires an update to guide the next 10 years of Downtown's growth priorities, including parks and open space, parking, housing, mobility, connectivity, and the preservation of existing neighborhoods and historic resources. The updated plan, Design Downtown Denton, covers the area bounded by Bell Avenue to the east, Carroll Boulevard to the west, University Drive to the north, and Eagle Drive to the south (a map of the study area is available on page 12). This plan outlines actions and recommendations that will build on Downtown's assets, highlight its history and character, and make it an even more enjoyable place to live. The plan was developed in four phases. The first three phases, understand, envision, and act, were completed over 9 months in 2023 and 2024. The Design Downtown Denton Advisory Group, twenty residents and stakeholders appointed by City Council, came together at each stage to provide valuable feedback on the progress of the plan and the needs of the community.

#### **Phase 1: Understand**

To understand Downtown Denton's existing culture, wants and needs, the City and project team examined the data on Denton's demographics, housing, transportation and more for a high-level assessment of conditions in Downtown. This analysis was merged with on the ground observations from first-person experience in Denton, walking the streets, exploring Quakertown Park, and visiting bars, restaurants and shops. Most importantly, extensive time was spent gathering feedback from business owners, city officials and residents who shared their time and ideas in contribution to this project. The data, observations and engagement results built a "Case for Action" that allowed project goals and strategies to be fully developed in the next phase.

#### Phase 2: Envision

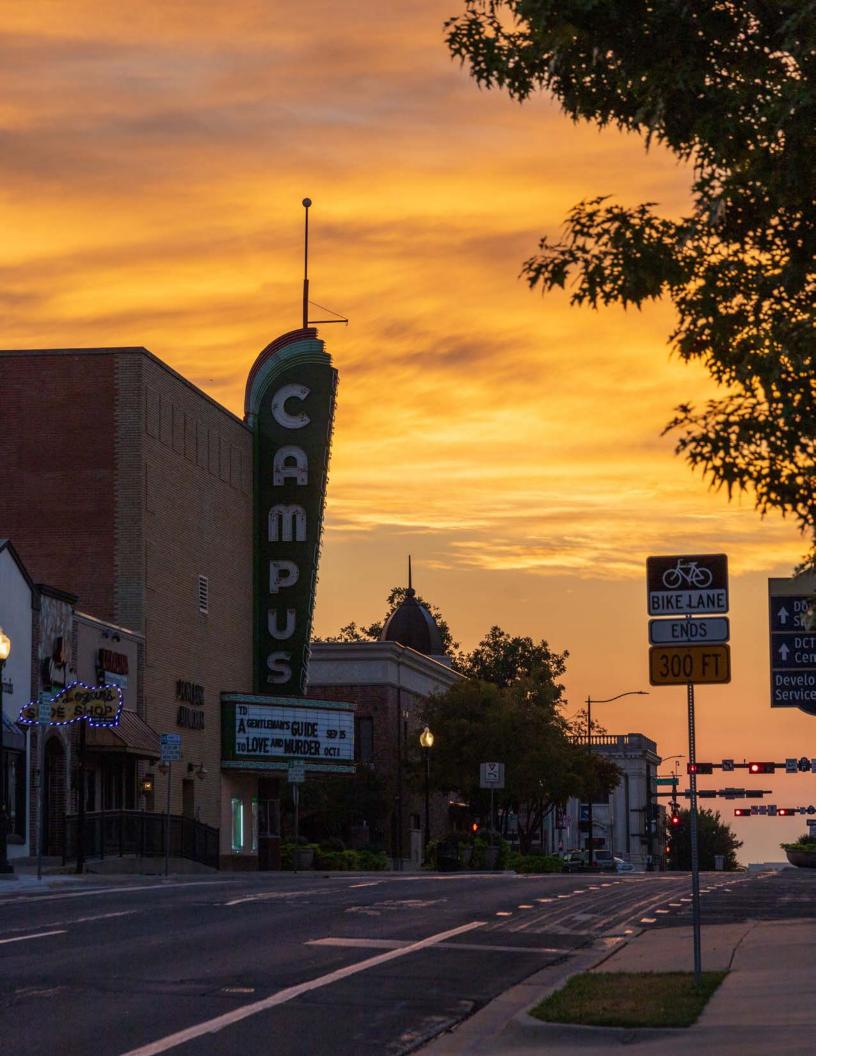
After completing the Downtown Plan, it must be approved by relevant government bodies. In phase 2, draft strategies to address the wants Consultants and City Staff will present the draft and needs in Downtown Denton were studied. to boards, commissions, and other regulatory refined and developed in the Envision phase bodies, making necessary revisions following of the project. Projects, programs, and policies Planning and Zoning Commission and City were considered as pathways to improve the Council meetings to move the plan closer to conditions that most concerned Dentonites official adoption. and would help support the growth of Denton

into the future. Based on community feedback in the Understand Phase, a vision statement (see page 3) and key priorities (see page 4) were created. These priorities were a guiding force behind the projects, program and actions recommended to address them.

#### Phase 3: Act

Phase 3 continued the refinement of strategies that began in the Envision Phase, moving the community closer to consensus on the strategies and how they might be prioritized given available time and resources. Recommendations were then developed to a level of detail that the next steps could be taken toward creation of the full plan and implementation.

#### Phase 4: Adopt



#### **Project Schedule**



Understand June - Sept 2023

Goal: Understand key issues, challenges, and previous plans affecting the study area.



Envision Sept 2023- Feb 2024

Goal: Create a vision and community priorities based on community feedback that guide approaches to recommendations.

#### **Project Vision**

During the Envision Phase, the project team synthesized information to create community priorities, breaking them into refined actions to guide final recommendations. Setting an overall vision for Downtown Denton was crucial before moving forward. Based on hundreds of hours of engagement, data collection, and conversation, the following vision statement was developed to steer Design Downtown Denton and its proposed actions toward the desired future for Downtown Denton:

Design Downtown Denton to be a more walkable, beautiful, and fun destination for shopping, working, learning, and recreation that also serves as a hub of opportunity, welcoming all Dentonites. Cultivate a vibrant and diverse residential community. Preserve and expand the distinctive local businesses, foster a strong sense of community, and safeguard the historic and artistic character while promoting growth and development.

In a joint committee meeting in December 2023, Denton's City Council and Planning and Zoning Commission approved the vision statement that was developed by the Advisory Group as the guiding principles for Design Downtown Denton.

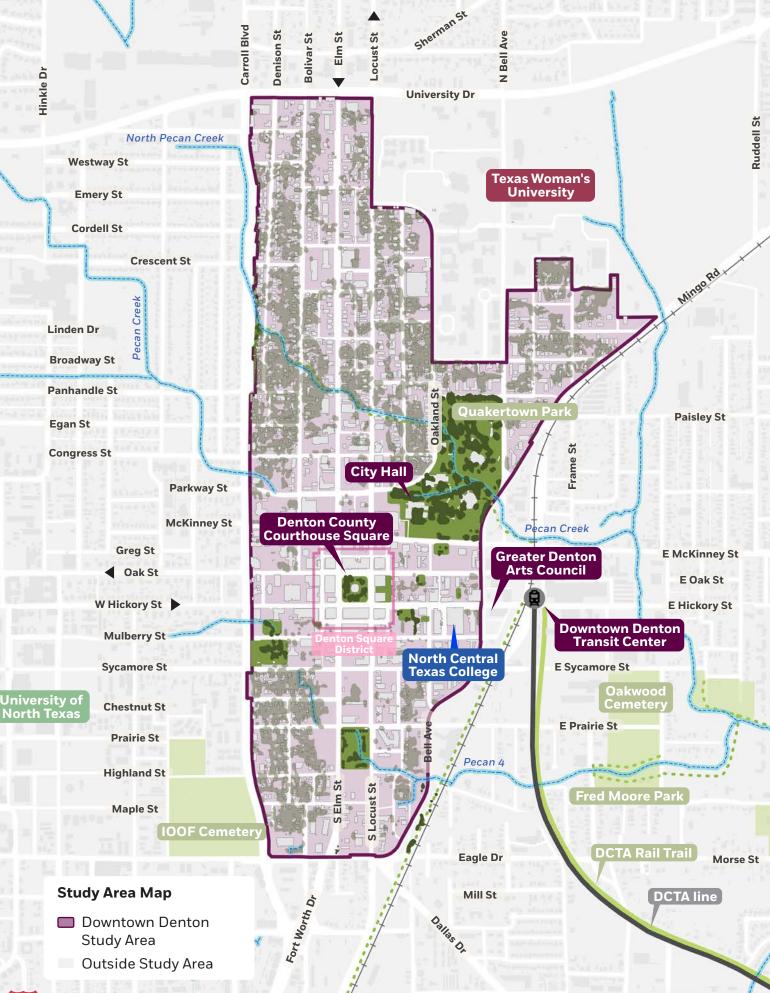
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Feb 2024 - May 2024 Goal: Document a clear path to implementation.

June 2024 - Aug 2024 Goal: Facilitate

adoption by relevant regulatory bodies.





#### Design Downtown Denton Study Area:

- Extends from **Eagle Drive** at the south to **University Drive** to the north, and from Carroll Boulevard on the west to Bell Avenue and Mingo Road on the east.
- There are three institutions of higher education within or adjacent to the study area - University of North Texas, North Central Texas College, and Texas Woman's University.
- It includes the **Denton Square District** home to the **Denton County Courthouse** and other historic buildings, **City Hall** and other City facilities, Quakertown Park, and is adjacent to the Greater Denton Arts Council and the Downtown Denton Transit Center.
- At the time of this planning process the City was undergoing • the Southeast Denton Area Plan to assure that future improvements reflect the residents and community members wishes and recommendations between the two plans are coordinated.



# **Engagement Process**





Dentonites had several opportunities to share their vision for the future of Downtown. Over the first three project phases, ideas and recommendations were drafted based on what the community shared with the project team and then the recommended proposals were brought back to the community members to be changed and refined. It was critical to the success of this project that community members were involved throughout the process and approved of the changes that could impact them where they live, work and play.







### Engagement

We brought the Denton community together throughout the planning process for a series of fun and informative pop-up events with interactive activities for all. In the vibrant and engaging atmosphere at these events, all voices could be heard while celebrating the unique spirit of Denton. By incorporating interactive stations, creative workshops, and engaging displays, we not only gathered valuable feedback but also fostered a sense of community involvement and excitement about the future of downtown Denton.

#### **Engagement Activities**



Design Downtown

Denton

Community **Priorities** 



**Local Business** Survey



**Community Ideas** Map (At pop-ups and online)

# inast Lawn

Imagine the Future of Quakertown Park



**Loves and Needs Visioning Activity** 



Children's Activities

4/16 Advisory Group #3 4/17 Quakertown Park Design Workshop

**Engagement Events** 

September

9/9 Arts and Autos

9/15 Parking Day

October

Jazz Festival

November

December

Workshop

9/14 Advisory Group #1

9/15-17 Denton Blues Fest

9/28 National Night Out

10/6-8 Denton Arts and

10/7 Quakertown Park

Visioning Workshop

10/12 Twilight Tunes

10/19 Twilight Tunes

11/16 Advisory Group #2

12/5 Design Downtown

12/6 Joint Committee

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Denton Visioning

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Several themes were established through an analysis of the hundreds of comments received during events, activities, surveys and online interactions. Some residents told stories of their experiences in the park system, others expressed their ideas for how to address parking issues in Downtown. Some of the most common topics we heard were:



#### **Retail and Development**

Invest in local businesses, increase housing, and protect historic landmarks.

"Work with economic development to help bring businesses that would make West side streets destinations, such as a coffee shop."

#### **Arts, Entertainment, and Events**

Develop visual brand for Downtown area, bring new activities to Downtown, encourage and support artists, public arts, and art venues.

"The large murals on some of the downtown buildings is wonderful. I would love to see more of that. However, it needs to be quality art and maintained."



Parks. Open Space & Public Amenities



#### **Downtown Parks** and Trails Network



**Boulevard** 





#### **Bike and Pedestrian Mobility**

Enhance walkability, expand protected bike lanes, and close some streets to vehicles for events and gatherings.

"Downtown is the best area of Denton because it's the only place where one can walk around, have a picnic, shop, and drink without a car!"

#### Parks and Public Spaces

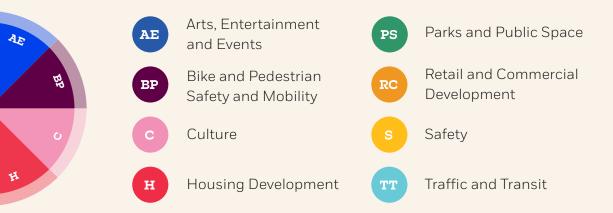
Expand network of parks and public spaces, add trees and landscaping, program underutilized areas.

*"Invest in more trees. Trees are important"* to cool the area, and also bring wildlife and happiness to people."



# **Community Priorities**

Community Priorities were developed based on conversations with community members and analysis of the development opportunities and assets in Downtown Denton. The Advisory Group provided direction and feedback on the draft priorities, leading to the final version presented at the Joint Workshop on December 5th.



#### **Arts, Entertainment and Events**

- Create a marketing brand for the Downtown area, and use that brand to tie Downtown to the AE1 surrounding community.
- Encourage and promote public art and music initiatives and festivals. AE2
- Build on current successes by adding new activities and events, especially for children and families. AE3
- AE4 Support the addition of interactive art, music, sculptures, and lighting to create engaging spaces.
- Explore the addition and improvement of a variety of music and art venues, stages, and theaters. AE5

#### **Bike and Pedestrian Safety and Mobility**

- Enhance walkability by improving our streetscapes, including sidewalks, lighting, BP1 landscaping, and crosswalks.
- BP2 Implement safety measures at dangerous intersections.
- Connect key areas, including the universities, the Square and the transit center through BP3 public realm improvements and infill development and through a common Downtown brand.
- Promote a safer environment for cyclists by expanding protected bike lanes, bike parking, and trails. BP4
- BP5 Regularly close side streets for public events and community gatherings.

#### Culture

- C1 Foster increased diversity and inclusion through the acknowledgment of history and increased opportunities for all Dentonites.
- Protect/continue to embody what people love most about the feel of Denton: community pride, C2 welcoming atmosphere, and historic scale.
- Celebrate and connect Downtown to Denton's colleges and universities. **C**3
- **C**4 Highlight the Downtown culture within the broader Denton community and county.

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#### **Housing Development**

- Address rising rents and housing affordability through increased housing supply, mixed-use H1 developments, and more residential options to foster a vibrant local community.
- H<sub>2</sub> Provide more housing options Downtown, establishing a variety of housing stock that will appeal to many different residents' needs.

#### **Parks and Public Space**

- PS1 picnic areas and kids play areas.
- PS<sub>2</sub> Add more trees and landscaping in public spaces to provide shade, and improve aesthetics.
- PS<sub>3</sub> Build outdoor amenities like public seating, restrooms, water fountains, and more.
- PS<sub>4</sub> Find ways to activate underutilized areas, such as alleys, vacant properties, and sidewalks.
- Preserve the view corridors and viewsheds of Downtown including the Courthouse-on-the-Square PS5 and the Morrison Milling silos and sign.

#### **Retail and Commercial Development**

- RC1 and overall aesthetics.
- Improve public space to encourage foot traffic and inspire building upkeep. RC2
- RC3 Emphasize the historical significance and preservation of historical assets within the Downtown area, including expanding local, state, and national designations.
- Promote and protect the local business community, including those businesses beyond the Square. RC4
- Fill empty storefronts and vacant lots with unique local shops and food and beverage options. RC5

#### Safety

- S1 concerns and needs.
- **S2** Design streets with infrastructure to enable street closures and to support outdoor events. Define key pedestrian corridors and improve their streetscapes, shade canopy and lighting. **S**3 **S**4 Improve maintenance and cleanliness on sidewalks.

#### **Traffic and Transit**

- TT1 Improve roadway safety for motorists, pedestrians, and bicyclists by implementing traffic closures on certain streets and during events, as well as exploring road rightsizing and traffic calming initiatives.
- TT2 Improve parking availability and management by upgrading lots with trees and landscaping, adding wayfinding signage to and from parking to destinations, using paid parking as a management tool, and considering the construction of a public parking garage in the Downtown area.
- Enhance accessibility to Downtown and reduce parking demand by expanding and TT3 improving bus and bike routes to the transit center and other key destinations.

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Create a network of green spaces and public parks with amenities such as community gardens,

Invest in areas around the Square to improve business and housing variety, public safety,

Improve perception of safety by partnering with service providers to address homelessness

# Recommendations

Design Downtown Denton presents a vision for the future of Downtown Denton where local government, businesses, developers and community have taken collaborative action to change policy and develop public and private facilities that will:

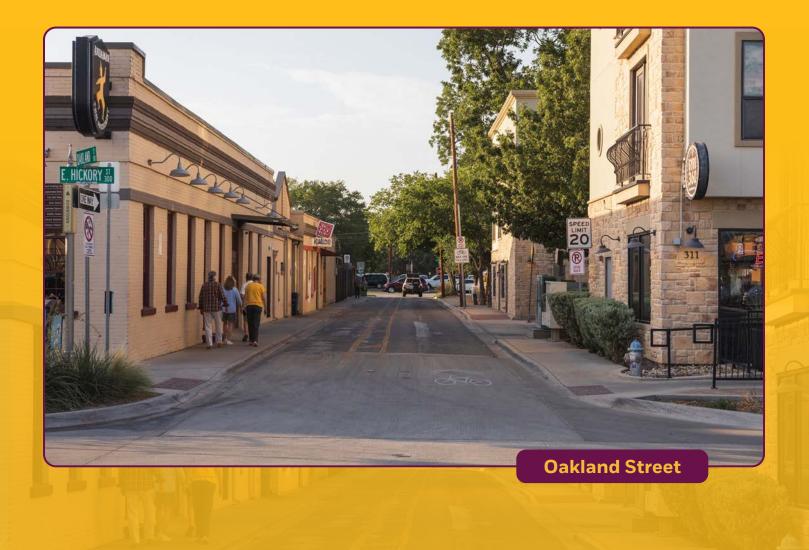
- **Better utilize Downtown's streetscape** aking downtown more walkable and accessible, with improved management of parking and mobility, and a focus on prioritizing all forms of transportation,
- b. Build a network of improved public spaces oviding Dentonites with beautiful places to relax, play, and reflect, all within a short distance form their homes.
- ta Target development to build on Downtown's character and assets preserving existing structures while building compatible housing, parks and retail that invite new families to make Downtown Denton their home,
- and pr Promote Downtown's nightlife, music, events, history, and art bugh branding and advertising that tells the story of Downtown Denton's history and culture while promoting its future, programs that provide support for artists and musicians, and projects that create new venues, events and entertainment.

The recommendations that follow each category are based on careful review of wants and needs expressed by local stakeholders, discussions on the feasibility and management of potential actions with city staff and developers, as well as research into the best practices for resolving challenges and taking advantage of opportunities to build on Downtown's current successes.





# **Better Utilize** Downtown **Denton's Street Space**



# **Better Utilize Downtown** Denton's Street Space

#### Why is this important?

The largest single amount of land that is owned and maintained by the City of Denton within Downtown is the right-of-way. Using Downtown's streets as a catalyst for creating a safer, more accessible, and vibrant urban environment is essential. Prioritizing walking and biking by rightsizing streets and improving street design will improve traffic flow and safety. Creating "Denton Chill Streets", a new type of street that prioritizes shade, walkability, and comfort in the public realm, will improve quality of life and climate resilience. Improving transit routes will additionally create connections between Denton's most important destinations. Together, these measures will support economic development, promote sustainable transportation, and enhance the overall quality of life in Downtown.

#### What are we attempting to accomplish?

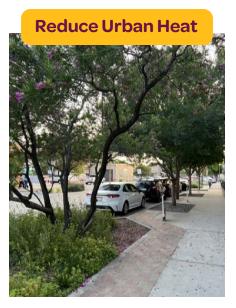




Denton more enjoyable.



Expand pedestrian priority routes and create comfortable paths to make Downtown Image Source: Mend Collaborative



Design streets to prioritize shade, walkability, and comfort for pedestrians and to improve climate resilience Downtown. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

# A Rightsizing and 4/3 Conversions

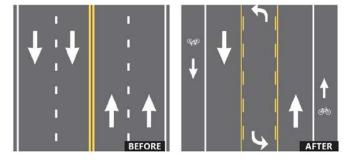
Downtown Denton is made up of a variety of street sizes and widths. While maintaining the flow of traffic and avoiding congestion are important city mobility goals, a healthy downtown must have a strong balance between maintaining sufficient capacity for car traffic and supporting street elements that allow for safe and comfortable walking and biking. This balance in street configuration makes getting to and moving around Downtown Denton safer and more convenient for people and facilitates community participation through a pedestrianfriendly environment.

#### **Case for Action**

Narrowing streets can encourage people to cross the wide streets around downtown that currently create boundaries between Downtown and its surrounding neighborhoods and the wide streets within Downtown that make it hard to move between destinations. Downtown will be more uniformly enjoyed by those walking, biking and looking to enjoy Downtown and patronize businesses if those barriers are reduced.

Streets in Denton don't all fit neatly into street type categories. Streets that are oversized have more lanes than are needed to carry their typical daily traffic. Rightsized streets have enough lanes to carry their typical traffic. Carroll Boulevard, Elm Street, Locust Street, Bell Avenue, and McKinney Street are some

#### **4-3 Conversion**





examples of oversized streets in Downtown Denton. Traffic capacity for streets was derived from the 2022 Mobility Plan. Wider streets incentivize speeding. The design of streets can impact drivers' speed more than the posted speed limit. Wider streets mean longer crosswalks and more time that pedestrians must spend crossing the street. A narrower street improves safety conditions.

#### **Proposed Actions**

- Adjust the width of streets to make Downtown Denton more walkable, safer. and make it simpler to move between neighborhoods using any mode of transportation.
- Implement 4-3 conversions, a common approach that creates room to add pedestrian and bicycle capacity without impacting vehicle throughput. Instead of being confronted by the potential barrier of a wide, intimidating four-lane road, a 4-3 conversion transforms a low-traffic street with 4 car lanes into one with 2 car lanes and a center turn lane.
- Prioritize the community and capacity needs for all modes of transportation.

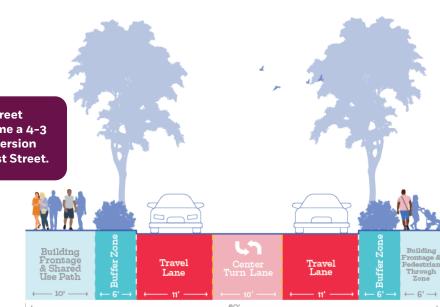
#### **Rebuild McKinney Street and Bell Avenue**

4-3 conversions can help these streets create connection where they currently divide the community. McKinney Street currently is a barrier between Quakertown Park and Downtown, while Bell Avenue divides Downtown from the Denton County Transit Center and Southeast Denton.

- On McKinney Street east of Locust Street and Bell Avenue, move curbs inward to create a narrower street that features one 11-foot lane in each direction with a 10-foot center turn lane.
- On McKinney Street west of Locust Street, narrow the street to feature one 11-foot lane in each direction.

All public realm recommendations must be evaluated against past approvals and funding received, which may impact the final design .

**McKinney Street** should become a 4-3 and 5-3 conversion east of Locust Street.



East McKinney Street Proposed Typical Cross Section

- On McKinney Street and Bell Avenue, build a pedestrian-dedicated sidewalk on one side and a shared use path on the other. Both the sidewalk and shared-use paths should have buffer zones separating areas for walking and biking from the road.
- McKinney Street does not have a standard amount of right-of-way throughout Downtown. As such, some blocks may require a different design. Where rightof-way is limited, pedestrians should be prioritized over the inclusion of a turn lane. Streets Downtown should include clear sidewalks and a planted buffer from traffic whenever possible.
- For all cross sections, turn lanes at intersections may be modified as called for by the situation. For example, no center turn lane would be required if left turns are not allowed. In this case, adding a right turn lane at the intersection may be desirable.

A dedicated left turn lane has been show to create more efficient traffic flow and reduce overall congestion, even when paired with the removal of dedicated through lanes.

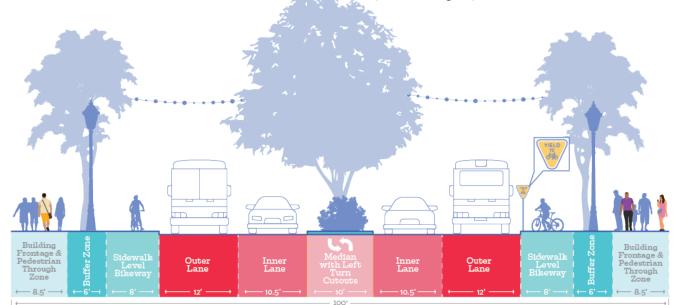


Bell Avenue Proposed Typical Cross Section

#### **Rebuild Carroll Boulevard**

Carroll Boulevard came up frequently in public engagement as a major barrier between Downtown Denton and UNT, and neighborhoods to the west - including the Oak-Hickory and West Oak Area historic districts. Carroll does not carry a volume of traffic that requires its wide cross section. Furthermore, there are numerous large, commercial parcels that could be redeveloped. A redesign of the street and reduction of lanes creates space for extended sidewalks, bike facilities, and space for trees and other planting, including an improved boulevard space.

- Convert inner vehicle lanes to 10.5 feet and outer lanes to 12 feet to support bus throughput.
- Enhance medians with tree planting and left turn cutouts.
- Implement warning signage that warn vehicles to yield to pedestrians and cyclists at all intersections within Downtown and along pedestrian and bicycle priority routes.
- Widen sidewalks, construct behind-the-curb protected bikeways, and create buffer zones between sidewalk and bikeway on both sides of the street to support street trees and other sidewalk amenities such as benches, planters, light posts, and bike racks.



Carroll Boulevard Proposed Typical Cross Section

#### Case Study: Lancaster Boulevard Redesign in Lancaster, California

The transformation of Lancaster Boulevard in Lancaster, California, from a mundane thoroughfare to a vibrant pedestrian hub has sparked significant economic growth and community revitalization. With an investment or \$11.5 million, the city embarked on a streetscape renovation project that yielded impressive results. Within four years, private investment soared to \$130 million, and the area generated \$273 million in economic output.

The makeover saw a reduction in automobile space in favor of pedestrian-friendly features such as off-street parking and a wide, tree-lined central promenade. Despite initial skepticism, the project garnered widespread success, with tax revenues nearly doubling between 2007 and 2012.

The revitalized downtown area now boasts 48 new businesses, contributing to the creation of 802 permanent jobs and 1,100 construction positions. Moreover, traffic accidents decreased by nearly one-third, with injuries dropping by 67 percent by 2013.

Key to the project's success was its design that accommodates large crowds for events like street festivals. The boulevard's success has been recognized with awards, including the US Environmental Protection Agency's Smart Growth Achievement Award.

The project's funding came from the local redevelopment agency, signaling a commitment to eliminating blight and fostering job creation. Lancaster's success serves as a blueprint for other communities seeking transformation through smart urban planning and collaboration between the public and private sectors. *Source: Congress for New Urbanism* 



Before. Image Source: Congress for New Urbanism



After. Image Source: Congress for New Urbanism



Image Source: Tamara Leigh Photography

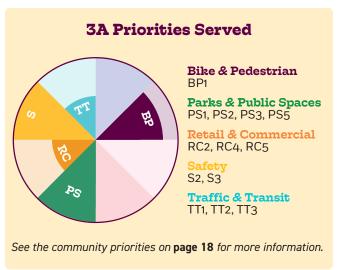


### B Pedestrian Priority Routes and Denton Chill Streets

Community members and stakeholders consistently laud the walkability of the Denton Square District. However, this pedestrianfriendly environment is confined to the immediate area around the square and fails to extend as a cohesive network linking essential destinations and institutions. Moreover, Denton's location in North Texas means it experiences hot temperatures for much of the year, exacerbating the need for shade for pedestrian comfort. Community priorities support pedestrian friendly districts and prioritizing cool, walkable routes to expand the pedestrian network into and around Downtown Denton

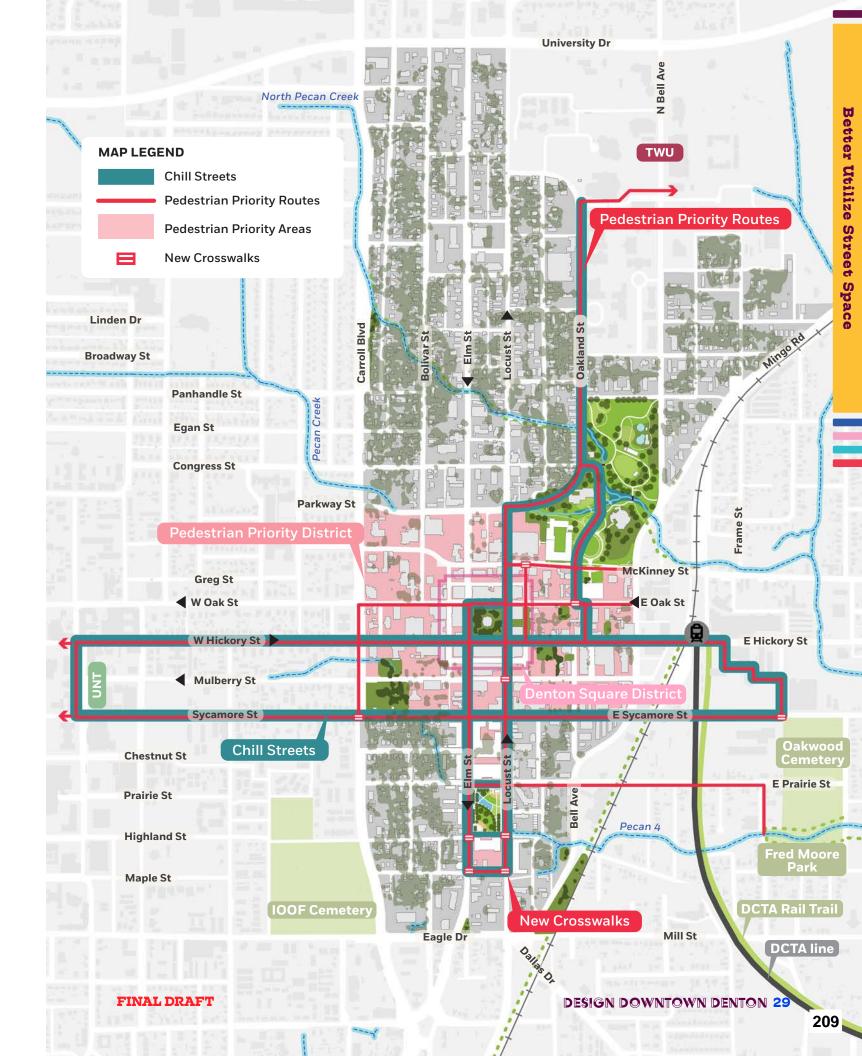
#### The Case for Action

Currently there is a lack of adequate tree canopy coverage around Downtown Denton's Historic Square District, a shortfall particularly pronounced as it falls short of the recommended 40% canopy density for adequate cooling. Properly installed tree canopy and awnings can help reduce peak summer ambient temperatures by 2-9°F and can keep surface temperatures 20-45°F cooler than similar unshaded urban materials. The proposed actions support the pedestrian network by creating a district that prioritizes pedestrians through improved and increased sidewalks, routes connecting public spaces, and by developing the Denton Chill Streets program.



#### What are Chill Streets?

Chill Streets prioritize features that make the air and surface temperatures of downtown Denton cooler and are situated along sidewalks, pathways or trails adjacent and/or parallel to streets, that are designed to serve residents who walk, bike, and use transit. These public realm features include natural and engineered shade, vegetation beds, green stormwater infrastructure, and light, reflective paving materials. Chill Streets, at a minimum, should prioritize a shade coverage target for pedestrian routes of 30% coverage as measured during the hottest times of the day. Chill Streets should aim for 40% or more shade coverage at the hottest times of the day from tree canopy or awnings. Engineered shade features such as awnings may have a higher percent coverage depending on how the feature is installed.



#### **Proposed Actions**

#### **Develop a Denton Chill Streets Program:**

- Undergo a geographically located tree inventory for Downtown.
- Set the parameters of what defines a Chill Street in Denton, and identify and designate streets as Chill Street.
- Create standards for Chill Streets that can be applied to public and private properties and include strategies such as:
- Broad-leaf trees along sidewalks,
- Vegetation beds and/or green stormwater infrastructure,
- Awnings in areas that do not have tree wells and vegetation beds,
- Light, reflective paving materials,
- Shaded benches, seating areas and bike racks, and bus stops.
- Wayfinding that directs people to parks, cooling stations, water fountains, and water features
- New pedestrian crosswalks
- Expand the Downtown Design Guidelines (refer to recommendation 3D: Public Realm Design Guidelines and Zoning Recommendations) to include strategies for keeping pedestrian priority areas and routes cool and comfortable in the heat of the summer.
- Create a streamlined process for the permitting of development features that contribute to additional shade coverage or public realm cooling design.
- Focus Chill Street improvements along Hickory Street, Sycamore Street, Elm Street, Locust Street, Oakland Street, Exposition Street, and within Quakertown Park.
- Coordinate with DCTA to define specific bus stop design standards specific to identified Chill Streets.



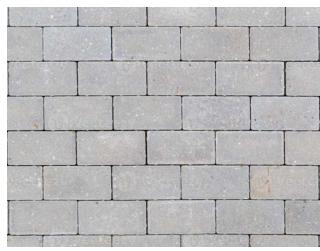
Prioritize broad-leaf trees.



Where space is available, include green stormwater features.



The City should incentivize awnings and tree canopy coverage to create a comfortable experience.



Prioritize lighter color concrete or paving where possible.



Prioritize locating benches in shaded areas and around green space.



Prioritize connecting and communicating about hydrating stations.





#### What is a Pedestrian Priority **District**?

The Pedestrian Priority District is the area of Downtown where streets will prioritize pedestrian comfort, even in areas where the available right-of-way requires trade-offs between modes.

#### **Create a Pedestrian Priority District:**

- Use the Square as a core, defining the boundaries as Oakland Street and McKinney Street (north), Prairie Street (south), Bell Avenue (east), and Carroll Boulevard (west), and extending south to support new development in the zone suggested in recommendation 3A.
- Follow the design guidelines in recommendation 3D.

#### **Develop and Improve Pedestrian Priority** Routes (See map on page 29):

- Follow the design guidelines in recommendation 3D to create Pedestrian **Priority Routes:** 
  - Between the universities and the square,
  - Between parks and public spaces,
  - Between City cooling stations,
  - To the Downtown Denton Transit Center (DDTC), and
  - To regional park trails.
- Upgrade pedestrian infrastructure, including crosswalks, along Hickory Street, Sycamore Street, Elm Street, Locust Street, Oakland Street, Exposition Street, Prairie Street, Oak Street, Austin Street, sections of Carroll Boulevard and within Quakertown Park.

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#### **Chill Streets**

Rights-of-ways were identified as Chill Street candidates in Downtown Denton based on whether they connected key destinations, if they were important pedestrian routes currently, and if new development in the area could catalyze the development of improved public spaces. There is no one-size-fits-all for a Chill Street design and creative strategies must be considered. This rendering depicts a conceptual Chill Street along Prairie Street as part of development south of Downtown (see Recommendation 3A Develop South of Downtown).

Elm Tree

Broad-leaf Trees

Shaded Bike Lane

Building Awning (in background)

Light Concrete or Paving Materials

Raised Bike Lane

Native Plant Beds

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In concrete of Paving Materials

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Shaded Sidewalk

Shaded Seating

Silva Cells or Structural Soils



# **1** C Improve Bike Connections

Building out protected bike infrastructure will further enhance Denton's mobility networks to improve safety and accessibility for those who ride bikes. Recent projects in Denton have created pieces to a network, but a more cohesive and connected set of routes with further investment and planning can better separate bicyclists from cars – an important next step in encouraging biking in the Downtown area. Safe biking connections will create a more inclusive environment for all modes of transportation, as well as for the range of skills and experiences people have with biking in Denton.

#### **Case for Action**

**Better Utilize Street Space** 

Downtown Denton has made recent progress towards creating a bike network, most recently through the Mobility Plan, which has identified areas of need for new bicycle infrastructure throughout the City. While projects like the E Hickory Street bike lane have been completed, many gaps in the network remain, and there is a disparity between the existing bike infrastructure and the safe and comfortable bike infrastructure needed to encourage riding a bike for all levels of riders. Destinations such as Downtown Denton Transit Center (DDTC). University of North Texas (UNT), Texas Woman's University (TWU), and Quakertown Park are close to Downtown, but the route between them is not always comfortable.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### **Build Behind-the-Curb Priority Network**

• Focus City funding and construction efforts to prioritize bike lanes that connect to UNT, Denton Square, TWU, and Quakertown Park.



• Extend the curbs along this network so that there is enough space to put bike infrastructure behind it, taking cyclists out of the street and further separating cyclists from car traffic.

#### **Develop Expanded Protected Bike Network**

- Update the Mobility Plan to recommend construction of a larger network of protected and behind-the-curb bike lanes that allows bicyclists to reach major destinations like DDTC and the DCTA Rail-Trail, as well as University Drive, with minimal exposure to car traffic.
- Update Denton Development Code (DDC) and Criteria Manual to only implement sharrows\* and non-protective infrastructure where there is not ROW available for protected bicycle infrastructure. Prioritize safety and quality of important routes over quantity of less protected infrastructure.

\*road markings showing a biker with two arrows above it used to indicate a shared lane environment for bicycles and automobiles

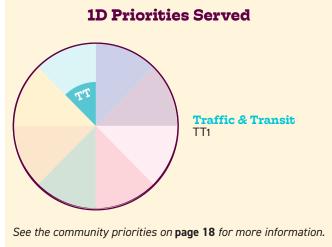


# D Improve Transit

A transportation system that improves connectivity across all modes of transportation improves accessibility for all of Denton's residents and visitors. While the Denton County Transportation Authority's (DCTA) GoZone and transit stops provide public transportation to Downtown Denton, its services and its stop designs can be barriers to ridership. With changes to bus stop amenity considerations, routing, frequency, and scheduling service design, the rider experience can be improved, providing more opportunities for new riders, and increasing the ability for people to move around Denton and across DCTA's expansive network.

#### **Case for Action**

Downtown Denton is itself a key destination within Denton that should be accessible by modes other than driving. Most bus stops in the Downtown area lack basic amenities to provide those waiting with a place to sit or shade from the sun. Currently, Denton Connect bus routes lack stops in key residential locations that make walking to the nearest bus stop infeasible for many Dentonites, while limited routing schedules make it difficult to enjoy Denton's night life car-free. While DCTA is currently making adjustments to increase frequencies and add stops to the Denton Connect routes by Fall 2024, continuing to improve the transit network in Denton, which will provide access to Downtown Denton for those who cannot or choose to not drive.



#### **Proposed Actions**

- Downtown Denton should work together with DCTA to improve or include bus stop amenities such as lighting, seating, and shade within Downtown to make transit service a safer and more comfortable experience. Enhancing bus stops at high ridership locations with the inclusion of realtime scheduling information can help transit riders know when the next bus is coming.
- The City should partner with the DCTA on increasing the frequency of buses, expanding hours of operation, and adjusting routes to improve connections between Downtown and key destinations throughout the City. DCTA should continue to evaluate the GoZone on-demand service to improve service delivery and ensure the GoZone is complementary to the Denton Connect fixed-routes bus service.



DCTA Transit Bus Source: 2005-2024 Community Impact Newspaper Co.

#### **Build Out Bus Stops**

- The City and DCTA should update bus stop design standards to ensure all stops have a element of shade, whether from street trees adjacent buildings, or a dedicated shelter.
- DCTA should consider updating bus stop design standards to ensure bus stop amenities are sensitive to the surrounding land use, neighborhood, and street context. Downtown bus stops could benefit from amenities such as benches, lighting, trash cans, real-time scheduling information, bicycle racks, and maps or other wayfinding information.
- The City and DCTA should coordinate on bus stop locations to ensure that all bus stops are accessible to all by connecting them to the greater pedestrian network using crosswalks, sidewalks, and curb ramps.
- DCTA should consider enhancements to the DDTC to better meet the needs of pedestrian and bicyclists.

#### **Enhance Transit Service**

	•	DCTA and the City should continue to seek
in		regular public feedback regarding transit
З,		service frequencies and service delivery to
		understand the ongoing health of the transit
		network.

• DCTA should continue to prioritize increased frequencies and expanded service hours for existing and future routes into Downtown.

- DCTA and the City should continue to work together to identify areas for GoZone service delivery in Downtown to enhance the overall transit network. They should continue to evaluate the GoZone on-demand service origin and destinations to identify potential fixed-route service adjustments and new routes.
- Review the current Mobility plans to ensure that the Downtown Denton Transit Center (DDTC) serves as a transit hub for Downtown Denton by including it as a key point along Denton's bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure networks.

# **Build** a Suila a Network of Improved **Public Spaces**



# **D** Build a Network of Improved Public Spaces

#### Why is this important?

Enhancing parks and public spaces will elevate both the quality of life and economic vitality of Downtown Denton. Activating vacant lots and utilizing alleys and underutilized streets will not only improve pedestrian safety but also make Downtown more attractive to residents and businesses alike, bolstering economic growth. New and improved parks will provide central gathering places for residents, boosting community cohesion and serving as a catalyst for development while enriching the cultural landscape, fostering creativity, attracting visitors, and enhancing the overall vibrancy of Downtown Denton.

#### What are we attempting to accomplish?



Create vibrant gathering areas to enrich the overall urban experience. Photo Source: Discover Denton



economic activity.

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Leverage improvements in public spaces to stimulate Photo Source: Mend Collaborative



Prioritize the preservation and unearthing of Denton's rich heritage and cultural identity. Photo Source: Mend Collaborative

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# **Quakertown Park** Master Plan

At 32 acres, the vast greenspace that is Quakertown Park is a distinctive and unique component of Downtown Denton. Historically a Freedmen's Town before being converted to a city park and later containing O'Neil Forddesigned civic structures and landscapes, Quakertown Park holds layers of history and story within its pastoral landscape. Today, the park is host to a variety of community events, civic spaces, and day-to-day activities, which this plan intends to continue to support. This plan aims to reveal and provide education and memorialization of the park's history while envisioning the next generation of park services.

This plan for Quakertown Park addresses four key goals:

- Recognize the Past
- Reestablish Natural Waterways
- Reconnect to Downtown\*
- and Reflect Downtown Today •

By realizing these goals through implementable actions outlined in this plan, a vision for park improvements, connections, and storytelling can be achieved.

\*See Recommendation 1B for larger context of pedestrian routes and chill streets that connect with Quakertown Park.









Quakertown Park is a pastoral landscape that is a unique feature of Downtown Denton. Image credit Mend Collaborative.

#### **Recognizing the Past: A Position of Understandin***α*

Recognizing the past involves telling full histories and acknowledging injustices. To make a case for action and outline proposed actions, telling the documented and oral history that we know so far of Quakertown Park is necessary to set a frame of reference.

What is now known as Quakertown Park was in Quaker. historically home to the freedmen's town of Quaker continued to grow throughout the late Quaker. Established by freed Black people in nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. In the 1870s, Quaker quickly became a thriving addition to the school, Quaker was home to community with homes, businesses, churches, commercial shops and restaurants, lodges for and a school. In the face of adversity and men's and women's social organizations, and segregation, Quaker grew into a vibrant, selfseveral churches. Residents included Dr. E. reliant town within a town, with residents D. Moten, the first Black physician in Denton; building a strong community that supported Henry C. Bell, an early principal of the Frederick each other through mutual aid and cooperation. Douglass School; Ford Crawford, who owned Beginning in the 1870s, groups of families a grocery store; Bert Crawford, who owned a arrived in Denton as part of the wave of freed mortuary; Anthony Goodall, who owned a cafe;

Black people relocating to urban areas after and Henry Taylor, a gardener and landscaper the full abolition of slavery in 1865. Like many whose park-like yard contained rare and notable freed Black people in the Reconstruction era, white lilacs. they prized education and its potential to create a better future for their children. The City's promise to construct a dedicated free public school for Black children played a major role in



Masonic Lodge. Image Source: Denton County Office of History & Culture

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their decision to settle in Denton. Constructed in 1878, the Denton Colored School, later renamed the Frederick Douglass School, occupied the corner of Terry and Holt avenues (near the present-day Denton Senior Center). Although it was a segregated school that received secondhand supplies from the Whites-only schools in the district, Frederick Douglass provided important educational access to Black children



Ford Crawford store. Image Source: Denton County Office of History & Culture

**Improved Public Spaces** 



Members of the House of Ruth, a women's organization, photographed circa 1910. Image Source: Denton County Office of History & Culture



Residents Joe and Alice Skinner shortly after their marriage in 1913. Image Source: Denton County Office of History & Culture

In the 1910s, White city leaders began discussing the forced removal of residents from Quaker. The College of Industrial Arts (present-day Texas Woman's University) to the north of Quaker saw their proximity to the Black community as an obstacle to expansion and initiated the movement for displacement. White business leaders, civic organizations, and City officials joined in support and began promoting the idea of replacing Quaker with the City's first public park, disguising racist motivations behind Progressive-era improvements.

After the Frederick Douglass School mysteriously burned down in 1913, the City built a new school three years later in the southeast part of Denton, a less than desirable area located over a mile away from Quaker and well away from the city center. In 1921, the City voted to approve a bond issue to purchase the land occupied by Quaker and turn it into a park. Quaker residents were given the option to sell their property outright or have the city move their houses and other buildings close to the new school in southeast Denton.

The decision to displace Quaker sparked anger and resistance from its residents. Black leaders protested the forced removal of Quaker, arguing that it was an act of racial discrimination and a violation of property rights. Quaker resident Will Hill filed a lawsuit against the city, but eventually dropped the suit out of fear for his family's safety. Quaker residents were threatened if they tried to resist displacement or tried to move into established White neighborhoods, and most ultimately had little choice but to leave their Quaker property and move to southeast Denton or leave the city altogether.

By 1923, approximately sixty Quaker families had been displaced and over seventy buildings, including homes, churches, and businesses, had been moved or demolished. What had been a robust town became vacant land. While White city leaders promoted the creation In the 1960s, the City hired famed Texas of a city park as justification for the removal of architect, O'Neil Ford, to design a master plan Quaker, the area remained largely vacant for for the park, which would later become Civic decades. The Denton Women's Club, one of the Center Park. As part of the park, Ford designed early supporters of a city park, constructed a a swimming pool with a sunbathing bank built building along the east side of Oakland Street in into the landscape, the present City Hall with 1928, and the City constructed the Emily Fowler a front landscaped courtyard, the Civic Center, Public Library to the south of the Women's Club and an addition to the library. In the late 1970s, the Denton Senior Center was constructed in 1949. in the park, designed to mimic Ford's original building designs.

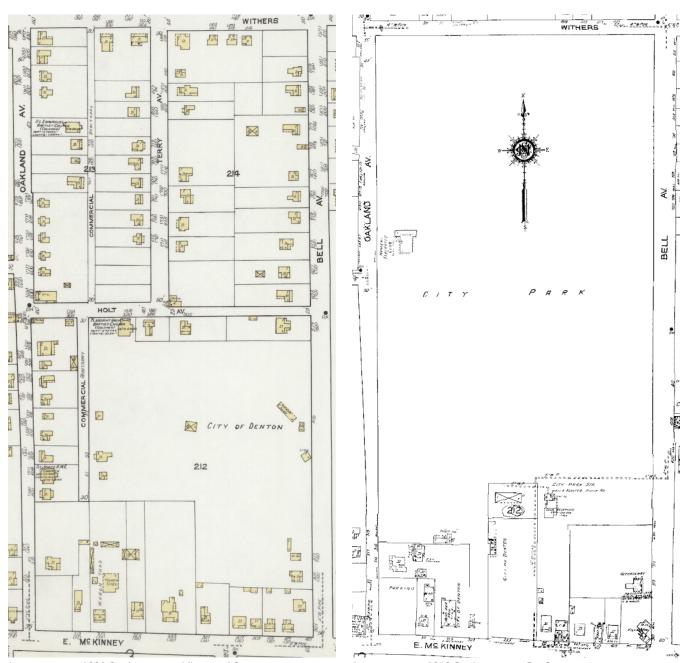


Image source: 1921 Sanborn map, Library of Congress

Image source: 1949 Sanborn map, ProQuest

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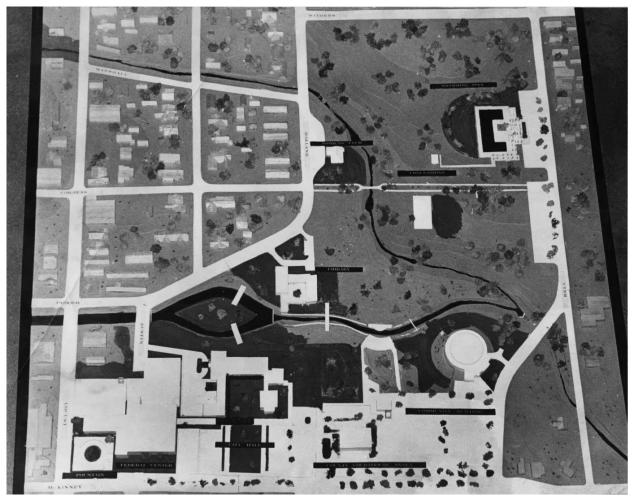
**Improved Public Spaces** 

In 2006, the park was renamed Quakertown Park in recognition of its history. City of Denton Landmark Markers, Texas Historical Markers, and informational wayside signs have been installed, a start to documenting the history of Quaker and its residents.

The City of Denton has designated several local landmarks within the park, including a Quakertown marker, the Denton Women's Club building, and the O'Neil Ford Civic Complex, which encompasses the full boundary of the park as well as the Ford-designed buildings within the park.

#### The Case for Action

The destruction of Quaker has had a lasting impact on its residents and their descendants. It not only resulted in a loss of homes and businesses, but also disrupted the establishment of generational wealth and shattered a close-knit community that had endured decades of segregation and discrimination. Furthermore, this history and its impact was largely untold for decades. While recognition has begun within the city and its institutions, additional action is needed.



Circa 1965 Master Plan, designed by O'Neil Ford. Image Source: Denton County Office of History & Culture

#### **Overall Concept Plan for Quakertown Park**

#### Parking

- Existing Civic Center Loading
- 2 Event Staging Parking (see action **2A.20**)
- 3 Public Parking Lot (see action 2A.20)
- 4 Reconfigured Library Parking (see action 2A.19)

#### Supporting Structures

- 5 Event / Convention Building with Underground Parking (see action 2A.31)
- 6 Mixed Use Hotel/Retail wrap around Public Parking Structure (see action 2A.17, 2A.20, 2A.21)
- 7 Retail and Restaurant Hub with Plaza (see action 2A.17, 2A.9, A.21, 2A.29, 2A.30)
- <sup>8</sup> City Hall Expansion with Underground Parking (see action 2A.9, 2A.20, 2A.25)
- 9 Park Support and Public Restroom Building (see action 2A.9)
- 10 Park Cafe / Beer Garden and Bike Rental Building (see action 2A.22)

#### **Outdoor Civic Event Space**

- 1 Park Entry Plaza (see action 2A.17, 2A.22, 2A.30)
- 12 Historic Bridge Plaza (see action 2A.22, 2A.26, 2A.29, 2A.30)
- 13 Civic Center Event Plaza (see action 22. 2A.26. 2A.30)
- 14 Existing Nook at the Library

#### Historical Monument

- 15 Quaker Historical Monument (see action 2A.1)
- 16 Quaker History Walk (see action 2A.4)
- 😗 Quaker Terry Avenue Monument Walk (see action 2A.4)
- 18 Quaker White Lilac Monument Garden (see action 2A.5, 2A.6, **7 2A 11**
- 19 Quaker Remembrance Monument (see action 2A.2, 2A.3)
- Play 20 Playground 21 Exploratory Nature Play Area

#### Flexible Lawn Space

- 22 Welcome Lawn (see action 2A.27)
- 23 Main Amphitheater Lawn (see
- action 2A.23, 2A.27)
- 24 Community Event Lawn (see action 2A.27)

#### Connections

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- 25 E McKinney Raised Park Crossing (see action 2A.17, 2A.18)
- 26 Treetop Raised Boardwalk (see action 2A.28)
- 27 New Wide Bridge (see action 2A.28)
- 28 New Pecan Creek Trail (see action 2A.28)
- 29 Widened Crossing at Historic Bridge (see action 2A.28)
- 30 Widened Pedestrian Park Entrance (see action 2A.22)
- 31 Land Bridge over Pecan Creek (see action 2A.
- 32 Pedestrian Park Entrance with Park Gateway (see action 2A.28)

E. McKinnev St.

41 Main Amphitheater



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#### Alternate Concept Plan for Quakertown Park



In the event that the full vision for Quakertown Park as visioned on the previous page isn't able to be realized on the southern end of the park with the addition of a City Hall expansion and new Event / Convention building, an alternate, less development-intensive option is provided above.

In this alternate option, the lawn in front of the existing City Hall is formalized into an event lawn where stages can be set up for concert events. A small public plaza is added between

the lawn and City Hall's Courtyard, providing a space for vendors to set up and people to rest under the shade of the courtyard's mature canopy. A small community orchard provides a buffer from the adjacent property and a fun way for people to engage with the landscape.

The Civic Center's parking lot can be significantly reconfigured to provide for more green planting areas and a buffered pedestrian route through the lot.

#### **Event Set Up Plan for Quakertown Park**

Quakertown Park is host to may of the City's most exciting and well-attended events. It is important that any new improvements in the park provide for stage/performance space, as well as for vendor space. This event set up diagram illustrates areas that have been identified in the concept plan where these activities can occur on event days.

The alternate concept plan on the previous page provides for additional event space.



Vendor Space

Improved Public Spaces

#### **Quakertown Park**

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As a beloved and historic space in Denton, Quakertown Park is a busy space. The concept presented in this report builds on Quakertown's most valuable assets. This illustrative rendering showcases how this plan improves event areas, creates new amenities to serve residents and park users on a day-to-day basis, considers revenue generation, restores natural waterways and creates a more intentional human connection to nature, and importantly creates intentional spaces to reveal the history of Quaker.

Land Bridge

Playground

Amphitheater

**Morrison's Corn Kits Mill** 

Playground

**Nature Play Area** 

**Civic Center** 

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Interpretive Bridge Crossing

Quakertown Rememberance Monument

Main Amphitheater Lawn

**New Park Bridge** 

Park Cafe + Beer Garden

Park Bike Rentals

Terry Avenue Monument Walk

Interpretive Lilac Garden

**Public Plaza** 

Park Support Building

**Interactive Water Sculpture** 

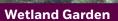
Public Restrooms

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**Quakertown Monuments** 

**Wells Fargo Tower** 





Emily Fowler Library

Public Plaza

Woman's Club

Historic Bridge

**Creekside Seating** 

#### **Proposed Actions**

The history of Quaker is both a testament to the resilience of Quaker residents and a reminder of the systemic racism Black communities continue to face today. This history should be well-represented in the future plans for Quakertown Park to encourage reflection on the past and help inform a more equitable future. Representation of this history should be designed in close collaboration with the Black community of Denton, especially the descendants of Quaker residents.

The following recommendations reflect comments from a series of listening sessions and discussions with the Black community and descendants of Quaker residents held in the spring of 2024. Recommendations demarcated with a numerical label can be directly crossreferenced with the Overall Concept Plan for Quakertown Park on page 35 and example images.

#### **Intermediary Actions Prior to the Start of Construction of Park Improvements:**

The City should establish plans, procedures, and funding for future archaeological investigations in sensitive areas likely to experience ground disturbance in future redevelopment work. Test holes and/or remote sensing, such as ground penetrating radar, could be utilized to inform future planning.

Additionally, the City should encourage and facilitate further oral history interviews with Quaker descendents. These oral histories should be recorded, transcribed, indexed, and placed in a public repository at UNT, TWU, or the Baylor Institute for Oral History.

Descendents of Quaker have also expressed desire for the City to identify a permanent interior space for an exhibit on Quaker. The City should begin identifying where an existing building can support this, or if a new space should be created.

#### **Park Design Actions:**

- The park should contain multiple monuments to represent the history of Quaker throughout the entirety of the park.
  - » (2A.1) Monuments throughout the park can vary in size and impact, but ones closer to the park edges should be highly visible from outside of the park to draw visitors in. For example, size and/or lighting could be used to create visual impact and draw people in.
  - » 2A.2 The Frederick Douglass School was an important catalyst for the establishment of Quaker and should be commemorated with a monument.
  - » 2A.3 Names of the Quaker residents who were displaced should be commemorated in a monument. Additional research may be necessary to ensure all displaced residents are included.
  - » 2A.4 Physical locations of at least some buildings, including churches, stores, and residences, should be commemorated along the "Terry Avenue" walk. This could be through markers/signage and/or through physical representations of buildings.
  - » Consider how monuments will interact with the current use of the park. For example, monuments installed flush with the ground may not be practical, especially during events with hundreds of visitors walking and park vehicles driving across the grounds.
- The park should contain informational signage throughout that tells an accurate, authentic story of Quakertown.

- Landscaping should be utilized to reflect the history of Quaker.
  - » 2A.5 White lilacs should be incorporated as a design motif to commemorate Quaker resident Henry Taylor's garden.
  - » 2A.6 Landscaping should incorporate native or adapted plants that bloom in all seasons to represent the perpetually thriving and resilient Quaker community.
  - » 2A.7 A healing or tranquility garden should be incorporated to provide visitors with a place to reflect and rejuvenate.
- The City should establish dedicated funding for ongoing maintenance of monuments and markers/signage.
- The City should consider creating a permanent exhibit within a new or existing building to display artifacts and documents, play oral histories, and show the future Quaker documentary. The proposed new civic structures in the park could contain a permanent exhibit while providing space for rotating exhibits.



Memorial Art Gallerv of the University of Rochester - "Argentum: Double-Positive" Image by J. Adam Fenster





The Smokey Hollow commemoration "spirit houses" in Cascades Park in Tallahassee, FL and the ghost houses at Franklin Court in Philadelphia are examples of how buildings can be physically represented. Image sources: Architect Magazine, National Park Service



Interpretive signage with etched glass/plexi panels can be used to reference the historic built landscape. Image source: National Park Service

#### **Historic Preservation Actions related to Development Opportunities:**

- A.8 Revise and clarify the local landmark designation of Quakertown Park to limit it to the O'Neil Ford-designed buildings and landscape features that remain intact:
- » City Hall & courtyard
- » Civic Center

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- » Sunbathing Hillside at the current Civic Center Pool
- » Emily Fowler Library
- » General shape of the creek
- 2A.9 Generate design guidelines for new construction in the park that protect the historic character. New construction should:
- » Be compatible in materials and massing to the historic buildings
- » Avoid touching the historic buildings or, if necessary, use a visually lightweight hyphen to connect to the historic building
- » Retain the City Hall courtyard
- » Retain viewsheds of the primary elevations of the buildings
- Require archeological monitoring for any new construction that will lead to ground disturbance in areas suspected to have Quaker-era or Native American below ground resources.
- 2A.10 Remove excess concrete and re-naturalize the creek to align with the original O'Neil Ford design for the park, which followed the natural contours of the creek bed and took advantage of existing topography for vistas and pathways.

#### **Programming Actions:**

- Create an annual event that commemorates Quaker, similar to the Tulsa Black Wall Street Legacy Festival.
- Create guided and self-guided tours that tell the history of Quaker. Creating and leading tours could be an opportunity for partnership between the City of Denton and the Denton County Office of History and Culture.
- Initiate an Artist-In-Residence program that works with the City, specifically within Quakertown Park and throughout Downtown on installations regarding the commemoration of Quaker. The Artist-In-Residence will advise on major City initiatives, lead their own artistic and curatorial projects, and have dedicated workspace within a space in or near Quakertown Park. This program will work to fulfill artistic story-telling about Quaker until and beyond the realization of permanent artistic monuments are realized.



The 2024 Black Wall Street Legacy Festival in Tulsa, OK is a "series of free events and programs in May commemorating the 1921 Tulsa Race Massacre. The event is led by survivors and descendants, with the intent of sharing truth, inspiring hope, and extending tradition". Image and Quote Source: The Black Wall Street Times

#### **Reestablishing Natural Systems: The Case for Action**

Over time, the natural systems in Quakertown Park have been neatly hemmed into a tidy, well-manicured, and efficient park landscape. Unfortunately, the landscape of the park today is a departure from sustainable land management practices, and reduces the already fragmented natural habitats of many beneficial plants and animals.

Expanses of tidy lawns, often perceived as rainfall, reducing the risk of flooding and guintessential features of human-inhabited erosion, and help keep water cool. landscapes, carry significant ecological Natural landscapes also contribute to the drawbacks. Their vast expanses disrupt natural scenic beauty of parks and green spaces, systems by displacing native vegetation, enhance recreational opportunities, and reducing biodiversity, and altering soil promote community well-being. By restoring composition. Traditional lawn care practices, natural spaces in Quakertown Park, we can such as frequent mowing and fertilization, safeguard ecological integrity, mitigate flood contribute to environmental degradation by risks, encourage a deeper human connection polluting waterways and harming beneficial to nature, and enhance the overall resilience of insects and wildlife. Lawns also have no effect our landscapes. The Overall Concept Plan seeks in slowing water movement in large storms, and to "unhem" some of the edges of these systems, can exacerbate accelerated stormwater flow. reestablishing a more natural function to the park's ecologies.



Non-natural creek edges lead to dangerous maintenance routines on steep slopes and increased erosion. Image by Mend Collaborative

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In a similar capacity, natural creek edges offer ecological and aesthetic benefits that concrete creek edges do not. The organic shape and diverse vegetation of natural creek edges provide vital habitat for many plant and animal species, fostering biodiversity and supporting local ecosystems. In contrast, concrete creek edges increase water temperatures, accelerate water flow, hinder the movement of wildlife, and do not support natural vegetation. Naturalized creek edges absorb excess water during heavy



Large expanses of lawn have their place in event areas, but there are many opportunities to introduce more natural landscaping for visual interest and ecological health in the park. Image by Mend Collaborative

#### **Proposed Actions**

Vegetation improvements in the park will increase flora and fauna diversity and contribute to an improved park experience for visitors:

- 2A.11 Increase areas of natural vegetation in the park with native plant beds of shrubs, perennials, and trees.
- 2A.12 Implement Green Infrastructure strategies, such as rain gardens or bioswales, in areas of the park where water frequently collects or swales toward the creek.
- 2A.13 Create areas of native pollinator habitats in areas of the park that are less actively used to support pollinators that have been observed in the park, such as butterflies, bees, and moths, with native plant beds and pollinator lawns. These areas could occur on the grounds within the park, or on green roof installations on buildings within the park.

Naturalizing the creek edges in strategic locations will contribute to improved water quality, assist in mitigating extensive flooding events, and provide scenic areas for people to gather and explore:

- Remove the concrete channel within the central portions of the park and restore the creek edges in both branches of Pecan Creek with a variety of strategies:
  - » 2A.14 Gabion baskets or stepped edges can provide ways for people to sit along the creek edge and relax along a more natural shore.
  - » 2A.15 Reduced slope and naturalized planted edges will provide habitat for flora and fauna, and can provide critical breeding habitat for water species.
- 2A.16 Slow down stormwater and treat it where it falls by building rain gardens or naturalized channels where water naturally rests or flows through the park toward Pecan Creek.



*Clover lawns can function as traditional mown lawns but also provide ecosystem services. Image from Outsidepride.* 



Natural plant beds can frame spaces and enhance the beauty of the park. Image from Frank+Grossman Contractors.



Areas of seating outcropping from a naturalized creek edge allow people to connect to nature. Image of Park "Taubenloch" by Uniola.



Naturalized creeks provide areas of habitat and increased ecological function and visual interest. Image of La Rosa Reserve Stream Daylighting by Boffa Miskell.

### Reconnect to Downtown: The Case for Proposed Actions

Today's connection to the core of Downtown Denton from Quakertown Park is difficult to navigate, with unclear access routes into the park, safe routes along accessible sidewalks, and a visual barrier to the park due to large expanses of unprogrammed lawn space and parking lots. Close to 50% of the park edges are drive entrances or parking lots. Quakertown Park is a respite in the City, a place to cool down, to engage in recreation, and to gather with community. For such an incredible resource so close to Downtown, Quakertown Park is missing a "grand entrance"; a sense of arrival in a welcoming green space that some of the best parks provide. Due to the size of the park, there is opportunity to create various entrances depending on the direction park visitors are traveling from or what their intended targeted use within the park is.

For Quakertown Park to become a seamless part of Downtown Denton, it needs to be reconnected at its edges and along main downtown arterials with safe and accessible pedestrian routes, clear bike routes, and by repurposing parking areas for added park space.



Aachen Station Square in Belgium. Image and design by HH+F Architekten Hentrup Heyes + Fuhrmann

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- 2A.17 Create an intentional park entrance for travelers using the East McKinney and Oak Street corridors. Create a raised, expansive crossing for pedestrians and bicyclists over East McKinney Street just east of Oakland Street, stretching the park over McKinney to create an intentional, welcoming entrance to the park on the southern edge.
- Implement improvements along streets connecting to the park from the Downtown core, allowing for safe and accessible routes for pedestrians and bicyclists to navigate between the two spaces.
- 2A.19 Create an intentional park entrance for travelers coming from the Locust Street corridor by converting the parking lot behind the library into park space. This would create a welcoming and intentional entrance into the park from the west. The current library parking would then need to be relocated across Oakland Street to the vacant cityowned lot at the corner of N Austin Street and Oakland Street.
- 2A.20 Reduce the amount of surface street parking that occupies the edges of the park by removing areas of surface parking and creating structured parking across East McKinney Street.



### Reflect Downtown Today: The Case for Action

Quakertown Park has been a vital place for community gathering, civic activities, festivals, and daily park use for decades. Updating Quakertown Park's features and amenities for modern uses is crucial to ensure that this valued public space remains relevant, accessible, and enjoyable for the Denton community. As societal needs evolve and urban landscapes change, parks must adapt to meet the diverse demands of their users. Integrating contemporary features such as sustainable landscaping, accessible amenities, and customized facilities that better serve park users of today will not only enhance the overall appeal of the park but will also foster a sense of inclusivity and well-being among park visitors. With the overall vision of the future of Downtown Denton proposed to enhance downtown into a vibrant. dynamic place that enriches the quality of life for residents and visitors alike, Quakertown Park should be considered a key component of achieving that vision.



Ithaca Commons is a pedestrian-friendly linear plaza flanked by restaurants and retail, flexing between vibrant day-time activities and exciting evening and night-time programming. Image Credit Sasaki.

#### **Proposed Actions**

Creating development opportunities within the park and near the park will expand the vibrant commercial activity in Downtown through the park:

- 2A.21 Extend Quakertown Park across East McKinney Street, connecting the park to a new development of commercial and public spaces south of the park. This new development area should:
  - » Establish a connection between park and downtown
  - » Be a transition between downtown and park (and vice versa) with commercial (restaurant/retail), permanent market space for a farmer's market, and open public spaces.
  - » Feature a centralized public plaza within the new development area that creates a visual connection to Quakertown Park for gathering, seating, landscaping, food trucks, and water play.
  - » Provide temporary programming, such as food truck spaces, pop up splash pads, pop up vendor markets, or chalk events.
  - » Anchor the corner of Bell and McKinney with a mixed-use building with restaurants or retail facing the park and wraps a parking structure for public parking.
  - » Install temporary bollards to close East McKinney for special events, such as the Arts and Jazz Festival.
  - <sup>2A.22</sup> Build buildings and facilities within the park to support cafes, bike rentals, and pop-up or food truck spaces to activate different areas of the park and create commercial activity in unique spaces.
- Create a policy to prioritize or incentivize programs and opportunities for Black
   Dentonites to have primary access to commercial and/or incubator spaces within City-owned spaces at or near the park
   (intent to right historic damages where displacement removed generational wealth opportunities for this community).

E. McKinney St. Commercial Building Linear Pedestrian-Only Plaza

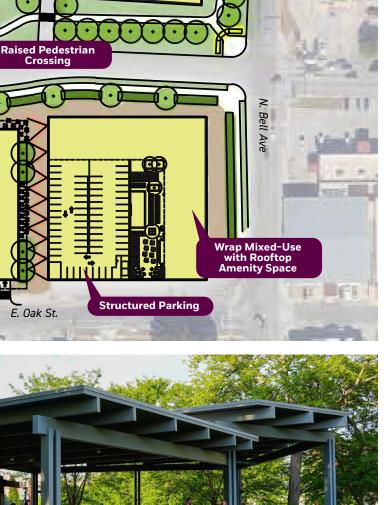


The Porch in Cincinnati's Washington Park is a great example of a community rest stop in the park, where folks can drop by for a soda, beer, wine, or snack, and sit in the shade surrounded by nature. Facilities like this can operate via contracted vendor, City-operated vending, or seasonal/rotational vending. Image Credit Cincinnati Center City Development Corporation.



Farmers Market Pavilion and Plaza in Eugene, OR. Image Credit City of Eugene, OR.

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Many facilities in Quakertown Park have reached a point in their lifespan where they either require significant facility updates, renovations, or new facilities in order to meet modern uses and function properly. The Overall Concept Plan recommends:

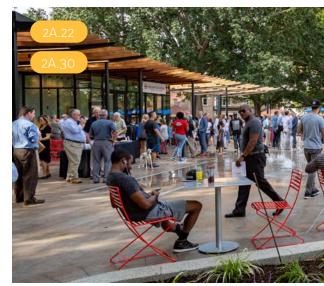
- 2A.23 Relocate the Senior Center elsewhere in Denton, creating a new stateof-the-art facility for seniors and turning this area of Quakertown Park back to green park space.
- 2A.24 Re-vision the Civic Pool to an interactive and artistic spray feature, play area, and community sunning hill.
- 2A.25 Expand City Hall to the south to provide much needed space for city staff in a modern facility while preserving the existing O'Neil Ford building.
- 2A.26 Update the landscaping around the Civic Center and the Emily Fowler Central Library to provide more outdoor space for activities and events at these facilities.



The interactive and artistic fountain in Klyde Warren Park in Dallas excites kids with shooting jets, fantastic water shows, and provides a cooling and pleasing environment. Image Credit OTL.

Design the park with the intention of accommodating for large events in a more organized and intentional manner, including:

- 2A.27 Creating more intentional spaces for performance areas and stages, including a new main amphitheater and several open lawn areas for temporary stages.
- 2A.28 Updating circulation routes to alleviate congestion and make the park safer for larger gatherings, including adding a third bridge over Pecan Creek near the Civic Center and "exploratory" creek crossings between City Hall and the Library and where the creek branches converge.
- 2A.29 Design seat walls throughout the park near areas where vendors will regularly set up to provide concealed yet convenient places for vendors to hook up to power and water for events.
- 2A.30 Adding open plaza spaces that can be easily occupied by vendors during events. These spaces should be paved in brick or concrete, have adequate space for vendor booths/tents and visitors, and provide utility hookups such as power. When not used for vending, these spaces can be occupied by cafe tables and chairs for use by park users.
- 2A.31 Build a new event or convention building adjacent to the Civic Center. This building should have underground parking to accommodate for its users, as well as Civic Center guests and general park users.





The Fayetteville Festival Park Performance Pavilion is a beautiful sculptural piece of architecture when not in use, and provides a stunning experience for audiences while in use. Image credit Clark Nexsen.



Concrete seat walls within the park landscape can be clever ways to provide park seating, but double as utility hook ups for vendors during events. Image credit Architonic.

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Moore Square in Raleigh, NC was designed to allow for flexibility of spaces for different programming. There are permanent structures for vendors in the park, with plenty of park seating during casual park days, but also areas where these spaces can be converted to pop-up vending for events and festivals. Images from Moore Square Market and Landscape Architecture Foundation.



A new bridge like this one in Barnes Park, Sunderland, UK, will alleviate heavy traffic in the park, increase safety during events, and add touch of modern flare to the park.

### **Activate Vacant Lots**

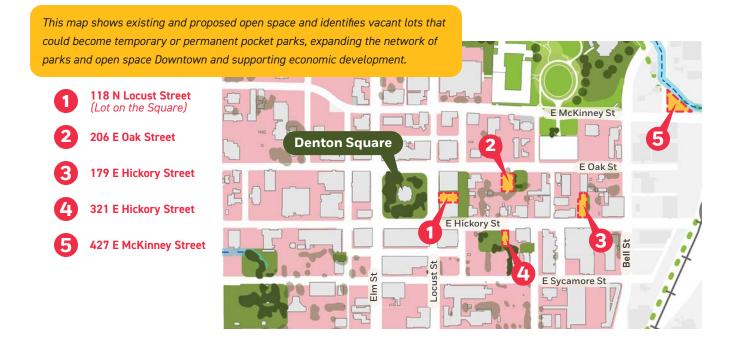
Downtown Denton has several underutilized or vacant lots. Activating these parcels offers opportunities to enhance the public parks and open space network, combat extreme temperatures through additional greenspace, and increase economic opportunity within Downtown through events. Initial low-cost improvements such as trees, planters, and benches will enhance comfort. As Denton grows, strategic plans and guidelines for additional pocket park spaces should be created for public and private development.

#### The Case for Action

As Downtown is further developed, vacant and underutilized parcels should be identified to build the parks and open space network and support economic development goals. The vacant lot on the Square has the potential to enhance the downtown public realm and connect the Square to other active areas Downtown such as Austin Street.



Other underutilized or private parcels around Downtown could become pocket parks that offer public amenities and integrate public art to enhance the overall Downtown environment. The proposed actions focus on the identified parcels (See map below) and offer considerations that can be applied to other properties around Downtown.



**Flexible Vendor Booths Raised Artistic Crosswalk Cafe Extension** XXXX

The vacant lot on the Square should be acquired and designed as a dayto-night community space, providing accessible ramps, pop-up vendor spaces, performance space, and clear views of the courthouse.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### Activate the Lot on the Square: **General Recommendations for Lot Activation:**

- Develop guidelines for pocket parks within future Parks and Open Space plans.
- Create a Lot Activation Policy to support the temporary activation of privately- and publicly-owned lots to enhance vacant space until they can be developed.
- Add trees for shade and/or planters to combat rising temperatures in summer.
- Seek public input for amenities, considering benches, water fountains, pet waste stations, restrooms, trash cans, etc.
- Work with the Public Arts Committee to identify opportunities for temporary or permanent artworks.
- Integrate a stage and terraced seating for Integrate developed branding and events, working with existing grade changes wayfinding to distinguish public spaces, see across the site. Recommendation 4F.



Temporary planters, umbrellas, and cafe seating transform a corner lot in Philadelphia, PA. Source: NACTO

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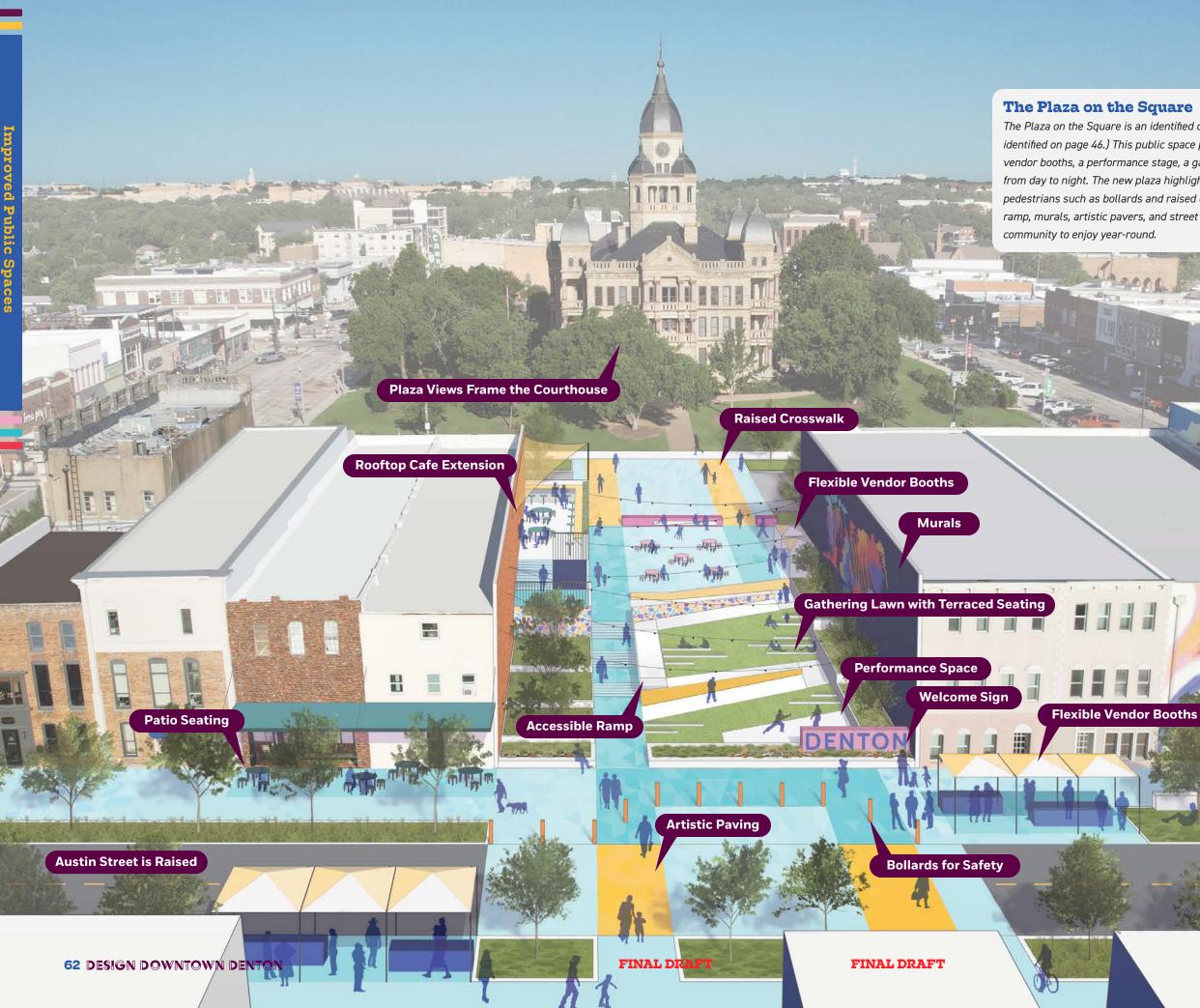
This lot has been identified as a potential catalyst project for Downtown improvements, integrating Chill Streets and Pedestrian Priority Routes in Recommendation 1B. See pages 62 and 63 for the full vision.

• Purchase and develop the parcel as a multi-

- use public plaza. • Cater the space to support markets
  - and temporary events that will support economic activity by integrating vendor booths.
  - Extend the plaza across N Locust Street, towards the courthouse, through a midblock, raised crosswalk.
  - Use this connection to develop an ADAcompliant pedestrian network east from the Square.
  - Create space for outdoor cafe seating and work with local restaurants and/or create opportunity to support food trucks or popup cafes.
  - Extend design improvements along Austin Street, adding trees, bollards, and flexible event space to ensure cohesive activation.
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# Improved Public Spa

The Plaza on the Square is an identified catalyst site to activate vacant lots Downtown (see Lot 1 identified on page 46.) This public space partners with local businesses and the City to offer flexible vendor booths, a performance stage, a gathering lawn, and a rooftop cafe that can be utilized from day to night. The new plaza highlights views of the courthouse and offers safety features for pedestrians such as bollards and raised crossings. Other design features such as an ADA accessible ramp, murals, artistic pavers, and street trees create a fun, unique, and accessible space for the

**DESIGN DOWNTOWN DENTON 63** 

**Trees & Plantings** 

Vehicle Loading Zones

# **Utilization of Alleys**

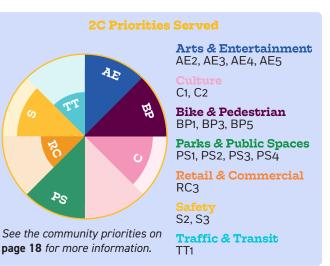
Denton has several alleys that are underused or feel unsafe to walk through. Enhancing these areas offers an opportunity to improve the perception of safety, beautify them and connect them to the Downtown pedestrian priority district. To activate these alleys, improvements should focus on lighting, seating, paving and plantings to enhance comfort and create a sense of place for pedestrians and businesses. Initial, low-cost activations could include hosting events and adding lighting and art to the walls and pavement.

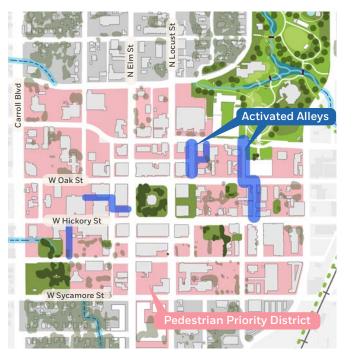
#### **Case for Action**

Alleys like Oakland Street and Beer Alley, with their connections to businesses and entertainment, can be transformed to better suit pedestrian mobility, promote safety and provide summer shade. Throughout the plan, efforts are being made to support enhanced walkability and pedestrian facilities. Proposed alley improvements will create inviting corridors, offering convenient access from the Square and Quakertown Park to Hickory Street and offsite parking.

Cleaner, more vibrant streets will improve the perception of safety Downtown. These alleys can become active streets supporting Denton's arts culture and enhancing infrastructure. Enhancements like outdoor cafe seating, courtyards, plazas, overhead structures with shade, and private nooks will create small enjoyable spaces, and boost business visibility, helping them thrive.

Mid-block through-alleys without connections to businesses, such as between Mulberry Street and Hickory Street east of Carroll Boulevard, can be improved through minor lighting, wayfinding and aesthetic improvements to improve safety and better integrate these pathways into the pedestrian network.







#### **Proposed Actions**

- Establish partnerships with alley-adjacent property owners on maintenance, events, and closures.
- Develop strategies to integrate operational needs of alleys including service and emergency vehicle access, trash and waste disposal needs, and parking/vehicular access. Typical times for services outlined in the closure plan will also be posted on regulatory signs near alleys.
- When possible, reduce two-way vehicle access to one-way in order to prevent congestion, safety issues and potential damage to alley and mew features when vehicles pass one another. Design alleys to give priority to pedestrians and non-motorized vehicles, thereby ensuring vehicles operate at safe speeds
- Install removable/retractable bollards installed near entrances of alleys to alert vehicles to temporary closures.
- Raise the alleys to curb height to remove distinction between pedestrian and driving space while making it easy for necessary vehicles to operate close to businesses.
- Adding trees and plantings clearly identify alleys as pedestrian spaces by providing a human scale element that provides color and texture to the space. Trees in alley spaces should be placed in areas near seating to provide shade.
- Integrate a variety of outdoor spaces within the alleys including outdoor cafe seating, courtyards, plazas and private nooks. Seating should be accommodated along alley corridors in the form of dispersed benches surrounded by planting or in plaza/courtyard settings. Moveable chairs and tables should be considered where possible, as well as seatwalls in public spaces.





Lighting









Gateway



Planting



Art

Pavers

• Overhead strand lighting can add some attractive lighting to the space complementary to well-spaced pole- or wallmounted fixtures that illuminate the alley.

• Wayfinding signage should be added at ends

of alleys to show distance and direction to

destinations at the opposite end integrated

• Alleys should be immediately recognizable as

pedestrian environments at the entry point

with a gateway sign or structure and pavers

differentiating it as a primarily pedestrian

with Downtown branding.

space.

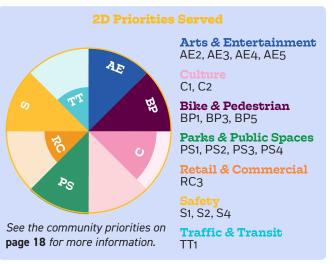
- Activation Pilots: Install low-cost improvements to lighting and public art, and host events to improve the perception of alleys.

# **2D Utilization of Underutilized Streets**

Denton Square is an anchor for retail, restaurants, and cultural venues, but some streets surrounding the Square are quiet, primarily used for parking, utilities, and a few businesses. There is an opportunity to transform these spaces, often called mews streets, to be more pedestrian-focused and develop a plan to use these streets for temporary events. Small improvements could be made to improve the pedestrian experience and begin to activate the space. As Downtown Denton grows, a strategic plan should be developed to activate underutilized streets as public spaces.

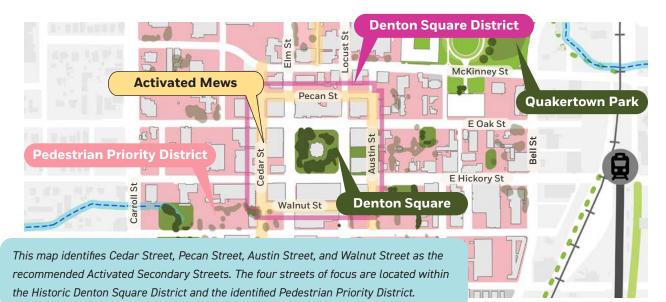
#### The Case for Action

Streets like Pecan, Austin, Walnut, and Cedar are located near most of the Downtown activity, but have few business entrances and lack the street infrastructure to support pedestrian traffic. There is an opportunity to beautify these mews streets, focusing on the pedestrian network around the Square, and use these streets to hold events. These proposed actions focus on improving the pedestrian experience along mews streets through beautification, climate



Mews Streets are public right-of-ways that prioritize pedestrian and bicycle use, but accommodate vehicles in small numbers and at low speeds for local access such as loading, services and deliveries, and on-street parking.

experience, and safety, and suggest minor improvements to infrastructure to support these spaces for events. All improvements must follow the Denton Square District Standards and Guidelines.



#### **Proposed Actions**

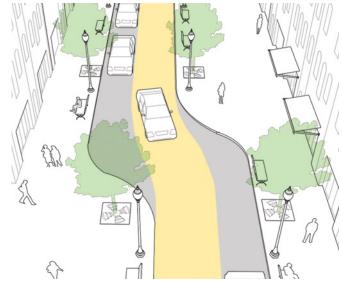
- Consider reducing parking on the mews streets by limiting parking to permit holders, such as local business owners or vendors during temporary events.
- Identify loading areas for business owners, performers, event vendors, and delivery and maintenance vehicles.
- Redesign Cedar Street and Austin Street to support events. Reduce the street width and make traffic one-way on Cedar and Austin.
- Collaborate with Downtown groups to develop a plan for temporary street closures and schedules for programming.
- Consider raising the street and/or adding chicanes, offset curb extensions, to calm traffic speeds. (See Illustration.)
- Add electrical outlets every 50 feet for vendors and performers in areas identified for special events.
- Add retractable/removable bollards across the ends of streets identified for special events to protect visitors.
- Consider purchasing and stocking temporary street elements such as water stations, portable restrooms, seating, and portable shade that can be added to make events more successful.
- Add trees and plantings to provide necessary shade and improve the climate experience.
- Install pedestrian-scale lighting to increase safety. This could be through typical light poles, street-wide string lighting, or through artistic lighting installations.
- Work with the Public Art Committee to integrate public artworks throughout, considering murals, temporary installations, and small details like pavers and street elements throughout the design process.



Paving details can create interest and distinguish space along streets. Source: Karavan, Landezine



Temporary street-wide installations. Source: Claude Cormier Landscape Architecture, Landezine



Chicanes are offset curb extensions that reduce speeds and increase public space along a corridor. Source: NACTO

# **DE** Create a New Park in Southern Downtown

By dedicating a large central open space as a community park and incorporating a range of activities and amenities, the southern downtown redevelopment area can become a vibrant and inclusive destination. Activating the park's edges, repurposing historic buildings, ensuring safe access, and creating a comfortable microclimate will all contribute to a dynamic and welcoming urban park that serves the community year-round.

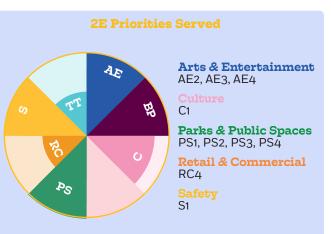
#### **The Case for Action**

A centralized green space in Southern Downtown can serve as an anchor to catalyze proposed development and economic opportunities. As the central hub of the proposed development area, this park can serve the community, host events, provide recreation and play opportunities, and foster community connections.

#### **Proposed Actions**

Dedicate a large central open space in the new southern downtown redevelopment area as a community park that achieves the following:

- Provide a robust range of activities in the park to encourage all day, year round use such as an open lawn space, a hammock grove, a playground, an interactive water feature, a performance stage, an amphitheater (see bullet below), and a cafe.
- Activate the edges of the park by creating a performance stage area and shaded amphitheater to host events and concerts.
- Convert the historic Zoom-Zooms building into a cafe with an outdoor patio.
- Provide food truck hookups on the western side of the park.



See the community priorities on **page 18** for more information.

- Establish a robust tree canopy over the park to create a comfortable, shady microclimate within the park. Prioritize planting large shade trees that shade 40% of the park surface.
- Provide safe and accessible park entrances and crosswalks by installing signed or signaled crosswalks at surrounding street intersections, and reviewing existing ADA compliance in the area.



Hammock groves provide fun, comfortable seating options. Source: James Corner Field Operations



Amphitheater seating carved into the sloping landscape. Source: Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park





Concerts during the evening activate the park throughout the night. Source: MN State Fair



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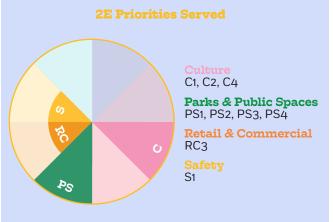
Mature, healthy tree canopies provide spaces to sit and enjoy the park on sunny days. Source: Klyde Warren Park

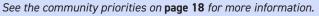
### **2F** Improvements to the County's Historic Park

Denton County's Historical Park located on Mulberry Street and Carroll Boulevard is an important historic landmark and open space in downtown featuring multiple structures depicting historic life in and around Denton County. The Historical Park features the Bayless-Selby House museum and the Quakertown House museum, as well as a Welcome Center. Future plans include renovating the Taylor Log Cabin and the Woods House, adding to the park's attractions. The space also currently hosts various community events, including farmers' and community markets, live music, and storytelling sessions.

#### The Case for Action

Currently, the layout of the Historical Park and how it connects to the downtown can be improved and there are opportunities to collaborate on historical programming, and to assist with preservation policy updates.







The County Historical Park is directly adjacent to Carroll Boulevard, a busy roadway in downtown that acts more as a barrier to the park.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### Collaborate with the County on Historic Park Improvements:

- Collaborate on wayfinding and messaging for the Historical Park.
- Work with the County on improvements to the Historical Park especially with how they relate to the public realm and surrounding city context.
- Work with the County on the relocation of the community market to keep the market in the Downtown area, potentially being relocated to the new park in Southern Downtown.

#### Assist with Preservation Policy Updates:

• Ensure that the City's Historic Preservation Officer is involved with future policy updates

### Collaborate on Programming and Storytelling:

- Collaborate on rotating exhibits between the Quakertown homes in the Historical Park and the future exhibit space within Quakertown Park. The Denton County Office of History and Culture can aid in the preservation of archival materials, and rotating exhibits can help connect the Quakertown homes in the Historical Park to their original locations within Quakertown Park.
- Collaborate on guided and self-guided walking tours that tell the story of Quakertown. Tours could include a walk from Quakertown Park to the Quakertown homes in the Historical Park.



The Community Market currently uses the space on weekends.



Updates to the Park may require relocating the market.

Prioritize exploring opportunities to collaborate on storytelling.

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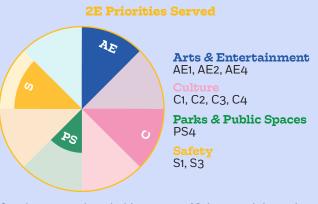
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## **2 G** Develop Public Art Plan

Developing a public art plan for Downtown Denton will allow the City to further define the cultural and historical characteristics of the downtown, utilize future development as an economic opportunity, and continue to exhibit the unique local talent with its community and tourists. Denton has made steady and successful strides to prioritize public art over the last two decades. The Public Art Policy, established in 2007, was last revised alongside the creation of the Public Art Committee in 2013. In 2016, a Public Art Master Plan was adopted. These documents have guided Denton's artistic identity and led to programs like the Artscapes Mural Art Initiative, which activated available spaces by adding murals around Denton to help beautify the city and minimize graffiti. A downtown-specific public art plan would allow the city to develop a modern identity, working with the historic character and new public and private development to create a cohesive environment through public art placement, material choices. colors. art form. and more.



Mural on the former SCRAP Denton building at Prairie and Bell by Mick Burson, removed in 2021. Image Source: Mick Burson



See the community priorities on **page 18** for more information.

#### The Case for Action

Downtown Denton is a vibrant home of iconic murals, sculptures, and monuments. With the recent designation of the Original Denton District (ODD) as a cultural district by the Texas Commission of the Arts in 2019, there is an opportunity to implement public art strategies alongside public and private development Downtown, highlight cultural and historic resources, and set the tone for public arts in Denton. The City can use the boundaries of the ODD to strategize public art placement, set goals, and implement policies that work with developers and the Denton Square District. The Public Art Committee, City staff, and other interested stakeholders should work together to review established documents - Public Art Policy (2013), Denton Public Art Master Plan (2016), and Denton Square District Standards and Guidelines (2019) - and consider opportunities for revisions to these documents, or a create a new public art plan specifically for Downtown Denton.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### Actions for the Public Art Plan:

- Review established documents relating to public art in Denton and develop a new public art plan or revise existing documents.
- Identify a new boundary, like the Original Denton District, to prioritize improvements.
- Specify projects or locations of interest such as neighborhood branding, gateway monuments, or sculpture walks. These could be high-traffic areas or under-utilized corridors.
- Develop a public space material palette for each area as well as for local and national historic districts. This could limit colors for murals within certain blocks, and define functional elements like bollards and wayfinding.
- Implement an annual temporary art installation program in Quakertown Park. This could be developed as its own event or coincide with other Denton festivals.

#### Increase Diversity, and Strengthen Community Impact and Education:

- The Public Art Committee could set specific goals to increase diversity like holding seats for student representation, local artists, and art educators and providing an honorarium.
- The City could develop a statement committing to equity in the arts highlighting the importance of creative expression and addressing inequities within the Denton and regional arts communities.
- Set goals to diversify artists represented in the Denton community and develop a list of pre-qualified artists.
- Expand upon local partnerships to support underrepresented communities.
- Continue to work with the Greater Denton Arts Council to work with emerging artists.



Sculptures in the Carroll Boulevard Art Trail. Image Source: Al Key, Denton Record-Chronicle

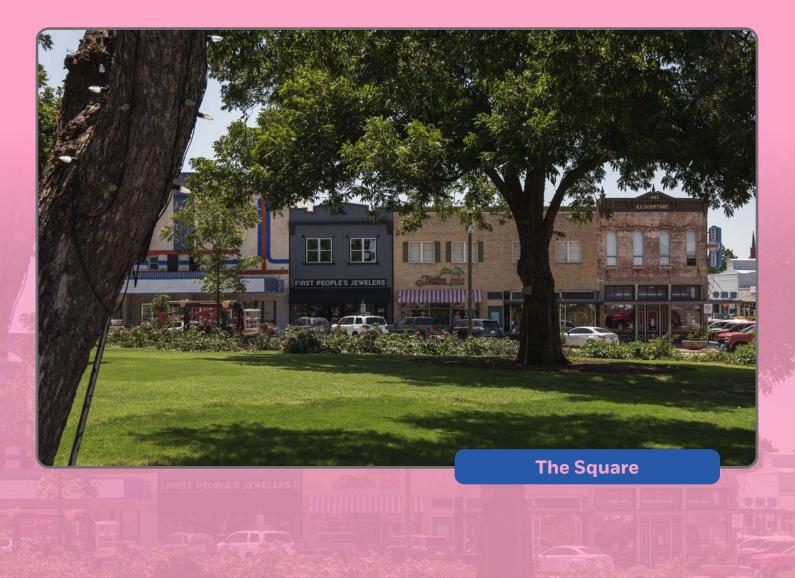


Andy's Bar Mural by Dan Black. Image Source: Independent Venue Week

#### **Other Actions:**

- Establish a Commitment to the Environment or Sustainability clause that would define preferred materials for permanent work and prioritize projects that use recycled or recycle-able materials.
- Develop an inspirational Public Arts Ideas List that contains examples of sculptures, benches, gateways, lighting, paving details, planters, and more.
- The city could implement a Percent-for-Art program or a Public-Art-in-Private-Development policy, which would require a percentage of the overall project budget, often 1%, to go towards public art.

### Target Development to Build on Downtown's **Character** and Assets



### **Target Development to Build on Downtown's Character and Assets**

#### Why is this important?

Capitalizing on successful floodplain mitigation efforts and the strong market, Denton has opportunities for redevelopment. With an aim to accommodate the city's growth, these projects seek to bolster the area's vibrancy while preserving its historic character through targeted infill, civic investments, and new open spaces. Encouraging downtown living through the addition of residential units further fosters community growth and economic vitality, complemented by affordability actions. Finally, strengthening historic preservation efforts and updating design guidelines to ensure quality development.

#### What are we attempting to accomplish?



Southern Downtown area.

Image Source: Catalyst Group



forecasted growth.

Image Source: Catalyst Group

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Encourage downtown living to accommodate Denton's



Strengthening guidelines to preserve Denton's unique character.

Image Source: 7th Travel.com

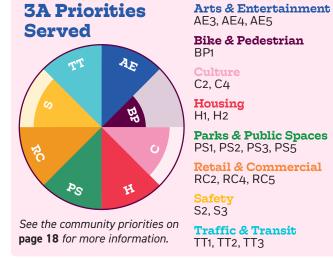
# Develop Southern Downtown

The projects aimed at mitigating the floodplain south of the Square have been successful, removing approximately 24 acres from the flood zone. This achievement opens up new opportunities for development that were previously impractical. These newly available areas can now host private redevelopment as well as public improvements. Southern Downtown also presents an opportunity to expand the Downtown, supporting Denton's present and future growth. Southern Downtown can accommodate significant development that complements the historic Square.

**Target Development** 



Development precedent imagery from around north Texas. Image source: Catalyst Group



#### The Case for Action

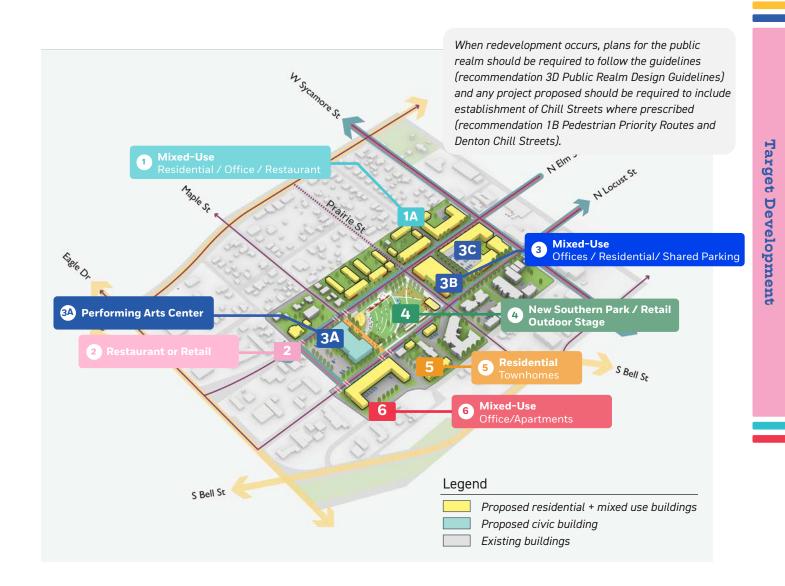
An in-depth analysis of the financial conditions throughout Downtown Denton was conducted, examining land values, ownership complexity, tax base trends, and infrastructure. This analysis aimed to identify areas where development might be most feasible. The findings revealed that, largely due to the complexity of ownership and existing infrastructure challenges, much of Downtown will require partnerships to advance development. These partnerships could focus on projects such as public realm or utility improvements, as well as other types of public investments like new parks, which can stimulate further development.

Additionally, an analysis of the market for new development was conducted, providing a ten-year forecast. This forecast indicated the market viability for 358,000 additional square feet of retail space, with over 50% dedicated to food and beverage, and the capacity to absorb nearly 50,000 square feet of office space. The approximately 24 acres of newly developable land south of the square offer a prime opportunity for this type of development, all while preserving the historic character of the square.





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#### **Proposed Actions**

Encourage the redevelopment of Southern Downtown with the following intended results:

- 1. Mixed-Use Redevelopment: Two-block infill combining residential, restaurant, and small commercial space.
- 2. Targeted Infill: Small retail and restaurant spaces to complement existing development and streetscape.
- 3. Civic Presence: Place new office/residential 6. Loft-Office Development: Mixed-use loftmixed-use buildings and a performing office development with maker spaces at arts facility (or alternate site for City Hall or ground level. County offices) along with a public parking structure on each end of the park for a strong civic presence.

- 4. New Open Space: Create a new open space in Southern Downtown that complements the historic Square. Maintain and create retail pavilion buildings, provide gathering and event spaces, including a new stage, and serve as a central anchor feature for the southern Downtown district.
- **5. Townhomes:** Targeted infill of for-sale townhomes on underutilized land within existing development.

# **3B** Encourage Downtown Living

Adding residential units and additional housing options within the heart of the city will continue to grow Downtown's role as a thriving community where people live, work, and play. Setting a specific housing goal will encourage a diverse mix of residents, foster a lively street life and support local businesses. Moreover, it will contribute to the revitalization of Downtown, breathing new life into historic buildings and encouraging new construction. Ultimately, the addition of residential units Downtown will enhance the overall quality of life for residents while bolstering the economic and cultural vitality of the city as a whole.

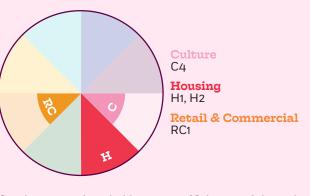
#### The Case for Action

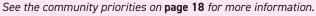
Denton has grown quickly throughout its existence, and the next decade will be no different. An analysis of the city's forecasted growth revealed a potential gain of more than 21,000 additional residents, including a significant demand for infill development.

In addition to potential new residents, research has also identified a need for more housing that is affordable. In Downtown and the adjacent areas, over 40% of renters are spending more than 30% of their income on housing.

10.1% 8.1%







#### **Proposed Actions**

- Set a goal of encouraging an additional 1,500 units constructed Downtown within the next ten years. Assuming an average of 1.8 people per unit (The average household size in the United States is currently 2.6 people per household, but Downtown's nationally average between 1.2 and 1.9.), these 1500 units would enable Downtown to house approximately 2,700 new residents.
- Set a further goal of 500 of those units being affordable to assist the city in achieving its housing goals.

#### **Downtown Housing Need: Anticipated 10 year market forecast**



#### **Zoning and Regulatory Actions:**

- Ensure the types of units produced should represent a variety of housing types that meet diverse housing needs.
- The majority of the Downtown area is currently zoned R3, R7, or Mixed Use Districts. All of these districts allow for townhouse or duplex development, as well as Accessory Dwelling Units. The City should allow tri- and fourplexes within all Downtown districts.
- The City should take actions that will spot. encourage additional development of • The City, in collaboration with the "Music Accessory Dwelling Units within Downtown, Friendly Board" and local organizations including pre-approving standard ADU such as DMAC, should seek opportunities plans, waiving fees, or creating grant for affordable "Culture Bearer" housing and opportunities. live/work spaces for artists and musicians. This could be achieved through partnership larger scale, mixed use development should with national organizations such as be targeted for southern Downtown Artspace.
- In combination with *Recommendation 3A*,
- Opportunities for residential conversion of existing buildings, especially historic buildings, should be explored.
- Parking requirements for multi-family housing should be reduced.
- Provisions for shared parking between multiple developments strenthened by raising the percentage of parking that can be provided above 50% when other tools, such as 'unbundled' parking or shared micromobility are also in use.
- The City should work with residential developers to build shared public-private parking garages.

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41.1%

#### **Affordability Actions:**

- The City should consider density and height bonuses for the provision of affordable housing.
- The City should encourage the utilization of Affordable Housing Tax Credits.
- The City should encourage "unbundling" of parking in larger apartment buildings, while also reducing parking requirements, allowing residents to save money on their units if they choose not to utilize a parking



Townhouses are desirable housing types for first time homeowners and empty-nesters due to the ease of upkeep, and are good transitions between denser districts and historic neighborhoods. Image source: AI Generated

# **3** Strengthen Historic Preservation Opportunities

Preserving historic resources is crucial for sustainability, providing affordable housing, supporting small local businesses, and retaining the character that makes Denton unique. By continuing to strengthen and expand existing historic preservation tools, the City of Denton can thoughtfully adapt and develop the downtown area to meet current and future needs while retaining the historic character that the community connects with and loves.

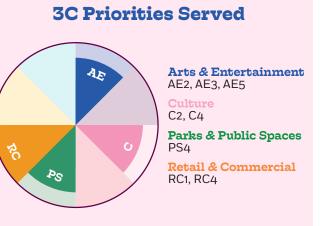
#### The Case for Action

The City of Denton has a history of successful preservation efforts and has a robust foundation of existing historic preservation tools. However, due to the ongoing growth of Denton, historic structures downtown are facing increasing development pressure. Preservation provides development opportunities that make economic sense and protect community identity. The proposed actions support and strengthen the 2019 Denton Historic Preservation Plan.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### **Strengthen Local Grants and Incentives:**

- Focus on education and advocacy to increase use of the existing local property tax exemption programs.
- Conduct an audit of the existing programs to examine what is working or what might need adjustment.
- Create a local historic district tax exemption program and explore additional local district designation opportunities to increase the number of properties eligible for tax exemption without individual designation.
- Offer additional incentives or create a grant program for legacy businesses to help preserve cultural institutions. Incentives



See the community priorities on page 18 for more information.

and/or a grant program could include general relief funds, rent stabilization, and business assistance (see Recommendation 4C Expand Programs to Support Small Businesses). The cities of Austin and San Francisco both have legacy business programs with examples of these incentives.

- Offer additional incentives, such as fee reductions for Building Permits and Consumer Health Permits for owners and tenants of eligible historic properties. This could further incentivize preservation and adaptive reuse as well as support business activity in the historic downtown area.
- Offer incentives for the retention of historicage buildings throughout the downtown area or the city, regardless of whether they are designated, to prevent wholesale demolition of historic resources as development pressure continues. The Preservation Bonus and related Sustainability Bonus in the City of Austin's current HOME initiative are strong examples of such an incentive.
- As recommended in the 2019 Historic Preservation Plan, contract with a local architecture firm to offer free or reduced fee

facade and storefront improvement design assistance for owners of eligible historic properties. This could bolster the existing facade improvement grant program and help ensure that work aligns with historic preservation best practices and local design guidelines.

#### **Promote Historic Tax Credits (See table below)**

- Focus on education and advocacy to increase interest in Historic Tax Credits (HTCs).
- Explore and promote additional state and national designation opportunities to increase the number of properties eligible for HTCs as identified in the 2019 Historic Preservation Plan.

#### **Create Conservation Districts:**

- Conservation Districts can be used to recognize and preserve areas that contain use. distinctive historical, architectural, cultural, • Update mural guidelines to ensure or aesthetic significance but that might lack alignment with preservation best practices sufficient integrity to qualify as a historic without stifling creativity. district. The City of Denton has included • Enact accumulative penalty guidelines, such eligibility provisions for historic resources as stop work order fines, for property owners within historic conservation districts in that are not in compliance with the design its tax exemption program for historically guidelines. significant sites, but the City does not yet • Consider adoption of a vacant building have designated conservation districts.
- Create conservation districts for the Downtown areas identified in Figure 7 in the 2019 Historic Preservation Plan.

Historic Tax Credits							
	Applies to	Value	Chill Street	Eligible Uses	Req'd Designation	Investment Threshold	Time Limit
Texas	Franchise OR Insurance Premium Tax	25% QREs	Yes	Income producing or non-profit	NR, RTHL, SAL	\$5,000	None
Federal	Income Tax	20% GREs	No	Income Producing	NR	= to value of building	2 or 5 years

NR = National Register of Historic Places; RTHL = Recorded Texas Historic Landmark; SAL = State Antiguities Landmark

• Explore additional opportunities for conservation districts beyond those identified in 2019.

#### **Enact View Protections for the Denton County Courthouse and Morrison's Corn-Kits Sign**

- Study public view protection policies for the most significant lines of sight for the Denton County Courthouse and the Morrison's Corn-Kits sign as recommended in the 2019 Historic Preservation Plan.

#### **Update & Strengthen Design Guidelines:**

- Conduct an audit to examine what is working or what might need adjustment in the Denton Square District overly.
- As new local historic districts and conservation districts are created, develop a single design guideline document with tailored chapters for each district for ease of

policy that creates maintenance requirements and fines building owners who do not maintain or secure their vacant building.

### **3D** Public Realm Design Guidelines and Zoning **Recommendations**

Developing design guidelines for downtown Denton is essential for several reasons. It ensures a pedestrian-friendly environment that encourages walkability and accessibility, promoting a vibrant and active streetscape. The guidelines serve as a framework for creating spaces that cater to the diverse needs of the community, fostering inclusiveness and a sense of belonging. Additionally, design guidelines help to direct development towards public realm projects that serve the public good, such as installing street trees, wide sidewalks, lighting, and bike racks, enhancing the overall quality of life in Downtown Denton.

#### The Case for Action

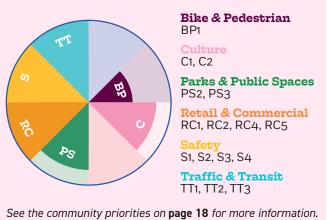
Downtown Denton's Denton Square District has established guidelines to preserve its unique character. However, as Downtown Denton continues to evolve and grow, there is a recognized need for these guidelines to extend beyond the historic square to encompass other parts of downtown. One crucial aspect that these expanded guidelines should address is the incorporation of "Chill Streets" to combat the heat that characterizes much of the year in North Texas.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### **Strengthen and Expand Downtown Denton's Public Realm Design Guidelines:**

- Utilize downtown study area map (p. 4) to develop boundaries for the new design auidelines.
- Develop process for updating the landscape requirements, design criteria manual, and the Denton Square District standards and

#### **3D Priorities Served**



guidelines to reflect the addition of new guidelines OR create an entirely new design guidelines document for Downtown Denton.

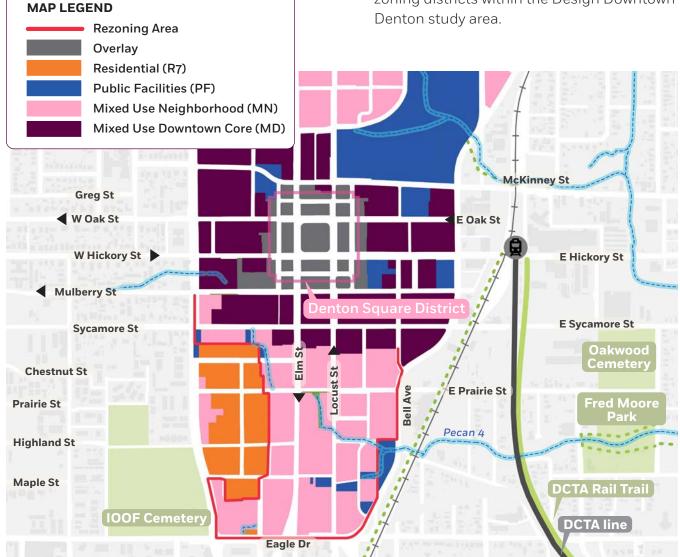
• Consider bringing back a revised version of the Streatery/Parklet program which allows businesses to turn parking spaces in front of their business into an eating or park area.

#### **Reinforce developer commitment to public** realm improvements:

- Create simple and streamlined process for ROW use permitting to simplify development process.
- Create or expand developer incentive program for installing and enhancing public realm improvements.
- Develop use and maintenance agreement for private property establishing requirements for utilizing public ROW, including stewardship of trees and vegetation.

#### **Update Downtown's Zoning:**

- Examine rezoning the MN parcels along Rezone SC districts along Carroll Boulevard Carroll Boulevard to MD In coordination with and University Drive to MN. the implementation of recommendation 1A.
- Examine rezoning the MN parcels south of Consider exceptions to the City's short-term the square to MD to stimulate development rental policies Downtown, until a hotel is south of Downtown. MD zoning allows developed. higher development and has less required Disallow surface parking as an allowable use parking, which corresponds with the plan's within the Downtown area. goals of encouraging walkable places and • Reduce parking requirements for all uses shared parking. However, as both Mixedwithin the MD zoning district and encourage Use Districts have identical standards shared parking arrangements, or create a for "Building Height in Transition Areas," fee-in-lieu for parking that can be spent on building height restrictions on parcels expanding public garages. adjacent to parcels zoned R7 will not be impacted by this change.



Denton's current zoning map, with the area proposed to be examined for rezoning as MD outlined. Source: Denton Development Services GIS Hub, https://development-services-dentontxgis.hub.arcgis.com/

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• Allow up to fourplexes in all residential zoning districts within the Design Downtown

Design Guidelines Table			
Site Element	Outside Denton Square District	In Denton Square District	Chill Street
Building Entrances	Where possible building primary entrance must face the street or other public spaces	Building primary entrance must face the street or other public spaces*, prioritize on the Square	Where possible building primary entrance must face the street or other public spaces
Pedestrian Sidewalk	5' minimum**, shall comply with the most recently adopted ADA, PROWAG, and FHWA standards	8' minimum, shall comply with the most recently adopted ADA, PROWAG, and FHWA standards	8' minimum, shall comply with the most recently adopted ADA, PROWAG, and FHWA standards
Furniture Zone Depth	4' minimum	4' minimum	4' minimum
Tree Planting Bed (Configuration may vary)	6' minimum, use Silva Cells or structural soil systems if installed sub- grade below paving	8' minimum, use Silva Cells or structural soil systems if installed sub- grade below paving	8' minimum, use Silva Cells or structural soil systems if installed sub- grade below paving
Large Tree Spacing (Deep Shade/ Broadleaf) • Elms • Maples • Honey Locust • Ginkgo (male)	30' minimum - 40' maximum on center between trees	30' minimum - 40' maximum on center between trees	30' maximum on center between trees, prioritize broadleaf trees, if space allows prioritize double row, alternate planting

ADA = Americans with Disabilities Act, PROWAG = Proposed Right-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines, FHWA = Federal Highway Administration

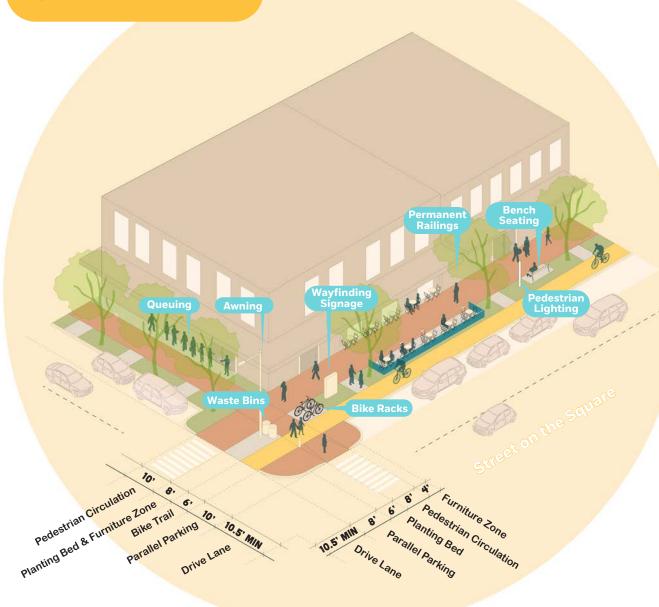
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Site Element	Outside Denton Square District	In Denton Square District	Chill Street
Medium Tree Spacing (Dappled Shade/ Narrowleaf) • Desert Willow • Buckeye • Redbud • Golden-ball Lead-tree • Myrtles	15' minimum on center, depending on species	15' minimum on center, depending on species	15' maximum on center, depending on species, prioritize planting medium/small trees with perennial vegetation planted under
Perennial Planting Bed	6' minimum width	6' minimum width	8' minimum width, prioritize perennial vegetation areas with medium/small trees
Green Stormwater Infrastructure (Rain Garden)	Sized and graded for the micro watershed the feature treats	Sized and graded for the micro watershed the feature treats	Sized and graded for the micro watershed the feature treats, prioritize these features
Dark Sky Compliant Pedestrian Lighting (12/14' high)	Evenly spaced along block taking into account tree canopy, the City and developers should coordinate and consolidate utilities	Evenly spaced along block taking into account tree canopy, the City and developers should coordinate and consolidate utilities	Evenly spaced along block taking into account tree canopy, the City and developers should coordinate and consolidate utilities
Dark Sky Compliant Bollard Lighting (4' high)	Evenly spaced along block, coordinate and consolidate utilities	Evenly spaced along block, coordinate and consolidate utilities, prioritize bollard lighting in parks and plaza spaces	Evenly spaced along block, coordinate and consolidate utilities

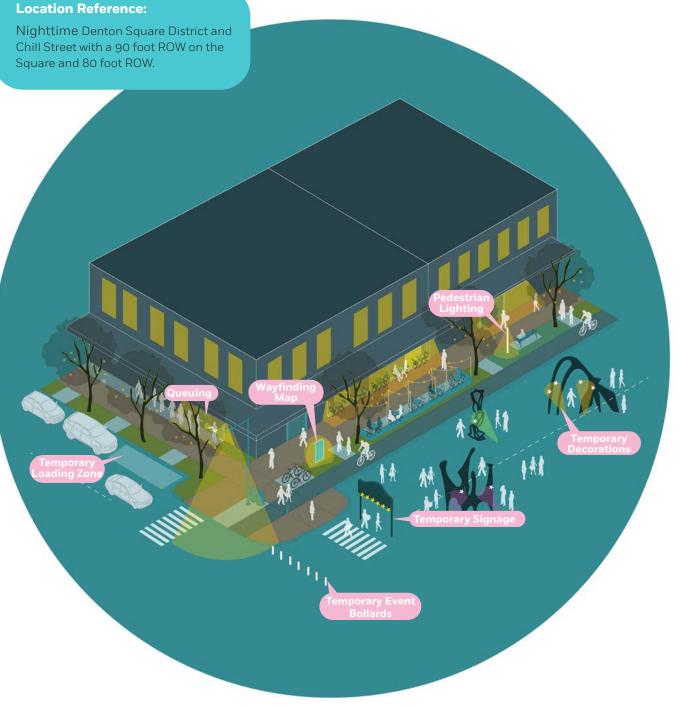
Dark Sky Compliance: Lighting that is certified dark sky compliant restricts the amount of upward-directed light, minimizes glare, reduces light trespass, and reduces light pollution.

**Target Development** 

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Daytime Denton Square District and Chill Street with a 90 foot ROW on the Square and 80 foot ROW.





**Target Development** 

	Design (	auidelines Table	
Site Element	Outside Denton Square District	In Denton Square District	Chill Street
Bench/Table Seating	4/block face	4/block face, sited to match the character of the historic district	4/block face, sited in the deepest shade
Bike Racks	8 spots/block face or larger facilities (refer to the 2023 Denton Design Criteria Manual for location standards)	8 spots/block face or larger facilities (refer to the 2023 Denton Design Criteria Manual for location standards)	8 spots/block face or larger facilities, site in the shade where possible (refer to the 2023 Denton Design Criteria Manual for location standards)
Waste Bins	2/block face	3/block face, prioritize branded trash bins	2/block face
Hardscape	Utilize ADA surfaces	Utilize ADA surfaces, prioritize pavers that contribute to the historic character such as brick	Utilize ADA surfaces, prioritize light colored materials where possible
Wayfinding/ Signage/Map	Sited at busy intersections or important public institutions and civic spaces	1-2/block face, prioritize branded features	Sited at busy intersections or important public institutions and civic spaces, directs people to parks, cooling stations, water fountains, and water features
Murals	Murals size varies depending on location	On facades fronting on the Square, murals may not cover more than 25% of the total facade, a mural on a separate panel must be mounted so as to prevent damage to the wall behind the panel*	Prioritize murals that depict chill street trees or nature motifs

Chill street at future development on corner of S Elm Street with a 60 foot ROW (one-way biking).

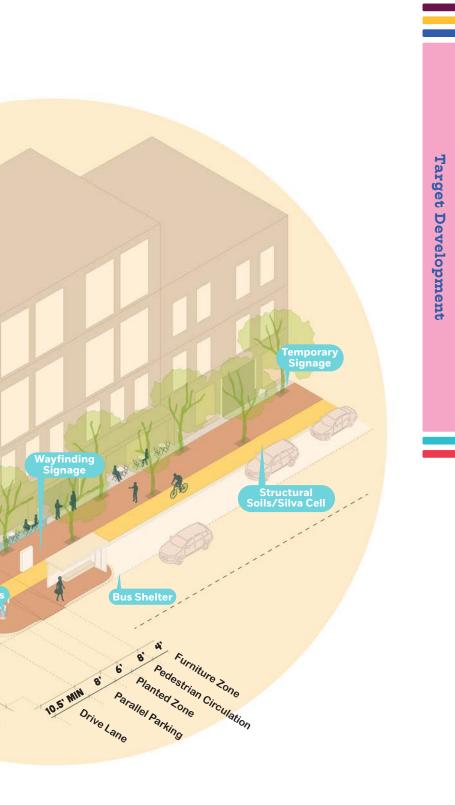
ke Rack

Furniture Circulation

Bike Trail

Parallel Parking

Waste B



Design Guidelines Table			
Site Element	Outside Denton Square District	In Denton Square District	Chill Street
Outdoor Events	Varies	Provide accessible electrical outlets on street corners to support events	Varies
Utilities	Underground/overhead utilities consolidation, install grease traps internally for new buildings	Underground/overhead utilities consolidation, install grease traps internally for new buildings	Underground/overhead utilities consolidation, insure utilities do not conflict with tree canopy, install grease traps internally for new buildings
Shade Structure (see below) • Awnings • Canopies • Sails & Other Structures	Placed to prioritize weather protection for pedestrians	Placed to prioritize weather protection for pedestrians, see below guidelines for shade structures	Placed to prioritize weather protection for pedestrians, prioritized in areas where street trees are not feasible

#### **References:**

\*2019, THE DENTON SQUARE DISTRICT: Standards and Guidelines

\*\*2023, Denton Design Criteria Manual

#### Shade Structures:

- Awning, canopies, balconies and other covered-projected types of building features must comply with the following:
- Must be consistent in height with similar coveredprojected features on adjacent or adjoining buildings.
- Must be mounted in locations that do not obscure ornamental features over storefronts, such as rooflines, arches, and banding.
- Must not exceed the width of the sidewalk.
- May encroach partially into the public right-of-way, but require completion and approval of a City of Denton Right-of-Way Use permit/application.

- Must not be torn, frayed, ripped, faded, or stained, soiled or dirty. When not specifically addressed by this ordinance, provisions of the City of Denton property maintenance code shall apply.
- Must not have convex or dome frames.
- Colors of such building features must enhance and complement the building to which they are attached, rather than overwhelm the building scheme. Colors must not call more attention to the projected-covered building feature than the building.
- The frame structure of such building features must be finished to match the metal storefront system color or the fabric color of the associated projected-covered type of building feature.
- Historic existing awning hardware should be repurposed where possible.

Public Right-of-Way Encroachment Element	Outside Denton Square District	In Denton Square District/ Chill Street
Permanent railings for dining areas	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5' min), must not exceed a maximum 4' from ground level*	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (8' min), must not exceed a maximum 4' from ground level*
Temporary Seating and Tables	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5' min)	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5-6' min)
Temporary Signage	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5' min)	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5-6' min)
Temporary Sales Tables & Racks	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5' min)	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5-6' min)
Temporary Planter or Divider	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5' min)	Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5-6' min)
Temporary Decorations	Temporary holiday lighting is permitted, must be removed and not harm trees or vegetation	Temporary holiday lighting is permitted, must be removed and not harm trees or vegetation
Temporary Load Zones	Site loading zones as close to the talent entrance as possible, coordinate with City Streets department to get a loading zone parking spot	Site loading zones as close to the talent entrance as possible, coordinate with City Streets department to get a loading zone parking spot
Queuing for Ticket Purchases	4' from building face, Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (5' min)	4' from building face, Unobstructed pedestrian walking is maintained (8' min)

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### **3E** Explore Opportunities for Transformative Projects

Design Downtown Denton seeks to emphasize Downtown Denton's existing strengths as a strategy for economic development and quality of life. Building on the recommendations for new development (3A and 3B) and the improvement of public spaces discussed in Chapter 2, there are a number of buildings or program types that would enhance Downtown's strengths. The programming recommended here seeks to build on Downtown's walkability, the community's entrepreneurship, and to celebrate Denton's relationship with music and the arts.

#### **The Case for Action**

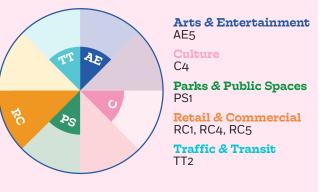
Through the Design Downtown Denton process, community members have expressed a desire for several new amenities. For private investors, these are uses that have been identified as desirable and would be supported by the community.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### **Public or Shared Parking**

There is a perception that parking in Downtown Denton is limited. However, the findings of the 2024 Downtown Denton Parking Study suggest that the greater issue may be with the management and visibility of parking. As Downtown continues to develop, shared and public parking will become an even more important component of the overall development strategy. Parking, including new public or public-private parking garages, should be located and managed so that people are encouraged to park on the edges of Downtown, allowing the Downtown core to emphasize its historic walkability. Parking should be managed

#### **3E Priorities Served**



See the community priorities on page 18 for more information.

to encourage off-street parking by allowing free parking in garages and paid parking on the street. New developments, such as develop in southern Downtown and around Quakertown Park should be encouraged/incentivized to build shared parking garages instead of lot parking. Amend the DDC to significantly increase the percentage of required parking that can be provided through shared parking, and streamline the approval process.

#### **Public Market**

Downtown Denton currently has numerous opportunities for smaller vendors to have temporary space, including a wide variety of events and festivals. The city is recommended to pursue creation of permanent locations for vendors that would allow the incubation of new business ideas that could grow and relocate into brick-and-mortar establishments. Special programs to support minority- and womenowned businesses could also be facilitated.

#### Hotel

There is a strong desire for at least oneIn coordination with recommendation 4A,Downtown hotel, whether a major hotel brand ordeveloping a larger music venue (1,000-2,500independent boutique. This would also createattendees) would allow Denton to compete foran opportunity to partner with the University oflarger national acts.North Texas' hospitality program.attendees

#### **Case Studies: Desired Downtown Amenities**





In this example in Fargo, ND, parking is well signed and cost is managed to encourage shoppers to park off street. Image Source: Mend Collaborative



The Dallas Farmer's Market includes both permanent and temporary vendor space. Image Source: 7th Travel.com

#### **Music and Art Venues**



The Palace Theater in St. Paul, MN is a 2500 person venue that attracts national touring acts. Image Source: Mend Collaborative



The Cantilever Hotel and Distillery in Ranier, MN has a unique program. A 20 room hotel is anchored by a distillery and restaurant. Several wellness based companies also rent space. Source: Mend Collaborative

# Promote Hereit Nightlife, Music, Events, History, and Art



# Promote Nightlife, Music, Events, History, and Art

#### Why is this important?

Implementing policy and regulations that bolster music and nightlife in Downtown Denton is vital for enriching its vibrancy and stimulating economic development. By enacting supportive regulations, the City can cultivate a thriving entertainment ecosystem, attracting talent, investment, and visitors while nurturing a distinct sense of place.

Music and nightlife are integral to Downtown Denton's identity, drawing visitors, supporting local businesses, and fostering community cohesion. Live music venues, bars, and events contribute to the area's cultural richness, making it an inviting destination for residents and tourists.

#### What are we attempting to accomplish?



Foster live music, festivals, and the arts, enriching the area's identity and sense of place.

Image Source: Mend Collaborative



economic resilience. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

Foster entrepreneurship and



Utilize economic development tools to ensure successful implementation.

Image Source: Mend Collaborative

# Utilize Policy and Regulations to Support Music and Nightlife

Leveraging policy to advance music and nightlife is crucial for enhancing Downtown Denton's vibrancy and economic growth. By implementing supportive regulations the city can foster a thriving entertainment ecosystem. Strategic policies not only attract talent and investment but also cultivate a unique sense of place, making Downtown Denton a dynamic destination renowned for its music and nightlife scene.

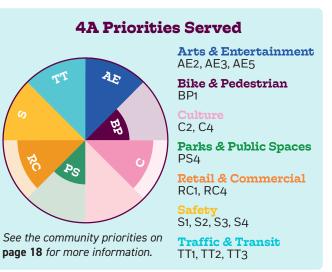
#### The Case for Action

Music and nightlife are vital to Downtown Denton's vibrancy and identity. They attract visitors, support local businesses, and foster a sense of community. Live music venues, bars, and events contribute to the area's cultural richness, making Downtown Denton an inviting destination for residents and tourists alike. At the same time, Denton's position within the Metroplex means that many musicians and artists move to other areas in region after experiencing success. Recommendations that strengthen Denton's music-related infrastructure, support local musicians and businesses, foster cultural diversity, and help to keep musical talent in Denton can be a key economic development strategy for Downtown.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### **Join Sound Music Cities**

The city should join Sound Music Cities and take advantage of their resources. Sound Music Cities works to support and promote vibrant music ecosystems in cities worldwide. Sound Music Cities also provides resources and guidance to cities aiming to develop and sustain thriving music scenes, helping them recognize the economic, social, and cultural benefits of a robust music industry.



#### Hire a "Nightlife Mayor"

In the long term, once additional events and venues are added to Downtown hire a "Nightlife Mayor" who would be tasked with supporting nightlife in the City through the proposed Public Improvement District (Recommendation 4G). This new role would serve as a support to businesses that are open after the hours, when City offices are typically closed.

#### **Support Historic Music Venues**

In partnership with the Music Friendly Denton Task Force, the city should update policies relating to issues such as code compliance and fire systems to support historic music venues, especially as Downtown's residential population grows. An "Agent of Change" policy would protect historic venues from noise complaints from new residential neighbors.

#### Support the addition of additional music venues

In coordination with Recommendations 3E and 4B (Explore Opportunities for Transformative Projects and Develop a Performing Arts Center) and Recommendations 2A and 2E (the Quakertown Park and Southern Downtown Park

concepts) work to establish opportunities for more music venues in Denton, including a venue that accommodates 1000-2500 people. which is a larger venue than currently exists, and one or more new outdoor stages that would allow Denton to compete with other areas of the Metroplex in attracting larger acts.

#### **Ensure Public Realm Improvements and Streetspace Management benefits musical** performance

In coordination with public realm Recommendations 1B, 2B, 2C and 2D, redesign some streets to support limited street



A jazz performance at Steve's Wine Bar. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

closures for outdoor performances on a regular basis. Limited street closures will help to accommodate more outdoor musical performances.

**Create housing support for culture bearers** 

In coordination with Recommendation 3B, partner with local and national organizations to design policies to facilitate the creation of affordable living opportunities for for musicians and artists, including live-work spaces.

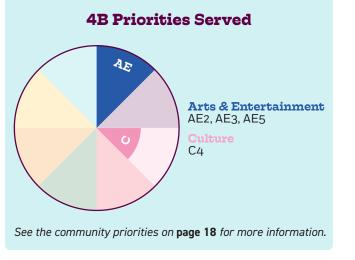
### Develop a Performing Arts Center **4**B

As established in recommendation 4A, building on the Denton's reputation as a center for the music and the arts is an important component of Downtown Denton's economic development strategy. Establishing a performing arts center in Downtown Denton would significantly enhance the cultural landscape of the city, providing a centralized venue for a diverse array of artistic expressions and a point of connection between university programs and Downtown. Such a center would serve as a vibrant community hub, attracting both local talent and renowned performers, thereby fostering a rich cultural exchange.

#### The Case for Action

**Promote Culture** 

Denton boasts a rich and vibrant history of musical performance, dance, theater, and film, thriving both at its universities and through the city's robust festival culture. Research, interviews, and public engagement have revealed that various arts organizations need office and rehearsal space. Many organizations could expand their programming from annual festivals or events to more consistent, yearround activities if proper spaces were available. A new performing arts center would serve as a hub for existing organizations and provide a valuable resource to enhance Denton's arts scene. This center would not only boost the local economy through increased tourism and business opportunities but also cultivate a deeper appreciation for the arts among residents.



#### **Proposed Actions**

Establish a state-of-the-art performing arts facility in Downtown Denton, utilizing public investment as a catalyst for further development.

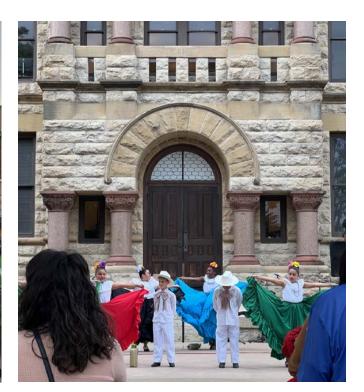
- Include versatile performance spaces, rehearsal studios, and exhibition areas to accommodate various art forms, from theater and dance to music and visual arts.
- Offer both market-rate and belowmarket-rate office space and establish relationships with existing organizations, including those promoting Denton's festivals and the universities' arts and music programs. Develop partnerships with resident organizations to ensure the center hosts a range of events and educational programs throughout the year.



Denton's festival's successes are driven by local performers. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

#### **Case Study: Midtown Arts and Theater Center Houston (MATCH)**

The Midtown Arts and Theater Center Houston (MATCH) is a dynamic cultural hub located in the heart of Houston's Midtown district. It serves as a versatile performance and exhibition space, catering to a wide range of artistic disciplines, including theater, dance, music, and visual arts. With its state-of-theart facilities, MATCH provides artists and organizations with flexible venues that include multiple theaters, rehearsal spaces, galleries, and meeting rooms. The center fosters a vibrant community atmosphere, supporting both emerging and established artists while offering the public access to diverse and engaging cultural experiences.



A school dance group performs on the Courthouse Square as part of Hispanic Heritage Month. Image Source: Mend Collaborative





Source: Midtown Arts and Theater Center, Houston

# **4** C Expand Programs to Support Small Businesses

In the Design Downtown Denton process, stakeholders emphasized the importance of small, local businesses to the City's identity. Proposed actions include expanding Downtown Reinvestment Grants, establishing a program to help business owners purchase their buildings, and creating a 2% loan program for new and existing businesses. Additionally, forming a "Small Business Benefits District" is recommended to offer non-traditional benefits. These initiatives aim to prevent chain stores from dominating, support existing businesses, and enhance ownership access for minority- and women-owned enterprises, fostering economic resilience and continuity in Downtown.

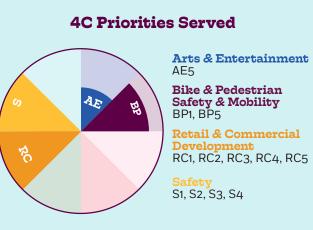
#### The Case for Action

Throughout the Design Downtown Denton public engagement process, one of the clearest messages from stakeholders was the importance of small, local businesses to Downtown Denton's character and identity. Downtown Denton boasts a variety of locally owned, unique businesses that would make most cities envious. Stakeholders also expressed a strong desire to prevent Downtown from being taken over by chain stores, to ensure that existing small businesses can thrive, and to expand access to business ownership for minority- and women-owned businesses.

#### **Proposed Actions**

#### **Expand the use of Downtown Reinvestment** Grants

Downtown Reinvestment Grants, funded by the TIRZ, have benefited Downtown businesses seeking façade improvements and utility upgrades. With expanded TIRZ funding (see recommendation 4E), the city should proactively identify locations and business sectors to assist.



See the community priorities on **page 18** for more information.

#### To preserve affordability, establish a program to assist business owners in the purchase of their buildings

Research has shown that one of the most effective ways for small businesses to ensure long-term real estate affordability is through building ownership. Empowering small business owners through grants, low-interest loans, or loan guarantees with community banks creates the opportunities necessary for businesses to secure their premises, ensuring long-term stability. The City should work to provide education and training for small business owners on negotiating a right of first refusal in their leases. This would offer them a fair chance to buy their properties before they are sold, preventing displacement and preserving the character and diversity of the local economy. Additionally, the City should include a grading criteria for building owners who receive City funding or grants to encourage a right of first refusal to be included in lease agreements. This will assist small business owners in purchasing their buildings, allowing them to build equity, reinvest in their operations, and contribute more effectively to the local economy, promoting economic resilience and continuity.

#### Establish a 2% Loan Program

A low-interest loan program for new and existing businesses will expand investment in Downtown small businesses. The program should include flexibility in the uses of funds, including:

- Building construction
- Interior improvements
- Lighting, windows and doors
- Roofing, plumbing and electrical •
- Mechanical systems and air conditioning
- Sustainable building improvements
- Masonry repairs and other façade improvements
- Repairing or replacing of cornices, entrances, doors, windows, decorative details and awnings
- Architectural design services for plans and specifications
- Landscaping •
- Building identification/signage
- Handicap access improvements •
- Streetscape costs
- Purchase of machinery and equipment
- Leasehold improvements
- Installation of a fat, oil, and/or grease interceptor system ("grease trap")

Loans could utilize a 10-year repayment schedule and would include credit requirements, though these could be waived or modified if the proposed business owner belongs to a historically underrepresented group of business owners, including minority, women, and veteranowned businesses.

#### Establish a "Small Business Benefits District"

The City will partner with the Economic Development Partnership and Denton Main Street Boards to create a "Small Business Benefit District" that can provide nontraditional benefits to small businesses such as lower insurance rates, joint purchasing, and consolidated back-of-house functions.





Programs such as a loan program and a small business benefit district would help to alleviate the challenges faced by small local retailers. Image Source: Mend Collaborative



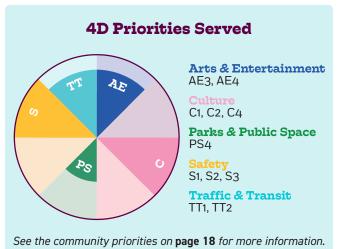
Many Denton businesses foster community with unique and fun outdoor spaces. Offering support to these businesses can help them continue to flourish. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

### **4 D Expand on Downtown Events**

Downtown Denton thrives with a dynamic event calendar that enriches the community and adds the area's cultural landscape. From lively festivals to intimate gatherings, these events serve as vibrant magnets, drawing people from all walks of life to experience the city's unique atmosphere. Beyond merely entertaining, these gatherings foster a sense of belonging and pride among residents while also attracting visitors, injecting energy into the streets, and bolstering local businesses. By welcoming people of diverse backgrounds and interests, Downtown Denton's events not only enliven the area but also contribute to its identity as a thriving cultural hub.

#### The Case for Action

Various organizations coordinate events of different sizes within downtown Denton. For example, the Denton Mainstreet Association orchestrates Twilight Tunes on the County Courthouse lawn in spring and summer. The City of Denton hosts large-scale events around the Square and in Quakertown Park yearround. Additionally, Denton's Black Chamber sponsors an electrifying blues festival. These events are further supported and promoted by Discover Denton, operating under Denton's Chamber of Commerce. There are opportunities to streamline and organize the event hosting process, enabling a greater number of events to reach and benefit a broader spectrum of community members.



#### **Proposed Actions**

Continue to Develop a Tiered Approach for Permitting Different Sized Events:

- Align tiers with permitting timelines, allowing for shorter timelines for smaller events.
- Develop a tool to determine tier level and provide specific permitting guidelines per tier - Similar to the City of Austin's Special Events Permit Process.

### Streamline the Event Permitting and Planning Process

- Update and simplify the Right-of-Way use permitting process.
- Update the requirements for the Traffic Control Plan for road closures, including showing example plans.
- Update the requirements in Event Parking Plan for road closures, including showing example plans.
- Offer educational workshops on the Denton event permit process to community groups and members.

- Create Downtown parking plan for larger events that includes clear mapping and signage identifying available public and private lots, which lots are paid or free, and other relevant information.
- Develop noise ordinance for outdoor music pop-ups or venues.
- Hire additional staff to work a forecasted growing number of events in Denton.

Collaborate with Partners to Expand Downtown Events:

- Continue collaborating with downtown partners to bring exciting events to the city at multiple locations and times of year.
- Coordinate with Downtown Denton's branding effort (refer to recommendation 4D Establish a Downtown Brand Recommendation) to promote and market events.

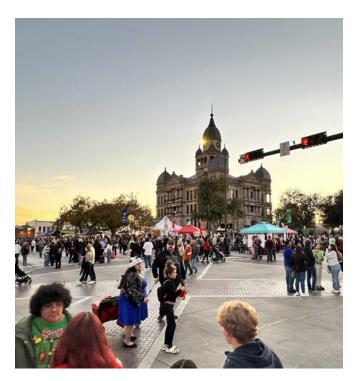


The Denton Blues festival held in Quakertown Park, by the Denton Black Chamber of Commerce, brings fantastic music, large crowds, stages and food trucks into the park. Image Source: Mend Collaborative.

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Denton's Holiday Lighting Festival is an event that brings huge crowds and balances multiple stages, activities, performances, and partners Image Source: Mend Collaborative.



Denton's Day of the Dead Festival is a free, family-friendly event held outside on the streets of Denton complete with live music, dancing, arts, and food. Image Source: dentondayofthedeadfestival.com

# **A E Modify and Expand on Economic Development Tools**

Denton employs a variety of economic development tools to enhance its Downtown area, yet many of these tools remain underutilized or are not applied with a clear strategy. Some resources available to the city are not utilized at all, leading to missed opportunities for growth and improvement. To address these challenges, it is crucial to explore how these tools can be used more effectively and strategically. By expanding, sharpening, and combining these economic development tools, Denton can ensure a more robust and successful implementation of its vision for Downtown.

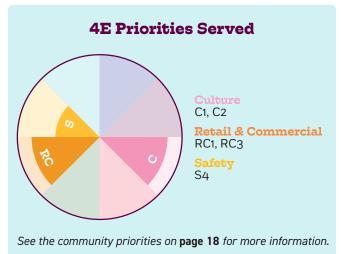
#### The Case for Action

**Promote Culture** 

A review of Denton's existing funding sources revealed that several key economic development tools are in place but have not been extensively utilized.

The Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ) retains incremental increases in property tax revenue within a designated district, accumulating a balance of \$3.5 million and generating \$1 million annually. These TIRZ funds support Downtown Reinvestment Grants, providing up to \$200,000 per year to reimburse downtown businesses in building improvements such as roof and foundation repairs, new signs and awnings, and utility and fire suppression upgrades.

380 Agreements offer tax rebates or grants for new construction aimed at economic development. TIRZ revenue was used to provide grant funds for such an agreement with the Railyard project, now complete.



The Catalyst Fund, designed to support economic development initiatives citywide, currently has a balance of \$4.3 million and funds entrepreneur tech, expansion, and job-based grants.

Finally, Historic Tax Credits offer an annual property tax exemption of up to 50% on designated buildings with up to \$10,000 in qualifying improvements or restoration, but only two properties downtown currently utilize this exemption according to the city database.

#### **Proposed Actions**

The City of Denton should expand economic development opportunities in the following areas.

#### **Existing Funding Sources to be Modified:**

#### Tax-Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ)

The current TIRZ covers a limited area, though it is now generating almost \$1 million per year in revenue and has \$3.5 million in current funding reserves.



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The TIRZ should be expanded. Now that the infrastructure bond has passed and PEC-4 will likely be constructed without TIRZ funding, the City should, as part of the TIRZ expansion, create a new TIRZ plan identifying priority projects including:

- 1. Incentivizing downtown housing construction.
- 2. Building out streetscape and public realm improvements to improve public seating areas, pedestrian safety, more pedestrian-oriented intersections, and bicycle facilities.
- 3. Consider areas of Southeast Denton to include in the expansion per the Southeast Denton Master Plan.

TIRZ revenue has been used to fund Downtown Reinvestment Grants and 380 Agreements. This funding should continue and expand if the TIRZ expands, but such funding arrangements should only be executed if doing so serves a strategic goal in implementing the Downtown plan - that is, the City should be proactive rather than reactive.

#### **Downtown Reinvestment Grants**

Downtown Reinvestment Grants, funded by the TIRZ, have benefited a few Downtown businesses seeking façade improvements and utility upgrades. In some cases, however, a grant to a property owner has prevented the city from providing another grant to a tenant business on the same property. With expanded TIRZ funding, the City should re-evaluate current TIRZ policies and proactively target catalyst projects.

#### **380 Agreements**

380 Agreements offer tax rebates or grants for new construction aimed at economic development. Only two 380 agreement have been executed Downtown (Railyards and Fine Arts Theater) using TIRZ funds. The City should expand the use of 380 Agreements for both

housing and other new construction Downtown, using funds from an expanded TIRZ and possibly from the Catalyst fund.

#### **Historic Tax Credits**

The City should inventory historic significant sites Downtown and, based on business and residential opportunities that exist, prioritize buildings that need improvement and could benefit from the Historic Tax Credit and reach out to relevant landowners. The Designated Sites or Historically Significant Tax Credits should be used where appropriate. Such efforts could complement Downtown Reinvestment Grants and/or 380 Agreements involving specific businesses located in historic structures.

#### **Catalyst Fund**

The citywide Catalyst Fund has a balance of more than \$4.3 million. The catalyst fund is intended for major projects of citywide importance. A portion of the Catalyst fund can used to encourage the Entrepreneur Tech Program, establish 380 Agreements and direct business assistance for startups in the Downtown, especially those that serve a strategic Downtown goal such as supporting diverse local food and beverage establishments, preserving Denton history and culture, or recruiting tech companies downtown in partnership with Stoke.

#### **Texas PACE program**

Under Texas law, property owners are able to obtain low-cost capital for energy and water conservation improvements that are paid back by a property assessment. The City should partner with the Texas PACE Authority to provide this opportunity to property owners Downtown as an additional incentive to improve their property.

#### **New Funding Opportunities:**

#### **Qualified Hotel Project Tax Rebate**

A Qualified Hotel Project permits the rebate of state hotel and sales tax for hotel that is connected to meeting space of 10,000 square feet or more. Denton became eligible for this benefit as a result of legislation in 2023. As part of the East McKinney project, the City should consider including a boutique hotel and meeting space that would qualify for the rebate, as both would increase foot traffic Downtown. A different location could be considered for the hotel and meeting space; but the meeting space may be more desirable if located close to City Hall.

#### **Parking Benefit District**

If the pending parking utilization study shows Downtown projects that could qualify for that some areas have more parking demand HUD 108 loan guarantees and identify CDBG than supply, the City should create a Parking recipients that could assist in bringing this Benefit District that would administer paid parking in those areas and use the funds to manage the parking and pay for ped/bike **Private and Philanthropic Funding** facilities and street redesign. The Parking Philanthropic and foundation funding is Benefit District should be part of a larger, increasingly used for park and open space comprehensive parking management effort that improvements. The City should explore includes all publicly owned (or managed) onopportunities to expand Philanthropic funding street and off-street parking Downtown. for major projects.

#### Affordable Housing Tax Exemption

The City recently established a Public Finance Corporation eligible to own land on which affordable housing is built, thus providing such projects with a property tax exemption. The City's PFC should aggressively seek developers to build affordable housing Downtown, especially given the recent passage of the \$15 million affordable housing bond. Among other things, this would provide greater incentives for constructing housing Downtown – even market-rate housing, as the PFC law allows mixed- income developments. Although the PFC law has been controversial (and subject of considerable discussion in Denton), the law was tightened up in the last legislative session.

#### **New Market Tax Credits**

New Market Tax Credits are federal tax credits for investments in development projects located in qualifying communities by qualifying entities (Downtown Denton qualifies). These are typically non-residential projects. The City should identify high-priority mixed-use or nonresidential projects that might qualify for New Market Tax Credits and identify a qualified entity to help bring NMTCs into the financing picture for important Downtown projects.

#### HUD Section 108 Loan Guarantees

HUD Section 108 loan guarantees are lowcost, flexible loans for economic development available to CDBG recipients from private lenders. Loans are guaranteed by the federal government. The City should identify critical financing mechanism into key deals Downtown.

#### **Bundling Economic Development Tools Together**

development tool is, the use of tools together can create a powerful set of incentives to implement the goals of the Downtown Master Plan. This was done recently for the Fine Arts Theater, which received a grant from TIRZ revenue through a 380 agreement as well as an Historic Tax Credit. In the future, a Downtown property owner could, for example, seek a Downtown Reinvestment grant for façade and sidewalk improvement, a Historic Tax Credit to maintain an historic building, and a PACE financing to upgrade energy and water systems. A developer might be able to bundle different tools in a similar fashion. The City should create a menu of tools and incentives that can work together - one menu for current Downtown property owners, one for current downtown business owners, and one for prospective Downtown developers.

As valuable as each individual economic

#### **Land Banking**

Land banking should be used as a strategic tool to acquire, manage, and repurpose vacant, abandoned, or underutilized properties to stimulate economic development. Utilize land banking to ensure that land is used in ways that best benefit the community, such as for affordable housing, green spaces, or commercial projects that meet plan goals, and to assist with land assembly that will allow larger scale projects to move forward in areas with divided land ownership.

#### Active Transportation Funding Opportunities

There are a variety of programs at the federal and state levels that administer funding through TxDOT and NCTCOG and are designed to address improvements to active transportation through infrastructure, education and awareness, and operational improvements. This has been further supported by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, making more funding available for projects and programs that improve pedestrian and bicycle safety and access, a high priority for Downtown Denton.

Strategies like nesting active transportation elements into larger project applications can increase the competitiveness of projects. For example, building intersection safety improvements into highway or street corridor projects can be attractive to application evaluators seeking to fund multimodal projects that establish connections well beyond the project boundaries.

#### **Federal Resources**

#### USDOT - Reconnecting Communities and Neighborhoods (RCN) Grant Program

**Type:** Non-competitive **Fund Uses:** Planning, Capital, and Operations

The RCN Grant Program combines two discretionary grant programs: the Reconnecting Communities Pilot (RCP) and the Neighborhood Access and Equity (NAE) program. These programs are available for planning, capital, and regional partnership projects that focus on addressing gaps in the transportation networks, specifically those that have affected historically disadvantaged communities. The outcomes for projects that receive funding from this program are those that improve access to key destinations, foster equitable development and restoration, and redesign highways to remove barriers to community connectivity.

#### USDOT - Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant Program

#### **Type:** Non-competitive **Fund Uses:** Planning, Capital, and Operations

The SS4A Grant Program is a discretionary program that funds regional, local, and Tribal projects and programs that aim to prevent roadway deaths and serious injuries. SS4A Grants fall into two buckets: a Planning and Demonstration Grant, and an Implementation Grant. Planning and Demonstration Grants fund strategies that prevent roadway deaths and serious injuries, including a comprehensive safety action plan, which is needed to apply for an Implementation Grant.

#### USDOT - Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity (RAISE) Grant Program

#### **Type:** Competitive

#### Fund Uses: Planning, Capital, and Operations

Previously known as TIGER and BUILD, RAISE grants are available to fund the planning, pre-construction, and construction of public transportation projects, intermodal projects, and roadway projects, among others. The grant covers 80% of project funding in urban areas and 100% of funding for projects in rural areas and for planning grants in Areas of Persistent Poverty.

### FHWA - Active Transportation InfrastructureType: Non-competitiveInvestment (ATIIP) ProgramFund Uses: Planning, Capital, and Operations

#### Type: Competitive Fund Uses: Planning, Capital, and Operations

The ATIIP Program is a new competitive grant program that supports construction projects to provide safe and connected active transportation facilities in active transportation networks or active transportation spines. Networks are defined as facilities that connect destinations within a community or metropolitan region, while spines are facilities that connect between communities, metropolitan regions, or states. The grant program is split into two types of grants: Planning and Design and Construction grants. To be eligible for a Planning and Design grant, planning and design costs must be at least \$100,000 and to be eligible for Construction grants, construction costs must be at least \$15 million.

#### FHWA - Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) Program

#### **Type:** Non-competitive **Fund Uses:** Planning, Capital, and Operations

The CMAQ Improvement Program is a noncompetitive long-standing grant program that aims to improve air quality and reduce traffic congestion, particularly in areas of the country that do not attain national air quality standards. Examples of CMAQ projects include signal coordination, intersection improvements, parkand-ride facilities, sidewalks, non-recreational bicycle and pedestrian facilities, and transit investment, among others. Many of these project types directly apply to specific mobility hub elements and related local infrastructure. TxDOT distributes CMAQ funds to local MPOs, and government entities are eligible to apply.

### FHWA - Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG)

The STBG Program funding is non-competitive – a formula is used by FHWA to apportion STBG funds to each state. The funds are then sub-allocated to NCTCOG from TxDOT using a population-based formula. Transportation Alternatives, or bicycle, pedestrian, transit, and other small-scale multimodal projects, are required to make up 10% of STBG funds. STBG funds are intended for public roadways where bicycle and pedestrian improvements, transit connections, and other mobility hub improvements can be supported.

#### **State Resources**

Most state funding is through the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) and is allocated for tolled and non-tolled highways. However, TxDOT and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) offer a few funding programs eligible for active transportation projects in Texas.

#### **TxDOT - Transportation Alternatives Set**aside (TA) Program

#### **Type:** Competitive **Fund Uses:** Planning and Construction

The Transportation Alternatives (TA) Set-Aside Program and its predecessor programs are competitive funds meant to support standalone bicycle and pedestrian projects. The TxDOT-administered program addresses planning and construction of bicycle and pedestrian improvements that improve mobility options for active transportation modes.

#### TxDOT - Education and Safety Grant Programs

#### Type: Non-competitive Fund Uses: Education and Safety

As part of TxDOT's Highway Safety Plan, federal grant funding is available to a variety of organizations and levels of government for implementation of education and safety programs that reduce fatalities, injuries, and crashes. These non-competitive funds are available only for strategies that help educate, monitor, and report on bicycle and pedestrian safety.

#### **TxDOT - Safe Routes to School (SRTS)**

#### **Type:** Competitive **Fund Uses:** Planning, Capital, and Operations

The SRTS program is a comprehensive competitive grant program that provides funding for planning, development, and implementation of projects and programs that improve safety, comfort, and access for children grades K-8 to get to school to walk or bike to school. This includes education and awareness campaigns, traffic, fuel consumption, and air pollution reduction.

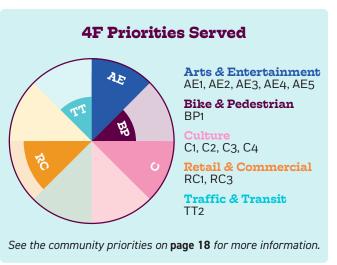


### **Establish a Downtown Brand**

Downtown Denton boasts a vibrant identity deeply rooted in its arts and music scene, rich history, unique architecture, and quirky charm. This distinctive personality is reflected in the lifestyle of Dentonites, who celebrate their community through art, merchandise, and events. To enhance Denton's reputation as an exceptional place to live, work, shop, play, and learn, a cohesive branding strategy is essential. This brand should effectively communicate Denton's unique character to visitors and potential new residents while help them navigate to their destinations and discover what Denton has to offer nearby.

#### The Case for Action

Downtown Denton has multiple iconic landmarks such as the Denton County Courthouse, the Morrison's Milling sign, and the Campus Theater, unique businesses for food, drink and shopping, and the historic Quakertown Park. These landmarks should be easily identified as Downtown Denton and help provide a cohesive and singular sense of place. Right now that cohesion is lacking, due to a deficiency of visual connection between these landmarks. Visitors to Beer Alley may not feel they are within walking distance of the Square. A cohesive brand marked by signage, banners, and wayfinding can support walkability by connecting these unique features in one area. Branded Wayfinding positioned in key parking areas can also help people move more easily between their car and desired destinations.



#### **Proposed Actions**

- Release an RFQ to develop a brand strategy and design including logo, colors, wayfinding, and signage led by local artists with input from Economic Development and Downtown Stakeholders. Branding should be colorful, vibrant and attractive, being consistent with the personality of its people, events and businesses.
- Use branding in wayfinding signage that directs to businesses, universities, parks and historic features throughout Downtown.
- Identify pathways and trails that can have plaques, signage, or other features that tell the history and story of notable groups and features of Downtown Denton and their impact on the city, such as:
  - Black Americans
  - Native Americans
  - Music History
  - University History
  - Growth of Denton History
  - Public Art Walk

- Integrate the branding of visual components with the Public Art Plan, Denton Square District, and other design standards and guidelines.
- Review the brand guidelines annually with Economic Development and Downtown Stakeholders to ensure consistency as Downtown develops.
- Update Sign Ordinance, and banner and signage programs.
- Develop unique branding for Quakertown Park and surrounding blocks, highlighting the historic park.
- Integrate University branding into wayfinding and banners, highlighting UNT along Hickory and Sycamore Streets and TWU along Bell Avenue and Locust Street.
- Look for funding for improvements from Texas Commission on the Arts, which identified the Original Denton District as a cultural district in 2019.

#### **Existing Branding & Wayfinding**



Existing wayfinding is not part of a cohesive brand for Downtown Denton and does not provide enough clear and specific information to support businesses or walkability. Image Source: Mend Collaborative

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#### Wayfinding Examples







**Banners Examples** 







**Promote Culture** 

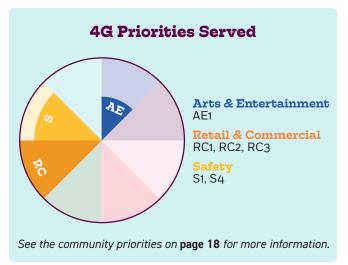
### 4G Establish a Public Improvement District

Successful Texas downtowns typically maintain a wide variety of organizational tools, each with different statutory abilities and funding mechanisms that can be utilized in tandem to achieve an overall vision for the community. A Public Improvement District (PID) is a special district created by a city or county to fund public improvements and services within a designated area. Establishing a PID would provide Downtown Denton with a more robust set of tools and dedicated funding to finance projects that enhance the downtown area's quality of place.

#### The Case for Action

Downtown Denton currently has Denton Main Street, which is a part of a state and national Main Street Program, a Texas Cultural District, and a Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ), each providing valuable assets for implementing Design Downtown Denton. However, due to Denton's population growth, these tools do not offer all the statutory abilities that a growing city of Denton's size may need.

Three types of Texas districts were analyzed for Downtown Denton: a Public Improvement District (PID), a Municipal Management District (MMD), and a Municipal Development District (MDD). While each of these entities is similar, their establishment processes and funding sources vary slightly. An MMD would allow the use of sales tax for economic development but would require reallocating funds from DCTA, making it less preferable. PIDs and MMDs are very similar, but ultimately, a PID was identified as the candidate that would provide the city with the greatest amount of control.



#### **Proposed Actions**

PIDs are established through a petition process initiated by property owners, followed by formal approval from the city. At least 50% of the property owners within the proposed district, or the owners of 50% of the land within the proposed district, must sign the petition. This requirement ensures significant support among the property owners who will be affected by the PID before it is created. Given Downtown Denton's small lot sizes and variety of ownership, this is no small task. While this report provides a goal for the area to be contained within the PID, the process of acquiring signatures may alter the final boundaries of the district.

The city should begin by approaching large landowners. It is important that the city has ready information regarding the amount of additional taxes that individual owners would pay, the cumulative amount of funding that would be generated, and the activities that could be funded through the district. The city should consider utilizing the same board structure for the PID as is used for the TIRZ, allowing for better coordination in their actions.

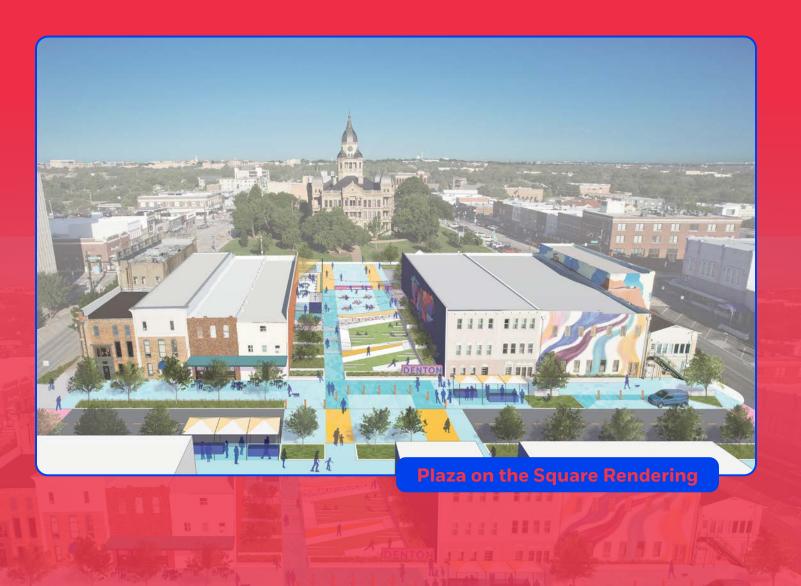
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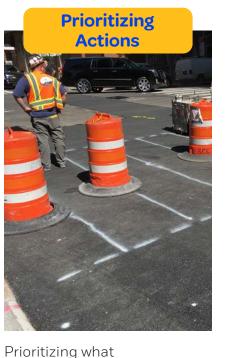




### Introduction

The Downtown Denton Master Plan requires a refresh to steer growth over the next decade. This update focuses on enhancing parks and open spaces, parking, housing, mobility, connectivity, and preserving existing neighborhoods and historic sites. The new plan aims to leverage Downtown's strengths, honor its history and character, and create an even more enjoyable living environment.

The recommendations and actions outlined in the plan need thoughtful implementation and prioritization. This will help the City make decisions on actions to take to further the goals of the plan.





bundle incentives. Image Source: Wikimedia Commons

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should happen first.

Exploring opportunities to Image Source: Mend Collaborative



Unlocking funds such as tax rebates for qualified hotels. Image Source: Wikimedia Commons

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#### Implementation of Economic Development Tools

Implementing Denton's new Downtown Master Plan will require the City to move quickly to establish additional revenue sources, and new and expanded programs to use that revenue to move Downtown forward. In addition, expenditure of funds for implementation of the plan must balance three different types of projects:

- Construction and maintenance of public infrastructure and public realm improvements
- Incentives for business owners
- Incentives for property owners and developers

#### **Prioritizing Policy Recommendations**

Policy-related recommendations also were prioritized based on whether other projects are dependent on that particular policy action. A timeline range was assigned to the policy recommendation. The below table shows this in more detail. This portion of the implementation section prioritizes the economic development tools identified in the Design Downtown Denton Plan and articulates steps required to use those tools effectively in order to implement the plan over the next several years. The City does have a number of other economic development tools available citywide that might also be used, including a sales tax rebate on construction materials, utility improvement reimbursement, and a reduction in electrical demand charges.

Department Key	
Development Services	DS
Parks and Recreation	PR
Economic Development	ED
Engineering Services	ES
Streets Division	SD
Real Estate	RE
Capital Improvement Projects	CIP
Public Improvement District	CIP
Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone	TIRZ
Main Street Association	MSA
Greater Denton Arts Council	GDAC

Policy Recommendation	Lead Department(s)	Timeline
4E   Expand TIRZ	ED	Year 1
4G   Establish a PID	ED	Other Recommendations Are Dependent On These
<b>3B</b>   Encourage Downtown Living	ED, DS, PID, TIRZ	
4A   Utilize Policy and Regulation to Support Music and Nightlife*	ED, DS, PID	
<b>4C</b>   Expand Programs to Support Small Businesses	ED, DS, MSA, PID, TIRZ	Year 5
<b>3D</b>   Adopt Public Realm Guidelines and Zoning Recommendations	DS	Tear 5
<b>4E</b>   Expand on other Economic Development Tools	ED	
<b>3C</b>   Strengthen Historic Preservation Opportunities	DS	Complete As
<b>3E</b>   Pursue Opportunities for Transformative Projects	ED, PID, RE	Opportunities Arise
4D   Expand on Events	PID, MSA, PR	
* <b>4A</b>   Hire Night Major	ED, DS, PID	

#### Priority 1 (Year 1)

The top priorities focus on establishing additional revenue sources and clarifying how those additional revenues will be used.

#### Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone: Boundaries, Revenue, and Use of Funds

The Downtown Plan calls for an expansion of the boundaries of TIRZ #1. Along with the TIRZ expansion will come an increase in revenue and a need to create a new Project Plan that identifies eligible projects and allocates funds among different purposes.

The new Project Plan should include:

- Expanded boundaries phased approach if applicable
- Clarification of timeframe (longer timeframe)
- Projected revenue

The City should also clarify use of TIRZ funds, considering the following questions:

- a. Will TIRZ funds still be used for Downtown Reinvestment Grants and 380 Agreements?
- b. Will TIRZ funds be used for a new lowinterest loan program?
- c. Will TIRZ funds be used to incentivize private development and if so how?
- d. What public realm improvements and public infrastructure will be paid for with TIRZ revenue?
- e. How should TIRZ revenue be divided among all these goals?
- f. Should the City bond against TIRZ revenue?

#### **Public Improvement District**

The City should also move quickly to create a Public Improvement District (PID) for the core part of Downtown.

The City should:

- Determine the boundaries of the PID (which must win the support of both most property owners and most of the assessed value inside its boundaries).
- Develop PID revenue projections for the coming years.
- Determine what activities can be paid for with PID revenue. Activities that might be covered by PID revenue could include:
  - a. Ambassadors/safety programs
  - b. Marketing and events
  - c. Public realm maintenance

#### **Catalyst Fund**

The City has recently revamped some of its economic development incentive revenues into one fund called the Catalyst Fund. The Downtown Plan recommends setting aside a certain percentage of the Catalyst Fund for Downtown projects. The City should determine what percentage of the Catalyst Fund should be set aside for Downtown and what those funds should be used for, perhaps focusing especially on the Entrepreneur Tech Program. If Catalyst Funds citywide are intended to support major projects, the City may want to consider using the Downtown Catalyst Funds to incentivize large private development projects that will "catalyze" transformation of Downtown.

### **Catalyst Projects –**

#### **Initial Planning and Underwriting**

The Downtown Master Plan includes a series of catalytic developments that have been identified due to their strategic locations and ability to generate synergies in use and activity that may "seed" the larger plan goals. These include new development that better connects downtown to Quakertown Park across McKinney Street, forming stronger urban gateways between Carroll Blvd and the downtown square area through urban infill, forming a southern development district on the land reclaimed out of the floodplain around the new park space, forming a connection from the Square eastward through the current vacant parcel, and infill development around the Wells Fargo tower.

Many of these projects require private investment through the commercial real estate industry to be implemented, and some of these developments may have an economic gap between present market conditions and the City's desired outcomes that must be filled for the private development marketplace to advance. There are common areas where the various implementation tools available to the City can be utilized to help close such gaps including the partial funding of shared parking garages, the funding of required infrastructure and streetscape enhancements around key private developments, and writing down the cost of particular uses the City desires where appropriate.

To advance such projects, there is initial economic development work the City should do which includes prioritizing the developments,

clarifying and detailing the prioritized development concepts, and communicating the opportunity to the marketplace. With this as context, the following outline may be used to advance such developments.

- Identify any city-controlled obstacles impacting the potential implementation of each project, and devise strategies for how the City can remove said obstacles
- Prepare simple vision statements for each catalyst project with supporting technical data including what the City is willing to do in order to remove potential obstacles, this should include a simple financial gap analysis
- Identify existing land owners within each catalyst project area and arrange meetings to discuss their potential interest in participating in such implementation, either as principal, through land transaction, or in partnership with a developer
- Research similar projects in the North Texas region that have been implemented within the previous 10 years, and build a list of the developers that completed this work, with the goal being 5-10 developers per project type
- Hold informal discussions with these developers to present the information prepared on the projects deemed wellsuited to their experience, and gauge their interest in advancing forward with the City
- Identify 2-3 projects and coordinate meetings between related willing landowners and developers

#### **Priority 2 (Year 1-3)**

Priority 2 items focus on setting up longer-term revenue sources and setting up or highlighting tax-related incentives that individual property owners can take advantage of independent of the City. Denton will still need to maintain and move forward the funding mechanisms mentioned in Priority 1.

#### **Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE)**

The PACE program allows property owners access to low-cost financing for energy and water conservation improvements. The city should make an agreement with the Texas PACE Authority to set up the opportunity for Downtown property owners. Given the Economic Development Director's experience with the PACE program, this could be a Year 1 priority if it.

One innovative idea that emerged from the the ED Department has the capacity to execute Downtown Plan process was an informal "district" that would allow small businesses **Historic Tax Credits** downtown to obtain such benefits as lower insurance rates, common back-office HR and The City has two generous Historic Tax Credit programs that few Downtown property owners payroll services, and so forth. Possibly with a nonprofit partner, the City should pursue the have taken advantage of - one focused on creation of such a "district" for the benefit of "designated" historic structures and the other Downtown businesses. focused on "significant" historic structures. The City should promote the use of both Historic Tax **Catalyst Projects – Project Selections** Credits Downtown, especially in combination Work with the private development teams with other possible incentives and programs.

#### Affordable and Mixed Income Housing Tax Exemptions

The City recently established a Public Facilities Corporation, which will allow the City to partner with developers on affordable and mixed-use development projects by providing a property tax exemption. The City should identify developers and projects that could take advantage of this opportunity as part of the effort to add 1,500 housing units Downtown in the next decade.

#### **Parking Benefit District**

As part of the Downtown parking management effort, the City should create a Parking Benefit District that will collect revenue from the paid parking spaces that are created. At least part of that revenue should be returned to the Downtown for use there.

#### Small Business Benefit "District"

established during the underwriting phase to explore specific needs to advance, including the potential filling of reasonable economic gaps in order to finalize these developments for implementation.

#### **Priority 3 (3+ Years)**

Priority 3 items focus on very long-term efforts, such as efforts that facilitate private development projects that will take several years to come to fruition.

#### Use of City Land

The City's land on McKinney Street is an extremely valuable economic development asset, allowing the City not only to incentivize new development if necessary but also, as landowner, to identify and direct specifically what type of development is desired. In combination with the Quakertown Park plan and possible relocation of City offices, the City should use City-owned land strategically to incentivize the most important desired development. Due to the proximity of the park and municipal facilities, the City may consider the following strategies to accomplish the vision for this area set forth in the Downtown Plan.

- Explore the economic benefit that the contribution of land to a private development that achieves the public goals outlined in the Plan
- Explore the use of a shared parking garage that serves both public and private uses in order to reduce the cost of both development types
- Explore the use of the implementation tools identified in this section to achieve the desired development type and quality for this strategic location

#### **Qualified Hotel Project**

Denton desires a boutique hotel Downtown. If such a hotel is located within 1,000 feet of meeting space totaling 10,000 square feet or more, it can qualify for state sales and bed tax rebates. The City should consider including a hotel in the McKinney Street redevelopment and using the Qualified Hotel Project tax rebate as part of an incentive package to make the deal work.

#### **New Market Tax Credits**

New Market Tax Credits provide private businesses and developers with equity by offering tax credits that can be sold to private investors. The tax credits are only available in certain disadvantaged locations, but Downtown Denton qualifies. The funds can be used for a wide range of projects, including retail, marketrate and affordable housing, office buildings, and community facilities. Although most entities offering tax credits are community development entities, local governments can qualify. The City of Denton should qualify as an entity offering New Market Tax Credits and identify the projects best suited to use such tax credits.

#### HUD 108 Loan Guarantees

The City should identify critical Downtown projects that could qualify for HUD 108 loan guarantees and identify CDBG recipients that could assist in bringing this financing mechanism into key Downtown deals.

#### **Proactive Implementation Efforts**

In the past, the City has taken a largely demand-responsive approach to incentives for Downtown improvement, often using economic development incentives in isolation from one another. For example, the Downtown Reinvestment Grant program has funded oneoff improvements based on applications from property owners and business owners.

Where possible the City should take a more proactive approach to economic development, bundling incentives together to increase the likelihood that the Downtown Plan's goals will be achieved. This bundling can be done differently depending on the different entities to which the incentives might be targeted including current Downtown business owners, startup business owners, current Downtown property owners, and developers seeking to add new buildings and spaces to Downtown.

For example, current Downtown property owners seeking to upgrade their older buildings might bundle a Downtown Reinvestment Grant, an Historic Tax Credit, and a PACE energy and water conservation upgrade.

Similarly, current Downtown business owners might bundle a Downtown Reinvestment Grant, a low-interest loan (under a program yet to be created), and participation in the informal Small Business Benefit "District" that could reduce operational costs. Developers as well could benefit from bundled incentives, especially as the City seeks to redevelop its own property along East McKinney Street and/or encourage development in the southern part of Downtown.

For example, if the City pursues major redevelopment along East McKinney, it could bundle together a wide variety of incentives, including TIRZ funding for public improvements, city land at a below-market price for a parking garage and private development, Qualified Hotel Project tax rebates for a hotel in close proximity to meeting space, and New Market Tax Credits to provide low-cost equity for either commercial or residential parts of the project or both.

In southern downtown, TIRZ funds and New Market Tax Credits could be combined, possibly with additional financing from the city's Catalyst Fund, in order to make a project work. In either case, TIRZ funds and Parking Benefit District funds could be used for public realm improvements that would complement private development.

In each of these efforts, the City would be taking a more proactive role than it has historically utilized to see the Plan goals realized. And

- t, while such proactivity may include providing economic gap funding, it may also simply
- all take the form of the City brokering ideas and relationships between private interests around a desired common goal.

#### **Prioritizing Project Recommendations**

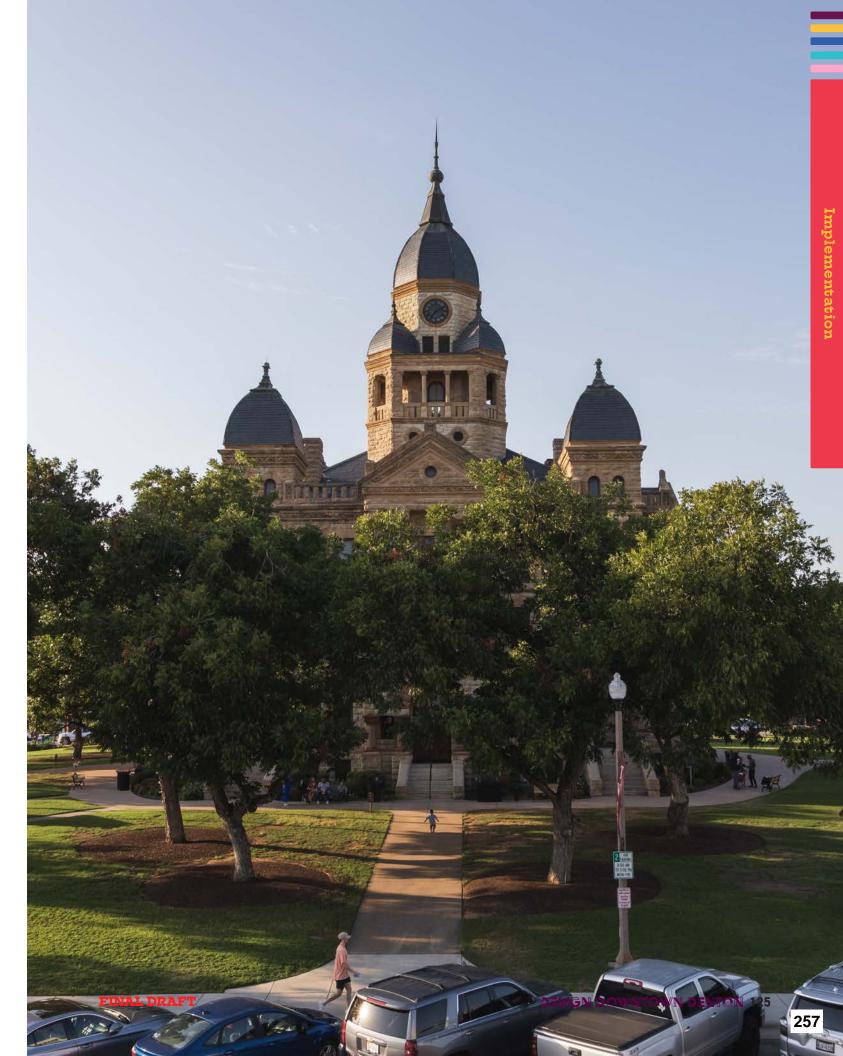
The recommendations were prioritized by:

- The level of community support,
- The overall cost, and
- Whether the recommendation depends on or catalyzes another project.

The below table outlines this in more detail and assigns a timeline range for each of the projects.

Department KeyDevelopment ServicesDSParks and RecreationPREconomic DevelopmentEDEngineering ServicesESStreets DivisionSDReal EstateRECapital Improvement ProjectsCIPPublic Improvement DistrictCIPTax Increment Reinvestment ZoneTIRZMain Street AssociationMSAGreater Denton Arts CouncilGDAC

<b>Project Recommendation</b>	Lead	Timeline
	Department(s)	
<b>2B</b>   Create New Park on the Square	PR, RE	Years 1-5
1B   Pilot Denton Chill Streets	CIP, DS, ES	
<b>1A</b>   Re-stripe Bell and McKinney	SD, DS	
<b>2G</b>   Develop a Public Art Plan for Downtown	PR	
<b>1D</b>   Improve Transit	DS, DCTA	
<b>2A</b>   Initiate Implementation of the Quakertown Park Plan	PR	
<b>2D</b>   Complete small improvements like lighting, trees and	DS, ES	
art <b>4D</b>   Branding and Advertising, Wayfinding Plan and	PID, MSA, PR	
Historic Interpretation		
<b>3A</b>   Develop Southern Downtown	ED, DS, RE	Years 6-10
<b>1C</b>   Improve Bike Connections	DS	
<b>2C</b>   Improve Utilization of Alleys	PID, PR	
2B   Other Pocket Park Improvements	PR, PID	
1A   Rebuild Carroll Boulevard	CID, DS, ES, PID, TIRZ	
<b>2D</b>   Redesigns that upgrade streets for closures for	CID, DS, ES, PID, TIRZ	
festivals and events 2E   Develop a new park in Southern Downtown	PR, RE	
<b>2F</b>   Partner with County to improve Historic Park	DS	Years 11-15
<b>4B</b>  Develop an Arts Center	ED, RE, CIP, PID, TIRZ,	
<b>4D</b>   Gateway Monuments	GDAC PID, TIRZ, DS, PR	



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Tool	Priority	Revenue Source	Clean & Safe / Ambassadors	Public Infrastructure	Public Realm Improvements		Support for Existing Downtown Businesses	Support For Commercial Property Owners	Support for Residential Property Owners	Incentivizing New Commercial Development	Incentivizing New Housing	Support for Startups Based Downtown
TIRZ	1	Tax Increment		•	•		•	•		•	•	
380 Agreements	1	TIRZ								•	•	
Downtown Reinvestment Grants	1	TIRZ					•	•				•
Low Interest Loans	1	TIRZ					•					
Public Improvement District	1	Property Assessment	•	•	•							
Catalyst Fund	1	Variety of citywide sources					•			•	•	•
PACE	2	Property Assessments				•		•				
Historic Tax Credits	2	Property Tax Exemptions						•	•			
Affordable Housing Tax Exemptions	2	Property Tax Exemptions									•	
Parking Benefit District	2	Parking revenue		•	•	•						
"Small Business Benefit District"	2	Business Owners				•	•					•
City Land	3	City Land Equity			•					•	•	
Qualified Hotel Project	3	State Sales and Bed Tax Rebates				•				•		
New Market Tax Credits	3	Federal Tax Credits								•		
HUD 108 Loan Guarantees	3	Community Development Block Grant Funds				-				•	•	
Tax Abatement (Ch.312 of the Texas Tax Code)	Existing	Tax Abatement						•	•			
Sales and Use Tax for Construction	Existing	Tax Rebate				-	•					
Water/Wastewater Utility Line Fund	Existing	Reimbursement						•	•			
Economic Growth Rider	Existing	Reduction in electrical demand charge					•	•	•			
Tourism Public Improvement District	Existing	Property Assessment					•					•

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#### ORDINANCE NO.\_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS, ADOPTING THE DESIGN DOWNTOWN DENTON PLAN AND AMENDING THE DENTON 2040 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN. THE DESIGN DOWNTOWN DENTON PLAN HAS AN APPROXIMATE BOUNDARY LINE OF CARROLL BOULEVARD TO THE WEST, EAGLE DRIVE TO THE SOUTH, BELL AVENUE AND MINGO ROAD TO THE EAST, AND A NORTHERN BOUNDARY GENERALLY ALONG COLLEGE STREET, TEXAS STREET, OAKLAND STREET, AND UNIVERSITY DRIVE, ENCOMPASSING APPROXIMATELY 767 ACRES IN THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (CA24-0003).

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2022, the City of Denton adopted the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan established goals, policies, and actions to manage growth, promote reinvestment, and improve the quality of life in the City for the next two decades; and

WHEREAS, the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan also established a strategy for planning and development for the City, including a key action to create area plans to supplement and amend the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan to guide localized community development decisions; and

WHEREAS, on April 5, 2022, City Council directed staff to proceed with the preparation of an updated area plan for Downtown Denton; and

WHEREAS, the development of the Design Downtown Denton Plan started in July 2023 with a kickoff meeting and area tour; and

WHEREAS, on August 15, 2023, the City Council approved a resolution authorizing the creation of the Downtown Plan Update Advisory Group and making appointments to the Advisory Group to provide representation of stakeholder interests within the Downtown Denton community; and

WHEREAS, the Design Downtown Denton Plan builds upon the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan, and provides a vision, community priorities, and recommended actions to guide Downtown Denton development over the next two decades, including in the areas of economic development, mobility, parks and open spaces, small business development, historic preservation, and infill development; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, Planning and Zoning Commission, and Parks Board held a joint work session on December 5, 2023 to review the vision and priorities for the Design Downtown Denton Plan; and

WHEREAS, through an extensive public engagement process involving the Advisory Group, residents, business owners, and other key stakeholders, a vision, community priorities, recommendations, and proposed actions were crafted to guide future community development decisions and public investments as the Design Downtown Denton Plan; and

WHEREAS, on August 14, 2024, the Planning and Zoning Commission held a public hearing and recommended \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the Design Downtown Denton Plan, including the vision, community priorities, recommendations, proposed actions, Project and Policy Recommendation Tables, Design Guidelines Table, and conceptual street sections; and

WHEREAS, the City Council at its meeting on \_\_\_\_\_\_ finds that the Design Downtown Denton Plan is in the best interests of the health, safety and general welfare of the citizens of Downtown Denton and the City of Denton, Texas; NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS HEREBY RESOLVES:

<u>SECTION 1</u>. The findings and recitations contained in the preamble of this ordinance are incorporated herein by reference as true.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. The Design Downtown Denton Plan sets a framework for future land use planning and decision making for the area that generally includes the area within an approximate boundary line of Carroll Boulevard to the west, Eagle Drive to the south, Bell Avenue and Mingo Road to the east, and a northern boundary generally along College Street, Texas Street, Oakland Street, and University Drive, encompassing approximately 767 acres in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas, as depicted on Exhibit A.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. The Denton City Council adopts the Design Downtown Denton Plan and its recommendations and implementation actions, as presented in Exhibit B, which hereby amends the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan.

<u>SECTION 4</u>. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid by any court, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

<u>SECTION 5</u>. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

The motion to approve this ordinance wa	as made by and
seconded by,	, the ordinance was passed and approved by the
following vote []:	

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Mayor Gerard Hudspeth:				
Vicki Byrd, District 1:				
Brian Beck, District 2:				
Paul Meltzer, District 3:				
Joe Holland, District 4:				
Brandon Chase McGee, At Large Place 5:				

Jill Jester, At Large Place 6:

PASSED AND APPROVED this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_ \_\_\_

ATTEST: LAUREN THODEN, CITY SECRETARY

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM: MACK REINWAND CITY ATTORNEY

BY:\_\_\_\_\_



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#### AGENDA CAPTION

Hold a public hearing and consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding a request by Brian Bridgewater of Manhard Consulting, on behalf of the property owner, for an Amending Specific Use Permit to allow for Multifamily Dwelling Uses on approximately 53.407 acres of land, generally located at the southeast corner of the intersection of Locust Street and Loop 288, in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas. (ASUP23-0001, Landmark at Locust Multifamily, Sean Jacobson)



### **City of Denton**

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#### AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Development Services

ACM: Cassey Ogden

**DATE:** August 14, 2024

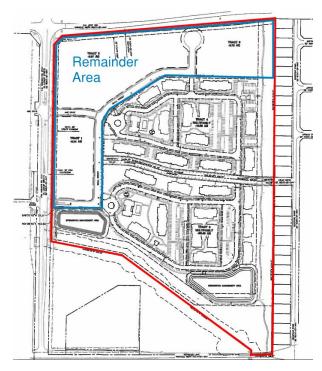
#### **SUBJECT**

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#### **BACKGROUND**

The request is for amendments to the site plan, landscape plan, and building elevations associated with Specific Use Permit (SUP) S21-0006 (Exhibit 6), which granted approval of a multifamily use, in the form of two adjacent multifamily developments on a portion of the subject property, which is zoned Suburban Corridor (SC). Additional details regarding the history of S21-0006 are provided below.

The purpose of the amendments is to redesign the proposed multifamily developments and associated infrastructure in order to expand the developable area on the remainder of the subject property located along Loop 288 and Locust Drive to facilitate potential future commercial development on that remainder.



Following approval of the original SUP (S21-0006b), the applicant and the owner of the remainder of the subject property determined that the remainder area left for potential non-residential development did not have sufficient property depth to be viable for retail pad sites thus needing to be increased (or widened). Therefore, in order to increase the depth of the remainder area of the subject property the applicant must amend the original SUP.

The inset image to the left shows the total area of the subject property outlined in red (53.407 acres) and the referenced remainder area (13.61 acres, excluding proposed right-of-way dedication) outlined and labeled in blue. The proposed redesign shown in the amended site plan (Exhibit 7) would convert the public street extensions shown in the original SUP into narrower private drive aisles within public access easements and shift the north-south drive aisle, which separates the proposed multifamily developments from the remainder of the subject property,

east, toward the multifamily lots. The effect of this change would be a decrease in the developable area of the multifamily use by approximately 1.42 acres and increasing the remainder area on the subject property by approximately 3.28 acres total. The amended Site Plan (Exhibit 7), Landscape Plan (Exhibit 8), and Building Elevations (Exhibit 9) propose other changes, detailed below under *Proposed Changes*, in order to account for the reduction in developable area for the multifamily use.

The original Specific Use Permit ordinance included detailed site and landscape plans and building elevations. While the original ordinance permitted certain types of minor changes to the approved plans to be administratively approved, the Director determined that the changes requested in the proposed amended Site and Landscape Plans and Building Elevation (Exhibits 7-9) exceed the limits of what can be approved administratively and will therefore require approval through the standard Specific Use Permit process per Section 2.5.2 of the 2019 DDC.

Below is a summary of the history of this project and how the proposed amendments to the SUP compare to the originally approved SUP plans (S21-0006b).

#### **Previous SUP and Proposed Changes**

#### SUP History

Specific Use Permit ordinance S21-0006, approved by City Council on November 15, 2022, authorized development of the subject site with a multifamily use in the form of two multifamily developments occupying approximately 36.49 acres, while approximately 3.3 acres was to be dedicated for right-of-way (ROW) extensions into the site, with a remaining approximately 13.61 acres left for future development under the Suburban Corridor zoning district along Loop 288 and Locust Drive.

The multifamily developments were proposed to include a total of 660 dwelling units in a total of 24 residential buildings, a walking trail in the electric easement along the east edge of the two developments, over 147,000 square feet of usable open space, and increased connectivity for neighboring residents through public sidewalks connecting the stub-out of Atlas Drive on the east side of the property all the way to Locust Drive on the west side of the property.

The Landscape Plan proposed landscape area and tree canopy exceeding minimum requirements and meeting all buffer requirements. The Building Elevations proposed the minimum three different types of building designs as required by the Denton Development Code.

The SUP conditions allowed for administrative approval of certain types of minor alterations to landscaping, amenities, mitigation plantings, and building elevation features, while providing for incorporation of the site, landscape, and building plans into the ordinance and requiring overall compliance with the approved designs. Additional conditions primarily provided requirements and flexibility provisions related to the design and timing of mobility infrastructure and infrastructure cost participation payments.

As discussed, the proposed amendments significantly exceed the type of minor changes that SUP ordinance S21-0006b authorized to be approved administratively, and therefore the amendments require approval through the standard Specific Use Permit process per Section 2.5.2 of the 2019 DDC. SUPs are valid for a permit of two years from the date of approval, so the original SUP is still in effect. Approval of this amendment would grant an additional two years from the date of amendment approval for construction of the multifamily use to get underway.

#### Proposed Changes

According to the applicant's narrative (Exhibit 10), following approval of the original SUP (S21-0006b), the applicant and the owner of the remainder of the subject property determined that the remainder area left for potential non-residential development did not have sufficient property depth to be viable for retail pad

sites, and thus needed to be increased (or widened). Therefore, in order to increase the depth of the remainder area of the subject property the applicant has proposed amended site, landscape, and building elevation plans, which are shown in Exhibits 7-9. The key proposed changes are discussed below:

The requested amendments would convert the proposed extensions of Beall Street and Ame Drive into privately maintained drive aisles with sidewalks located within public access easements. The original approved public street extensions had a primary pavement width of 33 feet within a 55-foot right-of-way, while the proposed privately maintained drive aisles have a primary pavement width of 27 feet within a 46-foot wide public access easement, providing sufficient fire response access and public access similar to other developments within the city. Modifying the drive aisles from publicly dedicated street rights-of-way to privately maintained access drive aisles allows for a land savings which can be allocated elsewhere in the development. Additionally, the north-south segment of these drive aisles is proposed to be shifted approximately 50 feet east, reducing the area allocated for the multifamily use. The combination of these two changes would increase the acreage of the remainder area from approximately 13.61 acres to 16.89 acres, an increase of approximately 3.28 acres.

Because the above amendments reduce the developable area for the multifamily use by approximately 1.42 acres, other amendments are also proposed to redesign the multifamily developments overall in order to adapt to the land area reduction, including amendments to the site plan, landscape plan, and building elevations.

The proposed amendments to the Site Plan include:

- Reducing the overall number of residential units proposed by 36 units,
- Reducing the number of proposed buildings by 1 building,
- Shifting the unit mix by reducing one-bedroom units by 102 units while increasing 2- and 3-bedroom units by 66 units,
- Increasing vehicle parking by 6 spaces and bike parking by 120 spaces to account for the proposed shift in unit mix; and
- Increasing usable open space is by 25,966 square feet, and adding enhanced amenities for residents are proposed in those open space areas.

The requested amendments to the site plan also propose changes to the design of the proposed drive aisles, driveways, and turn lanes. The previously approved SUP gave multiple options for the design of the right in, right out north driveway onto N Locust Street – the amended SUP provides a single design approved by City of Denton Transportation Services Division. The southern driveway at the intersection of Beall Street and N Locust Street is widened to add a second entry lane. The drive aisle extension north from the multifamily developments towards Loop 288 is replaced with a turnaround, to provide greater flexibility in the future design of that connection. The median proposed in N Locust Street, which in the original SUP would have prevented left turns from the extension of Ame Drive onto N Locust Street, is proposed to be eliminated, improving mobility for future drivers. Other design changes are proposed to adapt to the overall site redesign and to better align with City of Denton transportation plans and policies.

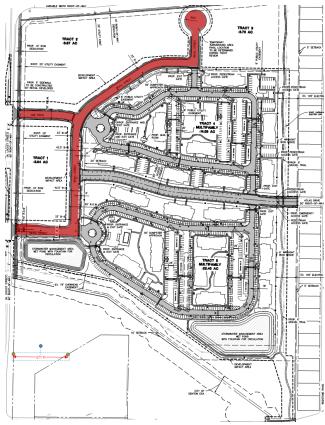
The proposed amended Landscape Plan reduces overall landscape area square footage by about 14,600 square feet, due to the proposed reduction of developable area within the multifamily developments, but slightly increases the percentage of the multifamily developments' land dedicated to landscape area. The redesigned planting layout includes an additional 44 large canopy trees and an increase in total tree canopy of over 55,000 square feet.

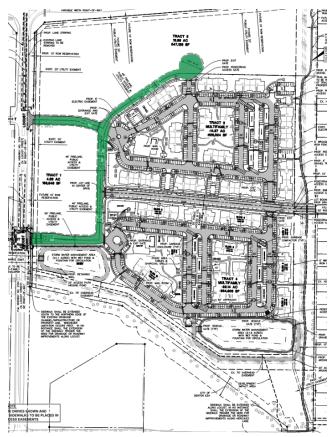
Finally, the proposed amended Building Elevations maintain the same building height but increase the number of building design variations from the minimum three to a total of six design variations.

Key changes are further summarized in the table below:

	Approved SUP (S21-0006b)	Proposed Amending SUP	Difference
Non-Multifamily	~13.61 acres	~16.89 acres	~3.28 more
<b>Remainder of Property</b>			acres
Area			
ROW Acreage	~3.3 acres	~0.0 acres	~3.3 less acres
Multifamily Developable	~36.55 acres	~35.13 acres	~1.42 less
Area			acres
Multifamily Units	660 units	624 units	36 less units
Multifamily Buildings	24	23	1 less building
Vehicle Parking	1,147	1,153	6 more spaces
Usable Open Space	~147,500 square feet	~173,466 square feet	~25,966 sf
			more area
Usable Open Space %	~9.27%	~10.9%	~1.6% higher
Landscape Area	~494,609 square feet	~479,985 square feet	~14, 624 sf
	_	_	decrease
Landscape Percentage	~32.2%	~32.9%	~0.7% higher
Tree Canopy Area	~572,726 square feet	~628,000 square feet	~55,274sf
-	-	_	more area
Tree Canopy %	42%	47%	~5% higher

The original SUP site plan is shown below on the left (original approved ROW location shown in red) while the proposed amended SUP site plan (proposed private drive aisle locations shown in green) is shown below on the right, illustrating the key changes to the drive aisle location (shifting ~50 feet east) and width (varies, but generally ~6 feet narrower):





Proposed SUP Amendment Site Plan

Original SUP (S21-0006b) Site Plan

In summary, the multifamily land use and site plan, landscape plan, and building elevations were approved by ordinance in 2022, and the use is still permitted under the current zoning with an approved SUP. Given that the multifamily use is already approved under the original SUP, this amendment request is related to the following items:

- Approval of amended Site Plan to adjust the internal circulation, building and unit mix, and associated parking as detailed above.
- Approval of amended Landscape Plan to reflect adjustments to the open space, landscape area, and expected mature tree canopy as detailed above.
- Approval of amended Building Elevations to add additional building design types.
- Revisions to conditions of approval to reflect changes in the attached plans and in the proposed design of transportation infrastructure.

A full Staff Analysis of the proposed Specific Use Permit Amendment is provided in Exhibit 2.

#### **OPTIONS**

- 1. Recommend Approval
- 2. Recommend Approval Subject to Conditions
- 3. Recommend Denial
- 4. Postpone Item

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends approval of the request, as it is consistent with the criteria in Section 2.4.5.E of the 2019 Denton Development Code (DDC) for approval of all applications, and Section 2.5.2.D of the DDC for approval of a Specific Use Permit Amendment, subject to the following conditions, which shall repeal and replace the conditions with which S21-0006b was originally approved:

- 1. The attached Site Plan, Landscape Plan, and Building Elevations reflect an intent to comply with the originally approved site plan and the 2019 DDC to the greatest extent possible.
  - a. Minor alterations to the depicted locations of the buildings, pedestrian pathways, open space amenity elements, and parking may be approved by City Staff, provided that the final plan complies with the attached Site Plan in terms of access, internal pedestrian connectivity, and number of amenities depicted in designated open space areas.
  - b. Minor alterations to the depicted locations and types of individual plantings, as well as increases to landscape area and percentage and number of trees and tree canopy percentage, may be approved by City staff, provided that the final landscaping, as planted and/or installed, complies with the attached Landscape Plan in terms of required landscape elements and overall tree canopy, as well as all applicable requirements of the current DDC.
  - c. Additional plantings and minor alterations to the Development Impact Area to provide mitigation for the impacts of the proposed trail and the proposed sidewalk along Hercules Lane to the Environmentally Sensitive Area (ESA) on the property may be administratively approved by city staff as part of the Civil Engineering Plans for this development, as long as such mitigation is in accordance with all standards of the Denton Development Code. Final determination of ESA location and exact nature of mitigation shall be approved with the Civil Engineering Plans for this development. This condition does not preclude the project from requiring approval of an Alternative ESA Plan if the scope of impacts to the ESA exceed the administrative allowances provided for in the DDC.

- 2. The attached building elevations reflect an intent to comply with the DDC requirements, as amended, for building mass and form, percentage of windows and doors on a façade, and provision of architectural features to highlight entrances and provide visual interest. They are incorporated as requirements of the SUP.
  - a. Elevations at the time of permitting shall be consistent with the attached elevations in terms of architectural style and details, specific architectural features that highlight entrances such as ornamental lights and canopies, provision of balconies or patios to articulate individual units, use of recesses, awnings, and changes in material to break up the façade vertically and horizontally and to articulate collections of units at intervals not to exceed 44 feet horizontally or 2 stories vertically, and delineation of the first floor with a change of material and horizontal banding.
  - b. Minor alterations to individual window size and location may be approved by City staff, as long as:
    - i. The style of windows, and the style and number of doors, on each façade is consistent with the attached elevations
    - ii. All buildings fronting on a public or private street have entrances facing the public or private street
    - iii. Windows and doors make up either at least the DDC-required percentage for facades facing a public or private street or, for facades not facing a public or private street, at least 11.5% of the side facades and 25.5% of the front and the rear façades, and windows and doors on all facades comply with all DDC standards.
  - c. Garage elevations shall feature two dormer windows on each front and rear elevation and a horizontal change in material type on each façade.
- 3. The attached site plan and landscape plan are incorporated as requirements of the SUP. Staff shall have the ability to approve an increase or decrease of up to 5% of any of the amounts specified in requirements a-c, provided all applicable requirements of the DDC are met.
  - a. Three-hundred and eighteen (318) dwelling units on the North Tract and three-hundred and six (306) dwelling units on the South Tract.
  - b. 156 one-bedroom units, 132 two-bedroom units, and 36 3-bedroom units on the North Tract and 156 one-bedroom units, 114 two-bedroom units, and 30 three-bedroom units on the South Tract.
  - c. 592 parking spaces on the North Tract, and 561 parking spaces on the South Tract, are proposed for the multi-family development indicated on the site plan. Parking may shift to accommodate a change in the unit mixture but shall be in accordance with the requirements of the DDC and within the range of staff approvability.
- 4. All street, sidewalk, trail, drive aisle, and infrastructure elements that are included in Phase 1 as depicted in the Site Plan (Exhibit 7) shall be constructed in accordance with the Site Plan, and approved by the City of Denton, prior to release of any certificate of occupancy for any multifamily building proposed on this property, though staff may approve minor changes (25' or less) in the location of these streets, sidewalks, trails, drive aisles, and/or infrastructure elements, as long as the final design is in accordance with the standards of the DDC and City criteria manuals.
- 5. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, the developer shall construct the traffic mitigation measures shown in Exhibit 7, Sheet C0.4, at the intersection of N Locust Street and Ame Drive. If the design shown in Exhibit 7, Sheet C0.5, is not acceptable to TXDOT, the City of Denton staff

shall have the authority to approve alternative traffic mitigation measures for the intersection of Ame Drive, subject to the approval of TXDOT, without requiring an SUP amendment, as long as the approved mitigation measures comply with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City criteria manuals. Traffic mitigation measure(s) for the intersection of Ame Drive and N Locust Street, approved by staff and TXDOT, must be constructed prior to issuance of Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.

- 6. Minor alterations in design and location of sidewalk, curb, and gutter along Hercules Lane, including the potential expansion of the sidewalk into a 10-foot wide trail, and in the location of the proposed gravel trail, may be necessary, and staff may approve such minor alterations, as long as the final design and locations are in accordance with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City's adopted criteria manuals.
- 7. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, a traffic signal at the intersection of Beall Street and N Locust Street shall be constructed by the developer of Tracts 3 and 4 and shall be complete and accepted by the City of Denton prior to issuance of any Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.
- 8. Prior to approval of any Final Plat for this development, the developer shall pay to the City of Denton the proportion of the cost of a traffic signal at North Locust Street and Loop 288 that was determined by the Traffic Impact Analysis for this development (TIA21-0016) to be the responsibility of the multifamily developer, based on the traffic projected to be generated by this development.
- 9. Notwithstanding the limited administrative approvals authorized in the above conditions, the City reserves the right to require approval by ordinance of any amendments or alterations to the SUP, the attached Site Plan, the attached Landscape Plan, and the attached Building Elevations.
- 10. Following the approval of this SUP for a multifamily use on this property, all other uses permitted within the Suburban Corridor (SC) zoning district by the 2019 DDC, as amended, shall continue to be permitted on this property, subject to the limitations placed on the development of those uses by the 2019 DDC, as amended.
- 11. The zoning map shall reflect the Specific Use Permit on the property consistent with the Post-Decision Action Steps for Specific Use Permits in the 2019 DDC.

Date	Council,	Request	Action
	Board,		
	Commission		
February 5, 2002	City Council	Citywide rezoning from Agricultural and SF-10 to Neighborhood Residential 6 (NR-6), Neighborhood Residential 3 (NR-3), and Community Mixed-Use General (CM-G)	Approved
June 26, 2019	Planning and Zoning Commission	City-Initiated Rezoning from NR-6, NR-3, and CM-G to Suburban Corridor (SC) District	Recommended Approval

#### PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

July 23, 2019	City Council	City-Initiated Rezoning from NR-6, NR-3, and CM-G to Suburban Corridor (SC) District	Approved
October 26, 2022	Planning and Zoning Commission	Specific Use Permit for Multifamily Use	Recommended Approval
November 15, 2022	City Council	Specific Use Permit for Multifamily Use	Approved

#### **PUBLIC OUTREACH:**

Seventy-one notices were sent to property owners within 200 feet of the subject property. One hundred and sixty-eight courtesy notices were sent to physical addresses within 500 feet of the subject property. As of the writing of this report, staff has received five responses in opposition. The notification map and opposition letters are provided in Exhibit 11.

A notice was published in the Denton Record Chronicle on July 28, 2024.

A notice was published on the City's website on July 25, 2024.

Six (6) signs were posted on the property on July 30, 2024.

The developer held a neighborhood meeting on September 27, 2023, which was attended by 10 neighbors. The sign-in sheet and the developer's report on the meeting is attached as part of Exhibit 11.

#### **DEVELOPER ENGAGEMENT DISCLOSURES**

No developer contact disclosures have been provided to staff from members of this body as of the issuance of this report.

#### **EXHIBITS**

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Staff Analysis
- 3. Site Location Map
- 4. Zoning Map
- 5. Future Land Use Map
- 6. Ordinance S21-0006b
- 7. Proposed Site Plan
- 8. Proposed Landscape Plan
- 9. Proposed Building Elevations
- 10. Applicant Project Narrative
- 11. Notification Map and Public Engagement
- 12. Draft Ordinance
- 13. LLC Membership

Respectfully submitted: Tina Firgens, AICP Deputy Director of Development Services/ Planning Director

### **Planning Staff Analysis** S23-0001/Landmark at Locust Multifamily City Council District #2

#### **REQUEST:**

Request for an amendment to the Specific Use Permit (S21-0006b), which granted approval for multifamily dwelling uses on approximately 53.407 acres of land.

#### **OWNER:**

Landmark at Denton LLC and Melvin Haisler

#### **APPLICANT:**

Brian Bridgewater of Manhard Consulting

#### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends **approval** of the requested Specific Use Permit (SUP) Amendment with the following conditions, which will repeal and replace the approval conditions of the original approved SUP (S21-0006b) on the subject property:

- 1. The attached Site Plan, Landscape Plan, and Building Elevations reflect an intent to comply with the originally approved site plan and the 2019 DDC to the greatest extent possible.
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- 2. The attached building elevations reflect an intent to comply with the DDC requirements, as amended, for building mass and form, percentage of windows and doors on a façade, and provision of architectural features to highlight entrances and provide visual interest. They are incorporated as requirements of the SUP.
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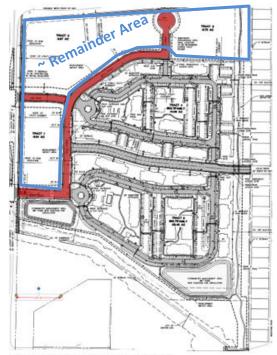
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- iii. Windows and doors make up either at least the DDC-required percentage for facades facing a public or private street or, for facades not facing a public or private street, at least 11.5% of the side facades and 25.5% of the front and the rear façades, and windows and doors on all facades comply with all DDC standards.
- c. Garage elevations shall feature two dormer windows on each front and rear elevation and a horizontal change in material type on each façade.
- 3. The attached site plan and landscape plan are incorporated as requirements of the SUP. Staff shall have the ability to approve an increase or decrease of up to 5% of any of the amounts specified in requirements a-c, provided all applicable requirements of the DDC are met.
  - a. Three-hundred and eighteen (318) dwelling units on the North Tract and three-hundred and six (306) dwelling units on the South Tract.
  - b. 156 one-bedroom units, 132 two-bedroom units, and 36 3-bedroom units on the North Tract and 156 one-bedroom units, 114 two-bedroom units, and 30 three-bedroom units on the South Tract.
  - c. 592 parking spaces on the North Tract, and 561 parking spaces on the South Tract, are proposed for the multi-family development indicated on the site plan. Parking may shift to accommodate a change in the unit mixture but shall be in accordance with the requirements of the DDC and within the range of staff approvability.
- 4. All street, sidewalk, trail, drive aisle, and infrastructure elements that are included in Phase 1 as depicted in the Site Plan (Exhibit 7) shall be constructed in accordance with the Site Plan, and approved by the City of Denton, prior to release of any certificate of occupancy for any multifamily building proposed on this property, though staff may approve minor changes (25' or less) in the location of these streets, sidewalks, trails, drive aisles, and/or infrastructure elements, as long as the final design is in accordance with the standards of the DDC and City criteria manuals.
- 5. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, the developer shall construct the traffic mitigation measures shown in Exhibit 7, Sheet C0.4, at the intersection of N Locust Street and Ame Drive. If the design shown in Exhibit 7, Sheet C0.5, is not acceptable to TXDOT, the City of Denton staff shall have the authority to approve alternative traffic mitigation measures for the intersection of Ame Drive, subject to the approval of TXDOT, without requiring an SUP amendment, as long as the approved mitigation measures comply with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City criteria manuals. Traffic mitigation measure(s) for the intersection of Ame Drive and N Locust Street, approved by staff and TXDOT, must be constructed prior to issuance of Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.
- 6. Minor alterations in design and location of sidewalk, curb, and gutter along Hercules Lane, including the potential expansion of the sidewalk into a 10-foot wide trail, and in the location of the proposed gravel trail, may be necessary, and staff may approve such minor alterations, as long as the final design and locations are in accordance with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City's adopted criteria manuals.
- 7. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, a traffic signal at the intersection of Beall Street and N Locust Street shall be constructed by the developer of Tracts 3 and 4 and shall be complete and accepted by the City of Denton prior to issuance of any Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.
- 8. Prior to approval of any Final Plat for this development, the developer shall pay to the City of Denton the proportion of the cost of a traffic signal at North Locust Street and Loop 288 that was determined by the Traffic Impact Analysis for this development (TIA21-0016) to be the

responsibility of the multifamily developer, based on the traffic projected to be generated by this development.

- 9. Notwithstanding the limited administrative approvals authorized in the above conditions, the City reserves the right to require approval by ordinance of any amendments or alterations to the SUP, the attached Site Plan, the attached Landscape Plan, and the attached Building Elevations.
- 10. Following the approval of this SUP for a multifamily use on this property, all other uses permitted within the Suburban Corridor (SC) zoning district by the 2019 DDC, as amended, shall continue to be permitted on this property, subject to the limitations placed on the development of those uses by the 2019 DDC, as amended.
- 11. The zoning map shall reflect the Specific Use Permit on the property consistent with the Post-Decision Action Steps for Specific Use Permits in the 2019 DDC.

#### SITE DATA:

The subject site is comprised of approximately 53.407 acres of undeveloped land generally located at the southeast corner of the intersection of Locust Street and Loop 288. The property is zoned Suburban Corridor (SC), and is currently undeveloped. The two multifamily developments approved on the subject property by the original SUP (S21-0006b), the developable area of which are proposed to be reduced by this SUP amendment request, occupy approximately the southeast two-thirds of the site, as shown in Exhibit 7. The remainder of the subject site, outside of the proposed multifamily developments, occupies approximately the northwestern third of the site, and is proposed to be expanded by this SUP amendment request (*see current and proposed layout below, with the remainder areas called out in blue for comparison*). The subject site has right-of-way frontage on Loop 288 and N Locust Street to the north and west, respectively. A single-family residential neighborhood adjoins the property to the east, and a residential street, Atlas Drive, dead-ends into the subject site. Along the majority of the eastern boundary, a 105-foot-wide electric easement separates that adjoining neighborhood from the boundary fence of the proposed multifamily development.



Original SUP (S21-0006b) Site Plan



Proposed SUP Amendment Site Plan

The subject property contains FEMA 500-year floodplain, and the site, including the onsite detention proposed by the developer, will be designed to comply with all City of Denton drainage and floodplain standards. A Riparian Buffer ESA is located along the southwestern boundary of the property. The only development activities proposed within the ESA are the addition of the gravel walking path, and the construction of the public sidewalk, curb, and gutter along Hercules Lane, both of which are permitted within the ESA. The exact boundaries of the ESA and the mitigation for any impact of the trail and sidewalk on the ESA will be finalized and approved with Civil Engineering Plans for this project.

#### SURROUNDING ZONING AND USES:

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Northwest:	North:	Northeast:
Zoning: Planned Development	Zoning: SC	Zoning: Residential 4 (R4)
(PD) and Master Planned	Use: Undeveloped and Loop	Use: Single-Family Residential
Community (MPC)	288 ROW	and Loop 288 ROW
Use: Undeveloped and Loop		-
288 right-of-way (ROW)		
West:		East:
Zoning: Public Facilities (PF)		Zoning: R4
and PD	SUBJECT PROPERTY	Use: Single-Family Residential
Use: Undeveloped and Electric		
Infrastructure		
Southwest:	South:	Southeast:
Zoning: SC	Zoning: SC, PF, and R3	Zoning: R4
Use: Institutional and	Uses: Single-Family	Use: Single-Family Residential,
Undeveloped	Residential, Undeveloped, and	Church, and Hercules Lane
_	Electric Infrastructure	ROW

#### **CONSIDERATIONS:**

- A. Section 2.4.5.E of the DDC provides approval criteria applicable to all applications.
  - 1. General Criteria
    - a. Unless otherwise specified in this DDC, City review and decision-making bodies must review all development applications submitted pursuant to this subchapter for compliance with the general review criteria stated below. The review criteria were applied as required.
    - b. The application may also be subject to additional review criteria specific to the type of application, as set forth in sections 2.5 through 2.9.

Section 2.5.2 of the DDC applies to SUP Amendment requests. An analysis of this request per those criteria can be found below in Consideration B.

c. If there is a conflict between the general review criteria in this section and the specific review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9, the applicable review criteria in sections 2.5 through 2.9 controls.

There are no conflicts between the general criteria and the criteria specific for Specific Use Permits, or in this case a Specific Use Permit Amendment.

2. Prior Approvals

The proposed SUP amendment is consistent with the permitted uses and development standards of the approved Specific Use Permit (S21-0006b) and the permitted uses within the current SC zoning. The proposal will not introduce any new use nor increase the development scale of the approved multifamily use.

- 3. Consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and Other Applicable Plans The decision–making authority:
  - *a. Shall weigh competing goals, policies, and strategies.* There are no competing goals, policies, or strategies with this proposal.

b. May approve an application that furthers the overall goals of the Comprehensive Plan even if the development does not match the future land use designation in the Comprehensive Plan.

Per the Denton Plan 2040 Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use Map, the subject property is primarily designated as **Community Mixed Use**, and partially designated as Low Residential.

Community Mixed Use is intended to promote a mix of uses, of which various commercial uses remain predominant, where residential, service, and other uses are complimentary. This land use applies to existing and future commercial areas in the city, where redevelopment to mixed-use is desirable. The intent is to encourage a more diverse and attractive mix of uses over time. Future development in Community Mixed Use areas will complement and embrace existing, viable uses, and raise the standard of design to increase their economic viability, accommodate greater connectivity and mobility options, and create a sense of place to serve the local community. Typical types of development may include retail, service, midsize offices, employers, and high-to-moderate density housing. Diverse uses shall be located in proximity to one another so that all uses are accessible from a single stop by walking or bicycling. The character of this area should be maintained by ensuring that new development is sensitive to the surrounding built and natural context in scale and form. New development should complement and embrace existing, viable uses, and raise the standard of design to increase their economic viability and accommodate greater connectivity and mobility options.

The proposed SUP amendment is consistent with goals of the Community Mixed Use designation. It proposes to amend the plan approved with the original SUP to increase the remainder area available for potential future commercial development, while still providing the complementary multifamily residential base, as well as mobility infrastructure, which will, overall, make the creation of a future overall mixed-use area at the intersection of N Locust Street and Loop 288 more viable. The proposed amended design, which would convert the original proposed public street extensions of Beall Street and Ame Drive into privately maintained drive aisles within access easements, will still create greater walkability and improved mobility in the area. The amended design will still extend public access into the site, and provide for construction of a traffic signal at Locust and Beall Streets. Additionally, the amended design retains full pedestrian connections, via a sidewalk and walking path in access easements, between N Locust Street and the stub-out of Atlas Drive connecting the neighborhood to the east of the site, allowing these residents to walk to the potential future mixed-use development at the intersection of N Locust Street and Loop 288.

Additionally, the requested SUP amendment proposes to increase the land area remaining at the intersection of N Locust Street and Loop 288 for potential future commercial development, thereby making it more likely to be a viable development. By making the commercial element of a potential future mixed-use area on this site more viable, the amended SUP plan is thereby even more supportive of and compatible with the abovementioned intent of the Community Mixed-Use Future Land Use designation for the subject property than was the originally approved SUP plan.

This site is partially designated as **Low Residential**, due to overlap from surrounding residential areas to the east and transitioning the land use recommendations from east to west onto the subject property. This designation mostly overlaps with the electric easement and green space that buffers the proposed development from the adjacent neighborhood on the east side of the subject property. Otherwise, the subject property is primarily designated as Community Mixed-Use and as explained above, the proposed SUP amendment is consistent with this land use recommendation.

#### **Corridor Focus Area – Preferred Growth Scenario**

The subject property is located within a Corridor Focus Area, as shown in Figure 4.1 of the Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan. Per 4.17.2 of Denton 2040 Comprehensive Plan, the

design and development intensity of Corridor Focus Area should be determined by the Future Land Use Map and the development regulations of the underlying zoning district. Based on the primary Future Land Use Designation of Community Mixed-Use, the area is intended to support a mixed-use area containing commercial, retail, and residential uses within proximity. The development regulations of the SC zoning district permit moderate to high-intensity development of a mix of uses, including multifamily with an SUP, as long as there is appropriate buffering of adjacent neighborhoods.

#### **Preferred Land Preservation Plan**

The Preferred Land Preservation Map identifies the Riparian Buffer ESA along the south edge of the site as an area where preservation is desired, and this plan proposes to avoid impact on the ESA, except for the construction of the gravel walking trail and construction of pedestrian infrastructure along Hercules Lane.

#### Wildlife Corridors

The City's Wildlife Corridor Map, which highlights the likely paths wildlife would be expected to traverse through the City based on where ESA, floodplain, and other opens spaces are known to exist, similarly identifies the Riparian Buffer ESA as a potential wildlife corridor. The impacts of the proposed development to this corridor would be limited as noted above.

- 4. *Compliance with this DDC* 
  - a. The proposed development shall comply with all applicable standards in this DDC, unless the standard is to be lawfully modified.

This SUP amendment request complies with all applicable standards for development in the DDC. All subsequent development on this site will comply with all applicable standards in the DDC.

b.*Compliance with these standards is applied at the level of detail required for the subject submittal.* 

The applicant has provided detailed plans (Exhibit 7-9) in conformance with the application submittal requirements. The plans have been reviewed for conformance with the original Specific Use Permit and 2019 development standards.

5. Compliance with Other Applicable Regulations

The site plan, landscape plan, and building elevations indicate that the proposal complies with all provisions of the 2019 DDC. At the time of platting and civil engineering plan reviews, the development will be required to comply with the City's criteria manuals for roadway, utility, and drainage improvements.

6. *Consistent with Interlocal and Development Agreements* There are no interlocal or development agreements for the subject site.

#### 7. Minimizes Adverse Environmental Impacts

Approximately 17 acres of the subject property is within FEMA 500-year floodplain, which has a 1% annual chance of flooding. In the amended SUP site plan, the developer is still proposing onsite detention in two wet drainage ponds, and the overall multifamily developments and associated infrastructure have been designed to comply with all City of Denton floodplain and drainage standards as reviewed at the SUP stage. Final drainage plans, grading, and engineering work will be reviewed within the Civil Engineering Plans to ensure that the requirement is met that the development causes no negative impacts downstream and on adjacent properties.

A Riparian Buffer ESA is located along the southwestern boundary of the property. The amended SUP plan has proposed no changes to the plan approved in the original SUP which will increase the impact of the proposed development on the ESA. The only development activities proposed within the ESA are, as they were in the originally approved SUP plan, the addition of a gravel walking path and the construction of the public sidewalk, curb, and gutter along Hercules Lane, both of which are permitted encroachments within the ESA. The exact boundaries of the ESA and mitigation for any impact of the trail and sidewalk on the ESA will be proposed, finalized, and approved with Civil Engineering Plans for this project.

#### 8. Minimizes Adverse Impacts on Surrounding Property

The subject property is zoned Suburban Corridor (SC), which is intended to provide moderateto high-intensity commercial, office, and retail uses along high-traffic corridors. While the SC district is primarily auto-oriented, it provides a safe environment for pedestrians and cyclists. Multifamily development is permitted in the SC District with the approval of a SUP and compliance with use-specific standards in Subchapter 5.3.3.D.

The proposed amendment to the plans approved with the original SUP reduces the impact on the remainder property adjacent to the proposed multifamily development, expanding that remainder area and thereby making it more viable for potential commercial development as part of an overall future mixed use-area, alongside the proposed multifamily development which can support and encourage commercial development by increasing the available housing, within walking distance, for future employees and patrons.

While the originally proposed street extensions are now proposed to be private drive aisles typical of a commercial or mixed-use development, they will still mitigate traffic impacts by providing two exits out of this site onto N Locust Street, helping to disperse outbound traffic. Another key change in the amended SUP plan is that a median is no longer proposed to be added in N Locust Street at its intersection with Ame Drive and the proposed north driveway of this development. The removal of the median from the plan will reduce the negative impact on residents living along Ame Drive, whom the median in the original SUP plan would have prevented from ever being able to turn north on N Locust Street. Additionally, in the amended SUP plan, the applicant is still proposing to construct a traffic signal at the proposed southern driveway of the development, on N Locust Street at the intersection with Beall Street, helping to manage traffic flow into and out of the site. Finally, in line with the request of the residents of the single-family neighborhood to the east, the amended plan still proposes only pedestrian and emergency vehicle access on Atlas Drive between the proposed multifamily development and that neighborhood.

The amended SUP plan proposes no changes to the buffer approved in the original SUP plan between the multifamily developments and the single-family residential neighborhood to the east. Potential visual impacts on the single-family neighborhood to the east are proposed to be mitigated by this required buffering, including large canopy trees, preserved trees, and an additional 5 feet of minimum buffer width (for a total buffer width of 15 feet). Required buffers are also still provided on the boundary between the multifamily development and the institutional property to the southwest, and between the multifamily development and the possible future commercial tracts to the northwest.

#### 9. Minimizes Adverse Fiscal Impacts

No Fiscal Impact Analysis was conducted because, when compared with the approved SUP (S21-0006b), this amended plan for the multifamily developments is similar in the number of residents proposed, while potentially reducing the fiscal impact of the multifamily developments by converting streets that would have become the responsibility of city to maintain into private drive aisles that will be maintained at the expense of the property owners. The proposed amendment to the approved SUP is, therefore, not anticipated to create substantial negative fiscal impacts.

#### 10. Compliance with Utility, Service, and Improvement Standards

This proposed SUP amendment will not affect this proposed multifamily development project from complying with utility, service, and improvement standards that would be required of any developing use on the property. When the project is developed, the details of these improvements will be reviewed during the platting and civil engineering phase—at that time the plans will be reviewed to ensure compliance with all applicable technical standards.

#### 11. Provides Adequate Road Systems

The applicant submitted and received approval of a Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) for the previously approved SUP (S21-0006b) for this property. The TIA provided the following trip generation numbers for the subject property:

Land Use	Use Size		AM/PM Peak
Existing Land Use	Undeveloped	0	0/0
Proposed Multifamily 708 Units		4772	163/201
Trip Generation Change	e Total	+4772	+ 163/201

The TIA was completed for the development approved by the previous SUP (anticipating 708 dwelling units instead of the now-proposed 624) as well as for that development plus possible future commercial developments on the northwest third of the property along Loop 288 and N Locust Street.

Given that the requested SUP amendment proposes less units than the previously approved development, with the same layout of access points onto the public street, staff determined that the changes proposed did not justify requiring a new TIA for the SUP amendment. The recommended mitigation requirements from the previously approved SUP are carried forward in this SUP amendment unchanged and are discussed below.

The TIA for the previously approved SUP indicated that the proposed developments are expected to have some significant impacts on the surrounding roadway network that require mitigation. The mitigation required for the projected traffic impact of the multifamily development will need to be provided prior to the issuance of certificates of occupancy for the multifamily development.

Due to the projected impact of this development on the intersection of N Locust Street and Beall Street, where the development's south driveway intersects N Locust Street, the developer will be required to construct a traffic signal at this intersection.

Due to the projected low Level of Service for the intersection of N Locust Street and Ame Drive, where the north driveway of the proposed development will access N Locust Street, the developer will be required to construct traffic mitigation measures to improve the level of service, which must receive final approval from the City of Denton and TXDOT. The amended SUP improves on the originally approved SUP (S21-0006) by replacing the two possible designs shown in the original SUP site plan with one design which was given preliminary approval by the City of Denton. It will still be subject to final review and approval with the Civil Engineering Plan review. The traffic mitigation will be required to be constructed prior to issuance of certificates of occupancy for the multifamily development.

The proposed multifamily development is also projected to impact the intersection of N Locust Street and Loop 288 and will therefore be required, at time of approval of Civil Engineering Plans for the multifamily tracts, to pay a portion of the cost of a future traffic signal at that intersection equal to the anticipated proportionate impact of the multifamily traffic on the intersection.

The proposed development is not anticipated to have a significant negative impact on the intersection of Hercules Lane and N Locust Street, so no mitigation is required for this intersection.

#### 12. Provides Adequate Public Services and Facilities

The following is an analysis of other public services and facilities necessary to serve the proposal. They remain essentially unchanged from what was required for the originally approved SUP (S21-0006b), with some exceptions noted below.

#### **Pedestrian Mobility**

The only change that the amending SUP proposes to the pedestrian infrastructure approved with SUP S21-0006b is that the sidewalks which would have run alongside extensions of public streets into the proposed development will now run along private drive aisles. Outside of that change, the proposed development will provide the same extensive pedestrian mobility infrastructure as shown in the originally approved SUP site plan.

The multifamily development will be responsible for providing a 10-foot-wide public sidewalk along N Locust Street south of the southerly driveway across from Beall Street and a 5-foot-wide sidewalk along the south side of the private street connecting to that driveway (as shown on Exhibit 7). Both a 5-foot-wide public sidewalk and a 5-foot-wide public trail connection will also be provided through the proposed development, in a public access easement, from the stub out of Atlas Drive on the east side of the multifamily tracts to the sidewalk along the private drive aisles on the west side of the multifamily tracts, which connect to the N Locust Street sidewalk. A sidewalk will also be constructed along the limited Hercules Lane frontage of the property, which connects via a gravel walking trail to the public sidewalk and trail to be constructed between Atlas Drive and the private streets that connect to N Locust Street.

#### Parks

The subject site is located 0.75 miles from North Point Park. With the addition of the signal at Beall Street and North Locust Street, it should be possible to safely travel to that park, via sidewalks, signalized intersections, or stop-controlled intersections on neighborhood streets, in approximately 16 minutes. The subject site is also located approximately 0.6 miles from Evers Park, which equates to an approximately 5-minute drive. Sidewalk connections are not available for the duration of the distance between the subject property and Evers Park for safe pedestrian access.

In addition, the applicant is proposing the following onsite recreational amenities:

- A clubhouse with a pool on each of the North and South tracts; and,
- Approximately 2,000 linear feet of walking trail that travels through an open green space and along a pond with a fountain.
- Overall open space areas, with numerous benches and walking paths, set aside for active and passive recreation, will encompass over 8% of the land area.

Additionally, in order to provide for adequate parks, all residential developments must provide the following:

- Dedicated park land or fees paid in lieu of dedication. Dedication fees are assessed prior to the filing of the plat and are based upon a formula that follows the standard of two and one-half acres of park land per one thousand population.
- Park development fee. A park development fee for each multi-family dwelling is required with every building permit.
- The official assessment of any park-related fees will occur during final platting.

#### Schools

The subject site remains located within the attendance zone of Ginnings Elementary, Strickland Middle School, and Ryan High School. The SUP amendment is anticipated to potentially reduce the impact of the proposed developments on the surrounding schools, due to the proposed reduction in dwelling units. Approximately 75 elementary students (versus 80 in the original approved SUP plan), 32 middle school students (versus 33 in the original approved SUP plan), and 38 high school students (versus 40 in the original approved SUP plan) are expected to be generated by this development. Denton ISD is anticipated to be able to accommodate the slightly

lower level of growth expected to be generated by this development when compared to that anticipated with the original approved SUP.

#### **Nearest Fire Station**

The subject property is approximately 1.7 miles from the Fire Station #4 (2116 East Sherman Drive), within the eight-minute or less response time boundary.

13. Rational Phasing Plan

The SUP amendment does propose a two-part phasing plan, which is rationally designed, requiring the construction of all necessary mobility infrastructure for Phase 1 (the southern multifamily development), as well as the full walking trail and both detention ponds, to be completed with that phase. Infrastructure proposed to be constructed with Phase 2 (northern multifamily development) is only that infrastructure which is specifically necessitated by and intended to serve that phase. The exact breakdown of the areas of the development intended to be constructed in Phase 1 and Phase 2 can be seen in the Site Plan (*See attached Exhibit 7*).

- B. Section 2.5.2.C.6.c of the DDC states that an application for an expansion or enlargement of an SUP shall require a new application. Section 2.5.2D of the DDC states that in reviewing a proposed SUP, the Planning and Zoning Commission and City Council shall consider the general approval criteria in Subsection 2.4.5E and whether:
  - 1. The specific use proposed is compatible with the surrounding area;

The requested SUP amendment, by proposing to increase the area remaining at the intersection of N Locust Street and Loop 288 for potential future commercial development, makes that potential commercial development more likely to be viable. The amended SUP plan still proposes the multifamily developments on the site that will provide necessary residential density within the potential future mixed-use area to help support the future commercial development by placing more residents within walking distance of those commercial uses. This type of mixed-use development is consistent with the City's Comprehensive Plan as noted above under Consideration A, and a mix of commercial and higher-intensity residential is appropriate at the intersection of a highway corridor and a secondary arterial.

The scale and architectural style of the building elevations proposed in the amended SUP for the multi-family developments remain compatible with the allowable heights and design standards for mixed-use areas.

Additionally, the amended SUP's proposed site and landscape plans leave unchanged the significant existing barriers around the proposed multifamily development, and the overall potential future mixed-use development, that provide appropriate separation and buffering for the single-family residential. Separation and buffering is provided not just by landscaping improvements, but also by the 105-foot electric easement on the east of this property, Hercules Lane to the south, and N Locust Street to the east.

2. The specific use proposed has negative impacts on future development of the area; and

The requested SUP amendment proposes to amend the plans shown in the original SUP to increase the remainder area left for future development outside of the multifamily developments proposed on the site. This amendment is therefore anticipated to have a positive impact on future development in the area by providing more area adjacent to the proposed multifamily in which possible future commercial development can occur and serve the wider area. Overall, the amended SUP plan has the potential to support the future success of commercial mixed-use development in the general area even more effectively than the original approved SUP plan. As noted above, transportation improvements will still be required to ensure the increase in traffic does not negatively impact area mobility, and these improvements would be beneficial to anticipated future commercial development in the area.

3. Any impacts associated with access, traffic, emergency services, utilities, parking, refuse areas, noise, glare, and odor have been adequately mitigated.

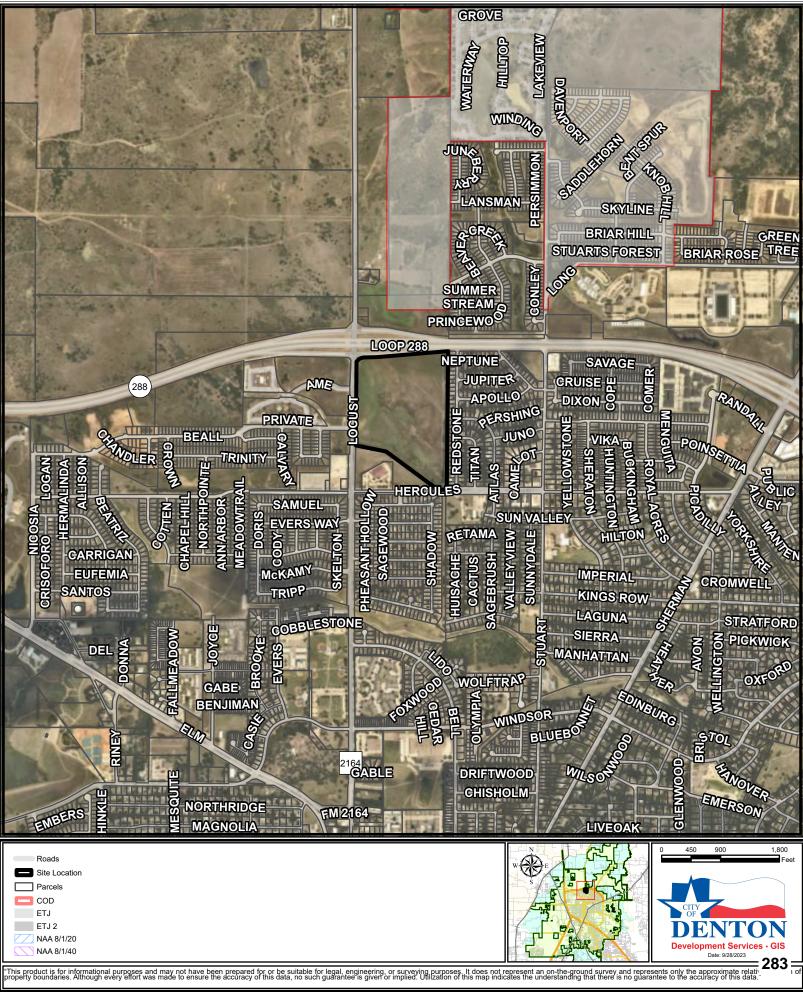
The requested amendment to the originally approved SUP (S21-0006b) is not expected to increase the traffic impact of the development permitted by the originally approved SUP. While the development is still anticipated to have an impact at multiple intersections along N Locust Street, as discussed above, the proposed improvements and contributions, including the two access points, new traffic signal at Beall Street, and improvements at Ame Street, are expected to adequately mitigate the potential traffic impacts of this development.

Fire access and aerial access is provided internal to the development for all buildings via fire lanes throughout the site. In addition to the main and secondary access points from N Locust Street via the proposed private streets, remote access to the site is also provided via a gated emergency connection to Atlas Drive. The applicant received feedback at their neighborhood meeting that the adjacent single-family residents did not want vehicular connection to Atlas Drive from this development.

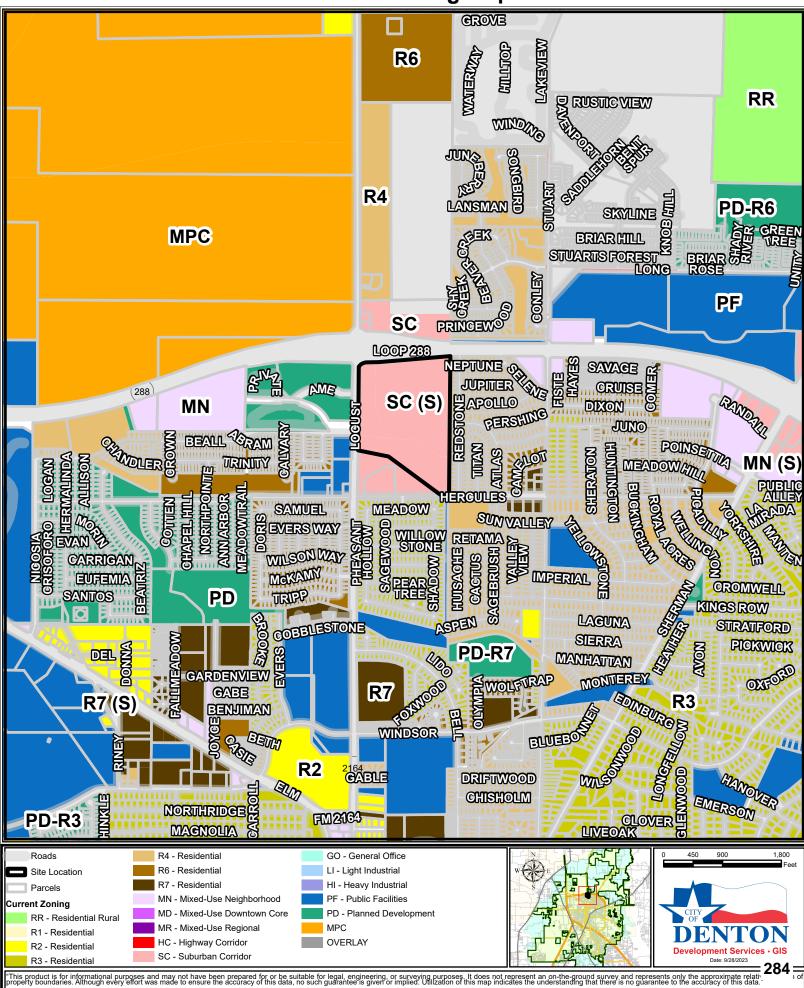
Noise impacts are expected to be adequately mitigated by the extensive proposed landscape buffering, the design of which is not being changed by this SUP amendment, and the additional physical separation created by surrounding easements and roadway.

Light and glare are not anticipated to have adverse effects on neighboring properties, as the proposal must meet all lighting requirements in the 2019 DDC, including downcast fixtures and limits to light spillover onto adjacent properties.

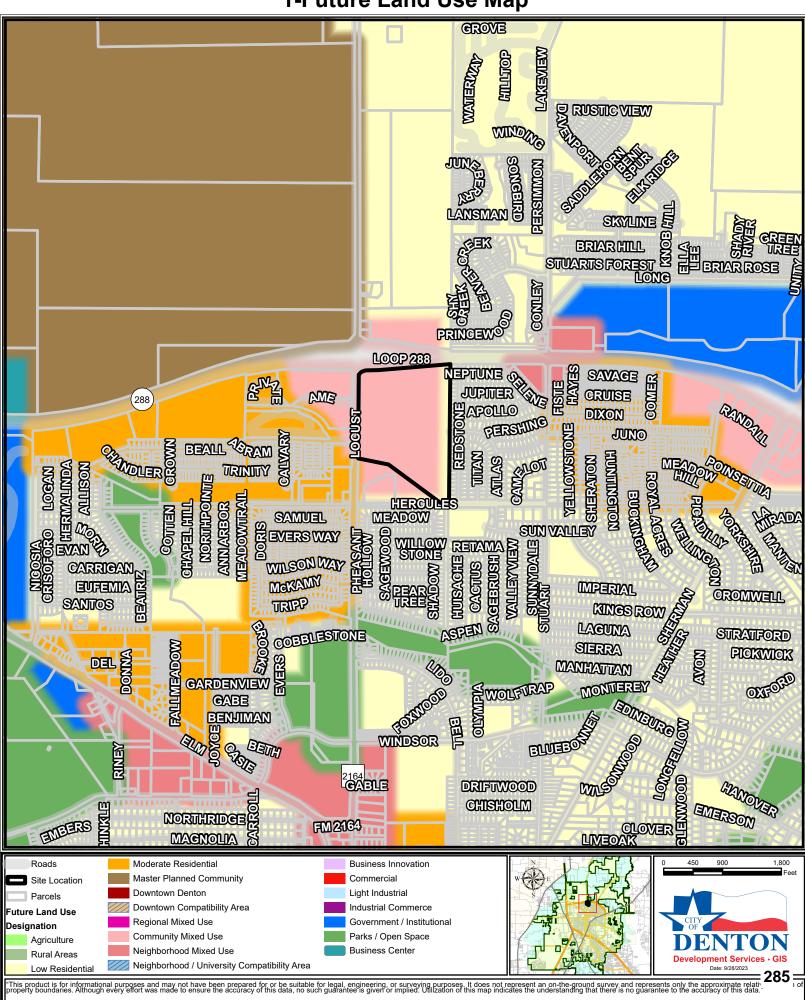
### ASUP23-0001 Site Location



ASUP23-0001 Current Zoning Map



ASUP23-0001 1-Future Land Use Map



#### ORDINANCE NO. S21-0006b

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS, APPROVING A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT TO ALLOW FOR A MULTI-FAMILY DWELLING USE ON APPROXIMATELY 53.407 ACRES OF LAND, GENERALLY LOCATED AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE INTERSECTION OF LOCUST STREET AND LOOP 288, IN THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS; ADOPTING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY'S OFFICIAL ZONING MAP; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY IN THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF \$2,000.00 FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (S21-0006b, LANDMARK MULTIFAMILY)

WHEREAS, Manhard Consulting, on behalf of the property owner, Melvin Haisler, (hereinafter, the "Developer") has applied for a Specific Use Permit ("SUP") to allow for a multifamily residential use on approximately 53.407 acres, within the Suburban Corridor (SC) zoning district and use classification, as described in Exhibit "A" (hereinafter, "the Property"); and

WHEREAS, the Property is depicted in Exhibit "B" and is shown divided into five tracts and, for identification purposes, Tract 4 is also known as the North Tract and Tract 5 is also known as the South Tract, of which Tracts 4 and 5 collectively comprise 36.49 acres out of the 53.407 acres;

WHEREAS, on October 26, 2022, the Planning and Zoning Commission, in compliance with the laws of the State of Texas, gave the requisite notices by publication and otherwise, and afforded full and fair hearings and to all property owners interested in this regard, recommended approval [6-0] of the requested SUP subject to the site plan, landscape plan, and elevations attached as Exhibit "B"; and

WHEREAS, on November 15, 2022, the City Council likewise conducted a public hearing as required by law, and finds that the request meets and complies with all substantive and procedural standards set forth in Section 2.5.2 of the Denton Development Code ("DDC"), and is consistent with the Denton Plan and the DDC; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Denton has determined that it will be beneficial to Denton and its citizens to grant the SUP; and such grant will not be detrimental to the health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the City of Denton, and that the SUP should be granted as set forth herein; NOW THEREFORE,

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENTON HEREBY ORDAINS:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The findings and recitations contained in the preamble of this ordinance are incorporated herein by reference and found to be true.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The SUP to allow the multi-family residential use on Tracts 4 and 5 only of the Property as shown on the Site Plan attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit "B", the Landscape Plan attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit "C", and the Building Elevations attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit "D", is hereby approved, subject to the use-specific standards of the DDC, as amended, and the following conditions:

- 1. <u>Site and Landscape Plan:</u> The attached Site Plan and Landscape Plan reflect an intent to comply with the 2019 Denton Development Code (DDC) requirements, as amended, for parking, street trees, minimum landscape and tree canopy areas, open space, and landscape screening and compatibility buffers, with administrative approval of alternative landscape elements permitted and parking reductions in accordance with the DDC.
  - a. Minor alterations to the depicted locations of individual plantings and final individual plant selections, as well as increases to landscape area and percentage and number of trees and tree canopy percentage, may be approved by City staff, provided that the final landscaping, as planted, complies with the attached landscape plan in terms of buffers, buffer elements, location of required landscape elements and open space and trails, number of trees, and minimum landscape and tree canopy percentages, as well as all elements of the DDC.
  - b. Minor alterations to the exact locations of individual amenity elements may be approved by City staff, provided final design complies with the attached site plan and landscape plan in terms of types and minimum number of amenities provided within depicted gathering spaces.
  - c. Additional plantings and minor alterations to the Development Impact Area to provide mitigation for the impacts of the proposed trail and the proposed sidewalk along Hercules Lane to the Environmentally Sensitive Area (ESA) on the property may be administratively approved by city staff as part of the Civil Engineering Plans for this development, as long as such mitigation is in accordance with all standards of the Denton Development Code. Final determination of ESA location and exact nature of mitigation shall be approved with the Civil Engineering Plans for this development. This condition does not preclude the project from requiring approval of an Alternative ESA Plan if the scope of impacts to the ESA exceed the administrative allowances provided for in the DDC.
- 2. <u>Building Elevations:</u> The attached building elevations reflect an intent to comply with the DDC requirements, as amended, for building mass and form, percentage of windows and doors on a façade, and provision of architectural features to highlight entrances and provide visual interest.
  - a. Elevations at the time of permitting shall be consistent with the attached elevations in terms of architectural style and details, specific architectural features that highlight entrances such as ornamental lights and canopies, provision of balconies or patios to articulate individual units, use of recesses, awnings, and changes in material to break up the façade vertically and horizontally and to articulate collections of units at intervals not to exceed 44 feet horizontally or 2 stories vertically, and delineation of the first floor with a change of material and horizontal banding.
  - b. Minor alterations to individual window size and location may be approved by City staff, as long as:
    - i. The style of windows, and the style and number of doors, on each façade is consistent with the attached elevations

- ii. All buildings fronting on a public or private street have entrances facing the public or private street
- iii. Windows and doors make up either at least the DDC-required percentage for facades facing a public or private street or, for facades not facing a public or private street, at least 11.5% of the side facades and 25.5% of the front and the rear façades, and windows and doors on all facades comply with all DDC standards.
- c. Garage elevations shall feature two dormer windows on each front and rear elevation and a horizontal change in material type on each façade.
- 3. The attached site plan and landscape plan are incorporated as requirements of the SUP. Staff shall have the ability to approve an increase of up to 5% of any of the amounts specified in requirements a-b, provided all applicable requirements of the DDC are met.
  - a. Three-hundred and thirty-six (336) dwelling units on the North Tract and threehundred and twenty-four (324) dwelling units on the South Tract.
  - b. 577 parking spaces on the North Tract, and 570 parking spaces on the South Tract, are proposed for the multi-family development indicated on the site plan. Parking may shift to accommodate a change in the unit mixture but shall be in accordance with the requirements of the DDC and within the range of staff approvability.
- 4. All street and sidewalk infrastructure elements, including the full width of Beall Street from N Locust Street to the turnaround shown, and the full width of Ame Drive from North Locust Street to Beall Street shall be constructed in accordance with the plans shown in Exhibit B, and approved by the City of Denton, prior to release of any certificate of occupancy for any multifamily building proposed on this property, though staff may approve minor changes (25' or less) in the location of these streets and/or sidewalks in order to account for proposed TXDOT improvements to Loop 288 and N Locust Street, as long as the final design is in accordance with the standards of the DDC and City criteria manuals.
- 5. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, the Developer shall construct one of the two alternative traffic mitigation measures at the intersection of N Locust Street and Ame Drive. If neither of the alternatives shown in Exhibit B, Sheet C0.5, are acceptable to TXDOT, the City of Denton staff shall have the authority to approve alternative traffic mitigation measures for the intersection of Ame Drive, subject to the approval of TXDOT, without requiring an SUP amendment, as long as the approved mitigation measures comply with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City criteria manuals. Traffic mitigation measure(s) for the intersection of Ame Drive and N Locust Street, approved by staff and TXDOT, must be constructed prior to issuance of Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.
- 6. A turnaround must be constructed at the end of Beall Street as shown on Exhibit B, prior to release of any Certificates of Occupancy for this project, but, if plans for future TXDOT improvements to Loop 288 necessitate a shift in the turnaround location, City of Denton staff may approve a shift in the exact location of the center of this turnaround of up to 150', as long as the proposed location is still in accordance with all DDC and

City criteria manual standards and/or any variance to those standards approved by the City Engineer.

- 7. Minor alterations in design and location of sidewalk, curb, and gutter along Hercules Lane and in location of proposed gravel trail may be necessary based on the final determination of the size and location of the Environmentally Sensitive Area on this property, and staff may approve such minor alterations, as long as the final design and locations are in accordance with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City's adopted criteria manuals.
- 8. Notwithstanding the limited administrative approvals authorized in conditions 1-7, the City reserves the right to require approval by ordinance of any amendments or alterations to the SUP, the attached site plan, the attached landscape plan, the attached building elevations, and the elements referenced in conditions 1-7.
- 9. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, a traffic signal at the intersection of Beall Street and N Locust Street shall be constructed by the Developer and shall be complete and accepted by the City of Denton prior to issuance of any Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.
- 10. Prior to approval of any Final Plat for this development, Developer shall pay to the City of Denton the proportion of the cost of a traffic signal at North Locust Street and Loop 288 that was determined by the Traffic Impact Analysis for this project (TIA21-0016) to be the responsibility of the multifamily developer, based on the traffic projected to be generated by that development.
- 11. The project shall comply with Denton Development Code Section 7.7.4, Tree Preservation.
- 12. The zoning map shall reflect the Specific Use Permit on the property consistent with the DDC.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> The multi-family residential use allowed by the SUP on the Property, depicted on the Site Plan, Landscape Plan, and Building Elevations, requires the following elements, which are hereby incorporated into this ordinance and may only be modified as noted in Section 2 above:

### A. Multifamily Lots:

- Tract 4 (North Tract): ~14.09 acres
- Tract 5 (South Tract): ~22.4 acres

### **B. Dwelling Units:**

- Tract 4 (North Tract): 336 one-, two-, and three-bedroom units in 12 three-story buildings
- Tract 5 (South Tract): 324 one-, two-, and three-bedroom units in 12 three-story buildings
- o Total: 660 one-, two-, and three-bedroom units in 24 three-story buildings

#### C. Recreational Areas and Open Space:

- North Tract: Amenity center with pool, 36,400 sf of Open Space in 5 areas with benches and/or walking paths.
- South Tract: Amenity center with pool, 95,400 sf of Open Space in 5 areas, ~500 linear feet of walking path along pond with fountain.
- Overall:
  - Total open space encompasses 147,500 sf -- over 8% of the land area.

- Minimum 2,000 linear feet of gravel trail through the green space in the easement on the east side of the development (green space in easement is in addition to open space).
- D. **Parking**: 1,147 total vehicular spaces provided, for ~1.2 spaces per bedroom; 60 bicycle parking spaces distributed throughout the two tracts.
- E. Access and Connectivity: Full, signalized access to N Locust Street is provided to both tracts via the extension of Beall Street to be constructed by the Developer; subject to the approval of the Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT), the Developer will also be required to construct the signal at Beall Street and Locust Street. Both tracts will have right in, right out access to N Locust Street via the extension of Ame Drive to be constructed by the Developer. The North tract will have three points of access onto Beall Street and the South tract will have two. Pedestrian connectivity will be provided to N Locust Drive via a sidewalk to be constructed by the Developer and via gravel path to Hercules Drive. Developer will also provide a public sidewalk connection in a public access easement through the site from Atlas Drive to the Beall Street sidewalk, to facilitate pedestrian access to the potential future commercial development along N Locust and Loop 288.
- F. **Design**: Building elevations feature balconies or patios for all units, with awnings or decorative sconces or arched roofs at all main entrances, and with buildings oriented around shared open spaces, along trails, or fronting on the shared central boulevard or the right-of-way with direct access to the public sidewalk.
- G. Landscaping: New tree plantings in common areas above and beyond required tree canopy; landscape area over 10% above minimum; a combination of large canopy trees, tree preservation, and 70+ feet of buffer width to provide a buffer between multifamily buildings and the single-family neighborhood to the east.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> <u>Administrative Modifications.</u> The Development Services Director or designee may administratively approve the following modifications:

- A. A reduction in the lot coverage, an increase in the landscape area, and a decrease in the number of dwelling units with associated parking by any amount. Additional parking reductions may be granted in accordance with DDC Section 7.9.5E.
- B. Increases of 5% or less of any of the amounts specified in Subsections 3.B & D of this ordinance, provided all applicable requirements of the DDC are met.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> Failure to Comply. Except as otherwise stated above, all terms of the SUP shall be complied with prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. Failure to comply with any term or condition of the Ordinance will result in the SUP being declared null and void, and of no force and effect. The SUP issued to the entity named above runs with the land, and is assignable and transferable to subsequent owners of the Property.

<u>SECTION 6.</u> <u>SUP Regulations.</u> Upon notice to the Property owner and a hearing before the City Council, a SUP may be revoked or modified if: 1. There is one or more of the conditions imposed by this ordinance that has not been met or has been violated on the Property; or 2. The SUP was obtained or extended by fraud or deception; or 3. As otherwise permitted by law and/or the DDC.

SECTION 7. Unlawful use. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, entity, or corporation to make use of the Property in some manner other than as authorized by the DDC, City of Denton Code of Ordinances, and this ordinance.

SECTION 8. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid by any court, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

SECTION 9. Penalty. Any person, firm, entity or corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined a sum not exceeding \$2,000.00 for each violation. Each day that a provision of this ordinance is violated shall constitute a separate and distinct offense. The penal provisions imposed under this ordinance shall not preclude the City of Denton from filing suit to enjoin the violation and it retains all legal rights and remedies available to it under local, state and federal law.

SECTION 10. In compliance with Section 2.09(c) of the Denton Charter, this ordinance shall become effective fourteen (14) days from the date of its passage, and the City Secretary is hereby directed to cause the caption of this ordinance to be published twice in the Denton Record-Chronicle, a daily newspaper published in the City of Denton, Texas, within ten (10) days of the date of its passage.

The motion to approve this ordinance w	as made by	Chris Watts			and seconded			
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PASSED AND APPROVED this the 5<sup>th</sup> day of November , 2022.

GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

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ATTEST: ROSA RIOS, CITY SECRETARY

BY: \_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM: MACK REINWAND, CITY ATTORNEY Hilary Negron 2022.11.09 09:48:15 -06'00' Hilan Nepa







## Exhibit A Legal Description

BEING a 53.407 acre tract of land situated in the T. Toby Survey, Abstract Number 1288, City of Denton, Denton County, Texas, and being a portion of a called 253.6 acre tract of land (remaining portion) described by deed to J.B. Haisler and wife, Rosa Haisler, recorded in Volume 316, Page 69, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas, and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows;

BEGINNING at a 5/8" IRON ROD FOUND at the northwest corner of Lot 16, Block G, Towne North Addition, an addition to the City of Denton, according to the plat recorded in Cabinet A, Page 138, Plat Records, Denton County, Texas, being on the South right-of-way line of S.H. Loop 288, a variable width right-of-way;

THENCE South 00 Degrees 38 Minutes 15 Seconds West, along the West line of said Block G, and the West line of Block G, Towne North Addition, an addition to the City of Denton, according to the plat recorded in Cabinet A, Page 127, Plat Records, Denton County, Texas, and the West line of Block G, Towne North Addition, an addition to the City of Denton, according to the plat recorded in Cabinet A, Page 111, Plat Records, Denton County, Texas, and the West line of a 10' Alley as shown on said Towne North Addition (A-114), at a distance of 1970.54 feet, passing a MAG NAIL FOUND IN A TREE ROOT for reference, and continuing in all 2134.91 feet, to a MAG NAIL SET at the southwest corner of said Towne North Addition (A-114), being on the South line of said called 253.6 acre tract, and being in the approximate centerline of Hercules Lane, a variable width right-of-way;

THENCE North 89 Degrees 59 Minutes 44 Seconds West, departing said common line and along the South line of said called 253.6 acre tract, a distance of 128.51 feet, to a MAG NAIL SET at the southeast corner of a called 13.042 acre tract of land described by deed to Asbury United Methodist Church, recorded in County Clerk's File Number 97-11296, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas;

THENCE North 00 Degrees 42 Minutes 47 Seconds East, departing said South line and along the East line of said called 13.042 acre tract, a distance of 33.57 feet, to a 5/8" IRON ROD FOUND; THENCE North 53 Degrees 52 Minutes 50 Seconds West, continuing along said East line, a distance of 1008.43 feet, to a 1/2" IRON ROD FOUND;

THENCE North 78 Degrees 24 Minutes 50 Seconds West, continuing along said East line, a distance of 466.02 feet, to a 5/8" CAPPED IRON ROD SET STAMPED "REALSEARCH" at the northwest corner of said called 13.042 acre tract, being on the East right-of-way line of F.M. Highway No. 2164, a 90' a right-of-way;

THENCE North 01 Degrees 06 Minutes 45 Seconds East, departing said East line and along said East right-of-way line, a distance of 1248.22 feet, to a TXDOT MONUMENT FOUND at the South end of a corner clip at the intersection of said East right-of-way line and the South right-of-way line of said S.H. Loop 288;

THENCE North 44 Degrees 05 Minutes 02 Seconds East, along said corner clip, a distance of 70.70 feet, to a 5/8" CAPPED IRON ROD SET STAMPED "REALSEARCH", being on the South right-of-way line of said S.H. Loop 288;

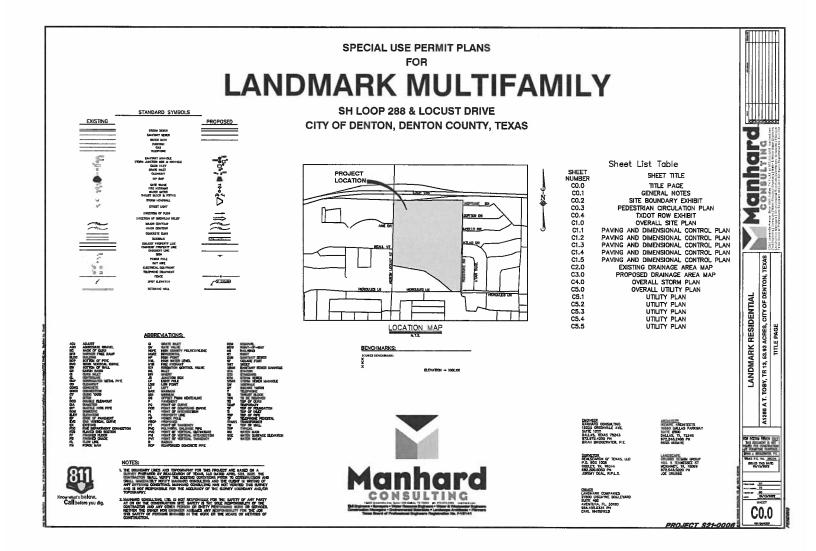
THENCE North 85 Degrees 33 Minutes 30 Seconds East, along said South right-of-way line, a distance of 1104.50 feet, to a CUT OFF T-POST FOUND;

THENCE North 83 Degrees 22 Minutes 21 Seconds East, continuing along said South right-ofway line, a distance of 250.03 feet, to the POINT OF BEGINNING, and containing 53.407 acres or 2,326,389 square feet of land, more or less.



## Exhibit B Site Plan

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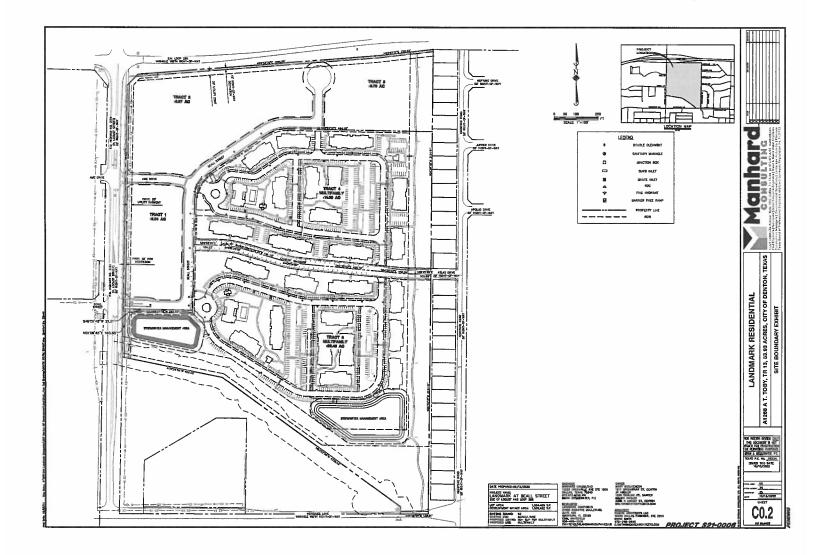
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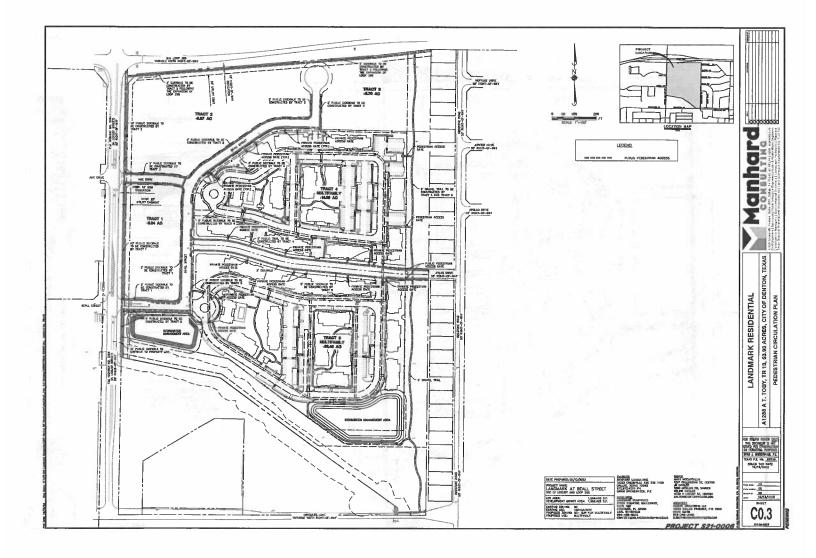
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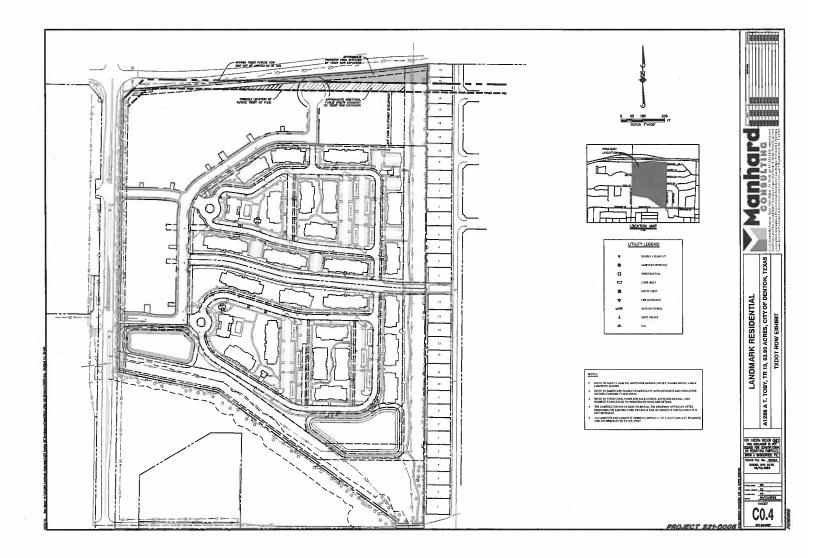
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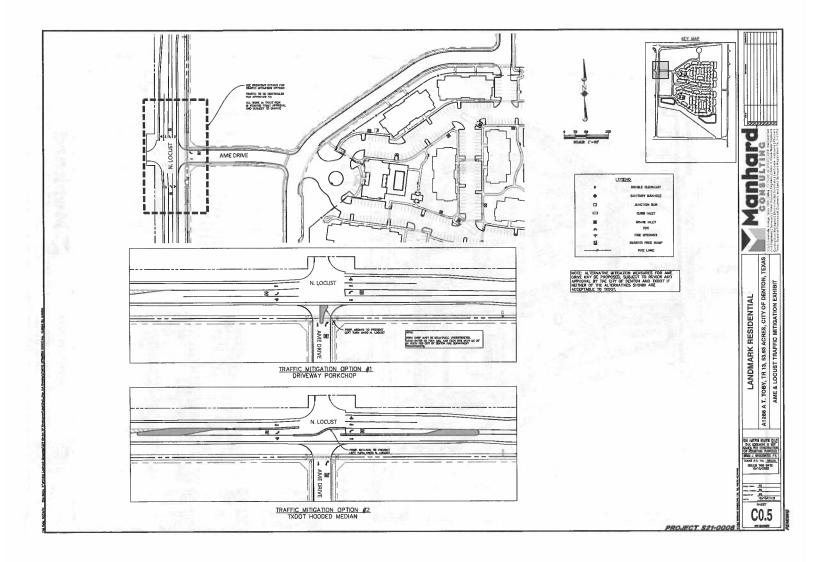
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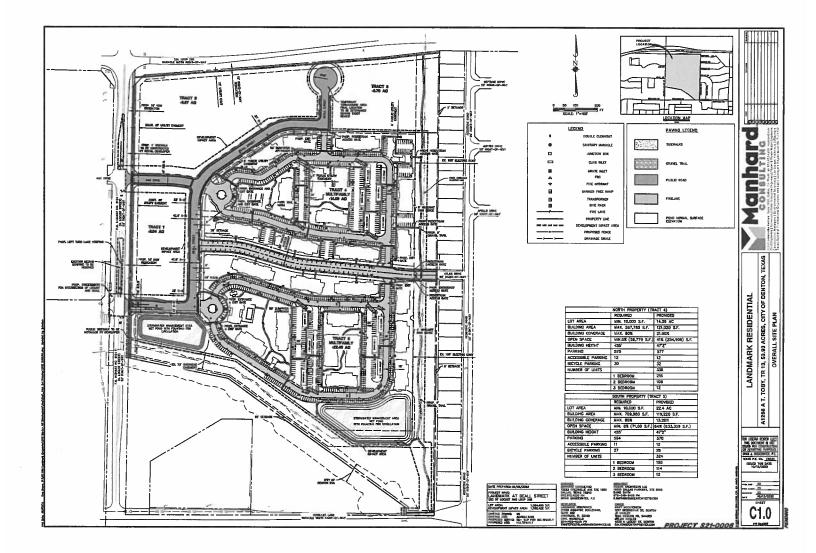
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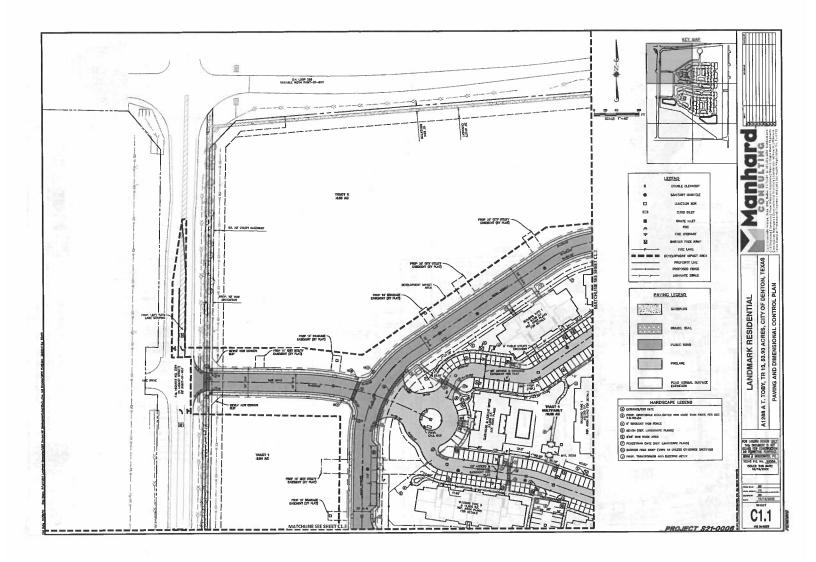


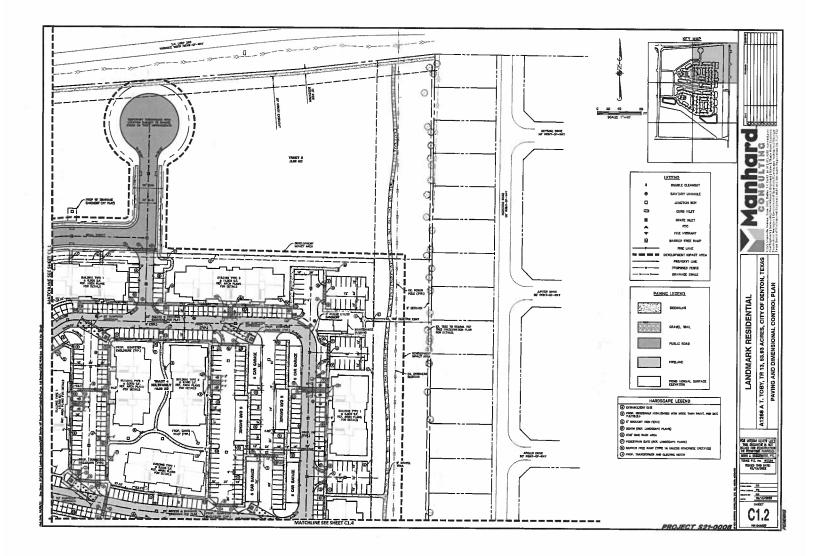


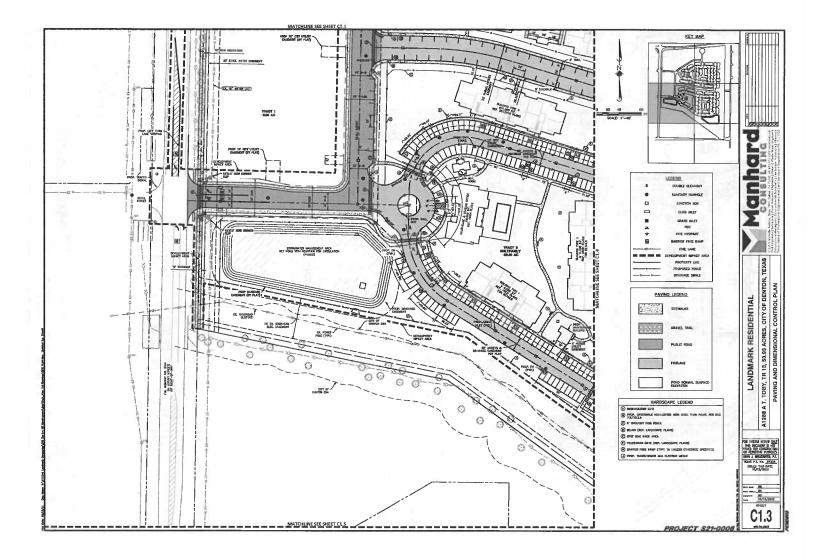


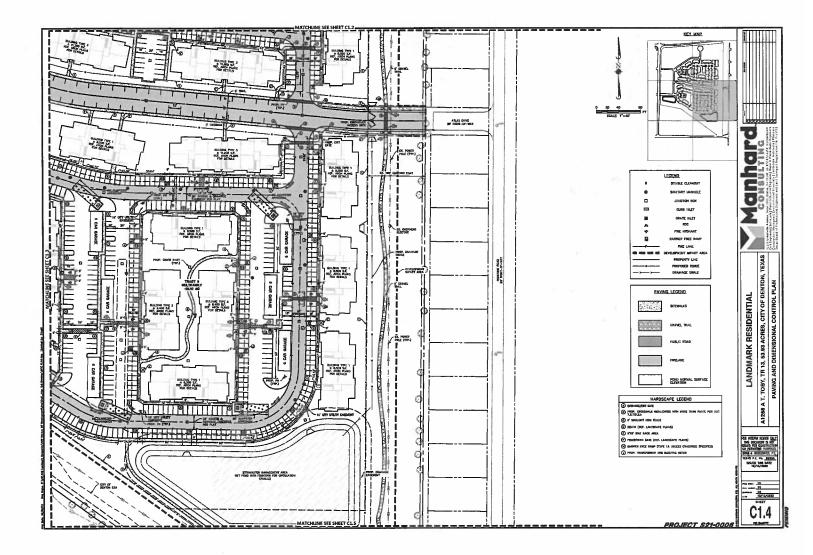


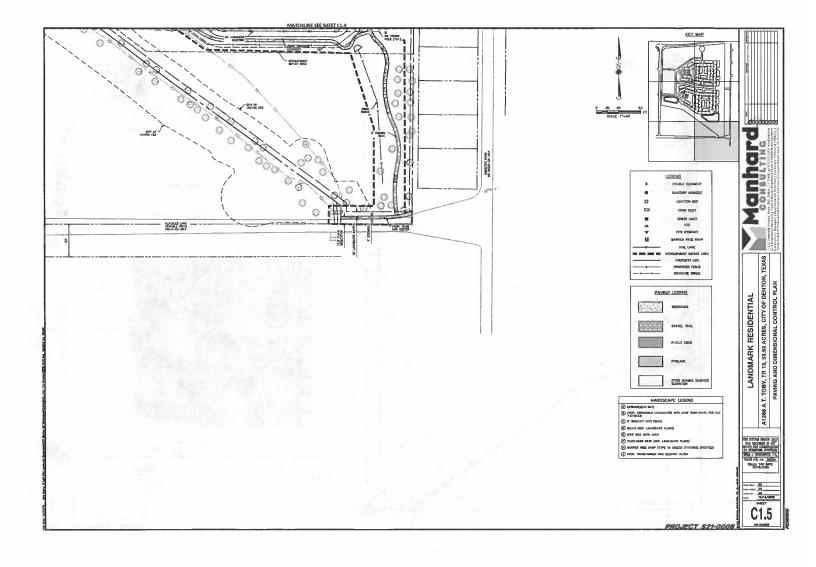


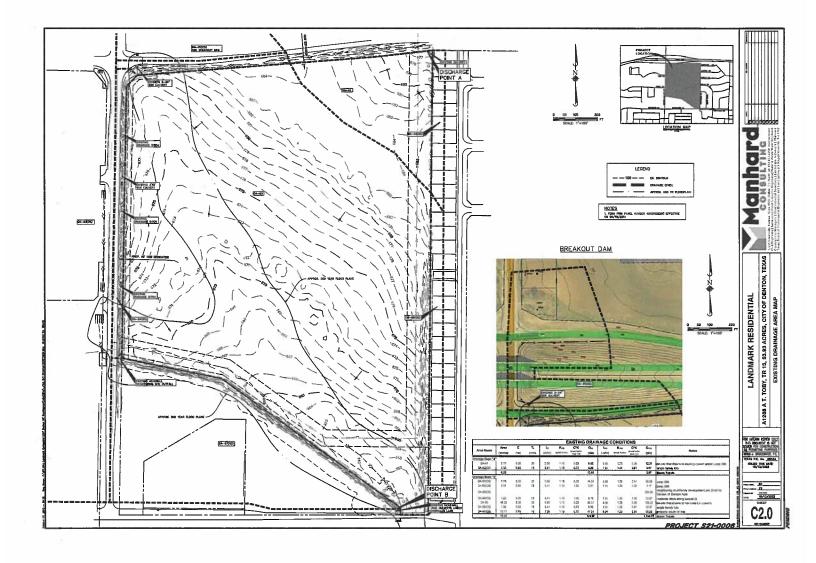


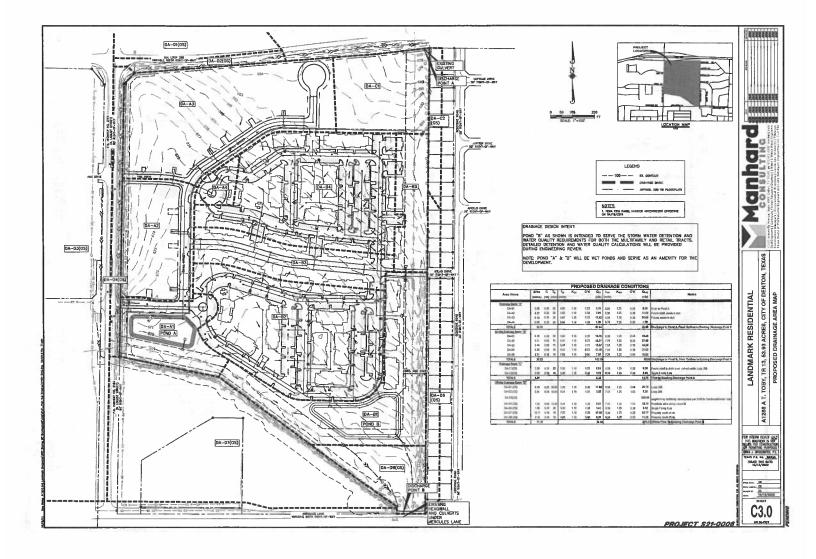


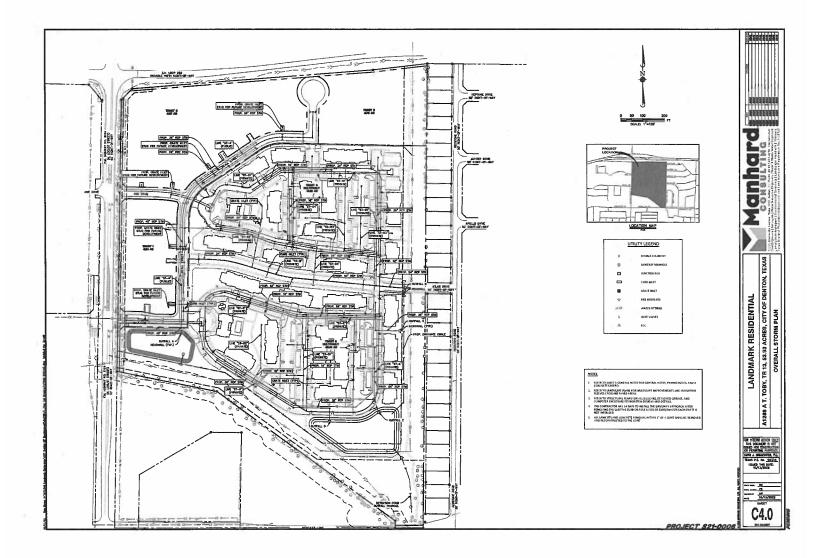


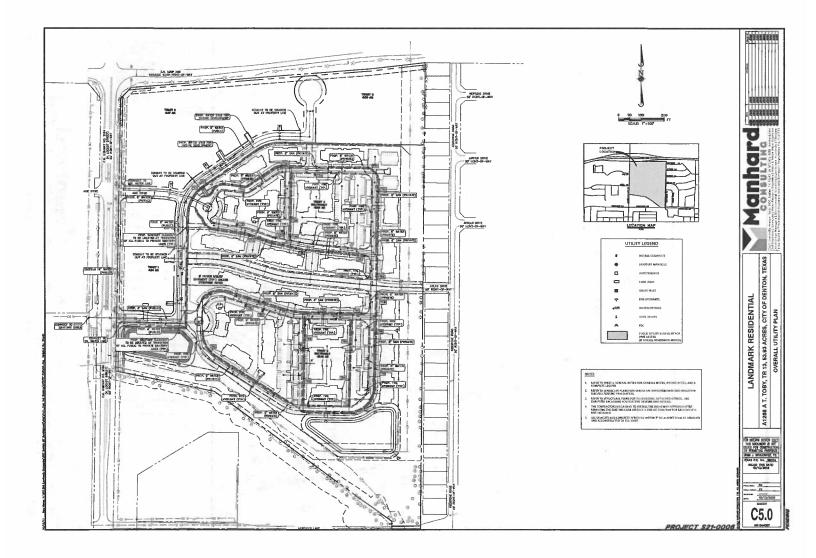


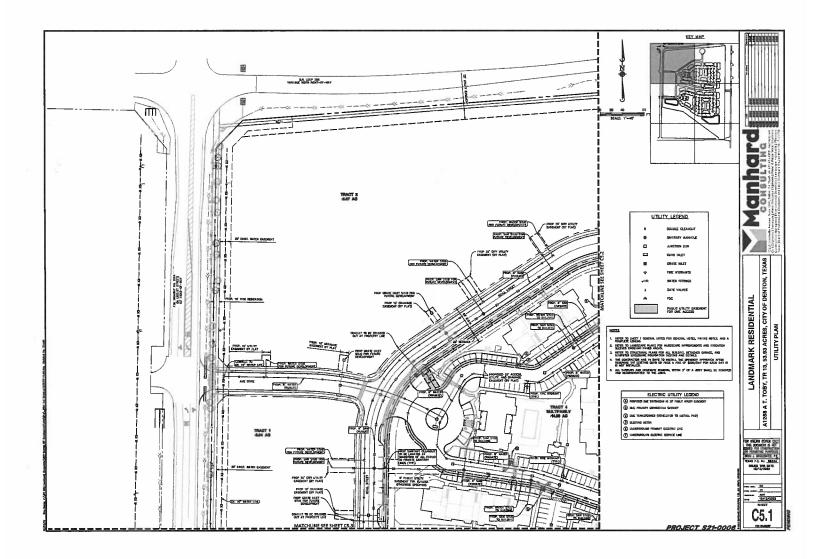


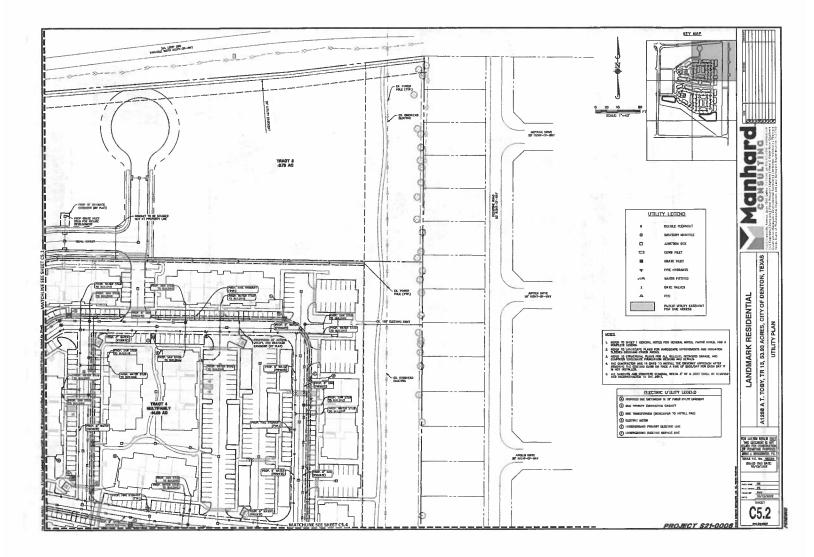


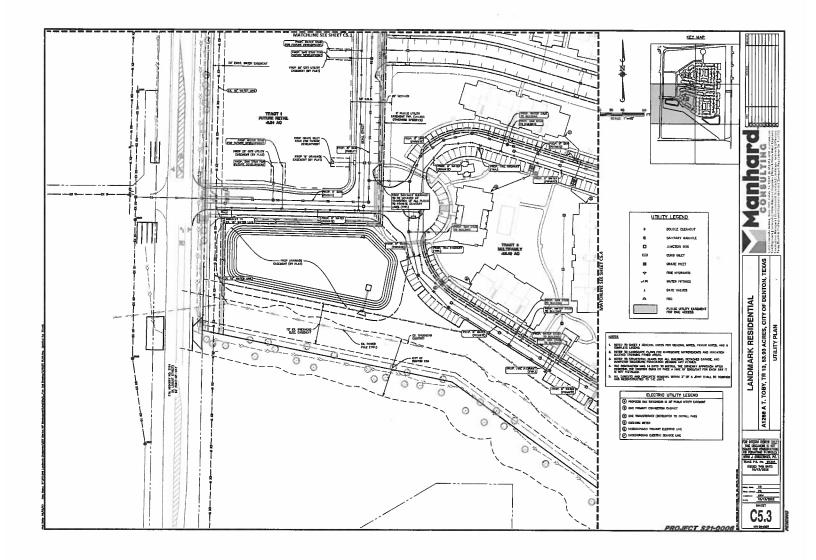


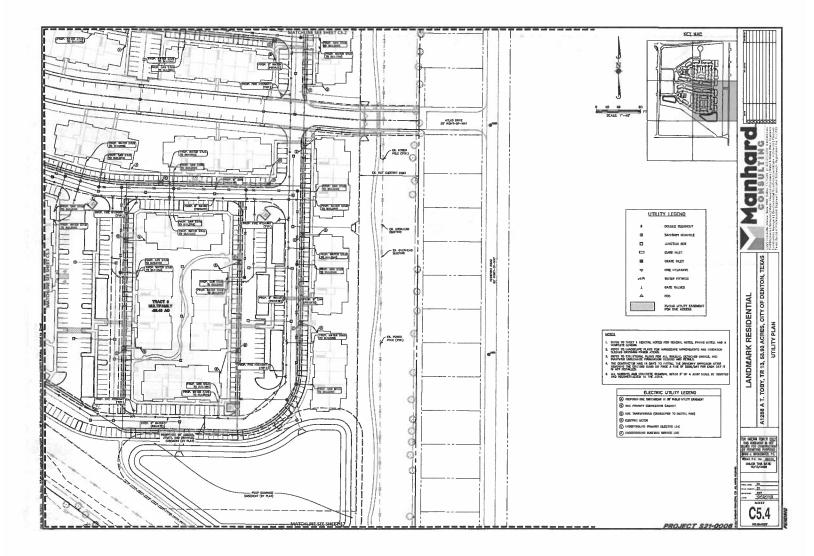












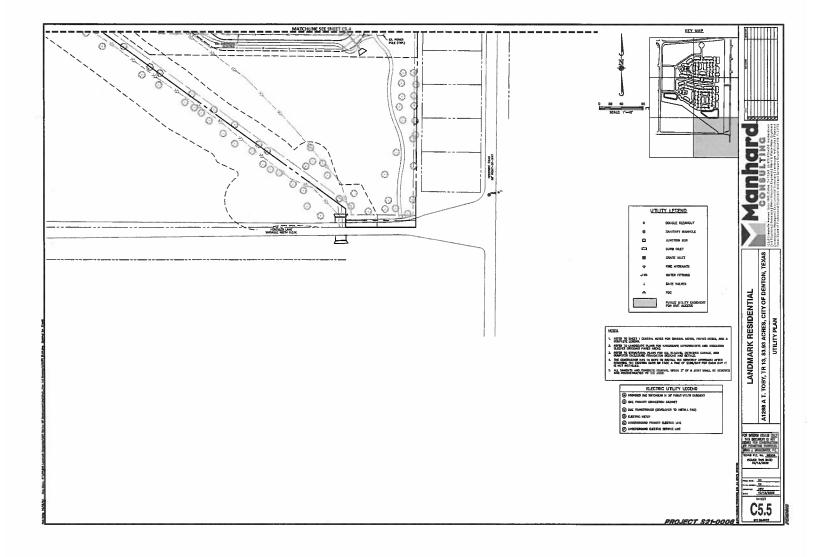
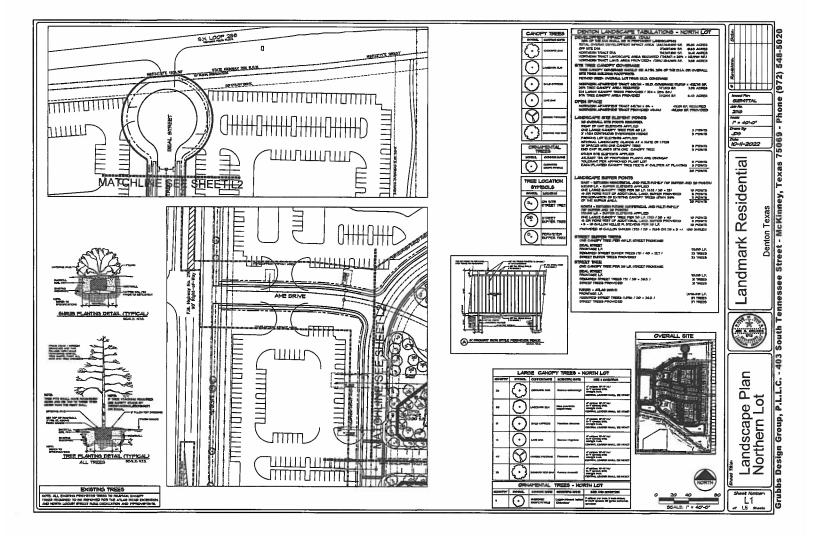
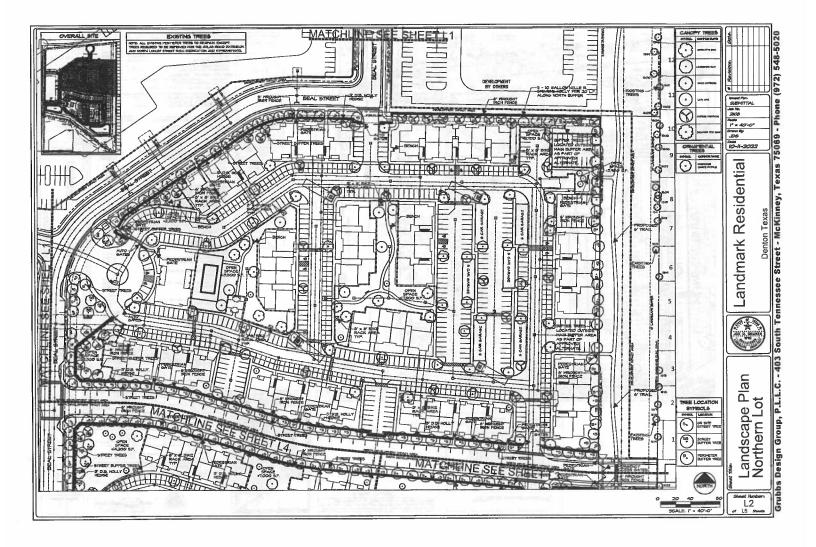
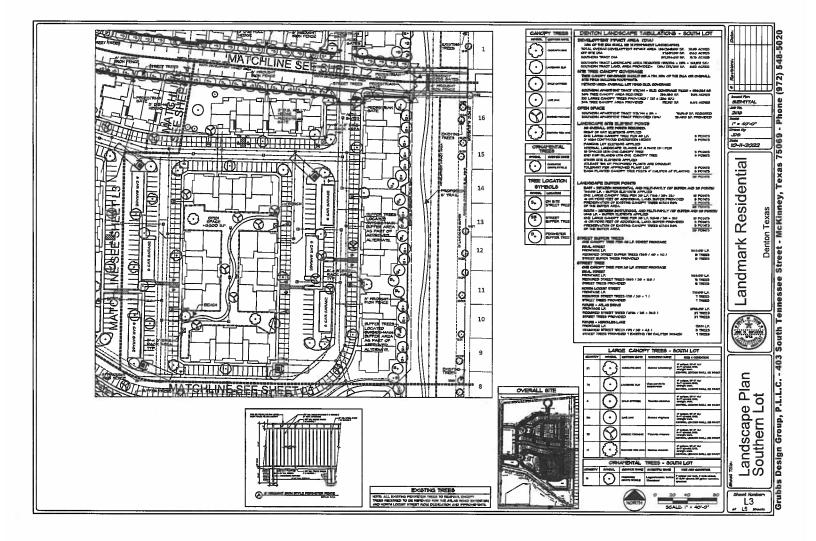


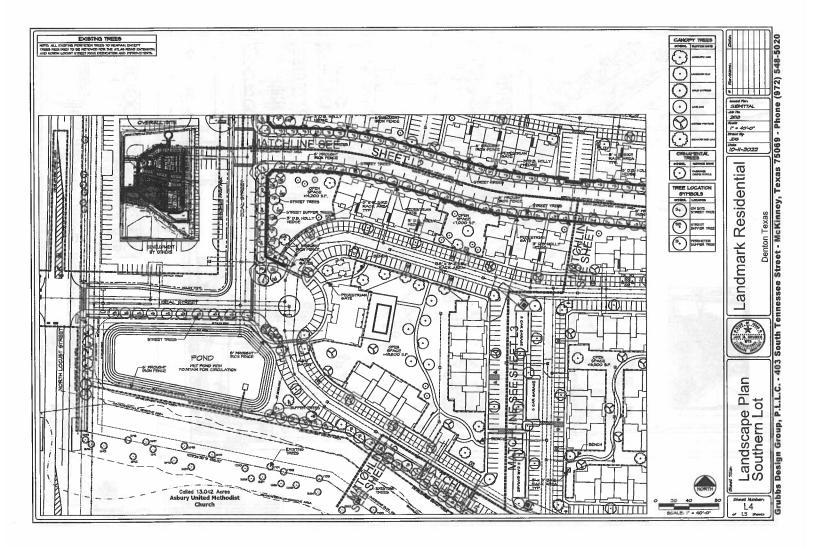
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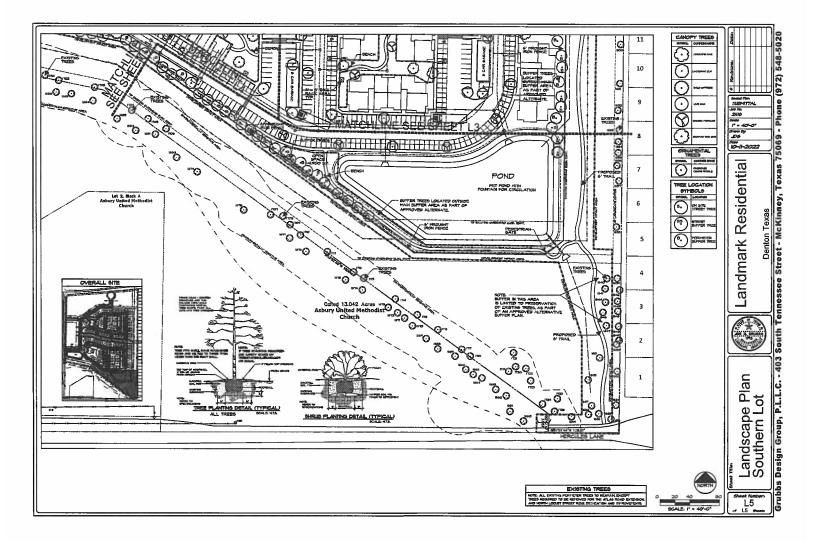








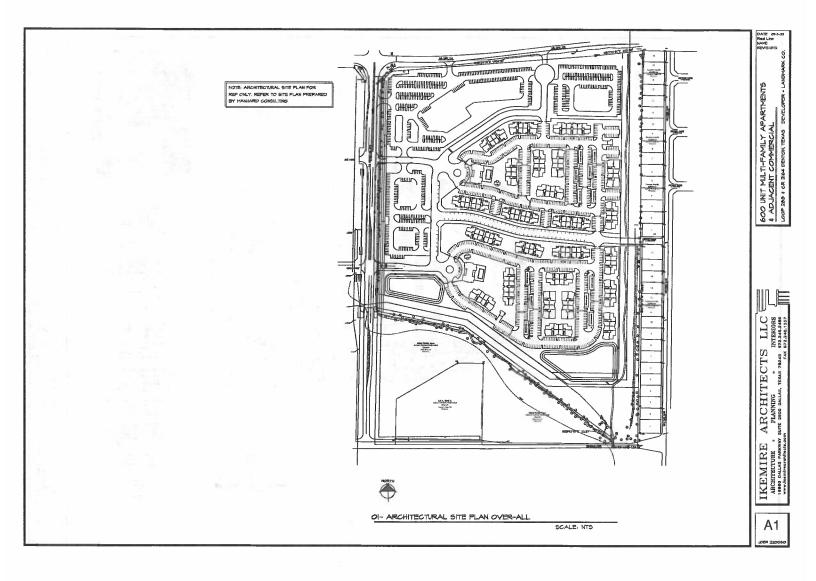


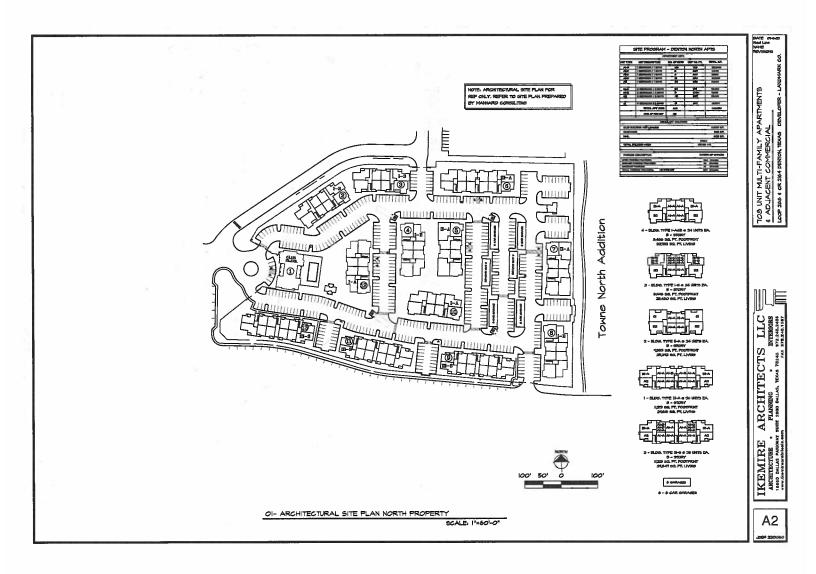


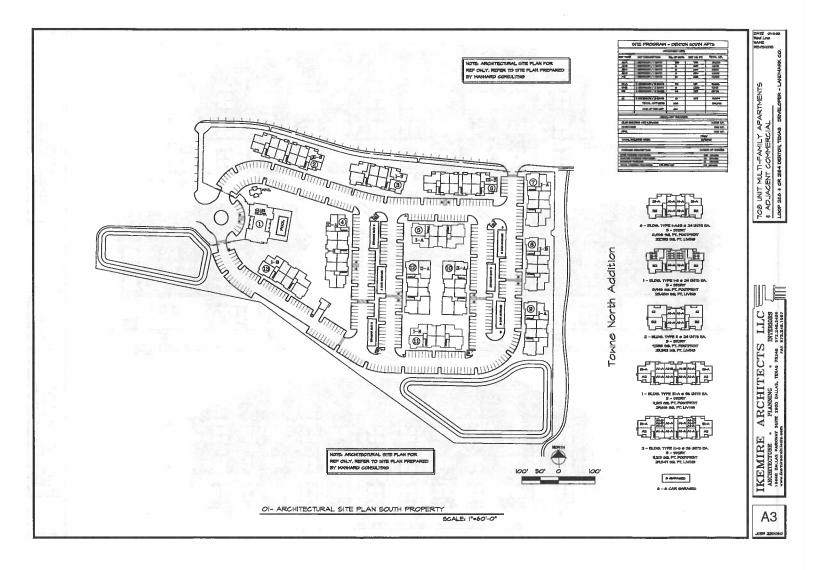




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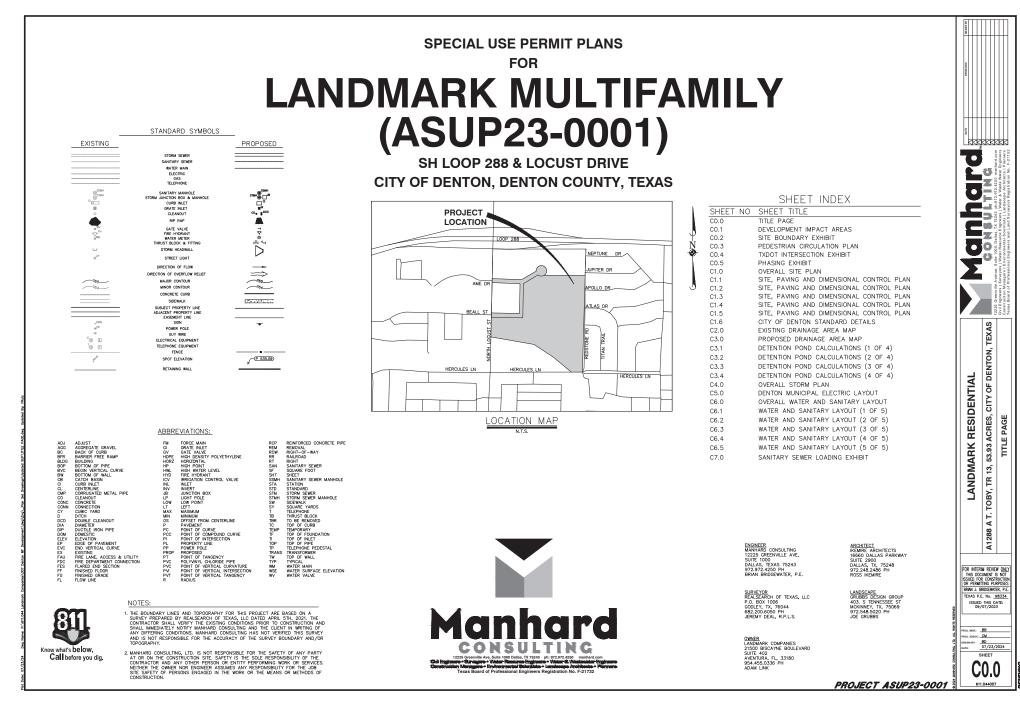


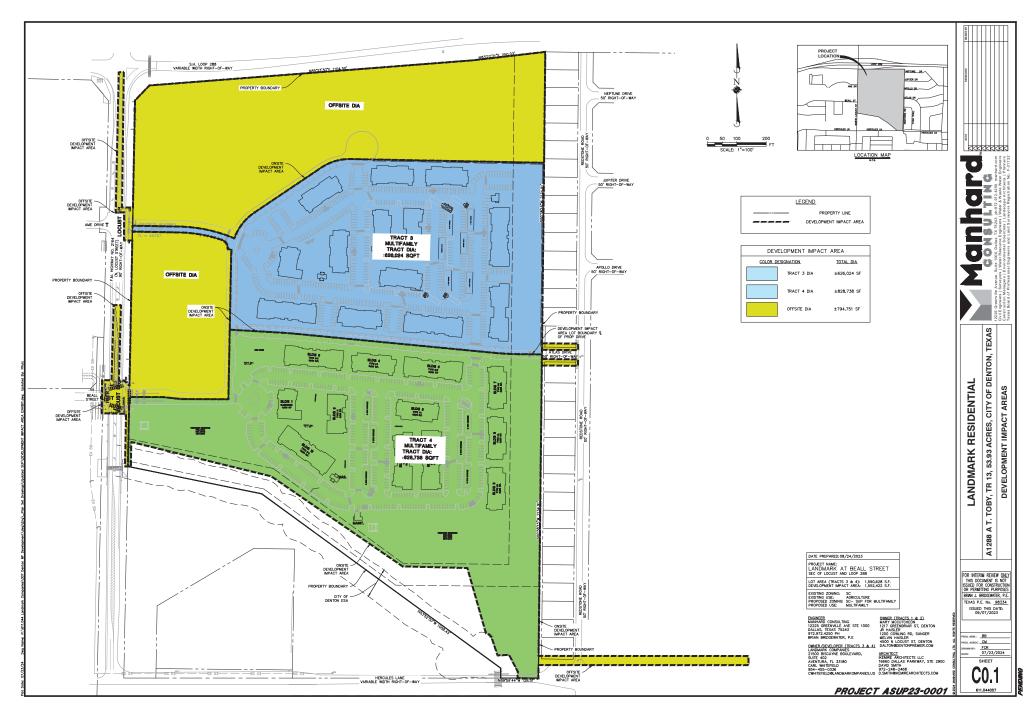


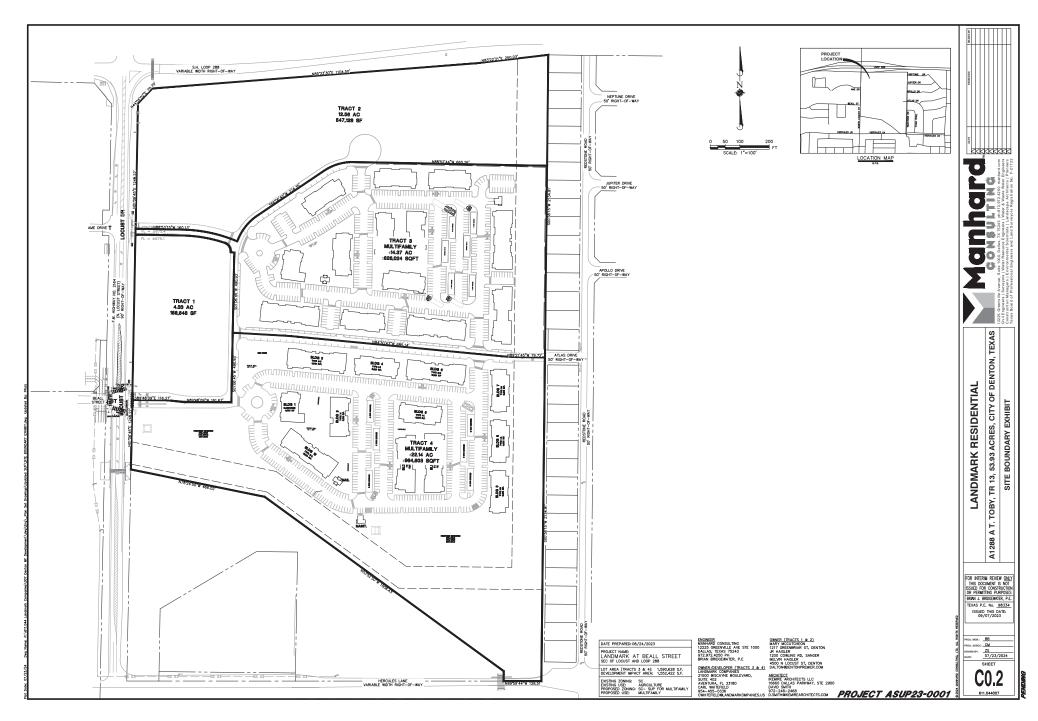


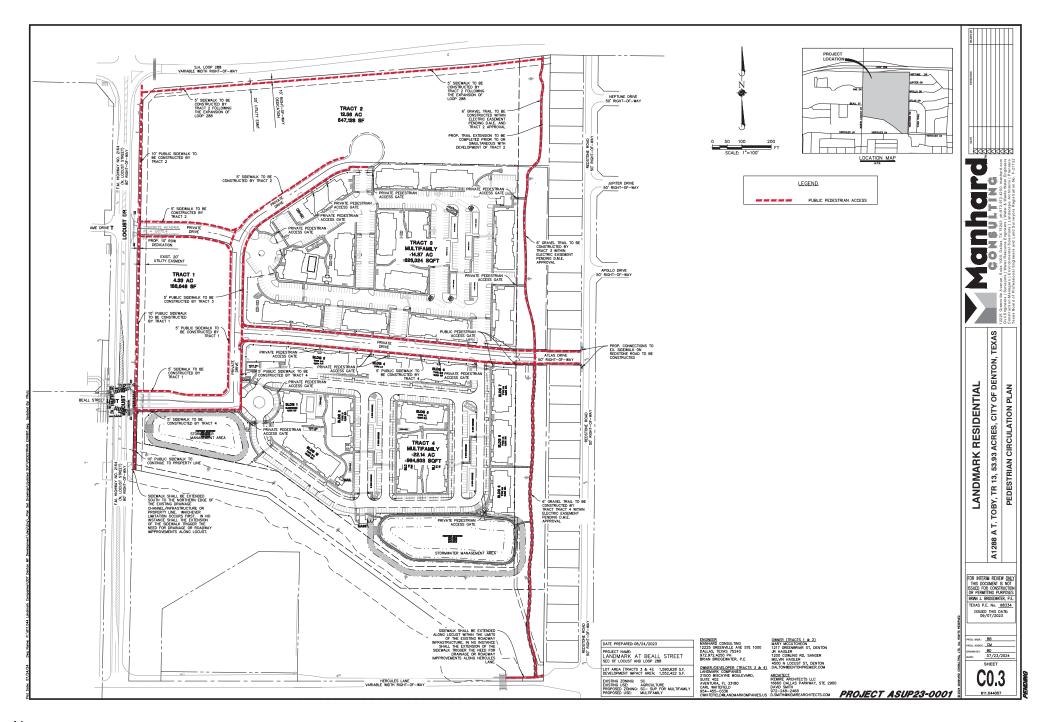


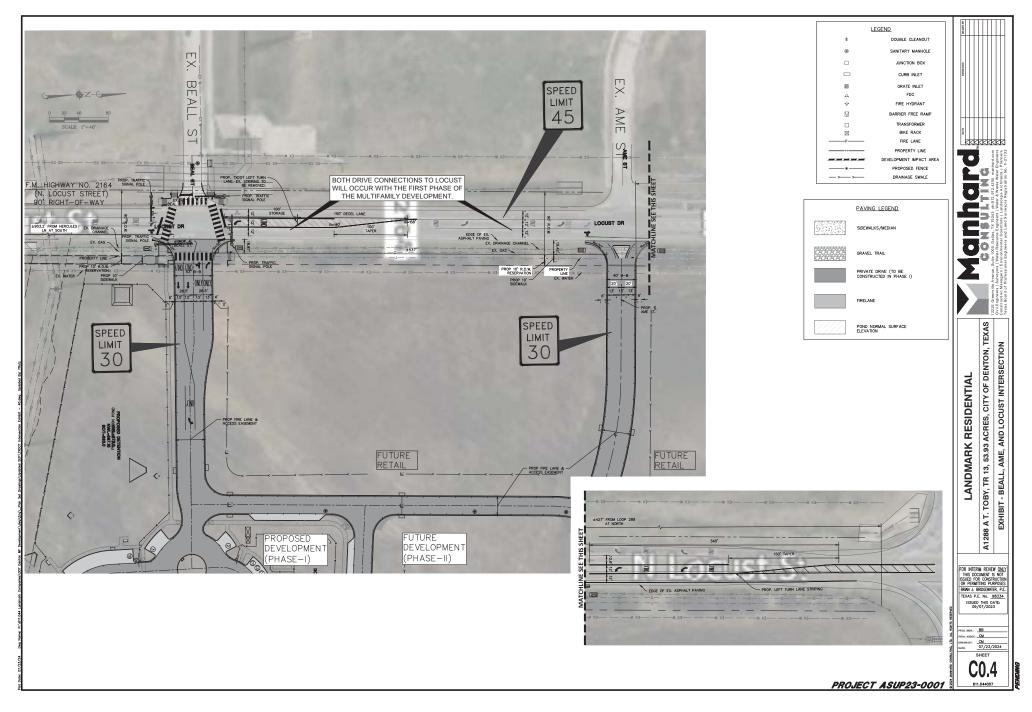


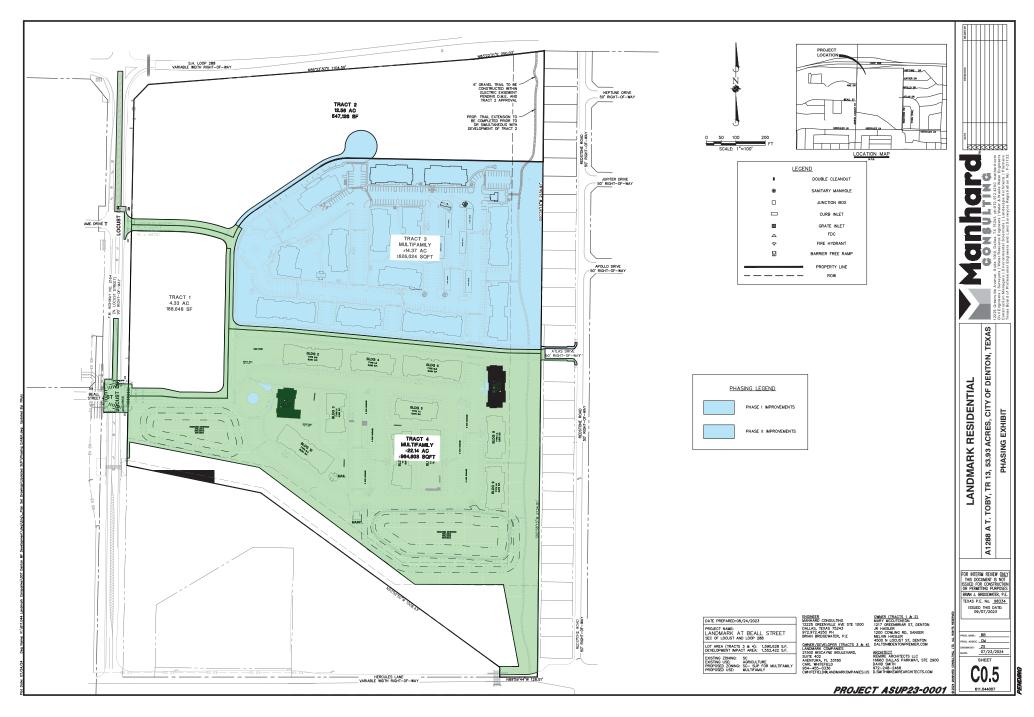


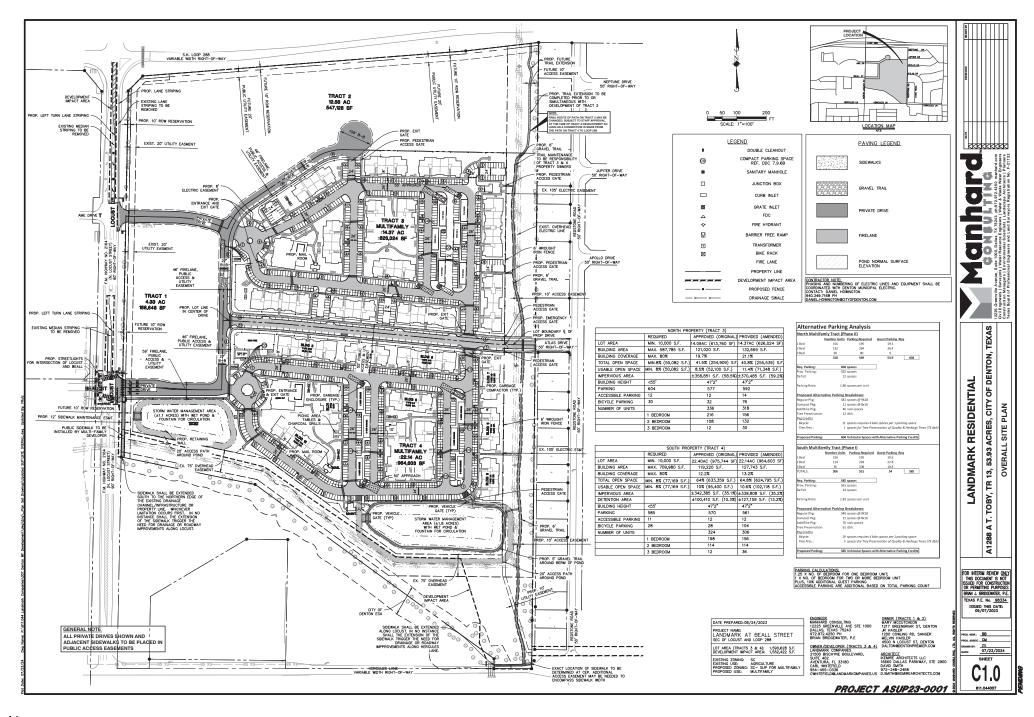


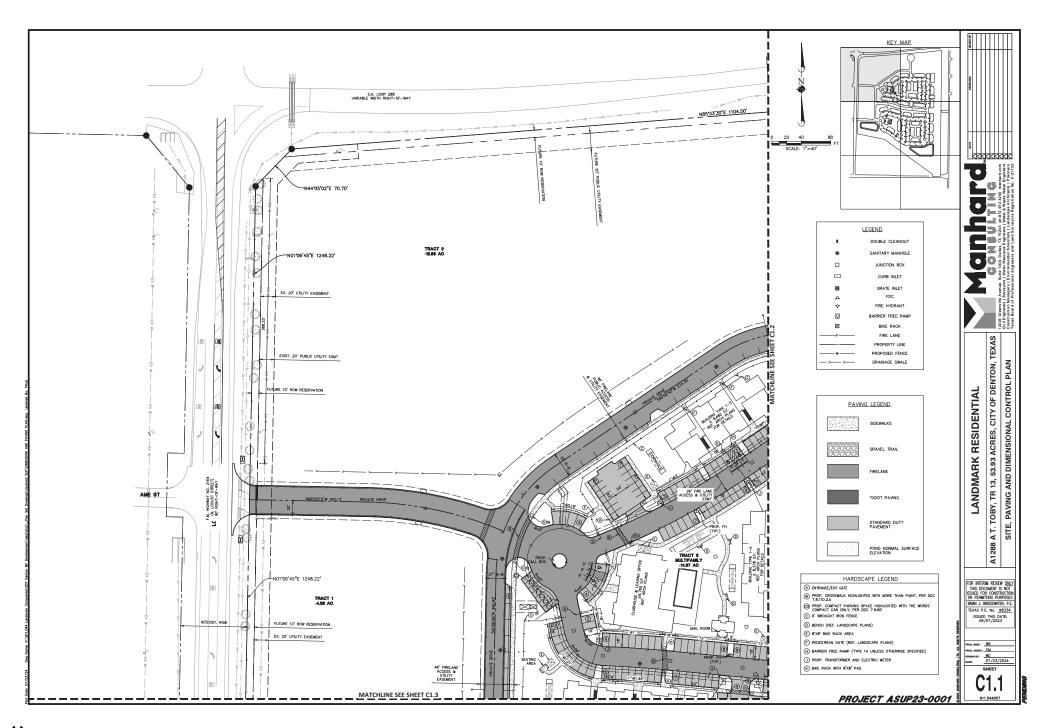


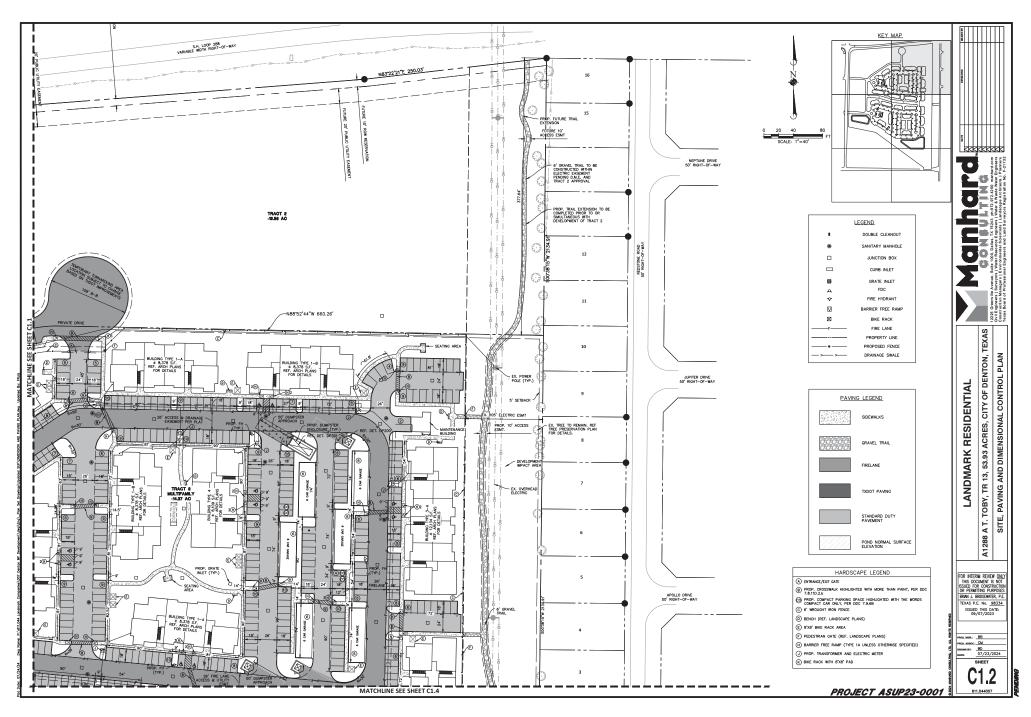


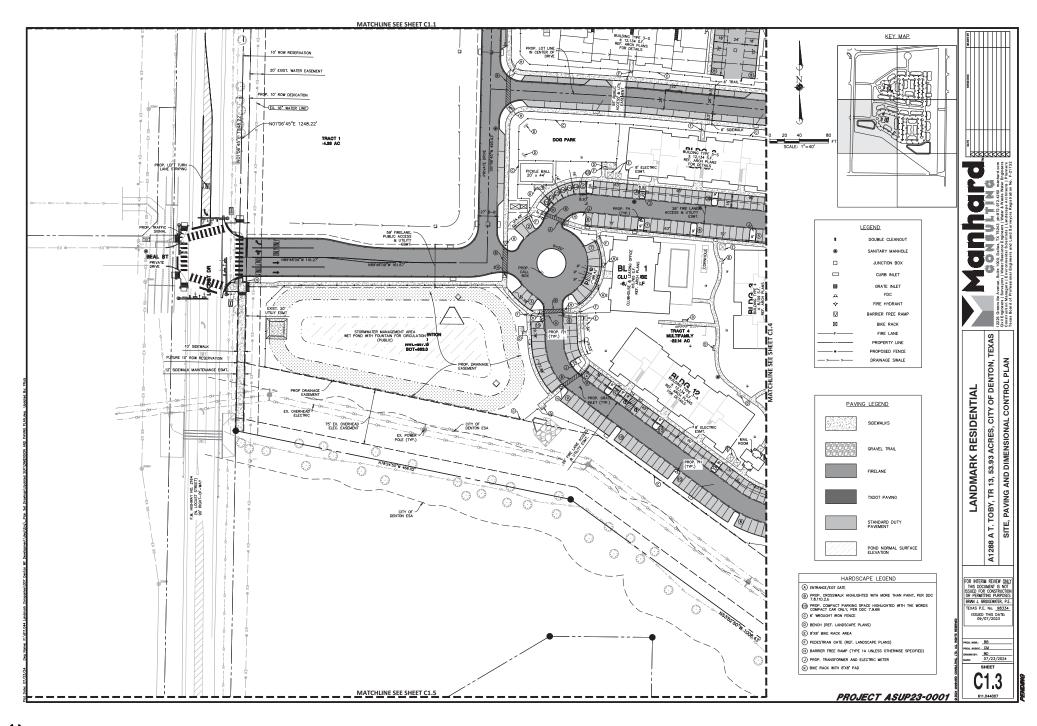


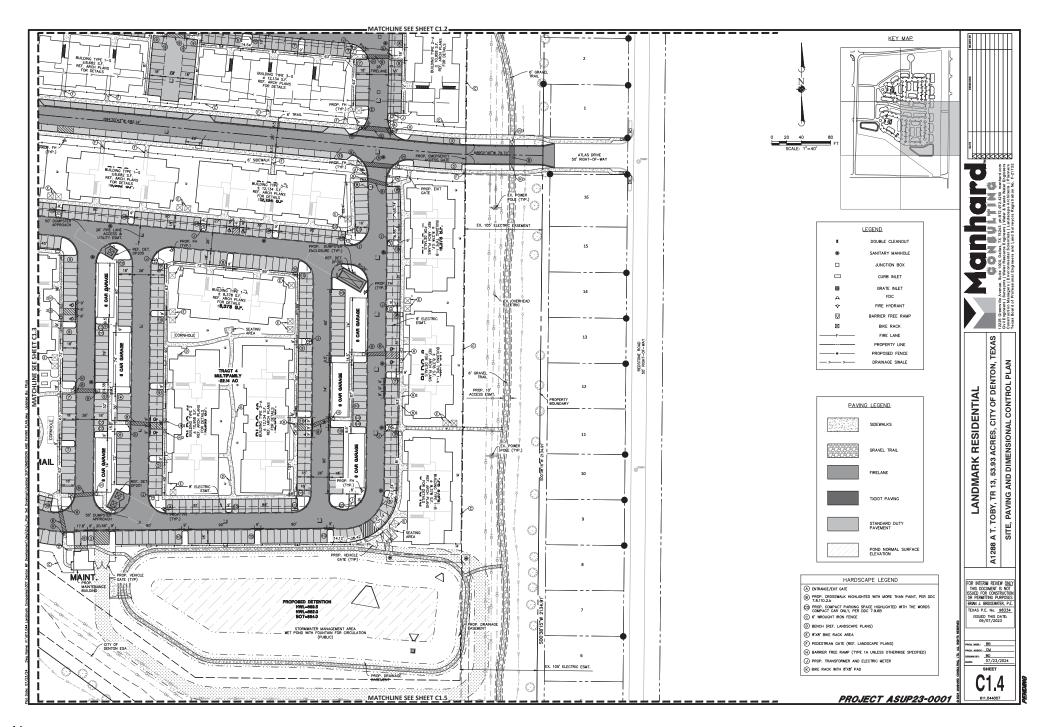


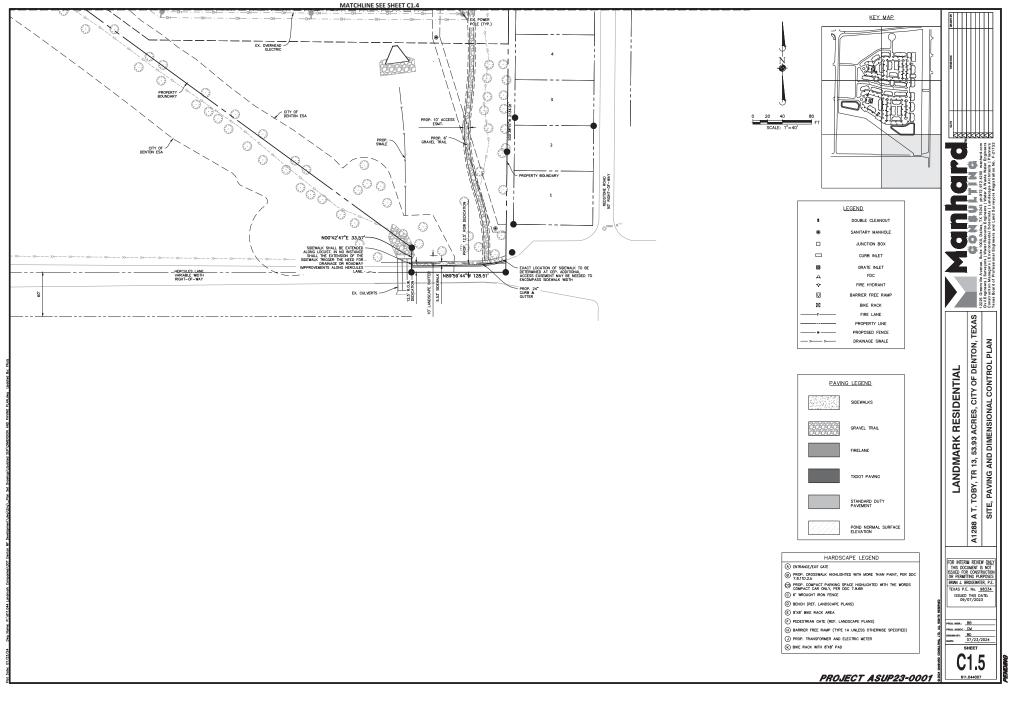


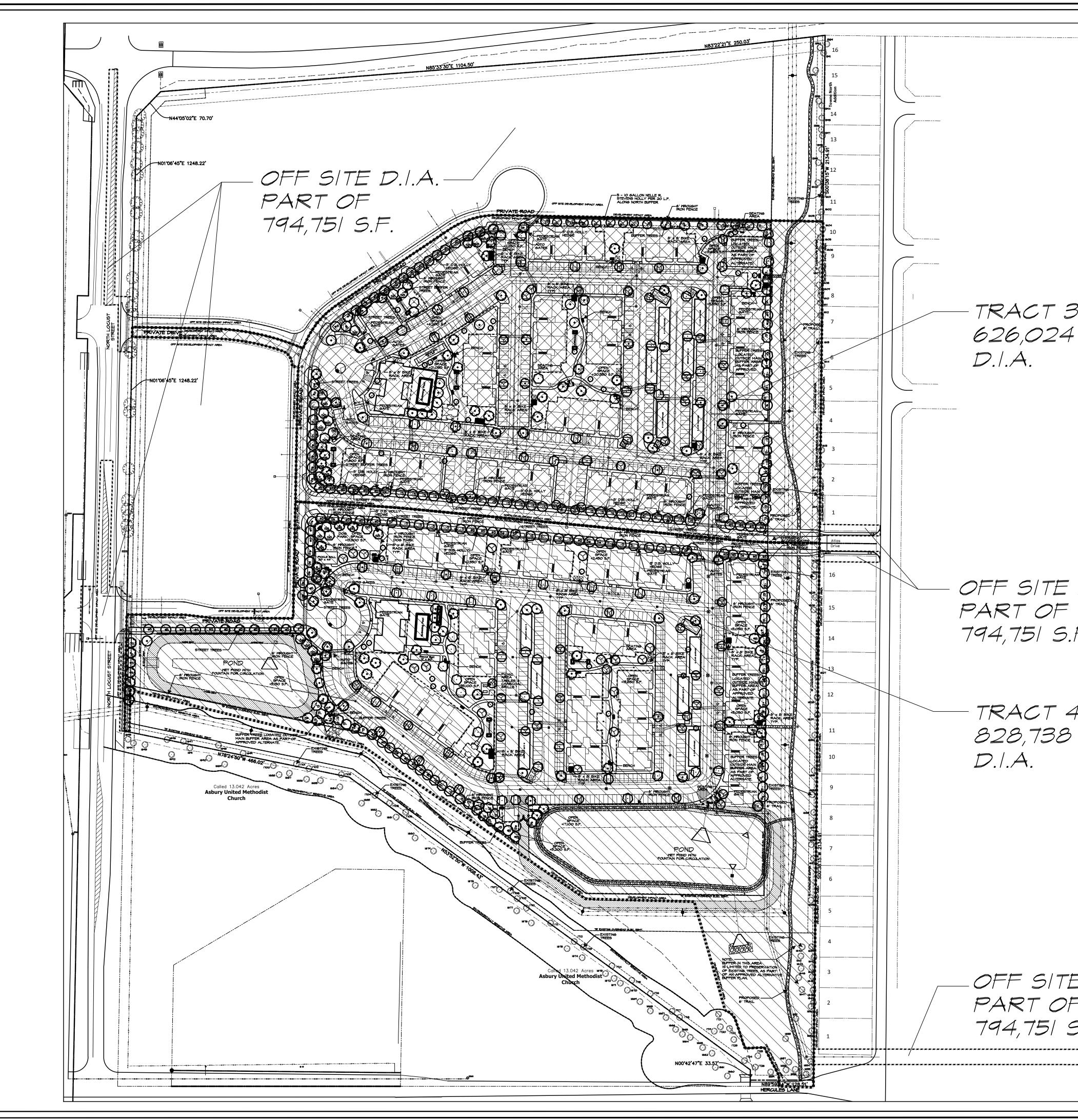




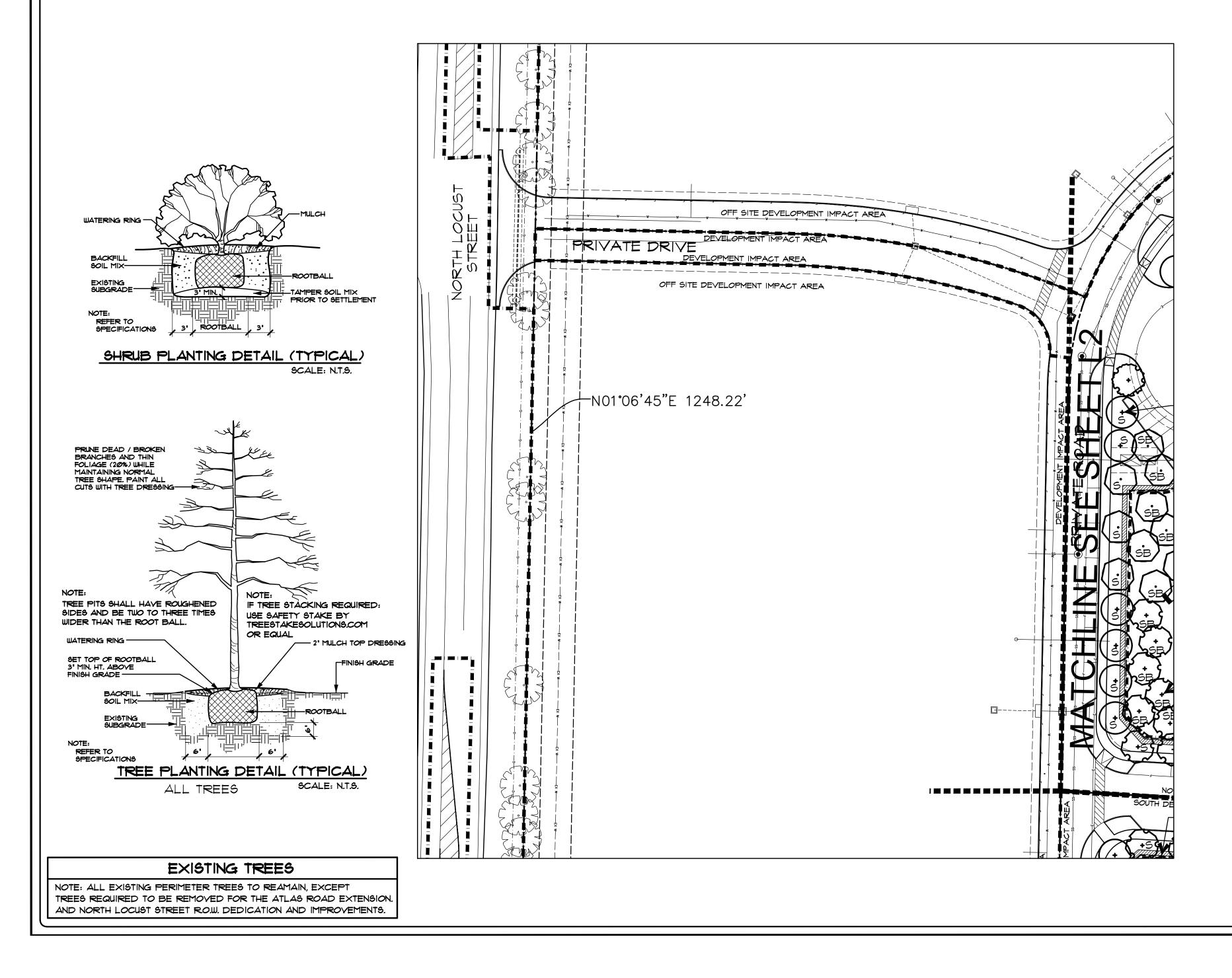


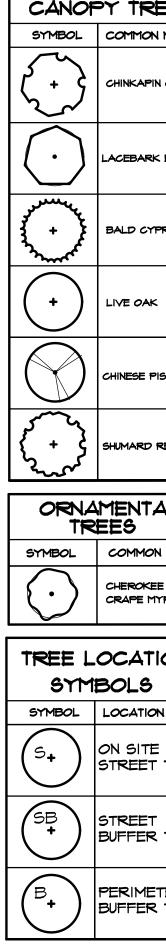


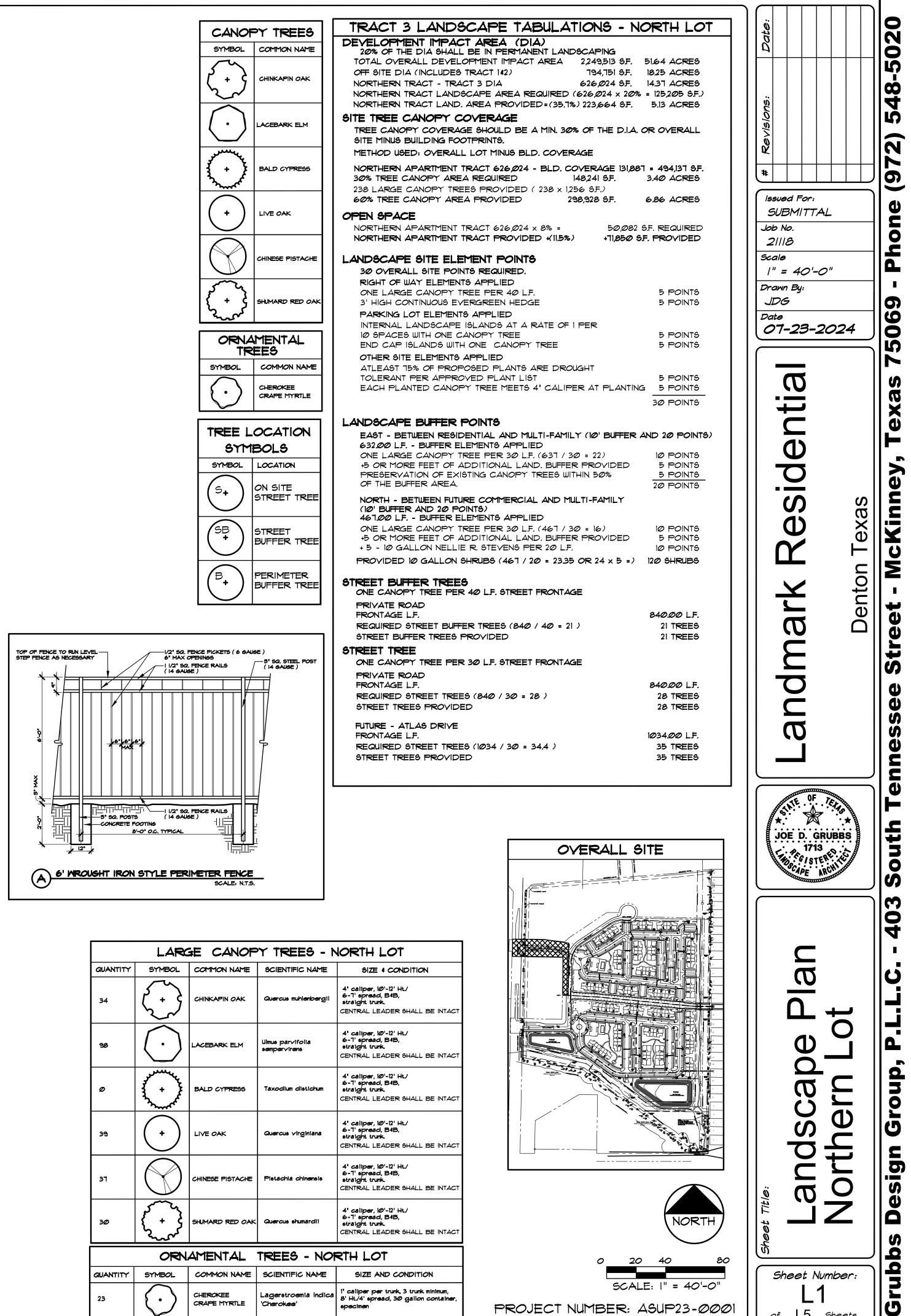


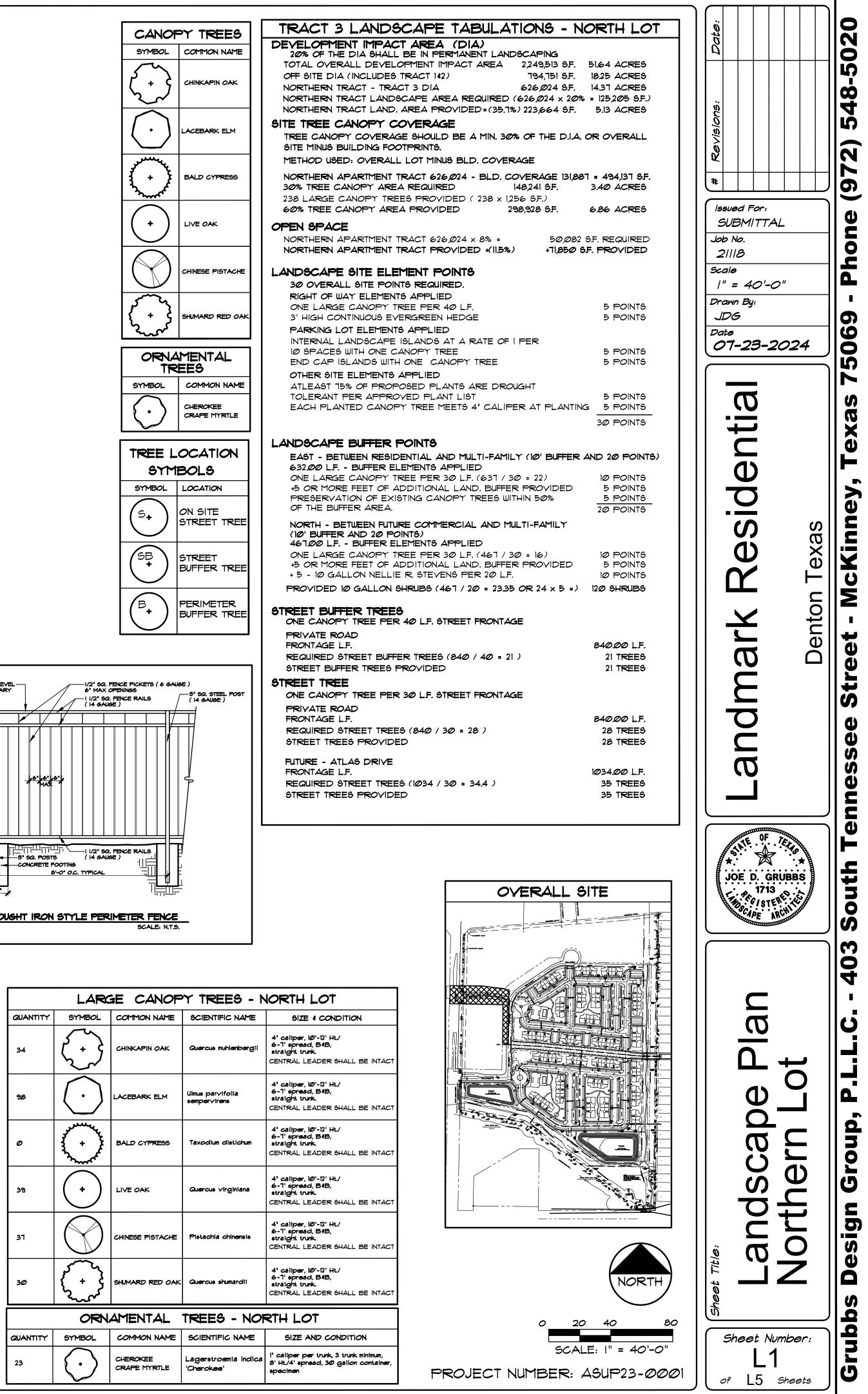


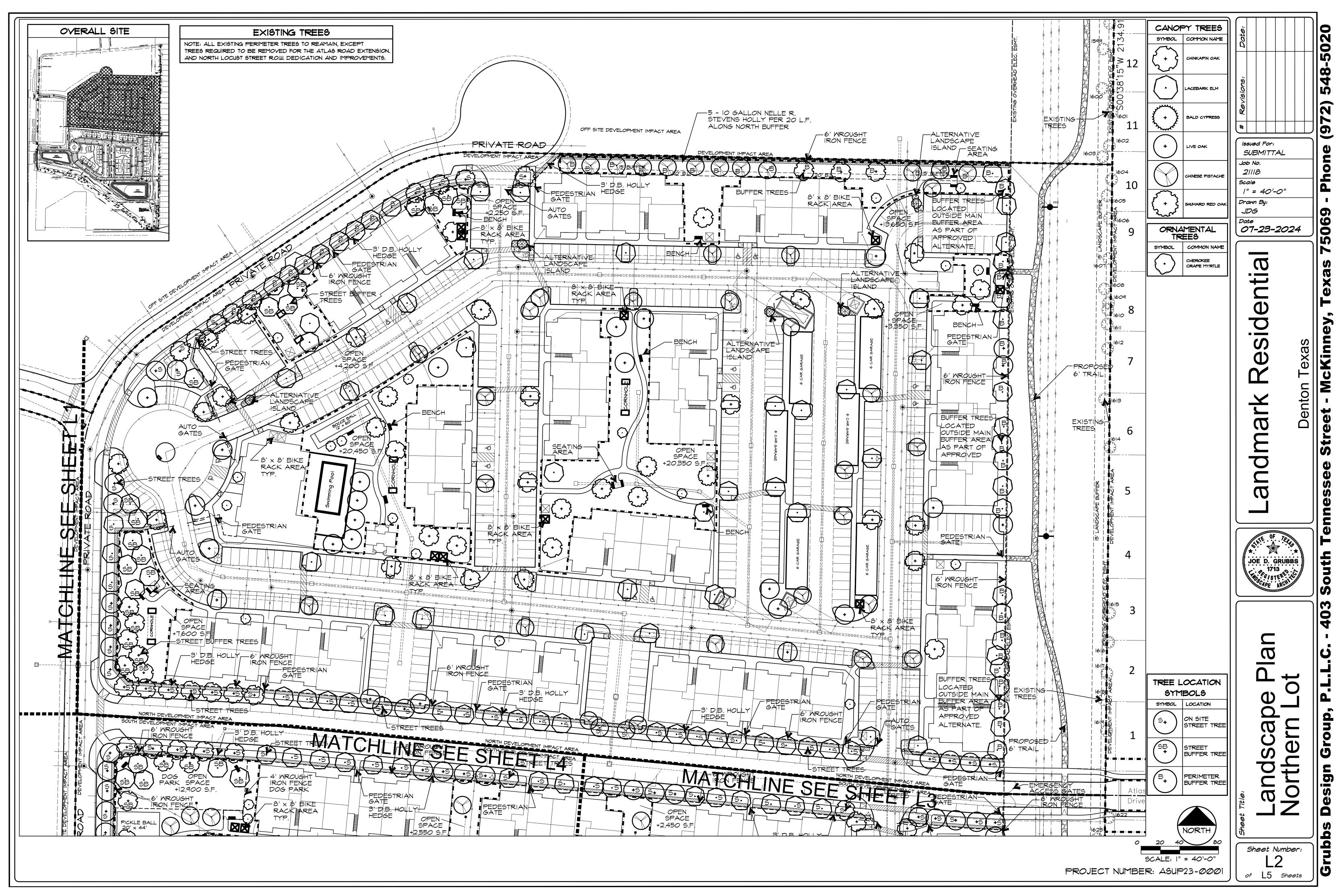
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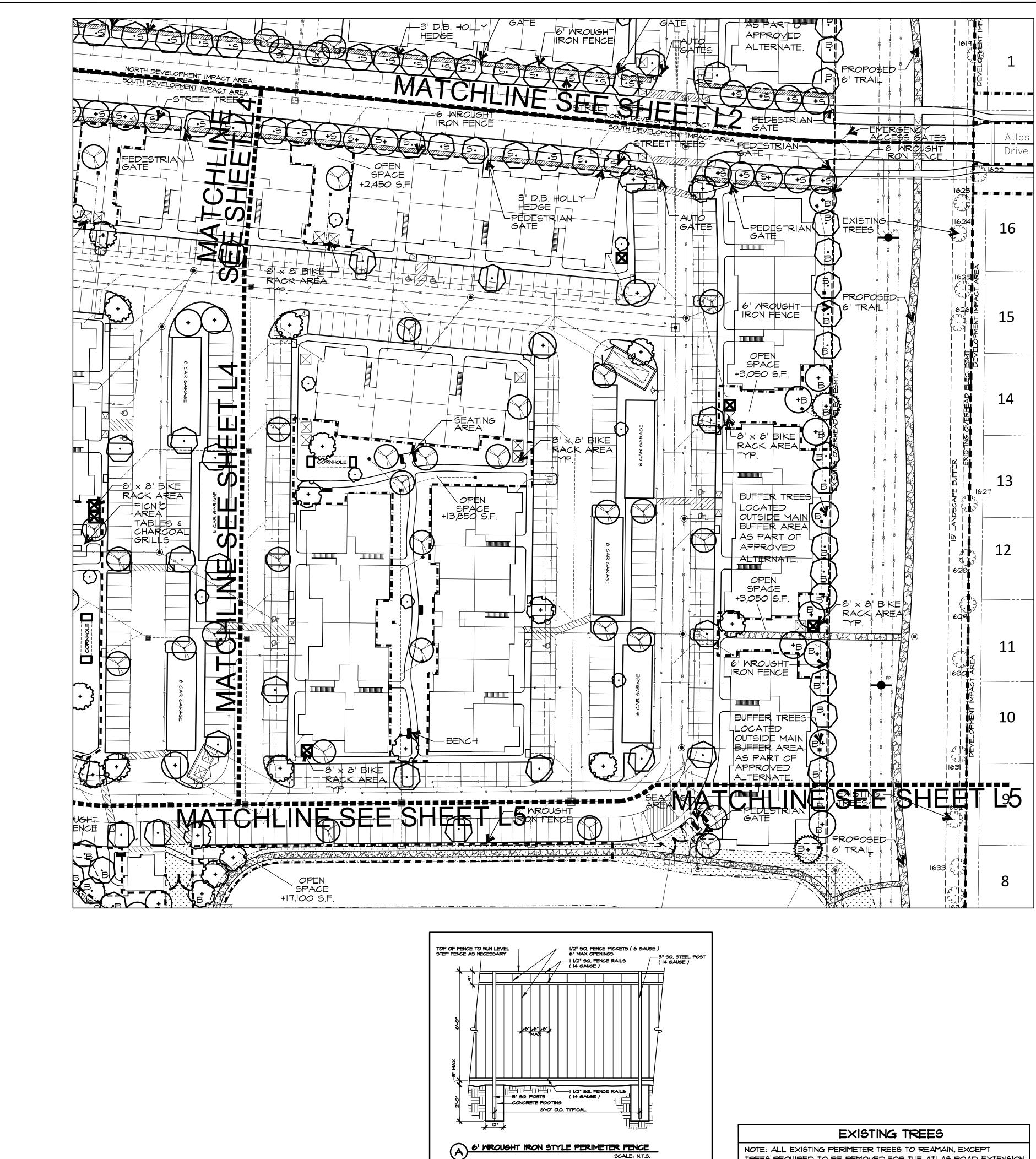


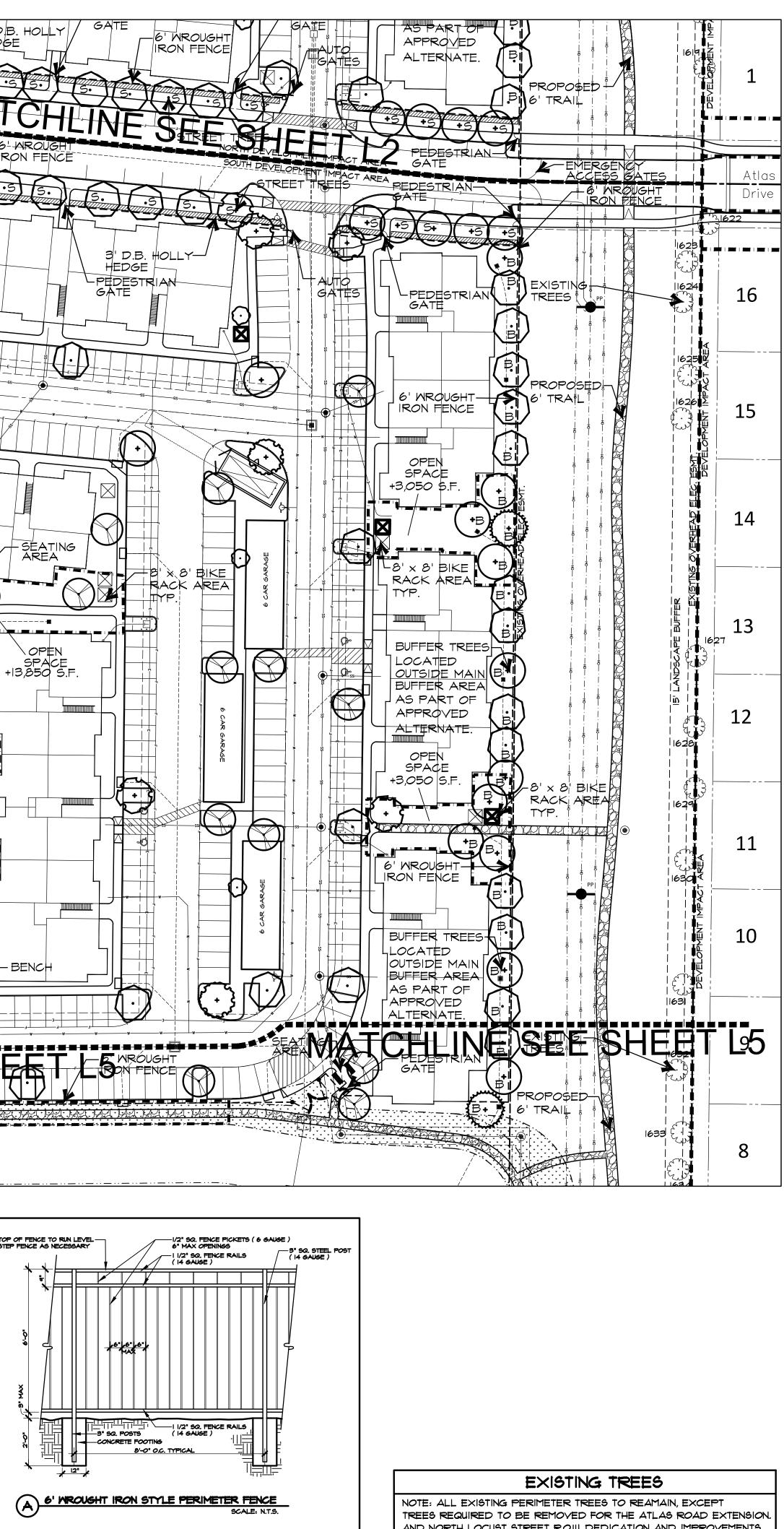


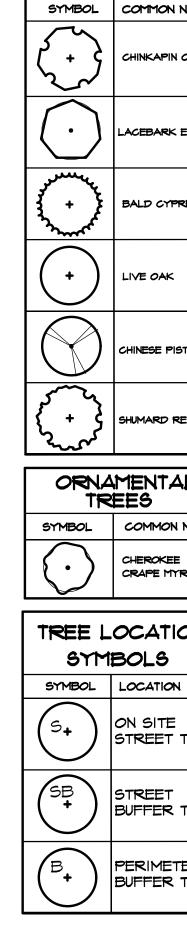




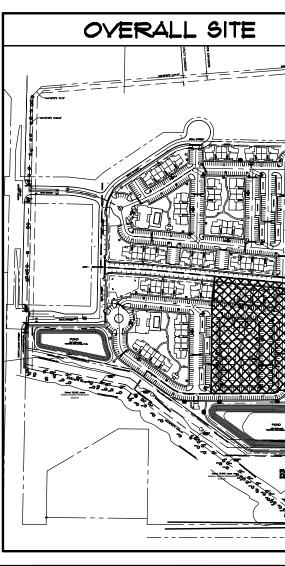






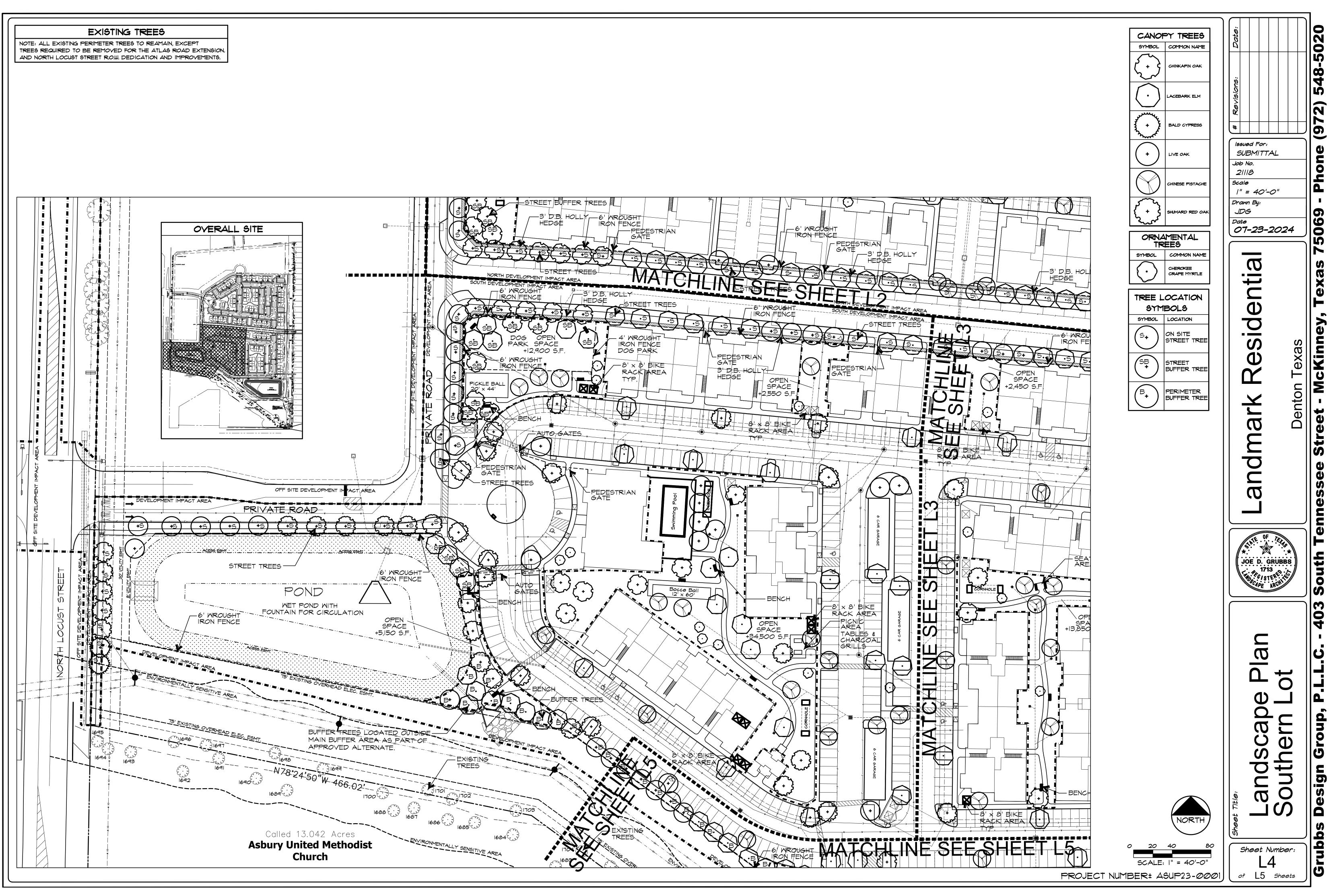


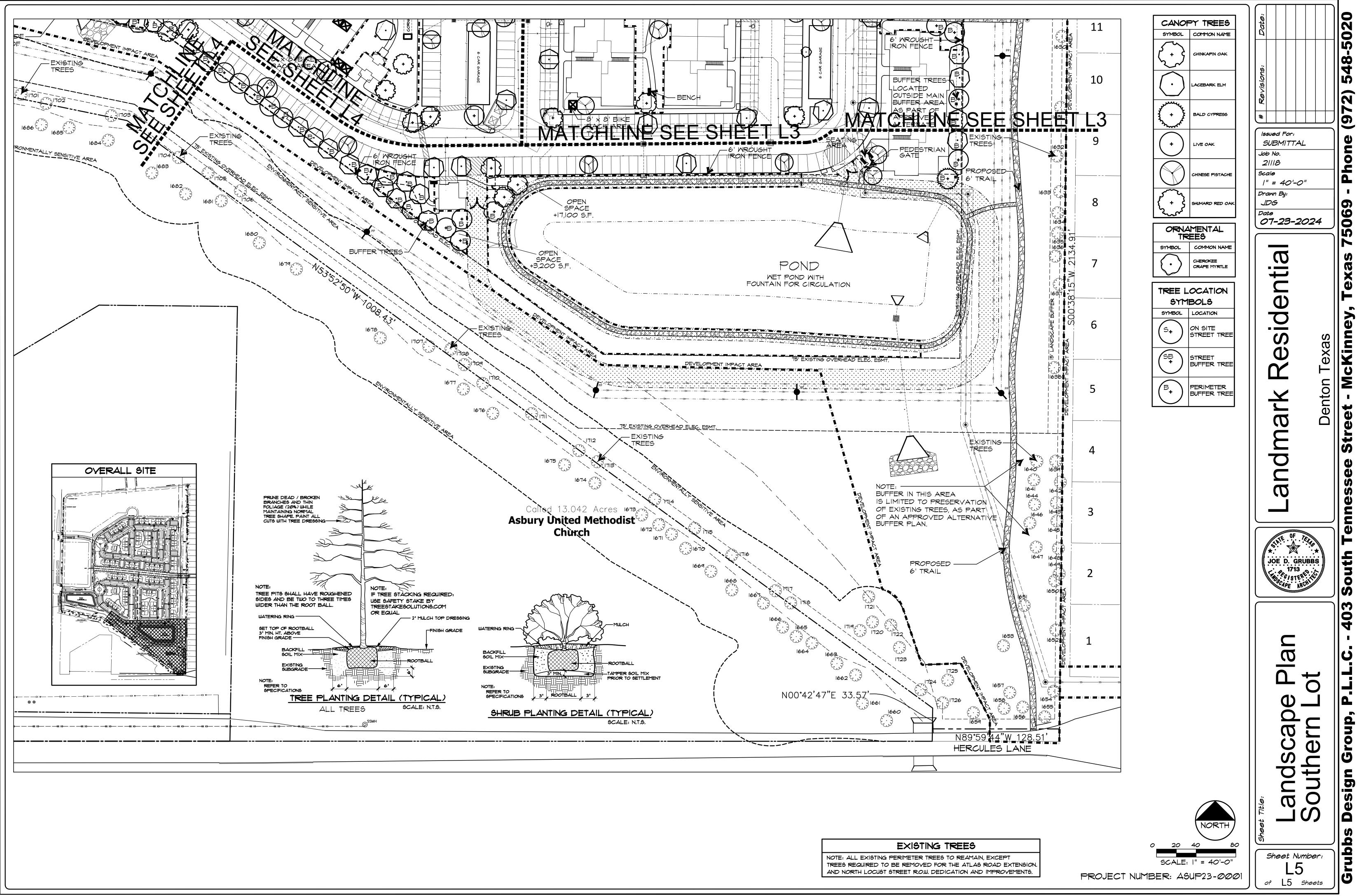
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### **RE: ALTERNATIVE LANDSCAPE PLAN MEMO**

Project: Landmark Multifamily Project Number: ASUP 23-0001

To Whom It May Concern

The Landmark Multifamily project requires a variance from the City of Denton Development Code, Chapter 7.7.5.F. Below are the specific sections of the code that the project does not adhere to, the reasons for these discrepancies, and the proposed alternatives that address or exceed these requirements.

Subchapter 7.7.5.F, Table 7.E Section B lists minimum parking lot landscaping elements and requires lots to include a minimum of at least 2 of the elements listed. The specific elements requiring a deviation from the code calls for End caps and Internal Landscape Islands with an area of at least 9' by 18', each containing at least one large canopy tree.

Variance is necessary due to the need for solid waste and pedestrian pathways providing access to dumpster areas and pedestrian amenities in 5 locations across the Northern drive of tract 3.

The proposed alternative calls for a relocated endcap tree to a non-turfed landscape area adjacent to the parking row the island is intended to serve. The original endcap or landscape island needing variance are called to be landscaped with both non-turf groundcover and an ornamental tree. Additionally, the areas with relocated tree locations provide a minimum area of 162 SF of groundcover to ensure the trees in them can thrive.

Regards,

Jason Pyka, PE Senior Project Manager



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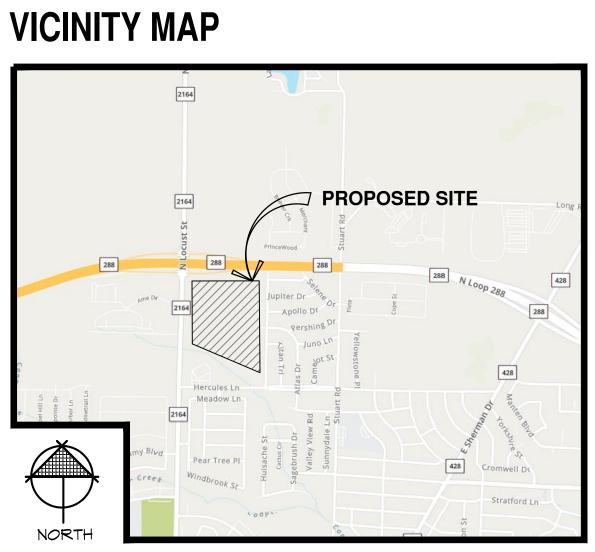
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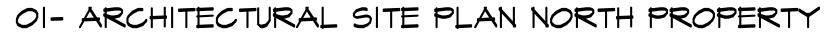
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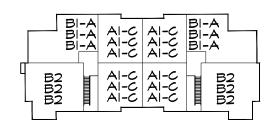


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UNIT TYPE	UNIT DESCRIPTION	NO. OF UNITS	UNIT SQ. FT.	TOTAL S.F.		
AI-A	I BEDROOM / I BATH	58	630	36,540		
AI-B	I BEDROOM / I BATH	6	704	4,224		
AI-C	BEDROOM /   BATH	76	720	54,720		
AI-D	I BEDROOM / I BATH	8	729	5,832		
AI-E	I BEDROOM / I BATH	8	807	6,456		
BI-A	2 BEDROOM / 2 BATH	60	979	58,740		
B2	2 BEDROOM / 2 BATH	72	1,051	75,672		
		30	1,291	38,730		
CI	3 BEDROOM / 2 BATH	50	ا92/	50,150		
	TOTAL APT UNITS	318		280,914		
	AVG. SF PER UNIT	883				
	ANCI	LLARY BUILDING	6			
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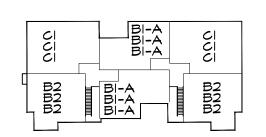
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AI-C	I BEDROOM / I BATH	56	720	40,320
AI-D	I BEDROOM / I BATH	8	729	5,832
AI-E	I BEDROOM / I BATH	4	807	3,228
BI	2 BEDROOM / 2 BATH	48	979	46,992
B2	2 BEDROOM / 2 BATH	66	1,051	69,366
СІ	3 BEDROOM / 2 BATH	36	1,291	46,476
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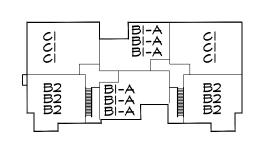
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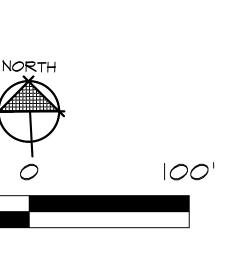


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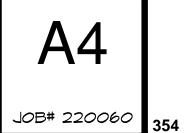


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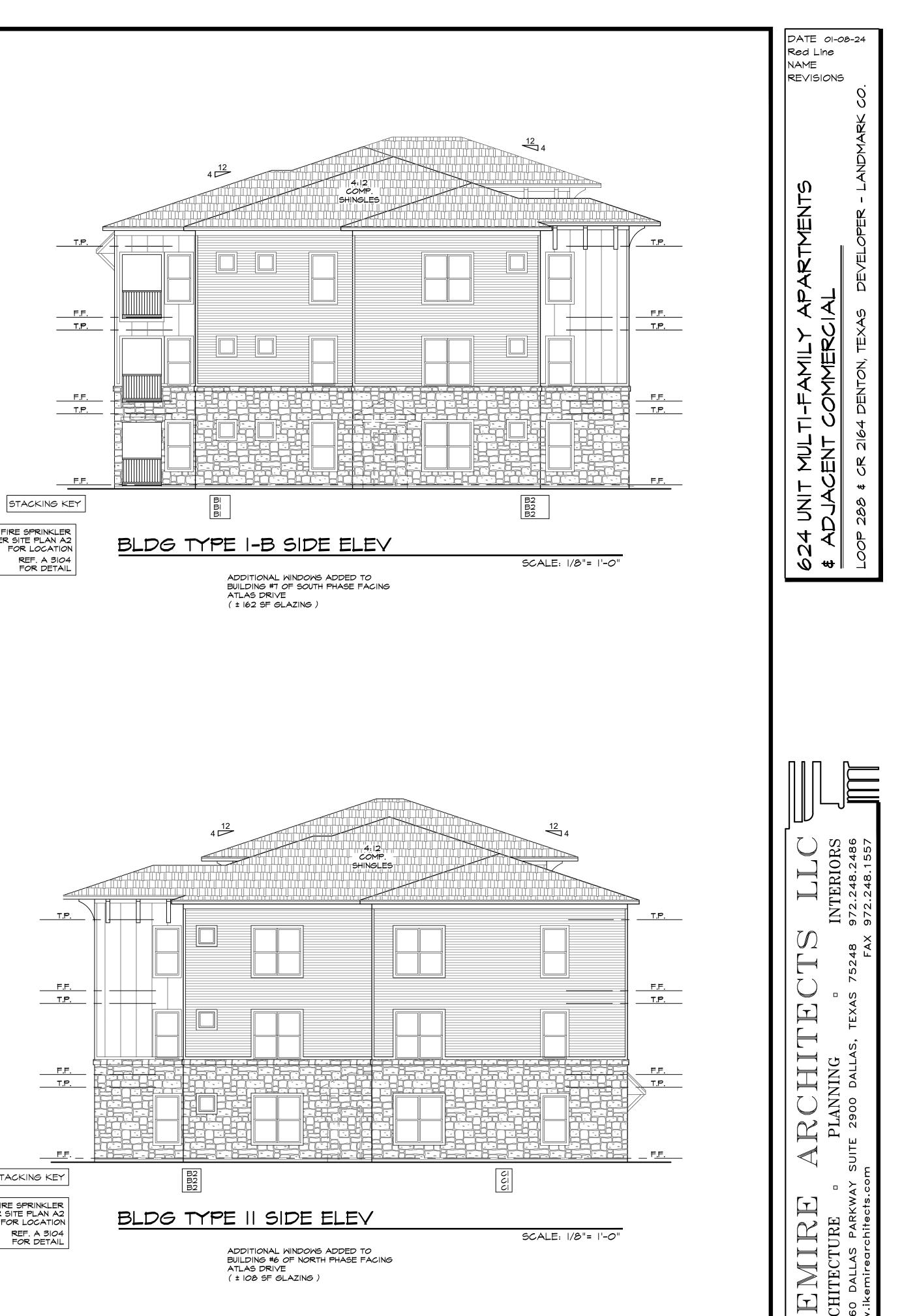
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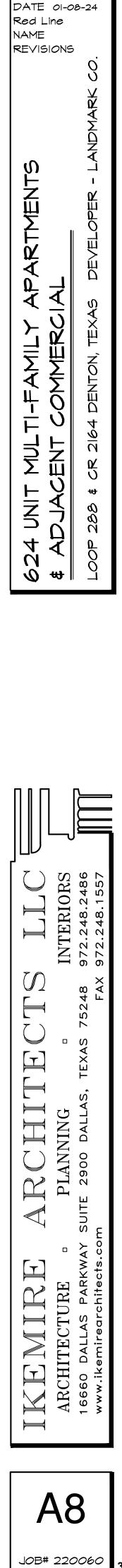
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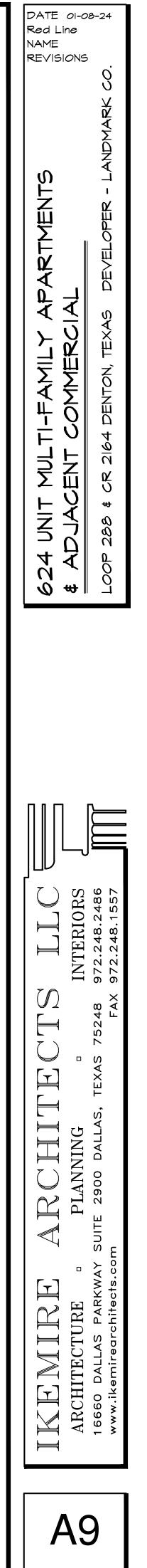
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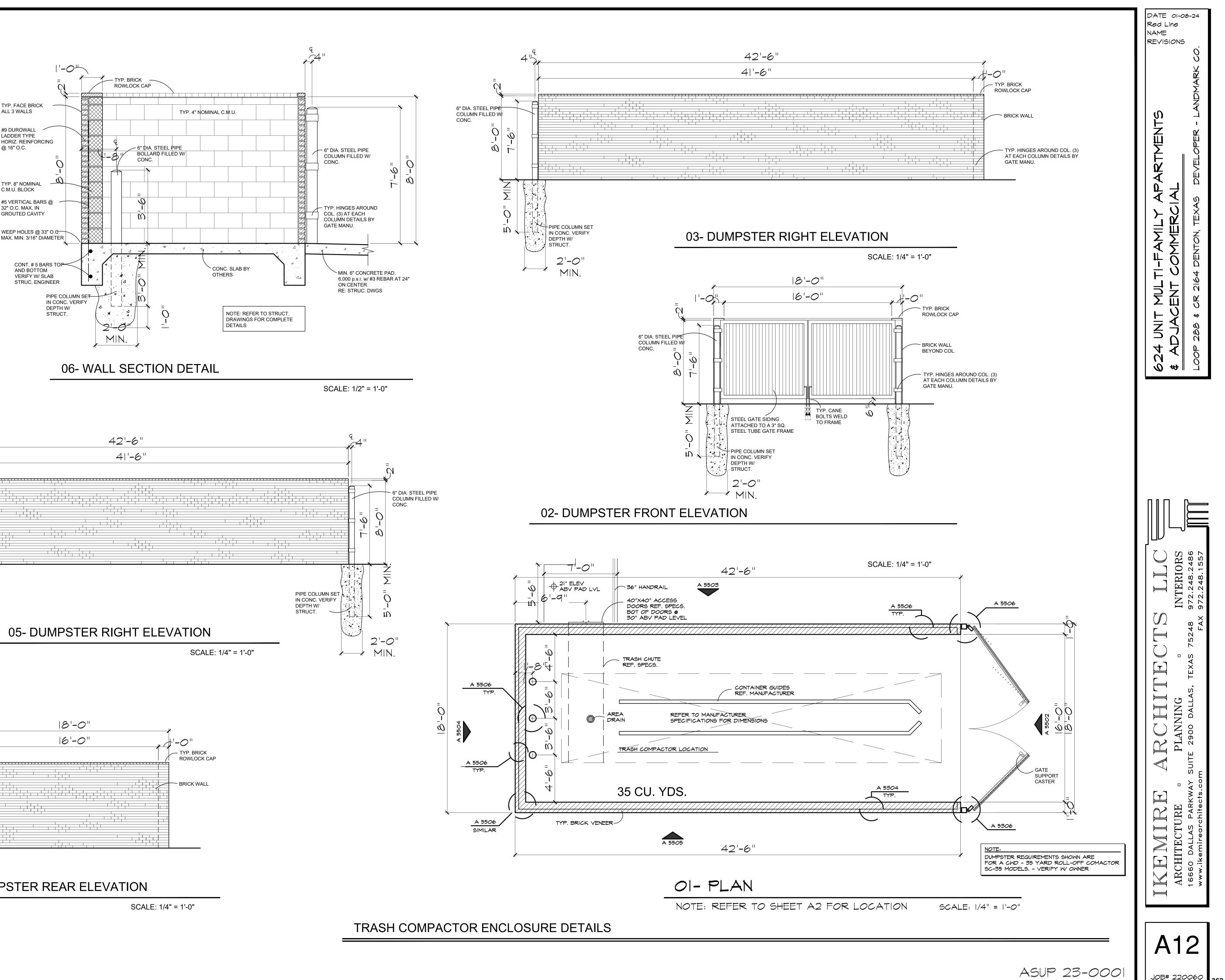
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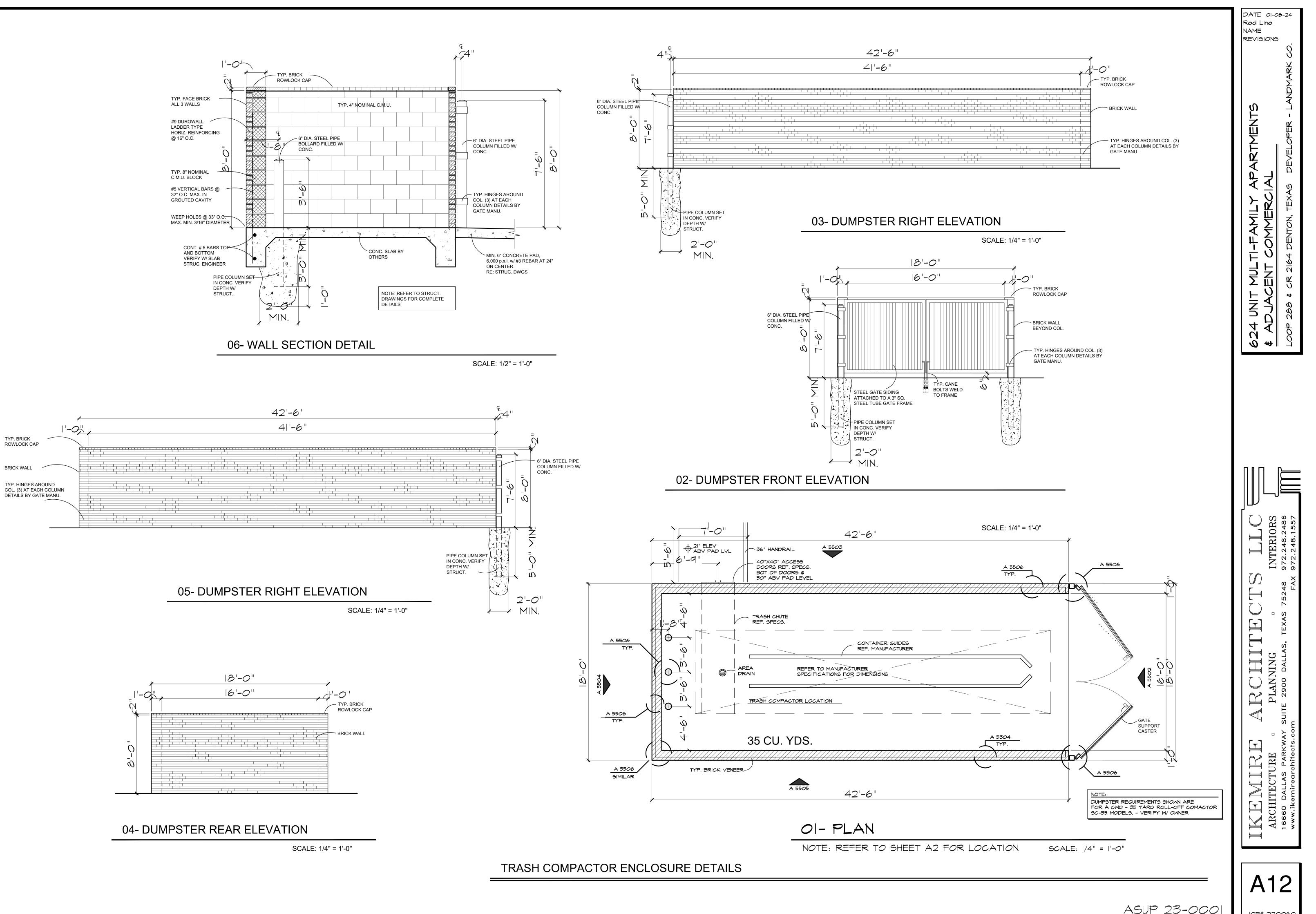
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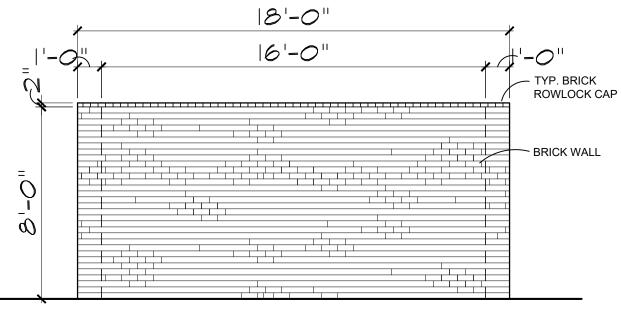
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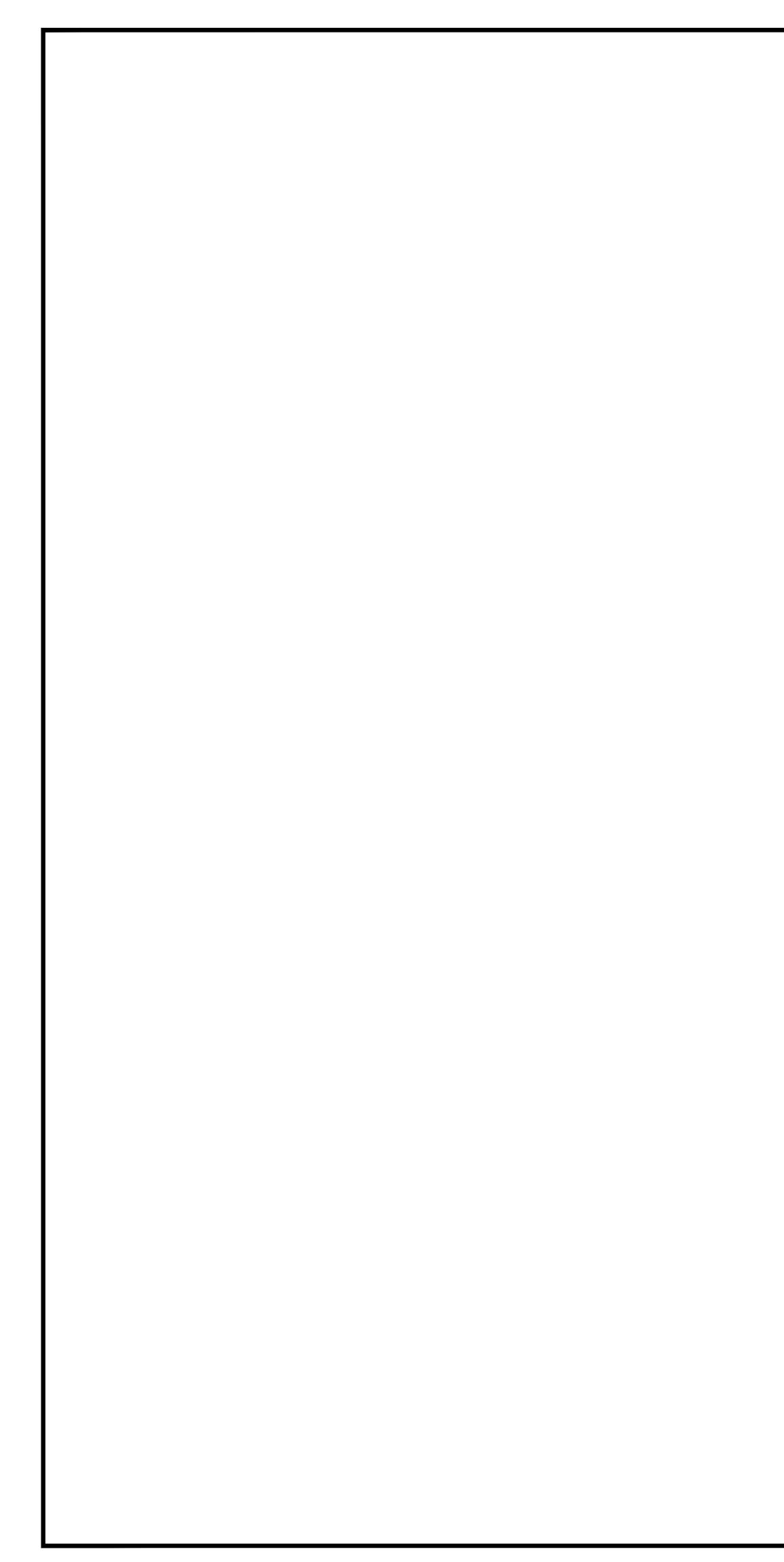


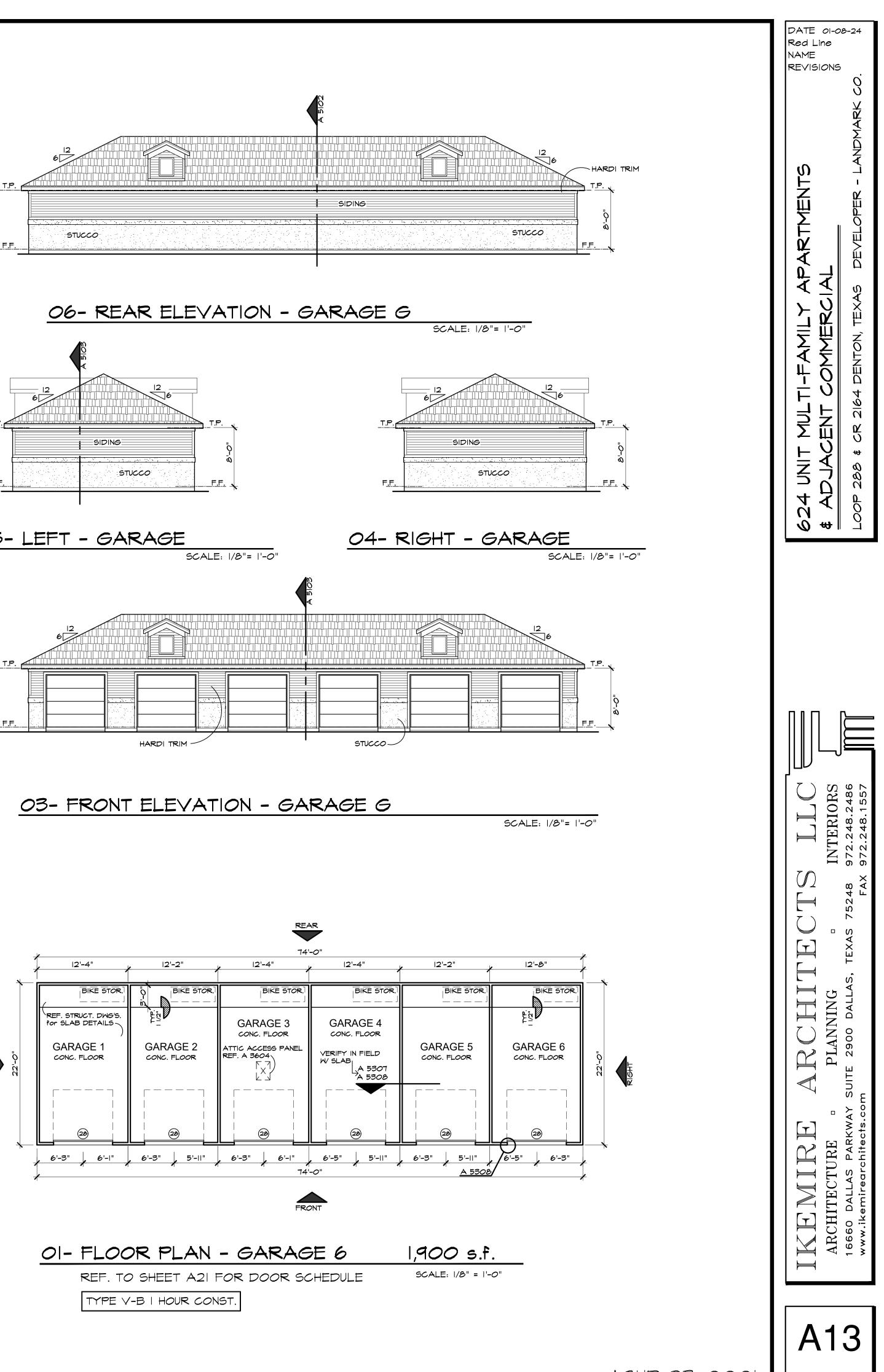


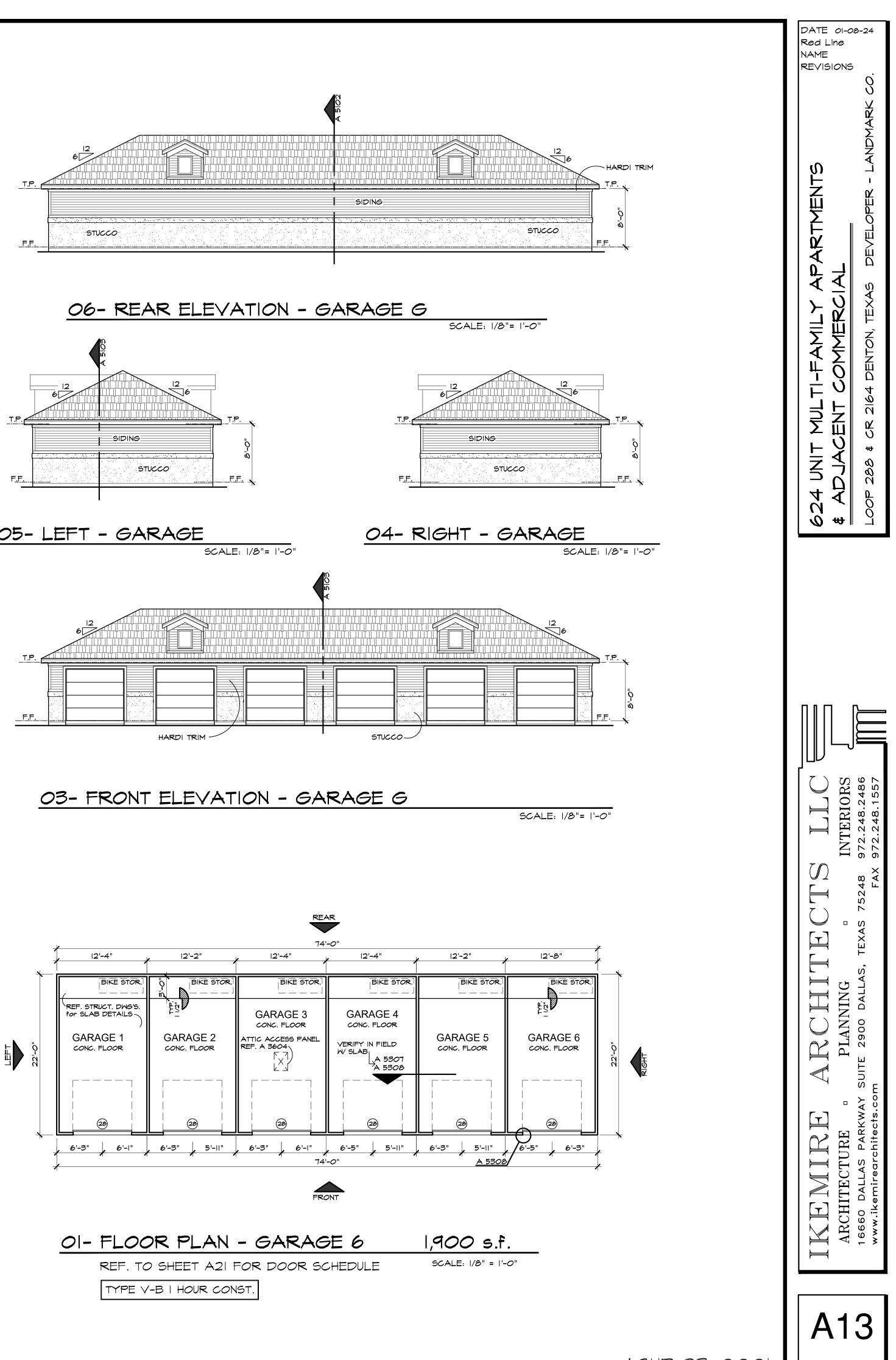


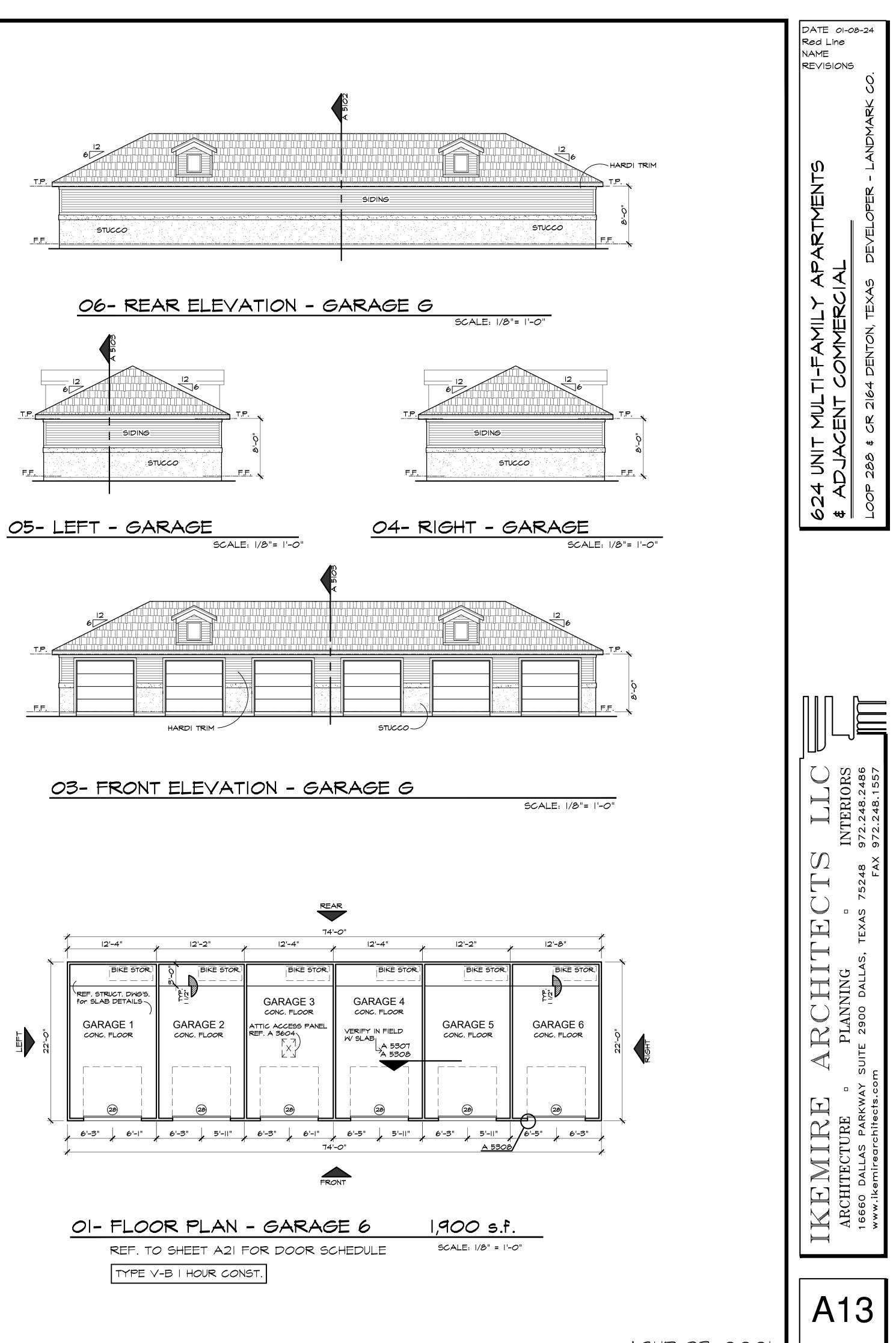
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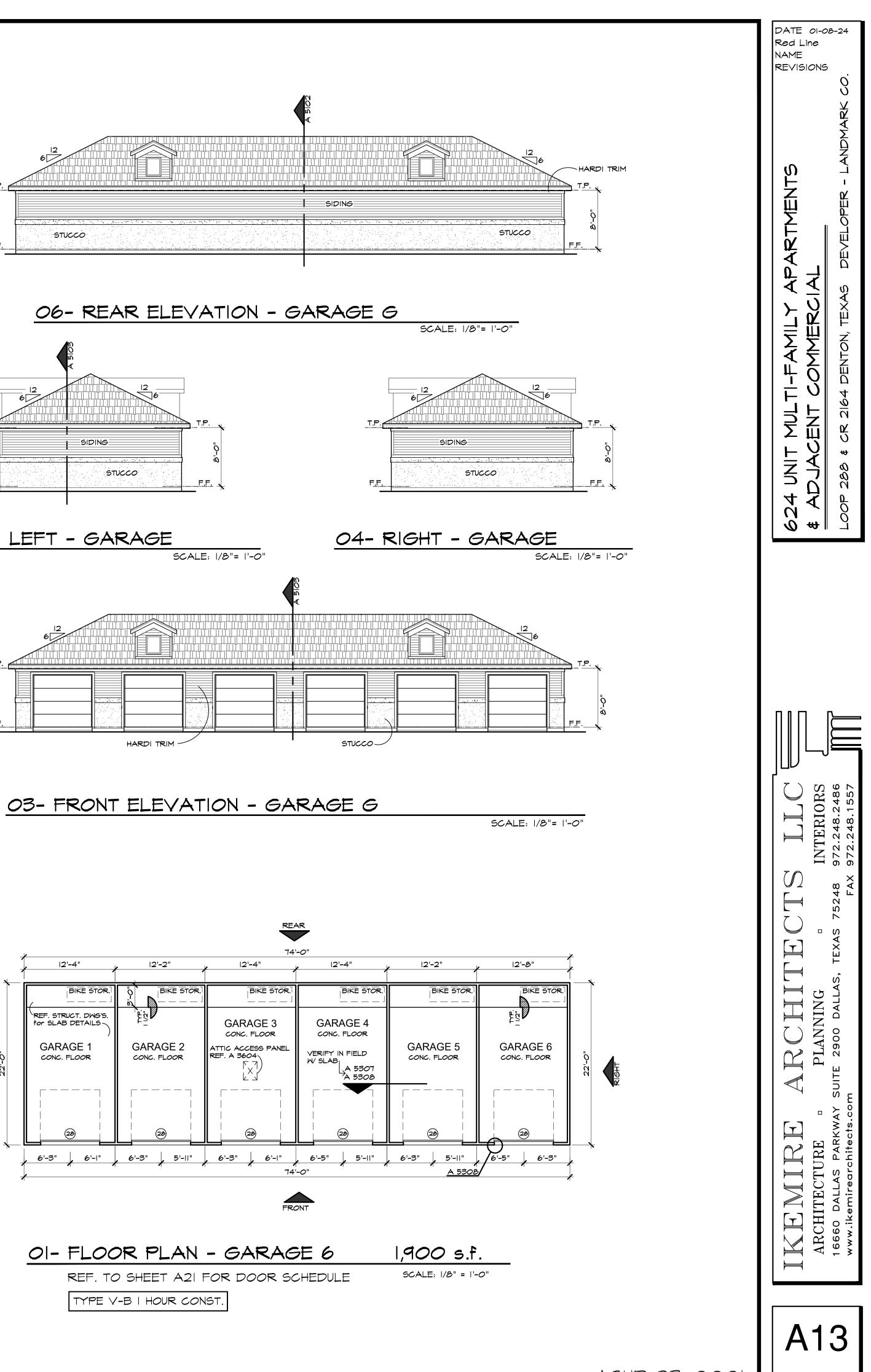
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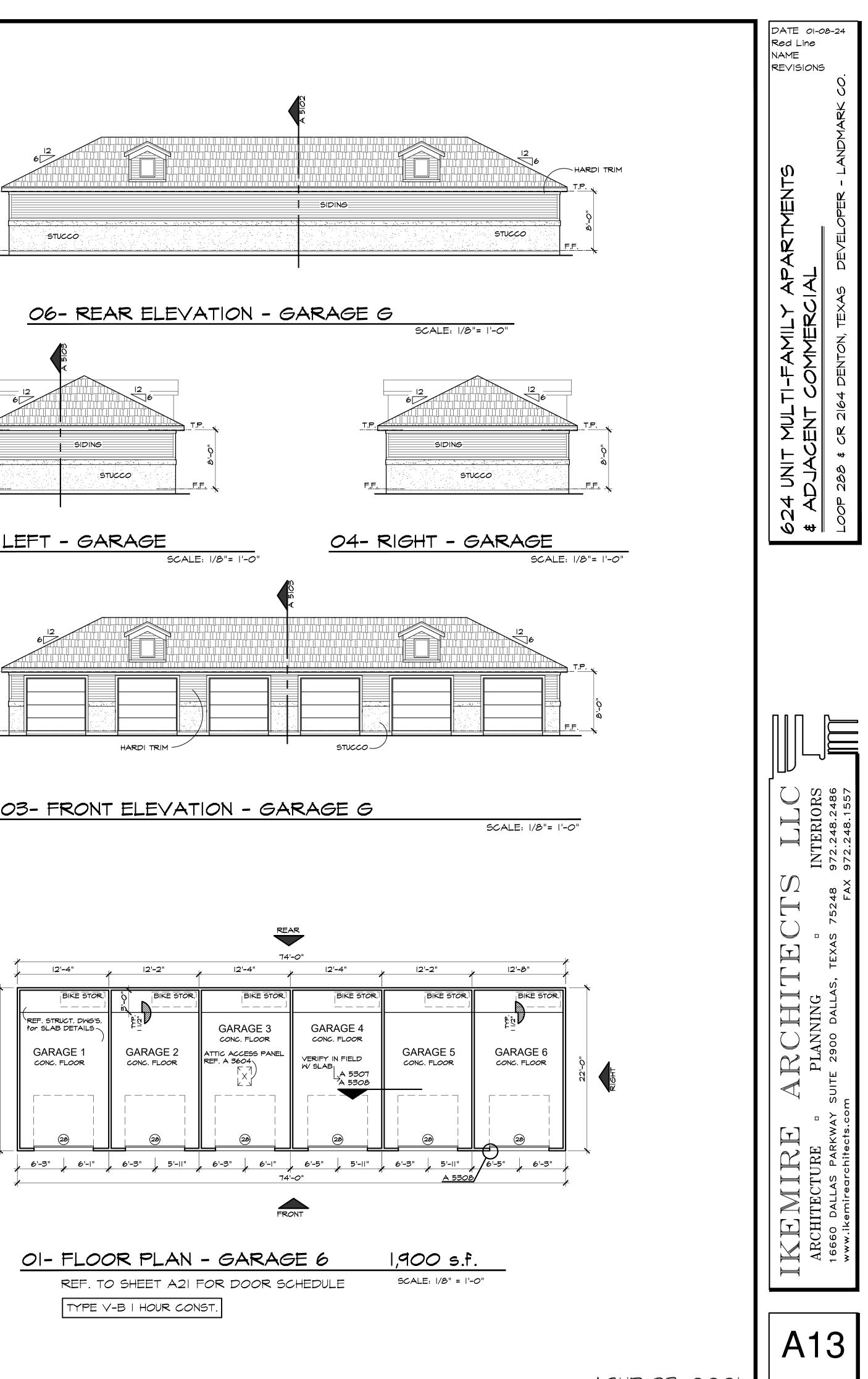


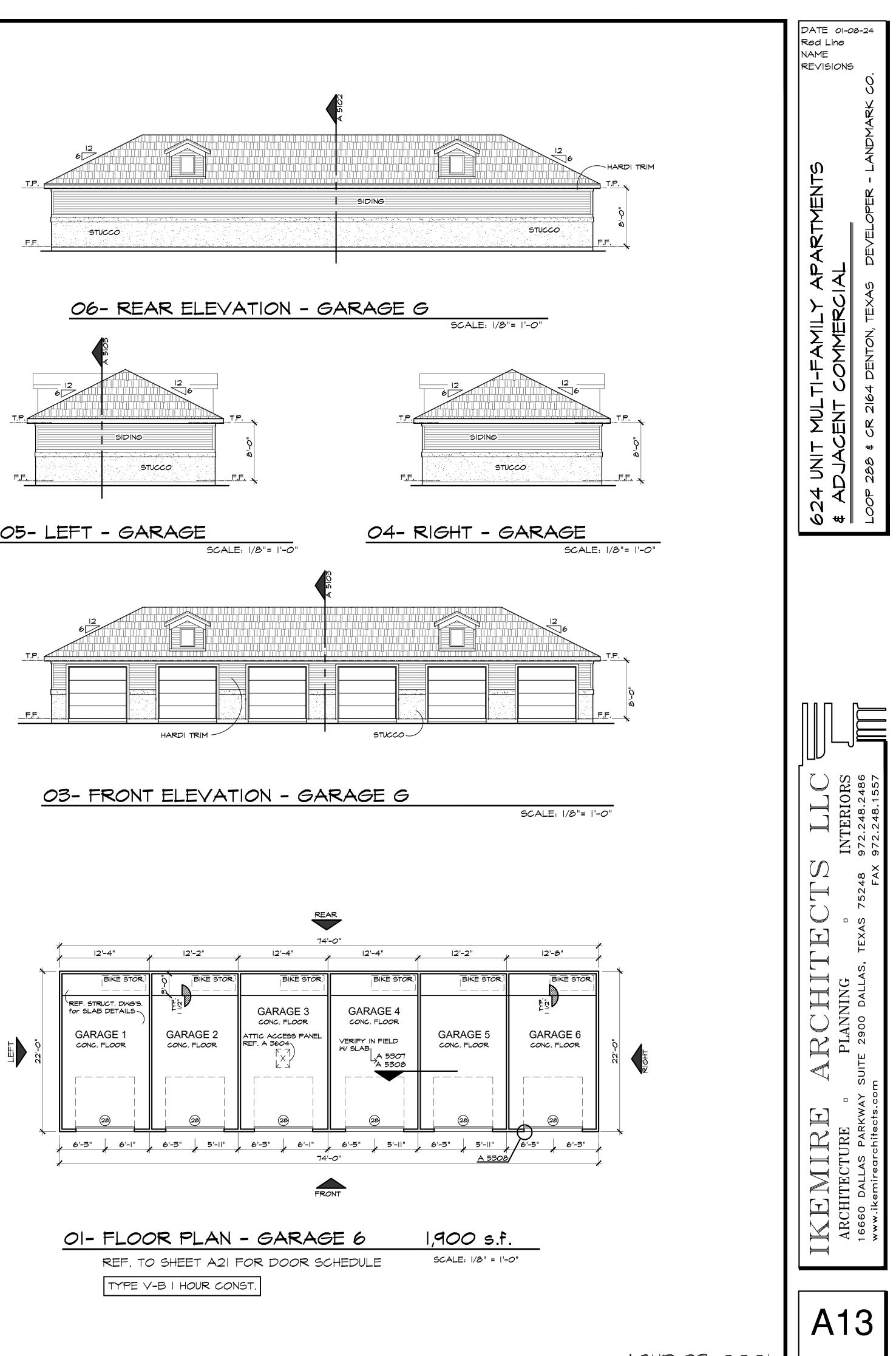












# BRICK VENEER

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### Landmark - Denton Project Narrative for SUP Application

The SUP would allow for the development of two market-rate multi-family projects:

- 1. The Landmark at Denton(north tract), a 318 unit apartment project; and
- 2. Landmark Place(south tract), a 306 unit apartment project.

The proposed development comprise of 2 multifamily projects totaling 624 units. The property obtained SUP zoning in 2023 allowing for 660 multifamily units. Due to pad depth changes in the retail market, it was determined that the shared drive between the retail and multifamily tracts needed to be shifted approximately 30 feet east to accommodate a greater number of retail users. The driveway shift impacted Multifamily Tracts causing a loss of 36 units and reconfiguration of useable open spaces, thus triggering the need for a revised SUP approval.

### Site Information

- The subject area is undeveloped.
- The larger tract contains FEMA (Zone X Floodplain) and ESA (Riparian Buffer) designations, extending northwest to southeast through the property.
- The area contains a 100-foot wide Electric Easement, located west to east along the Floodplain and turning north along the eastern boundary of the area, adjacent to the existing neighborhood.
- The area has primary frontage on Locust Street, a primary arterial to the west. Currently, there is no access to Loop 288 entry ramp/easement to the North.

Nor	thwest:	North:	Northeast:		
•	Zoning: Suburban Corridor (SC) and Planned Development (PD) Use: Loop 288 and Undeveloped	<ul> <li>Zoning: Suburban Corridor (SC)</li> <li>Uses: Loop 288 and Undeveloped</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Zoning: Residential 4 (R4)</li> <li>Use: Loop 288 and Single Family Detached Dwelling</li> </ul>		
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Southwest:		South:	Southeast:		
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•	Use: Proposed Single Family Detached Dwelling	Use: Single Family Detached     Dwelling	<ul> <li>Use: Religious Assembly and Single Family Detached Dwelling</li> </ul>		

### Surrounding Property Uses

### **Existing Site Conditions**

The parcel is undeveloped with trees only located within a riparian buffer area and natural drainage channel that forms the southern boundary of the property.

- 1. *Topography/Hydrology*: The site is relatively flat with a slight gradient to the south and southeast towards drainage channel. The property contains areas previously identified in 2016 as FEMA 100-year floodplain.
- 2. *Current Land Uses*: The entire parcel is vacant and is occasionally used for agricultural purposes.
- 3. *Circulation/Uses*: The current, vacant tract does not generate traffic. Vehicular access to the site would primarily be from North Locust (FM 2164), because access is restricted from Loop 288 and not easily accessible to South. Atlas Street intersects the property from the east, but only emergency ingress/egress is proposed at this location in order to avoid traffic impacts to the residential neighborhood.
- 4. *Existing Open Space*: The entire property is currently vacant. The existing DME easement areas will remain open space.
- 5. Existing Recreation and Preservation Areas: None
- 6. *Existing Infrastructure/Utilities*: The subject site has access to all major utilities. Vehicular and pedestrian access to the site shall be from North Locust (FM 2164), a secondary arterial road.

### Project Conformance with Zoning and Other Laws

The proposed projects will comply with requirements of the Denton Development Code and other laws.

## Infrastructure Capacity

- 1. *Road Access*: Primary access to both projects will be from North Locust (FM 2164) via a new public road (cul-de-sac) to be constructed by the Developer, in accordance with City requirements. The roadway will match with the alignment of Beal Street, at its intersection of North Locust.
- 2. *Traffic Signal and Road Improvements*: Subject to approvals of TxDOT and City of Denton, Developer proposes to install a new traffic signal at the intersection of Beal Street and North Locust, along with improvements to North Locust to provide for turning points for both northbound and southbound traffic on North Locust. A

dedicated northbound deceleration/turn lane at Beal Street will be added. The new traffic signal will moderate traffic flow along North Locust and improve traffic operations to the south at the intersection of Hercules. A southbound left turn lane will also be provided at the intersection of Locust and Ame Drive to help alleviate congestion at that driveway entrance.

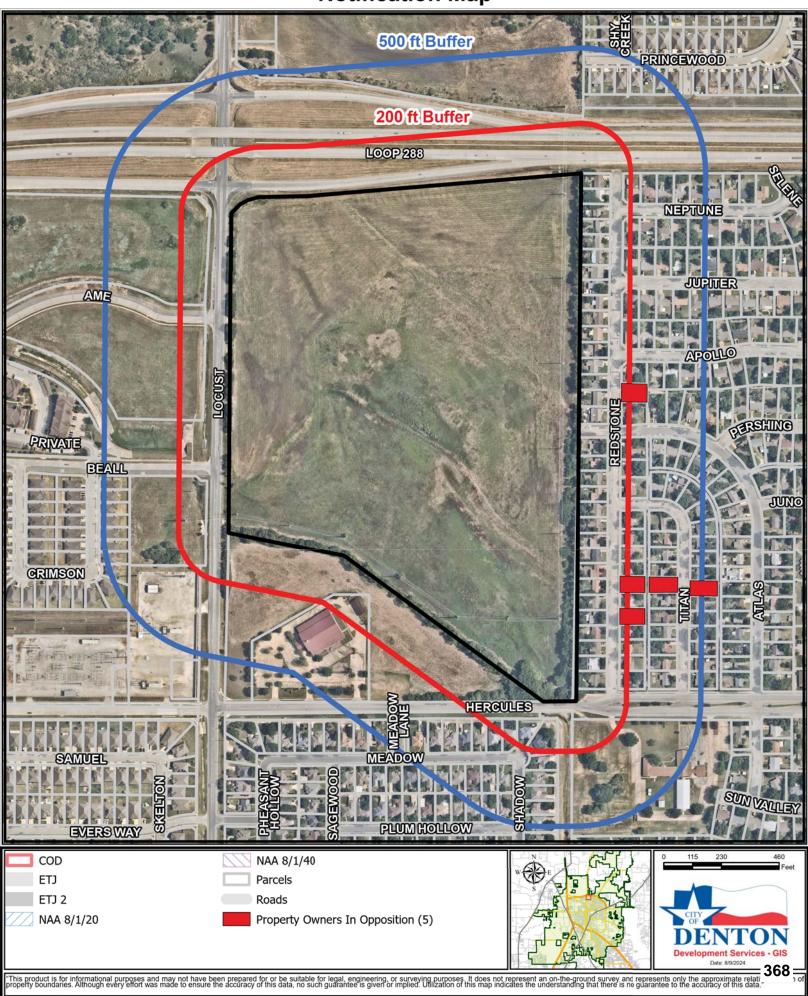
- 3. *Fire Access Provided*: To accommodate fire access requirements to the properties, an emergency fire access point will be provided to the project sites via Atlas Street, from the East. However, this access point is proposed to be closed at all times to traffic, otherwise.
- 4. *Utility Services*: City of Denton staff have confirmed that adequate utilities are present in North Locust to serve the projects. Water and electrical services will be extended in the new Beal Street ROW to the projects. Sewer may outfall at different locations, and this is under review.

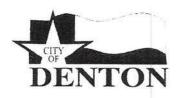
### Compliance with SUP Approval Criteria

- 1. The specific use proposed is compatible with the surrounding area. The surrounding area is mostly residential in character, including multi-family and single-family uses. The proposed apartment projects would serve as an appropriate buffering use between *future* active commercial land-use activities along North Locust and these residential uses.
- 2. The specific use proposed has minimal impacts on future development of the area. The proposed multi-family developments will not impair development in the area. Other commercial and multi-family parcels are nearby, and the increased density provided by the projects—along with proposed traffic infrastructure—may facilitate future development in the area.
- 3. The specific use proposed meets all other standards of this DDC and all other applicable city codes. The proposed project and use will meet all standards of the Denton Development Code and other applicable codes.
- 4. Any impacts associated with access, traffic, emergency services, utilities, parking, refuse areas, noise, glare, and odor have been adequately mitigated. The project has been designed to direct traffic away from nearby neighborhoods, and to ensure that there are no impacts related to traffic, emergency services, utilities, refuse, noise, glare or odors to any nearby property. A sufficient buffer has been provided between this development and the existing residential neighborhood to ensure that specifically noise, glare, and odor are minimized.

- 5. The use is in conformance with the Comprehensive Plan and any other applicable adopted plans. The proposed land use is conformance with the Comprehensive Plan, the Suburban Corridor zoning district, and all adopted plans.
- 6. The use adversely impacts the health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the area and the City of Denton. The proposed apartment projects do <u>not</u> adversely affect the health, safety or welfare of the nearby residents or the City of Denton.

## ASUP23-0001 Notification Map





Response Form Project Number ASUP23-0001 Landmark at Locust Multi-Family

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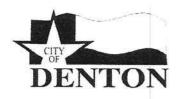
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Signature: Bernie Ray Brown for B Quest
Printed Name: B-Quest
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City, State and Zip Code: Denton, Tx 76202
Phone Number: 940-387-4323
Email Address: pragent a jimmy brown realton con
Physical Address of Property within 200 Feet: 3824 Red stone

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Signature: Bernie Kay Brown Sr B. Quest	
Printed Name: B-Quest	<u>-</u>
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City, State and Zip Code: Denton Tx 76202	
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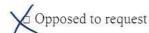
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Signature: Bernie Kaybrown for B-Quest	
Signature: <u>Bernie Kaybrown</u> for B-Quest Printed Name: <u>B-Quest</u>	
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## **PUBLIC HEARING NOTIFICATION SIGN AFFIDAVIT OF SIGN POSTING**

Project No. ASUP23-001

Date of Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting: August 14, 2024

I hereby certify that I have posted or caused to be posted Public Hearing Notification sign(s) on the property

subject to Project Name/Number Landmark Multifamily

located at SEC Loop 288 & North Locust Drive, Denton, Texas

Said sign(s) have been obtained through a sign contractor of choice and meet the specifications as stated in the City of Denton Public Hearing Sign Criteria Sheet.

Posting of said signs was accomplished on July 30 \_\_\_\_\_, 2024 \_\_\_\_. Said signs have been posted in a manner which provides an unobstructed view and which allows clear reading from the public right(s)of-way along Loop 288 and North Locust Drive . Said signs will be maintained on the property throughout the entire public hearing process and will be removed within three (3) calendar days subsequent to the final decision by the approving body.

I further certify that this affidavit was filed with the Planning Department of the City of Denton within the time provisions specified in the City of Denton Public Hearing Sign Criteria Sheet.

Executed this the  $30^{+h}$ \_\_\_\_\_day of July\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative for Project No. ASUP23-001

### Brian Bridgewater

Printed Name of Applicant or Authorized Representative for Project No. ASUP23-001

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF Dallas	BEFORE ME, a Notary Public, on this_30 day
personally appeared Brian Bridgewater (pr	inted owner's name) the above signed, who, under oath, stated the following:
"I hereby certify that I am the owner, for the purposes of	of this application; that all information submitted herein is true and correct."
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, this the	<u>30</u> day of <u>July</u> , 20 <u>24</u> .

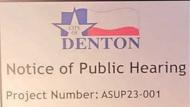


PLEASE NOTE: Failure to post the notification sign(s) on the property by the close of business (5 pm) on the tenth (10<sup>th</sup>) day prior to the first public hearing shall result in the postponement of consideration by the **Board or Commission.** 

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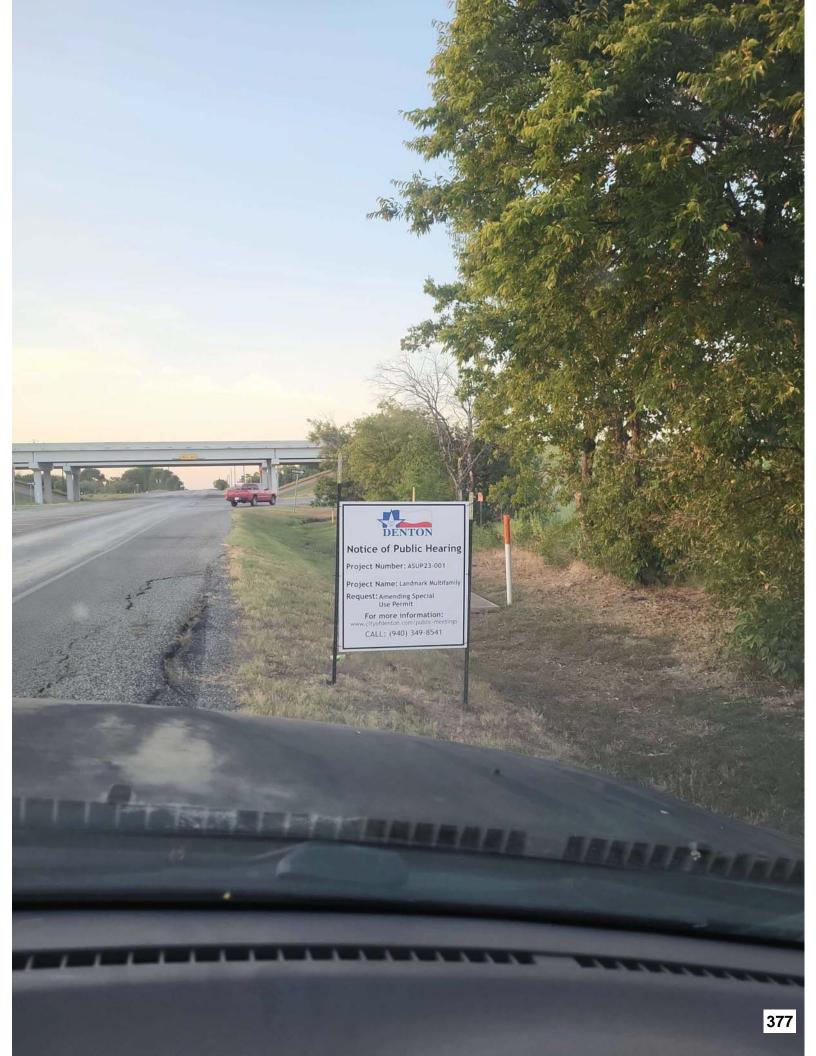
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# Sign-In Sheet Neighborhood Briefing September 27, 2023

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# Sign-In Sheet **Neighborhood Briefing** September 27, 2023

Name

TREY JACOBSON 124 E. Edgewood SA Louren Upchurch 4012 Atlas, Denton

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### Jacobson, Sean M.

From:	Trey Jacobson <trey@gainmomentum.us></trey@gainmomentum.us>
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2023 2:07 PM	
То:	Jacobson, Sean M.
Cc:	Brian Bridgewater
Subject:	RE: AS23.0001 (Landmark MF SUP amendment)

Everybody understands the need to move the boundaries, and is happy the project is essentially the same.

Everyone happy.

Trey

From: Jacobson, Sean M. <Sean.Jacobson@cityofdenton.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2023 1:58 PM
To: Trey Jacobson <trey@gainmomentum.us>
Cc: Brian Bridgewater <bridgewater@manhard.com>
Subject: RE: AS23.0001 (Landmark MF SUP amendment)

Trey,

Appreciate it! Yes, I tried to rush up after P&Z, but it was over by then.

How was the feedback? And thanks for the attendee list.

Thanks, Sean

Sean Jacobson Associate Planner Department of Development Services | Planning Division 401 N Elm St., Denton, TX 76201 Office: (940) 349-8584 | Fax: (940) 349-7707 www.cityofdenton.com/landdevelopment https://goo.gl/maps/EUce2WvahVW6cTXU7



Please help us improve your service by taking a 2 minute survey.

\*\*Effective January 1, 2023, all development projects must submit a Tree Preservation Plan (TPP) application. The TPP is a separate application that is to be submitted with the Zoning Compliance Plan (multi-family and commercial) or Preliminary Plat (residential). If you experience any issues during the submittal process, please contact Planning Technicians at (940)349-7716 or PlanningTechnicians@cityofdenton.com.

From: Trey Jacobson <<u>trey@gainmomentum.us</u>> Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2023 1:53 PM This message has originated from an External Source. Please be cautious regarding links and attachments.

Sean:

While you were not able to attend, we did hold an update meeting last night with the neighbors, following a broad notification.

We had a small crowd, mostly those that have been following the case over time. The meeting was held at Asbury Methodist Church on Hercules.

For your records, I have attached the meeting sign-in sheet/agenda.

Trey

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### ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS, APPROVING AN AMENDING SPECIFIC USE PERMIT TO ALLOW FOR MULTIFAMILY DWELLING USES ON APPROXIMATELY 53.407 ACRES OF LAND, GENERALLY LOCATED AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE INTERSECTION OF LOCUST STREET AND LOOP 288, IN THE CITY OF DENTON, DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS; ADOPTING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY'S OFFICIAL ZONING MAP; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY IN THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF \$2,000.00 FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (ASUP23-0001, LANDMARK AT LOCUST)

WHEREAS, Manhard Consulting (the "Applicant"), on behalf of the property owner, applied for a Specific Use Permit (S21-0006b) amendment, including, but not limited to, modifications to convert the public street extensions shown in the original SUP into narrower private drive aisles within public access easements and to shift the north-south drive aisle, which separates the proposed multifamily developments from the remainder of the subject property, east, toward the multifamily lots, decreasing the developable area proposed for the multifamily developments and increasing the remaining area on the subject property, modifications to reduce the proposed number of multifamily residential units and buildings shown in the original SUP site plan, modifications to the original SUP site plan's design of the proposed drive aisles, driveways, and turn lanes, and modifications to the original SUP building elevations and landscape plans to adjust to the decrease in developable area of the multifamily developments, on approximately 53.407 acres of land within the Suburban Corridor (SC) zoning district, legally described in Exhibit "A" (hereinafter, the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, on November 15, 2022, the City Council adopted Ordinance S21-0006b, approving a Specific Use Permit for 53.407 acres of land for a multi-family dwelling use; and

WHEREAS, on August 14, 2024, the Planning and Zoning Commission, in compliance with the laws of the State of Texas, having given the requisite notices by publication and otherwise, and having held due hearings and afforded full and fair hearings to all property owners interested in this regard, recommended approval (0-0) of the request; and

WHEREAS, on September 17, 2024, the City Council conducted a public hearing as required by law, and finds that the request meets and complies with all substantive and procedural standards set forth in Subsection 2.5.2 of the Denton Development Code, and is consistent with the Denton Plan and the 2019 Denton Development Code as applicable; and

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Commission and the City Council of the City of Denton have determined that the proposed amendment to the Specific Use Permit is in the best interest of the health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the City of Denton, and accordingly, the City Council of the City of Denton is of the opinion and finds that said amendment to the Specific Use Permit is in the public interest and should be granted as set forth herein; NOW THEREFORE,

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENTON HEREBY ORDAINS:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The findings and recitations contained in the preamble of this ordinance are incorporated herein by reference and found to be true.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The amended Site Plan and Landscape Plan and Building Elevations for SUP S21-0006b attached and incorporated herein as Exhibits "B," "C," and "D" are hereby approved, subject to the following conditions which will repeal and replace the approval conditions of the original approved SUP (S21-0006b) on the subject property:

- 1. The attached Site Plan, Landscape Plan, and Building Elevations reflect an intent to comply with the originally approved site plan and the 2019 DDC to the greatest extent possible.
  - a. Minor alterations to the depicted locations of the buildings, pedestrian pathways, open space amenity elements, and parking may be approved by City Staff, provided that the final plan complies with the attached Site Plan in terms of access, internal pedestrian connectivity, and number of amenities depicted in designated open space areas.
  - b. Minor alterations to the depicted locations and types of individual plantings, as well as increases to landscape area and percentage and number of trees and tree canopy percentage, may be approved by City staff, provided that the final landscaping, as planted and/or installed, complies with the attached Landscape Plan in terms of required landscape elements and overall tree canopy, as well as all applicable requirements of the current DDC.
  - c. Additional plantings and minor alterations to the Development Impact Area to provide mitigation for the impacts of the proposed trail and the proposed sidewalk along Hercules Lane to the Environmentally Sensitive Area (ESA) on the property may be administratively approved by city staff as part of the Civil Engineering Plans for this development, as long as such mitigation is in accordance with all standards of the Denton Development Code. Final determination of ESA location and exact nature of mitigation shall be approved with the Civil Engineering Plans for this development. This condition does not preclude the project from requiring approval of an Alternative ESA Plan if the scope of impacts to the ESA exceed the administrative allowances provided for in the DDC.
- 2. The attached building elevations reflect an intent to comply with the DDC requirements, as amended, for building mass and form, percentage of windows and doors on a façade, and provision of architectural features to highlight entrances and provide visual interest. They are incorporated as requirements of the SUP.
  - a. Elevations at the time of permitting shall be consistent with the attached elevations in terms of architectural style and details, specific architectural features that highlight entrances such as ornamental lights and canopies, provision of balconies or patios to articulate individual units, use of recesses, awnings, and changes in material to break up the façade vertically and horizontally and to articulate collections of units at intervals not to exceed 44

feet horizontally or 2 stories vertically, and delineation of the first floor with a change of material and horizontal banding.

- b. Minor alterations to individual window size and location may be approved by City staff, as long as:
  - i. The style of windows, and the style and number of doors, on each façade is consistent with the attached elevations
  - ii. All buildings fronting on a public or private street have entrances facing the public or private street
  - iii. Windows and doors make up either at least the DDC-required percentage for facades facing a public or private street or, for facades not facing a public or private street, at least 11.5% of the side facades and 25.5% of the front and the rear façades, and windows and doors on all facades comply with all DDC standards.
- c. Garage elevations shall feature two dormer windows on each front and rear elevation and a horizontal change in material type on each façade.
- 3. The attached site plan and landscape plan are incorporated as requirements of the SUP. Staff shall have the ability to approve an increase or decrease of up to 5% of any of the amounts specified in requirements a-c, provided all applicable requirements of the DDC are met.
  - a. Three-hundred and eighteen (318) dwelling units on the North Tract and threehundred and six (306) dwelling units on the South Tract.
  - b. 156 one-bedroom units, 132 two-bedroom units, and 36 3-bedroom units on the North Tract and 156 one-bedroom units, 114 two-bedroom units, and 30 three-bedroom units on the South Tract.
  - c. 592 parking spaces on the North Tract, and 561 parking spaces on the South Tract, are proposed for the multi-family development indicated on the site plan. Parking may shift to accommodate a change in the unit mixture but shall be in accordance with the requirements of the DDC and within the range of staff approvability
- 4. All street, sidewalk, drive aisle, and infrastructure elements that are included in Phase 1 as depicted in the Site Plan (Exhibit 7) shall be constructed in accordance with the Site Plan, and approved by the City of Denton, prior to release of any certificate of occupancy for any multifamily building proposed on this property, though staff may approve minor changes (25' or less) in the location of these streets, sidewalks, drive aisles, and/or infrastructure elements, as long as the final design is in accordance with the standards of the DDC and City criteria manuals.
- 5. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, the developer shall construct the traffic mitigation measures shown in Exhibit 7, Sheet C0.4, at the intersection of N Locust Street and Ame Drive. If the design shown in Exhibit 7, Sheet C0.5, is not acceptable to TXDOT, the City of Denton staff shall have the authority to approve alternative traffic mitigation measures for the intersection of Ame Drive, subject to the approval of TXDOT, without requiring an SUP amendment, as long as the approved mitigation measures comply

with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City criteria manuals. Traffic mitigation measure(s) for the intersection of Ame Drive and N Locust Street, approved by staff and TXDOT, must be constructed prior to issuance of Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.

- 6. Minor alterations in design and location of sidewalk, curb, and gutter along Hercules Lane, including the potential expansion of the sidewalk into a 10-foot wide trail, and in the location of the proposed gravel trail, may be necessary, and staff may approve such minor alterations, as long as the final design and locations are in accordance with the standards of the Denton Development Code and the City's adopted criteria manuals.
- 7. Subject to the approval of TXDOT, a traffic signal at the intersection of Beall Street and N Locust Street shall be constructed by the developer of Tracts 3 and 4 and shall be complete and accepted by the City of Denton prior to issuance of any Certificates of Occupancy for any of the multifamily buildings proposed with this development.
- 8. Prior to approval of any Final Plat for this development, the developer shall pay to the City of Denton the proportion of the cost of a traffic signal at North Locust Street and Loop 288 that was determined by the Traffic Impact Analysis for this development (TIA21-0016) to be the responsibility of the multifamily developer, based on the traffic projected to be generated by this development.
- 9. Notwithstanding the limited administrative approvals authorized in the above conditions, the City reserves the right to require approval by ordinance of any amendments or alterations to the SUP, the attached Site Plan, the attached Landscape Plan, and the attached Building Elevations.
- 10. Following the approval of this SUP for a multifamily use on this property, all other uses permitted within the Suburban Corridor (SC) zoning district by the 2019 DDC, as amended, shall continue to be permitted on this property, subject to the limitations placed on the development of those uses by the 2019 DDC, as amended.
- 11. The zoning map shall reflect the Specific Use Permit on the property consistent with the Post-Decision Action Steps for Specific Use Permits in the 2019 DDC.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> Previous Approvals. The provisions of this ordinance, as they apply to the subject property, as shown in Exhibits B, C, and D are herein approved and shall govern and control over any conflicting provision of Ordinance No. S21-0006b.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> Failure to Comply. Except as otherwise stated above, all terms of the SUP shall be complied with prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. Failure to comply with any term or condition of this ordinance will result in the SUP being declared null and void, and of no force and effect. The SUP is issued to the entity named above runs with the land, and is assignable and transferable to subsequent owners of the Property.

<u>SECTION 5. SUP Regulations.</u> Upon notice to the Property owner and a hearing before the City Council, a SUP may be revoked or modified if: 1. There is one or more of the conditions imposed by this ordinance that has not been met or has been violated on the Property; or 2. The SUP was obtained or extended by fraud or deception; or 3. As otherwise permitted by law and/or the current DDC.

<u>SECTION 6. Unlawful use.</u> It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, entity, or corporation to make use of the above-referenced Property in some manner other than as authorized by the current DDC, Code of Ordinances, and this ordinance.

<u>SECTION 7.</u> Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid by any court, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

SECTION 8. Penalty. Any person, firm, entity or corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined a sum not exceeding \$2,000.00 for each violation. Each day that a provision of this ordinance is violated shall constitute a separate and distinct offense. The penal provisions imposed under this ordinance shall not preclude Denton from filing suit to enjoin the violation and it retains all legal rights and remedies available to it under local, state and federal law.

<u>SECTION 9.</u> In compliance with Section 2.09(c) of the Denton Charter, this ordinance shall become effective fourteen (14) days from the date of its passage, and the City Secretary is hereby directed to cause the caption of this ordinance to be published twice in the Denton Record-Chronicle, a daily newspaper published in the City of Denton, Texas, within ten (10) days of the date of its passage.

The motion to approve this ordinance	was made by and
seconded by	, the ordinance was passed and approved by
the following vote [ - ]:	

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Mayor Gerard Hudspeth:				
Vicki Byrd, District 1:				
Brian Beck, District 2:				
Paul Meltzer, District 3:				
Joe Holland, District 4:				
Brandon Chase McGee, At Large Place 5:				
Jill Jester, At Large Place 6:				
PASSED AND APPROVED this the	day of		, 2024.	

### GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

ATTEST:

LAUREN THODEN, CITY SECRETARY

BY:\_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM: MACK REINWAND, CITY ATTORNEY

BY:\_\_\_\_\_

Exhibit A Legal Description Exhibit B Site Plan Exhibit C Landscape Plan

## Exhibit D Building Elevations

# Texas Secretary of State Jane Nelson

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### AGENDA CAPTION

Hold a discussion regarding the Planning and Zoning Project Matrix.

## 2024 Planning and Zoning Commission Requests for Information Meeting Dates

Request		Request Date	Status
Discussion related to removing minimum parking requirements from the DDC.	Villarreal	9/14/2022	This item is on hold given the pending city-wide parking study; City Council to provide subsequent direction at a future date.
Discussion related to impacts of subdividing commercial lots and potential for tree preservation loss.	Ellis	11/15/2023	Work session tentatively scheduled for August/September 2024.
LSR explaining the practices and legal limitations based on recent state law changes regarding right-of-way dedication for roadways and perimeter street improvements.	Pruett	5/15/2024	Staff will provide an update Fall 2024
Ongoing Items		Request Date	Status
Request for additional detail regarding the results of TIAs on future projects.	Smith	10/12/2022	Information regarding TIAs will be provided in the analysis of future projects.
Request to include the number of extension requests associated with a plat application within the agenda information summary (AIS).	Villarreal	12/13/2023	Information regarding the number of extension requests associated with a plat application will be provided for future projects.

Smith 3/9/2022 August/September, 2024.	Annual Updates		Request Date	Status
		Smith	3/9/2022	2024 update tentatively scheduled for