File #	2-1-20-11
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BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION	APPLICANT IS:	THIS PROPOSAL PERTAI	NS TO:					
Name MATT BRAZILLE, P.E.	Owner 🔲	New Structure	V					
Street Address ²⁷⁰⁴ CHEROKEE FARM WAY, SUITE 100	Contractor	Modification of Existing Structure						
City, State, Zip KNOXVILLE, TN 37920	Tenant \square	Off Street Parking	V					
Phone Number 865-977-9997	Other 🗹	Signage						
Email MBRAZILLE@CECINC.COM		Other ON-STREET PARKING	\checkmark					
THIS IS A REQUEST FOR:								
Zoning Variance (Building Permit Denied)	☐ Extension	n of Non-Conforming Use/or Struct	ure					
Appeal of Administrative Official's Decision	☐ Map Int	erpretation						
PROPERT	Y INFORMATIO	N						
Street Address 231 S. BELL ST., 205 OLD VINE AVE., 0 S. BELL ST. 1124 WEST NEW ST., & 331 HARRIET TUBMAN								
City, State, Zip KNOXVILLE, TN 37915								
Parcel # (see KGIS.org) 095AJ007, 095HC003, 095AH025, 095GA01:	3, 095GA014, 095HC00	01, 095HC002						
Zoning District (see KGIS.org) 🎉 『いーじ								
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City of Knoxville Zoning Ordinance Article 7, Section 2

The City of Knoxville Board of Zoning Appeals shall have the power and authority to grant variances from terms of this ordinance according to the procedure and under the restrictions set out in this section.

The purpose of the variance is to modify the strict application of the specific requirements of this ordinance in the case of exceptionally irregular, narrow, shallow or steep lots, or other exceptional physical conditions, whereby such strict application would result in practical difficulty or unnecessary hardship which would deprive an owner of the reasonable use of his land. The variance shall be used only where necessary to overcome some obstacle which is preventing an owner from using his property as the zoning ordinance intended.

DESCRIPTION OF APPEAL

Describe your project and why you need variances.

- 1. Reduce the required front yard setback from 25-feet to 10-feet per Article 4, Section 2.1.6.D.1.a.
- 2. Reduce the required side yard setback from 10-feet to 2-feet and the sum of the side yards from 20-feet to 4-feet per Article 4, Section 2.1.6.D.2.a.
- 3. Reduce the required dedicated off-street parking from 592 spaces to 425 spaces per Article 5, Section 7.D.1.Table 1 and include 103 on-street parking spaces as part of the total parking count for the development
- for a total of 528 parking spaces (an 11% reduction).
 4. Reduce the minimum distance between driveways from 50-ft to 35-ft per Article V, Section 7.H.1.a.Table 4.
- 5. Increase the allowable minimum lot area to meet the proposed building square footage per dwelling unit for Phase 1A (please reference Exhibit A).
- 6. Increase the maximum building height for the multi-family building from 65-ft to 68-ft (if measured from the bottom of the ground parking level see Exhibit A).

Describe hardship conditions that apply to this variance.

The purpose of the project is to achieve an urban residential setting with proposed buildings near the street and screened parking in the rear. Existing site conditions require these variances to achieve the look of the development. Existing grades at the site are challenging and reduce the overall footprint available for buildings and associated off-street parking.

APPLICANT AUTHORIZATION

I hereby certify that I am the authorized applicant, representing ALL property owners involved in this request and that all owners have been notified of this request in writing.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE /-/7-20

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				****	···OFFICE USE ONLY······
Is a plat required?	Yes	√	No		Small Lot of record?
		V	ARIA	NCE I	REQUEST(S) WITH ORDINANCE CITATION(S):
RN-6 Residen	e maxi tial Dis minim	mum strict f num in	imp to 74 nteri	ervio 4% fo or sic	ous surface coverage for Multi-Family dwellings from 70% in a per new construction (4.3.A Table 4-1). The setback from 5 feet to 2 feet on the west side for new
The following	varian	ce is	for L	ot 4.	

3) Reduce the minimum front setback for Multi-Family dwellings from 12 feet to 11 feet on the east side along Harriet Tubman Street for new residential construction (4.3.A Table 4-1).

REVISED

	PROJECT INFORMATION
Date Filed 1/17/2020	Fee Amount \$250 QX CK \$750 AV
Council District District 6	BZA Meeting Date 2/21/2020
PLANS REVIEWER Bryan Berry	DATE 1/29/2020



January 17, 2020

Mr. Scott Elder City of Knoxville Zoning Chief Knoxville – Knox County Planning City-County Building | Suite 403 400 Main Street Knoxville, TN 37902

Re: Austin Homes - Phase 1A: Board of Zoning Appeals Application

Dear Mr. Elder,

The Austin Homes Redevelopment's goal is to add approximately 420 new, affordable and market-rate homes on the property over four phases. Phase 1A, consisting of 105 units, will be built in 9 buildings of a mix of (1) Multi-family building and (8) townhome buildings. The property is less than one mile from the DK District, and the intent is to achieve a denser, more urban community on the property to relate to the neighboring Old City, Warehouse District, and planned future development in the area. The property has significant topographic challenges as the site falls approximately 50'+ from the Summit Hill intersection toward New St.

To achieve a mixed-income, urban community that will serve Knoxville's residents with a range of housing types, shared open spaces, and connectivity to current and future developments, we seek the following building related variances:

- Increase the allowable Minimum Lot Area to meet the proposed building square footage per dwelling unit for Phase 1A (please reference Exhibit A).
- Increase the Maximum Building Height for the Multi-Family Building from 65' to 68' (if measured from the bottom of Ground Parking Level see Exhibit A).

We appreciate the opportunity to work with you on this project. Please contact me if you have any comments regarding this letter.

Sincerely, Shannon Elliott, AIA

CASE SUMMARY

APPLICATION TYPE: SUBDIVISION

CONCEPT PLAN

File Number:

12-SF-19-C

Related File Number:

Application Filed:

10/28/2019

Date of Revision:

Applicant:

CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS, INC.

PROPERTY INFORMATION

General Location:

North side of E. Summitt Hill Dr. & Old Vine Ave., at intersection of Harriet Tubman, Martin Luther King.

Jr. Blvd., & Dandridge Ave.

Other Parcel Info.:

Tax ID Number:

95 A H 025 OTHER: 095AJ007, 095GA013 & 014, 095HC

Jurisdiction:

City

Size of Tract:

24.6 acres

Accessibility:

Access is via Harriet Tubman St., a minor collector with a 45 ft pavement width within a 60 ft right-of-

way and S Bell St., a local street with a 28 ft pavement width within a 50 ft right-of-way.

GENERAL LAND USE INFORMATION

Existing Land Use:

Multi-family residential

Surrounding Land Use:

North: Office - I-2 (Restricted Manufacturing and Warehousing)

South: Residential - R-3 (High Density Residential)

East: Family Justice Center & Church - R-1 & R-2 (Low Density Residential)

West: Commercial - C-3 (General Commercial)

Proposed Use:

Residential

Density: NA

Sector Plan:

Central City

Sector Plan Designation:

Growth Policy Plan:

Urban Growth Area (Inside City Limits)

Neighborhood Context:

ADDRESS/RIGHT-OF-WAY INFORMATION (where applicable)

Street:

331 Harriett Tubman St, 231 S. Bell St, 1205 Old Vine Ave, 0 S. Bell St, 1124 West New St.

Location:

Proposed Street Name:

Department-Utility Report:

Reason:

ZONING INFORMATION (where applicable)

Current Zoning:

R-2 (General Residential)

Former Zoning:

Requested Zoning:

Previous Requests:

Extension of Zone:

History of Zoning:

PLAN INFORMATION (where applicable)

1/3/2020 01:47 PM Page 1 of 3 **Current Plan Category:**

Requested Plan Category:

SUBDIVISION INFORMATION (where applicable)

Subdivision Name: Austin Homes Infrastructure Improvements

No. of Lots Proposed: 6

No. of Lots Approved: 6

Variances Requested:

VARIANCE REQUIRING PLANNING COMMISSION APPROVAL:

1. Allow the use of AASHTO standards for intersection and stopping sight distance as opposed to the

Knoxville-Knox County Planning Commission Subdivision Regulations.

APPROVED WAIVERS BY THE KNOXVILLE DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING:

1. Reduction of the minimum travel way pavement widths from 26' to the distances shown on the

proposed street sections included with the revised concept plan.

S/D Name Change:

OTHER INFORMATION (where applicable)

Other Bus./Ord. Amend.:

PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION AND DISPOSITION

Planner In Charge:

Tarren Barrett

Staff Recomm. (Abbr.):

APPROVE variance 1 because the existing site conditions and topography restrict compliance with the Subdivision Regulations, and the proposed variance will not create a traffic hazard.

APPROVE the concept plan subject to 12 conditions:

Staff Recomm. (Full):

- 1. Connection to sanitary sewer and meeting any other relevant requirements of the Knoxville Utility Board (KUB).
- 2. Provision of street names which are consistent with the Uniform Street Naming and Addressing System within Knox County (City Ord. 0-280-90).
- 3. Installation of sidewalks, as identified on the concept plan, meeting all applicable requirements of the City of Knoxville and the American with Disabilities Act (ADA). The sidewalks shall be installed at the same time as the street improvements.
- 4. Any proposed driveways for the proposed housing development are subject to approval by the Knoxville Department of Engineering with verification that adequate sight distance is available.
- 5. Details of the final design of the connection to Georgia Street and the construction of Road B (Phase 2) shall be worked out with the Knoxville Department of Engineering during the design plan stage of the subdivision process.
- 6. Removal of the southbound right-turn slip-ramp on Martin Luther King Jr. Ave. at the intersection with E. Summit Hill Dr. per City of Knoxville Department of Engineering requirements.
- 7. Implementation of any recommended improvements from the Transportation Impact Study prepared by (Civil & Environmental Consultants, Inc. dated December 20, 2019), as revised and approved by the City of Knoxville Department of Engineering and Planning staff.
- 8. During the design plan stage of the subdivision working out the details of the changes to S. Bell St. including the portions of the street/right-of-way that will be closed. The street closure requests must be processed and approved prior to approval of the final plat for the first phase of the subdivision.
- 9. The final plat shall identify any required sight distance easements for the proposed intersections as required by the City of Knoxville Department of Engineering.
- 10. Meeting all applicable requirements of the City of Knoxville Department of Engineering.
- 11. Submitting to Planning staff prior to final plat approval by the Planning Commission or Planning staff, the certification of design plan approval form as required by the Knoxville-Knox County Subdivision Regulations.
- 12. Meeting all applicable requirements of the Knoxville Zoning Ordinance.

With the conditions noted, this plan meets the requirements for approval of a concept plan.

Comments:

This subdivision proposal is part of a revitalization of the Austin Homes Community in efforts by the Knoxville Community Development Corporation (KCDC), which includes improvements to existing roads, the installation of a new road segments, and the creation of 6 new lots. The subdivision is proposed to be implemented in two phases as identified in the attached documents. The overall project area is approximately 24.6 acres which includes a total lot area of 19.88 acres and approximately 4.72 acres of right-of-way that includes upgraded streets and proposed new public streets

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KCDC and Civil & Environmental Consultants (CEC) Inc. developed the Master Plan for the area, which included an extensive public input process to determine how to improve their housing and better integrate the development into the surrounding community (https://www.kcdc.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Austin-Homes-Report_FINAL.pdf). The housing development portion of this project does not require Planning Commission review, although the footprint of the proposed structures is shown. The property was zoned R-2 (General Residential) when the application was submitted. Under the City of Knoxville's Adopted Zoning Map, the property has been rezoned to the RN-6 (Multi-Family Residential Neighborhood) zoning district and will be developed under the new Knoxville Zoning Code standards.

The street improvements include the following: a) Improvements and realignment (including right-of-way dedication) of Burge Dr. between S Bell St. and Harriet Tubman St., b) Improvements to S Bell St from Mccalla Ave. to the southern terminus at Road A, c) Dedication of right-of-way for a new boulevard street connection (Road A) between S Bell St. and Harriet Tubman St., d) Dedication of right-of-way for a new boulevard street (Road B) from Road A south into the development, and e) Dedication of right-of-way for a new boulevard street connection west of S Bell St. connecting to Georgia St. across First Creek. The proposed subdivision will also require street closure for portions of S. Bell St.

Action:

Postponed

Meeting Date:

9/2020

Details of Action:

Summary of Action:

POSTPONE the Concept Plan application until the January 9, 2020 Planning Commission meeting as

requested by the applicant.

Date of Approval:

Date of Denial:

Postponements:

12/12/2019

Date of Withdrawal:

Withdrawn prior to publication?: Action Appealed?:

LEGISLATIVE ACTION AND DISPOSITION

Legislative Body:

Knox County Chancery Court

Date of Legislative Action:

Date of Legislative Action, Second Reading:

Ordinance Number:

Other Ordinance Number References:

Disposition of Case:

Disposition of Case, Second Reading:

If "Other":

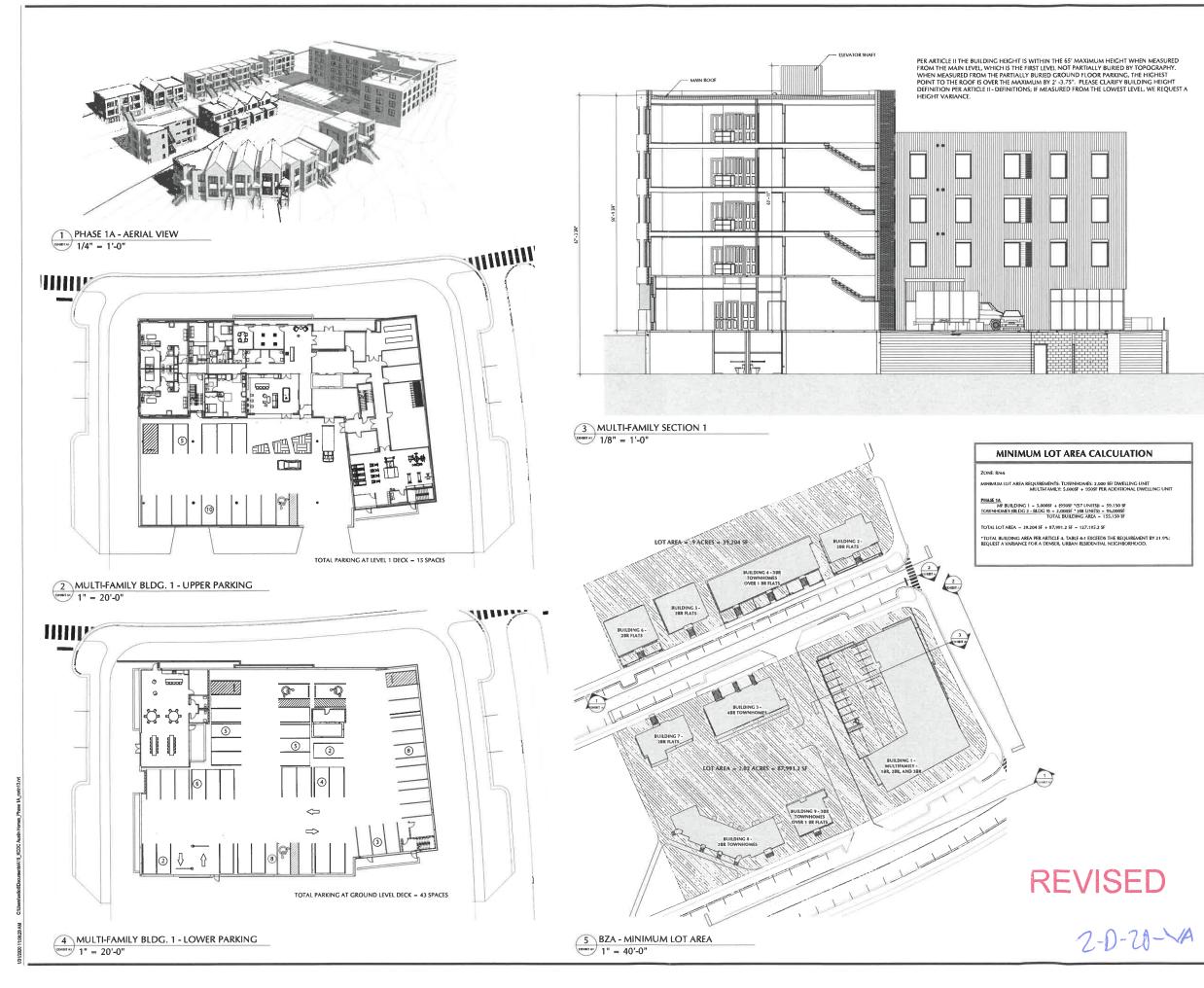
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Amendments:

Amendments:

Date of Legislative Appeal:

Effective Date of Ordinance:



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△ Date Description

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Project Name

AUSTIN HOMES - PHASE 1A

Project Number

193076

PHASE 1A - BZA APPLICATION

As indicated

EXHIBIT A1



1 BURGE DR. STREET SECTION LOOKING NW 3/32" = 1'-0"



2 BURGE DR. STREET SECTION FACING SE 3/32" = 1'-0"

9.3.1 - PRINCIPLE USE STANDARDS						
/NHOUSE						
EMENTS:						
TOTAL STREET FRONTAGE	TOTAL FENESTRATION	% TRANSPARENCY				
9775 SF		21.4%				
8029 SF		20.0%				
5428 SF	1085 SF	20.0%				
		17.2%				
1788 SF		20.6%				
2927 SF	439 SF	15.0%				
4502 SF	789 SF	17.5%				
		16.8%				
		16.7%				
		15.1%				
2921 SF	465 SF	15.9%				
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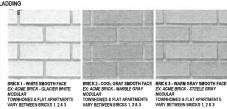
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MATERIAL PALETTE & DESIGN DIRECTION

FRONT STOOP CANOPIES

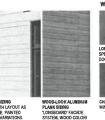




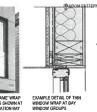


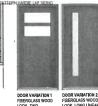




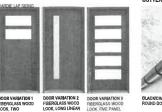








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EXHIBIT A2



