

#### **DEVELOPMENT SERVICES**

# Residential Preliminary Development Plan Applicant's Letter

Date: Monday, August 19, 2019

To:

**Property Owner**: NIE GEORGE H & PEGGY J Email:

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**Applicant**: NIE PEGGY J & GEORGE H Email:

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Engineer: HG CONSULT, INC Email: ksterrett@hgcons.com

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From: Jennifer Thompson, Planner

Re:

**Application Number:** PL2019121

Application Type:Residential Preliminary Development PlanApplication Name:SUMMIT AVENUE ADDITION, LOTS 1 & 2Location:114 SE SUMMIT AVE, LEES SUMMIT, MO 64063

#### **Tentative Schedule**

Planning Commission Meeting: August 22, 2019 at 05:00 PM

City Council Public Hearing: September 17, 2019 at 06:15 PM

Dates are subject to change; we will keep you informed throughout the process.

## **Electronic Plans for Resubmittal**

All Planning application and development engineering plan resubmittals shall include an electronic copy of the documents as well as the required number of paper copies.

Electronic copies shall be provided in the following formats:

- Plat All plats shall be provided in multi-page Portable Document Format (PDF).
- Engineered Civil Plans All engineered civil plans shall be provided as multi-page Portable Document Format (PDF).
- Architectural and other plan drawings Architectural and other plan drawings, such as site electrical and landscaping, shall be provided as multi-page Portable Document Format (PDF).

Studies – Studies, such as stormwater and traffic, shall be provided in Portable Document Format (PDF).

Please contact Staff with any questions or concerns.

#### **Excise Tax**

On April 1, 1998, an excise tax on new development for road construction went into effect. This tax is levied based on the type of development and trips generated. If you require additional information about this development cost, as well as other permit costs and related fees, please contact the Development Services Department at (816) 969-1200.

## **Planning Commission and City Council Presentations**

Presentations before the Planning Commission and City Council shall be (1) in electronic format or (2) reduced drawings for use on the document camera to display on the screen. Electronic presentations shall be on a laptop, CD-ROM, DVD, or flash drive. The City's presentation system can support Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Adobe, Windows Media Player and Internet Explorer applications. Presentation boards will no longer be allowed. The presentation(s) shall be submitted to Development Services Department staff no later than the day of the Planning Commission meeting by 4:00 pm.

### **Notice Requirements**

- 1. Notification of Surrounding Property Owners.
  - Mail Notices. The applicant must mail letter notices to all property owners within 300 feet from the boundaries of the property for which the application is being considered at least 15 days prior to the hearing. Sample notices are available. The notice must include:
    - time and place of hearing,
    - general description of the proposal,
    - location map of the property,
    - street address, or general street location
    - statement explaining that the public will have an opportunity to be heard
  - **File Affidavit.** An affidavit must be filed with the Planning and Codes Administration Department prior to the public hearing certifying the notices have been sent. Provide a list of the property owners notified and a copy of the sent notice.

## 2. Notice Signs.

- Post Sign. The applicant shall post a sign on the premises, at least 15 days prior to the date of the hearing, informing the general public of the time and place of the public hearing. When revised plans are submitted, staff will prepare the sign and provide it to the applicant for posting.
- Maintain Sign. The applicant shall make a good faith effort to maintain the sign for at least the 15 days immediately preceding the date of the hearing, through the hearing, and through any continuances of the hearing. The sign shall be placed within 5 feet of the street right-of-way line in a central position on the property that is the subject of the hearing. The sign shall be readily visible to the public. If the property contains more than one street frontage, one sign shall be placed on each street frontage so as to face each of the streets abutting the land. The sign may be removed at the conclusion of the public hearing(s) and must be removed at the end of all proceedings on the application or upon withdrawal of the application.
- 3. **Neighborhood Meeting**. One neighborhood meeting is required for each application, which must occur within the initial 10 day review period and prior to re-subission of the application. More than one neighborhood meeting may be held on an application, at the option of the applicant
- **Timing and location:** Within two miles of the project site, Monday through Thursday, excluding holidays, and start between 6:00P.M. and 8:00 P.M. If location for the meeting is not available within [2] miles of the subject property. The applicant shall select a location outside this area that is reasonably close to these boundaries.

- **Notification:** Shall be sent by certified mail or delivered to property owners within 300 feet of the project site. Mailed notices shall be postmarked at least seven days prior to the meeting. Hand deliveries must occur at least five (5) days prior to the meeting.
- **Notes:** The Applicant shall take sufficient notes at the neighborhood meeting to recall issues raised by the participants, in order to report on and discuss them at public hearings before City governmental bodies on the application. The notes shall be turned in with the application re-submittal.

## **Analysis of Residential Preliminary Development Plan:**

<b>Planning Review</b>	Jennifer Thompson	Planner	Corrections
	(816) 969-1239	Jennifer.Thompson@cityofls.net	

1. Staff is requesting a continuance of this project to a date certain of August 22, 2019.

Additional information regarding the site and surrounding neighborhood is needed and revisions to the elevations are being requested.

- 2. Please complete a residential compatibility form for this site and in relationship to the surrounding properties. Staff feels this can help to better understand the context of this proposal and how it fits within the neighborhood. Include approximate heights of the surrounding structures.
- 3. Can the roof pitch be lowered for this structure? The neighboring homes are single story ranch style homes. A lower roof line would be more compatible with the immediate neighboring homes.
- 4. Staff is concerned the duplex too closely resembles a "snout house". Can the front entry area be extended forward to better balance the appearance of the front elevation? Could a pergola or another feature be added to better connect this areas?

What is the projection depth of the proposed pillar feature compared to the door area. Can a front porch element be incorporated within the front entry?

5. Staff suggests additional detail be added to the side entry doors. Can this have a landing or small porch area or perhaps a roof covering element?

<b>Engineering Review</b>	Gene Williams	Senior Staff Engineer	Approved with Conditions
	(816) 969-1223	Gene.Williams@cityofls.net	

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- 2. A Master Drainage Plan (MDP) shall be submitted and approved in accordance with the City's Design and Construction Manual for all areas of the development, including all surrounding impacted areas, along with the engineering plans for the development. The MDP shall address drainage level of service issues on an individual lot basis.
- 3. All Engineering Plan Review and Inspection Fees shall be paid prior to approval of the associated engineering plans and prior to the issuance of any infrastructure permits or the start of construction (excluding land disturbance permit).

- 4. All subdivision-related public improvements must have a Certificate of Final Acceptance prior to approval of the final plat, unless security is provided in the manner set forth in the City's Unified Development Ordinance (UDO) Section 16.340. If security is provided, building permits may be issued upon issuance of a Certificate of Substantial Completion of the public infrastructure as outlined in Section 1000 of the City's Design and Construction Manual.
- 5. The As-graded Master Drainage Plan shall be submitted to and accepted by the City prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Substantial Completion and prior to the issuance of any building permits for the development.
- 6. A Land Disturbance Permit shall be obtained from the City if ground breaking will take place prior to the issuance of an infrastructure permit, building permit, or prior to the approval of the Final Development Plan / Engineering Plans.
- 7. All permanent off-site easements, or temporary construction easements for grading of the downstream swale, in a form acceptable to the City, shall be executed and recorded with the Jackson County Recorder of Deeds prior to approval of any Final Development Plan or prior to issuance of any building permit. A certified copy shall be submitted to the City for verification.
- 8. A restriction note shall be included on the final plat stating: "Individual lot owner(s) shall not change or obstruct the drainage flow paths on the lots, as shown on the Master Drainage Plan, unless specific application is made and approved by the City Engineer."
- 9. Any cut and / or fill operations, which cause public infrastructure to exceed the maximum / minimum depths of cover shall be mitigated by relocating the infrastructure vertically and / or horizontally to meet the specifications contained within the City's Design and Construction Manual.

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Traffic Review	Michael Park (816) 969-1820	City Traffic Engineer Michael.Park@cityofls.net	No Comments
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