

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

**Commercial Preliminary Development Plan
Applicant's Letter**

Date: Wednesday, February 15, 2023

To:

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LLC

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From: Scott Ready, Project Manager

Reponses are below in red

Re:

Application Number: PL2022314

Application Type: Commercial Preliminary Development Plan

Application Name: Arborwalk West

Location: 3640 SW ARBORIDGE DR, LEES SUMMIT, MO 64082

Tentative Schedule

Submit revised plans by 4pm on Tues Feb 21 (Deadline Schedule track no. 6) or Tues Mar 14 (track no. 7) . Revised documents shall be uploaded to the application through the online portal. Please note that Planning Commission and City Council public hearing meeting dates will be determined at a TBD date.

If the revised submittal deadline is not met or plans are deficient, the item will be moved to a later meeting and a new deadline will be set. Future deadlines and meeting dates can be found on the "Planning Commission Meeting Dates" handout. 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-submission 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 Commercial Preliminary Development Plan:

Planning Review	Shannon McGuire (816) 969-1237	Planner Shannon.McGuire@cityofls.net	Corrections
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1. Ground-mounted mechanical equipment shall be screened from view by landscaping or by a decorative wall that is compatible with the architecture and landscaping of the development site. The wall shall be of a height equal to or greater than the height of the mechanical equipment being screened. Please propose screening for the ground mounted equipment shown in the rear of the oil change building. **We are showing landscape screening around the transformer pad.**
2. Please provide details for the trash enclosure gate. Details for one trash enclosure were provided but the site plan shows two. Please provide details for the 2nd enclosure. **All trash enclosures will be similar in construction. A detail of the gate has been added.**
3. New buildings shall incorporate a minimum of three of the below features. Please identify which ones you are proposing. **The items marked are what are proposed to be incorporated.**

- (1) Solar (passive or active), wind or geothermal renewable energy systems;
- (2) Energy-efficient materials, including recycled materials that meet the requirements of this Code;
- (3) Materials that are produced from renewable resources;
- (4) A green roof, such as a vegetated roof, or a cool roof;
- (5) Materials and designs that meet the U.S. Green Building Council's LEED-NC certification requirements;
- (6) A greywater recycling system;
- (7) Electrical vehicle charging station;
- (8) Xeriscape or water-conserving landscape materials;
- (9) Drip irrigation system for landscaped areas;
- (10) Shared parking;
- (11) Shade structures, covered parking, or shaded walkways.

The landscaping we are showing is comprised of plantings that require minimal water and are developed to thrive in arid climates.

Engineering Review	Sue Pyles, P.E. (816) 969-1245	Development Engineering Manager Sue.Pyles@cityofls.net	Approved with Conditions
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1. All required engineering plans and studies, including water lines, sanitary sewers, storm drainage, streets and erosion and sediment control shall be submitted along with the final development plan. All public infrastructure must be substantially complete, prior to the issuance of any certificates of occupancy. **Noted**
2. 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 site development permits or the start of construction (excluding land disturbance permit). **Noted**
3. 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 7.340. If security is provided, building permits may be issued upon issuance of a Certificate of Substantial

Completion of the public infrastructure as outlined in Article 3, Division V, Sections 3.540 and 3.550 and Article 3, Division IV, Section 3.475 of the UDO, respectively. **Noted**

4. A Land Disturbance Permit shall be obtained from the City if groundbreaking will take place prior to the issuance of a site development permit, building permit, or prior to the approval of the Final Development Plan / Engineering Plans. **Noted**

5. Certain aspects of the development plan will be further reviewed during the Final Development Plan phase of the project. This includes detailed aspects of the design to help ensure that the plan meets the design criteria and specifications contained in the Design and Construction Manual. **Noted**

6. Private parking lots shall follow Article 8 of the Unified Development Ordinance for pavement thickness and base requirements. **Noted**

Fire Review	Jim Eden (816) 969-1303	Assistant Chief Jim.Eden@cityofls.net	Corrections
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1. All issues pertaining to life safety and property protection from the hazards of fire, explosion or dangerous conditions in new and existing buildings, structures and premises, and to the safety to fire fighters and emergency responders during emergency operations, shall be in accordance with the 2018 International Fire Code.

For information only.

2. IFC 105.6.20 - A Hazardous materials permit is required for the using, dispensing, transporting, handling, and/or storing of extremely hazardous substances. "Extremely Hazardous Substances (EHS) Facilities" are defined as facilities subject to the provisions of Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA TITLE III), Section 302, for storing, dispensing, using, or handling of listed chemicals in excess of their threshold planning quantities (TPQ). See amended Section 5001.4 of the 2018 International Fire Code. **Noted**

Depending on the quantity of fuel available for retail sale, a Hazardous Materials Permit (HMP) may be required. Submit quantity information. A HMP is required for propane exchange. The quantity of used and new oil for the Valvoline may also require a HM Permit. **Noted**

3. IFC 507.5.1 - Where a portion of the facility or building hereafter constructed or moved into or within the jurisdiction is more than 300 feet from a hydrant on a fire apparatus access road, as measured by an approved route around the exterior of the facility or building, on-site fire hydrants and mains shall be provided where required by the fire code official. **Additional fire hydrants have been added to meet this requirement**

The gas station and daycare both exceed 300 feet to a hydrant. The symbol for a hydrant and FH label are in two different locations between Valvoline and the gas station. **2 fire hydrants have been added. One north of the daycare and one just east of the Valvoline**

Traffic Review	Brad Cooley, P.E., RSPI Brad.Cooley@cityofls.net	Corrections
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1. Please amend the TIS to reflect the new use(s), access, proposed turn lanes, etc. Compare proposed curve(s) to City requirements. **The TIS is being revised. The proposed Valvoline will generate less traffic therefore the recommended improvements should be adequate. All improvements will be designed per city requirements**

2. Please provide some turning analysis for anticipated vehicles (e.g. fuel tanker, fire, other).
Sheet C11 has been added to the plans showing truck movements.

