#### ZONING CHANGE REVIEW SHEET

CASE:

C814-2014-0005.SH

Z.A.P. DATE: September 16, 2014

Colony Park Sustainable Community Initiative PUD

ADDRESS:

Loyola Lane between Johnny Morris Road and Decker Lane

AREA:

208 acres

OWNER:

Austin Housing Finance Corporation (Sandra Harkins)

AGENT:

Urban Design Group (Laura Toups)

FROM:

SF-2, SF-3, and MF-2

TO: PUD

TIA: Under Review

SCENIC ROADWAY: No

WATERSHEDS: Walnut Creek, Elm Creek and Decker Creek

**DESIRED DEVELOPMENT ZONE:** Yes

**CAPITOL VIEW CORRIDOR:** No

# SUMMARY STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the proposed Planned Unit Development rezoning request as outlined in this report. The proposed rezoning would be subject to the requirements of Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) that would be tied to the property by public Restrictive Covenant.

# ZONING AND PLATTING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

September 16, 2014:

# ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD RECOMMENDATION:

September 3, 2014: TO GRANT PUD ZONING AS RECOMMENDED BY STAFF. (7-0) (R. Deegan- 1<sup>st</sup>, eM. Neely-2<sup>nd</sup>)

#### **ISSUES:**

Austin Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) has submitted a Planned Unit Development (PUD) for a 208-acre project to be known as the Colony Park Sustainable Community Initiative PUD. The PUD proposes a mixed use development comprised of commercial, office, residential, parkland, and other land uses. As a S.M.A.R.T. housing project, the project commits 20% of the residential units to serve households at or below 80% median family income (MFI). Please refer to Exhibit A (S.M.A.R.T. Housing Certification).

The PUD project is funded through a U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Sustainable Communities Challenge Grant. This is a 3-year planning grant with substantial community involvement elements. AHFC and their agents have coordinated the design and planning processes with Colony Park Neighborhood Association, Capital Metro, Austin Independent School District (AISD), Austin/Travis County Health and Human Services Department (HHSD), Pecan Street, Inc., Capital Area Texas Sustainability Consortium (CATS), Austin Community Development Commission, and several City of Austin departments. The HUD grant requires completion of the PUD zoning and a portion of the platting by the end of 2014.

## **DEPARTMENT COMMENTS:**

The subject tract is located north of Loyola Lane between Johnny Morris Road and Decker Lane. The subject tract is currently undeveloped, and is zoned Single family residence standard lot (SF-2) district, Family residence (SF-3) district, and Multifamily residence low density (MF-2). Residential neighborhoods zoned SF-3 are located to the west and east of the subject tract. Overton Elementary School (AISD) is located southwest of the rezoning tract on part of a 50-acre tract that is zoned Public (P); this tract includes dedicated parkland owned by the City of Austin. The northwest property line abuts Capital Metro right-of-way (ROW) that is planned as the future Green Line. The area does not have a specific land use recommendation identified on the Growth Concept Map of the Imagine Austin plan but is adjacent to a High Capacity Transit Corridor to the northwest, Activity Corridor to the south, Neighborhood Center to the west, and Job Center to the north. Please refer to Exhibits B and C (Zoning Map and Aerial View). The project proposes the following mix of Multifamily

1,622 Units Maximum

Single Family

866 Units Maximum (Includes Detached, Attached, and Eco-Cottage housing types)

Accessory Dwelling Units

543 Units Maximum

Commercial

522,449 Square Feet Maximum

Institutional/Civic

438,608 Square Feet Maximum

Street/Alley R.O.W.

65.136 Acres Maximum

Open Space

Parkland

9.108 Acres Minimum

Natural Area

45.853 Acres Minimum

These land uses will be located in five designated neighborhoods. Four neighborhoods allow mixed use, but are predominately single family residential in character. The fifth neighborhood, Loyola Town Center, is a more traditional mixed use development, focusing on ground floor retail, commercial, institutional/civic, and multifamily. Please refer to Exhibit D (PUD Land Use Plan).

The project will comply with all Tier One PUD development standards, as well as several Tier Two standards. Please refer to Exhibit E (Tier One / Tier Two Tables). Key superiority items include:

- As a S.M.A.R.T. housing project, the project commits 20% of the residential units to serve households at or below 80% median family income (MFI).
- 54.961 acres of open space shall be provided, far exceeding the 10 acre requirement. The proposed open space will tie into existing parkland and community features (Overton Elementary School).
- Overall allowable impervious cover is reduced by approximately 10 acres.
- The PUD includes setbacks of 50' for unclassified drainage areas of at least 32 acres. Additionally, setbacks have been provided for approximately 95% of the length of unclassified waterways on the site.
- CEF setbacks are provided for an additional 11.7 acres of unclassified headwaters, with an additional 23.6 acres of natural open space area adjacent to the CEF setbacks and critical water quality zones.
- Approximately 23 acres of currently untreated, existing development adjacent to this proposed PUD will drain to and be treated by water quality controls in the Colony Park PUD;
- The PUD will use green water quality controls (bio-filtration, rain gardens, etc.) for all stormwater treatment.

The rezoning proposes one environmental variance, which received support from the Environmental Board at the September 3, 2014, meeting. Since the PUD is located in Suburban Watersheds/Desired Development Zone, impervious coverage limits are typically established by watershed regulations, which differentiate between general land use categories. The PUD proposes exceeding the impervious coverage typically allowed for Mixed Use, (24.24 acres instead of 19.41 acres). As illustrated on the table below, the PUD reduces the allowable overall impervious cover by approximately 10 acres (110.17 acres instead of 120.10 acres.)

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Based on this information, and other environmental superiority items, the Environmental Board voted unanimously to grant the variance request and to support the PUD rezoning request overall. Please refer to Exhibit F (Environmental Board Documents).

The project proposed adding a maximum total of 3,031 residential units to the area. Since the property is still owned by Austin Housing Finance Corporation and future development will be by private developers, detailed information about unit size/bedrooms is not available at this time. An Educational Impact Statement (EIS) is currently under review by Austin Independent School District (AISD). Please refer to Exhibit G (Educational Impact Analysis Application).

The PUD also proposes alternative street standards and non-standard lot sizes for single family residential development. Staff review shows these alternative design scenarios reflect many of the priorities of Imagine Austin and other City policies. Open space is used to protect creeks and wetland areas, and neighborhoods and roadways are planned with respect to these natural features and open areas. This resulted in the five compact and connected neighborhoods that have a mix of land uses. Additionally, the PUD is designed to provide a variety of housing types that are not achievable under current Code requirements. The different lot policies, Please refer to Exhibit H (Traffic Impact Analysis Memorandum).

# **EXISTING ZONING AND LAND USES:**

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Site North South	ZONING SF-2, SF-3, MF-2 SF-2, Unzoned SF-2, MF-2, GR, MH, SF-3, SF-4A	LAND USES Undeveloped Undeveloped, Rural residential, Capital Metro R.O.W. Undeveloped, Mobile home park, Single family
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## **CASE HISTORIES:**

NUMBER C14-2012-0158  7311 Decker Lane	COMMISSION  ZAP 3/5/2013: To grant CS-CO zoning as rec.by staff, w/ the addl. prohibited land use of adult oriented business. (5-0-2) [Rojas, Meeker 2 <sup>nd</sup> ] (Seeger, Compton absent.) Permitted land uses are GR uses plus the following CS.	20130321-064 for CS-CO as rec. by ZAP approved as
)	GR uses plus the following CS uses: Ag. Sales and Services, Campground, Convenience Storage, Equip. Repair Services, Food Preparation (not to exceed 5,000 square feet), Limited Warehousing	Martinez, 2 <sup>nd</sup> .]



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#### ABUTTING STREETS:

Name Loyola Lane	ROW 120'-135'	Pavement 80'	Class Arterial	Sidewalk Yes	Bus Route Yes-#37	Bike Route Yes
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# NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATIONS:

Austin Neighborhood Councils
Bluebonnet Hills Association
Colony Park Neighborhood Association
Del Valle Community Coalition
Friends of the Emma Barrientos MACC

# CITY COUNCIL DATE/ACTION:

September 25, 2014:

ORDINANCE READINGS: 1st

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ORDINANCE NUMBER:

CASE MANAGER: Heather Chaffin e-mail: heather.chaffin@austintexas.gov

PHONE: 974-2122



# City of Austin

-XHIBIT A

P.O. Box 1088, Austin, TX 8 6 www.cityofaustin.org/ housing

# **Neighborhood Housing and Community Development Department**

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September 2, 2014 (revision to letter dated April 30, 2014)

S.M.A.R.T. Housing Certification Austin Housing & Finance Corporation: Colony Park Sustainability Initiative

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Ausun Housing & Finance Corporation (development contact) Gina Copic 512 974 318 t. o., regina copic@austintexas.gov is planning to develop approximately 208 acres known as Colony Park. The development will consist of residential single family & multi family, commercial retail, and civic uses. The project could yield up to 3,031 residential units at the time of final build out. The applicant proposes to submit a Planned Unit Development application for this development

NHCD certifies that the proposed construction meets the S M. V.R T. Housing standards at the pre-submittal stage. Twenty percent (20%) of the residential units in this development will seem household, with incomes at or below 80% (MFI) The development is eligible for a waiver of 100° of the fees listed in the SMART Housing Ordinance adopted by the City Council The revision updated residential unit count from 1,700 to 3,031 and increase the percentage of residential units to serve households at or below 80% MFI from

Expected fee waivers include, but are not limited to, the following fee-

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Building Permit

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Mechanical Permit

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Prior to issuance of building permits and starting construction, the developer must:

Obtain a signed Conditional Approval from the Austin Energy Green Building Program stating that the plans and specifications for the proposed development meet the criteria for a Green Building Raung (Single-family, Bryan Bomer (512) 482 5449 Multi: Katherine Murray (512 482 5351.

Submit plans demonstrating compliance with accessibility standards

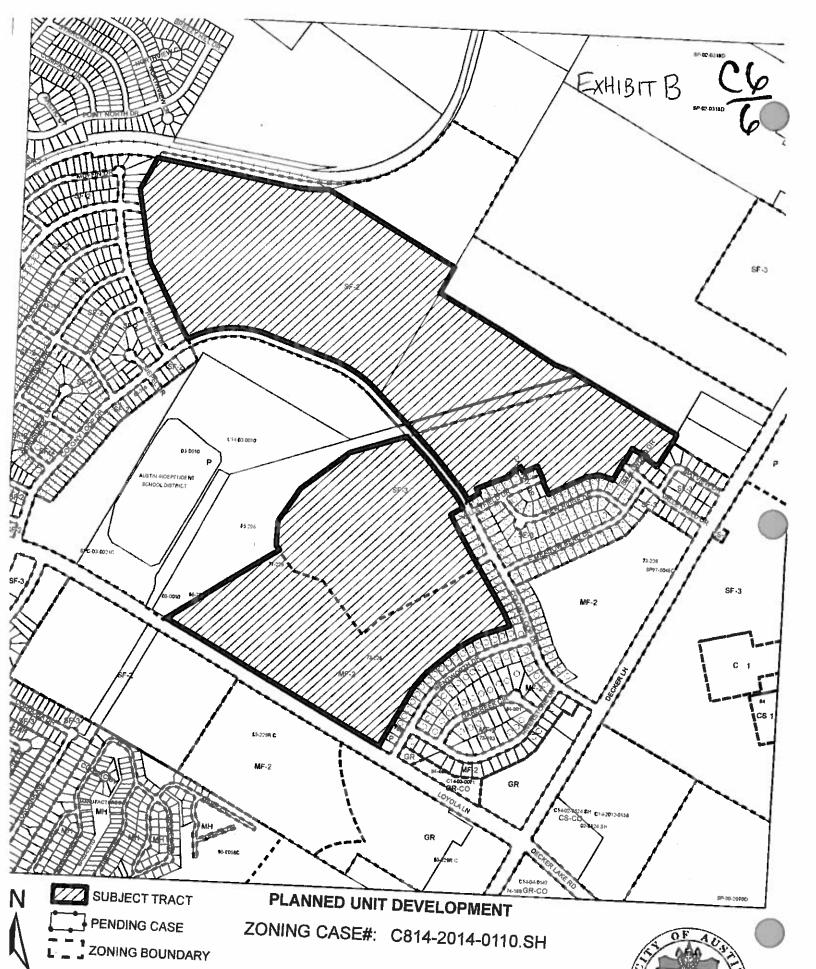
Before a Certificate of Occupancy will be granted, the development must:

Pass a final inspection and obtain a signed Final Approval from the Green Building Program Separate from any other inspections required by the City of Austin or Austin Energy

Pass a final inspection to certify that accessibility standards have been mer

The applicant must demonstrate compliance with SMART. Housing standards after the completion of the units, or repay the City of Austin in full the fees waived for this S.M.A.R.T. Housing certification

Please contact me at 512 9 4 3154 if you need additional information

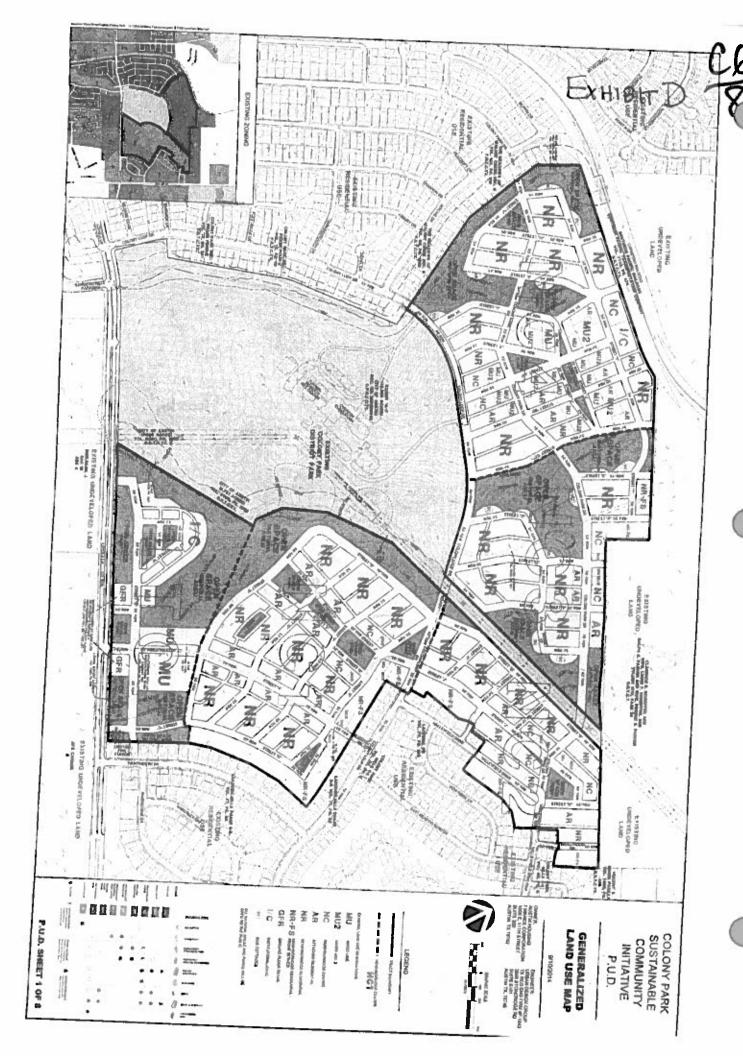


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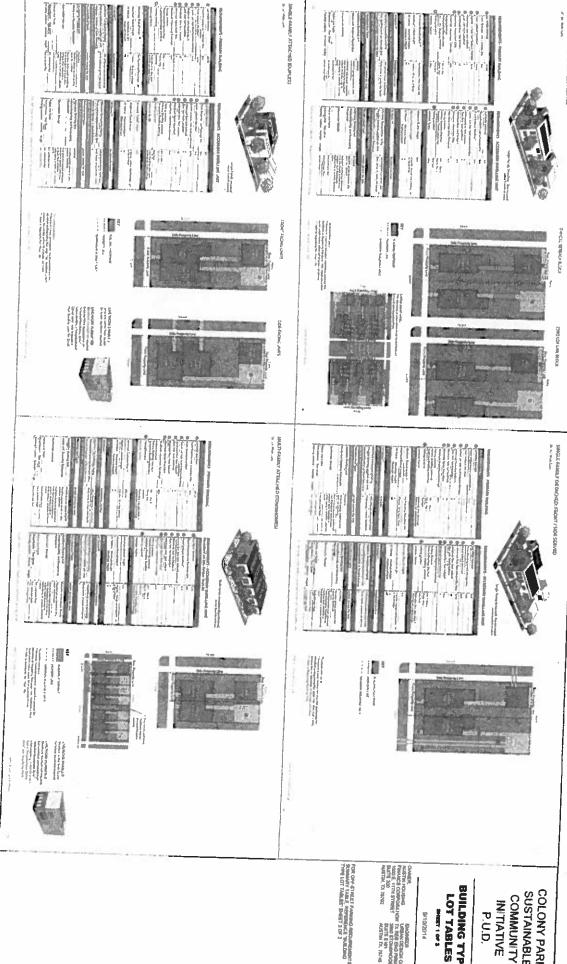
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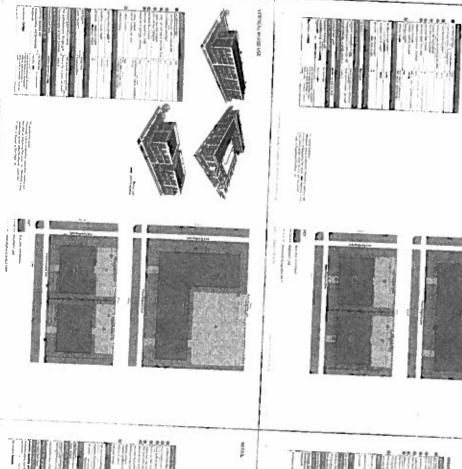
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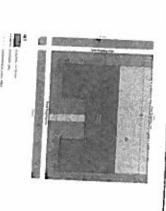
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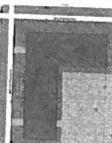
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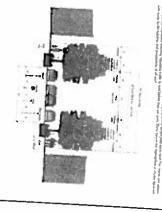


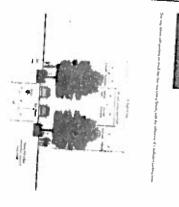
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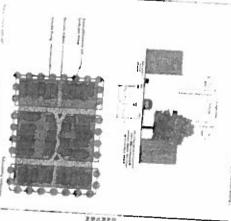
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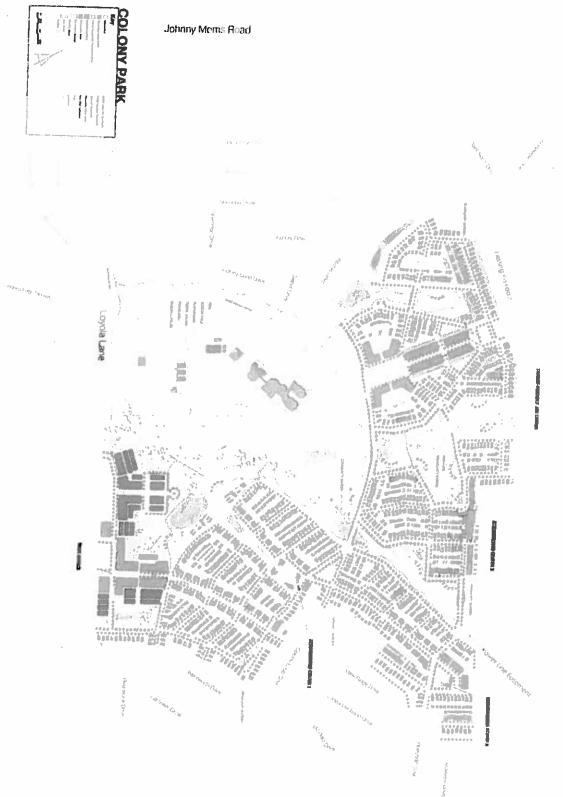






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Protect, enhance and preserve areas that include structures or sites that are of architectural, historical, pla archaeological, or cultural significance.	Prohibit gated roadways.	Provide for appropriate transportation and mass transit Connections to areas adjacent to the PUD district and mitigation of adverse cumulative transportation impacts with sidewalks, trails, and roadways.	City Code.  Let City Code.  Solution of the State of the		to support the proposed development including school, fire protection, emergency service, and police facilities.		Provide for environmental preservation and protection relating to air quality, water quality, trees, buffer zones and greenbelt areas, critical environmental features, soils, waterways, topography, and the natural and traditional character of the land.	d Be consistent with applicable neighborhood plans, ic neighborhood conservation combining district regulations, historic area and landmark regulations, and compatible with adjacent property and land uses.	
No significant historical, archaeological or cultural sites exist on the property. The plan celebrates and preserves multiple existing views of the downtown Austin skyline, including the Capitol.	ted roadways are not proposed.	Connectivity to surrounding road network is provided in the PUD layout in a manner that facilitates increased bus service route options for Capital Metro.	Landscaping requirements will exceed City Code. Street trees will be required on all streets (both commercial and residential). Typical tree spacing will be required on all 30' for typical alley-served single-family lots and multi-family attached lots, 35'-40' for front-served single-family lots and single-family attached lots, and per 25-2 Subchapter E for stacked multi-family, mixed use, retail, and institutional/civic lots. At approximately 48,000 LF of streets at average 35' tree spacing over 2700.	recreation center) is created thru the connectivity provided in the pure	The PUD provides connectivity to surrounding neighborhoods, including connections to all surrounding dead end stub streets. This greatly improves access for fire, emergency & police response. PUD also provides potential for temporary and/or permanent police substation within the development. Access (currently lacking)	residential lots to add to the potential for Next 3	PUD plan meets and exceeds Code requirements for environmental preservation and protection. The natural and traditional character of the land has been embraced and preserved in the planning and layout of the proposed development. Specifically the PUD will do the following: Does not disturb the CWQZ (except for allowed street crossings), will provide vegetative restoration in buffer zones, specific culver crossing design for animal crossings, avoids any floodplain modifications, has been designed to	There are no applicable neighborhood plans, conservation combining districts, historic areas, or landmark regulations. The PUD plan is compatible with adjacent property and land uses.	

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	Commercial Design Standards	Standards	Commercial Design	PUD Size
1.4	Contain pedestrian-oriented uses as defined in Section 25-2-691(C) (Waterfront Overlay District Uses) on the first floor of a multi-story commercial or mixed use building.	Standards Subchapter E, Chapter 25-2 (Design Standards and Mixed Use), comply with the sidewalk standards in Section 2.2.2., Subchapter E, Chapter 25-2 (Core Transit Corridors: Sidewalks And Building Placement).	Commercial Design Comply with Chapter 25-2, Subchapter E (Design  Standards Standards And Mixed Use).	Include at least 10 acres of land, unless the property is characterized by special circumstances, including unique topographic constraints.
	Commercial Design   Contain pedestrian-oriented uses as defined in Section 25-Master Plan Design Guidelines will comply with intent of Subchapter E.  Standards   2-691(C) (Waterfront Overlay District Uses) on the first   floor of a multi-story commercial or mixed use building.	Master Plan Design Guidelines will comply with intent of Subchapter E.	Master Plan Design Guidelines will comply with	Colony Park PUD tracts total ~ 208 acres.

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# **§2.4 - TIER TWO REQUIREMENTS**

subdivision regulations as required under Section 1.1 (General Intent). A proposed PUD need not address all criteria in this section to achieve superiority, and the c This section contains criteria for determining the extent to which development proposed for a PUD district would be superior to that which would occur under conventional zoning and

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Environmental Criteria Manual to treat at least 50 percent of the Pavement for Pedestrian Use, and Non-Required by code.  Provides water quality treatment for currently untreated, developed off-site areas of at least 10 acres in size.  Green water quality controls, including Rain Gardens, Biofiltration Ponds, Pourous Pavement for Pedestrian Use, and Non-Required Vegetation will be incorporated for Approximately 23 acres of currently untreated developed single-family residential lots and streets to the east drain to and may be treated by water quality controls in the	be quantitatively supported. A number of additional qualitative stormwater quality techniques are also being employed that will provide further stormwater quality benefits. These include increased tree plantings (especially street trees), requirements for disconnected impervious cover at the residential and commercial lot-level, improvement of existing Type-D soils during revegetation of disturbed areas (street ROW and lots) and use of porous pavement for pedestrian sidewalk areas.	ormwater quality facilities will treat stormwater	No grandfathering or other assertment of entitlment to follow older code provisions in	2	Total open space required: ~10 acres Total open space provided: ~55 acres (~26.4% of the entire 208 acre tract). Extensive open space connectivity is provided, including connectivity to ~93 acres of adjacent COA parkland.	Open space provided is ~ 6x required.	Colony Park PUD meets or avecal	and the council may consider

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	environmental protection.  Added to the control of a cont	ape	Directs stormwater runoff from impervious surfaces to a Run landscaped area at least equal to the total required landscaped.		not less than 50% of the landscaped areas.  When the landscaped areas areas areas.		Provides porous pavement for at least 50 percent or more of all The paved areas limited to pedestrian use		Provides porous pavement for at least 20 percent or more of all The paved areas for non-pedestrian in non-aquifer recharge area.			waterway and/or critical environmental feature setbacks surgentied by code.	With	Tree plantings use Central Texas seed stock native and with			erves 75% of the caliper inches size trees; and preserves 75%
THE SECTION OF THE PROPERTY OF	Additional innovative environmental protection will be provided, including educational signage and programming for school children and the public community, the creation of an Eco Concierge (inform future residents as to environmental programs) as a part of the Master Pour levels and the master programs.	Guidelines required to be directed to the landscape areas. The Master Plan Design Guidelines require all roof runoff be directed to landscape areas.	Runoff from impervious surface areas totalling or exceeding the required land.	will be constructed to provide reclaimed water for irrigation within public rights-of-way. Reclaimed water will not be applied to CMON account.	The Master Plan and Design Guidelines encourage rainwater harvesting techniques where appropriate in commercial development, as well as implementation of	pedestrian walkways in conjunction with soil amendment techniques to improve soil	The Master Plan and Design Guidelines facilitate use of nourous payments.	does encourage the use of porous pavement on sites and individual lots for vehicular parking areas in conjunction with soil amendment tooks?	has also been provided.  The very low permeability of the soils on the site precludes large-scale use of these setbacks.	on the site. CWQZ setbacks and redistributed CEF setbacks have been provided around the waterways. Additional buffer open control of the waterways.	Developed areas and in the required area).	Code required CWQZ setbacks on site is 9.1 acres. Additional provided waterway setbacks total 11.7 acres, for a total of 20.8 acres for 2000.	per COA tree planting specification.	alone will be planted (in addition to lot trees and alley trees).	so for typical alley-served single-family lots and multi-family attached lots, 35'-40' for front-served single-family lots and single-family attached lots, 35'-40' for Subchapter E for stacked multi-family, mixed use, retail, and institutional/civic lots. At annoyimately, 40 const.	Landscaping requirements will exceed City Code. Street trees will be required on all streets (both commercial and residential). Typical tree spacing will be required on all	No heritage trees will be removed. Proposed tree planting requirements in the pun

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Local Small Business Provides space at affordable rates to one or more independent retail or restaurant small businesses whose principal place of business is within the Austin metropolitan statistical area.	Accessibility Provides for accessibility for persons with disabilities.	Historic Preservation Preserves historic structures, landmarks, or other features to a degree exceeding applicable legal requirement.	Affordable Housing		Options of Section 3.3.2. of Chapter 25-2, Subchapter E (Design Standards and Mixed Use).	29 Building Design Exceeds the minimum points required by the base of the minimum points required by the base of t	ransportation	ities	Community Amenities		open spaces, either by provid contribution to the City's Art is successor program.  25 Great Streets Complies with City's Great Streets	Art Provides art approved by the Art in Public Place P
degree ndent e of		_		evelopment, at least 75 percent PUD plan will comply with the requirement or provide a more stringent requirement. in section 25-2.	pter 25-2, Subchapter E (Design	nitized back in the second sec		iil and greenway along	Provides community or public amenities, which may include spaces for community meetings, community gardens or urban farms, day care facilities, non-profit organizations, or other uses that fulfill an identified community need.  PUD includes community open space uses, including distributed and connected parks community gardens, and greatly increased connectivity to existing that fulfill an identified community need.	program. Applicable only to commercial, retail, or mixed-use development that is not subject to the requirements of Chapter 25-2, Subchapter E(Design Standards and Mixed Use).  Street sections in the PUD comply with the intent of the Great Streets Program.	ing a	PUD commits to meeting a minimum of Austin Energy GBP two stars or approved by the Art in Public places Program of



# **ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD MOTION 20140903 004c**

Date:

September 3, 2014

Subject:

Colony Park Planned Unit Development SP-2013-0295DS

Motioned By:

Robert Deegan

Seconded By: Mary Ann Neely

Whereas, the proposed PUD would achieve substantial environmental superiority, including all Tier 1 and many Tier II requirements, and

Whereas, the Development employs a green infrastructure sustainability, with development around increased open space and additional creek buffers.

Therefore, the Environmental Board recommends approval of the Planned Unit Development.

Vote

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For:

Deegan, Maxwell, Neely, Perales, Redmond, Smith, and Schissler

Against:

None

Abstain: None

Absent:

None

Approved By:

Dr. Mary Gay Maxwell, Chair



#### MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mary Gay Maxwell, Chairperson and Members of the Environmental Board

FROM:

Mike McDougal, Environmental Review Specialist Senior

Planning and Development Review Department

DATE:

September 3, 2014

SUBJECT:

Colony Park PUD - C814-2014-0110.SH

#### **Overview**

This summary is being provided to the Environmental Board as a supplement to the overall Planning and Development Review recommendations for the Colony Park PUD. The following is a description of the environmental aspects and considerations that have been addressed during Environmental Review of the proposed PUD, including proposed exceptions to the environmental code requirements that have been requested. These recommendations are to be considered in the overall context of the Planning and Development Review recommendations for this project.

#### **Description of Project**

The Colony Park PUD proposes single family, multi-family, commercial, mixed use (commercial and multi-family), civic use, parkland, and open space located on approximately 208 acres of land in the City's Full Purpose jurisdiction. Specific proposed development is provided in Attachment The project is located on the north side of Loyola Lane approximately 0.3 miles west of the intersection of Loyola Lane and Decker Lane (Attachment Two: Driving Directions). The project is located in the Walnut Creek, Elm Creek, and Decker Creek Watersheds, which are all classified as Suburban Watersheds and Desired Development Zone. The project is not located over the Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone.

## Existing Topography / Vegetation

The site elevation ranges from 496 to 620 feet above mean sea level. The topography is characterized by moderate hills mainly from northeast to west across the property. There are no naturally occurring slopes in excess of 15% within the property. Critical environmental features are present on the site as shown in Attachment One: Engineering Drawings. No heritage trees are located on this site. Existing woody vegetation is predominantly mesquite.

#### Water/Wastewater

Water and wastewater service will be provided by the City of Austin

# **Environmental Code Exception Request**

The applicant seeks one environmental Code exception as part of this Planned Unit Development:

• LDC Sections 25-8-392(B)(5)(a) through (c) to exceed impervious cover limits for



Land Development Code Section 25-8-392 and ECM Appendix Q-5 establish impervious cover limits for single family, multi-family, commercial, and mixed-use development in a full purpose, Suburban Watershed. Although the proposed mixed-use development will exceed the allowable impervious cover, the applicant will comply with overall impervious cover limits on a PUD-wide

Review of Tier One and Tier Two Criterion and Environmental Superlority

Please reference Attachment Three: Tier One and Tier Two Requirements Matrix for a description of specific environmental compliance elements and environmental superiority elements for the proposed Colony Park PUD.

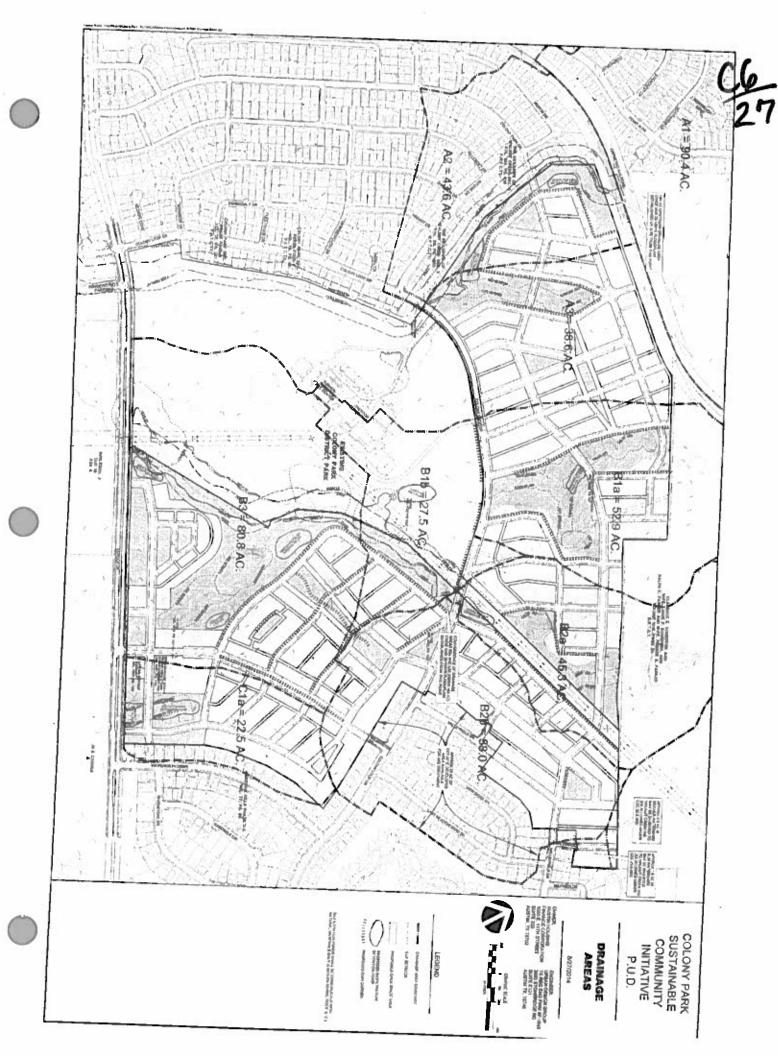
Staff has determined that the Colony Park PUD meets the requirements of LDC 25-2(B)(2) for environmental superiority, in summary:

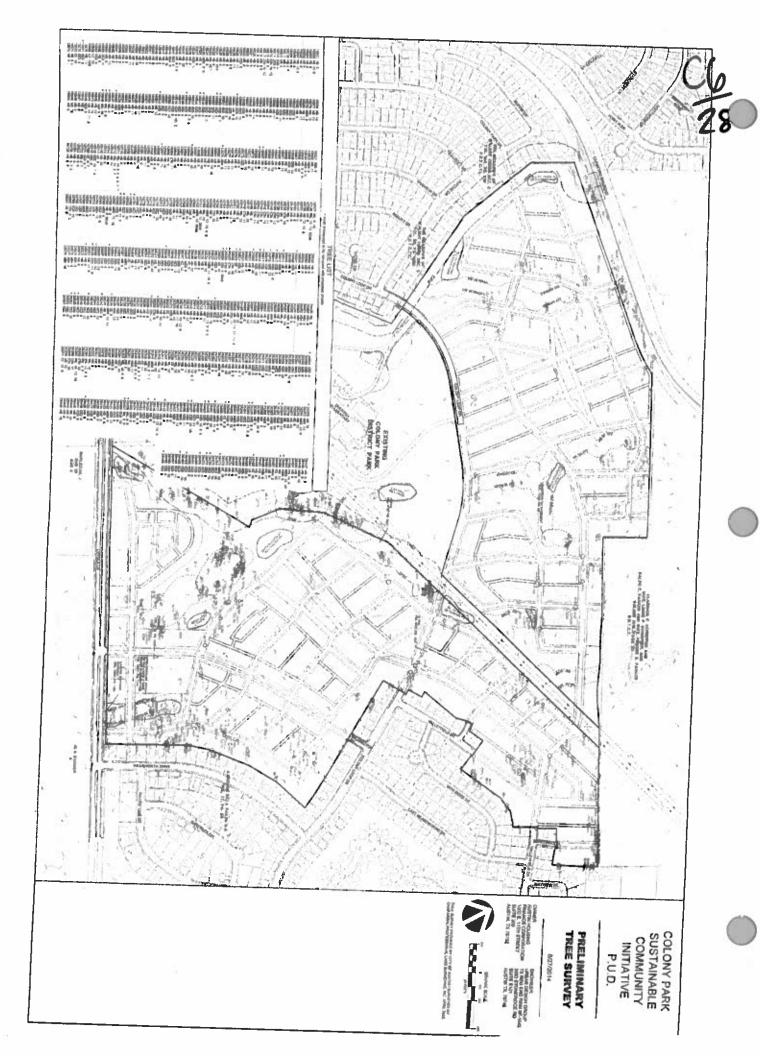
- Greatly increased open space;
- Additional creek buffers are proposed that will protect 32 acre headwater streams;
- Additional street trees will be provided;
- Approximately 23 acres of currently untreated, existing development adjacent to this proposed PUD will drain to and be treated by water quality controls in the Colony Park PUD;
- Development density is concentrated outside of environmentally sensitive areas;
- Trees planted on site will be native Central Texas trees;
- Use of green water quality controls (bio-filtration, rain gardens, etc.) for all stormwater treatment; and
- Reduced impervious cover by approximately 10 acres as described below.

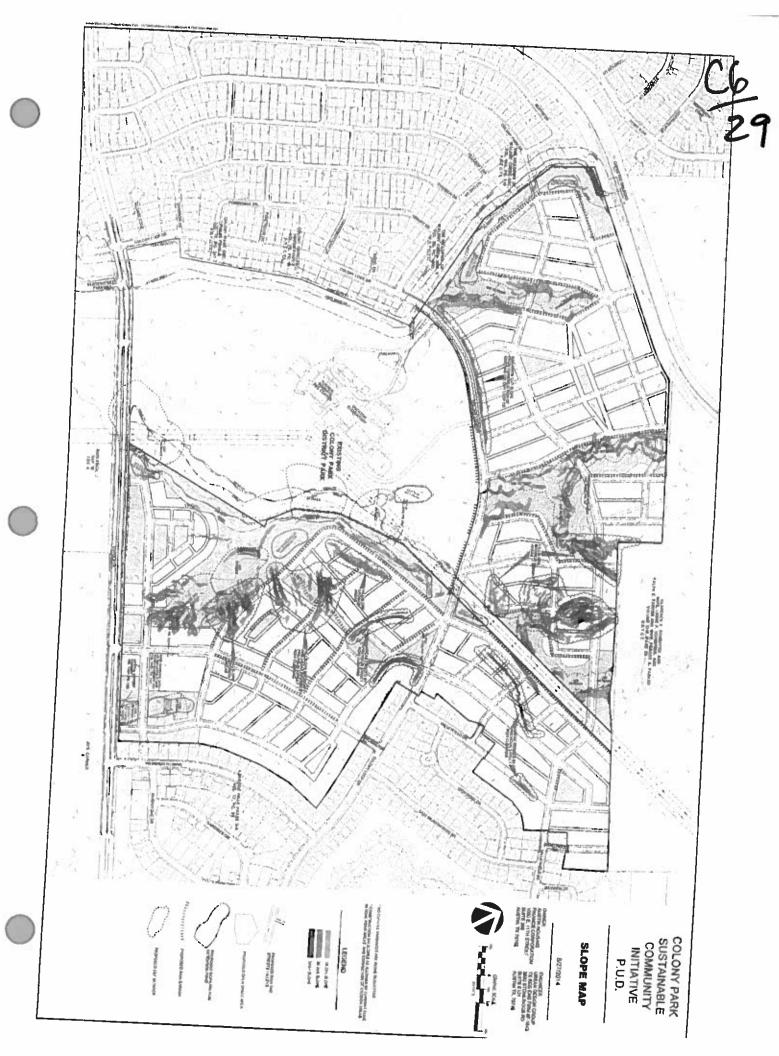
Use	Code IC %	Code IC Acres	Proposed % IC	Proposed IC
Single Family	55%	87.04	470/	Acres
Multi-family	60%	6.98	47%	74.18
Mixed Use	65%	19.41	58%	6.73
Commercial	80%		81%	24.24
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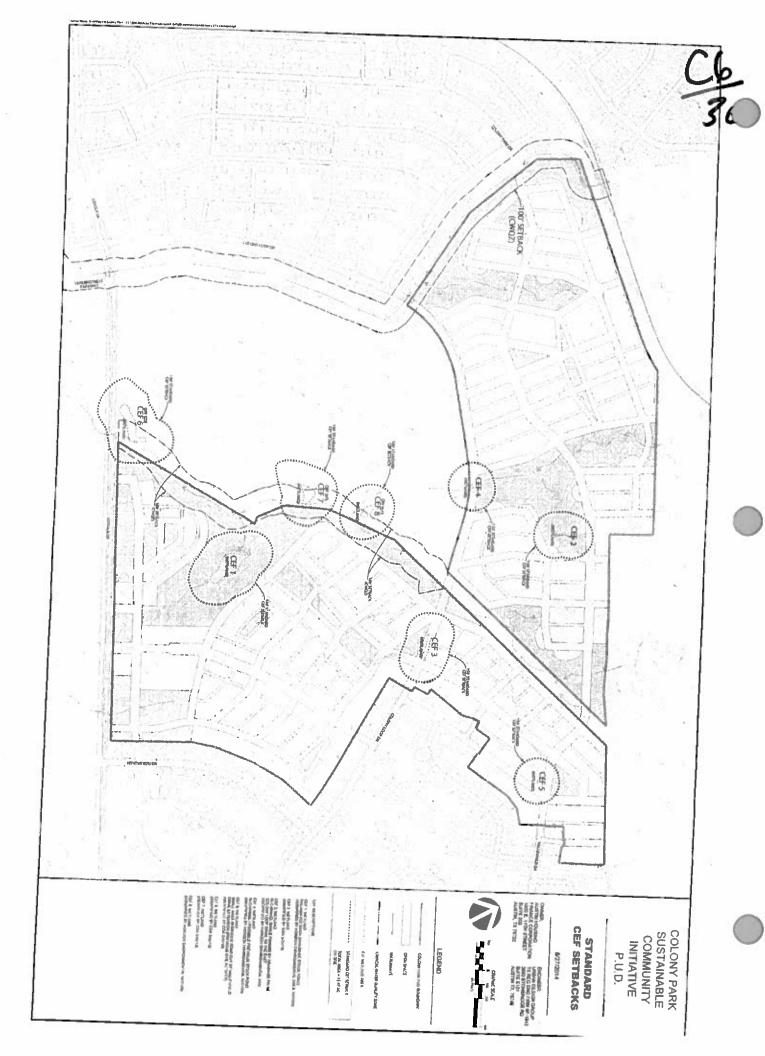
If you need further details, please contact Mike McDougal at 512-974-6380.

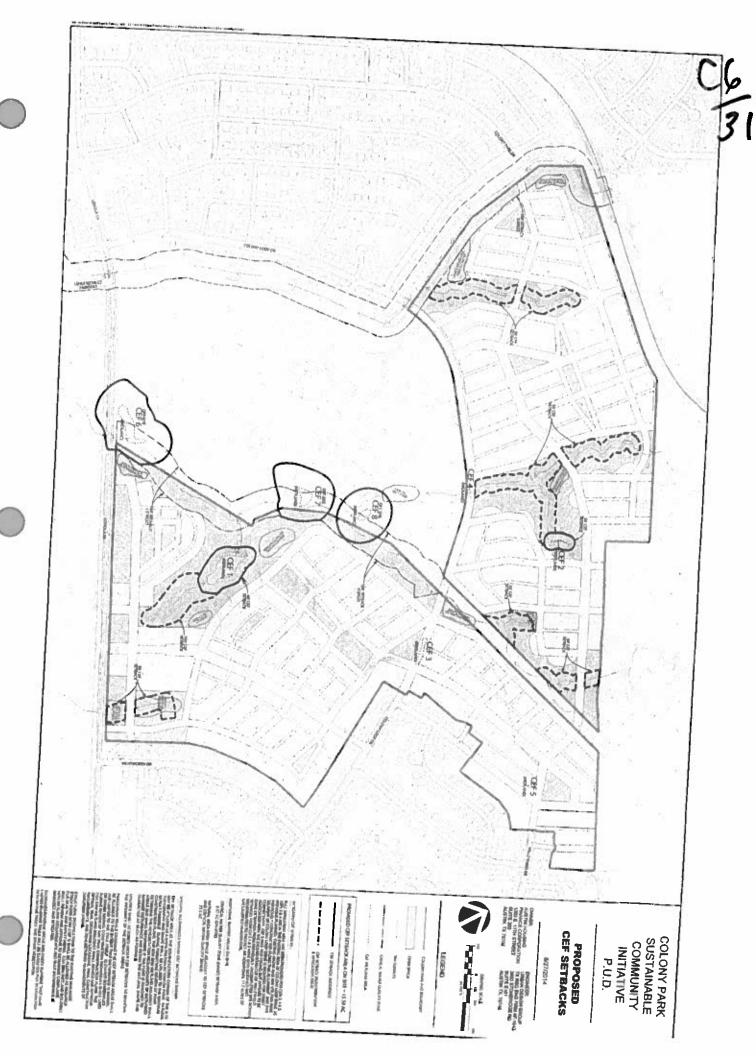
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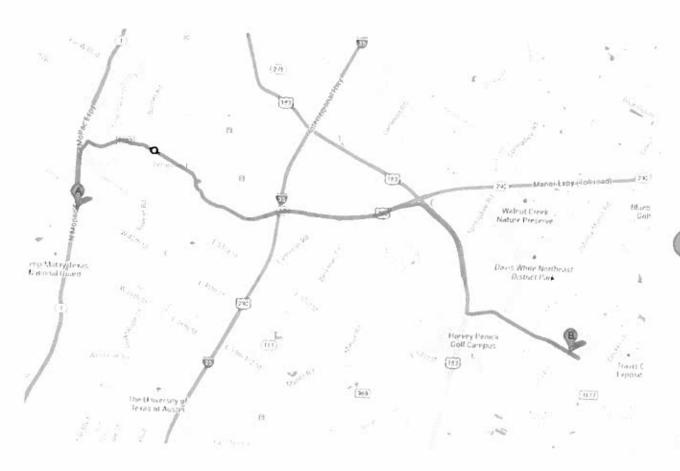


# ATTACHMENT TWO: DRIVING DIRECTIONS

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# Driving Directions from 45<sup>th</sup> and Mopac

- 1 Proceed north on Loop 1
- 2 Exit RM 2222 / Northland
- 3 Proceed east on RM 2222 / US 290
- 4 Exit US 183
- 5 Turn right on Ed Bluestein Blvd
- 6 Turn left on Loyola Lane, proceed approximately 1.7 miles. The property will be on the left.



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# ATTACHMENT THREE: TIER ONE AND TIER TWO REQUIREMENTS MATRIX

(Please See Exhibit E)





#### EXHIBIT 3

# EDUCATIONAL IMPACT STATEMENT (EIS) DETERMINATION

#### PART A

If your project is located in one or more of the following school districts, and requires Land Use Commission review; and meets one of the requirements listed below, an Educational Impact Statement is required.

■ YES	□ NO	100 or more single family units are proposed
■ YES	□ NO	200 or more multifamlly units are proposed
□ YES	<b>®</b> NO	100 or more multifamily units are proposed and a tax credit is requested
□ YES	B NO	project will demolish more than 50 residential existing units in a structure more than 20 years old

Please	check the	appropriate	school	district/a)
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- Austin Independent School District
- ☐ Leander Independent School District
- ☐ Pflugerville Independent School District
- ☐ Hays County Independent School District
- ☐ Del Valle Independent School District
- ☐ Round Rock Independent School District
- Manor Independent School District

If an Educational Impact Statement (EIS) is required, please complete the Educational Impact Analysis (EIA) Part B.



# EDUCATIONAL IMPACT ANALYSIS FORM Part B

	OFFICE USE ONLY
	CASE MANAGER: Heather Chaffin
	APPLICANT/AGENT: Urban Design Group - Laura Toups, Agent
	CASE NUMBER: C814-2014-0110.SH
	PROJECT NAME: Colony Park PUD
	PROJECT ADDRESS: 7900 Loyola Lane
	PROPOSED USE: mixed use - residential / commercial / institutional / civic
_	EXISTING RESIDENTIAL UNITS
	Existing Number of Residential Units: 0

# PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

Age of units to be demolished: N/A

Number of existing residential units to be demolished: 0

Gross Project Acreage	Total Acreage: 208 acres
Number of Jets: #UNITS	SF Residential: 543 Accessory Dwelling Units: 543 Attached Residential: 281 Multiferation 1000
Lots per acre:	Attached Residential: 281 Multifamily: 1622 Eco-cottage: 42
PROPOSED RESIDEN	TIAL UNITS

Proposed number of Residential Units:	3031
Size of proposed units in square feet (spe	ecify range): to be determined once Master Developer selected
las a	etermined once Master Developer is selected

#### **ZONING**

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## ESTIMATED SELLING / RENTAL PRICE (EXISTING AND PROPOSED)

Estimatedsellingpriceofunits(specifyrange): to be determined once Master Developer is selected

Estimatedrentalrates(ifapplicable): to be determined once Master Developer is selected

Rangeofmonthlyrentalratestobedemolished: to be determined once Master Developer is selected

to be determined once Estimatedincreaseinrentalrates(specifypercentageofincrease): Master Developer is selected

ves - tbd once Master Ifprojectismultifamily, willataxcreditbeappliedforaspartoftheSmartHousing IMProgram? Developer is selected

NumberofCertifiedAffordableDwellingUnits(ProposedorExisting) project goal is 20% Income-restricted housing

#### OFF-SITE FAMILY AMENITIES EXISTING WITHIN ONE MILE OF PROJECT (Open to the public - attach location plan)

Parks/Greenbelts: Colony Park District Park, Davis White NE District Park, Walter E Long Metro Park, Meadows at Trinity Crossing Park

RecreationCenters: Turner Roberts Rec Center, Austin Tennis Center

PublicSchools: Overton Elem, Jordan Elem, Garcia MS, Decker Elem, Decker MS

#### PARKLAND DEDICATION

Parklanddedicationrequired?	_ ■ YES	□ NO

Ifves, please indicate if applicant plans to request fee in lieu or provide parkland.

<u>Fee:</u>	<u> </u>	■ NO

Land: # YES 

#### ON-SITE FAMILY AMENITIES PROPOSED

Willspacebeprovidedforchildcareservices? 

YES Unknown at this time

Amountofopenspacerequiredinacres: 10 acres

Amountofopenspaceprovidedinacres: 55 acres

neighborhood parks, open space trails,

Otherproposedamenities:(pools,clubhouse,recreationarea): master plan of Colony Park Distrcit Park

#### TRANSPORTATION LINKAGES

ClosestPublicTransitLocation: exist: Loyola Ln, Colony Lp Dr prop on site: Colony Lp Dr, Street "A", Street "E" prop bike routes on site: Colony Lp Dr, Colony Park Dr, Street "A", Street "B", Street "Z". Pedestrian/BikeRoutes: prop ped routes provided on all proposed streets and thru adjacent open spaces



Date:

August 21st, 2014

To:

Laura Toups, Urban Design Group

CC:

Heather Chaffin, Case Manager

Reference:

Austin Housing Finance Corp. - TIA - C814-2014-0110.SH

Comments II

City of Austin staff has reviewed the Traffic Impacl Analysis and offers the following comments:

## Austin Transportation Department- Gary Schatz

TIA 1. The executive summary indicates that the intersection of Loyola Lane and Johnny Morris Road will operate below LOS D. Does this mean E&F or C or belter? Please clarify.

TIA 2. Will there be sidewalks along Decker?

TIA 3. On pg. 6 "Transportation System: Existing Roadway Network", clarify if Loyola, Decker and Colony Loop have sidewalks.

TIA 4. On pg.10, table 3: Trip Orientation lists bicycle as a mode twice. Please clarify.

TIA 5. Considering there are no sidewalks along Decker, how was "D" determined for Decker on pg. 21, table 11, and on pg. 24, Table 13. If no sidewalks exist, why wouldn't an E or F be determined for the

# Austin Transportation Department- Dipti Borkar-Desal

TIA 6. Who will be responsible for the fiscal of the mitigation measures?

TIA 7. Page 10 – Trip Orientation – I am assuming that 1% is for the Bicycle Mode.

TIA 8. Page 21 - Existing Conditions MMLOS - How was Ped mode evaluated on Decker Lane?

TIA 9. Page 24 – Are the locations of Bus Stops being coordinated with Cap Metro?

# Planning and Development Review Department- Amanda Couch

TIA 10. Provide a signed Scope.

TIA 11. Who will be responsible for the fiscal of the mitigation measures?

TIA 12. Provide a signed TIA worksheet.

TIA 13. There are no land uses established in the scope. Where did these uses come from?

14. The scope indicates that all site drives are to be included in the study. They don't appear to be ded or studied in this TIA.

- TIA 15. Pg. 4 Indicates that "site vehicular trips were reduced by 30% to account for transit use. How this assumption established, especially considering that transit currently failing with an F?
- TIA 16. How were the Bike trips calculated? They do not appear to be in the peak hour count data.
- TIA 17. Explain unconstrained internal capture rates table. Why would the % change of "from office, to office" and "to office, from office" be different?
- TIA 18. What is the final internal capture rate being used?
- TIA 19. The land uses listed in the scope for pass-by trips are not listed in Table 5: Trip Generation. Are pass-by reductions being applied to all uses in Table 5? What is the % reduction for pass-by reductions.
- TIA 20. The recommendations for improving the transit LOS for Decker and Loyola lane is to Install bus stops. When will those be installed and who will install them?
- TIA 21. The intersection at Loyola Lane and Decker Lane do not appear to have any mitigation recommendations but are failing with an LOS of E. Provide mitigation recommendations for this intersection.
- TIA 22. Table 16: The project is not taking any pro-rata cost share for Loyola Lane at Johnny Morris. Please explain?
- TIA 23. Table 19: Will transit stops not also be provided on the opposite side of the street from Colony Park? Transit stops should be planned for both sides of the street going in both directions.
- TIA 24. FYI only: a reduction in the amount of street cross sections is being requested with the zoning case and should be reflected in the TIA.

Austin Transportation Department- Brian Craig

Review pending.

**Texas Department of Transportation- Gary Morris** 

Review pending.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 974-2881.

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Amanda Couch

Planner ~ Transportation Review

Planning and Development Review Department

## MASTER REVIEW REPORT

CASE NUMBER: C814-2014-0110.SH CASE MANAGER: Heather Chaffin

PHONE #: 512-974-2122

REVISION #: 00

UPDATE: 0

PROJECT NAME: Colony Park PUD

SUBMITTAL DATE: June 30, 2014 REPORT DUE DATE: July 21, 2014 FINAL REPORT DATE: August 1, 2014

REPORT LATE: 11 DAYS

LOCATION: Loyola Lane

#### STAFF REVIEW:

This report includes all comments received to date concerning your site plan. The site plan will be approved when all requirements identified in this report have been addressed. However, until this happens, your site plan is considered disapproved.

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PROBLEMS, CONCERNS OR IF YOU REQUIRE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THIS REPORT, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT YOUR CASE MANAGER (referenced above) at the CITY OF AUSTIN, NEIGHBORHOOD PLANNING AND ZONING, P.O. BOX 1088, AUSTIN, TX.

#### REPORT;

- > The attached report identifies those requirements that must be addressed by an update to your application in order to obtain approval. This report may also contain recommendations for you to consider, which are not requirements.
- > ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS MAY BE GENERATED AS A RESULT OF INFORMATION OR DESIGN CHANGES PROVIDED IN YOUR UPDATE.

### UPDATE DEADLINE:

- ➤ It is the responsibility of the applicant or his/her agent to update this site plan application. All updates must be submitted by ##/##/## which is 180 days from the date your application was filed [Sec. 25-5-113]. Otherwise, the application will automatically be denied.
- ▶ If this date falls on a weekend or City of Austin holiday, the next City of Austin workday will be the deadline.

#### EXTENSION:

- ➤ An extension to the 180 day deadline may be requested by submitting a written justification to your case manager on or before ##/##/##. If this date falls on a weekend or City of Austin holiday, the next City of Austin workday will be the deadline.
- Extensions may be granted only when there are extenuating circumstances that could not have been reasonably anticipated when the application was submitted. Requests for extensions must clearly document why the additional time is needed.



## Comprehensive Planning - Kathleen Fox - 512-974-7877

-CLEARED-

CP 1. This zoning case is located on the north side of Loyola Lane on an undeveloped property that is approximately 208 acres in size. This rezoning is not located within the boundaries of an adopted neighborhood planning area. Surrounding land uses includes vacant land to the north and south, a residential subdivision to the east, and the Overview Elementary School and a residential subdivision to the west. This is a proposed mixed use project, planned to have a variety of land uses including: residential housing (single family, duplex and multifamily uses), recreational facilities and open space, and a job center and a town center (containing retail, commercial, office, residential and civic uses).

### Imagine Austin

The Imagine Austin Growth Concept Map, found in the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan, identifies this section of Loyola Lane as an Activity Corridor. The property is also located between a Job Center to the north, and a Neighborhood Town Center to the west. Activity corridors are the connections that link activity centers and other key destinations to one another and allow people to travel throughout the city and region by bicycle, transit, or automobile. Corridors are characterized by a variety of activities and types of buildings located along the roadway - shopping, restaurants and cafés, parks, schools, singlefamily houses, apartments, public buildings, houses of worship, mixed-use buildings, and offices. The following Imagine Austin policies are applicable:

- LUT P3. Promote development in compact centers, communities, or along corridors that are connected by roads and transit that are designed to encourage walking and bicycling, and reduce health care, housing and transportation costs.
- LUT P4. Protect neighborhood character by directing growth to areas of change that includes designated redevelopment areas, corridors and infill sites. Recognize that different neighborhoods have different characteristics and new and infill development should be sensitive to the predominant character of these communities.
- LUT P7. Encourage infill and redevelopment opportunities that place residential, work, and retail land uses in proximity to each other to maximize walking, bicycling, and transit opportunities.

Based upon: (1) abutting residential and institutional land uses located off Loyola Lane; (2) the property being located along a major Activity Corridor, which supports mixed use, and between a Job Center to the north and a Neighborhood Center to the west and; (3) the Imagine Austin policies referenced above, which supports a variety of land uses, including mixed use, staff believes that this proposed mixed use development promotes the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan.

PDR Case Manager/Zoning Review - Heather Chaffin 974-2122

NOTE: The final PUD ordinance will be comprised of a Land Use Plan and an Ordinance. Information required below must be provided on the Land Use Plan or in the ordinance-- other documents that are submitted to facilitate review (e.g. regulating plan, conceptual design layouts, etc.) are useful, but comments are not cleared if information is shown on these documents instead of Also, as discussed, the Land Use Plan will need to be at least 2 pages, so all required notes may be included.

- ZN 1. Add the following information to the Land Use Plan: existing zoning (onsite and adjacent).
- ZN 2. Show and label clearly the right-of-way (ROW) widths for all adjacent roadways and all proposed roadways.
- ZN 3. Identify permitted land uses for each Land Use Area (LU Area) and/or identify a base zoning category for each. For example, the land uses permitted in GR-MU or LR-MU may be appropriate for the Mixed Use Area adjacent to Loyola Lane, or a customized list of land uses. Provide this information each category: Single Family, Residential, Neighborhood Commercial, Mixed Use, Open Space, and Transit Friendly Mixed Use.
- ZN 4. Identify site development standards (lot width, building height, F.A.R., etc.) for each Land Use Area (LU Area) and/or identify a base zoning category for each. Similar to the example in ZN 3, the site development standards established for GR-MU or LR-MU may be appropriate for the Mixed Use Area adjacent to Loyola Lane, or may be customized. Provide this information for each category listed on the Land Use Table: Open Space, Neighborhood Residential, Eco-Cottages, Medium Density Residential, High Density Residential, Mixed Use/GFR and Institutional/Civic.
- ZN 5. Update the Land Use Table to show that the numbers provided are the <u>maximums</u>-- maximum number of proposed residential units, maximum square footage of non-residential development.
- ZN 6. Provide information about proposed maximum impervious cover, building coverage, etc. for entire property. Break information down by LU Area, also. Project phasing information will be required also, including phased calculations for these items.
- ZN 7. Add page numbering (1 of 1, etc.) to each sheet. Provide a site location map (minimum 5" x 5") that clearly shows the PUD project location in relation to city, major roadways.

Remove ALL hatching and shading from Land Use Areas so topographic information will be easier to read.

- ZN 8. Clearly show and label all easements on the property, including recording information.
- ZN 9. Specify the maximum number of curb cuts or driveways serving a non-residential project.

Clarification: Show on plan AND add note specifying maximum number of driveways.

- ZN 10. Add note: Gated roadways are prohibited.
- ZN 11. Add note: PUD will comply with Chapter 25-2, Subchapter E, of the City of Austin Land Development Code.
- ZN 12. This project is located within Austin ISD. An Educational Impact Statement (EIS) will be required with PUD submittal.
- ZN 13. FYI-- Additional site development regulations may be specified by the Environmental Board, Planning Commission, or City Council.



ZN 14. Add note: All buildings will comply with the Austin Energy Green Building (AEGB) Planned Unit Development Program current at the time of AEGB approval of the rating

ZN 15. Additional comments may be generated as information is provided.

# NPZ Environmental Review - Mike McDougal 512-974-6380

The proposed development is located within the following watersheds: Watershed; Elm Creek Watershed; and Walnut Creek Watershed. These watersheds are all classified as Suburban Watersheds. The proposed development is not located over the Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone. The proposed development is located within the COA full purpose

The following EV review comments are provided based on the above information.

EV 01 Tree preservation requirements (including heritage tree requirements) are applicable to this property. Please provide a tree survey of all trees with a diameter of 8 inches or more and indicate which trees are expected to be removed. Additional tree review and comment may be

EV 02 Please provide a slope map showing:

- 1 Slopes from 0 to 15%;
- 2 Slopes from 15 to 25%; and
- 3 Slopes in excess of 25%.

In addition, provide an overlay of the proposed development (lot lines, building footprints, proposed water quality / detention ponds, roadway alignments, etc) on this exhibit. Additional construction on slopes review and comment may be pending.

EV 03 Please provide a cut / fill exhibit showing:

- 1 Proposed cut / fill from 0 to 4 feet;
- 2 Proposed cut / fill from 4 to 8 feet; and
- 3 Proposed cut / fill in excess of 8 feet.

In addition, provide an overlay of the proposed development (lot lines, building footprints, proposed water quality / detention ponds, roadway alignments, etc) on this exhibit. Additional cut / fill review and comment may be pending.

EV 04 Please provide an exhibit showing the boundaries of the 100 year fully developed floodplain. In addition, provide an overlay of the proposed development (lot lines, building footprints, proposed water quality / detention ponds, roadway alignments, etc) on this exhibit. Additional floodplain review and comment may be pending.

EV 05 For the purposes of Environmental Review, impervious cover is separated into 3 categories (single family, multi-family, and commercial) per LDC 25-8-391 through 393. Please provide ECM Appendix Q2 impervious cover tables for each of these categories. In addition, use impervious cover assumptions in accordance with LDC 25-8-64 for proposed single family



development. For mixed use development that incorporates both commercial and multi-family on the same lot, use the guidelines provided in ECM Appendix Q-5. Additional impervious cover review and comment may be pending.

EV 06 Critical Environmental Features are protected per LDC 25-8-281 and 282. Please provide an exhibit showing CEFs, CEF setbacks, lot lines, and proposed development. Additional CEF review and comment may be pending.

All of the above information is necessary: (a) to assess environmental superiority of the PUD; (b) to assess noncompliance of the proposed PUD with the requirements of LDC 25-8; and (c) to determine what noncompliant issues (if any) will need to be addressed in the PUD language.

NPZ Water Quality / Drainage Engineering Review - Beth Robinson 512-974-6312

RELEASE OF THIS APPLICATION DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A VERIFICATION OF ALL DATA, INFORMATION, AND CALCULATIONS SUPPLIED BY THE APPLICANT. THE ENGINEER OF RECORD IS SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COMPLETENESS, ACCURACY, AND ADEQUACY OF HIS/HER SUBMITTAL, WHETHER OR NOT THE APPLICATION IS REVIEWED FOR CODE COMPLIANCE BY CITY ENGINEERS.

WQ1. Please remove references to bio-swale as this is not an approved method of water quality.

WQ2. Still uncertain of the overall plan for water quality; mention of a bio-filtration pond in meeting 7/24/14.

DE1. Type A, C roadway sections: It is my understanding that bike lanes located adjacent to parking lanes need to be a minimum of 8 ft. for the street sweeper to access. This should be addressed prior to approval of the document.

DE2. Page 169, Multi-family (townhomes): The layout of attached townhomes with detached garages creates a drainage issue in the area in between.

Drainage may not be conveyed across lot lines between the townhomes and the detached garages via either a pipe or in an open channel because of the inability to regulate these easement areas. All flows on each lot will need to be collected and directed via enclosed piping under the garage or under the townhomes to a collection line in the ROW of the proposed street or alleyway.

DE3. All proposed non-standard street cross sections will need to be reviewed and approved by both Austin Transportation Department and the Public Works Department (Street and Bridge).

DE4. Please label street section as FOC to FOC or BOC to BOC; they are just labeled as curb to curb.

DE5. Who will be maintaining the storm conveyance in the median? Will it be maintained as a street feature or as a stormwater conveyance feature (PW vs WPD); the ultimate department responsible for the maintenance needs to also approve the non-standard street-section design?

DE6. What is the ultimate stormwater plan for the development? Typically, single-family stormwater facilities (detention and water quality ponds) are maintained by the City and commercial and multi-family facilities are maintained by the property owners. Is this the plan for this development? If not, a variance from LDC 25-8-231 and 25-7-153 should be incorporated into the PUD and a maintenance plan should be discussed at this time.

DE7. Please show 100-year and 25 -year floodplains.

# NPZ Site Plan Review - Michael Simmons-Smith 512-974-1225

- SP 1. Phasing of the proposed Planned Unit Development is recommended to ensure adequacy of existing or proposed off-site roadways, utility systems, or other public facilities.
- SP 2. Describe the types of proposed residential uses per tract, including maximum density, maximum floor-area ratio, maximum height, minimum lot size and width, and any other site development requirements deemed appropriate.
- If any structures are proposed in excess of sixty feet in height, schematic drawings shall be provided which illustrate the height, bulk and location of such buildings and line-of-sight analyses from adjoining properties and/or rights-of-way.
- SP 4. For all non-residential development provide a summary table indicating the site development regulations for each existing and proposed use by tract and/or phase. Uses shall be listed at a level of detail sufficient for traffic impact analysis review as required in Section 25-6. Include the following information:
- The maximum floor-area ratio (to be no greater than the maximum authorized in the most restrictive base zoning district where the most intense proposed use on a tract is first authorized
- Total square footage and whether structured parking facilities are proposed;
- Maximum impervious cover;
- Maximum height limitation;
- Minimum setbacks, with a minimum front yard of no less than 25 feet and minimum street site yard no less than 15 feet, and in no event shall the setback be less than required pursuant to the Compatibility Standards;
- The number of curb cuts or driveways serving a non-residential project, which shall be the minimum necessary to provide adequate access to the site; and
- All civic uses by type and proposed site development regulations. Additional site development regulations may be specified by the City Council.
- SP 5. As per Section 25-2-411(G), any industrial uses within a PUD shall conform to the performance standards established by Section 25-2-648.

- SP 6. Open space of no less than 20% of a tract used for a non-residential use or 15% of a tract used for an industrial use shall be reserved within each tract. This requirement may be adjusted depending upon the total open space provided for the PUD, as per Section 25-2-411(H).
- SP 7. Identify any waivers to be requested from the City Ordinances or development standards pursuant to Chapter 25-2-402.
- SP 8. Additional comments will be provided upon the submittal of site plans within this Planned Unit Development.

## NPZ Transportation Review - Amanda Couch 512-974-2881

- TR1. Additional right-of-way will be required at the time of subdivision and/or site plan.
- TR2. A traffic impact analysis is required and has been received. Additional right-of-way, participation in roadway improvements, or limitations on development intensity may be recommended based on review of the TIA. [LDC, Sec. 25-6-142]. Comments will be provided in a separate memo.
- TR3. Are there any portions of the LDC or TCM that this PUD is requesting to not comply with? If so, please indicate what portions.
- TR4. Provide documentation that the Public Works Department and Austin Transportation Department have approved the Non-Standard street cross sections.
- TR5. Minimum transportation requirements for PUD (2.3.1 &2.3.2):
  - a. Gated roadways are prohibited (2.3.1(J))
  - b. Development containing a retail, commercial, or mixed use development must comply with Subchapter E and contain pedestrian-oriented uses as defined in section 25-2-691(C) on the first floor of a multi-story commercial or mixed use building (2.3.2(A)&(C))
- TR6. FYI only: Transportation options to meet tier two PUD requirements:
  - a. Streets may comply with the City's Great Streets Program.
  - b. Bicycle facilities may be provided to connect with existing or planned bicycle routes or other multi-modal transportation features.
  - c. Provide for accessibility for persons with disabilities to a degree exceeding applicable legal requirements.

TR7. Existing Street Characteristics:

Name	ROW	Pavement	Classification	Sidewalks	Bike Route	Capital Metro
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Electric Review - David Lambert - 512-322-6109

FYI - David Lambert is no longer the site plan and plat reviewer for Austin Energy. Contact Wendi Broden, at ph. 512-322-6237, to discuss these comments.

## EL 1. ADD THE FOLLOWING NOTE:

Austin Energy has the right to prune and/or remove trees, shrubbery and other obstructions to the extent necessary to keep the easements clear. Austin Energy will perform all tree work in compliance with Chapter 25-8, Subchapter B of the City of Austin Land Development Code.

## EL 2. ADD THE FOLLOWING NOTE:

The owner/developer of this subdivision/lot shall provide Austin Energy with any easement and/or access required, in addition to those indicated, for the installation and ongoing maintenance of overhead and underground electric facilities. These easements and/or access are required to provide electric service to the building and will not be located so as to cause the site to be out of compliance with Chapter 25-8 of the City of Austin Land Development Code.

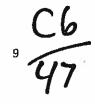
## EL 3. ADD THE FOLLOWING NOTE:

The owner shall be responsible for installation of temporary erosion control, revegetation and tree protection. In addition, the owner shall be responsible for any initial tree pruning and tree removal that is within ten feet of the center line of the proposed overhead electrical facilities designed to provide electric service to this project. The owner shall include Austin Energy's work within the limits of construction for this project.

## EL 4. ADD THE FOLLOWING NOTE:

The owner of the property is responsible for maintaining clearances required by the National Electric Safety Code, Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations, City of Austin rules and regulations and Texas state laws pertaining to clearances when working in close proximity to overhead power lines and equipment. Austin Energy will not render electric service unless required clearances are maintained. All costs incurred because of failure to comply with the required clearances will be charged to the owner.

- EL 5. Any relocation of electric facilities shall be at landowner's/developer's expense.
- EL 6. Ten foot electric and telecommunications easement required adjacent to all street R.O.W. Show on the face of the plat or note in a prominent location.
- EL 7. Ten/Fifteen foot electric and telecommunications easement requested adjacent to Loyola Lane to be dedicated by separate instrument. Contact this reviewer to discuss. Show easement on the site plan.



EL 8. The following comments are from Lena Lund, ph. 512-322-6587 or <a href="mailto:lena.lund@austinenergy.com">lena.lund@austinenergy.com</a>, on behalf of Austin Energy's Transmission group. Contact her directly if you have questions regarding her comments:

ET9. Identify the recording information for the existing electric transmission easement and the ownership as being City of Austin (Electric Transmission) to the plans.

ET10. The City's Environmental Criteria Manual (ECM) Sections 2.4.1.D and 2.4.2.C state, in areas where utility lines are present or proposed only trees from the Utility Compatible Shade Trees list (see Appendix F) shall be planted within: 30 to 40 lateral feet from any overhead transmission conductor, unless a more restrictive dedicated right-of-way has been established. All trees are prohibited to be planted within 25 feet of the base of transmission structures.

ET11. Move the proposed community gardens out of the transmission easement. Shrubbery shall not obstruct access to the base of the transmission structures. Climbing vegetation on electric facilities is prohibited. Compost and mulch are prohibited above the concrete foundation of the transmission structures.

# ET 12. ADD THE FOLLOWING NOTES TO THE COVERSHEET OR NOTE PAGE OF ALL SITE PLANS:

24-hour access to electric facilities shall be maintained.

Any temporary or permanent security fence preventing access to the easement, shall be coordinated with Austin Energy staff. AE staff shall install a lock on the gate/fence for access.

Property owner is responsible for all damages to curbing, landscape and walls placed around the electric transmission structures/poles/lines caused by Austin Energy during maintenance and repairs.

# NPZ Austin Water Utility Review - Neil Kepple 512-972-0077

FYI: The landowner intends to serve the site with City of Austin water and wastewater utilities. The landowner, at own his expense, will be responsible for providing any water and wastewater utility improvements, offsite main extensions, water or wastewater easements, utility relocations and/or abandonments required by the proposed land uses. It is recommended that Service Extension Requests be submitted to the Austin Water Utility at the early stages of project planning. Water and wastewater utility plans must be reviewed and approved by the Austin Water Utility in compliance with Texas Commission of Environmental rules and regulations, the City's Utility Criteria Manual and suitability for operation and maintenance. All water and wastewater construction must be inspected by the City of Austin. The landowner must pay the once the landowner makes an application for a City of Austin water and wastewater utility tap

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Typical water system operating pressures in the area are above 65 psi. Pressure reducing valves reducing the pressure to 65 psi (552 kPa) or less to water outlets in buildings shall be installed in accordance with the plumbing code.

All AWU infrastructure and appurtenances must meet all TCEQ separation criteria. Additionally AWU must have adequate accessibility to safely construct, maintain, and repair all public infrastructure. Rules & guidelines include:

- 1. A minimum separation distance of 5 feet from all other utilities (measured outside of pipe to outside of pipe) and AWU infrastructure;
- 2. A minimum separation distance of 5 feet from trees and must have root barrier systems installed when within 7.5 feet;
- 3. Water meters and cleanouts must be located in the right-of-way or public water and wastewater easements;
- 4. Easements for AWU infrastructure shall be a minimum of 15 feet wide, or twice the depth of the main, measured from finished grade to pipe flow line, whichever is greater.
- 5. A minimum separation of 7.5 feet from center line of pipe to any obstruction is required for straddling line with a backhoe;
- 6. AWU infrastructure shall not be located under water quality or detention structures and should be separated horizontally to allow for maintenance without damaging structures or the AWU infrastructure.
- 7. The planning and design of circular Intersections or other geometric street features and their amenities shall include consideration for access, maintenance, protection, testing, cleaning, and operations of the AWU infrastructure as prescribed in the Utility Criteria Manual (UCM)
- 8. Building setbacks must provide ample space for the installation of private plumbing items such as sewer connections, customer shut off valves, pressure reducing valves, and back flow prevention devices in the instance where auxiliary water sources are provided.

## Don Perryman - Subdivision 512-974-2786

- SR1. A preliminary plan, or multiple preliminary plans will need to be filed prior to, or concurrently with final plats. In the PUD ordinance, I recommend extending lifespan of your preliminary plans beyond current code allowances, (i.e. Mueller preliminary plan is good for 20 years).
- SR2. In the PUD ordinance I would also recommend you include that any revisions to the preliminary plan(s) that does not effect areas outside of the development, be reviewed as a minor revision or minor deviation.
- SR3. If there are any specific subdivision related questions you have, please contact me directly.

# NPZ Flood Plain Review - Henry Price 512-974-1275

No zoning comments.

NPZ Fire Review - Ralph Castillo 512-974-0192

An informal update will be required to address the following Street Sections concerns prior to

- How will street intersections be verified to be adequate for fire apparatus use? 1.
- How will the Type E, Type M, and Type O street sections be verified as adequate for fire apparatus use during emergency and non-emergency use?

Industrial Waste Review - Anthony Mueske - 512-972-1060

## Approved

IW1. There are no requirements at this stage of the development process. A review of the water and wastewater configuration as it relates to Chapter 15-10 of the Austin City Code (Wastewater Regulations) will occur when a site development permit application is submitted.

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# A FORMAL UPDATE WILL BE REQUIRED TO CLEAR COMMENTS. PLEASE SUBMIT 17 COPIES OF THE UPDATED LAND USE PLAN AND OTHER MATERIALS FOR

CASE MANAGER/ZONING: HEATHER CHAFFIN

2 COPIES (PLUS ANY TIA, EV

REPORTS, ETC.)

**ENVIRONMENTAL: MIKE MCDOUGAL** 

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