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SUBDIVISION REVIEW SHEET VARIANCE ONLY

CASE NO.: C8-2016-0187.0A

Z.A.P. DATE: July 11, 2017

SUBDIVISION NAME: Mariposa Flats

AREA: 1.0036

LOT(S): 1

OWNER/APPLICANT: Richard J. Bruggeman

AGENT: LJA Engineering, Inc.

(Danny Miller)

ADDRESS OF SUBDIVISION: 1901 MARIPOSA DR

GRIDS: MJ19

COUNTY: Travis

WATERSHED: Town Lake

JURISDICTION: Full Purpose

EXISTING ZONING: MF-4-CO

DISTRICT: 3

NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN: Riverside

PROPOSED LAND USE Commercial MF

ADMINISTRATIVE WAIVERS: None

<u>VARIANCES</u>: The applicant requests a variance from LDC Section 25-4-151 which requires that streets in a new subdivision must be in line with existing streets on adjoining property. The applicant proposes to not extend Mariposa Drive through the proposed lot. **Recommended**, (see attached memorandum from Transportation Review).

SIDEWALKS: Sidewalks will be provided on both sides of all internal streets and the subdivision side of boundary streets.

<u>DEPARTMENT COMMENTS</u>: The request is for solely for the approval of the above referenced variance request. The proposed plat is composed of 1 lot on 1.0036 acres.

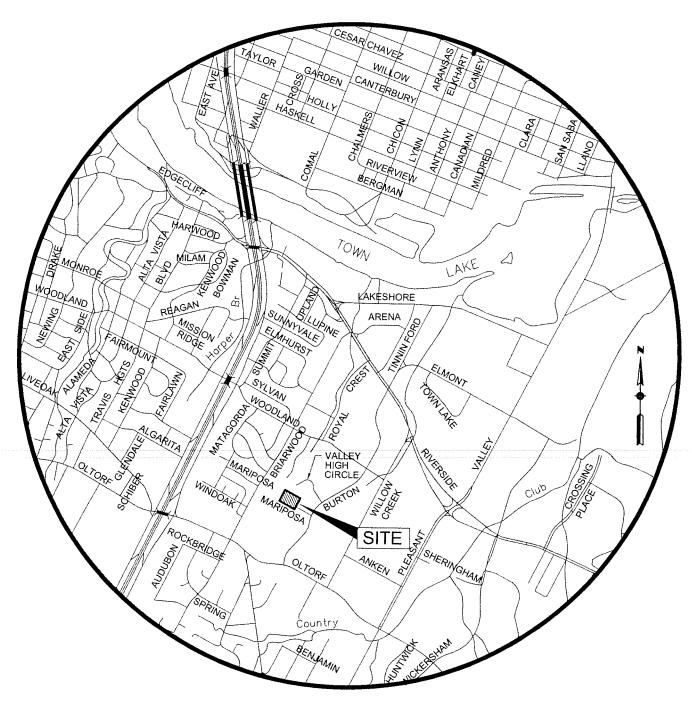
STAFF RECOMMENDATION: The staff recommends approval of the variance request. This plat will otherwise meet all applicable State and City of Austin LDC requirements.

PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION:

CITY STAFF: Don Perryman

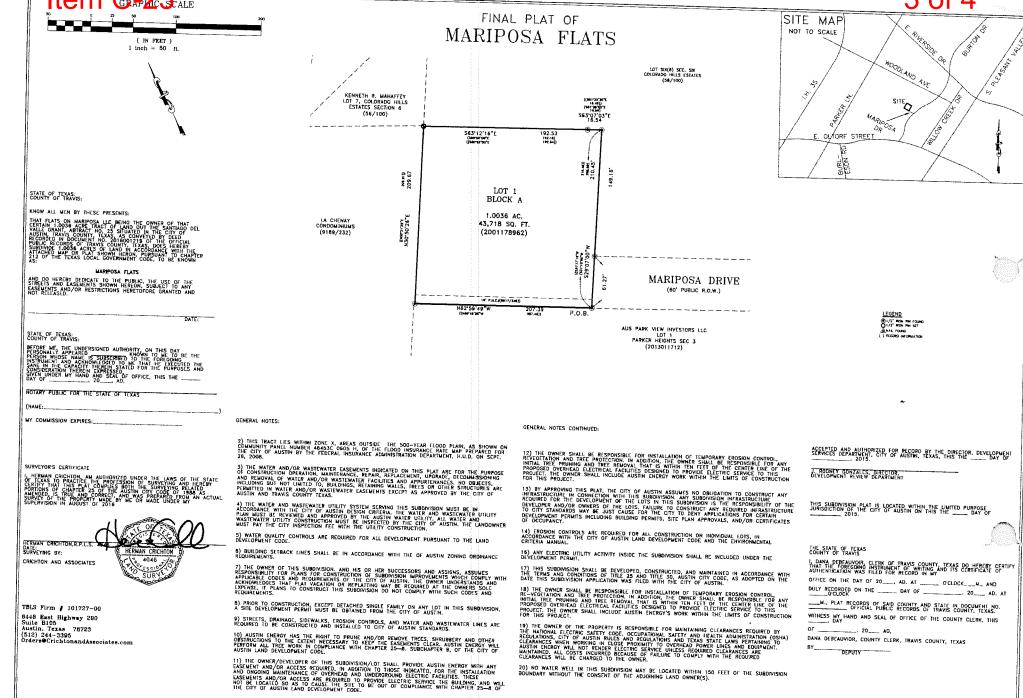
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LOCATION MAP

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SCALE: 1" = 50' | JOB NO. 12 308



MEMORANDUM

TO:

Don Perryman, Case Manager

Members of the Planning Commission

FROM:

Natalia Rodriguez, CNU-A, Land Use Review Division, DSD

DATE:

July 3, 2017

SUBJECT:

Variance Request Mariposa Flats Subdivision

Case Number - C8-2016-0187.0A

Recommendation:

To approve the variance

The applicant for the above referenced subdivision is requesting a variance to Title 25 of the Land Development Code (LDC) Section 25-4-151, which requires streets of a new subdivision to be in line with existing streets on adjoining property. The variance is for the connection to Mariposa Drive.

The proposed subdivision is located within the City of Austin's full purpose jurisdiction in southeast Austin, between Woodland Avenue and E Oltorf Street. The site consists of one lot on 1.004 acres.

Staff recommends approval of the variance for the following reasons:

- Mariposa Drive is an existing local street which provides access to the multi-family units to the north.
- Traffic circulation would not be compromised if Mariposa Drive was not extended because there are other ingress and egress points throughout this subdivision and adjacent subdivisions to right-of-way.
- The proposed development for this subdivision includes a six-story multi-family and parking garage building. The 60-foot right-of-way dedication and setback requirements would reduce the buildable area by approximately 40%. In accordance with the Comprehensive Master Plan, Imagine Austin, staff has agreed to support the proposed multi-family residential development within the Urban Core with the condition to provide pedestrian and bicycle connectivity.

Support for variance contingent upon following recommendations:

- The site shall provide a 15-foot Sidewalk, Trail, and Recreational Easement along the south property line from Mariposa Lane to the adjacent site to the west.
- An urban trail shall be constructed, in accordance with City of Austin standards, at the time of Site Plan application from Mariposa Drive to the adjacent site to the west.
- This trail connection allows for open and accessible pedestrian and bicycle travel from the
 adjacent multi-family development, and any future adjacent development, to Mariposa Lane
 and bus stops along Burton Drive.

If you have any further questions or required additional information, please contact me at 974-3099.

Natalia Rodriguez, CNU-A Land Use Review Division/ Transportation Review Development Services Department