# PLANNING COMMISSION SITE PLAN REVIEW SHEET CONDITIONAL USE SITE PLAN APPROVAL

CASE NUMBER: SPC-02-0034C(R2) PC DATE: January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019

**PROJECT NAME:** Town Lake Park Cultural Landscape Phase Two

**ADDRESS:** 1006 Barton Springs Road

**AREA:** 48.5 acres (LOC 3 acres)

**APPLICANT:** City of Austin Transportation and Public Works Departments

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**EXISTING ZONING:** P-NP; CS-1-NP

## PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT:

Approval of a conditional use permit to allow a revision to the existing site plan, proposing park facilities, children's garden, wet pond, restrooms, parking and landscaping.

**AREA STUDY:** Bouldin Creek **WATERSHED:** Lady Bird Lake

APPLICABLE WATERSHED ORDINANCE: Current/ Comprehensive Watershed Ordinance

**CAPITOL VIEW:** N/A **T.I.A**.: Not Required

# **SUMMARY STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of the improvements shown on the site plan. The related site plan has been reviewed in accordance with all requirements of the Land Development Code once submitted.

#### PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION:

Related Case: N/A

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# **PROJECT INFORMATION:**

ZONING: P-NP; CS-1-NP MAX. BLDG. CVRG: -; 95%

MAX. BLDG. CVRG: -; 95% PROP. BLDG. CVRG: - PROP.HEIGHT: -

MAX. IMP. CVRG: -; 95% PROP. IMPERV. CVRG.: - EXIST. USE: Civic PROPOSED USE: Civic

# **SUMMARY COMMENTS ON SITE PLAN:**

**Land Use:** The submitted site plan is for the construction of park facilities, children's garden, wet pond, restrooms, parking and landscaping. This site currently holds the Palmer Center, the Long Center for the Performing Arts, as well as various park improvements.

**Environmental**: The site is not located in the Edward's Aquifer Recharge Zone. The site is in the Harper's Branch watershed.

# **SURROUNDING CONDITIONS:**

Zoning/ Land use: North: Lady Bird Lake

East: PUD-NP, LI-NP, CS-1-V-NP; Restaurant, Apartments, Hotel

South: CS-1-V-NP, P-NP, CS-V-NP; Office, Restaurant

West: P; Park

Street	R.O.W.	Surfacing	Classification
Barton Springs Road	100'	60'	Major Arterial
Riverside Dr.	120'	25'	Major Arterial

### **NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATION:**

Bouldin Creek Neighborhood Planning Team

Neighborhood Empowerment Foundation

Austin Independent School District

Friends of Austin Neighborhoods

Homeless Neighborhood Association

South Central Coalition

Perry Grid 614

**SELTexas** 

Preservation Austin

Austin Neighborhoods Council

**Bouldin Creek Neighborhood Association** 

Bike Austin

Sierra Club, Austin Regional Group

# CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT REVIEW AND EVALUATION CRITERA

The following evaluation is included to provide staff position on each point of the conditional use permit criteria. Section 25-5-145 of the Land Development Code states:

**A.** "The Land Use Commission shall determine whether the proposed development or use of a conditional use site plan complies with the requirements of this section."

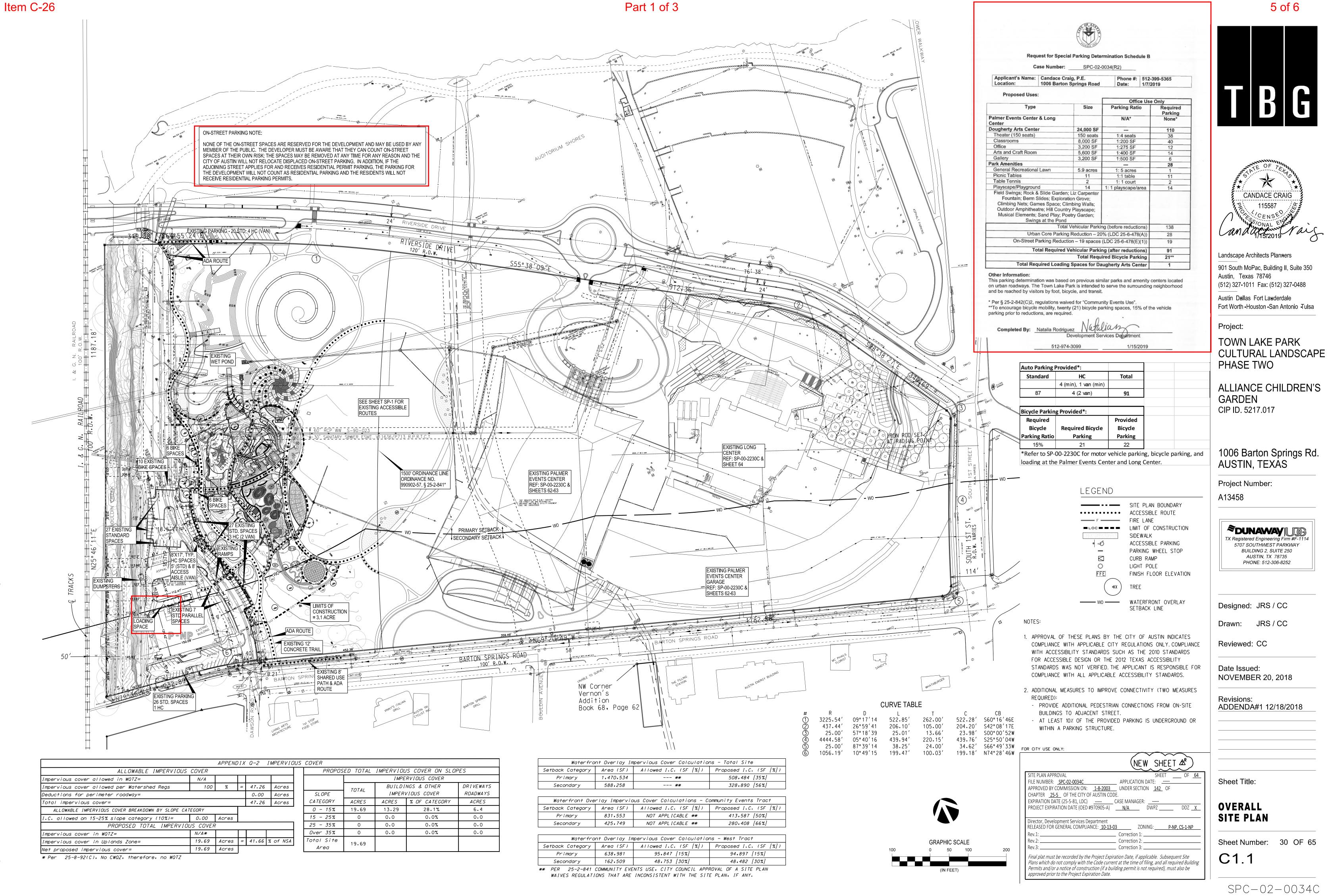
#### **B.** A Conditional Use Site Plan Must:

- 1. Comply with the requirements of this title; Staff Response: This site plan complies with all regulations and requirements of the Land Development Code.
- **2.** Comply with the objectives and purposes of the zoning district; Staff Response: The proposed use is compatible with the abutting uses.
- 3. Have building height, bulk, scale, setback, open space, landscaping, drainage, access, traffic circulation, and use that is compatible with the use of an abutting site; Staff Response: The site plan has complied with the Land Development Code.
- **4. Provide adequate and convenient off-street parking and loading facilities; and** Staff Response: These items have been reviewed and approved by the appropriate reviewer.
- 5. Reasonably protect persons and property from erosion, flood, fire, noise, glare, and similar adverse effects. Staff Response: These items have been reviewed and approved by the appropriate reviewers.
- 6. For conditional use located within the East Austin Overlay district, comply with the goals and objectives of a Neighborhood Plan adopted by the City Council for the area in which the use is proposed. Staff Response: This project is not within the East Austin Overlay.

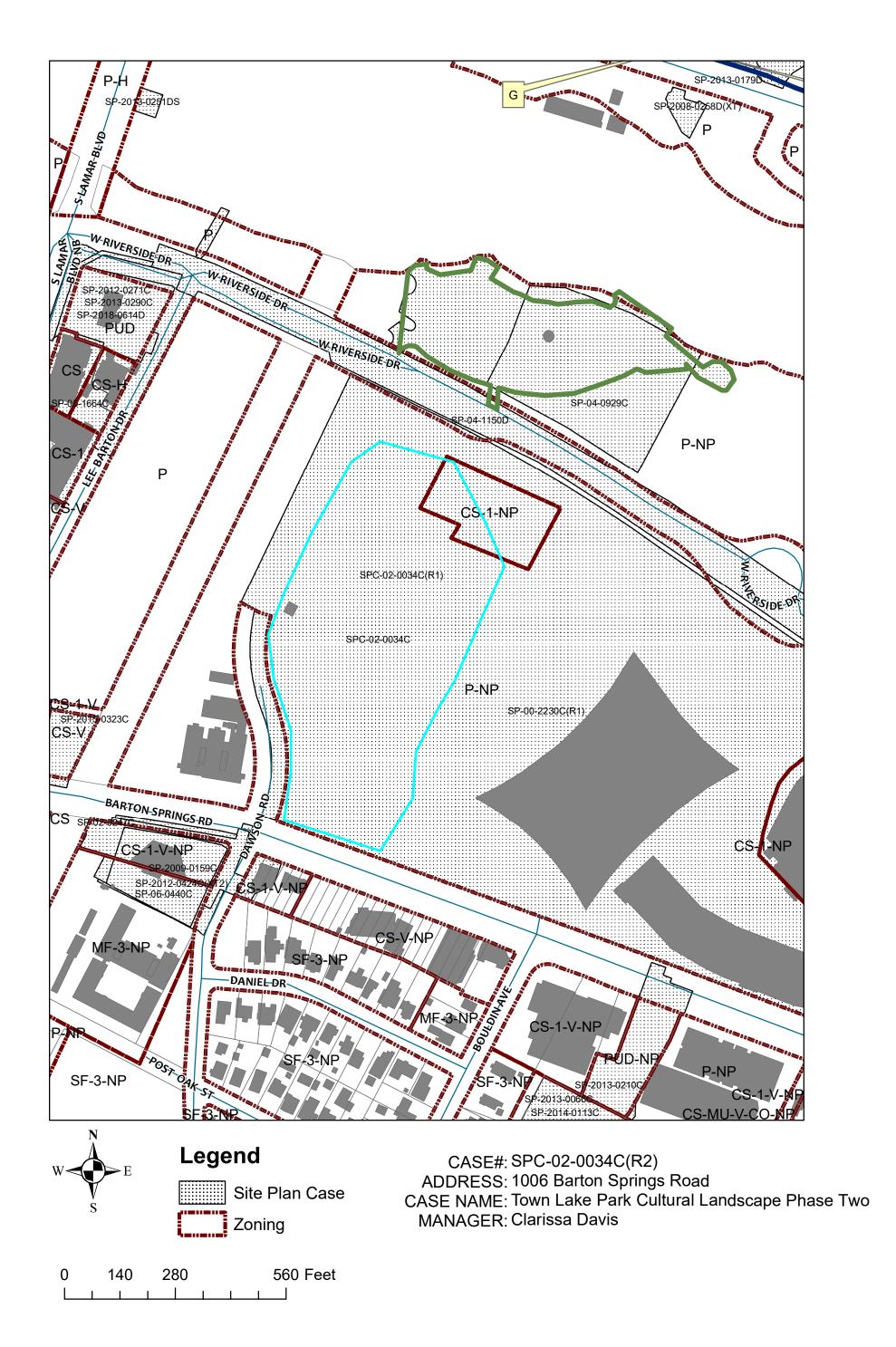
# C. A Conditional Use Site Plan May Not:

- **1. More adversely affect an adjoining site than would a permitted use;** Staff response: The site plan will not adversely affect any adjoining properties.
- 2. Adversely affect the safety or convenience of vehicular or pedestrian circulation, including reasonably anticipated traffic and uses in the area; Staff response: The site plan is not anticipated to have any detriment of vehicular safety or convenience.
- **3.** Adversely affects an adjacent property or traffic control through the location, lighting, or type of signs; Staff response: All proposed signs will comply with the Land Development Code.
- 4. For a large retail use described in Section 25-2-813 (Large Retail Uses), adversely affect the future redevelopment of the site. Staff Response: The project is not applicable.

D. A site plan may not adversely affect the public health, safety, or welfare, or materially injure property. If the Land Use Commission determines that a site plan has an adverse effect or causes a material injury under this subsection, the Land Use Commission shall identify the adverse effect or material injury.



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