

CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT - SPECIAL CALLED MEETING

Operations Center - Assembly Room | 305 Williams St. | Hendersonville NC 28792 Wednesday, July 20, 2022 – 3:00 PM

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - A. Minutes of March 8, 2022
- 4. OLD BUSINESS
 - A. Approval of Decision B22-007-VAR
- 5. **NEW BUSINESS**
 - A. Special Use Application Fire Station 1 (B22-041-SUP FS1) Alexandra Hunt, Planner I
- 6. OTHER BUSINESS
- 7. ADJOURNMENT

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MINUTES OF THE HENDERSONVILLE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Tuesday, March 8, 2022 1:30 p.m. in the City Operations Center

The Hendersonville Board of Adjustment held its regular monthly meeting on March 8, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. in the Assembly Room in City Operations Center, 305 Williams Street, Hendersonville, North Carolina. Those present were: Melinda Lowrance, Chair, Ernest Mowell, Vice-Chair, Roger Woosley, Charles Webb, Kathy Watkins, Stefan Grunwald, Libby Collina, Matthew Manley, Planning Manager, Alexandra Hunt, Planner I, Daniel Heyman, Staff Attorney and Terri Swann, Secretary to the Board.

Absent: Barbara McCoy, Michael Edney, Chris Freeman

Chair called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Approval of the Agenda: Chair revised the agenda to include the approval of the Decisions under Old Business.

Approval of the Minutes of the February 8, 2022 meeting. A motion was made by Mr. Woolsey and seconded by Ms. Watkins to approve the minutes as written. The motion passed unanimously.

Approval of the Decisions: **B22-003-SUP** – City of Hendersonville, Special Use Permit, **B22-005-VAR** – Todd Leoni/Osceola Landing LLC, PIN #9568-31-7733, **B22-001-VAR** – Halford Partners, LLC/Alpha Investments, LLC, PIN #9569-77-4636 and **B22-010-TUP** – Ginger Elliott, 214 Wilmont Drive. A motion was made by Mr. Mowell to approve the decisions as written. Mr. Grunwald seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Variance – Dan Mock and AYD Partners, LLC – 824 Locust Street.

Chair stated today we have one public hearing to consider, a variance application from Dan Mock and AYD Partners, LLC for 824 Locust Street. Any persons desiring to testify in these hearings must first be sworn in. Since this is a quasi-judicial hearing, it is very important that we have an accurate record of what goes on here. Therefore, we must ask that you refrain from speaking until recognized by the Chair and, when recognized, that you come forward to the podium and begin by stating your name and address. Anyone present who has knowledge of anything of value that has been given or promised in exchange for a position to be taken on these applications should disclose it now.

Chair swore in all persons to give testimony. Those sworn in were Alexandra Hunt, Planner I, Matthew Manley, Planning Manager, Mike Baer, Carolyn Muer, Carleton Collins and Dan Mock.

Chair opened the public hearing.

Alexandra Hunt, Planner I stated her name and title for the record. She asked that the staff report, presentation and exhibits be submitted into the record. She stated this application was deferred from the February meeting. Since then, the Applicant has requested a change to the previously requested height increase of 3.2' to 4' and has submitted updated elevations that were included as an exhibit in the staff report.

Ms. Hunt gave the project background:

The applicant is requesting the following variances:

A variance to increase the maximum building height of 35' allowed under Section 5-12-3 (I-Industrial Zoning District Classification) to 38.2'. A variance of 9.8' from the front setback requirement and a variance of 21.6' and 6.6' from the side setback requirements of Section 5-12-3. A variance from Section 6-2-2(e) Nonconforming Structures.

The purpose of the variance is to add an approximately 31.166' x 58.625' Community Room / Gym addition (1,827 Sq Ft) and two Covered Patios (436 Sq Ft and 510 Sq Ft) to the roof of an existing structure.

Subject property is approximately 0.22 acres or 9,583.2 sq ft. The subject property was built in 1926 and the Gross Leasable Area of approximately 13,516 sq ft. A North Carolina Warranty Deed made on August 5, 2021, between Hunting Creek Associates, LLC (Grantor) and AYD Partners LLC (Grantee) was recorded with the Henderson County Register of Deeds on August 6, 2021. The subject property contains an existing chimney measuring 39' 11" from the base elevation at the location of the chimney.

Site photos were shown. Digital renderings of the proposed rooftop addition were also shown. The north and south and front and rear elevations were shown.

The variance requested is to increase the maximum building height of 35' to 38.2' (3.2' height increase from setback standards). This will require a variance from setback standards in Section 5-12-3. Building's current height is 24.5'. Building contains a chimney stack that is 39' 11". Section 8-2 Height Limitations allows for an exception to height limitations for chimney stacks. Section 5-12-3 states: No building shall exceed 35 feet in height unless the depth of the front and total width of the side yards required herein shall be increased one foot for each two feet or fraction thereof of building in excess of 35 feet.

The applicant is requesting a variance of 9.8' from the required front setback and a variance of 21.6' from the required side setbacks to allow for the proposed height increase.

Front setback: Increase height by 4'. Increase of 4' in height = Required Setback increase of 2' per Section 5-12-3 (Dimensional Requirements). Typical Required Front Setback without height increase = 35'. Required Front Setback with proposed height increase = 37'. Applicant's Proposed Front Setback = 26.8'. Applicant's Requested Variance Amount = 10.2'.

Side setback: Typical Required Side Setback without height increase = 20'. Required Side Setback with proposed height increase = 22'. Applicant's Proposed Side Setback = 0' on Lynn St side / 15' on other side. Applicant's Requested Variance Amount = 22' on Lynn St side / 7' on other side.

The applicant is proposing to expand the building with an addition to the roof. The existing nonconforming structure does not meet setback requirements. The proposed addition could only be 6.8' wide to be in conformance with side setbacks. The proposed addition would have to be setback an additional 9.8' to be in conformance with the front setback. The existing parcel area (9,583 Sq Ft) does not meet minimum lot size requirements within the I-1 Zoning District (40,000 Sq Ft). **6-2-2(e) Nonconforming Structures:** A nonconforming structure may be expanded, without bringing the nonconforming structure into conformity with these regulations, only if the part of the structure to be expanded and the area of the lot into which the expansion is taking place are both brought into conformity with the requirements of this ordinance.

Section 10-9 concerning Variances was read into the record. The Board of Adjustment shall not have authority to grant a Variance when to do so would: 1) result in the extension of a nonconformity regulated pursuant to Section 6-2, above, or 2) permit a use of land, building or structure which is not permitted within the applicable zoning district classification. Per NCGS 160D-705 (d), appropriate conditions may be imposed on any Variance, provided that the conditions are reasonably related to the Variance.

The suggested motions were shown. Ms. Hunt stated the applicant is here to give a brief presentation.

Chair asked if there were any questions for staff.

Ms. Watkins asked if the use they are proposing is permitted in this zoning district. Ms. Hunt stated yes.

There were no further questions for staff.

Dan Mock, 3616 Collinsville Road, Columbus, NC stated he is the applicant and is here with his architect Carleton Collins. Mr. Mock presented a handout to the Board. A copy was submitted for the record. Mr. Mock stated he is looking to do several projects in Hendersonville. He is a developer/contractor in California and moved his family here to Tryon two years ago. He loves the area and Main Street. He saw this building and decided he would like to do something with it other than industrial. The best use for the building is residential and he feels like a residential use could jump start the area. In order to create the open space for the roof he will need the variances on the setback requirements. He talked about sloping the roof so he will not have any water issues. He does not want a flat roof. He recently found out from Crystal Lyda, Building Services Director that they would have to install an elevator if they planned to enclose the rooftop area, so he has decided to just have a covered area on the rooftop to shield from the sun. The roof will be fully opened with only a covered area. This will not be a restaurant area. It will be an open area used only by the residents.

Carleton Collins, Architect 105 Cranford Road, Asheville NC explained reducing the footprint but still needing the height to make the project work. He explained the pitch of the roof and raising the roof level due to water issues but keeping the beams down.

Mr. Manley stated if the variance is approved, even though they plan to keep the rooftop open they could retain the right to enclose the roof if they decided to install the elevator.

Ms. Collina asked what the current height of the roof is. Mr. Collins stated 24'9" from the parapet to the sidewalk.

There were no further questions for the applicant.

Carolyn Muer, 852 Whites State Boulevard, Saluda, NC stated she is an affected party and owns a unit in the building. She understands Mr. Mock is in escrow for the unit that is beside her. She is big supporter of the Historic 7th Avenue discussions. Mr. Holloway and Mr. Connet have never used the word "development" for the 7th Avenue District. Instead, they use words such as revitalization and restoration. The Coca Cola building is an amazing building, and she is pleased they are making this a residential use. She does not have a problem with the height variance, but she was concerned about where Mr. Mock will go with the variance if it is approved. She was concerned about the public and the rooftop being open to the public for dining and drinking and the gym. There is a lack of parking on 7th Avenue. She requests that the Board in granting the 4' rooftop variance make sure that it be used for what Mr. Mock is promoting here today. She stated water is a problem and there is a water issue in the building. The Fire Chief is in the building often. She asked that the committee make sure that each of the requirements are met during the construction.

Mr. Mock stated the unit he is in escrow for is in the alley at the rear and not Elsa's unit beside Ms. Muer. The gym will be for the residents only and no one will have access to the rooftop except the residents. Concerning the parking, there is a vacant parcel in the back, and he is planning to put in a garage and a small parking lot for the residents. Concerning the water issues, that is part of the reason they need the height variance. They are planning to get a good slope and make sure they will not have any water issues. There will be a deck that can be removed on the rooftop. He has used the slope on roofs in LA and has never had any problems.

Mike Baer, 201 Crooked Creek Road stated he has a business adjacent to this proposed project. He feels that apartments would be a really good use for this building. Adding the rooftop would only help to support the other businesses in the area that are within walking distance. It will enhance the historic aspect of the area. He does support this project.

With no further questions or comments, Chair closed the public hearing for Board discussion.

Discussion was made on parking and the structure being nonconforming. Ms. Watkins stated if they approve the setback variance it will bring the structure into conformity. Mr. Mowell stated it is another case where if the Board does not grant the variance, no one can build on the property or make use of their property.

Mr. Webb made the following motion: With regard to the request by AYD Partners LLC for a variance from Section 6-2-2(e) Nonconforming Structures, I move the Board to find that (a) strict enforcement of the regulations would result in practical difficulties or unnecessary hardship to the applicant, (b) the variance is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the ordinance and preserves its spirit, and (c) in the granting of the variance the public safety and welfare have been secured and substantial justice has been done, and with regard to the request by AYD Partners LLC for a variance from Section 5-12-3 Dimensional Requirements to reduce the front setback (for a principal structure measuring 3.2' above 35' in height) from 36.6' to 26.8' and to reduce the side setback (for a principal structure measuring 3.2' above 35' in height) from 21.6' to 0' on the Lynn St Side and 6.6' on the opposing side, I move the Board to find that (a) strict enforcement of the regulations would result in practical difficulties or unnecessary hardship to the applicant, (b) the variance is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the ordinance and preserves its spirit, and (c) in the granting of the variance the public safety and welfare have been secured and substantial justice has been done. Ms. Watkins seconded the motion.

Chair called for the vote. The following vote was taken by a show of hands.

Mr. Woolsey	Yes
Mr. Mowell	Yes
Mr. Webb	Yes
Ms. Lowrance	Yes
Mr. Grunwald	Yes
Ms. Collina	Yes
Ms. Watkins	Yes

The vote was unanimous. Motion approved.

Meeting adjourned at 2:15 p.m.

Melinda Lowrance, Chair

Terri Swann, Secretary



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA HENDERSON COUNTY

BEFORE THE HENDERSONVILLE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT FILE NO. B22-007-VAR

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF DAN MOCK and AYD PARTNERS, LLC, FOR A ZONING VARIANCE PIN 9569-80-2471

DECISION

This matter came before the Hendersonville Board of Adjustment on 8 March 2022 for a quasi-judicial hearing on the application of Dan Mock and AYD Partners, LLC, for a variance from the Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance Section 5-12-3 Dimensional Requirements and Section 6-2-2 Nonconforming Structures in order to add a rooftop addition to an existing structure.

Giving testimony were Alexandra Hunt, Planner I, Matthew Manley, Planning Manager, Dan Mock, Applicant, Carleton Collins, an architect retained by the Applicant, Carolyn Muer, a neighboring property owner, and Mike Baer, a neighboring property owner, all of whom were sworn and placed under oath.

Issues

Section 10-9 of the Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance states in pertinent part:

Section 10-9 Variances. A variance is a means whereby the City may grant relief from the effect of the Zoning Ordinance in cases of hardship. A variance constitutes permission to depart from the literal requirements of the ordinance.

A variance from the dimensional requirements of this ordinance may be granted by the Board of Adjustment if it finds the following:

- a) strict enforcement of the regulations would result in practical difficulties or unnecessary hardships to the applicant for the variance,
- b) the variance is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the ordinance and preserves its spirit, and
- c) in the granting of the variance the public safety and welfare have been secured and substantial justice has been done. Such findings shall be based on the following considerations:

- 1) The fact that the property could be utilized more profitably or conveniently with the variance than without the variance shall not be considered as grounds for granting the variance.
- 2) The hardship relates to the applicant's property rather than to personal circumstances.
- 3) The hardship results from the application of the ordinance and from no other cause, including the actions of the owner of the property or previous owners.
- 4) The hardship is peculiar to the property in question rather than a hardship shared by the neighborhood or the general public.

The Board of Adjustment shall not have authority to grant a variance when to do so would: 1) result in the extension of a nonconformity regulated pursuant to Section 6-2, above, or 2) permit a use of land, building or structure which is not permitted within the applicable zoning district classification.)

Section 5-12-3 of the Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance states:

5-12-3 Dimensional Requirements:

Minimum Lot Area in Square Feet: 40,000
Lot Area per Dwelling Unit in Square Feet: N/A
Minimum Lot Width at Building Line in Feet: 100
Minimum Yard Requirements in Feet: Front: 35

Side: 20 Rear: 20

Maximum Height in Feet: 35; No building shall exceed 35

feet in heigh unless the depth of the front and total width of the side yards required herein shall be increased one foot for each two feet or fraction thereof of building

in excess of 35 feet.

Section 6-2-2 of the Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance states:

6-2-2 Nonconforming structures. A nonconforming structure is a building or other structure which lawfully existed prior to the effective date of this ordinance, or an amendment thereto, and which no longer could be built under the terms of this ordinance, as amended, by reason of restrictions on area, footprint, open space, building height, setbacks, lot width, or other requirements concerning the structure.

- a) A nonconforming structure devoted to a use permitted in the zoning classification in which it is located may continue to be used only in accordance with the provisions of this section.
- b) Normal repair and maintenance may be performed to allow the continuation of nonconforming structures.
- c) Except as provided in subsections (d) and (e) below, a nonconforming structure shall not undergo a change of use, renovation or expansion.
- d) A nonconforming structure may undergo a change of use or renovation without having to bring the structure into conformity with the requirements of these regulations, provided that:
 - 1) The change in use or renovation does not increase the floor area of the structure.
 - 2) The change in use is to a permitted use within the district.
 - 3) The number of parking spaces provided for the use is in conformity with the requirements of these regulations.
- e) A nonconforming structure may be expanded, without bringing the nonconforming structure into conformity with these regulations, only if the part of the structure to be expanded and the area of the lot into which the expansion is taking place are both brought into conformity with the requirements of this ordinance.
- f) A nonconforming structure shall not be moved unless it thereafter conforms to the standards of the zoning classification in which it is located.
- g) Where a nonconforming structure is damaged by fire, flood, wind, or other act of God, and such damage does not exceed 50 percent of the current assessed taxable value of the structure, it may be restored to its original dimensions and conditions as long as a building permit for the restoration is issued within 12 months of the date of the damage.

TESTIMONY

Testimony is accurately reflected in the minutes.

FINDINGS OF FACT

Based on the above testimony, the Board finds as follows:

- 1) The subject property possesses a PIN of 9569-80-2471 and is zoned as I-1 Industrial.
- 2) Based on Henderson County records, the lot size is approximately 0.22 acres or 9,583.2 square feet.
- 3) Based on Henderson County records, the existing building located on the lot was built in 1926 and the Gross Leasable Area is 13,516 square feet. (Exhibit A)

- 4) A North Carolina Warranty Deed made on August 5, 2021, between Hunting Creek Associates, LLC (Grantor) and AYD Partners LLC (Grantee) was recorded with the Henderson County Register of Deeds on August 6, 2021. (Exhibit B)
- 5) Section 5-12-3 of the Zoning Ordinance requires the Maximum Height for I-1 Industrial is 35 feet with the following allowances:
 - a. No building shall exceed 35 feet in height unless the depth of the front and total width of the side yards required herein shall be increased one foot for each two feet or fraction thereof of building in excess of 35 feet.
- 6) The subject property contains an existing chimney measuring 39' 11" from the base elevation at the location of the chimney (Exhibit C). This exceeds the maximum height requirements in Section 5-12-3 but is allowed by an exception granted under Section 8-2.
- 7) The existing structure on the subject property does not meet the required front and side setbacks in Section 5-12-3 and is an existing nonconforming structure as defined in Section 6-2.
- 8) The existing non-conforming structure on the subject property may be renovated without bringing the structure into conformance given the provisions found in Section 6-2-2(d) Nonconforming Structures.
- 9) Section 8-2 Height Limitations of the Zoning Ordinance allows certain structures, including chimneys, to exceed the height limitations contained in Article V by no more than 20% of that specified for any zoning district classification.
- 10) The applicant submitted elevations that indicate the proposed roof will not exceed the height of the existing chimney. (Exhibit C)
- 11) Section 6-2-2(e) allows a nonconforming structure to be expanded without bringing the nonconforming structure into conformity only if the part of the structure to be expanded and the area of the lot into which the expansion is taking place are both brought into conformity with the requirements of the zoning ordinance.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the above findings of fact, the Board concludes as follows:

1) Strict enforcement of the regulations would result in practical difficulties or unnecessary hardships to the applicant for the variance, because the proposed addition will improve drainage as well as provide common area for a residential development which is necessary for the long-term success for the development.

- 2) The variance is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the ordinance and preserves its spirit, because the applicant has tried to mitigate encroachments by making sure the addition cannot easily be seen from public rights-of-way.
- 3) In the granting of the variance the public safety and welfare have been secured and substantial justice has been done.
- 4) The fact that the property could be utilized more profitably or conveniently with the variance than without the variance has not been considered as grounds for granting the variance.
- 5) The hardship relates to the applicant's property rather than to personal circumstances. In particular, the hardship would be that the applicant would have to reduce usable space in the existing building to improve the drainage of the flat roof, and the applicant is attempting to re-use an existing structure.
- 6) The hardship results from the application of the ordinance and from no other cause, including the actions of the owner of the property or previous owners.
- 7) The hardship is peculiar to the property in question rather than a hardship shared by the neighborhood or the general public.

DECISION

For the above reasons,

The Board of Adjustment grants a variance to from Sections 5-12-3 and 6-2-2 of the Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance to reduce the front setback from 37' to 26.8', and to reduce the Lynn St side setback from 22' to 0' and to reduce the southeast side setback from 22' to 15' (for a principal structure measuring 4' above 25' in height) to the extent represented in the application and supporting materials.

Done this 14 th day of June, 2022	
	Melinda I owrance Chair

MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Adjustment Members

FROM: Community Development Department

DATE: July 21, 2022 (Board of Adjustment Special Called Meeting)

RE: Special Use Application –City of Hendersonville – FS1

SUMMARY: The Community Development Department has received an application and preliminary site plan from the City of Hendersonville for a Special Use Permit (Exhibit A). The subject property is currently zoned C-2, Secondary Business. The Special Use requested is Public Utility Facilities under Section 5-9-2 of the Zoning Ordinance.

SPECIAL USE REQUEST: The Special Use requested is Public Utility Facilities under Section 5-9-2 of the Zoning Ordinance.

PROPOSED FINDINGS OF FACT:

- The subject property possesses a PIN of 9568-79-4916 and located at 851 N. Main St.
- The subject property is zoned as C-2 Secondary Business.
- Public Utility Facilities is a Special Use (subject to 16-4 supplementary standards) in C-2 Secondary Business.
- Based on Henderson County Records, a North Carolina General Warranty Deed between Hendersonville Board of Education (Grantors) and The City of Hendersonville (Grantee) was recorded June 23, 1993. (Exhibit B)
- The subject property is the current location of the City of Hendersonville Fire Station 1.
- Based on Henderson County records, the lot size is approximately 1.67 acres or 72,745.2 square feet.
- The applicant submitted a Preliminary Site Plan for the construction of the new Fire Station 1. (Exhibit C)
- Section 10-8-2 of the Zoning Ordinance requires that the preliminary site plan meet the requirements set out in this section.
- The applicant submitted 3D renderings of the new Fire Station 1. (Exhibit D)
- The Preliminary Site Plan for the Fire Station 1 meet the requirements of Section 10-8-2.
- The Preliminary Site Plan Fire Station 1 does not meet subsection (d) of the Supplementary Standards in Section 16-4-22 Public Utility Facilities.
- Alternative compliance is being requested for a reduction in the size of the required planting islands for parking lot trees. The tree islands are proposed to be 8'x20' as an alternative to the required 18'x18'. Condition c) under Section 15-3 is satisfied with the provision of pervious pavers in lieu of asphalt throughout the parking area. This

will allow for sufficient water to drain to the roots of the parking lot trees without the need for the conventional-sized tree island. (Exhibit E)

CODE REFERENCES.

5-9-2 Special Uses: The following uses shall be permitted in the C-2 Secondary Business Zoning District Classification only upon issuance of a Special Use pursuant to Article X and shall be subject to Special Use requirements contained in Section 16-4, below:

Bed & breakfast facilities

Child care centers

Civic clubs & fraternal organizations

Pet-sitting

Public utility facilities

Restaurants

Section 12-2 Definition of Commonly Used Terms and Words.

Public Utility Facility: Any structure or facility transmitting a service provided by a government or public utility, including, without limitation, fire stations, emergency medical service centers, telephone and repeater stations, pumping substations, and water towers, but not including telecommunication towers, antennas, and other telecommunication devices.

16-4-22 Public Utility Facilities.

- a) Lots must conform to minimum setback and yard requirements of the district in which they are located. Unstaffed utility structures with internal floor space of less than 600 square feet are exempted from the minimum lot size requirement.
- b) Electric and gas substations and sewage treatment plants will be separated by a ten-foot B type buffer meeting the specifications of Article XV from the street and any abutting residential use or any property located in a residential zoning district.
- c) Control houses, pump and lift stations, and other similar uses shall be screened from the street and any abutting residential use or any property located in a residential zoning district.
- d) A fence not easily climbable or comparable safety devices must be installed and maintained in order to deter access to the facility.
- e) The design of buildings, structures and facilities on a site should conform as closely as possible to the character of the area or neighborhood.

- f) The facility's lighting shall be shielded to prevent light and glare spill-over on to any adjacent residential properties, if such exist.
- g) The Board of Adjustment may give relief from these requirements so long as public safety and neighborhood compatibility are protected, if strict adherence could constitute a hardship or is unnecessary.

Section 10-8 Special Use Permits. A Special Use Permit from the Board of Adjustment is required for all Special Uses.

10-8-1 Application. When a Special Use Permit is required by the terms of this

Ordinance, application for such permit, along with a fee established by resolution of City Council, shall accompany the application for a building permit.

10-8-2 Preliminary Site Plan. The application for a Special Use Permit shall be accompanied by seven copies of a preliminary site plan showing the following:

- a) The proposed title of the project and the name of the engineer, architect, designer, landscape architect, planner and/or licensed surveyor, developer and owner of record:
- b) The north arrow point, scale at not greater than one inch equals 40 feet, and such information as the names of adjacent roads, streams, railroads, subdivisions or other landmarks sufficient to clearly identify the location of the property;
- c) Location of site by an insert vicinity map at a scale no less than one inch equals 2,000 feet;
- d) Existing project zoning and zoning of adjacent property, to include properties abutting either side of a public right-of-way; City of Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance
- e) City limits line;
- f) Names of adjacent property owners;
- g) Boundary survey of site and the location of all existing easements, buildings, rights-of-way or other encroachments;
- h) Existing topography and proposed finished contours at not more than five feet intervals, with project bench mark clearly identified. Location of the 100 year floodplain, if applicable. Other significant natural features affecting the site including but not limited to marshes, major rock outcrops and lakes or streams;

- i) All proposed streets with proposed names, pavement widths and rights-of-ways. All alleys, driveways, curb cuts for public streets and handicap ramps, loading areas, and provisions for off-street parking spaces and sidewalks; calculations indicating the number of parking spaces required and the number provided. All streets shall be clearly identified as public or private; a typical cross-section of the public or private street shall be included;
- j) Preliminary utility layout including location and size of existing and proposed water, sanitary and storm sewer lines; proposed location of electrical transmission lines, gas pipelines, street lights, fire hydrants and the location of garbage disposal facilities or a note indicating arrangements for these facilities;
- k) Location and size of all entrances and exits to the site showing sight distances and their relationship to all street and driveway intersections within 25 feet for driveways and 200 feet for street intersections;
- A landscape plan showing wood line before site preparation with species and average diameter of trees indicated and areas to be screened, fenced, walled and/or landscaped; also location of buffer strips, if required;
- m) Proposed location and intended use of all buildings with their dimensions, the number of floors, total floor area and maximum height above lowest ground point of each building;
- n) Notations to include the total project area, the amount and percentage of the site to be covered by buildings, open space, streets and parking;
- o) General location, size, height, orientation, and appearance of proposed signs.

As a matter of discretion, the Administrative Officer may require additional items for preliminary site plans, which would be necessitated by conditions such as topography, location, and anticipated traffic volumes on or near the site. The requirements may include but not be limited to traffic, noise, visual or fiscal impact studies, architect's models, renderings and other studies or data. In addition, if the Administrative Officer determines that one or more of the above submittal requirements is not applicable to the proposed project, it may be waived.

Upon receipt of an application and site plan, the Administrative Officer shall review same to determine if all required information has been provided or if additional information is needed. If the site plan is insufficient, the Administrative Officer shall notify the applicant in writing of such deficiencies. An application for a Special Use Permit will not be scheduled for Evidentiary Hearing until such time as the Board of Adjustment is in receipt of a complete application and site plan, that is, an application and site plan containing all the information required under this Ordinance. City of Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance.

10-8-3 Evidentiary Hearings on Applications for Special Use Permits. Once the Administrative Officer is in receipt of a complete application and seven copies of a complete site plan, the Administrative Officer will schedule the application for an Evidentiary Hearing before the Board of Adjustment.

The Administrative Officer shall mail or deliver written notice of the public hearing to the person or entity whose application or request is the subject of the hearing; to the owner of the property that is the subject of the hearing if the owner did not initiate the hearing; to the owners of all parcels of land abutting the parcel of land that is the subject of the hearing; and to any other persons entitled to receive notice as provided by the zoning ordinance. In the absence of evidence to the contrary, the city may rely on the county tax listing to determine owners entitled to mailed notice. The notice must be deposited in the mail at least 10 days, but not more than 25 days, prior to the date of the hearing. Within that same time period, the city shall also prominently post a notice of the hearing on the site that is the subject of the hearing or on an adjacent street or highway right-of-way.

The Board of Adjustment shall conduct an Evidentiary Hearing (quasi-judicial hearing) on the application. Per NCGS 160D-406 (d), the applicant, the local government, and any person who would have standing under NCGS 160D-1402(c), shall have the right to participate as a party at the Evidentiary Hearing. Other witnesses may present competent, material, and substantial evidence that is not repetitive as allowed by the board.

10-8-4 Board of Adjustment Action on Applications for Special Use Permits. After the Evidentiary Hearing, and on consideration of the record, the Board of Adjustment shall take action on the application, either (1) denying it, (2) approving it, or (3) approving it subject to one or more reasonable and appropriate conditions. The Board of Adjustment shall not approve an application for a Special Use Permit, with or without conditions, unless it makes each of the following findings of fact:

- a) The proposed use complies with the standards for such use contained in Article XVI;
- b) The proposed use will not adversely affect the health or safety of persons residing or working in the neighborhood of such proposed use; and
- c) The proposed use will not be detrimental or injurious to property or public improvements in the neighborhood of such proposed use.

Sec. 15-3. Alternative compliance.

The landscape requirements are intended to set minimum standards for quality development and environmental protection and are not intended to be arbitrary or inhibit creative solutions. Site conditions or other reasons may justify the need to request an alternate method of compliance with the landscape requirements. The reviewing

authority, as specified in article VII, above, may alter the requirements of this section as long as existing or added landscape features of the development site comply with the intent of this article. Requests for alternative compliance shall be accepted if one or more of the following conditions are met:

c) An alternative compliance proposal is equal or better than normal compliance in its ability to fulfill the intent of this article and exhibits superior design quality.

MOTION:

With regard to the request by the City of Hendersonville for a Special Use Permit with the following conditions:

- 1) A fence not easily climbable as required in Section 16-4-22(d) shall not be required as it would interfere with access to the site by the City of Hendersonville Fire Department.
- 2) Alternative Compliance shall be granted in accordance with Section 15-3 for a reduction in the size of the required tree planting islands.

I move the Board to find that a) the proposed use complies with the standards for such use contained in Article XVI; b) the proposed use will not adversely affect the health or safety of persons residing or working in the neighborhood of such proposed use; and c) the proposed use will not be detrimental or injurious to property or public improvements in the neighborhood of such proposed use.

(After the motion has been seconded, the movant should state the factual basis and reasoning for the motion. In doing so, bear in mind the considerations set out in Section 10-9 of the zoning ordinance.)

Remember: Staff suggest the motion be made in the affirmative regardless of whether it is your intention to support or oppose the issuance of the special use permit. This does not mean that staff is recommending approval of the application. RATHER, we believe it is better procedurally to approach it this way. Once you have made the motion, you should state your position as to the required findings. For special use applications, it takes a majority of affirmative votes to approve this application, if others are voicing support of the application, you should make it a point to state your position vis-à-vis the required findings since your vote, even standing by itself may represent the position of the Board.

EXHIBIT LIST

Exhibit A – Special Use Permit Application

Exhibit B – NC General Warranty Deed

Exhibit C – Preliminary Site Plan

Exhibit D – 3D Renderings

Exhibit E – Landscape Plan



CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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Special Use Permit Application Section 10-8 of the City Zoning Ordinance

The following information is <u>required</u> to be submitted prior to review by the Administrative Officer for placement on the Board of Adjustment agenda. Staff will not review applications until each item has been submitted and determined complete. Once the Administrative Officer is in receipt of a complete application and seven copies of a complete site plan, the Administrative Officer will schedule the application for an Evidentiary Hearing before the Board of Adjustment (Section 10-8-3).

The Board of Adjustment meets the second Tuesday of each month at 1:30PM at the Operations Center located at 305 Williams Street. Completed applications must be submitted to the Administrative Officer no later than the second Friday of each month, to be included on the following month's agenda.

The Board of Adjustment shall conduct an Evidentiary Hearing (quasi-judicial hearing) on the application. Per NCGS 160D-406(d), the applicant, the local government, and any person who would have standing under NCGS 160D-1402(c), shall have the right to participate as a party at the Evidentiary Hearing. Other witnesses may present, competent, material, and substantial evidence that is not repetitive as allowed by the board (Section 10-8-3).

The City Zoning Ordinance can be found on the City of Hendersonville Community Development website: www.hendersonvillenc.gov/community-development

By placing a check mark by each of the following items, you are certifying that you have performed that task.

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Ø,	1. Completed Application Form
0	2. Completed Signature Page (completed Owner's Affidavit if different from applicant
4	3. Completed Preliminary Site Plan as described in Section 10-8-2 of the City Zoning
/	Ordinance
	4. Application Fee

NOTE: Staff has the discretion to require additional items for preliminary site plans.

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C. Special Use Findings of Fact

Section 10-8-4 states that after the Evidentiary Hearing, and on consideration of the record, the Board of Adjustment shall take action on the application, either (1) denying it, (2) approving it, or (3) approving it subject to one or more reasonable and appropriate conditions. The Board of Adjustment shall not approve an application for a Special Use Permit, with or without conditions, unless it makes each of the following findings of fact:

- a) The proposed use complies with the standards for such use contained in Article XVI
- b) The proposed use will not adversely affect the health or safety of persons residing or working in the neighborhood of such proposed use; and
- c) The proposed use will be detrimental or injurious to property or public improvements in the neighborhood of such proposed use.

Instructions: In the spaces provided below, indicate the <u>facts you intend to demonstrate</u> and <u>the arguments that you intend to make</u> to demonstrate to the Board that it can properly grant the Special Use Permit as provided in Section 10-8-4 of the City of Hendersonville Zoning Ordinance. (If additional space is required, please provide the information on a separate sheet of paper).

A. Indicate how proposed use complies with the standards for such use contained in Article XVI (Please see Article XVI Supplementary Standards if applicable)

The proposed development is a fire station facility that will provide fire, emergency medical services, and mutual aid to the City and surrounding neighborhoods. The City Zoning Ordinance definition of Public Utility Facilities includes "fire stations" and "other governmental facilities."

B. Indicate how the proposed use will not adversely affect the health or safety of persons residing or working in the neighborhood of such proposed use.

The proposed use will not adversely affect the health or safety of persons residing or working in the neighborhood. The use will improve the health and safety of the City and surrounding area by improving community access to fire protection, emergency medical services, and public administration services.

C. Indicate how the proposed use will be detrimental or injurious to property or public improvements in the neighborhood of such proposed use.

The proposed use will not be detrimental or injurious to property or public improvements.

[APPLICATION CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE]

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E. Property Owner Contact Information and Signature (If different from Ap)	plicant)
John Connet	(Friedlit)
*Printed Owner Name	
City of Hendersonville	
*Printed Company Name (if applicable)	
Corporation Limited Liability Company Trust Partner	ership
By signature below, I hereby acknowledge, as/on behalf of (circle one) the Application will be considered in a quasi-judicial proceed that neither I, nor anyone on my behalf, may contact the Board of Adjustment except to sworn testimony at the public hearing. (Applicable if box is checked.) *Property Owner Signature City Manager Property Owner Title (if applicable)	ant named ding and through
Property Owner Title (if applicable) Hendersonville, NC, 28792	
City, State, and Zip Code	
City, State, and Zip Code 828.697.3000	
City, State, and Zip Code	

^{*} Property owner hereby grants permission to the City of Hendersonville personnel to enter the subject property for any purpose required in processing this application.

^{*} If signed by an agent on behalf of the Owner, this petition MUST be accompanied by a Limited Power of Attorney signed by the property owner (s) and notarized, specifically authorizing the agent to act on the owner (s) behalf in signing this application. Failure of each owner, or their duly authorized agent, to sign, or failure to include the authority of the agent signed by the property owner, will result in an INVALID APPLICATION.

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North Carolina, Henderson County The foregoing certificate	(s) Pried and recorded in the Register of Deeds Office to
Notary Public (Notaries Public) is/are certified to be correct.	derson County, N. C. thisday/of, 19
Instrument presented for registration and recerded in this	office
this day of 1973 at 11.25 M. in Book 825 Page.	678 /
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HENDERSONVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION (FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE TRUSTEES OF THE HENDERSOVNILLE GRADED SCHOOLS)	CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE
Enter in appropriate block for each party: name, address, and, if appr	opriate, character of entity, e.q. corporation or partnership.
The designation Grantor and Grantee as used herein shall i shall include singular, plural, masculine, feminine or neuter	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
WITNESSETH, that the Grantor, for a valuable considerat acknowledged, has and by these presents does grant, bargain	ion paid by the Grantee, the receipt of which is hereby
certain lot or parcel of land situated in the City of	Hendersonville Township,
Henderson County, North Carolina and more	particularly described as follows:

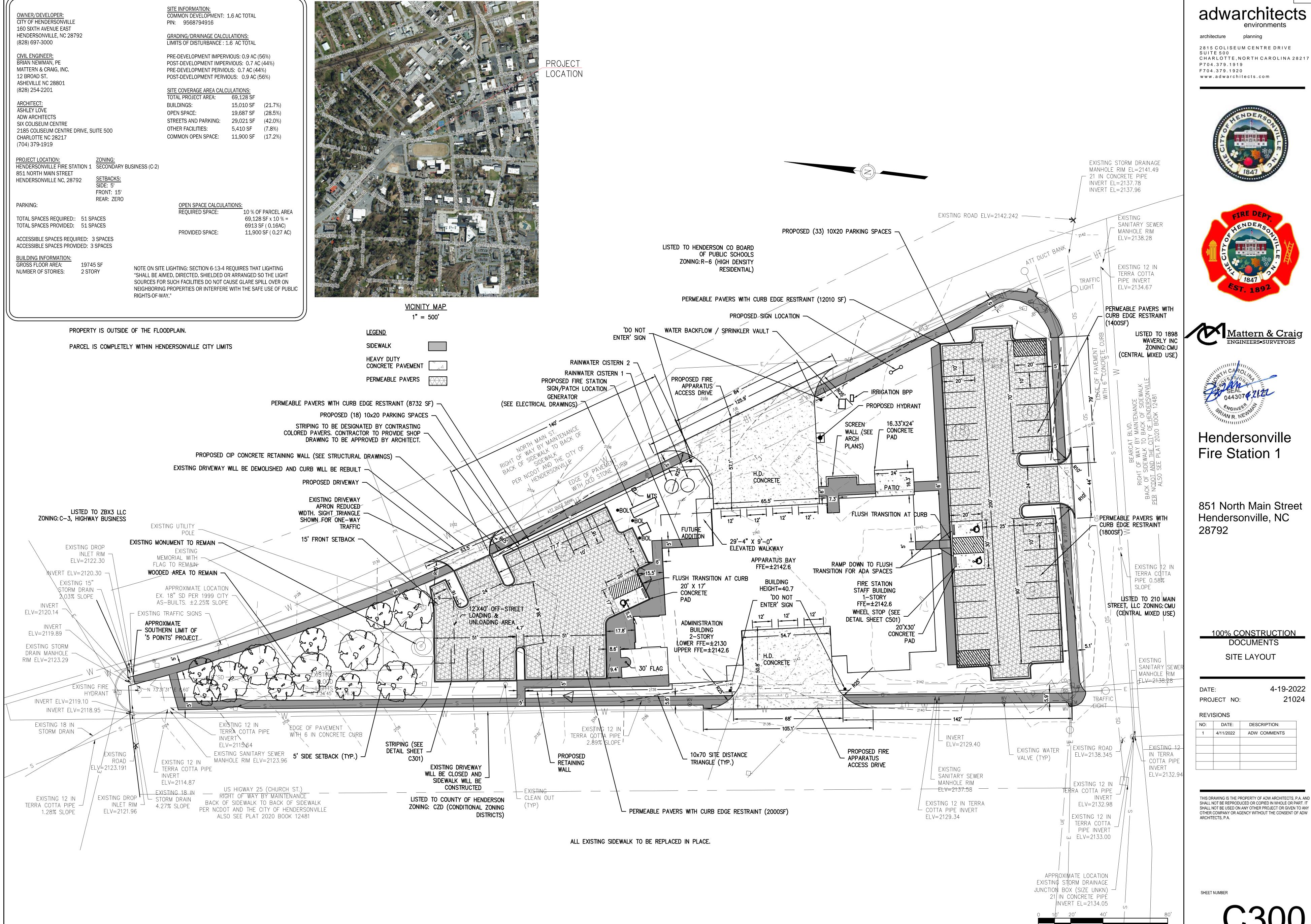
(See Attached Exhibit A)

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A map s	howing the above described property is recor	ded in F	lat Book page
TO HAV			d and all privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging
And the the same defend the	Grantor covenants with the Grantee, that e in fee simple, that title is marketable and	free and ns whom	is seized of the premises in fee simple, has the right to conv l clear of all encumbrances, and that Grantor will warrant a soever except for the exceptions hereinafter stated. following exceptions:
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	Secretary (Corporate Seal)	: USE BI	Attest: Charles L. Byrd, Secretary (SEA
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BEGINNING at a new steel pin in the back line of the sidewalk running adjacent to and parallel with North Main Street (U.S. Highway 25) and located at or near the point of confluence and intersection of North Main Street and Church Street (said steel pin also located South 09 deg. 46 min. East 286.13 feet from N. C. Grid Monument "Boyd" - 1988), and running thence from said beginning point and with the margin of the sidewalk the following calls and distances: in a southeasterly direction with the arc of a circle having a radius of 1,440.23 a distance of 287.49 feet (the chord of such call being South 28 deg. 41 min. 32 sec. East 287.01 feet) to a steel pin, South 33 deg. 40 min. 55 sec. East 53.04 feet to a steel pin, and South 33 deg. 39 min. 08 sec. East 240.96 feet to an iron pin; thence following the sidewalk as the same curves in a southwesterly direction and to the point where the same intersects with the margin of Eighth Avenue West, with the arc of a circle having a radius of 22.97 feet, a distance of 45.18 feet (said bearing having a chord of South 22 deg. 42 min. 22 sec. West 38.25 feet) to a steel pin which stands in the north margin of Eighth Avenue West; thence continuing with the back side margin of the sidewalk and parallel with the margin of Eighth Avenue West, South 79 deg. 03 min. 51 sec. West 217.67 feet to an iron pin standing at or near the eastern margin of the continuation of the sidewalk and near the point of intersection of the North margin of Eighth Avenue West with the East margin of Church Street (U. S. Highway 25); with the continuation of the concrete sidewalk, North 08 deg. 01 min. 46 sec. West 576.21 feet to an iron pin standing at the point of intersection of Church Street and North Main Street; thence with the point of intersection of Church Street and North Main Street and with the arc of a circle having a radius of 7.20 feet in an easterly direction, a distance of 9.22 feet (said call having a chord of North 73 deg. 04 min. 30 sec. East 8.60 feet) to a steel pin, the point and place of BEGINNING, containing 1.59 acres, more or less, and being all of that tract of land commonly referred to as "Boyd Park" and being a portion of that tract of land as described in deed recorded in Book 113, Page 144, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Henderson County.







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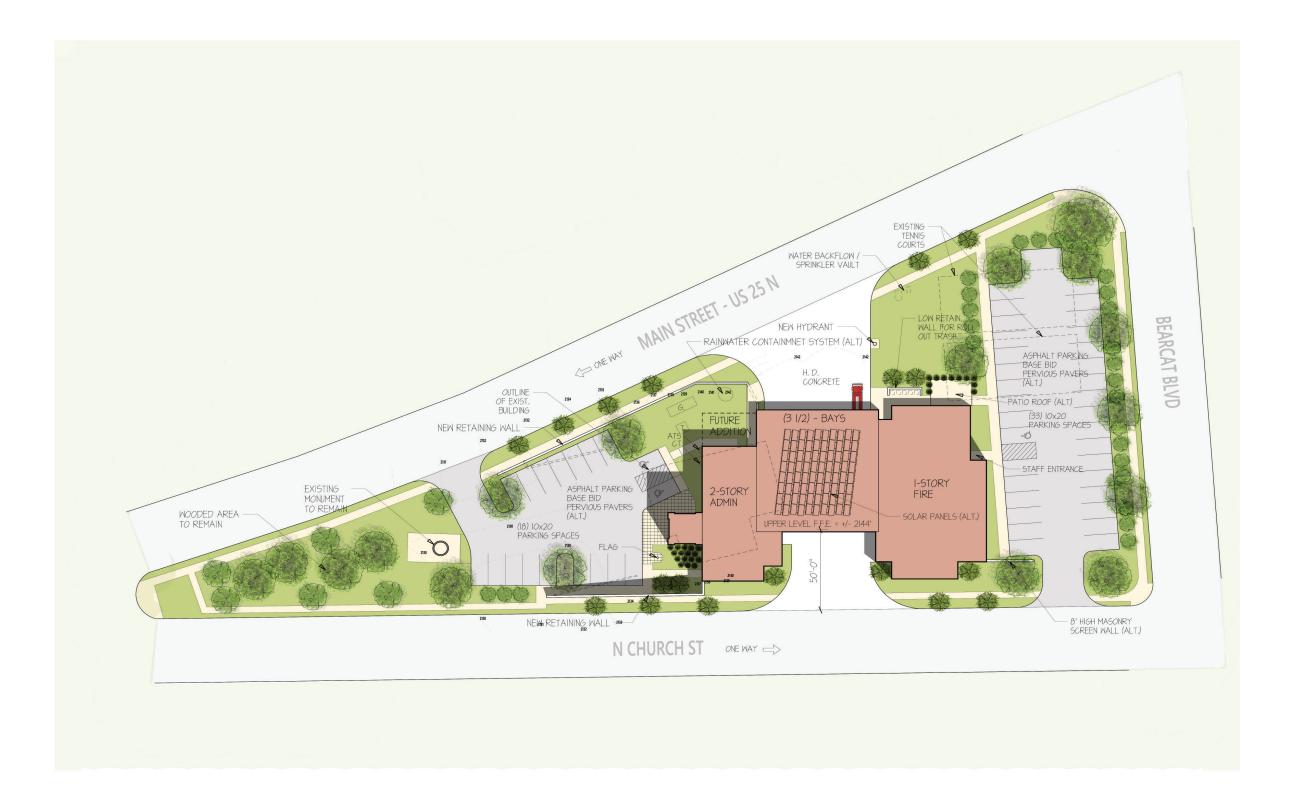


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Church Street Elevation





















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