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Agenda Item Number

RESOLUTION SETTING HEARING ON REQUEST FROM THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE, LLC (OWNER) REPRESENTED BY JASON GROVE (OFFICER) FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF A PUD FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN "VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE LOT 2" FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2150 AND 2270 BELL AVENUE TO ALLOW THE EXISTING BUILDINGS TO BE RENOVATED FOR A TOTAL OF 93 HOUSEHOLD LIVING UNITS

WHEREAS, the City Plan and Zoning Commission has advised that at a public hearing held on May 21, 2020, its members voted 12-0 in support of a motion to recommend APPROVAL of a request from the Village at Gray's Lake, LLC (Owner) represented by Jason Grove (Officer), regarding property located at 2150 and 2270 Bell Avenue, to allow approval of a PUD Final Development Plan, "Village at Gray's Lake Lot 2" to allow the existing buildings to be renovated for a total of 93 household living units, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Compliance with all comments of the administrative review of the PUD Final Development Plan.
- 2. Indication of all existing site plantings on the landscape plan in accordance with the requirement to preserve existing plantings.
- 3. Provision of understory tree species beneath overhead lines.
- 4. Provision of 2 additional interior lot planter beds adjacent to the front pedestrian connection walk through the lot to meet the minimum requirement of 1 per 9 spaces.
- 5. Provision of a decorative site fence on the plan in the existing frontage buffer area in lieu of the required berm and setback.

WHEREAS, the property is legally described as follows:

LOT 2 OF THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE, AN OFFICIAL PLAT, NOW INCLUDED IN AND FORMING A PART OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, POLK COUNTY, IOWA.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, as follows:

- 1. That the attached communication from the Plan and Zoning Commission is hereby received and filed.
- 2. That the meeting of the City Council at which the proposed Review and Approval of PUD Final Development Plan is to be considered shall be held on June 22, 2020, at 5:00 p.m., to be held by electronic means in accordance with the Governor's and Mayor's Proclamations and to encourage and maintain social distancing to curb the spread of COVID19 in the community, with or without public access to the meeting location at which time the City Council will hear both those who oppose and those who favor the proposal.
- 3. That the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said proposal in the accompanying form to be given by publication once, not less than seven (7) days and not more than twenty (20) days before the date of hearing, all as specified in Section 362.3 and Section 414.4 of the Iowa Code.

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FORM APPROVED:

Judy K. Parks-Kruse, Assistant City Attorney

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COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT	
COWNIE					
BOESEN					
GATTO					
GRAY					
MANDELBAUM					
VOSS					
WESTERGAARD					
TOTAL					
MOTION CARRIED APPROVED					

#### CERTIFICATE

I, P. Kay Cmelik, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

Mayor	City Clerl
Mayor	5



June 2, 2020

Honorable Mayor and City Council City of Des Moines, Iowa

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#### Members:

Communication from the City Plan and Zoning Commission advising that at their May 21, 2020 meeting, the following action was taken regarding a request from The Village at Gray's Lake, LLC (owner) represented by Jason Grove (officer) for review and approval of a PUD Final Development Plan "Village at Gray's Lake Lot 2" for property located at 2150 and 2270 Bell Avenue, to allow the existing buildings to be renovated for a total of 93 household living units.

## **COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:**

After public hearing, the members voted 12-0 as follows:

Commission Action:	Yes	Nays	Pass	Absent
Francis Boggus	X			
Dory Briles	X			
Abby Chungath	X			
Jacqueline Easley				X
Jann Freed	X			
John "Jack" Hilmes	Χ			
Lisa Howard	X			
Carolyn Jenison	X			
Greg Jones	Χ			
William Page	Χ			
Rocky Sposato				X
Steve Wallace	X			
Greg Wattier	X			
Emily Webb	X			

**APPROVAL** of the proposed PUD Final Development Plan for "Village at Gray's Lake Lot 2" subject to the following conditions:

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#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO THE P&Z COMMISSION

Staff recommends approval of the proposed PUD Final Development Plan for "Village at Gray's Lake Lot 2" subject to the following conditions:

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#### STAFF REPORT TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION

## I. GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1. Purpose of Request: The applicant is seeking to renovate former American Institute of Business dormitories for 93 multi-household units. Based on the requirements of the Village at Gray's Lake PUD Conceptual Plan, a Final Development Plan must be reviewed for compliance with the standards approved in that Plan.
- 2. Size of Site: 2.50 acres.
- 3. Existing Zoning (site): Legacy "PUD" Planned Unit Development.
- 4. Existing Land Use (site): Vacant dormitory buildings and surface on-site parking.
- 5. Adjacent Land Use and Zoning:
  - **North** "EX", Uses include warehousing and production campus for Stone Container.
  - **South** "PUD", Uses include former AIB classroom building and Academic Center building, proposed for professional offices.
  - **East** "PUD", Use is former AIB administrative office building proposed for renovation to private professional offices.

- **West** "PUD", Use is building formerly the AIB Gymnasium, proposed to be the Village at Gray's Lake Activities Center.
- 6. General Neighborhood/Area Land Uses: The subject property is located southwest of the intersection of Bell Avenue and Fleur Drive within the former AIB campus. The area is a transition from industrial use north of Bell Avenue. There is a transition of a mix of residential densities to the south and west into the primarily low density Southwestern Hill Neighborhood. East of Fleur Drive is a mix of office and medium density residential transitioning into the primarily low density residential Gray's Lake Neighborhood to the east.
- 7. Applicable Recognized Neighborhood(s): The subject property is located in the Southwestern Hills Neighborhood and within 250 feet of the Gray's Lake Neighborhood. All neighborhood associations were notified of the meeting by mailing of the Preliminary Agenda to all recognized neighborhood associations on May 1, 2020 and by mailing of the Final Agenda on May 15, 2020. Additionally, separate notifications of the hearing for this specific item were mailed on May 11, 2020 (10 days prior) to the neighborhood associations and to the primary titleholder on file with the Polk County Assessor for each property within 250 feet of the subject property. The Southwestern Hills Neighborhood Association mailings were sent to George Davis, 3124 Southwest 29<sup>th</sup> Street, Des Moines, IA 50321 and the Gray's Lake Neighborhood Association mailings were sent to Rick Trower, 1310 Broad Street, Des Moines, IA 50315.
- **8.** Relevant Zoning History: On October 14, 2019 by Ordinance No. 15,813 the City Council rezoned from "M-3" Limited Industrial District and "R-3" Multiple Family Residential District to "PUD" Planned Unit Development District along with adoption of the Village at Gray's Lake PUD Conceptual Plan.
- 9. PlanDSM Future Land Use Plan Designation: Community Mixed Use.
- **10.Applicable Regulations:** Considering the criteria set forth in Chapter 18B of the Iowa Code, and based on the provisions of Chapter 134 Section 134-2.2.9.C, all amendments to existing PUD Final Development Plans must be reviewed and approved by the City Council after review and recommendation by the Plan and Zoning Commission.

#### II. ADDITIONAL APPLICABLE INFORMATION

- 1. **Utilities:** The site has access to all necessary utilities. Existing sanitary sewer and storm sewer service are provided directly to 18-inch public storm sewer and 8-inch sanitary sewer mains Bell Avenue. Existing water service for the buildings is connected to an 8-inch Des Moines Water Works water main is also available in Bell Avenue.
- 2. Landscaping & Buffering: Final Development Plans in Village at Gray's Lake PUD are required to comply with open space area, streetscape, interior lot, and frontage perimeter landscaping requirements. The PUD also requires retention of existing plantings on the property. These existing plantings need to be reflected on the Final Development Plan landscaping plan.

Lot 2 in the PUD requires a 20% open space provision. The proposed Final Development Plan provides for minimal increase in impervious area providing 43% open space.

The streetscape requirements provide for planting of street tree species at 1 per 30 feet. The proposed Final Development Plan shows this. Because there are overhead utilities the developer should modify the plan to understory tree species beneath these lines. Also, one of the proposed trees would need to be spaced away from the drive entrance to ensure a 10-foot clearance.

Interior lot landscaping is to be provided at 1 planter bed per 9 spaces. The applicant has indicated this except that there need to be two planter beds added adjacent to the front pedestrian connection through the lot to the public sidewalk. The planter beds could be left where the walk bump-outs are shown and the walk shifted east to more directly align with the front entrance landing

The required frontage perimeter landscaping plantings are shown. However, the existing on-street parking does not provide the 12-foot minimum setback or berm. Providing this would eliminate close to half of the on-site parking spaces necessary for the future tenants. Therefore, staff recommends that the developer provide a decorative site fence in the frontage buffer area in lieu of the berm and setback to enhance the street appearance of the site.

**3. Traffic/Street System:** The PUD Conceptual Plan required provision of sidewalk along all public street frontages. The proposed Final Development Plan indicates public sidewalk installed by the developer along the Bell Avenue frontage.

There is a project identified in the Long-Range Transportation Plan for the Metropolitan Area, Mobilizing Tomorrow, that would include improvements to Fleur Drive adjoining the PUD to east in the current construction season. This will also include installation of public sidewalks.

#### SUMMARY OF DISCUSSION

<u>Jann Freed</u> asked if any member of the public or the commission desired to speak on the item. None requested to speak.

## **COMMISSION ACTION:**

<u>John "Jack" Hilmes</u> made a motion for approval of the proposed PUD Final Development Plan for "Village at Gray's Lake Lot 2" subject to the following conditions:

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Motion passed: 12-0

Respectfully submitted,

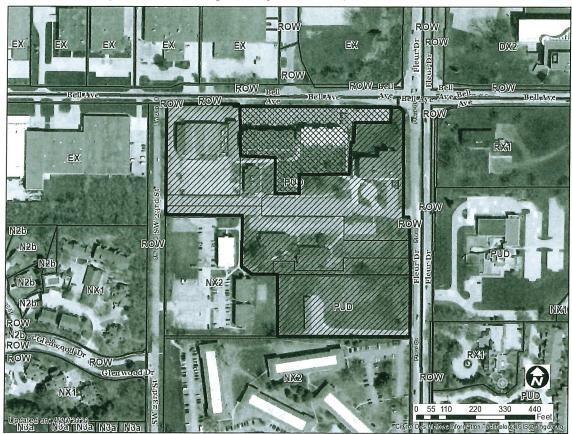
Michael Ludwig, AICP Planning Administrator

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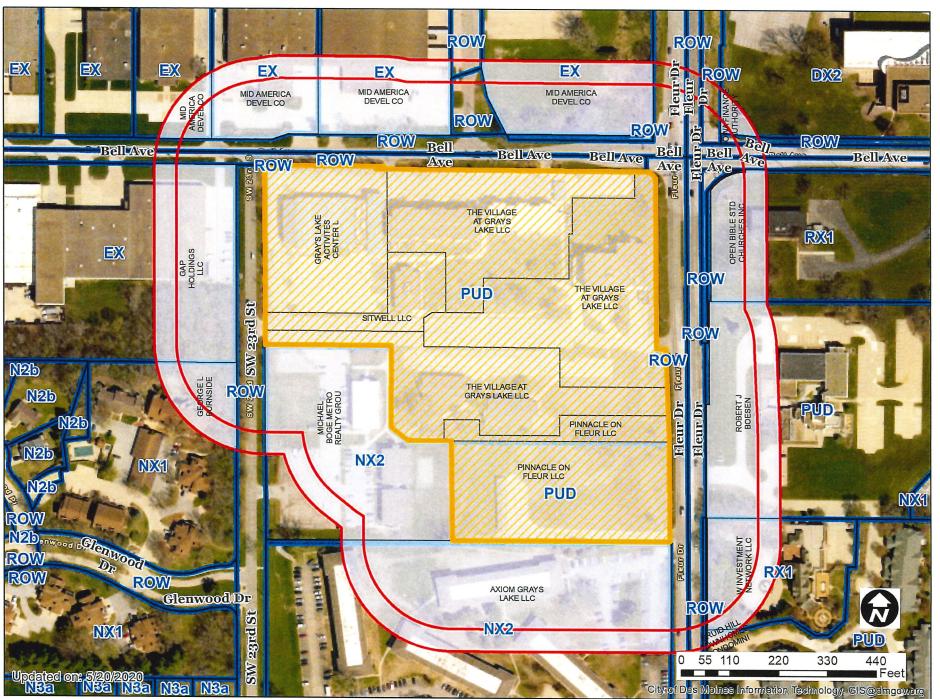
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Description of Action	Review and approval of a PUD Final Development Plan "Village at Gray's Lake Lot 2", to allow the existing buildings to be renovated for a total of 93 household living units.							e Lot 2", to allow		
PlanDSM Future	Current: Community Mixed Use. Proposed: N/A.									
Mobilizing Tom Transportation	No planned improvements.									
Current Zoning District			Village at Gray's Lake Legacy "PUD" Planned Unit Development.							
Proposed Zoning District			N/A.							
Consent Card Responses			In Fav	Favor Not In Favor Undetermined % Opp			pposition			
Outside Area (200 feet)			0		0					
Within Subject I										
Plan and Zoning		Appro	pproval X enial			Required 6/7		Yes		
Commission Ac	tion	Denia				the City Coun	ıcil	No		Х

The Village at Gray's Lake, LLC, Village at Grays' Lake Lot 2, 2150 & 2270 Bell Avenue

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1 inch = 209 feet



SITE ADDRESS 2150 & 2270 BELL AVENUE DES MOINES, IOWA 50315

SITE USE RESIDENTIAL APARTMENT COMPLEX

ZONING
PROPOSED NA
ADJACHET ZONNG:
NORTH: M-I LIGHT ROWSTAIL
BAST THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE PUD ZONZO19-0912
NORTH: M-I LIGHT INDUSTRIAL
BAST. THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE PUD ZONZO19-0912
SOUTH: THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE PUD ZONZO19-0912
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BUILDINGS FXISTING - 22.620 SQ.FT.

BUILDING USES

RESIDENTIAL APARTMENT COMPLEX

BULK REGULATIONS

MULTIPLE DWELLING, 10,000 SQUARE FEET, MINIMUM.

DWELLING UNITS

NUMBERS OF EMPLOYEES

MAX FLOOR AREA RATIO

PAVING
APPROACHES:
PARKING LOT:
PROPOSED CURB:
5" STANDARD CURB
5" STANDARD CURB
5" STANDARD CURB

SITE AREA 2.50 ACRES± (109,297 SQ.FT.±)

OPEN SPACE EXISTING - 44% (47,971 SQ.FT.) PROPOSED - 43% (48,719) SQ.FT.)

EXISTING - 56% 61,326 SQ.FT. PROPOSED - 57% 62,578 SQ.FT.

PARKING
REQUIRED: 89 SPACES PUD ZON2019-00152
89 SPACES (INCLUDING 4 HANDICAP PARKING STALLS)

FLOODPLAIN
PER FEMA MAPS #191930335F AND #191930345F THE SITE IS LOCATED IN ZONE X, AREAS IN WHICH THERE IS MINIMAL FLOOD HAZARD

FAA?
PER FAA NOTICE CRITERIA TOOL, SITE DOES NOT EXCEED NOTICE CRITERIA UP TO 100 FT HEIGHT (FOR POSSIBLE CRANE HEIGHT) AND THEREFORE FILING WITH THE FAA IS NOT REQUIRED

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# SITE PLAN

# THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE LOT 2 2150 & 2270 BELL AVENUE **DES MOINES, IOWA**



SHEET INDEX

C-001 - COVER SHEET C-002 - NOTE SHEET C-101 - SITE PLAN

C-201 - GRADING PLAN C-301 - UTILITY PLAN C-701 - LANDSCAPE PLAN

#### DEVELOPER

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Lot 2, The Village at Gray's Lake (Bk: 17686, Pg: 474) an Official Plat, all being in and forming a part of the City of Das Moines, Polk County, lowa.

THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE LLC 28445 GRANITE CT. ADEL IOWA 50003 PROJECT CONTACT: JASON GROVE PHONE: 515-226-887 EMAIL: JASON@GROVEHOLDINGSCO.COM

#### CITY CONTACT

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ENGINEER/ LAND SURVEYOR

PELDS DESIGN SERVICES 2323 DIXON ST DES MOINES, IOWA 50316 PROJECT CONTACT: ED PELDS

APPROVED APPROVED WITH CONDITION See exhibit "A" attached hereto.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-207(C). 2000 DES MOINES MUNICIPAL CODE, AS AMENDED.

NO CHANGES TO THIS PLAN UNLESS APPROVED IN WRITING FROM THE PLANNING DIRECTOR or NEW AMENDED DATED PLAN.



PLANNING DIRECTOR

DANIEL C. MILERDA

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VOLDEMARS L. PELDS, P.E. IA, LIC, NO, 18942 DATE MY LICENSE RENEWAL DATE IS DECEMBER 31, 2021

ADDITIONAL PAGES OR SHEETS COVERED BY THIS SEAL (NONE UNLESS INDICATED HERE); C-001 - C-701



THE VILLAGE AT GRAY'S LAKE LOT 2

2150 & 2270 BELL AVENUE DES MOINES, IOWA

2.26,2020 20-018 A.BRADFIELD \_\_\_\_ 

REVISIONS:

FINISHED FLOOR FLOWLINE ELEVATION GUTTER ELEVATION
TOP OF CURB ELEVATION
EXISTING ELEVATION CALCULATED CORNER CALCULATED SECTION CORNER STREET LIGHT
POWER POLE
LIGHT POLE
LIGE, TRANSFORMER
LIGE, METER
LIGE, BOX
LIGHT POLE
LIGE, WAULT
UNDERGROUND ELEC, MARKER POST
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Be VALVE FIRE HYDRANT WATER METER WATER VALVE WATER TEE

SINGLE INTAK

DOUBLE INTAKE STORM SEWER MANHOLE

— OHT — OVERHEAD TEL. — CATV— CABLE TELEVISION 0

SITE PLAN NOTES:

TREE

Any emendments or changes to the project site that do not must what is shown on the site plan need to be approved with the Pennit and Developmen

ry. restored by seeding or sodding.

PXX-PROPOSED UTILITY LINI

---- EXX--- EXISTING UTILITY LINE

-o--o--o-- FENCE LINE - UGT - UNDERGROUND TEL.

LEGEND:

OVERHEAD FLEC

