

Rezoning Transportation Analysis

Petition Number: 2017-166

General Location Identifier: 06115109

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11-20-2017	First Review
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General Review Information

The site is located in a corridor, located outside Route 4 along Tuskaseegee Rd, a minor thoroughfare and the signalized intersection with Queen City Dr., a major collector. The site's current rezoning (2005-070) restricts access from Tuskaseegee Rd. Tuskaseegee carries local bus route 34 (Freedom Drive). There is a City funded sidewalk project along Queens Drive across from the site

CDOT's review of this rezoning petition is intended to ensure consistency with the Transportation Action Plan (TAP) which seeks to ensure that the City's transportation network supports current and future land uses and includes streets that provide safe and comfortable mobility for motorists, pedestrians, bicyclists, and transit users.

This document is primarily for communication to Planning Department staff as part of the overall City staff analysis of the rezoning petition and includes an overall summary of the case from a transportation perspective, information on trip generation, and resolved or outstanding site plan concerns. Additional advisory information about the driveway permit process is provided for information only.

Based on our review of the petition, we offer the following information for your consideration.

Transportation Summary

The site is located along a minor thoroughfare at the signalized intersection with a major collector. The current site plan proposes access that was restricted in the prior rezoning. CDOT continues to request pedestrian improvements along a portion of the site's frontage that would mirror a current City project which will provide sidewalk along the east side of Queen City Drive.

Trip Generation

Scenario	Land Use	Intensity	Trip Generation (vehicle trips/day)	Source
Existing Use	Vacant	N/A	0	Tax Record
Entitlement with Current Zoning	Landscape buffer and Parking Lot	N/A	0	2005-070
Proposed Zoning	Driveway to LKQ Warehouse	N/A	0	Site Plan: 12-11-17

Outstanding Issues

Strikeout = Not an outstanding issue

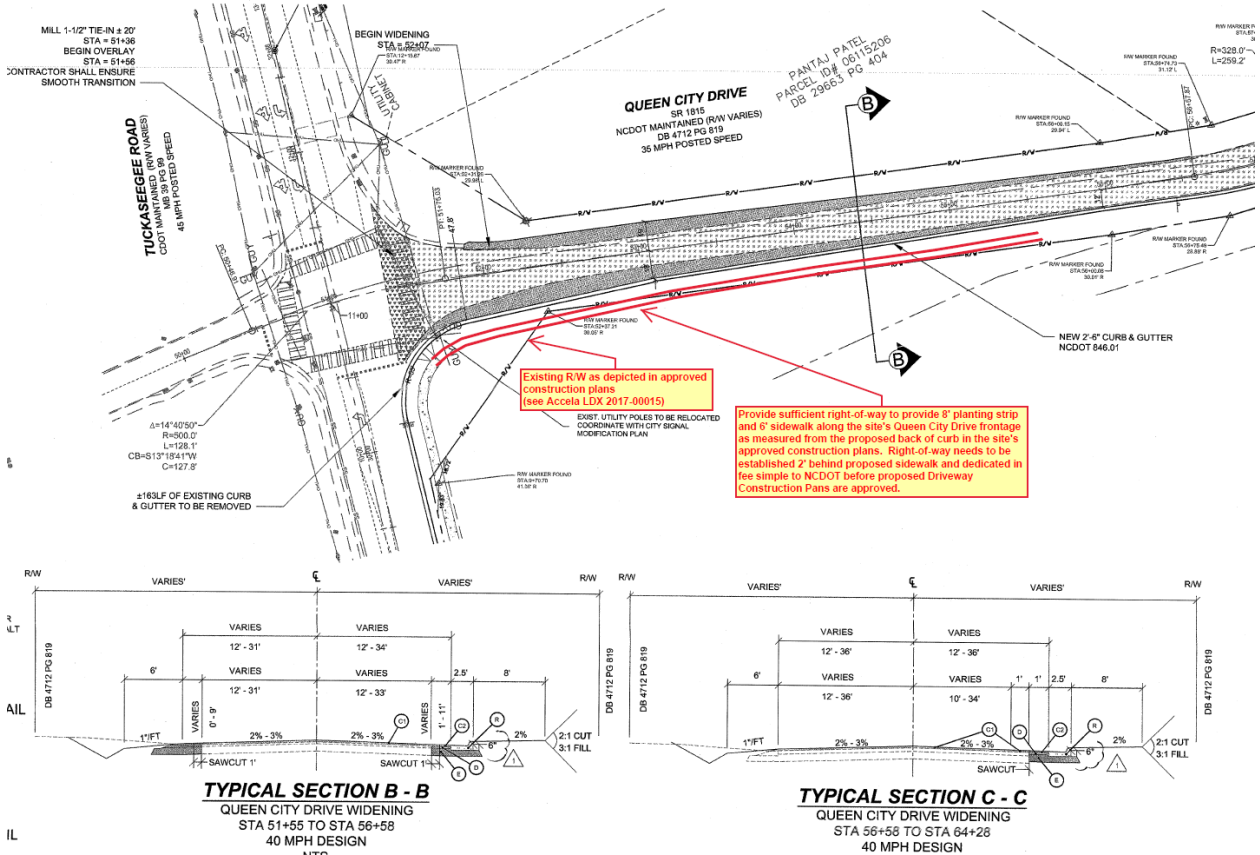
- ~~Traffic Impact Study/Transportation Technical Memorandum is not needed for the complete review of this petition.~~
- The petitioner should revise the site plan and conditional note(s) to provide sufficient right-of-way and implement an 8' planting strip and 6' sidewalk along the site's Queen City Drive frontage as measured

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from the proposed back of curb as shown in the site's approved construction plans (see Accela Project No. LDX-2017-00015 approved construction plans below). This requested sidewalk on the west side of Queen Rd. needs to connect to the first site driveway, sidewalk to provide pedestrian from the site's front door to Tuskaseegee Rd. and a CATS bus stop. Right-of-way needs to be established 2' behind proposed sidewalk and dedicated in fee simple to NCDOT before proposed driveway Construction Plans are approved.



3. The petitioner should revise the site plan to add a note specifying dedication and fee simple conveyance of all rights of way to the City before the site's proposed driveway construction plans are approved by CDOT. CDOT requests right of way set at 2' behind back of sidewalk where feasible.
4. The petitioner should revise the site plan to add a note specifying all transportation improvements will be approved and constructed before the site's first building certificate of occupancy is issued. The petitioner may phase transportation improvements if said improvements and phasing are explicitly described in site plan notes.

Advisory Information

The following are requirements of the developer that must be satisfied prior to driveway permit approval. We recommend that the petitioner reflect these on the rezoning plan as-appropriate.

1. According to the City of Charlotte's Driveway Regulations, CDOT has the authority to regulate/approve all private street/driveway and public street connections to the right-of-way of a street under the regulatory jurisdiction of the City of Charlotte.

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2. Adequate sight triangles must be reserved at the existing/proposed street entrance(s). Two 35' x 35' sight triangles (and two 10' x 70' sight triangles on North Carolina Department of Transportation on NCDOT maintained streets) are required for the entrance(s) to meet requirements. All proposed trees, berms, walls, fences, and/or identification signs must not interfere with sight distance at the entrance(s). Such items should be identified on the site plan.
3. The proposed driveway connection(s) to public streets will require a driveway permit(s) to be submitted to CDOT (and the North Carolina Department of Transportation on NCDOT maintained streets) for review and approval. The exact driveway location(s) and type/width of the driveway(s) will be determined by CDOT during the driveway permit process. The locations of the driveway(s) shown on the site plan are subject to change in order to align with driveway(s) on the opposite side of the street and comply with City Driveway Regulations and the City Tree Ordinance.
4. All proposed commercial driveway connections to a future public street will require a driveway permit to be submitted to CDOT for review and approval.
5. Any fence or wall constructed along or adjacent to any sidewalk or street right-of-way requires a certificate issued by CDOT.
6. A Right-of-Way Encroachment Agreement is required for the installation of any non-standard item(s) (irrigation systems, decorative concrete pavement, brick pavers, etc.) within a proposed/existing City maintained street right-of-way by a private individual, group, business, or homeowner's/business association. An encroachment agreement must be approved by CDOT prior to the construction/installation of the non-standard item(s). Contact CDOT for additional information concerning cost, submittal, and liability insurance coverage requirements.