

Rezoning Transportation Analysis

Petition Number: 2018-127

General Location Identifier: 18106219, 18106217, 18106218

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Revision Log:

Date	Description
11-06-18	First Review
2-14-19	Second Review

General Review Information

The site is at the unsignalized intersection of Providence Drive (local) and Vernon Drive (local) and is located in a wedge inside Route 4.

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 at the intersection of two local streets. There is existing curb, gutter, and sidewalk with standard planting strip along Vernon Drive. Providence Drive has no curb, gutter, planting strip, or sidewalk. CDOT is requesting the petitioner commit to installing 8' planting strip and 6' sidewalk along Vernon. The site is committing to providing street scape along Providence Drive.

Trip Generation

Scenario	Land Use	Intensity	Trip Generation (vehicle trips/day)	Source
Existing Use	Single Family	3 dwellings	30	Tax Record
Entitlement with Current Zoning	Single Family (1.1 acres of R-3)	3 dwellings	30	General Guidance from Planning
Proposed Zoning	Single Family (1.1 acres of R-8)	8 dwellings	80	General Guidance from Planning
	Duplexes	6 dwellings	60	Site Plan: 02-08-19

Outstanding Issues

Strikeout = Not an outstanding issue

1. ~~Traffic Study A Traffic Impact Study/Transportation Technical Memorandum is not necessary for the complete review of this petition.~~

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2. The petitioner should revise the site plan and conditional note(s) to show and commit to installing an 8' planting strip and 6' sidewalk along Vernon Drive. Where existing wall is to remain, petitioner is to use existing planting strip to install wider sidewalk from back of curb.
3. The petitioner should update the site plan and conditional note(s) to commit, show and label C&G 10.5' from centerline as per Chapter 20.
4. The petitioner should update the site plan and conditional note(s) to dedicate R/W 2' behind proposed sidewalk along Providence Drive and Vernon Drive.

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.
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.