**Petition No: 2016-116** 

## **RECOMMENDATION**

We have the following comments that are critical to CMS' support of this petition:

Adequacy of existing school capacity in this area is a significant problem. We are particularly concerned about rezoning cases where school utilization exceeds 100% since the proposed development will exacerbate this situation. Approval of this petition will increase overcrowding and/or reliance upon mobile classrooms at the schools listed below.

The total estimated capital cost of providing the additional school capacity for this new development is \$429,000 calculated as follows:

Elementary School: **12** \$20,000 = \$240,000

High School:  $7 \times 27,000 = 189,000$ 

CMS recommends the petitioner schedule a meeting with staff to discuss any opportunities that the petitioner/developer may propose to improve the adequacy of school capacity in the immediate area of the proposed development.

## TOTAL IMPACT FROM PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

Proposed Housing Units: The conditional district request seeks to allow 127 single family attached dwelling units under MX-2 zoning.

CMS Planning Area: 14, 15, 16

Average Student Yield per Unit: 0.1845

This development will add 23 students to the schools in this area.

The following data is as of 20<sup>th</sup> Day of the 2015-2016 school year.

Schools Affected	Total Classroom Teachers	Building Classrooms/Te acher Stations	20 <sup>th</sup> Day, Enrollment (non-ec)	Building Classroom/Adj usted Capacity (Without Mobiles)	20 <sup>th</sup> Day, Building Utilization (Without Mobiles)	Additional Students As a result of this development	Utilization As of result of this development (Without Mobiles)
STEELE CREEK ES	43	33	783	601	130%	12	132%
KENNEDY MS	44.5	45	764	773	99%	4	99%
OLYMPIC HS	137	90	2472	1700	152%	7	153%

## **INCREMENTAL IMPACT FROM PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT\***

Existing number of housing units allowed: The subject property is currently developed with two single family detached dwellings. The conditional MX-1 district was rezoned via Petition 2006-149 zoning allows 85 single family detached units for sale.

Number of students potentially generated under current zoning: 46 students (23 elementary, 10 middle, 13 high)

The development allowed under the existing zoning would generate 23 student(s), while the development allowed under the proposed zoning will produce 46 student(s). Therefore, the net change in the number of students generated from existing zoning to proposed zoning is 23 student(s).

As requested, we are also providing information regarding the difference in the number of potential students from the existing zoning to the proposed zoning. Please note that this method of determining potential numbers of students from an area underestimates the number of students CMS may gain from the new development.