

MECKLENBURG COUNTY

Land Use and Environmental Services Agency

July 22, 2013

Ms. Penelope Cothran Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission 600 East Fourth Street Charlotte, North Carolina 28202

Re: Rezoning Petition 2013-067

Approximately 18.95 acres located on the west side of Northlake Centre Parkway near the intersection of Madison Square Place, Northlake Mall Drive and Northlake Centre Parkway

Dear Ms. Cothran,

Representatives of the Air Quality (MCAQ), Groundwater & Wastewater Services (MCGWS), Solid Waste (MCSW), Storm Water Services (MCSWS), and Water Quality (MCWQ) Programs of the Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency (LUESA) have reviewed the above referenced rezoning petition.

Programs with No Comment at this Time

Solid Waste Groundwater & Wastewater Services Air Quality

Recommendations and/or Ordinance Requirement Reminders

Storm Water Services

The requirements of the post-construction storm water ordinance for the City of Charlotte should be applied to the proposed rezoning. A portion of the parcel is within an area affected by the ordinances. More detailed information regarding ordinance requirements is available at the following website:

http://charmeck.org/stormwater/regulations/Pages/Post-

ConstructionStormWaterOrdinances.aspx and click on City of Charlotte.

S.W.I.M. Stream Buffers

S.W.I.M. stream buffer requirements apply as described on the following website: http://charmeck.org/stormwater/regulations/Pages/SWIMOrdinances.aspx.

In addition, the buffer requirements specified in the post-construction storm water ordinance, as described on the website indicated above, also apply. In the event that different requirements occur in the post-construction ordinance compared to the S.W.I.M. stream buffer ordinance, the more stringent will apply.

Impaired Streams:

The property represented in this rezoning drains to surface waters listed on North Carolinas Department of Natural Resources 303(d) list of impaired streams. Long Creek is listed for turbidity due to pollution discharges. By properly controlling pollutants both during and after construction you can help restore these surface waters. More information on North Carolina's impaired waters and 303(d) list can be found at http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/wq/ps/mtu/assessment.

Please contact the staff members who conducted the reviews if you have any questions. The reviews were conducted by, Jason Rayfield (Jason.Rayfield@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCAQ, Dennis Tyndall (Dennis.Tyndall@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with GWS, Joe Hack (Joe.Hack@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCSW, Bill Tingle (Bill.Tingle@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCSWS, and Rusty Rozzelle (Rusty.Rozzelle@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with the MCWQ.

Respectfully,

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