Planning Commission

Staff Report

May 12, 2022



Case No: 21-ZONE-0152 Project Name: **College Drive Subdivision** Location: 3608 College Drive Jeffersontown Economic Development Owner(s): Applicant: Jeffersontown Economic Development Jurisdiction: City of Jeffersontown **Council District:** 20 - Stuart Benson Case Manager: Dante St. Germain, AICP, Planner II

REQUESTS

- Change in zoning from CTC-2 Commercial Town Center to PRD Planned Residential Development
- Variance from 5.1.12.A.2.a to permit a proposed structure to exceed the allowed infill front yard setback (required 7.5', requested 35', variance of 27.5') (22-VARIANCE-0017)
- Waivers:
 - **#1:** from 7.3.30.E to permit a drainage easement to overlap rear yards by more than 15% (22-WAIVER-0020)
 - **#2:** from 5.3.1.D.1.b.vi to permit more than 4 contiguous attached units in the PRD zoning district (22-WAIVER-0019)
- Major Preliminary Subdivision (21-MSUB-0025)
- Detailed District Development Plan with Binding Elements

CASE SUMMARY/BACKGROUND

The subject site is located on College Drive near the south-eastern terminus, and consists of one undeveloped parcel. The applicant proposes to rezone the site to PRD in order to construct a new 17-lot townhouse-style subdivision.

The site is located within the Town Center form district centered around the Watterson Trail/Taylorsville Road intersection, and is generally surrounded by a mix of commercial, single-family and multi-family uses. Jeffersontown Cemetery is located across Billtown Road to the west.

The site was rezoned from R-4 to CTC-2 under areawide rezoning 18AREA1001, at the request of the City of Jeffersontown, as part of the Jeffersontown Gaslight Square Areawide Rezoning Phase 2. This areawide rezoning was approved by the City of Jeffersontown in January 2019.

STAFF FINDING

Staff finds that the proposed zoning change meets the guidelines of the Comprehensive Plan. The variance is adequately justified and meets the standard of review. The waivers are adequately justified and meet the standard of review. The site plan meets the requirements of the Land Development Code with the exception of the requested variance and waivers, and generally meets the guidelines of the Comprehensive Plan.

TECHNICAL REVIEW

Plan 2040

Land Development Code (City of Jeffersontown)

MSD and Transportation Planning have provided preliminary approval of the proposal.

INTERESTED PARTY COMMENTS

No interested party comments have been received by staff.

STANDARD OF REVIEW FOR REZONING

Criteria for granting the proposed form district change/rezoning: KRS Chapter 100.213

- 1. <u>The proposed form district/rezoning change complies with the applicable guidelines and policies</u> <u>Plan 2040; **OR**</u>
- 2. <u>The existing form district/zoning classification is inappropriate and the proposed classification is appropriate; **OR**</u>
- 3. <u>There have been major changes of an economic, physical, or social nature within the area</u> involved which were not anticipated in Plan 2040 which have substantially altered the basic character of the area.

STAFF ANALYSIS FOR CHANGE IN ZONING

The site is located in the Town Center Form District

The Town Center is a traditional and preferred form, larger in scale than the neighborhood center, which forms a focal point of activity. The Town Center has an identifiable core and is often located at a historic crossroads or the intersection of a major thoroughfare(s) and a collector roadway with connections to surrounding neighborhoods through walkways, local streets and residential collector streets. The amount of floor space in town centers is usually between 100,000 and 400,000 square feet reflecting a market area designed to serve a population of between 25,000 to 75,000.

The Town Center form typically has a compact mixture of moderately intense uses including shopping, restaurants, offices and residences. In its most traditional form, the Town Center ordinarily includes civic uses, such as libraries, government offices, police or fire stations and religious facilities. The presence of small-scale civic open space is a common but not essential feature. Buildings are generally close to and oriented toward the street. These characteristics strengthen the role of the Town Center as a community focal point.

The Town Center should have a high level of pedestrian, roadway, transit and bicycle access, a connected street pattern, shared parking and pedestrian amenities. More intense uses in the Town Center are located in close proximity to the major thoroughfare, and the intensity of use gradually declines toward the adjacent neighborhoods.

Town Centers are easily disrupted by new forms of development. Therefore, the harmony and compatibility of infill and redevelopment in Town Centers should receive special attention. The establishment of new Town Centers requires a high level of planning and design. The Comprehensive Plan envisions the preservation and enhancement of those town centers that already exist and encourages creation of new Town Centers that are in keeping with the goals, objectives and Policies.

Following is staff's analysis of the proposed rezoning against the Goals, Objectives and Policies of Plan 2040.

The current zoning on the property permits mainly commercial uses, with residential uses permitted only above first-floor commercial. The proposed zoning would permit first-floor residential uses. The proposed zoning district would increase the variety of housing in the vicinity, by permitting attached single-family units in a neighborhood mostly characterized by commercial, detached single-family and large-scale multi-family development. The site is located at the end of a dead-end local road, and attracting commercial development to the site in conformance with the current zoning district has presented challenges to the City of Jeffersontown.

The proposed zoning district is generally in compliance with the plan elements and CHASE principles of Plan 2040. All other agency comments should be addressed to demonstrate compliance with the remaining Goals, Objectives and Policies of Plan 2040.

A checklist is attached to the end of this staff report with a more detailed analysis. The Louisville Metro Planning Commission is charged with making a recommendation to the City of Jeffersontown regarding the appropriateness of this zoning map amendment. The City of Jeffersontown has zoning authority over the property in question.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR VARIANCE FROM 5.1.12.A.2.a:

(a) <u>The requested variance will not adversely affect the public health, safety or welfare.</u>

STAFF: The requested variance will not adversely affect public health safety or welfare as the increase in setback will create no adverse sight line problems or other safety impacts.

(b) <u>The requested variance will not alter the essential character of the general vicinity.</u>

STAFF: The requested variance will not alter the essential character of the general vicinity as the general vicinity is mostly developed with commercial structures. The sides of the residential buildings will face College Drive, and the additional setback will minimize the impact of this orientation.

(c) <u>The requested variance will not cause a hazard or nuisance to the public.</u>

STAFF: The requested variance will not cause a hazard or nuisance to the public as sight lines should not be negatively impacted.

(d) <u>The requested variance will not allow an unreasonable circumvention of the zoning regulations.</u>

STAFF: The requested variance will not allow an unreasonable circumvention of zoning regulations as the configuration of the subdivision is unusual with open space being located between the nearest structure and College Drive. This configuration is unlikely to be repeated in other locations.

ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS:

1. <u>The requested variance arises from special circumstances which do not generally apply to land</u> in the general vicinity or the same zone. STAFF: The requested variance arises from special circumstances which do not generally apply to land in the general vicinity or the same zone because the lot is irregular in shape and the subdivision orients the structures toward the private roads serving the development.

2. <u>The strict application of the provisions of the regulation would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land or create an unnecessary hardship on the applicant.</u>

STAFF: The strict application of the provisions of the regulation would not deprive the applicant of reasonable use of the land as the building could be moved closer to College Drive.

3. <u>The circumstances not are the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption of the zoning regulation from which relief is sought.</u>

STAFF: The circumstances not are the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption of the zoning regulation from which relief is sought as no construction has yet taken place and the variance is being sought at this time.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR WAIVER #1 OF SECTION 7.3.30.E

(a) <u>The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners; and</u>

STAFF: The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners as the overlap between the rear yard and the drainage easement is not likely to be visible outside the property or increase drainage off the property.

(b) <u>The waiver will not violate specific guidelines of Plan 2040; and</u>

STAFF: The waiver will not violate specific guidelines of Plan 2040 as Plan 2040 does not address overlap between required yards and drainage easements.

(c) <u>The extent of the waiver of the regulation is the minimum necessary to afford relief to the applicant; and</u>

STAFF: The extent of the waiver of the regulation is the minimum necessary to afford relief to the applicant as the overlap is made necessary by MSD generally requiring drainage easements to be in rear yards.

(d) <u>Either:</u>

(i) The applicant has incorporated other design measures that exceed the minimums of the district and compensate for non-compliance with the requirements to be waived (net beneficial effect); **OR**

(ii) The strict application of the provisions of the regulation would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land or would create an unnecessary hardship on the applicant.

STAFF: Strict application of the provisions of the regulation would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land or would create an unnecessary hardship on the applicant by requiring excess rear yard be reserved on lots that have the drainage easement, negatively impacting the building envelopes.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR WAIVER #2 OF SECTION 5.3.1.D.1.b.vi

(a) <u>The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners; and</u>

STAFF: The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners as the extra contiguous units will be internal to the site and will generally not be visible to neighbors.

(b) The waiver will not violate specific guidelines of Plan 2040; and

STAFF: The waiver will not violate specific guidelines of Plan 2040 as Plan 2040 does not address the number of contiguous units in attached housing. Plan 2040 encourages a variety of housing options be provided in Louisville Metro, including both attached and detached housing units.

(c) <u>The extent of the waiver of the regulation is the minimum necessary to afford relief to the applicant; and</u>

STAFF: The extent of the waiver of the regulation is the minimum necessary to afford relief to the applicant as having only four contiguous units would require the applicant to split the block of 5 into a block of 2 and one of 3, a less advantageous configuration than 5 attached units.

(d) <u>Either:</u>

(i) The applicant has incorporated other design measures that exceed the minimums of the district and compensate for non-compliance with the requirements to be waived (net beneficial effect); **OR**

(ii) The strict application of the provisions of the regulation would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land or would create an unnecessary hardship on the applicant.

STAFF: The applicant has not incorporated other design measures that exceed the minimums of the district and compensate for non-compliance with the requirements to be waived, and strict application of the provisions of the regulation would not deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land or would create an unnecessary hardship on the applicant because the applicant could redesign the layout of the subdivision to reduce or eliminate the need for a waiver.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR DDDP

(a) <u>The conservation of natural resources on the property proposed for development, including:</u> <u>trees and other living vegetation, steep slopes, water courses, flood plains, soils, air quality,</u> <u>scenic views, and historic sites;</u>

STAFF: The site is mostly cleared and no natural resources are evident on the site. Required tree canopy will be provided.

(b) <u>The provisions for safe and efficient vehicular and pedestrian transportation both within the development and the community;</u>

STAFF: Provisions for safe and efficient vehicular and pedestrian transportation within and around the development and the community has been provided, and Metro Public Works has approved the preliminary development plan.

(c) <u>The provision of sufficient open space (scenic and recreational) to meet the needs of the proposed development;</u>

STAFF: Open space is being provided in compliance with the requirements of the Land Development Code.

(d) <u>The provision of adequate drainage facilities on the subject site in order to prevent drainage</u> problems from occurring on the subject site or within the community;

STAFF: The Metropolitan Sewer District has approved the preliminary development plan and will ensure the provision of adequate drainage facilities on the subject site in order to prevent drainage problems from occurring on the subject site or within the community.

(e) <u>The compatibility of the overall site design (location of buildings, parking lots, screening,</u> <u>landscaping) and land use or uses with the existing and projected future development of the</u> <u>area;</u>

STAFF: The overall site design is in compliance with existing and planned future development in the area. The proposal would provide an increase in the variety of housing in the neighborhood by permitting attached single-family houses in an area predominantly developed with commercial structures, single-family detached units and large-scale multi-family development.

(f) <u>Conformance of the development plan with the Comprehensive Plan and Land Development</u> <u>Code. Revised plan certain development plans shall be evaluated for conformance with the non-</u> <u>residential and mixed-use intent of the form districts and comprehensive plan.</u>

STAFF: The development plan conforms to applicable guidelines and policies of the Land Development Code and Plan 2040 with the exception of the requested variance and waivers.

REQUIRED ACTIONS

- RECOMMEND that the City of Jeffersontown APPROVE or DENY the Change-in-Zoning from CTC-2 to PRD
- **APPROVE** or **DENY** the **Variance**
- **RECOMMEND** that the City of Jeffersontown **APPROVE** or **DENY** the **Waivers**
- RECOMMEND that the City of Jeffersontown APPROVE or DENY the Detailed District Development Plan/Major Preliminary Subdivision with Binding Elements

NOTIFICATION

Date	Purpose of Notice	Recipients
03/29/2022 Registered Neighborho 04/25/2022 Hearing before PC 1st and 2 nd tier adjoining		1 st and 2 nd tier adjoining property owners and current residents Registered Neighborhood Groups in Council District 20 & 11
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04/25/2022	04/25/2022 Hearing before PC Sign Posting on property	
05/01/2022	Hearing before PC	Legal Advertisement in the Courier-Journal

ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Zoning Map
- 2.
- Aerial Photograph Staff Plan 2040 Checklist 3.
- Proposed Binding Elements 4.

1. Zoning Map



2. <u>Aerial Photograph</u>



3. Staff Plan 2040 Checklist

- + Exceeds Guideline
- ✓ Meets Guideline
- Does Not Meet Guideline
- +/- More Information Needed
- NA Not Applicable

Town Center: Residential

#	Plan 2040 Plan Element	Land Use & Development Policy	Staff Finding	Staff Analysis
1	Community Form: Goal 1	7. Locate higher density and intensity uses near major transportation facilities and transit corridors, employment centers, in or near activity centers and other areas where demand and adequate infrastructure exists or is planned.	~	The proposal is not for a zoning district which would permit higher density or intensity uses.
2	Community Form: Goal 1	9. Ensure an appropriate transition between uses that are substantially different in scale and intensity or density of development. The transition may be achieved through methods such as landscaped buffer yards, vegetative berms, compatible building design and materials, height restrictions and setback requirements.	V	The appropriate transitions will be provided.
3	Community Form: Goal 2	9. Encourage new developments and rehabilitation of buildings that provide commercial, office and/or residential uses.	~	The proposal would permit new development providing residential uses.
4	Community Form: Goal 3	10. Encourage development to avoid wet or highly permeable soils, severe, steep or unstable slopes where the potential for severe erosion problems exists in order to prevent property damage and public costs associated with soil slippage and foundation failure and to minimize environmental degradation.	~	No wet or highly permeable soils, or severe, steep or unstable slopes are evident on the site.
5	Community Form: Goal 4	2. Encourage preservation of dis- tinctive cultural features including landscapes, natural elements and built features.	~	No distinctive cultural features are evident on the site.
6	Community Form: Goal 4	3. Encourage preservation and/or adaptive reuse of historic sites listed on or eligible for the National Register of Historic Places and/or recognized by the Louisville Metro Landmarks Commission or other national, state or local government historic preservation agencies.	~	No historic assets are evident on the site.

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7	Mobility: Goal 1	4. Encourage higher densities and intensities within or near existing marketplace corridors, existing and future activity centers, and employment centers to support transit-oriented development and an efficient public transportation system.	~	The proposal would not permit higher intensity or density uses.
8	Mobility: Goal 2	4. Avoid access to development through areas of significantly lower intensity or density development if such access would create significant nuisances.	~	Access to the development would be through an area of higher or similar intensity.
9	Mobility: Goal 3	2. To improve mobility, and reduce vehicle miles traveled and congestion, encourage a mixture of compatible land uses that are easily accessible by bicycle, car, transit, pedestrians and people with disabilities. Housing should be encouraged near employment centers.	~	The site is easily accessible by bicycle, car, transit and pedestrians. Access by people with disabilities will be improved by the development.
10	Mobility: Goal 3	5. Evaluate developments for their impact on the transportation network (including the street, pedestrian, transit, freight movement and bike facilities and services) and air quality.	~	Transportation Planning has approved the proposal.
11	Mobility: Goal 3	6. Ensure that those who propose new developments bear or share in rough proportionality the costs of transportation facilities and services made necessary by development.	~	Transportation Planning has approved the proposal.
12	Mobility: Goal 3	9. When existing transportation facilities and services are inadequate and public funds are not available to rectify the situation, the developer may be asked to make improvements, roughly proportional to the projected impact of the proposed development, to eliminate present inadequacies if such improvements would be the only means by which the development would be considered appropriate at the proposed location.	~	Transportation Planning has approved the proposal.
13	Mobility: Goal 3	10. Ensure that necessary improvements occur in accordance with long-range transportation plans and level of mobility criteria for all modes of travel.	~	Transportation Planning has approved the proposal.
14	Mobility: Goal 3	21. Prevent safety hazards caused by direct residential access to high speed roadways.	\checkmark	No direct residential access to high-speed roadways is proposed.

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15	Community Facilities: Goal 2	1. Locate development in areas served by existing utilities or ca- pable of being served by public or private utility extensions.	~	The relevant utilities have approved the proposal.
16	Community Facilities: Goal 2	2. Ensure that all development has an adequate supply of potable water and water for fire- fighting purposes. Locate only very low-density land uses on sites that use on-lot sewage disposal systems or on a private supply of potable water.	~	Louisville Water Company has approved the proposal.
17	Community Facilities: Goal 2	3. Ensure that all development has adequate means of sewage treatment and disposal to protect public health and to protect water quality in lakes and streams as determined by the Metropolitan Sewer District (MSD).	~	MSD has approved the proposal.
18	Livability: Goal 1	5. Encourage development that recognizes and incorporates the unique characteristics of identified general landscape types and native plant communities (e.g., upland hardwood forest) throughout Louisville Metro.	~	Required tree canopy will be provided on site with plants selected from the preferred plant list.
19	Livability: Goal 1	17. Determine site susceptibility to erosion; identify the presence of on-site carbonate conditions and features that are vulnerable to site disturbance; identify the extent of existing groundwater use and the impacts of the project on groundwater resources, flow patterns, and existing and proposed surface drainage. Then mitigate potential hazards to such systems resulting from the project.	NA	No karst review is required by the City of Jeffersontown Land Development Code.
20	Livability: Goal 1	21. Mitigate negative development impacts to the integrity of the regulatory floodplain by encouraging development patterns that minimize disturbance and consider the increased risk of more frequent flooding events.	~	The site is not located in the regulatory floodplain.
21	Housing: Goal 1	1. Encourage a variety of housing types including, but not limited to, detached and attached single family, multi-family, mixed use, zero lot line, average lot, cluster, and co-housing. Allow for accessory residential structures and apartments. Housing types should reflect the Form District pattern.	~	The proposed zoning district would permit a variety of housing types and would increase the variety of housing in the neighborhood.

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22	Housing: Goal 1	2. Promote housing options and environments that support aging in place. Encourage housing for older adults and people with disabilities to be located close to shopping and transit routes and, when possible, medical and other supportive facilities.	~	The proposed zoning district would support aging in place by providing smaller homes which could be obtained by aging residents who do not want a large yard or home to maintain.
23	Housing: Goal 2	1. Encourage inter-generational, mixed-income and mixed-use development that is connected to the neighborhood and surrounding area.	~	The proposal would encourage inter- generational mixed-income and mixed-use development that is connected to the neighborhood and surrounding area.
24	Housing: Goal 2	2. Locate housing within proximity to multi-modal transportation corridors providing safe and convenient access to employment opportunities, as well as within proximity to amenities providing neighborhood goods and services. Higher density, accessible residential uses should be located along transit corridors and in or near activity centers.	~	The site is in proximity to multi-modal transportation corridors.
25	Housing: Goal 3	1. Encourage provision of fair and affordable housing by providing a variety of ownership options and unit costs throughout Louisville Metro. Expand opportunities for people to live in quality, variably priced housing in locations of their choice by encouraging affordable and accessible housing in dispersed locations throughout Louisville Metro.	~	The proposal would encourage the provision of fair and affordable housing by increasing the variety of ownership options and unit costs throughout Louisville Metro.
26	Housing: Goal 3	2. As neighborhoods evolve, discourage displacement of existing residents from their community.	~	No existing residents will be displaced by the proposal.
27	Housing: Goal 3	3. Encourage the use of innovative methods such as clustering, mixed-use developments, co-housing, and accessory apartments to increase the production of fair and affordable housing.	~	The proposed zoning district would permit innovative methods of housing.

4. <u>Proposed Binding Elements</u>

1. The development shall be in accordance with the approved Preliminary Subdivision Plan. No further subdivision of the land into a greater number of lots than originally approved shall occur without approval of the Planning Commission and the City of Jeffersontown.

- 2. A certificate of occupancy must be received from the appropriate code enforcement department prior to occupancy of the structure or land for the proposed use. All binding elements requiring action and approval must be implemented prior to requesting issuance of the certificate of occupancy, unless specifically waived by the Planning Commission and the City of Jeffersontown.
- 3. The applicant, developer, or property owner shall provide copies of these binding elements to tenants, purchasers, contractors, subcontractors and other parties engaged in development of this site and shall advise them of the content of these binding elements. These binding elements shall run with the land and the owner of the property and occupant of the property shall at all times be responsible for compliance with these binding elements. At all times during development of the site, the applicant and developer, their heirs, successors; and assignees, contractors, subcontractors, and other parties engaged in development of the site, shall be responsible for compliance with these binding elements.
- 4. Prior to the recording of the record plat, copies of the recorded documents listed below shall be filed with the Planning Commission.
 - a) Articles of Incorporation filed with the Secretary of State and recorded in the office of the Clerk of Jefferson County and the Certificate of Incorporation of the Homeowners Association.
 - b) A deed of restriction in a form approved by Counsel to the Planning Commission addressing responsibilities for the maintenance of common areas and open space, maintenance of trees and fences within buffer areas and other issues required by these binding elements / conditions of approval.
 - c) Bylaws of the Homeowner's Association in a form approved by the Counsel for the Planning Commission.
- 5. At the time the developer turns control of the homeowner's association over to the homeowners, the developer shall provide sufficient funds to ensure there is no less than \$3,000 cash in the homeowner's association account. The subdivision performance bond may be required by the Planning Commission to fulfill this funding requirement.
- 6. Open space lots shall not be further subdivided or developed for any other use and shall remain as open space in perpetuity. A note to this effect shall be placed on the record plat.
- 7. A note shall be placed on the preliminary plan, construction plan(s) and the record plat that states, "Construction fencing shall be erected to protect trees on site and when off-site trees or tree canopy exists within 3' of a common property line. Fencing shall be in place prior to any grading or construction to protect the existing root systems from compaction. The fencing shall enclose the entire area beneath the tree canopy and shall remain in place until all construction is completed. No parking, material storage or construction activities are permitted within the protected areas."
- 8. The applicant shall submit a plan for approval by City of Jeffersontown staff showing trees/tree masses to be preserved prior to beginning any construction procedure (i.e. clearing, grading, demolition). Adjustments to the tree preservation plan which are requested by the applicant may be approved by City of Jeffersontown staff if the revisions are in keeping with the intent of the approved tree preservation plan. The plan shall exhibit the following information:
 - a. Proposed site plan (showing buildings, edges of pavement, property/lot lines, easements, existing topography, and other significant site features (LOJIC topographic information is acceptable).
 - b. Preliminary drainage considerations (retention/detention, ditches/large swales, etc.).
 - c. Location of all existing trees/tree masses existing on the site as shown by aerial photo or LOJIC maps.

- d. Location of construction fencing for each tree/tree mass designated to be preserved.
- 9. An original stamped copy of the approved Tree Preservation Plan shall be present on site during all clearing, grading, and construction activity and shall be made available to any DPDS inspector or enforcement officer or City of Jeffersontown staff upon request.
- 10. All street signs shall be installed by the Developer, and shall conform with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) requirements. Street signs shall be installed prior to the recording of the subdivision record plat or occupancy of the first residence on the street, and shall be in place at the time of any required bond release. The address number shall be displayed on a structure prior to requesting a certificate of occupancy for that structure.
- 11. Trees will be preserved and/or provided on site and maintained thereafter as required by Chapter 10, Part 1 of the Land Development Code and as indicated in the Tree Canopy Calculations on the Preliminary Subdivision Plan. The applicant shall submit a landscape plan for approval by Planning Commission staff for any trees to be planted to meet the Tree Canopy requirements of Chapter 10, Part 1 of the Land Development Code. A tree preservation plan shall be submitted for review and approval for any trees to be preserved to meet the Tree Canopy requirements of Chapter 10.
- 12. The signature entrance shall be submitted to the Planning Commission staff for review and approval prior to recording the record plat. The size and location of any proposed freestanding sign must be in compliance with the City of Jeffersontown Sign Ordinance.
- 13. The applicant shall submit a landscape plan for approval by City of Jeffersontown staff showing plantings and/or other screening and buffering materials to comply with the Chapter 10 of the Land Development Code prior to recording the record plat. The applicant shall provide the landscape materials on the site as specified on the approved Landscape Plan prior to issuance of Certificates of Occupancy for the site.
- 14. The developer shall be responsible for maintenance of all drainage facilities and undeveloped lots ensuring prevention of mosquito breeding, until such time as the drainage bond is released.
- 15. After release of the drainage bond, mosquito abatement on open space lots shall be the responsibility of the Homeowners Association. Accumulations of water in which mosquito larvae breed or have the potential to breed are required to be treated with a mosquito larvicide approved by the Louisville Metro Health Department. Larvicides shall be administered in accordance with the product's labeling. This language shall appear in the deed of restrictions for the subdivision.
- 16. PRD Transfer of Infrastructure Binding Element
 - Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions ("CCRs") shall be prepared by the developer to be submitted to and reviewed and approved by Planning Commission legal counsel, prior to recording of the subdivision's Record Plat, for consistency with any binding elements that mandate inclusion in the CCRs, as well as the inclusion of the following requirements: (a) all road, drainage, sanitary sewer, water, other necessary infrastructure and other required landscaping and facilities shall be installed by the developer prior to turn-over of maintenance responsibilities to the Home Owners Association ("HOA"); (b) any shared water meters and property service connections for sanitary sewers shall be the sole responsibility of the HOA; (c) any water, sewer and drainage facilities that cross lot lines shall be included in blanket easements for purposes of both lot owner and HOA access and maintenance; and (d) where attached residences are proposed, easements shall be provided to provide for incidental encroachments, property maintenance and repair.
- 17. All off-street parking areas shall be permanently and continually maintained in good condition and free from potholes, weeds, dirt, trash and other debris.