Planning Commission

Staff Report

April 20, 2023



Case No: 23-ZONE-0009

Project Name: Pickle + Social Louisville Location: 8100 Lyndon Park Lane

City of Lyndon Owner(s): City of Lyndon Applicant: Jurisdiction: City of Lyndon Council District: 7 - Paula McCraney

Dante St. Germain, AICP, Planner II Case Manager:

REQUESTS

• Change in zoning from C-N Neighborhood Commercial to C-2 Commercial

Variance from Table 5.3.2 to permit a non-residential parking to encroach into the required 50' setback from residential uses (23-VARIANCE-0027)

Waivers:

#1: from 10.2.4 to permit encroachment into the required property perimeter Landscape Buffer Area (LBA), to waive required plantings and screening in a portion of the area of encroachment, and to permit more than 50% overlap of a drainage easement with a required LBA (23-WAIVER-0036)

#2: from 5.9.2 to omit required vehicular and pedestrian connections between abutting nonresidential uses (23-WAIVER-0037)

Revised Detailed District Development Plan with Binding Elements

CASE SUMMARY/BACKGROUND

The subject site is located north of the intersection of Lyndon Lane with La Grange Road, and consists of one parcel developed with parking. The applicant proposes to rezone the site in order to construct a mixed retail/restaurant/pickleball court development.

The vicinity of the site is mixed-use, with commercial, residential, industrial and institutional uses located nearby. A public park, Robinson Park, is located to the rear of the site.

The property was rezoned previously in 1994 to C-N for a mixed office and commercial center. The development plan was not constructed. The plan was revised in 1999 to reduce the square footage proposed. This plan was also not constructed. A revised detailed district development plan was approved in 2004 for a site plan which was similar to the one approved in 1999. This plan was not constructed. A revised detailed district development plan was approved in 2007 under docket 9583 for a similar plan, which has also not been constructed.

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 Lyndon)

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. The proposed form district/rezoning change complies with the applicable guidelines and policies Plan 2040: **OR**
- 2. The existing form district/zoning classification is inappropriate and the proposed classification is appropriate; **OR**
- 3. There have been major changes of an economic, physical, or social nature within the area 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 Neighborhood Form District

The Neighborhood Form is characterized by predominantly residential uses that vary from low to high density and that blend compatibly into the existing landscape and neighborhood areas. High-density uses will be limited in scope to minor or major arterials and to areas that have limited impact on the low to moderate density residential areas.

The Neighborhood Form will contain diverse housing types in order to provide housing choice for differing ages, incomes and abilities. New neighborhoods are encouraged to incorporate these different housing types within a neighborhood as long as the different types are designed to be compatible with nearby land uses. These types may include, but not be limited to, large lot single family developments with cul-de-sacs, traditional neighborhoods with short blocks or walkways in the middle of long blocks to connect with other streets, villages and zero-lot line neighborhoods with open space, and high density multi-family housing.

The Neighborhood Form may contain open space and, at appropriate locations, civic uses and neighborhood centers with a mixture of uses such as offices, retail shops, restaurants and services. These neighborhood centers should be at a scale that is appropriate for nearby neighborhoods. The Neighborhood Form should provide for accessibility and connectivity between adjacent uses and neighborhoods by automobile, pedestrian, bicycle and transit.

Neighborhood streets may be either curvilinear, rectilinear or in a grid pattern and should be designed to support physical activity for all users and invite human interaction. Streets are connected and easily accessible to each other, using design elements such as short blocks or bike/walkways in the middle of long blocks to connect with other streets. Examples of design elements that encourage this interaction include narrow street widths, street trees, sidewalks, shaded seating/gathering areas and bus stops. Placement of utilities should permit the planting of shade trees along both sides of the streets.

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

The requested C-2 zoning is appropriate for the site, as the neighborhood of the site is generally mixed-use and mixed-zoning. The most affected residential property is located to the south-east of the site and a privacy fence is being provided at that location. The site is otherwise generally surrounded by non-residential zoning and uses. It is already zoned for lower-intensity non-residential uses, and the step up in intensity represented by the proposed zoning would not adversely impact adjacent uses.

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 Lyndon regarding the appropriateness of this zoning map amendment. The City of Lyndon has zoning authority over the property in question.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR VARIANCE FROM TABLE 5.3.2

- (a) The requested variance will not adversely affect the public health, safety or welfare.
 - STAFF: The requested variance will not adversely affect the public health, safety or welfare, because the most affected property will have a fence separating the property from the site.
- (b) The requested variance will not alter the essential character of the general vicinity.
 - STAFF: The requested variance will not alter the essential character of the general vicinity as the proposed parking within the required setback will likely not be readily visible from the right-of-way.
- (c) The requested variance will not cause a hazard or nuisance to the public.
 - STAFF: The requested variance will not cause a hazard or nuisance to the public because the proposed parking will be screened from the adjoining residential use.
- (d) The requested variance will not allow an unreasonable circumvention of the zoning regulations.
 - STAFF: The requested variance will not allow an unreasonable circumvention of the zoning regulations the parking in the required setback is needed to utilize the site.

ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS:

a. The requested variance arises from special circumstances which do not generally apply to land in the general vicinity or in the same zone.

STAFF: The requested variance arises from special circumstances which do generally apply to land in the general vicinity or the same zone because, although the property is regular in shape, it is proposed to be used for pickleball courts, requiring adequate parking.

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- b. The strict application of the provisions of the regulation would deprive the applicant of reasonable use of the land or would create an unnecessary hardship on the applicant.
 - STAFF: The strict application of the provisions of the regulation would create an unnecessary hardship on the applicant as the provision of the full width of the required setback would preclude adequate parking.
- c. <u>Such special circumstances are not the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption of the zoning regulations.</u>

STAFF: The circumstances are not the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption of the zoning regulation from which relief is sought as the parking has not been constructed and the applicant is requesting the variance.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR WAIVER OF SECTION 10.2.4

- (a) The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners; and
 - STAFF: The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners as the most affected residential property is not continuously occupied.
- (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 encourages appropriate buffering and transitions between uses that are significantly different in density or intensity. The most affected residential property is not continuously occupied.
- (c) The extent of the waiver of the regulation is the minimum necessary to afford relief to the applicant; and
 - STAFF: The extent of the waiver of the regulation is the minimum necessary to afford relief to the applicant as the subject site is relatively narrow and the full provision of the required LBAs outside the easements would severely impact the feasibility of developing the site.
- (d) Either:
 - (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 because provision of the full required LBAs would make the developable portion of the site too narrow to adequately use.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR WAIVER OF SECTION 5.9.2

(a) The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners; and

STAFF: The waiver will not adversely affect adjacent property owners as the most affected properties do not have adequate connectivity to the site to make the required connections

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function. Connection is being provided to the property to the north-west which will be developed as part of the park.

(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 encourages connectivity to reduce the number of vehicular trips. Connecting the adjoining non-residential, non-park uses is unlikely to reduce the number of vehicular trips to any appreciable degree.

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

STAFF: The extent of the waiver of the regulation is the minimum necessary to afford relief to the applicant as providing the required connections would severely impact the site design while not affording any benefit to the public.

- (d) Either:
 - (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 because provision of the connections would impact the site design to a high degree without providing any public benefit.

STANDARD OF REVIEW AND STAFF ANALYSIS FOR DDDP

- (a) The conservation of natural resources on the property proposed for development, including: trees and other living vegetation, steep slopes, water courses, flood plains, soils, air quality, scenic views, and historic sites;
 - STAFF: No natural resources are evident on the site. The site is currently developed with a parking lot.
- (b) The provisions for safe and efficient vehicular and pedestrian transportation both within the development and the community;
 - 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) The provision of sufficient open space (scenic and recreational) to meet the needs of the proposed development;
 - STAFF: No open space requirements are pertinent to the request.
- (d) 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;

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- 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) The compatibility of the overall site design (location of buildings, parking lots, screening, landscaping) and land use or uses with the existing and projected future development of the area;
 - STAFF: The overall site design is compatible with existing and projected future development of the area. The site will be developed at an appropriate intensity and scale for the form district and the area.
- (f) Conformance of the development plan with the Comprehensive Plan and Land Development
 Code. Revised plan certain development plans shall be evaluated for conformance with the nonresidential and mixed-use intent of the form districts and comprehensive plan.

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

REQUIRED ACTIONS

- RECOMMEND that the City of Lyndon APPROVE or DENY the Change-in-Zoning from C-N to C-2
- APPROVE or DENY the Variance
- RECOMMEND that the City of Lyndon APPROVE or DENY the Waivers
- RECOMMEND that the City of Lyndon APPROVE or DENY the Revised Detailed District Development Plan with Binding Elements

NOTIFICATION

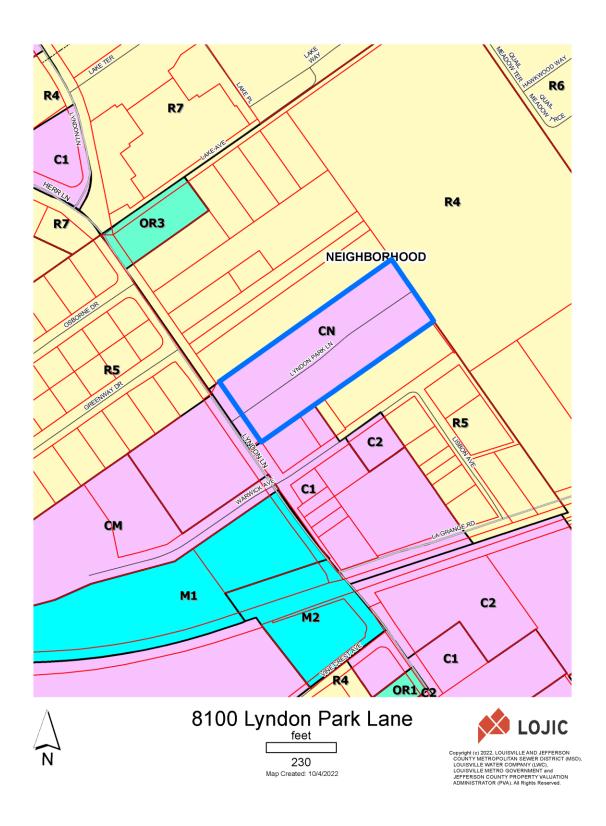
Date	Purpose of Notice	Recipients		
03/09/2023 Register 04/05/2023 Hearing before PC 1st and Register 03/27/2023 Hearing before PC Sign Pc		1 st and 2 nd tier adjoining property owners and current residents Registered Neighborhood Groups in Council District 7		
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		Sign Posting on property		
		Legal Advertisement in the Courier-Journal		

ATTACHMENTS

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

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1. Zoning Map



2. Aerial Photograph



3. Staff Plan 2040 Checklist

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

Neighborhood: Non-Residential

#	Plan 2040 Plan Element	Land Use & Development Policy	Staff Finding	Staff Analysis
1	Community Form: Goal 1	6. Discourage non-residential expansion into existing residential areas unless applicant can demonstrate that any adverse impact on residential uses will be mitigated. Evaluation of impacts may include, but not be limited to, displacement of residents, loss of affordable housing units, traffic, parking, signs, lighting, noise, odor, and stormwater. Appropriate transitions from non-residential to residential uses should depend on the pattern of development of the Form District and may include natural vegetative buffers, landscaping or the use of higher density residential and/or non-residential.	√	The proposal would not constitute a non-residential expansion into a residential area. The site is already zoned C-N and has been proposed for non-residential uses in the past.
2	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 site is located on Lyndon Lane, a minor arterial and transit corridor at this location.
3	Community Form: Goal 1	8. Encourage industries to locate in workplace Form Districts or in areas readily served by infrastructure and transportation facilities, including transit, rather than isolated industrial sites.	NA	The proposal is not for industrial zoning.
4	Community Form: Goal 1	15. When reviewing proposals for siting hazardous uses and uses with air, noise and light emissions, ensure disadvantaged populations are not disproportionally impacted.	√	The proposed zoning district would not permit hazardous uses. Uses with air, noise and light emissions must comply with LMCO and LDC restrictions.

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5	Community Form: Goal 1	16. Consider impacts on human health, quality of life and the environment including prevailing meteorological conditions and the potential to transport noxious odors, particulates and emissions when reviewing new developments and redevelopments. Special attention should be paid to air and water quality when residences, schools, parks or vulnerable populations will be impacted. Mitigate impacts to areas that are disproportionally affected.	✓	The proposed zoning district would not permit noxious odors, particulates or emissions.
6	Community Form: Goal 1	17. Mitigate adverse impacts of traffic from proposed development on nearby existing communities.	√	Access to the site is via Lyndon Lane, a minor arterial at this location.
7	Community Form: Goal 1	18. Mitigate adverse impacts of noise from proposed development on existing communities.	✓	No adverse impacts from noise on existing communities are anticipated.
8	Community Form: Goal 1	21. Require that industries which handle hazardous or flammable materials or are potentially offensive such as junkyards, landfills and quarries are sited to protect public health, safety and welfare and are located away from residential areas and population centers.	NA	The proposed zoning district would not permit uses handling hazardous or flammable materials, or uses similar to junkyards, landfills or quarries.
9	Community Form: Goal 2	1. Locate activity centers in appropriate areas in all Form Districts. Design and density should be compatible with desired form, adjacent uses, and existing and planned infrastructure.	✓	The site is located on the edge of an existing activity center.
10	Community Form: Goal 2	4. Allow non-residential development within the Neighborhood, Traditional Neighborhood and Village Form Districts to occur only at locations with appropriate access and connectivity.	✓	The site has appropriate access and connectivity.
11	Community Form: Goal 2	5. Locate retail commercial development in activity centers where it can be demonstrated that sufficient population exists or is anticipated to support it.	✓	The site is located along Lyndon Lane, a commercial corridor and minor arterial at this location. The site is located on the edge of an existing activity center.
12	Community Form: Goal 2	6. Encourage a more compact development pattern in activity centers that result in efficient land use and cost-effective infrastructure investment.	✓	The proposed zoning district would permit a more compact pattern of development in an activity center.

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13	Community Form: Goal 2	7. Encourage activity centers to include a mixture of compatible land uses in order to reduce traffic congestion by requiring fewer trips, support and enhance alternative modes of travel, and encourage vitality and a sense of place.	√	The proposed zoning district would permit a mixture of compatible land uses in an existing center.
14	Community Form: Goal 2	8. Encourage residential land uses in designated centers. Encourage residential and office uses above retail and other mixed-use multi-story retail buildings.	√	The proposed zoning district would permit residential uses above retail.
15	Community Form: Goal 2	9. Encourage new developments and rehabilitation of buildings that provide commercial, office and/or residential uses.	✓	The proposal would provide new development providing commercial uses.
16	Community Form: Goal 2	10. Encourage outlot development in underutilized parking lots of existing development to promote utilization of existing infrastructure provided specific criteria for elements such as location, scale, signs, parking, lighting, and landscaping are met. Outlot development shall encourage street-level retail with residential units above.	✓	No underutilized parking lots are proposed.
17	Community Form: Goal 2	11. Ensure appropriate placement, design and scale of centers in Traditional Neighborhood, Neighborhood and Village Form Districts to ensure compatibility with nearby residences.	✓	The site is located on the edge of an existing activity center.
18	Community Form: Goal 3	9. Encourage development that respects the natural features of the site through sensitive site design, avoids substantial changes to the topography, and minimizes property damage and environmental degradation resulting from disturbance of natural systems.	√	No natural features are evident on the site.
19	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.

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20	Community Form: Goal 3	11. Encourage land uses within the Ohio River Corridor that are appropriate for and related to river corridor activities and that are consistent with the goals and objectives of the Ohio River Corridor Master Plan. Reserve appropriate riverfront sites such as the Upper River Road industrial area for river-related development. Allow development of commercial leisure businesses related to the river, such as boating services and restaurants in appropriate locations. Encourage new development in the Ohio River corridor and along key greenway and street connections to provide for public access in new riverfront development and to maintain views of the river from public rights-of-way.	NA	The site is not located in the Ohio River Corridor.
21	Community Form: Goal 3	12. When reviewing proposed developments consider changes to flood-prone areas and other features vulnerable to natural disasters such as sinkholes and landslides. Ensure appropriate measures to protect health, safety and welfare of future users of the development.	NA	The site is not located in the floodplain.
22	Community Form: Goal 4	1. Preserve buildings, sites, districts and landscapes that are recognized as having historic or architectural value and ensure that new land uses are compatible in height, massing, scale, architecture style and placement when located within the impact area of such resources.	NA	No historic assets are evident on the site.
23	Community Form: Goal 4	2. Encourage preservation of distinctive cultural features including landscapes, natural elements and built features.	NA	No distinctive cultural features are evident on the site.
24	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 site is located on the edge of an existing activity center at the intersection of Lyndon Lane and La Grange Road.
25	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 site is via Lyndon Lane, a minor arterial at this location.

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26	Mobility: Goal 3	1. Encourage a mix of complementary neighborhood serving businesses and services in neighborhood and village centers to encourage short trips easily made by walking or bicycling.	√	The proposed zoning district would permit a mix of complementary neighborhood serving businesses and services in an existing center.
27	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, pedestrians and people with disabilities.
28	Mobility: Goal 3	3. Evaluate developments for their ability to promote public transit and pedestrian use. Encourage higher density mixeduse developments that reduce the need for multiple automobile trips as a means of achieving air quality standards and providing transportation and housing choices.	√	The proposal would permit higher-density mixed-use developments that reduce the need for multiple automobile trips.
		4. Encourage development of walkable centers to connect different modes of travel. Siting of these multi-modal centers shall consider the effects of the following: 4.1. nodal connections identified		
29	Mobility: Goal 3	by Move Louisville; 4.2. impact on freight routes; 4.3. time of operation of facilities; 4.4. safety; 4.5. appropriate linkages between neighborhoods and	✓	Transportation Planning has approved the proposal.
		employment; and4.6. the potential for reducing travel times and vehicle miles traveled.		
30	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.
31	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.

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32	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.
33	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.
34	Community Facilities: Goal 2	1. Locate development in areas served by existing utilities or capable of being served by public or private utility extensions.	✓	The relevant utilities have approved the proposal.
35	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.
36	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.
37	Economic Development: Goal 1	2. Encourage industries, to the extent possible, to locate in industrial subdivisions or adjacent to an existing industry to take advantage of special infrastructure needs.	NA	The proposal is not for industrial zoning.
38	Economic Development: Goal 1	3. Locate commercial uses generating high volumes of traffic on a major arterial street, at the intersection of two minor arterials, or at a location with adequate access to a major arterial and at locations where nuisances and activities of the proposed use will not adversely affect adjacent areas.	√	The site is located on Lyndon Lane, a minor arterial at this location.

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39	Economic Development: Goal 1	4. Utilize industrial sites near the airport and the Ohio River to support the growth and development of uses whose infrastructure and production needs require such a location or for land uses that support airport-oriented or river-oriented industrial uses.	NA	The proposal is not for industrial zoning. The site is not located near the airport or the Ohio River.
40	Economic Development: Goal 1	5. Require industrial developments to locate with the appropriate transportation connectivity, near an arterial street or within existing industrial subdivisions.	NA	The proposal is not for industrial zoning.
41	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.	✓	No karst features are evident on the site.
42	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.	NA	The site is not located in the floodplain.
43	Livability: Goal 1	24. Ensure, to the extent feasible, that critical facilities and those that store or use hazardous wastes are located outside the regulatory floodplain. Where essential community facilities must be located within a floodplain (e.g., pumping stations), ensure that these facilities are designed, located and operated in a manner that minimizes loss of services during flood events as well as limits, to the extent possible, floodplain disturbance.	NA	The site is not located in the floodplain.
44	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 permitting additional commercial options at the edge of an existing centr.

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45	Housing: Goal 2	1. Encourage inter-generational, mixed-income and mixed-use development that is connected to the neighborhood and surrounding area.	√	The proposed zoning district would permit inter-generational mixed-income and mixed-use development.
46	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 proposal would permit housing to be in proximity to an activity center.
47	Housing: Goal 3	2. As neighborhoods evolve, discourage displacement of existing residents from their community.	√	No existing residents will be displaced by the proposal.
48	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. Existing Binding Elements

- 1. The development shall be in accordance with the approved district development plan and agreed upon binding elements unless amended pursuant to the Zoning District Regulations. Any changes/additions/alterations of any binding element(s) shall be submitted to the Planning Commission or the Planning Commission and to the City of Lyndon for review and approval; any changes/additions/alterations not so referred shall not be valid.
- 2. There shall be no medical office or other uses requiring a parking ratio greater than one space per 400 square feet of floor area unless the applicant, property owner, or developer provides documentation for the DPDS file that parking can meet the requirement of the proposed use.
- 3. The development shall not exceed 26,400 square feet of gross floor area for office use, 19,284 square feet of retail and 4,300 square feet of restaurant.
- 4. The only permitted freestanding sign shall be a monument style sign, located as shown on the approved development plan/sign plan. No portion of the sign, including the leading edge of the sign frame, shall be closer than five feet to front property line. The sign shall not exceed 26 square feet in area per side and 4 feet in height. No sign shall have more than two sides.
- 5. No outdoor advertising signs, small freestanding signs, pennants, balloons, or banners shall be permitted on the site.

- 6. Outdoor lighting shall be directed down and away from surrounding residential properties. Lighting fixtures shall have a 90 degree cutoff and height of the light standard shall be set so that no light source is visible off-site.
- 7. Construction fencing shall be erected 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 area.
- 8. Before any permit (including but not limited to building, parking lot, change of use, or alteration permit) is requested:
 - a. The development plan must receive full construction approval from the Jefferson County Department of Public Works and Transportation (400 Fiscal Court Building) and the Metropolitan Sewer District (700 West Liberty).
 - b. Encroachment permits must be obtained from the Kentucky Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways.
 - c. The appropriate variances shall be obtained from the Board of Zoning Adjustment to allow the development as shown on the approved district development plan.
 - d. The property owner/developer must obtain approval of a detailed plan for screening (buffering/landscaping) as described in Article 12 (and in conformance with the Parkway Policy) prior to requesting a building permit. Such plan shall be implemented prior to occupancy of the site and shall be maintained thereafter.
- 9. If a building permit is not issued within one year of the date of approval of the plan, the property shall not be used in any manner unless a revised district development plan is approved or an extension is granted by the Planning Commission.
- 10. 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.
- 11. There shall be no outdoor music (live, piped, radio or amplified) or outdoor entertainment or outdoor PA system permitted on the site.
- 12. 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.
- 13. If work is required within the easements causing removal or damage of landscape materials, the property owner shall be responsible for replacement of materials according to the approved landscape plan.

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- 14. The property owner shall provide a cross over access easement if the property to the north is ever developed for a nonresidential use. A copy of the signed easement agreement shall be provided to Planning Commission staff upon request.
- 15. The dumpster shall not be emptied between the hours of midnight and 6 A.M.

5. Proposed Binding Elements

- The development shall be in accordance with the approved district development plan, all
 applicable sections of the Land Development Code (LDC) and agreed upon binding elements
 unless amended pursuant to the Land Development Code. Any changes/additions/alterations of
 any binding element(s) shall be submitted to the Planning Commission or the Planning
 Commission's designee for review and approval; any changes/additions/alterations not so
 referred shall not be valid.
- 2. No outdoor advertising signs, small freestanding signs, pennants, balloons, or banners shall be permitted on the site.
- 3. Construction fencing shall be erected 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 area.
- 4. Before any permit (including but not limited to building, parking lot, change of use, site disturbance, alteration permit or demolition permit) is requested:
 - a. The development plan must receive full construction approval from Construction Review, Louisville Metro Public Works and the Metropolitan Sewer District.
 - b. Encroachment permits shall be obtained from the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet for any work in the Lyndon Lane right-of-way.
 - c. The property owner/developer must obtain approval of a detailed plan for screening (buffering/landscaping) as described in Chapter 10 prior to requesting a certificate of occupancy. Such plan shall be implemented prior to occupancy of the site and shall be maintained thereafter. Screening along the Holderer property line (8109 Warwick Avenue) shall be achieved with a vinyl fence at a height required by the City of Lyndon Land Development Code.
 - d. The materials and design of proposed structures shall be substantially the same as depicted in the rendering as presented at the April 20, 2023 Planning Commission hearing. A copy of the approved rendering is available in the case file on record in the offices of the Louisville Metro Planning Commission.
- 5. There shall be no outdoor music (live, piped, radio or amplified) or outdoor entertainment or outdoor PA system audible beyond the property line.
- 6. No idling of trucks shall take place within 200 feet of residential structures. No overnight idling of trucks shall be permitted on-site.
- 7. 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.

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- 8. 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.
- 9. Allowed hours of operation for the pickleball courts shall be 6 AM to midnight, and the facility, including restaurant, shall not be open later than allowed by the issued ABC license.