# 17DEVPLAN1197 320 Roy Wilkins Ave./9<sup>th</sup> Street





Louisville Metro Board of Zoning Adjustment Public Hearing

Ross Allen, Planner I June 18, 2018

#### Requests

- Re-Approval of a Category 3 Development Plan for the proposed mixed-use 4 story 111,857 s.f. of the Beecher Terrace Lifelong Wellness Building Phase I as associated with the Vision Russell Transformation Plan.
- Minor Changes which have not impacted any previously approved variances or waivers as associated with the Category 3 Review.
- 17DEVPLAN1197 was approved by BOZA on Dec. 18, 2018.



#### Previously Approved Variances

- VARIANCE #1: from LDC Section 5.2.1.C.2 to not provide/maintain a street wall, at least 3 stories in height, for the lengths of the lot frontage(s) as found along Liberty Street (proposed), South 10<sup>th</sup> Street, and Roy Wilkins Ave./9<sup>th</sup> Street.
- VARIANCE #2: from LDC Section 5.2.1.C.3 to allow the proposed building setback to exceed 15 feet as measured from the right of way along Fisk Court and South 10<sup>th</sup> Street.
- VARIANCE #3: from LDC Section 5.2.1.C.6 to allow a corner lot within the Downtown Form District to not maintain a zero foot setback from the street wall for at least 50 feet from the intersection along each street, or the width of the lot, whichever is less.



## Previously Approved Waivers

- WAIVER #1: from LDC Section 5.5.1.B.1.a.ii to allow surface parking to not be located completely behind all principal structures as found along Fisk Court.
- WAIVER #2: from LDC 5.8.1.C.1.b to not provide sidewalks at least 84 inches wide and not being constructed from the building façade to the face or the curb along Fisk Court (proposed), Liberty Street (proposed), South 10<sup>th</sup> Street, and Roy Wilkins Ave./9<sup>th</sup> Street.



# Case Summary / Background

- January 16, 2015 the Louisville Metro Housing Authority (LMHA) awarded \$425,000 Choice Neighborhoods planning grant from the U.S. HUD for the Beecher Terrace public housing development and the Russell Neighborhood.
- Louisville Metro Government, has contributed more than \$500,000 to the project.
- Phase I: proposed 111,357 s.f. (<u>BOZA approved on Dec. 18, 2017</u>);
   4 story building located on tract 2 of associated case no.
   17RECORDPLAT1025
- Proposed building, Beecher Terrace Lifelong Wellness Building, residential multi-family on a C-2 zoned tract within the Downtown Form District.



# Case Summary / Background

- Applicant has proposed minor changes which do not impact any of the previously approved variances or waivers.
- The proposed structure will increase by approximately 500 s.f. from 111,357 s.f. to 111,857 s.f., decrease in the number of dwellings from 120 to 117 (decrease in the Dwellings per acre from 63.5 to 61.9 dwellings per acre).
- The Vehicular Use Area has been decreased from 20,377 s.f. to 19,965 s.f. while increasing on-site parking spaces from 35 to 43 spaces.
- The previously approved plan included a pool and 1 story pool house which has been removed from the previously approved development plan.
- The area where the pool existed will be changed to a concrete patio area with a pergola, benches, and tables.



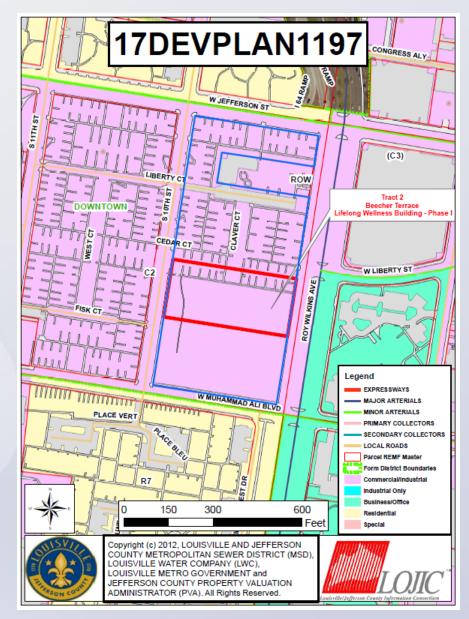
#### Zoning/Form Districts

#### **Subject Property:**

- Existing: C-2/Downtown
- Proposed: C-2/Downtown

#### **Adjacent Properties:**

- North: C-2/Downtown
- South: C-2/Downtown
- East: C-2 and OR-3 / Downtown
- West: C-2/Downtown





#### Aerial Photo/Land Use

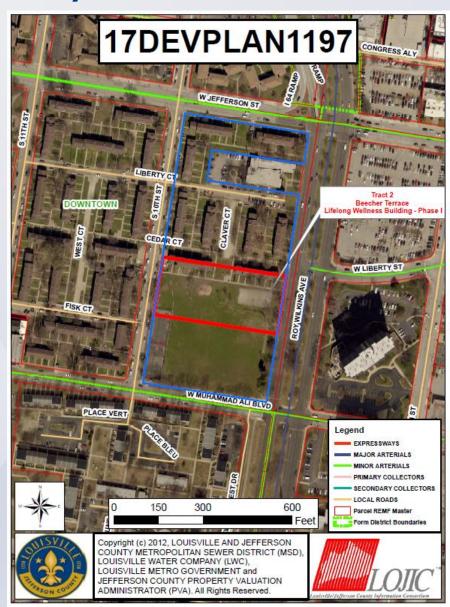
#### **Subject Property:**

- Existing: Multi-family Residential
- Proposed: Multi-family Residential

#### **Adjacent Properties:**

- North: Multi-family
   Residential/Public and Semi Public (Mini-Versity Child
   Development Center)
- South: Multi-family Residential
- East: Multi-family Residential/Office -Residential District
- West: Multi-family Residential









Looking from South 10<sup>th</sup> Street East towards LMHA Office and senior living building across South 9<sup>th</sup> Street. (Photo courtesy of Beth Jones and Zach Schwager)



Looking north on south 10<sup>th</sup> Street. Phase 1-Louisvillen tract 2 is to the right in the photo.

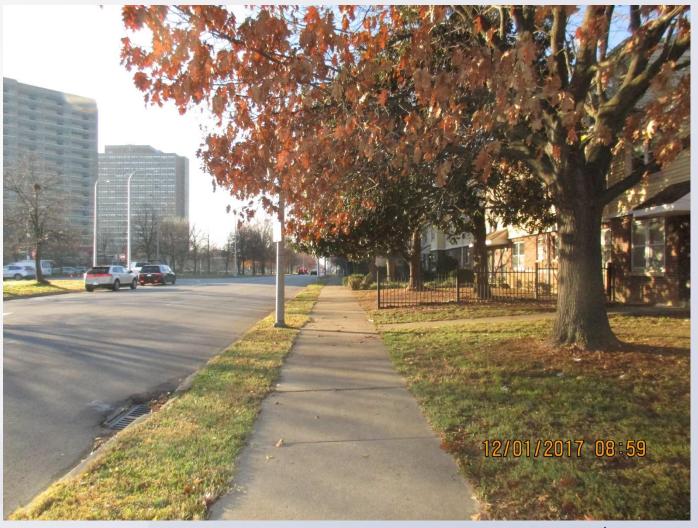


Looking northeast towards the subject property.

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Looking west down Liberty Court north of the subject site. Mini-Versity Child Care is to the right in the photo.



Looking south down Roy Wilkins Ave./South 9<sup>th</sup> Street.

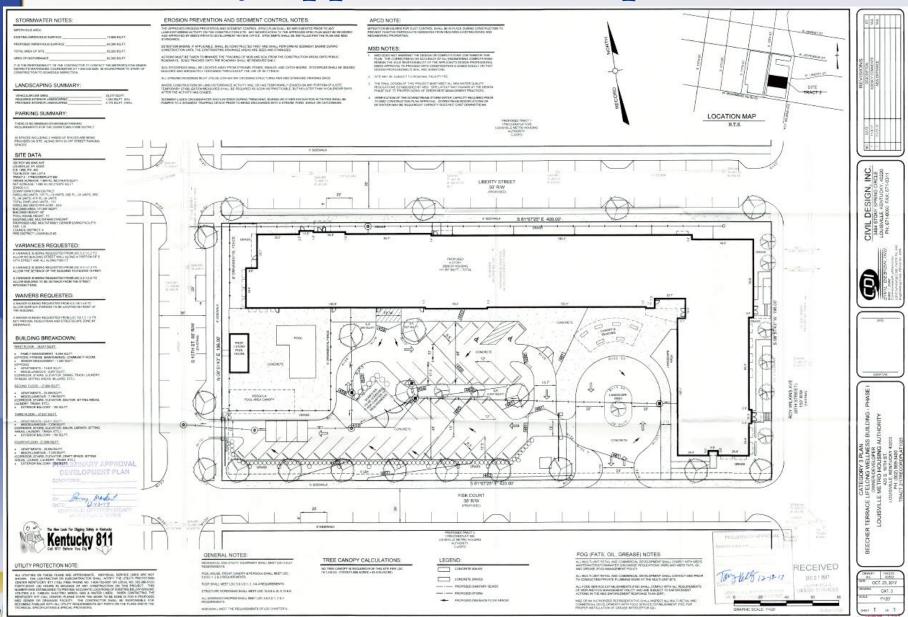
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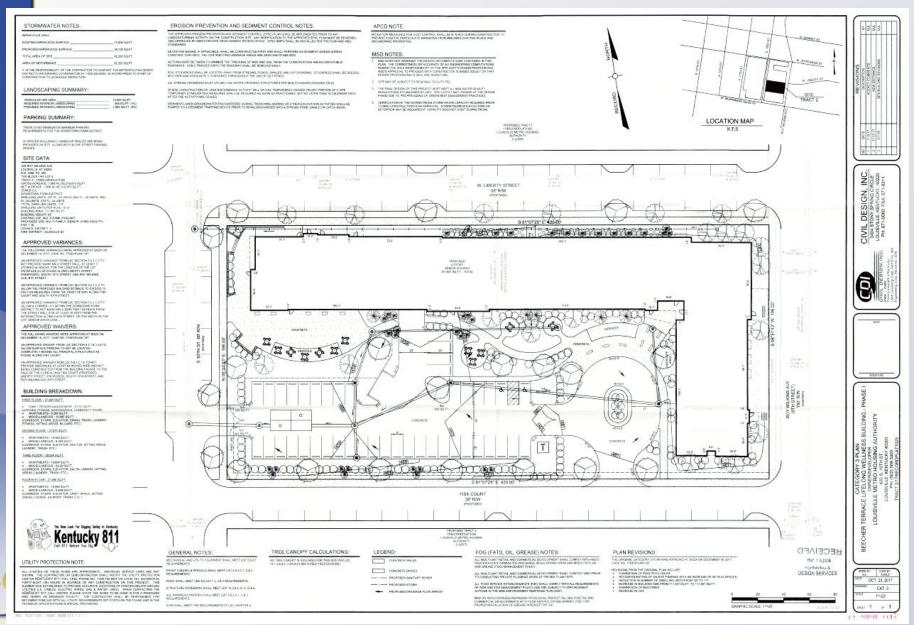


An example of the existing structures as found on the subject site.

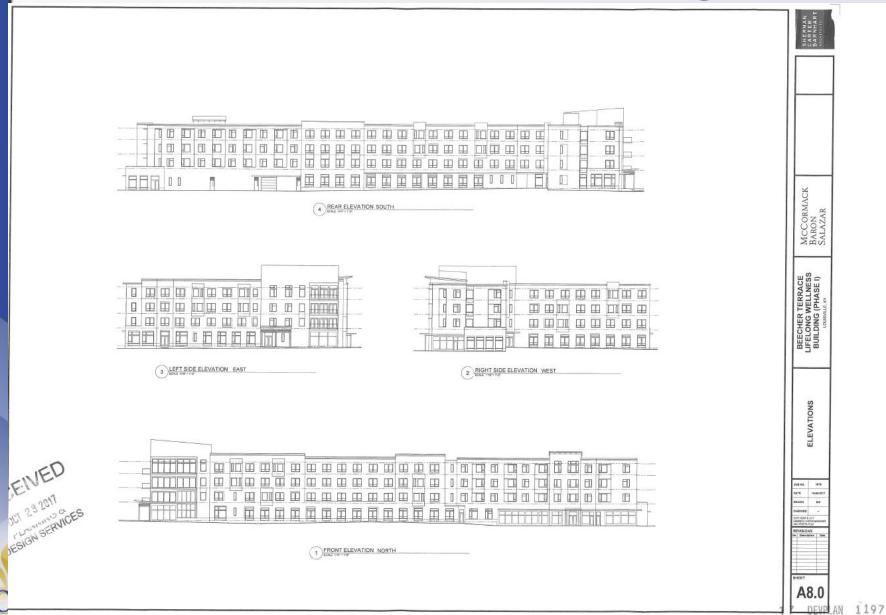
#### Previously Approved Development Plan



#### Current Development Plan



## Elevations/Renderings



## Conceptual Site Design

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#### **BEECHER CONCEPTUAL SITE PLAN**



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#### **Conclusions**

- The Beecher Terrace Lifelong Wellness Building Phase
   I proposal is the first development as integrated into the larger Vision Russell Transformation Plan.
- Determine if the minor changes meet the standards of review for the Re-approval of the Cat 3 Development proposal for a 4 story, 111,857 sf. Beecher Terrace Lifelong Wellness Building.



#### Required Actions

- Re-Approve the Category 3 Development Plan for the proposed mixed-use 4 story 111,857 s.f. of the Beecher Terrace Lifelong Wellness Building Phase I as associated with the Vision Russell Transformation Plan.
- Minor Changes which have not impacted any previously approved variances or waivers as associated with the Category 3 Review.
- Re-approve or Deny the proposed changes as made the Case no. 17DEVPLAN1197 with exterior changes to the layout and design of parking and the removal of a pool and pool house.

