



Department of Planning & Community & Economic Development

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**\*\*BY E-MAIL ONLY\*\***

June 9, 2021

Christopher Gosch  
Populance, LLC.  
230 S Hamilton Street  
Madison, WI 53703

RE: Legistar ID: 64805 | Accela ID: LNDUSE-2021-00031 -- Approval of a demolition permit to demolish a single-family residence and construct a mixed-use building with 195 square feet of commercial space and four live/work units (condominiums) at 216 S. Hamilton Street.

Dear Christopher Gosch;

At its June 7, 2021 meeting, the Plan Commission found the standards met and **conditionally approved** your demolition permit for 216 S. Hamilton Street. The conditions of approval in the following sections shall be satisfied prior to issuance of permits for the project.

**Please contact Timothy Troester of the City Engineering Division–Main Office at (608) 267-1995 if you have any questions regarding the following fifteen (15) items:**

1. All roof discharges shall be connected directly to storm sewer available in Hamilton.
2. Enter into a City / Developer agreement for the required infrastructure improvements. Agreement to be executed prior to sign off. Allow 4-6 weeks to obtain agreement. Contact City Engineering to schedule the development and approval of the plans and the agreement. (MGO 16.23(9)c)
3. Construct sidewalk, terrace, curb & gutter and pavement to a plan and profile as approved by City Engineer
4. Madison Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD) charges are due and payable prior to Engineering sign-off, unless otherwise collected with a Developer's / Subdivision Contract. Contact Mark Moder (608-261-9250) to obtain the final MMSD billing a minimum of two (2) working days prior to requesting City Engineering signoff. (MGO 16.23(9)(d)(4))
5. Obtain a permanent sewer plug permit for each existing sanitary sewer lateral serving a property that is not to be reused and a temporary sewer plug permit for each sewer lateral that is to be reused by the development. The procedures and fee schedule is available online at <http://www.cityofmadison.com/engineering/permits.cfm>. (MGO CH 35.02(14))

6. An Erosion Control Permit is required for this project. See Storm comments for permit specific details and requirements.
7. This site appears to disturb less than one (1) acre of land. No submittal to the WDNR, CARPC or Department of Safety and Professional Services (DPS) is required as the City of Madison Building Inspection Department is an approved agent for DPS.
8. Revise the site plan to show all existing public sanitary sewer facilities in the project area as well as the size, invert elevation, and alignment of the proposed service. (POLICY)
9. Revise the plans to show a proposed private internal drainage system on the site. Include the depths and locations of structures and the type of pipe to be used. (POLICY AND MGO 10.29)
10. Revise plan to show the location of all rain gutter down spout discharge locations. (POLICY)
11. This project falls in the area subject to increased erosion control enforcement as authorized by the fact that it is in a TMDL ZONE and therefore will be regulated to meet a higher standard.
12. This project will disturb 4,000 sf or more of land area and require an Erosion Control Permit. Submit the Erosion Control Permit Application (with USLE calculations and associated fee) to Megan Eberhardt (west) at [meberhardt@cityofmadison.com](mailto:meberhardt@cityofmadison.com), or Daniel Olivares (east) at [daolivares@cityofmadison.com](mailto:daolivares@cityofmadison.com), for approval. The permit application can be found on City Engineering's website at <http://www.cityofmadison.com/engineering/Permits.cfm>.

This project will require a concrete management plan and a construction dewatering plan as part of the erosion control plan to be reviewed and approved by the City Engineer's Office. If contaminated soil or groundwater conditions exist on or adjacent to this project additional WDNR, Public Health, and/or City Engineering approvals may be required prior to the issuance of the required Erosion Control Permit. (POLICY)

This project appears to require fire system testing that can result in significant amounts of water to be discharged to the project grade. The Contractor shall coordinate this testing with the erosion control measures and notify City Engineering 608-266-4751 prior to completing the test to document that appropriate measures have been taken to prevent erosion as a result of this testing.

13. Submit, prior to plan sign-off but after all revisions have been completed, a digital CAD file (single file) to the Engineering Division that is to scale and represents final construction with any private storm and sanitary sewer utilities.
14. Submit, prior to plan sign-off but after all revisions have been completed, digital PDF files to the Engineering Division. Email PDF file transmissions are preferred to: [bstanley@cityofmadison.com](mailto:bstanley@cityofmadison.com) (East) or [troester@cityofmadison.com](mailto:troester@cityofmadison.com) (West).
15. This site and the adjacent parcels are dependent on each other for overland storm water drainage. A private Drainage Easement/Agreement for all adjacent parcels to this development shall be drafted, executed and recorded prior to building permit issuance.

**Please contact Jeff Quamme of the City Engineering Division–Mapping Section, at (608) 266-4097 if you have questions regarding the following five (5) items:**

16. The proposed new building crosses an underlying platted lot line. Prepare a Certified Survey Map (CSM) and submit to the Planning Unit to dissolve underlying lot lines to comply with fire codes, City Ordinances and City Policies. The CSM shall be approved by the City, recorded with the Dane County Register of Deeds and new Tax Parcel information available prior to issuance of a building permit.
17. The document on Sheet C0.01-A cited as the recorded Access Driveway Easement is incorrect. Engineering Mapping is aware of two easements that exist as Document No's 999942 and 1560977. They shall be listed and noted accordingly on the existing Overall Site Plan.
18. This site and adjacent parcels are dependent on each other for overland storm water drainage. A private Drainage Easement/Agreement between this site and the adjacent parcels shall be drafted, executed and recorded prior to building permit issuance.
19. The southerly property dimension of 92.88 is incorrect and shall be revised to be 46.5 feet.
20. The address of 216 S Hamilton St will be retired with the demolition of the existing building. Submit a Floor Plan in PDF format to Lori Zenchenko ([lzenchenko@cityofmadison.com](mailto:lzenchenko@cityofmadison.com)) that includes a floor plan for each floor on a separate sheet for the development of a complete addressing plan. The Addressing Plan for the entire project shall be finalized and approved by Engineering (with consultation and consent from the Fire Marshal if needed) prior to the application submittal of this LNDUSE for the final Site Plan Approval review with Zoning. The approved Addressing Plan shall be included in said application.

For any changes pertaining to the location, deletion or addition of a unit, or to the location of a unit entrance, (before, during, or after construction), a revised Address Plan shall be resubmitted to Lori Zenchenko to review addresses that may need to be changed and/or reapproved. Any revised Addressing Plans shall be submitted by the applicant to Zoning to be attached to the final filed approved site plans.

**Please contact Sean Malloy of the Traffic Engineering Division at (608) 266-5987 if you have any questions regarding the following eleven (11) items:**

21. The applicant shall submit one contiguous plan showing proposed conditions and one contiguous plan showing existing conditions for approval. The plan drawings shall be scaled to 1" = 20' and include the following, when applicable: existing and proposed property lines; parcel addresses; all easements; pavement markings; signing; building placement; items in the terrace such as signs, street light poles, hydrants; surface types such as asphalt, concrete, grass, sidewalk; driveway approaches, including those adjacent to and across street from the project lot location; parking stall dimensions, including two (2) feet of vehicle overhang; drive aisle dimensions; semitrailer movement and vehicle routes; dimensions of radii; and percent of slope.
22. The Developer shall post a security deposit prior to the start of development. In the event that modifications need to be made to any City owned and/or maintained traffic signals, street lighting, signing, pavement marking and conduit/handholes, the Developer shall reimburse the City for all associated costs including engineering, labor and materials for both temporary and permanent installations.

23. The City Traffic Engineer may require public signing and marking related to the development; the Developer shall be financially responsible for such signing and marking.
24. All parking facility design shall conform to MGO standards, as set in Section 10.08(6).
25. All bicycle parking adjacent pedestrian walkways shall have a 2 foot buffer zone to accommodate irregularly parked bicycles and/or bicycle trailers.
26. The applicant shall provide a clearly defined 5' walkway from the front door to the public Right of Way clear of all obstructions to assist citizens with disabilities, especially those who use a wheel chair or are visually impaired. Obstructions include but are not limited to tree grates, planters, benches, parked vehicle overhang, signage and doors that swing outward into walkway.
27. "Stop" signs shall be installed at a height of seven (7) feet from the bottom of the sign at all class III driveway approaches, including existing driveways, behind the property line and noted on the plan. All directional/regulatory signage and pavement markings on the site shall be shown and noted on the plan.
28. Secure parking facility. This is usually done with continuous six (6) inch curb, timbers, preformed wheel stops, guardrail erected at a height of eighteen (18) inches or fencing of sufficient strength to act as a vehicle bumper. An area of particular concern is the two parking stalls adjacent S. Hamilton Street.
29. Applicant shall submit for review a waste removal plan. This shall include vehicular turning movements.
30. Developer shall provide a recorded copy of any joint driveway ingress/egress and crossing easements and shall be noted on face of plan.
31. Note: This site presents difficult constructability issues; access to neighboring sites must be maintained at all times, protected walkways will be constructed and maintained as soon as possible and little to no access to the Public Right-of-Way on South Hamilton Street will be granted for construction purposes. Provide a detailed construction plan to Traffic Engineering for review by the Traffic Control Specialist (Mike Duhr) prior to final signoff.

**Please contact Jenny Kirchgatter of the Zoning Division at (608) 266-4429 if you have any questions regarding the following fourteen (14) items:**

32. The rear yard setback in the UMX district is a minimum of 10 feet. Increase the rear yard setback to a minimum of 10 feet along the west property line.
33. Reduce the use of composite siding and composite panels on the ground floor of the north, south, and west building facades. Wood and fiber cement panels shall not be used on the ground story except between the sidewalk and the bottom of storefront windows or as an accent material.
34. Eliminate the parking stalls located to the south side of the proposed building. Parking shall be located in parking structures, underground, or in surface parking lots behind principal buildings.

35. Section 28.185(7)(a)5. requires that if a demolition or removal permit is approved, it shall not be issued until the reuse and recycling plan is approved by the Recycling Coordinator, Bryan Johnson at [streets@cityofmadison.com](mailto:streets@cityofmadison.com). Every person who is required to submit a reuse and recycling plan pursuant to Section 28.185(7)(a)5. shall submit documents showing compliance with the plan within sixty (60) days of completion of demolition. A demolition or removal permit is valid for one (1) year from the date of the Plan Commission.
36. Provide a calculation and plan detail for lot coverage with the final submittal. The lot coverage maximum is 90%. Lot coverage is defined as the total area of all buildings, measured at grade, all accessory structures including pools, patios, etc., and all paved areas as a percentage of the total area of the lot, with the following exceptions: sidewalks or paved paths no wider than five (5) feet, pervious pavement, green roofs and decks. Identify the areas of pervious or permeable pavers on the plans and provide details of the pavers.
37. Parking requirements for persons with disabilities must comply with Section 28.141(4)(e). Final plans shall show the required van accessible stall. A van accessible stall is a minimum of 8 feet wide with an 8 foot wide striped access aisle. Show the required signage at the head of the stall.
38. Bicycle parking for the project shall comply with the requirements of Sections 28.141(4)(g) and 28.141(11). Provide a minimum of six (6) short-term bicycle parking stalls located in a convenient and visible area on a paved or pervious surface. Bicycle parking shall be located at least as close as the closest non-accessible automobile parking and within one hundred (100) feet of a principal entrance. Note: A bicycle stall is a minimum of two (2) feet by six (6) feet with a five (5) foot wide access area. Provide a detail of the proposed bike rack.
39. Submit a rooftop plan showing the location of any proposed rooftop mechanical equipment and screening. All rooftop equipment except for solar and wind equipment shall be screened from view from adjacent streets and public rights-of-way per Sections 28.071(3)(h) and 28.142(9)(d). Screens shall be of durable, permanent materials that are compatible with the primary building materials.
40. Provide details showing that the street-facing façade meets the door and window opening requirements of Section 28.071(3)(e). For street-facing facades with ground story non-residential uses, the ground story door and window openings shall comprise a minimum of fifty percent (50%) of the facade area. Upper story openings shall comprise a minimum of fifteen percent (15%) of the facade area per story.
41. Show the refuse disposal area on the site plan. All developments, except single family and two family developments, shall provide a refuse disposal area. If the refuse disposal area is located outside the building, it shall be screened on four (4) sides (including a gate for access) by a solid, commercial-grade wood fence, wall, or equivalent material with a minimum height of six (6) feet and not greater than eight (8) feet. Submit a detail of the trash enclosure if provided outside the building. Note that City issued trash containers are not required to be screened.
42. Exterior lighting provided shall be in accordance with City of Madison General Ordinances Section 10.085. Provide an exterior lighting plan and fixture cut sheets with the final plan submittal.

43. Note that the business component of the live/work units may include offices, small service establishments, homecrafts which are typically considered accessory to a dwelling unit, or limited retailing associated with fine arts, crafts, or personal services. The business component shall be limited to those uses otherwise permitted in the district which do not require a separation from residentially zoned or occupied property, or other protected use. It shall not include a wholesale business, a manufacturing business, a commercial food service requiring a license, a limousine business or auto service or repair for any vehicles other than those registered to residents of the property.
44. Per Section 28.186(4)(b), the property owner or operator is required to bring the property into compliance with all elements of the approved site plans by the date established by the Zoning Administrator as part of the site and building plan approval. Work with Zoning staff to establish a final site compliance date.
45. Signage approvals are not granted by the Plan Commission. Signage must be reviewed for compliance with Chapter 31 Sign Codes of the Madison General Ordinances and Chapter 33 Urban Design District ordinances. Signage permits are issued by the Zoning Section of the Department of Planning and Community and Economic Development.

**Please contact Bill Sullivan of the Madison Fire Department at (608) 261-9658 if you have any questions regarding the following item:**

46. Please consider allowing Madison Fire Dept. to conduct training sequences prior to demolition. Contact MFD Training Division to discuss possibilities: Division Chief Paul Ripp at [pripp@cityofmadison.com](mailto:pripp@cityofmadison.com) or (608) 712-6277.

**Please contact Ann Freiwald of the Parks Division at 243-2848 if you have any questions regarding the following three (3) items:**

47. Park Impact Fees (comprised of the Park Infrastructure Impact Fee, per MGO Sec. 20.08(2)), and Park-Land Impact Fees, per MGO Sec. 16.23(8)(f) and 20.08(2) will be required for all new residential development associated with this project. This development is within the Central Park-Infrastructure Impact Fee district. Please reference ID# 18161 when contacting Parks about this project.
48. An existing inventory of trees (location, species, & DBH) and any tree removal plans (in PDF format) shall be submitted to the plans and Brad Hofmann – [bhofmann@cityofmadison.com](mailto:bhofmann@cityofmadison.com) or 266-4816. All proposed street tree removals within the right of way shall be reviewed by City Forestry. Approval and permitting of street tree removals shall be obtained from the City Forester and/or the Board of Public Works prior to the approval of the site plan.
49. Existing street trees shall be protected. Please include the following note on the site plan: Contractor shall install tree protection fencing in the area between the curb and sidewalk and extend it at least 5 feet from both sides of the tree along the length of the terrace. No excavation is permitted within 5 feet of the outside edge of a tree trunk. If excavation within 5 feet of any tree is necessary, contractor shall contact City Forestry (266-4816) prior to excavation to assess the impact to the tree and root system. Tree pruning shall be coordinated with City Forestry prior to the start of construction. Tree protection specifications can be found in section 107.13 of City of Madison Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction - <http://www.cityofmadison.com/business/pw/documents/StdSpecs/2018/Part1.pdf>. Any tree removals that are required for construction after the development plan is approved will require at least a 72 hour wait period before a tree removal permit can be issued by Forestry, to notify the Alder of the change in the tree plan.

**Please contact Brad Hofmann of the Forestry Division at (608) 267-4908 if you have questions regarding the following seven (7) items:**

50. Damaging Contractor shall take precautions during construction to not disfigure, scar, or impair the health of any street tree. Contractor shall operate equipment in a manner as to not damage the branches of the street tree(s). This may require using smaller equipment and loading and unloading materials in a designated space away from trees on the construction site. Any damage or injury to existing street trees (either above or below ground) shall be reported immediately to City Forestry at 266-4816. Penalties and remediation shall be required. Add as a note on the plan set.
51. As defined by the Section 107.13 of City of Madison Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction: No excavation is permitted within 5 feet of the trunk of the street tree or when cutting roots over 3 inches in diameter. If excavation is necessary, the Contractor shall contact Madison City Forestry (266-4816) prior to excavation. City of Madison Forestry personnel shall assess the impact to the tree and to its root system prior to work commencing. Tree protection specifications can be found on the following website: <https://www.cityofmadison.com/business/pw/specs.cfm> Add as a note on the plan set.
52. On this project, street tree protection zone fencing is required if any construction or storage of materials will be within the terrace area. The fencing shall be erected before the demolition, grading or construction begins. The fence shall include the entire width of terrace and, extend at least 5 feet on both sides of the outside edge of the tree trunk. Do not remove the fencing to allow for deliveries or equipment access through the tree protection zone. Add as a note on the plan set.
53. Pruning Street tree pruning shall be coordinated with Madison Forestry at a minimum of two weeks prior to the start of construction for this project. All pruning shall follow the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) A300 - Part 1 Standards for pruning. Add as a note on the plan set.
54. Section 107.13(g) of City of Madison Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction addresses soil compaction near street trees and shall be followed by Contractor. The storage of parked vehicles, construction equipment, building materials, refuse, excavated spoils or dumping of poisonous materials on or around trees and roots within five (5) feet of the tree or within the protection zone is prohibited. Add as a note on the plan set.
55. All proposed street tree removals within the right of way shall be reviewed by City Forestry before the Plan Commission meeting. Street tree removals require approval and a tree removal permit issued by City Forestry. Any street tree removals requested after the development plan is approved by the Plan Commission or the Board of Public Works and City Forestry will require a minimum of a 72-hour review period which shall include the notification of the Alderperson within who's district is affected by the street tree removal(s) prior to a tree removal permit being issued. Add as a note on the plan set.
56. An existing inventory of street trees located within the right of way shall be included on the landscape, site, demo, and utility plans. The inventory shall include the following: location, size (diameter at 4 1/2 feet), and species of existing street trees. The inventory should also note if a street tree is to be preserved or proposed to be removed and the reason for removal.

**Please contact Jeff Belshaw of the Water Utility at (608) 261-9835) if you have any questions regarding the following three (3) items:**

57. A private well may have served this parcel prior to the municipal water service connection. Any remaining unused/unpermitted private wells existing on this parcel must be properly abandoned according to Wisconsin Administrative Code NR 812 and Madison General Ordinance 13.21 prior to the demolition of the property. Please contact water utility staff at (608) 266-4654 to schedule an on-site private well survey prior to demolition, otherwise for additional information regarding well abandonment procedures and potential well abandonment reimbursement programs.
58. The proposed development may require the installation of a fire protection/automatic sprinkler system (see also Madison Fire Department review comments); subsequently, a higher capacity water service lateral may be required to meet required flow rates. If a new water service will be required, contact Madison Water Utility Engineering Section to evaluate service connection options, confirmation of water meter size, or any applicable customer account revisions.
59. A Water Meter Application Form and fees must be submitted before connecting to the existing water lateral. Provide at least two working days notice between the application submittal and the scheduled lateral connection/extension. Application materials are available on the Water Utility's Plumbers & Contractors website (<http://www.cityofmadison.com/water/plumbers-contractors>), otherwise they may be obtained from the Water Utility Main Office at 119 E Olin Ave. A licensed plumber signature is required on all water service applications. For new or replacement services, the property owner or authorized agent is also required to sign the application. If you have questions regarding water service applications, please contact Madison Water Utility at (608) 266-4646.

**Specific questions regarding the comments or conditions contained in this letter should be directed to the commenting agency.**

**Please now follow the procedures listed below for obtaining permits for your project:**

1. After the plans have been revised per the above conditions, please **one (1) complete digital plan set in PDF format** of complete, fully dimensioned, and to-scale plans; the appropriate site plan review application and fee pursuant to Section 28.206 of the Zoning Code; and any other documentation requested herein to the Zoning Administrator at [zoning@cityofmadison.com](mailto:zoning@cityofmadison.com). (Note that that an individual email cannot exceed 20MB and it is the responsibility of the applicant to present files in a manner that can be accepted. Please email [zoning@cityofmadison.com](mailto:zoning@cityofmadison.com) regarding questions or if you need alternative filing options. The check for the site plan review fee shall be mailed to the City of Madison Building Inspection Division; PO Box 2984; Madison, WI 53701-2984.) The sets of final revised plans or documents will be circulated by Zoning staff to the City department staff listed above for their final approval.
2. This letter shall be signed by the applicant and property owner (if not the applicant) to acknowledge the conditions of approval and returned to the Zoning Administrator when requesting building permit approval. [Signature block on last page]



3. City Agencies who submitted conditions of approval will review your revised plans to verify that their conditions, along with any applicable requirements, have been satisfied. When the revised plans are submitted, the applicant will be emailed a hyperlink to a website to follow, in real time, which agencies have reviewed the revised documents, and signed off or need additional information.
4. Approval of plans for this project does not include any approval to prune, remove or plant trees in the public right-of-way. Permission for such activities must be obtained from the City Forester, (608) 267-4908.
5. A demolition or removal permit is valid for one (1) year from the date of the Plan Commission. Where the plans have not been altered since issuance of the demolition or removal permit and the permit has expired, the Director of Planning and Community and Economic Development may, after consultation with the Alderperson of the District, approve an extension for up to 24 months from the expiration date.

If you have any questions regarding obtaining your demolition or building permits, please contact the Zoning Administrator at (608) 266-4551. If you have any other questions or if you may be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact my office at (608) 261-9135.

Sincerely,



Chris Wells  
 Planner

I hereby acknowledge that I understand and will comply with the above conditions of approval.

  


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*Signature of Applicant*

  


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*Signature of Property Owner (if not the applicant)*

- cc: Timothy Troester, Engineering Division  
 Jeff Quamme, City Engineering Division – Mapping  
 Sean Malloy, Traffic Engineering  
 Jenny Kirchgatter, Zoning Administrator  
 Bill Sullivan, Fire Department  
 Ann Freiwald, Parks Division  
 Brad Hofmann, Forestry  
 Jeff Belshaw, Water Utility  
 Bryan Johnson, Streets Division

<b>LNDUSE-2021-00031</b>			
<b>For Official Use Only, Re: Final Plan Routing</b>			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Planning Div. (Wells)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Engineering Mapping Sec.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Zoning Administrator	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Parks Division
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	City Engineering	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Urban Design Commission
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Traffic Engineering	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Recycling Coord. (R&R)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fire Department	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Water Utility
<input type="checkbox"/>	Metro Transit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: Forestry