APPLICATION FOR URBAN DESIGN COMMISSION REVIEW AND APPROVAL

AGENDA ITEM #	
Project #	

DATE SUBMITTED: 9/28/05	Action Requested Informational Presentation
DITTE BODIVILLED.	x Initial Approval and/or Recommendation
UDC MEETING DATE: 10/19/05	Final Approval and/or Recommendation
PROJECT ADDRESS: Hilldale Shopping	Center-University at Midvale
ALDERMANIC DISTRICT: 11	SIP #2
OWNER/DEVELOPER (Partners and/or Principals) Joseph Freed and Associates LLC	ARCHITECT/DESIGNER/OR AGENT:
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220 N. Smith Stree Palatine, IL 6006 Phone: 847-215-5447 Fax: 847-215-5282 E-mail: dharder@jfreed.com TYPE OF PROJECT: (See Section A for:) Arcida X Planned Unit Development (PUD) X General Development Plan (GDP) X Specific Implementation Plan (SIP) Planned Community Development (PCD) General Development Plan (GDP) Specific Implementation Plan (SIP) Planned Residential Development (PRD) New Construction or Exterior Remodeling in an Inschool, Public Building or Space (Fee may be reconstruction or Addition to or Remodeling 50,000 Sq. Ft. Planned Commercial Site	Urban Design District * (Fee may be required)
See Section B for:)	District (Fee required)
New Construction or Exterior Remodeling in C4	
See Section C for:) R.P.S.M. Parking Variance (Fee required)	
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SIP #2 - Redevelopment concept for University/Segoe/Frey(Humana) Area of Hilldale

The materials submitted with this narrative relate to the portion of the Hilldale Site bounded by University Avenue on the north, Sawyer Street (extended) on the east, Frey Street on the South and Segoe Boulevard on the west.

These materials consist of site plans, landscape plans (with plant material locations and specifications), building elevations for the 50,000 sf Whole Foods Market, proposed signage concepts and related information.

The development of a Whole Foods Market and related parking field will include first-class exterior architecture on the building and first-class landscaping throughout the site.

The east-west walkway in the center of the parking field has been enhanced with additional landscaping. At the south end of the parking field, retaining walls and inground storm-water retention facilities are provided to deal with the significant grade changes. Retaining walls have been reduced in extent and height in favor of slopes wherever possible, and the wall structures have been stepped to create terraces for increased landscaping.

The west and south elevations of the Whole Foods Market are partially covered by slopes of adjacent right-of-way, making the interplay between building architecture and landscape elements very important to the visual experience in these areas.

At the new right-in/right-out access point on University Avenue, the sidewalk has been pulled south to the right-of-way line to facilitate safety in crossing the drive at it's narrowest point.

The extension of Frey street east to connect with the drive on the north side of the Sentry Store is shown on a revised GDP exhibit (EX 200) as a dashed roadway across the existing theater/Chinese banquet hall parcels. This connection is an important component of the overall redevelopment at Hilldale.

An 84-unit condominium building is located at the southwest corner of Frey and Sawyer. This structure will have quality architecture on all sides and there will be extensive landscaping on the site. 84 parking spaces will be provided on two levels below-grade within the footprint of the building with access to the separate levels provided from the east and west ends of the building. Approximately 20 spaces will be provided outdoors at-grade on the site in landscaped parking areas.

Fifteen percent of the units in the building – 13 units - will conform to the City IZ ordinance.