

Department of Planning & Community & Economic Development Planning Division

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December 12, 2019

Scott Gussick Madison Commercial Real Estate and Development 5609 Medical Circle Madison, Wisconsin 53719

RE: Approval of a conditional use in the Industrial–General (IG) District to allow an existing building at 3201 Latham Drive to be converted into a daycare center (Reach Dane) (LNDUSE-2019-00113; ID 57984).

Dear Mr. Gussick;

At its December 9, 2019 meeting, the Plan Commission found the standards met and approved your conditional use request for 3201 Latham Drive. The conditions of approval in the following sections shall be satisfied prior to issuance of building or occupancy permits for the project.

Please contact Tim Troester of the City Engineering Division at 267-1995 if you have questions regarding the following five (5) items:

- 1. The applicant shall construct sidewalk along the Latham Drive frontage according to a plan as approved by the City Engineer.
- 2. Enter into a City / Developer agreement for the required infrastructure improvements prior to sign off. Allow 4-6 weeks to obtain agreement. Contact the City Engineering Division to schedule the development and approval of the plans and the agreement.
- 3. An Erosion Control Permit is required if this project will disturb 4,000 square feet or more of land area. Submit the Erosion Control Permit Application (with USLE calculations and associated fee) to Megan Eberhardt (west) at meberhardt@cityofmadison.com, or Daniel Olivares (east) at daolivares@cityofmadison.com, for approval.
- 4. Submit, prior to final 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.
- 5. Submit, prior to final 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 (East) or ttroester@cityofmadison.com (West).

Please contact Sean Malloy of the Traffic Engineering Division at 266-5987 if you have any questions regarding the following fourteen (14) items:

- 6. The applicant shall construct sidewalk along the entire frontage of their property. The applicant shall enter into a signed developer's agreement through the City of Madison Engineering Division prior to sign off.
- 7. The applicant shall submit for review a child drop off and pickup plan. This plan shall include the number of students, estimated modes of arrival by percentage, estimated arrival times and any requested passenger loading zones.
- 8. The applicant shall submit one contiguous plan for approval showing proposed conditions and one contiguous plan showing existing conditions for approval. The plan drawing 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.
- 9. 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.
- 10. 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.
- 11. All parking facility design shall conform to the standards in MGO Section 10.08(6).
- 12. All bicycle parking adjacent pedestrian walkways shall have a two-foot buffer zone to accommodate irregularly parked bicycles and/or bicycletrailers.
- 13. All pedestrian walkways adjacent parking stalls shall be 7 feet wide to accommodate vehicle overhang, signage and impediments to walkway movements. Any request for variance shall be submitted to and reviewed by the Traffic Engineering Division.
- 14. The applicant shall provide a clearly defined 5-foot wide walkway 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.
- 15. The applicant shall adhere to all vision triangle requirements as set in MGO Section 27.05 (No visual obstructions between the heights of 30 inches and 10 feet at a distance of 25 feet behind the property line at streets and 10 feet at driveways.). Alteration necessary to achieve compliance may include but are not limited to; substitution to transparent materials, removing sections of the structure and

modifying or removing landscaping elements. If applicant believes public safety can be maintained they shall apply for a reduction of MGO Section 27.05(2)(bb) - Vision Clearance Triangles at Intersections Corners. Approval or denial of the reduction shall be the determination of the City Traffic Engineer.

- 16. "Stop" signs shall be installed at a height of seven (7) feet 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.
- 17. The applicant shall show the dimensions for the proposed Class III driveway including the width of the drive entrance, width of the flares, and width of the curb cut.
- 18. All existing driveway approaches on which are to be abandoned/altered shall be removed and replaced with curb and gutter and noted on the plan.
- 19. 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.

Please contact Jenny Kirchgatter, Assistant Zoning Administrator, at 266-4429 if you have any questions regarding the following ten (10) items:

- 20. Parking requirements for persons with disabilities must comply with MGO Section 28.141(4)(e), which includes all applicable State accessible requirements. Provide a minimum of three (3) accessible stalls striped per State requirements. A minimum of one of the stalls shall be a van accessible stall 8 feet wide with an 8-foot wide striped access area adjacent.
- 21. Bicycle parking for the daycare center shall comply with the requirements of Sections 28.141(4)(g) and 28.141 (11). Provide a minimum of nine (9) 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 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.
- 22. Identify a designated area for the short-term parking of vehicles engaged in loading and unloading children. The designated area shall be located as close as practical to the principal entrance of the building and shall be connected to the building by asidewalk.
- 23. Install a landscape island within the northern most row of fourteen parking stalls. A planting island shall be located at least every 12 contiguous stalls with no break. Planting beds or planted areas must contain at least 75% vegetative covermulched.
- 24. Submit the landscape plan and landscape worksheet stamped by the registered landscape architect. Per Section 28.142(3) Landscape Plan and Design Standards, landscape plans for zoning lots greater than 10,000 square feet in size must be prepared by a registered landscape architect.

- 25. Submit a detail of the trash enclosure. The trash enclosure 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.
- 26. Identify the ground surface of the proposed outdoor play areas.
- 27. Exterior lighting provided shall be in accordance with MGO Section 10.085. Provide an exterior lighting plan and fixture cut sheets with the final plan submittal.
- 28. 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.
- 29. Signage approvals are not granted by the Plan Commission. Signage must be reviewed for compliance with MGO Chapter 31 Sign Codes. 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 261-9658 if you have any questions regarding the following item:

30. Install a fire sprinkler system complying with NFPA 13 and a fire alarm system in accordance with IBC 907.

Please contact Brad Hofmann of the Parks Division–Forestry Section at 267-4908 if you have any questions regarding the following two (2) items:

- 31. 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 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.
- 32. 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.* 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 Adam Wiederhoeft of the Madison Water Utility at 266-9121 if you have any questions regarding the following item:

33. A Water Service Application Form and fees must be submitted before connecting to the existing water system. Provide at least two (2) working days' notice between the application submittal and the requested installation or inspection appointment. Application materials are available on the Water Plumbers Contractors website (http://www.cityofmadison.com/water/ Utility's and plumberscontractors), otherwise they may be obtained from the Water Utility Main Office at 119 E. Olin Avenue. 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. A Water Meter Application Form will subsequently be required to size and obtain a water meter, establish a Water Utility customer account, and/or establish a Water Utility fire service account. If you have questions regarding water service applications, please contact Madison Water Utility at 266-4646.

Please contact Tim Sobota of Madison Transit at 261-4289 if you have any questions regarding the following item:

34. The developer shall install new public sidewalk along the Latham Drive property frontage that would provide an accessible connection north to the Greenway Cross/Stewart Street intersection and public transportation bus stop location at this corner. The developer shall also provide an accessible connection between the building entrance(s) and this new public sidewalk. The applicant shall include the location of these facilities on the final documents filed with their permit application so that Metro Transit may review and effectively plan for City transit access that would be oriented to the clients and employees of the proposed development.

Please contact my office at 261-9632 if you have any questions regarding the following condition added by the Plan Commission:

35. The applicant shall construct sidewalk connections from both entrances to the new Latham Drive public sidewalk.

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:

After the plans have been revised per the above conditions, please file eight (8) sets 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 with the Zoning Administrator, Room 017, Madison Municipal Building, 215 Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard. <u>This submittal shall all also include one (1) complete digital plan set in PDF format.</u> 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. No alteration of this proposal shall be permitted unless approved by the Plan Commission, provided, however, the Zoning Administrator may issue permits for minor alterations. No alteration of a conditional use shall be permitted unless approved by the Plan Commission provided, however, the Zoning Administrator following consideration by the alderperson of the district, may approve minor alterations or additions which are approved by the Director of Planning and Community and Economic Development and are compatible with the concept approved by the Plan Commission and the conditional use standards. This approval shall become null and void two (2) years after the date of the Plan Commission unless the use is commenced, construction is under way, or a valid building permit is issued and construction commenced within six (6) months of the issuance of said building permit. Where the plans have not been altered from the Plan Commission's approval, and the conditional use 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 twelve (12) months from the expiration date. The Plan Commission shall retain jurisdiction over this matter for the purpose of resolving complaints against the approved conditional use permit.

If you have any questions regarding obtaining your building permits, please contact the Zoning Administrator at 266-4551. If you have any questions or if may be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact my office at 261-9632.

Sincerely,

Timothy M. Parks Planner

 cc: Tim Troester, City Engineering Division Jeff Quamme, City Engineering Division Sean Malloy, Traffic Engineering Division Jenny Kirchgatter, Asst. Zoning Administrator Bill Sullivan, Madison Fire Department Adam Wiederhoeft, Madison Water Utility Brad Hofmann, Forestry Section

LNDUSE-2019-00113 For Official Use Only, Re: Final Plan Routing \boxtimes Planning Div. (T. Parks) \boxtimes Engineering Mapping Sec. \boxtimes **Zoning Administrator** Parks Division \boxtimes **City Engineering** Urban Design Commission \boxtimes Traffic Engineering (EP) Recycling Coor. (R&R) \boxtimes \boxtimes **Fire Department Other: Forestry** \boxtimes \bowtie Water Utility (EP) Other: Metro Transit

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

Signature of Applicant

Signature of Property Owner (If Not Applicant)