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Dear Urban Design Commission:

At the September 21, 2020 meeting of the Marquette Neighborhood Association a unanimous resolution passed to support the proposal by Curt Brink for the next phase of his Archipelago Village project on the 900 block of East Main Street.

The neighborhood board supported the housing component of the proposal especially in regards to parking for residents, storm water drainage, the inclusion of some affordable units, and an effort to include some green space. MNA understands that the project may necessitate some rezoning for this block and supports this change.

We ask that the Urban Design Commission protect the minimal tree canopy in this area that may be impacted by the project or require replacement for lost trees with trees that will establish a true and long standing canopy.

We look forward to continuing to work with Mr. Brink on additional aspects of his project as it moves forward.

Thank You,

Anita Krasno, MNA President