



Department of Planning & Community & Economic Development

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

August 10, 2021

Jeff Radtke & Julie Byrnes  
1621 Capital Avenue  
Madison, Wisconsin 53705

RE: Consideration of a conditional use for accessory buildings exceeding 1,000 square feet in the Suburban Residential–Consistent 1 (SR-C1) District at 1621 Capital Avenue. (LNDUSE-2021-00063; ID 66115)

Dear Jeff and Julie,

On August 9, 2021, the Plan Commission found the standards met and **approved** your conditional use requests for 1621 Capital Avenue. Prior to issuance of permits for your project, the conditions of approval in the following sections shall be satisfied:

**Please contact Wayne Buckley of the Forestry Section at 266-4892 if you have any questions regarding the following five (5) items:**

1. The contractor shall take precautions during construction to not disfigure, scar, or impair the health of any street tree. The 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.
2. 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.
3. Street tree protection zone fencing is required if any activities take place in the terrace area such as storage of materials etc. 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.

4. 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.
5. 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 the 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.

**Please contact my office at 261-9632 if you have questions about the following item:**

6. Revise the plans prior to issuance of permits to include a material palette for the 665 square-foot workshop building and provide floorplans and elevations for the new 144 square-foot shed.

**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. The applicant shall resubmit a PDF copy of the plan set and any other supporting materials that are necessary, as specified in this letter to [Zoning@cityofmadison.com](mailto:Zoning@cityofmadison.com). (Note: A 20MB email limit applies and multiple transmittals may be required.). A 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.
2. 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.
3. 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]
4. 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 one (1) year 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 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 24 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 or [tparks@cityofmadison.com](mailto:tparks@cityofmadison.com).

Sincerely,



Timothy M. Parks  
Planner

cc: Tim Troester, City Engineering Division  
Jeff Quamme, City Engineering Division – Mapping Section  
Jenny Kirchgatter, Asst. Zoning Administrator  
Wayne Buckley, Forestry Section

<b>LNDUSE-2021-00063</b>			
<b>For Official Use Only, Re: Final Plan Routing</b>			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Planning Div. (T. Parks)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Engineering Mapping Sec.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Zoning Administrator	<input type="checkbox"/>	Parks Division
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	City Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban Design Commission
<input type="checkbox"/>	Traffic Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recycling Coord. (R&R)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fire Department	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: Forestry Section
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water Utility	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

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

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*Signature of Applicant*

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*Signature of Property Owner  
(If Not Applicant)*