

SANDY CITY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

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Staff Report Memorandum January 16, 2025

To:Planning CommissionFrom:Community Development DepartmentSubject:Riverside Park Rezone (reconsideration)9016 S. Riverside Drive
[Community #2, Civic Center]

REZ11272023-006661 PUD(12) 1.78 Acres

Public Hearing Notice: This item has been noticed to property owners within 500 feet of the subject area, on public websites, at public locations, and a sign posted on site.

Request

Adam Nash, on behalf of Land Development, LLC (applicant), is requesting that the Planning Commission reconsider their previous recommendation to deny a change of zone district on property located at 9016 S. Riverside Drive (approximately 784 W. 9000 S.) following revisions to the original concept plan. The request is to rezone the property from the CvC Zone to the PUD(12) Zone (see Exhibit "A" for Application Materials).

Background

The subject property is near the southwest corner of the intersection of 9000 S. and Riverside Drive. A 7-Eleven was recently built on that immediate corner and an engineering office building is currently being built on the lot between the subject property and the 7-Eleven. The Jordan River is located to the west of the property. The current zone is the CvC Zone (Convenience Commercial District).

The application is requesting the PUD(12) Zone (Planned Unit Development District). The zoning designation (and existing land use) of the surrounding properties are as follows (see also Exhibit "D" for an area zoning map):



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	Property Case History
Case Number	Case Summary
KK-21	KK-21 Annexation (10/27/1971)
CU 91-15	Riverwoods Golf Course
CU 93-23	Sandy City-golf course
SPR 94-57	Riverside Oaks PUD (not built)

North: ID (9000 S., vacant)

East: CvC (professional office)

South: OS (golf course) & PUD(8.6) (single-family residential)

West: P-C (West Jordan City, golf course)

The application was presented to the Planning Commission on May 16, 2024. The original concept plan (Exhibit "A") was presented, which demonstrated the applicant's intent to develop 19 townhomes on the property under the proposed zone. The concept plan proposed that access to the site would be provided by way of existing cross-access easements through parking lot drive isles on adjacent commercial properties to the east (Exhibit "E"). Staff had expressed concerns with the feasibility of developing a residential project on the property as Section 21-21-11 of the Sandy City Land Development Code requires that street access be provided to all residential dwellings. The Planning Commission passed a motion that recommended that the City Council not approve the application. The application, at the request of the applicant, was never presented to the City Council for a final decision.

The applicant has recently provided a revised concept plan (Exhibit "F")and is formally asking the Planning Commission to reconsider their recommendation before proceeding to the City Council for a decision. The revised concept plan shows 19 townhome units and a new street on the property that accesses 9000 S.

Public Notice and Outreach

This item was noticed to all property owners within 500 feet of the proposal (see Exhibit "B") and posted to the property (see Exhibit "C"). The city also issued notice of the public hearing for the proposed rezone on public websites, mailed notice to affected entities and posted in three public locations at least 10 days prior to the Planning Commission public hearing in accordance with the Land Development Code Sec. 21-36-1 and the Utah State Code § 10-9a-205.

In addition, staff held a virtual neighborhood meeting via Zoom on January 17, 2024. Residents within 500 feet of the proposed site were notified by mail. Four people attended the meeting. Concern was expressed for traffic, parking, light, and noise from the proposed project on surrounding properties.

Facts and Findings

- The subject property is one of three properties in the CvC Zone district (Convenience Commercial District) on the corner of 9000 S. and Riverside Drive, with the other two commercial properties (733 W. 9000 S. & 711W. 9000 S.) located to the east. The property is adjacent to the Jordan River and the city boundary of West Jordan on the west and a residential subdivision to the south.
- The commercial property directly adjacent to the east is currently being improved and a building is under construction as an office building (WHW Engineering).
- The Applicant's concept plan expresses an intent to develop 19 townhomes on the subject property. Residential uses are not permitted in the CvC Zone.

- The Applicant is requesting that the zoning designation be changed to the PUD(12) Zone. The PUD(12) Zone is a residential multi-family zone that would allow for a maximum density of 12 units per acre. The concept plan would have a density of approximately 10.7 units per acre.
- The subject property fronts a public street (9000 S.) but does not currently have direct vehicular street access. Crossaccess easements, as depicted on the Riverside Commons Subdivision plat and recorded with the Salt Lake County Recorder's Office (Exhibit "E"), provides access to the subject property through commercial drive-aisles of the other two commercial properties. Street access to 9000 S. is located on the property at 733 S. 9000 S. and access to Riverside Drive is located on the property at 711 W. 9000 S.
- The Land Development Code requires that residential dwelling units be accessed from a street network (see Sec. 21-21-11) and front onto streets (see Sec. 21-21-21(b)). The commercial drive aisles are not considered part of a street network.
- The Sandy City General Plan contains applicable goals and policies. An ordinance (Ordinance #25-01) adopting a comprehensive update to the City's General Plan was approved during the preparation of this report. However, the ordinance is not effective until published, which has not yet occurred. The goals and policies included here are sourced from the General Plan in place prior to Ordinance #25-01 taking effect.

LAND USE

- Goal 1.0 Provide for orderly and efficient development which will be compatible with the natural and built environment.
- Goal 1.1 Encourage new growth where vacant land already is served by public utilities. HOUSING ELEMENT
- Goal 1.1 Develop infill options that complement existing housing stock and neighborhood characteristics.
- Goal 1.4 Ensure a range of housing options to accommodate an aging population and growth trends.

GROWTH PRINCIPLES

• Policy 1.3 – Promote compact development consistent with market demand.

Commercial Zonintg & Development

- Goal 1.0 Provide adequate and accessible commercial service, to maximize the compatibility of commercial and residential uses, and to increase the employment opportunities within Sandy City.
- Policiy 1.1 Allow neighborhood -oriented shopping withing the various communities of Sandy in locations of greatest accessibility and least impact on residential neighborhoods.

Conclusions

- A zone change is a legislative item that requires the Planning Commission to make a recommendation to the City Council, after having held a public hearing, with the City Council making the final decision.
- If the zone change application were to be approved, final approval of the proposed development, would be subject to compliance with the Development Code, including access to the street network, upon a full review of a subdivision and/or site plan application.

Planner:

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Jake Warner Long Range Planning Manager

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Exhibit "A" Application Materials

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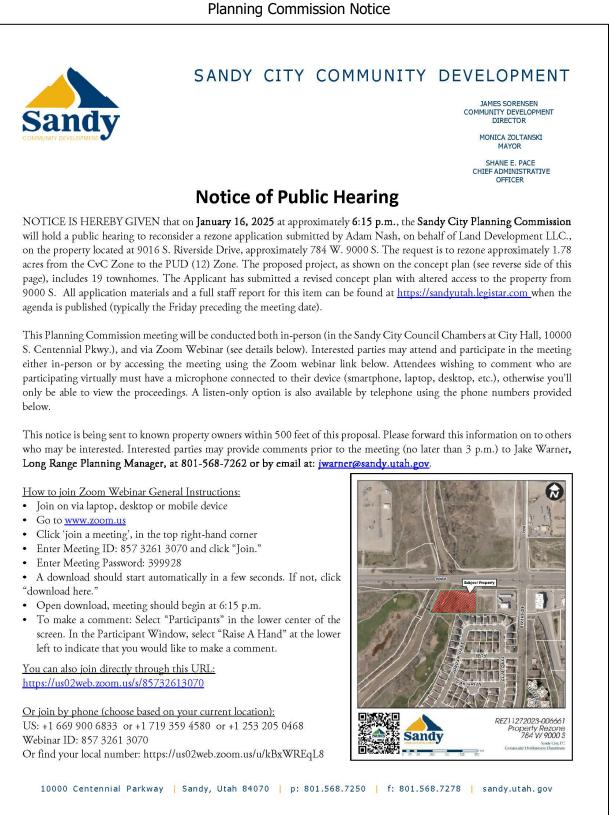
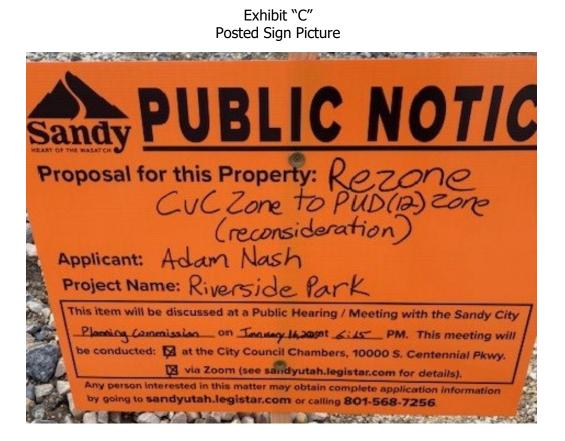


Exhibit "B" Planning Commission Notice





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Exhibit "D" Zoning Map



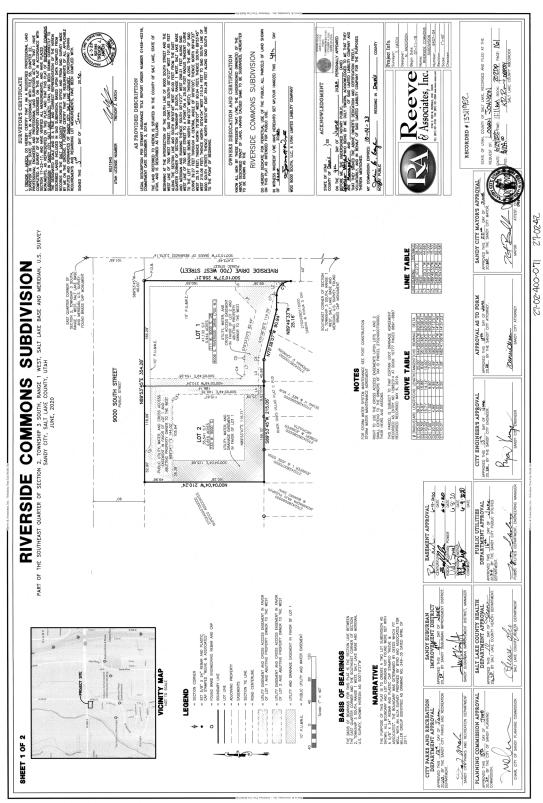


Exhibit "E" Riverside Commons Subdivision Plat

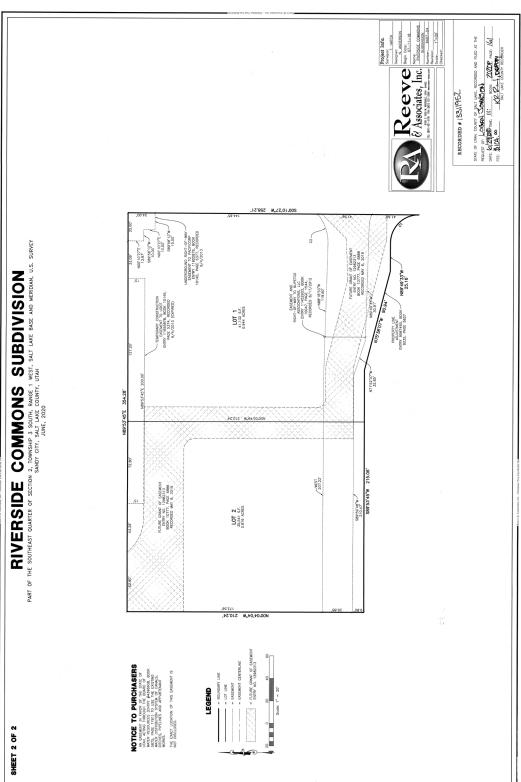


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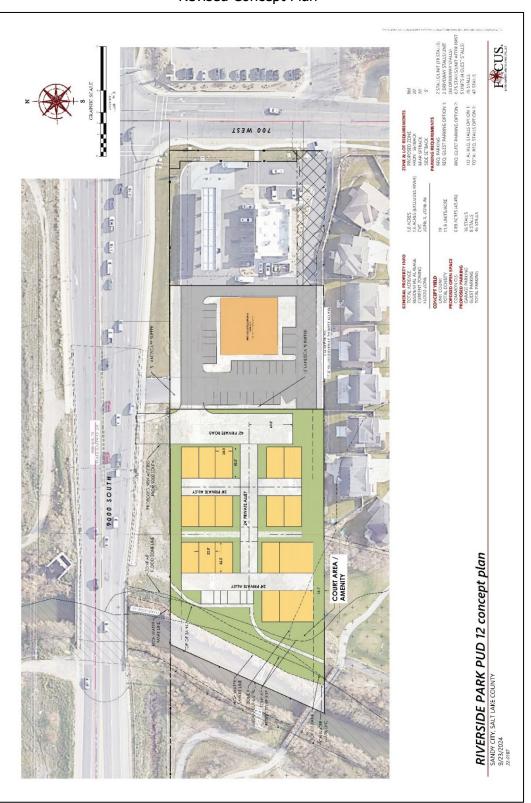


Exhibit "F" Revised Concept Plan