## CITY PLAN COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

KANSAS CITY
Planning \& Dev '|l'

## Project Name

Plaza East Apartments
Docket \# 3

## Request

CD-CPC-2022-00192
Development Plan - Residential
Applicant
Amanda Grosdeck
Plaza East Equities LLC

## Owner

Plaza East Equities LLC

Location
Area
Zoning
Council District
County
School District

1500 E. $46^{\text {th }}$ Street
About 20.6 acres
R-1.5
3 rd
Jackson
KCMO 110
Surrounding Land Uses
North: Commercial and Residential, zoned B1-1 and R-2.5
South: MLK Park/Brush Creek, zoned R-2.5
East: Residential, zoned R-0.5
West: Commercial, zoned B3-2

## Major Street Plan

Emanuel Cleaver II Boulevard is identified on the City's Major Street Plan as a Boulevard.

## Land Use Plan

The Swope Area Plan recommends Residential Medium Density for this location.

City of Kansas City, Missouri
City Planning \& Development Department www.kcmo.gov/cpc

January 3, 2023

## APPROVAL PROCESS



## PROJECT TIMELINE

The application for the subject request was filed on 10/26/2022. Scheduling deviations from 2022 Cycle W have occurred.

- A deviation to the schedule occurred as the applicant revised the project landscape plan and satisfied the public engagement requirement.


## NEIGHBORHOOD AND CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS NOTIFIED

The applicant satisfied the public engagement requirement and contacted the Ivanhoe Neighborhood Council.

## REQUIRED PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Public engagement as required by 88-505-12 does apply to this request. The applicant hosted a meeting on 12/07/2022. A summary of the meeting is attached to the staff report, see Attachment \#3.

## EXISTING CONDITIONS

The existing residential development has existed for decades and has 362 apartment units and 18 duplex units.

## SUMMARY OF REQUEST + KEY POINTS

A request to approve a major amendment to an approved development plan to add new fencing and the construction of a new parking area on about 20.6 acres generally located at Emanuel Cleaver II Boulevard and E. 46th Street.

## CONTROLLING + RELATED CASES

Case No. 10962-CUP-1 allowed for the once former condos to convert to 362 apartment units and 18 duplexes (11-19-1991).

Case No. 10962-CUP-2 approved a final plan for residential development (2-4-1992).

PROFESSIONAL STAFF RECOMMENDATION
Docket \# Recommendation
3 Approval with Conditions

## PLAN REVIEW

The existing 20.6-acre site was once several hundred condominiums and in 1991 the units were converted into apartments and duplexes, for a total of 380 residential units. The existing residential development has seen reinvestment and upkeep over the last few years. The developer is proposing to construct an additional parking lot which required a major amendment to the controlling plan. Major amendments to existing plans require that the development comply with the current Zoning and Development Code. Staff reviewed the plan to ensure that the developer is complying with the Boulevard and Parkway standards (88-323) and Landscape standards (88-425).

## PLAN ANALYSIS

The proposed plan is comprised of the addition of a new parking area, additional fencing and gates and a landscape plan that complies with the Zoning and Development Code. The new vehicular use area is in the southwest quadrant of the site and will provide eleven (11) additional parking stalls. The developer will also make improvements to the existing fence and provide additional fencing and gates throughout the entire site. The developer shall revise the landscape plan and remove non-invasive species prior to ordinance request. Staff has requested the developer to remove the dwarf winged euonymus and morning light maiden grass and replace with native grasses. The proposed improvements were reviewed and approved by the Parks and Recreation department and comply with the Boulevard and Parkway standards (88-323).

| Standards | Applicability | Meets | More Information |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Boulevard and Parkway Standards (88-323) | Yes | Yes, subject to conditions |  |
| Parkland Dedication (88-408) | No | - | No additional units are being constructed |
| Parking and Loading Standards (88-420) | Yes | Yes |  |
| Landscape and Screening Standards (88-425) | Yes | Yes, subject to conditions | No building permit shall be issued until a landscape affidavit is submitted to City Planning and Development |
| Outdoor Lighting Standards (88-430) | No | Yes | No lighting was proposed |
| Sign Standards (88-445) | No | Yes | No signs were proposed |

## SPECIFIC REVIEW CRITERIA

Development Plans, Project Plan, or Site Plan (88-516-05)
In order to be approved, a development plan, project plan, or site plan must comply with all of the following criteria:
A. The plan must comply with all standards of the Zoning and Development Code and all other applicable City ordinances and policies;
The applicant shall revise the landscape plan prior to ordinance request. All other improvements within this development plan comply with the Zoning and Development Code and all other applicable City ordinances and policies.
B. The proposed use must be allowed in the district in which it is located;

The proposed use is permitted.
C. Vehicular ingress and egress to and from the site, and circulation within the site must provide for safe, efficient, and convenient movement of traffic not only within the site but on adjacent roadways; The plan and existing conditions provide for safe, efficient, and convenient movement of traffic.
D. The plan must provide for safe, efficient, and convenient non-motorized travel opportunities, being pedestrian and bicycle movement, on the subject site;
The plan and existing conditions provide for safe, efficient, and convenient non-motorized travel opportunities.
E. The plan must provide for adequate utilities based on City standards for the particular development proposed.
No utility improvements are being proposed at this time.
F. The location, orientation, and architectural features, including design and material, of buildings and other structures on the site must be designed to be compatible with adjacent properties.
No buildings are being proposed. The additional fencing will match what is currently on site.
G. Landscaping, berms, fences, and/or walls must be provided to buffer the site from undesirable views, noises, lighting, or other off-site negative influences and to buffer adjacent properties from negative influences that may be created by the plan.
The proposed plan will enhance the existing buffer that is on site.
H. The design of streets, drives, and parking areas within the project should result in a minimum of area devoted to asphalt or other impervious surfaces consistent with the needs of the project and city code requirements.
The proposed plan does not result in the construction of excessive impervious surfaces.
I. The plan must identify trees to be removed and trees to be preserved during the development of the subject property with the goal of saving trees that are not required to be removed for the development of the property.
The developer will replace the trees to be removed for the new vehicular use area.

## ATTACHMENTS

1. Conditions Report
2. Applicants Submittal
3. Public Engagement Materials

## PROFESSIONAL STAFF RECOMMENDATION

City staff recommends APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS as stated in the conditions report.

Respectfully Submitted,
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Andrew Clarke
Staff Planner

## Plan Conditions

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Condition(s) by City Planning and Development Department. Contact Andrew Clarke at (816) 513-8821 / Andrew.Clarke@kcmo.org with questions.

1. The developer shall submit an affidavit, completed by a landscape architect licensed in the State of Missouri, verifying that street trees have been installed in accordance with the approved street tree planting plan and are healthy prior to Certificate of Occupancy.
2. The developer shall submit an affidavit, completed by a landscape architect licensed in the State of Missouri, verifying that all landscaping required of the approved plan has been installed in accordance with the plan and is healthy prior to Certificate of Occupancy.
3. The developer shall secure approval of a street tree planting plan from the City Forester and plant according to said plan prior to recording the final plat.
4. That all signage shall conform to $88-445$ and shall require a sign permit prior to installation.
5. Prior to ordinance request the developer shall revise the landscape plan to remove and replace all invasive species.

Condition(s) by Fire Department. Contact Michael Schroeder at (816) 513-4604 / michael.schroeder@kcmo.org with questions.
6. Security gates which span across a fire access road shall provide a means for emergency operation. Electric gates shall require a siren sensor device typically referred to as a "yelp gate" (IFC-2018 § 503.6).

Condition(s) by Parks \& Recreation. Contact Justin Peterson at (816) 513-7599 / Justin.Peterson@kcmo.org with questions.
7. All proposed work shall comply with and remain in compliance with the Parkway \& Boulevard Standards of 88-323 as Paseo to the west and Emanuel Cleaver II Blvd to the south are both identified on the major street plan and subject to these standards.

Condition(s) by Water Services Department. Contact Heather Massey at (816) 513-2111 / heather.massey@kcmo.org with questions.
8. The developer shall ensure that water and fire service lines should meet current Water Services Department Rules and Regulations. Prior to C of O .
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9. Please do not build fences or any permanent structures over or within a few feet of public/ KC Water Mains

## PLAZA EAST APARTMENTS

PRIVATE QUANTITIES:


S SUBDIVIIION IN KANSAS CITY, JACKSÓN COUNTY, MISSOURI KIVA NO.
APN NO. JA30620260300000000
PRIVATE IMPROVEMENT PLANS
BRUSH CREEK IS THE WATERSHED FOR THE PROJECT. DISTURBED AREA: 0.14ac

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION:

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| :--- | JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

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|  | Electric Meter | $\square$ | Field Inlet |
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| Q | Fire Hydrant | $\square$ | Junction Box |
| $\stackrel{\circ}{*}$ | Down Guy |  | Property Line |
| \% | Iron Pin | (R) | Remove |
| 0 | Mail Box | (R\&R) | Remove \& Replace |

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Spot Elevation
sediment Logs/Waddles
Water Main

PROJECT NOTES
The construction covered by these plans shall conform to the current "City Standards" and Specifications of the

2. Elevations are based upon Kansas City, Nissour Datum. NAVD $88+72$ 2.

All street name signs shar cte instaled in accoradance with the
part of the street construction work, by the paving contractor.
4. Developer shall be eesponsible for the control of erosion and
6. Manhole top elevations designated as "Field verify" are lacated outside the street righ-of-way. Developer ordering
precast manholes shall be responsible for adjustments required in the field at no additional cost to the owner

Contractor shall verify the top elevations prior to ordering precast manholes.
7. Developer shall provide earthwork and material testing to comply with the "Standard Specifications of the
CPS--SS-LDD" or as required by the city field representative. Prior to ordering pre-cast tructures, shop draw are to be submitted to the design ensineer for approval. The design engineer shall indicate approval of the shop rawings and add the permit type and number on them and len subm them to the City Plan $\ddagger$ ing $\ddagger$ Developmet Dept., Land Development Division
Development Services on the 5 th
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Genesis style's extended flat-topped pickets serve as a foundation for your choice of accent finials providing a customized design. Single, double and arched walk gates that perfectly match this fence style are available as well. * 2-rail panels in 3', 372', 4' and 5' heights, with a standard or
flush bottom rail
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## Public Meeting Summary Form

## Project Case \# CD-CPC-2022-00192

Meeting Date: December 7, 2022

Meeting Location: ZOOM Join Zoom Meetinghttps://us06web.zoom.us/j/87200452008‘

Meeting Time (include start and end time): 5:00 PM CST - 7:00 PM CST

Additional Comments (optional):
Noone Joined the meeting

## AFFIDAVIT OF SIGN POSTING

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COUNTY OF
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$\qquad$ (agent, owner, attorney) of the lot, tract or parcel of land for which the That I am the
 application was filed and did not later than fifteen (15) days prior to the date of first hearing scheduled for the above-referenced case at the above-referenced location, place a sign upon said lot, tract or parcel of land in compliance with the applicable Notice of Hearing procedures in the Zoning and Development Code.

(Signature)


Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Double,


My Commission Expires G $14-26$

Said sign shall be furnished by the City to the applicant and the applicant shall firmly affix and attach the sign to a wood or metal backing or frame. The sign shall be posted in a fashion visible from a public right-of-way or public place, shall not be further than ten (10) feet from the property line exclusive of the public right-of-way and shall be posted in a manner that the bottom portion of the sign is no further than eighteen (18) inches from the ground. The applicant shall file an affidavit prior to the public hearing stating that said sign has been posted according to these regulations.


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    Water Valve

