

Town of Mint Hill

John M. McEwen Assembly Room 4430 Mint Hill Village Lane Mint Hill, North Carolina 28227

Mint Hill Planning Board Agenda July 15, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.

- 1. Call To Order
- 2. Roll Call and Invocation
- 3. Approve Minutes of February 18, 2019 Regular Meeting
- 4. Additions or Deletions of Agenda Items
- 5. Reports of Committees, Members, and Staff
- 6. Old Business
- 7. New Business
 - A. Discussion and Recommendation on #ZC19-2, filed by MHIP, LLC, Parcel Number 139-092-19, located at 13936 Cabarrus Road, to allow a conditional zoning request for a storage warehouse and landscape material yard at Mint Hill Business Park
- 8. Other Business
- 9. Adjournment

Cassie Crutch	field
Program Support Assi	stant



STAFF REPORT

CASE:	ZC19-2
EXISTING ZONING	I-G (CD)
PROPOSED ZONING	I-G (CD)
PROPERTY OWNER:	MHIP LLC
APPLICANT	ROBERT ERIC LANIER
LOCATION	13936 CABARRUS ROAD (LOT 2)
TAX PARCEL NUMBER	139-092-19
REQUEST:	PHASE 1 (LANDSCAPE MATERIAL YARD) PHASE 2 (FUTURE INDUSTRIAL BUILDING)

APPLICATION SUMMARY:

The applicant is requesting conditional zoning to permit a two-phase development on Lot 2 of the Mint Hill Business Park. Phase 1 (the portion of lot fronting Cabarrus Road) will consist of a landscape material yard and Phase 2 (portion fronting Jomac Drive) is planned for an industrial use building.

Mint Hill Business Park was originally approved May 27, 1999. On December 13, 2007 a request to change a condition was approved (see attached).

Conditional District decisions shall be made in consideration of identified relevant adopted land use plan. Conditional District rezoning is a legislative procedure under which the Board of Commissioners has the authority to increase, tighten, add, vary, modify or waive specific conditions or standards. In approving a petition for the rezoning of property to a Conditional District the Board of Commissioners may request reasonable and appropriate conditions.

PLAN CONSISTENCY:

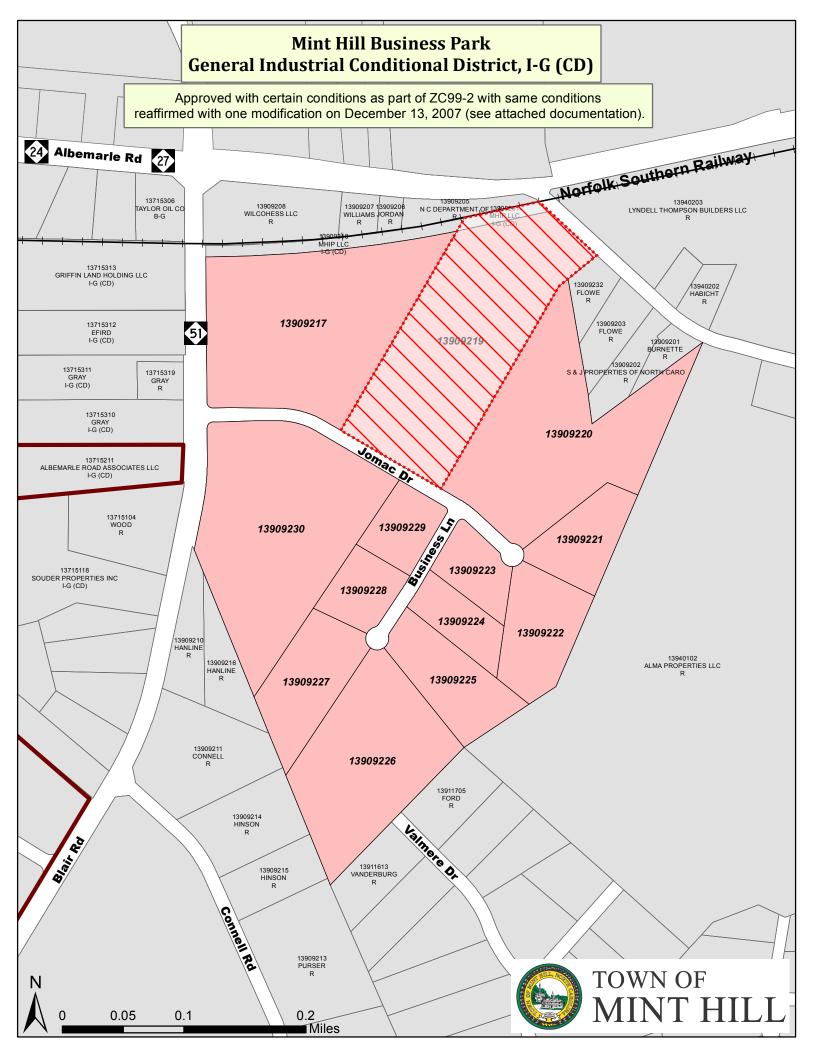
Mint Hill Land Use Plan	Yes
Downtown Master Plan	N/A
Mint Hill Comprehensive Transportation Plan	N/A
Pedestrian Plan	N/A

The Land Use Plan supports Industrial uses for the area.

RECOMMENDATION:

Favorable Recommendation

Planning Staff 704-545-9726



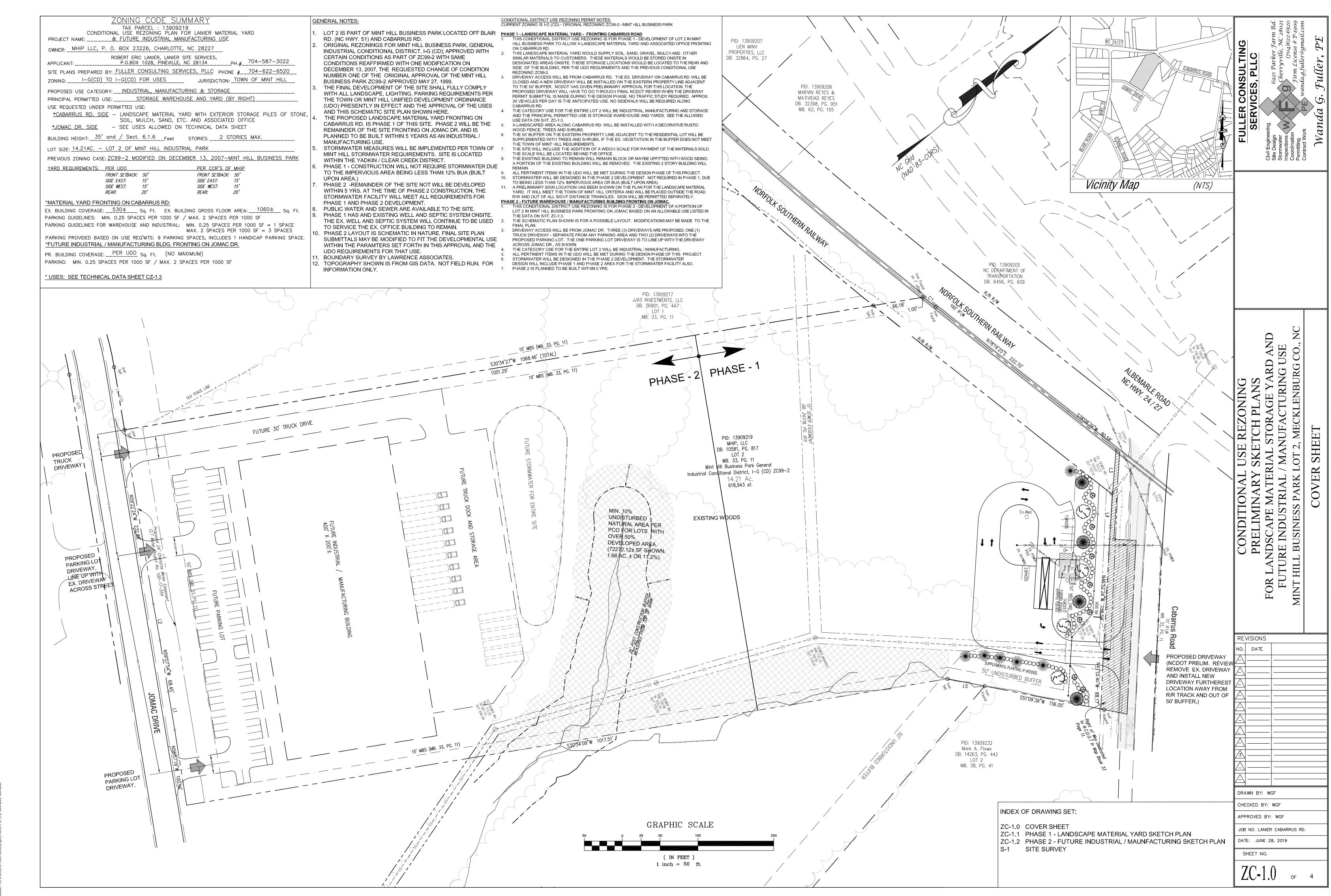
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File No. ZC99-2

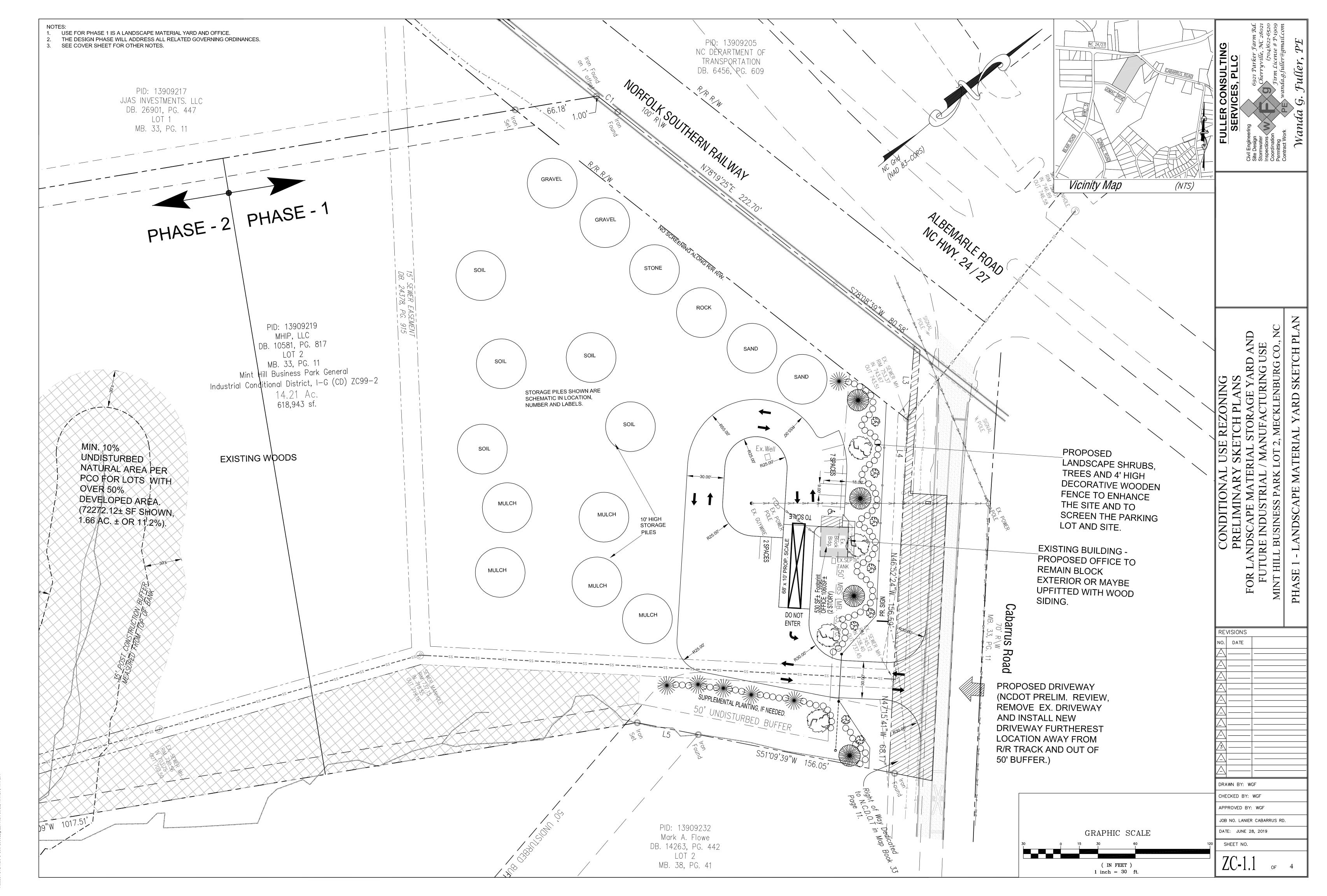
In accordance with the regulations contained in the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Mint Hill, North Carolina, the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mint Hill, North Carolina approved, on December 13, 2007, the requested change of condition number one of the original approval of the Mint Hill Business Park (ZC99-2, approved on May 27, 1999) as follows:

Approval of the site plan with the following conditions: (1) Establish a 50 ft. buffer for the Mint Hill Business Park for those areas adjacent to non-residential property as projected in the 2000, or most recently adopted, Land Use Plan and Map as recommended by Staff and Planning Board. (2) All outdoor storage will be limited to the side or rear of the building and will be required to be screened with a vegetative buffer, masonry walls or solid fences or colored chain link fences with vegetative buffers; (3) Larger than required street trees; (4) No facades on the front of any building facing the interior roads shall be metal; (5) The front facades of all buildings should be constructed of masonry or brick - no concrete tilt slabs; (6) Fences should be a minimum of 8 feet in height in the park, solid wood, masonry or colored chain link as proposed on the site plan (with the provision that if a chain link fence is used, appropriate screening on the outside of the fence would be necessary): (7) Proposed lots should be limited to tracts no smaller than 1.84 acres, as indicated on the site plan; (8) Eating Establishments, Retail Sales and Services should be limited to accessory uses to the principal structure and not be primary uses in the park; (9) The list of permitted uses should be narrowed to exclude bus stations; power generating or transmission facilities; radio, telephone or television masts, towers or similar structures; telephone repeater stations; blacksmiths; armories; bulk storage of flammable liquids and gases; and, truck terminals; (10) A traffic study would need to be done to determine the length of the left turn lane for Blair (NC Hwy 51) and Cabarrus Road would need to be widened to a 15 ft. lane with curb and gutter, 5 ft. planting strip and a 5 ft. sidewalk along the applicant's property; (11) All lots would only have access from the interior proposed street. Per discussion with Planning Staff, a single drive shall be permitted to serve Lot 13 off Blair Road (NC Hwy 51) prior to development of the interior street. Such drive must be cut at the location of the proposed interior access street only.

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Mayor Ted H. Biggers, Jr.	
Accepted by: Charles Jone	Date: 2-28-08
Charles Jones (Signature)	
CHARLE S. JONES	
Charles Jones (Please Print Name)	

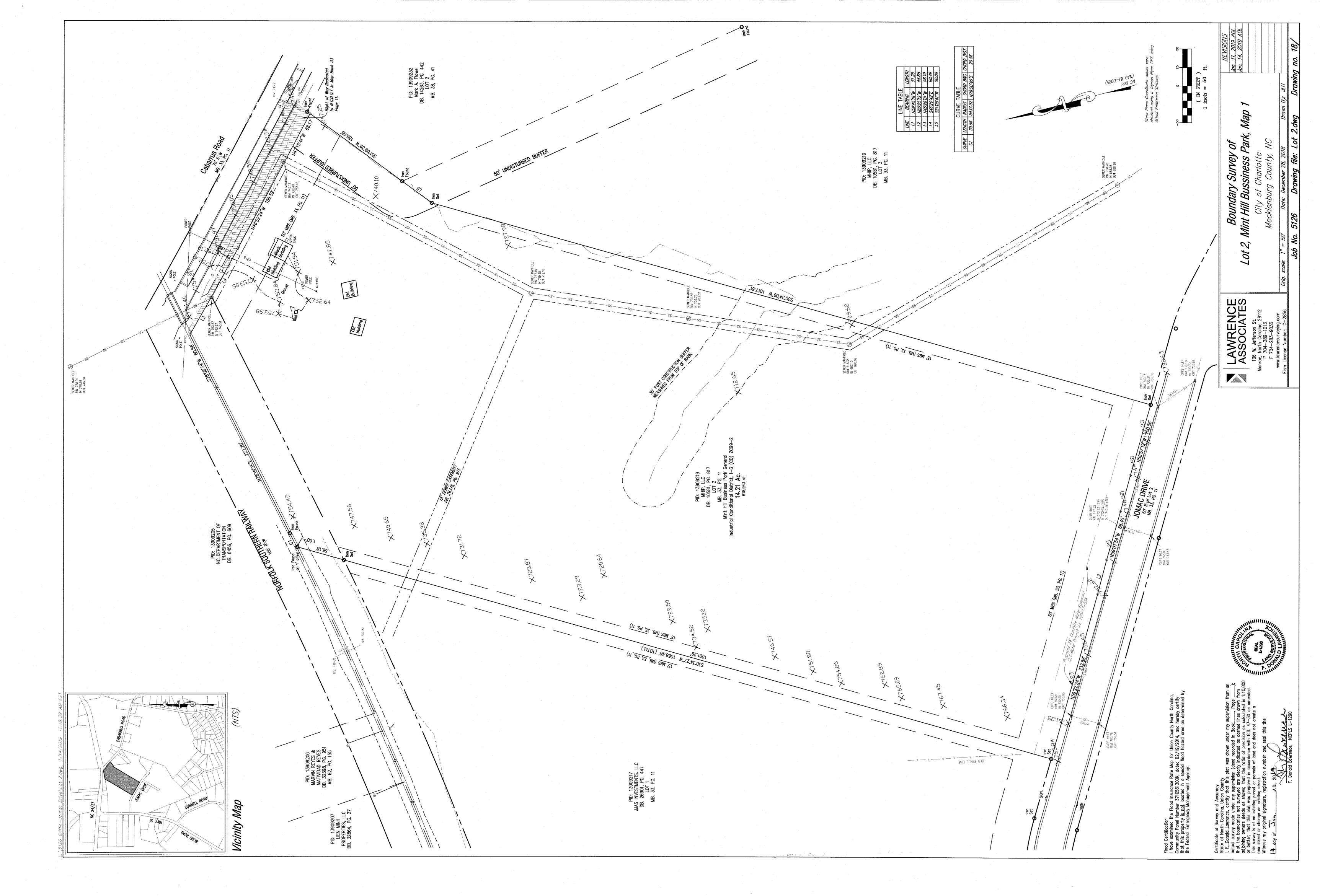


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MINUTES OF THE MINT HILL PLANNING BOARD MEETING FEBRUARY 18, 2019

The Mint Hill Planning Board met in a regular session on Monday, February 18, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the John M. McEwen Assembly Room, Mint Hill Town Hall.

ATTENDANCE

Chairman: Tony Long

Members: Scott Fandel, Brad Simmons, Roy Fielding, Roger Hendrix, and Tom Gatz

Planning Director: John Hoard

Clerk to the Board: Cassie Crutchfield Commissioners: Carl M. Ellington

Absent: Chip Todd

CALL TO ORDER AND INVOCATION

Chairman Long called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m., declared a quorum present and the meeting duly constituted to carry on business. Mr. Simmons gave the invocation.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Approval of Minutes of December 17, 2018 Regular Meeting: Upon the motion of Mr. Gatz, seconded by Mr. Fielding, the Board unanimously approved the minutes of the December 17, 2018 Planning Board meeting.

Additions or Deletions of Agenda Items: Chaiman Long said there was an additional agenda item, #ZC19-1, for tonight's meeting. Upon the motion of Mr. Gatz, seconded by Mr. Simmons, the Board unamiously approved the addition of #ZC19-1 to the agenda.

Reports of Committees, Members and Staff: None.

Old Business: None.

New Business:

A. Discussion and Decision of #ZC19-1, filed by Book It Properties, to Revert property located at 9346 and 9400 Lawyers Road from Institutional back to Residential zoning. Planning Director Hoard said #ZC19-1, filed by Book It Properties LLC, the location at 9346 and 9400 Lawyers Road, was rezoned from Residential to Institutional on May 22, 2008. The purpose of the rezoning was to prepare a site for the Charter High School. Ultimately the site on Idelwild Road was selected. The current rezoning request was to revert the properties to R zoning. The plan consistency was found to be reasonable and consistent with the adopted Land Use Plan.

Upon the motion of Mr. Gatz, seconded by Mr. Simmons, the Board unanimously made a favorable recommendation on ZC19-1, located at 9346 and 9400 Lawyers Road to be rezoned to Residential.

Planning Director Hoard showed the Planning Board the location of the area being rezoned. Mr. Fielding added that all the trees were gone at the rezoned area.

B. Discussion and Decision on #S19-1 Estates at Arlington Woods Preliminary Plat, filed by Merrick & Company; requesting preliminary subdivision approval, Located on Brief Road, Tax Parcel numbers 139-271-97, 139-302-06 & 139-461-04: Planning Director Hoard provided the following memo to the Board.

The applicant, Merrick & Company, was requesting preliminary subdivision approval for the property located off Brief Road. The site consisted of 114.49 acres. The site plan indicated 68 lots. Lots were to be served with public water and septic. The Unified Development Ordinance required a minimum 30,000 square foot lot size. The minimum setbacks were 60 ft front, 30 ft side street (corner lots), 20 ft side yard, and a 40 ft rear yard. Each lot shall have 70 ft of road frontage. The minimum lot width is 130 ft, measured at the minimum front setback line. The preliminary plan appeared to meet the above requirements. Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency would review the construction plans for sedimentation and erosion control, storm water, flood, and road profiles. The applicant was responsible for submitting these plans to Mecklenburg County. Mint Hill staff would review the construction plans to assure compliance before grading begins.

Mr. Gatz asked where the public water extension were coming from? Mr. Scott Doerr, Engineer with Merrick & Company said there was public water at the intersection of Bartlett Road and Arlington Church Road. Mr. Gatz asked if the neighbors that live along Arlington Church Road would be able to use the same waterline? Mr. Doerr said yes, they would need to apply in order to use it. Mr. Gatz asked what size homes being built. Mr. Evan Mooney, Lennar Homes, said they had not decided what product they were going to build; they were looking at houses 2200 to 3500 sq. ft. range. Mr. Gatz asked what the price range of the house. Mr. Mooney said they were selling them around the mid 300,000's. Mr. Hendrix asked Planning Director Hoard how did they align with the Town regarding the building materials? Planning Director Hoard said they were doing a by-right option and were using large lots; therefore, there were no building material requirements. Mr. Hendrix asked what type of schedule they were looking at? Mr. Mooney said they were trying to get the construction documents approved in the next few months. The subdivision was going to be roads only and not a clear-cut design where they would cut down more trees. They would like to save as many trees as possible. Mr. Simmons asked Planning Director Hoard if they were following the ordinance. Planning Director Hoard said yes. Mr. Fielding said he was happy to know they were trying to preserve the trees. Chairman Long said he spoke with Planning Director Hoard about his concern for Mint Hill with them using 68 lots and the streets not being maintained by NCDOT. He hoped the Board and Elected Officials considered there needs to have road improvements tied to these developments beyond 50 lots. Mr. Hendrix asked how many road accesses the neighborhood had? Mr. Mooney said there were two road accesses connections, Brief Road and Beckley Place. It was a fire safety requirement to have two access points. Planning

Director Hoard explained how Beckley Place was a gravel road and it was being maintained by the property owners. He was uncertain if it was a private or public road. They had agreed to put in a gate if they found that it was a private street; neither the Town nor NCDOT would maintain it. It would keep out the general public from using it. Planning Director Hoard said he had given the property owners some forms to submit to NCDOT and they discovered Beckley Place was platted before 1975. Planning Director Hoard said it might qualify for maintenance by NCDOT. Mr. Hendrix expressed his concern for Brief Road. Mr. Simmons asked if they had any conversations with NCDOT about Brief Road. Planning Director Hoard said the conversation was not directly with NCDOT; however, it was done with the Reginal Planning Agency. Mr. Fielding discussed his concerns about the two-lanes at Lawyers Road. Planning Director Hoard explained of how long it took NCDOT to make plans to widen Highway 51.

Mr. Gatz made a favorable motion on #S19-1 Estates at Arlington Woods Preliminary Plat, filed by Merrick & Company; requesting preliminary subdivision approval, located on Brief Road, Tax Parcel numbers 139-271-97, 139-302-06 & 139-461-04. The Planning Board was concerned about Brief Road and the infrastructure in Mint Hill for secondary roads that these subdivisions continue to go in without having appropriate road structure. The motion was seconded by Mr. Simmons, the Board unanimously agreed.

Other Business: None.

<u>Adjournment:</u> Upon the motion of Mr. Fielding, seconded by Mr. Hendrix and unanimously agreed upon, Chairman Long adjourned the meeting at 6:52 p.m.

Cassie Crutchfield, Clerk to the Board