Midway City Council 17 August 2021 Work Meeting

The Village Development / Updated Plan

Memo



Date:

August 17, 2021

To:

Midway City Council

From:

Michael Henke

Re:

The Village – Revised Concept Plan

Dan Luster of Midway Heritage Development LLC, developer of The Village mixed-use project at 541 East Main Street, has submitted an updated concept plan (please see attached plan, Exhibit 3). The applicant has applied to rezone 13.34 acres of the project area from R-1-11 and R-1-22 zones to C-2. The proposed rezone would allow the mixed-use zoning code, which is an option in the C-2 zone, to be applied to the entire property which encompasses 27.47 acres. This would allow for more flexibility regarding density dispersion when designing the development with the goal of creating the best neighborhood possible based on the vision described in the General Plan.

The City Council last reviewed the proposal on July 6, 2021. In that meeting, after a public hearing, the City Council discussed the proposal, and several ideas were shared regarding adjustments to the plan that could be made. The developer has submitted a new plan based on comments made at the meeting. The following are some of the changes that have been made to the revised concept plan:

- Setbacks have been increased in the proposed rezone area to approximately 100'
- Setbacks in the area currently zoned C-2 have increased in some areas, notably along the western boundary where they were increased from 10' to 36' minimum except for the commercial building fronting Main Street.
- Three more units have been added near the eastern boundary of the project. The approved concept plan's density is 156 units. The first concept plan had 140 units. The newly revised concept plan has 143 units.

- An open area (0.24 acres) has been created on Main Street and a commercial building area has been reduced to create the open area.
- A 1,300 square foot commercial building footprint has been added.
- Some of the commercial building footprint areas have been moved.
- Parking stalls along the eastern boundary have been removed.
- Commercial parking stalls have been added near the commercial buildings.
- The tennis courts have been removed and replaced with a parking area.
- The approved concept plan had 10.33 acres of open space (areas at least 100' in width between structures or 60' between structures and boundary lines). The newly revised concept plan has 8.32 acres of open space.
- The building footprint areas for commercial and residential have been updated.

The applicant would like to discuss the newly revised site plan with the City Council in the work meeting. Not every detail needs to be finalized at this stage. This applicant will still need to apply for Master Plan approval and then preliminary and final approval for each phase. The Master Plan is also a Conditional Use and in this sept of the process is when all nuisance issues (light, noise, etc.) will be addressed. Any issues such as requiring greater setbacks, limiting where commercial development may take place, etc. should be addressed with the zone change application.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Exhibits

Exhibit 1 – Approved Concept Plan

Exhibit 2 – Proposed Rezone Concept Plan (July 6)

Exhibit 3 – Proposed Revised Rezone Concept Plan (August 17)

Exhibit 1

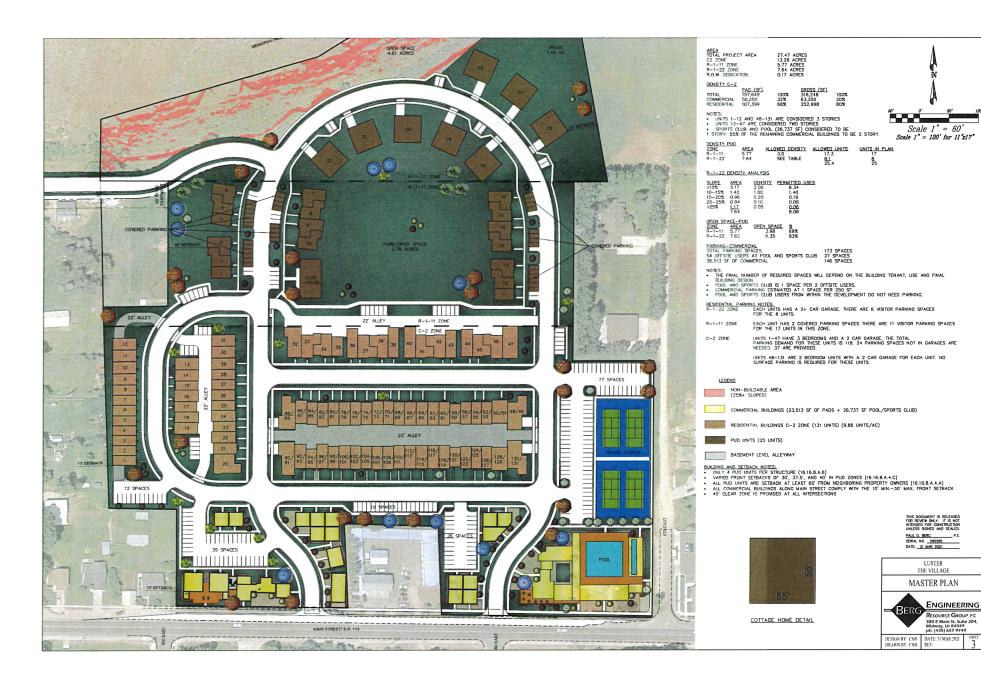


Exhibit 2

Open Plan Concept

- 16 fewer units, meets commercial, and open space requirements
- Over 100 yards open space on main
- Better spacing from neighbors on east and west



Exhibit 3

