AGENDA REPORT PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING May 20, 2021

SUMMARY

A request by Central Missouri Professional Services (agent), on behalf of Eastland Hills Development, LLC (owner), for a one-lot final plat of approximately 0.8-acres of property to be known as "Eastland Hills Plat XIII". The property is zoned Mixed-Use Commercial (MC) and is located on the east side of the T-intersection of I-70 Drive SE and Upland Creek Road. **(Case #134-2021)**

DISCUSSION

The applicant is seeking approval of a one-lot consolidation plat to bestow legal-lot status on the approximately 0.8-acre property located south of I-70 Drive SE and east of Upland Creek Road. The site is presently vacant and is anticipated to be addressed "806 Upland Creek Road" upon development. The property is split zoned. The preponderance of the site is zoned M-C (Mixed-Use Commercial), with a small triangular sliver of M-N (Mixed-Use Neighborhood) near the southern property line, as shown on the plat. The platting action will permit development of the site with uses permitted within the M-C/M-N zones (as applicable), subject to the dimensional standards (setback, etc.) of the zone, and all applicable neighborhood protection and use-specific standards.

The plat reflects adequate right-of-way (ROW) for Upland Creek Road (66' ROW/33' half-width) and I-70 Drive SE (80' ROW/40' half-width), and dedicates a 10' utility easement adjacent to each road frontage, respectively, as is required. Sidewalk is required for platting actions, and a performance contract has been submitted. A City sanitary sewer line extends to the southern boundary of the property. The property is in the Boone Electric and Public Water Service District #9 districts, respectively. Per Chapter 29-4.4 of the UDC a significant tree and climax forest preservation plan will be required at the time building permits are requested.

The plat has been reviewed by internal and external departments/agencies and is believed fully compliant with the requirements of the UDC. A final compliance review is presently underway by the City Surveyor. Given this outstanding review, staff supports approval of the plat "subject to minor technical corrections".

RECOMMENDATION

Approval the "Eastland Hills Plat XIII" subject to minor technical corrections.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (ATTACHED)

- Locator maps
- Final Plat

SITE CHARACTERISTICS

Area (acres)	.8 acres
Topography	Generally flat with some sloping at the eastern extent of the property.
Vegetation/Landscaping	Vacant with turf on the north and west of the property and wooded area to the eastern portion of the site.
Watershed/Drainage	Perche Creek
Existing structures	vacant

HISTORY

Annexation date	1969
Zoning District	M-C (Mixed Use- Commercial)
Land Use Plan designation	Commercial
Previous Subdivision/Legal Lot Status	Previously unplatted.

UTILITIES & SERVICES

Sanitary Sewer	City of Columbia
Water	PWSD #9
Electric	Boone Electric

ACCESS

Upland Creek Road		
Location	West side of site	
Major Roadway Plan	Local roadway, adequate ROW in place	
CIP projects	N/A	
Sidewalk	Required	

I-70 Drive SE	
Location	North side of site
Major Roadway Plan	Neighborhood collector, adequate ROW in place
CIP projects	N/A
Sidewalk	Required

PARKS & RECREATION

Neighborhood Parks	Nearest park is Eastport Park approximately 1 mile southwest
Trails Plan	Site approximately ¼ mile to the east of the Hominy Branch Trail
Bicycle/Pedestrian Plan	Hominy Branch Trail

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

All property owners within 200 feet and City-recognized neighborhood associations within 1,000 feet of the boundaries of the subject property were notified of this pending request via on April 14, and again on April 29 to advise of a schedule change. 10 postcards were distributed.

Public information meeting recap	Number of attendees: N/A (No meeting held due to COVID-19) Comments/concerns: see below
Notified neighborhood association(s)	Eastland Hills Neighborhood Association
Correspondence received	One phone call and one email. Both asked questions about allowed uses and development plans for property. Staff indicated a church was an interested buyer and no building plans submitted. Directed individuals to contact property owner for more information.

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Approved by Patrick Zenner