# **Anderson County Planning Commission**

David Cothran, Chair, District #5 Ed Dutton, District #1 Brad Burdette, District #3 Debbie Chapman, District #7 Jane Jones, Vice-Chair, District #6 Lonnie Murray, District #2 Jerry Vickery, District #4

August 8, 2017
Regularly Scheduled
Meeting
6:00 PM

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Approval of Agenda
- 3. Approval of Minutes (from July 11, 2017 meeting and July 24, 2017 Workshop)
- 4. Old Business
- 5. New Business
  - A. Preliminary Subdivision Chimney Hill
  - B. Preliminary Subdivision Yorkshire Farms
  - C. Preliminary Subdivision Palmetto Crossing
  - D. Preliminary Subdivision St. Andrews Development, LLC
  - E. Variance Request Grace Farm LLC
  - F. Variance Request William J. Herb, II and Stephannie Herb
- 6. Other Business
  - A. Consent Agenda Rogers Road Subdivision
- 7. Adjournment

The Planning Commission meets on the second Tuesday of each month, unless otherwise noted. Meetings are held at 6:00 PM in the County Council Chambers, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the old courthouse, located at 101 South Main Street, Anderson.

# Anderson County Planning Commission Tuesday, July 11, 2017 • 6:00 PM Council Chambers • Second Floor – Old Courthouse Anderson, South Carolina

#### Minutes

In accordance with the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, Section 30-4-10 et seq., South Carolina Code, 1976, as amended and the Anderson County Ordinance #386, as adopted on September 21, 1993, the media was duly notified of the date, time, and place of the meeting.

<u>Members Present</u>: David Cothran, Ed Dutton, Lonnie Murray, Brad Burdette, Jerry Vickery, Jane Jones and Debbie Chapman

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Alesia Hunter, Henry Copeland, Michael Forman, Jeff Parkey and Celia Boyd Myers

<u>Call to Order</u>: Chairman Cothran called the meeting to order at 6PM, with a quorum present to conduct the meeting and welcomed all present to the meeting.

<u>Approval of Agenda</u>: Chairman Cothran called for any changes to the agenda. Hearing none, the agenda was unanimously approved.

<u>Approval of Minutes</u>: Chairman Cothran called for any changes to the minutes from the June 13<sup>th</sup> meeting. Hearing none, the minutes were approved.

### New Business:

### Preliminary Subdivision: Wren Woods

Ms. Alesia Hunter presented the request for the proposed Wren Woods subdivision. The +/- 23.97 acres are located in District 6 off SC Highway 81 and are not zoned. The proposed subdivision would hold 24 lots over three phases using Powdersville Water and septic tanks. Staff recommended approval. Hearing no comments, the motion to approve was passed unanimously, with a motion by Mr. Vickery and a second by Mr. Dutton.

### Other Business:

Mr. Rick Glover of Hidden Falls Subdivision asked to approach the Commission. He wished to inform the Commissioners of a special exception request at 81 and Concord. The request was for a host house for basketball players from other countries. Mr. Glover argued that this was a business and therefore unsuitable in the R-A zoned area. The request was before the Board of Zoning and Land Use Appeals. Mr. Forman informed the Commission that the County attorney was aware of the situation and is looking into the matter.

Mr. Michael Forman then informed the Commissioners that a workshop was needed for a yearly review of house-keeping items. A poll will be sent to determine the date and time.

Chairman Cothran called for any other business. Hearing no further business, Chairman Cothran adjourned the meeting at 6:21 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Celia Boyd Myers, AICP Planning Commission Secretary

# Anderson County Planning Commission Monday, July 24, 2017 • 12:00 PM Conference Room • Second Floor – Old Courthouse Anderson, South Carolina

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Members Present: David Cothran, Brad Burdette, Jerry Vickery, Jane Jones and Debbie Chapman

Members Absent: Ed Dutton and Lonnie Murray

Staff Present: Michael Forman, Jeff Parkey, Rhonda Sloan, Leon Harmon, Rusty Burns and Celia Boyd Myers

<u>Call to Order</u>: Chairman Cothran called the meeting to order at Noon, with a quorum present to conduct the workshop and welcomed all present to the meeting.

<u>Approval of Agenda</u>: Chairman Cothran called for any changes to the agenda. Hearing none, the agenda was unanimously approved.

### **New Business:**

### Review of Planning Commission responsibilities, policies and procedures

Mr. Michael Forman presented an overview of the SC Planning Enabling Act and Anderson County Code (Chapters 38 and 70), with detail given to the Planning Commission's role. Items covered included the State sanctioned functions, powers and duties of local planning commissions; comprehensive plans; zoning; land regulations; and appeals; as well as County development standards and zoning regulations.

### Possible Executive Session: Legal Matters

The possible executive session was deemed unnecessary and did not occur.

### Other Business:

Mrs. Celia Myers reminded the Commission of SC State mandated continuing education requirements (3 hours each year after a 6 hour orientation).

Chairman Cothran called for any other business. Hearing no further business, Chairman Cothran adjourned the meeting at 12:50 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

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### Anderson County Planning Commission August 8, 2017 6:00 PM

### **Staff Report- Preliminary Townhome Development**

### **Previous Consideration by Planning Commission:**

The Anderson County Planning received and considered this project application as part of the regular public meeting of the Commission held on June 13, 2017. By a vote of 4-0 the Planning Commission approved a motion made at that meeting to deny the applicant's request. The developer has not added, changed, or made any revisions or modifications from the previous submittal.

Preliminary Subdivision Name: Chimney Hill

Intended Development: Townhomes with Amenity Area

Applicant: Beeson Development, LLC

Surveyor/Engineer: JW White Consulting, LLC

Location: Barr Circle; Old Anderson Road Mill Road

County Council District: 6

Surrounding Land Use: North – Residential;

East – Residential; West – Residential; South - Commercial

Zoning: Not Zoned

**Tax Map Number:** 8 Parcels - 236-00-02-018; 236-00-02-037

236-00-02-026; 236-00-02-078; 236-00-02-019; 236-00-02-039; 236-00-02-035; 236-00-00-02-080

**Extension of Existing Dev:** No.

Existing Access Road: Barr Circle; Old Anderson Road

Number of Acres: 29.12

Number of Lots: 206 Units - Three Phases

Phase I - 99 lots Phase II - 72 lots Phase III - 35 lots

Water Supplier: Powdersville Water District

Sewer Supplier: Anderson County Public Works

Variance:

Yes

Parking required:

418 spaces

Parking Provided:

418 spaces

### **Traffic Impact Analysis:**

This project is to be constructed in three phases. At total build-out, the average daily traffic, ADT will be 1648 trips. Barr Circle is rated as a major local road and is determined to accommodate 1600 trips per day. Hood Road is a state maintained collector road and is determined to have no maximum limitations at this time. Phases II will open an access Old Anderson Road. Old Anderson Road is a state maintained collector road with no maximum limitations. The two access points will be below the minimum requirements.

A traffic study was submitted and prepared by Professional Engineer. Anderson County Roads and Bridges and Development Standard Staff has reviewed the study. Anderson County Roads and Bridges has reviewed this project and determined the roadway is adequate for the proposed development. Applicant has requested from Roads and Bridges that a hammerhead turn-around be allowed to replace the required cul-de-sac. The following conditions are required;

- 1. Add "Private Road" to each road name label.
- 2. Developer is responsible for acquiring and maintaining any site easements required by SCDOT or Anderson County to access public roads.
- 3. Temporary cul-de-sac or alternate turnaround should be constructed at the end of each phase.
- 4. Reconstruct Barr Circle to add a right turn lane due to the increased traffic delay at the intersection of Hood Road. The storage length should be 160' long as required by traffic impact study. The taper length should be approximately 100'long. The widening should be constructed to the current road standards pavement section.
- 5. Work with SCDOT to mitigate traffic impacts on SCDOT maintained roads.
- 6. Phase 2 and 3 should be combined because they only have one access point on Barr Circle.
- 7. Phase 2 cannot be developed until the road is extended to Old Anderson Road.
- 8. The roads are required to be privately maintained due to the following reasons;
- 9. On street parking spaces
- 10. Lot sizes/widths
- 11. The proposed centerline alignment will not meet current road standards.
- 12. Multiple driveways connected within the right of way.

**Project Parking:** The developer is requesting a variance from the off-street parking requirements to allow for parking that will utilize garages and driveways. Anderson County ordinance requires two parking spaces for a two bedroom units. This project is designed with a one car garage space for each individual unit. The second required off street space would be in the driveway. Utilizing the driveway and garage will meet this standard.

Staff recommends APPROVAL of the variance with the following condition; The townhomes must setback from the road right of way not less than 20 feet to provide adequate parking spaces in driveways.

#### Setbacks:

For townhomes, there shall be no minimum between units, but a 15 foot setback shall be required between the end unit and the exterior project property line and between buildings on the project site. No more than 16 units may be attached. Rear setback is not less than 15'. This project exceeds the minimum requirements.

### **Staff Recommendation:**

Staff recommends APPROVAL of the preliminary townhome development with the following conditions.

- 1. Subdivision and road names must be approved by the GIS Addressing Department.
- 2. If volumes and pressures exit, fire hydrants must be placed within 1000' of all lots.
- 3. All lots must access internal road only.
- 4. Developer must obtain the following permits prior to proceeding with development to include:
- 5. Anderson County Roads and Bridges and SCDOT for encroachment permitting and must meet all of the above requirement 12 requirements pertaining to the private road.
- 6. Approval from Powdersville Water District for potable and fire services.
- 7. Anderson County Storm Water Department and SCDHEC for review and approval of sediment and erosion control plans.
- 8. Approval from Anderson County Wastewater for sewer services.
- 9. Setbacks are required to be shown on the Final Plat.



# Subdivision Plat Application

Date of Application Completion		Name of Project	
Applicant's Information			
Name:	BEESON DEVELOPM	IENT, LLC	
Mailing Address:	101-A CELY LANE, I	PIEDMONT, SC 29673	
Telephone and Fax:		E-Mail: BEESONDEVELOPMENT@GMAIL.COM	
	<u>O</u>	wner's Information  If Different from Applicant)	
Name:			
Mailing Address:	-		
Telephone and Fax:		E-Mail:	
	<u>P</u>	roject Information	
		100' NORTHWEST OF HWY 153/HWY 18 INTERSECTION	
Parcel Number/TM	TMS #236-00-02-018 S:TMS #236-00-02-019	IMS #236-00-02-037 IMS #236-00-02-026 TMS #236-00-02-078 IMS #236-00-02-039 IMS #236-00-02-035 IMS #236-00-02-080	
County Council Dist	trict: <u>06</u>	School District: 01	
Total Acreage:	<u>+</u> 29.12 ACRES	<u>206 TOTAL</u> (PHASE 1=99, Number of Lots: <u>PHASE 2=72, PHASE</u> 335)	
		Current Zoning: UNZONED	
Surrounding Land Uses: North: RESIDENTIAL South: COMMERCIAL East: RESIDENTIAL West: RESIDENTIAL			
Water Supplier: POWDERSVILLE WATER Sewer Supplier: ANDERSON COUNTY			
Have any changes been made since this plat was last before the Planning Commission?: NO			
If so, please describe	•		
Is there a request for	r a variance?: YES	If so, please attach the description to this application.	
As the applicant, I hereby confirm that all the required materials for this application are authentic and have been submitted to the Anderson County Development Standards Office.			
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LOT SIZE: 90' x 24' (2,160 SF) = 26 LOTS

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LOT SIZE: 90° x 24° (2.160 55°) = 14 LOTS

90° x 22° (1.980 55°) = 21 LOTS SETENCKS: FRONT=20" / REAR=20" / SIDES=20" 206 TOTAL UNITS PO BOX 806 ANDERSON, SOUTH CAROLINA 29622 PHONE: (864) 634–4399 Email: hwhiteconsulting@gmail.com JW WHITE CONSULTING, LLC

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# Variance Application

Date of Application Completion Application Status (Approved or Denied)

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	Ap	oplicant's Information		
Name:	BEESON DEVELOPMENT, LI	LC		
Mailing Address:	101-A CELY LANE, PIEDMON	NT, SC 29673		
Telephone and Fax:	864-704-4415	E-Mail: BEESONE	DEVELOPMENT@GM	AIL.COM
	<u>(</u>	Owner's Information (If Different from Applicant)		
Name:				
Mailing Address: _				
Telephone and Fax:		E-Mail:		
Designation of Ager	nt: (Complete only if owne	r is not the applicant)		
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Owner's Signatur	9)	Date	e	
	]	Project Information		
Property Location:				
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County Council Dis	trict: 06	School District:	01	
Total Acreage: ±29 Requested Variance		Current Zoning: There is a Variance variance, sign variance or minim	Application fee of \$20	
Purpose of Variance	MEET SECTION 38-210	PARKING REQUIREMENTS FO	OR A TOWNHOME	THROUGH THE
USE OF A GARAGE	AND/OR DRIVEWAY FOR	EACH TOWNHOME UNIT.		
Private Covenants o	or Deed Restrictions on th	e Property: Yes	No	X
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If you indicated no, your signature is required.			
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Extraordinary and exceptional conditions pertainin SEE ATTACHED LETTER	g to the particular piece of property, as follows:		
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Conditions do not generally apply to other properti	es in vicinity, as shown by:		
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Application of the ordinance to the particular piece of property would effectively prohibit or unreasonable restrict the utilization of the property as follows:THE ORDINANCE PREVENTS THE PROPERTY FROM BEING USED FOR ITS HIGHEST AND BEST USE. APPLICATION OF THE ORDINANCE WOULD THEREBY MAKE THE PROJECT COST PROHIBITIVE.			
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May 11, 2017

Anderson County

Board of Zoning Appeals 401 East River Street Anderson, SC 29624

Re: Chimney Hill Townhomes

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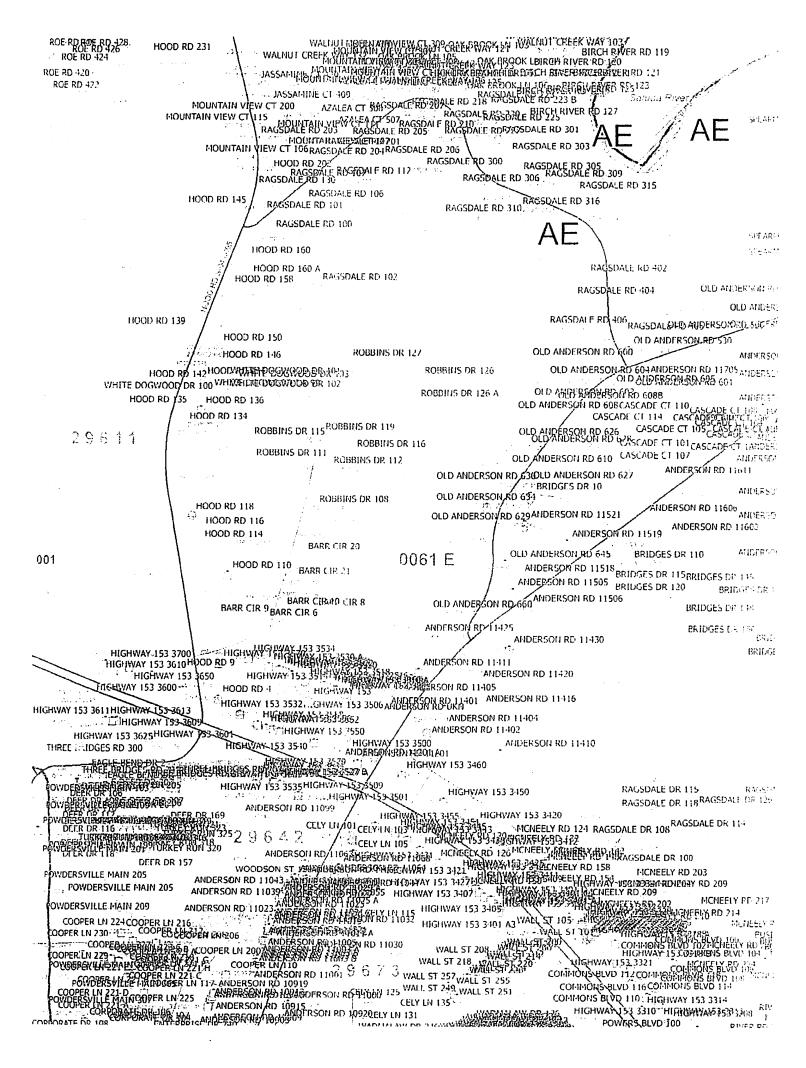
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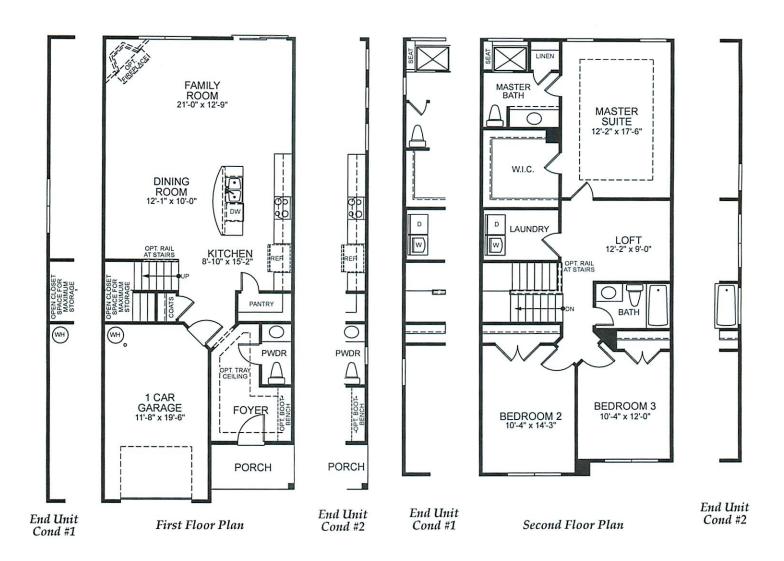




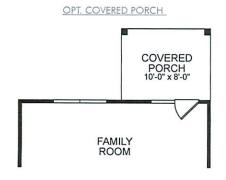
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3 Bed/ 2.5 Bath 1 Car Front Entry Garage





# Ashland Options



OPT. MASTER TUB/ SEPARATE SHOWER















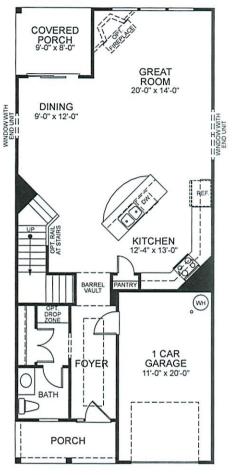
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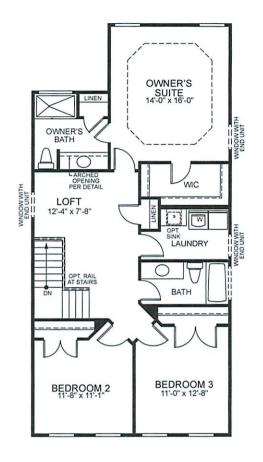
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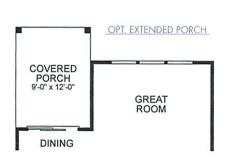


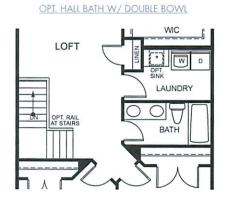
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Second Floor Plan

# Norman Options





#### OPT. OWNER'S BATH TUB W/ SEP, SHOWER



### OPT. OWNER'S BATH W/ DOUBLE BOWL









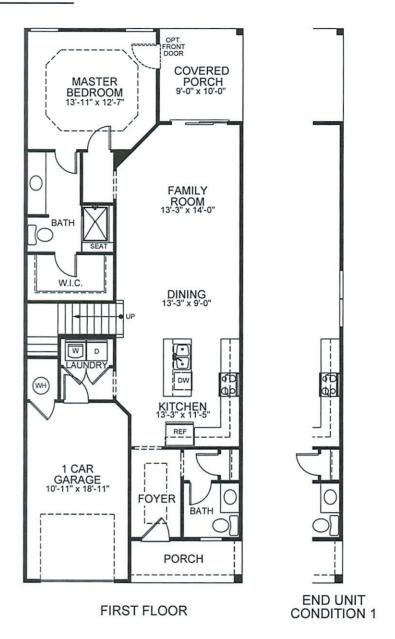






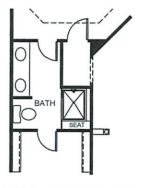
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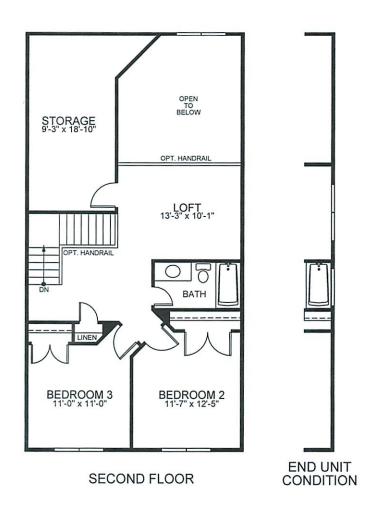


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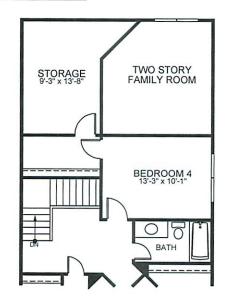


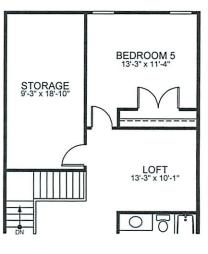
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# Second Floor Options





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OPT. 4TH BEDROOM ILO LOFT ONLY AVAILABLE WITH END CONDITION

### **Anderson County Planning Commission**

August 8, 2017 6:00 PM

### Staff Report - Preliminary Subdivision

Preliminary Subdivision Name: Yorkshire Farms

Intended Development: Residential/Cluster Development with Passive

Recreation Pocket Park

**Applicant:** Beeson Development, LLC

Surveyor/Engineer: Fant, Reichert, & Fogleman

**Location:** Off of Circle Road

**County Council District:** 6

**Surrounding Land Use:** North – Residential

South – Residential East – Residential West – Residential

**Zoning:** The property is un-zoned

**Tax Map Number:** 213-00-05-021, 022, p/o 237-00-15-001

**Extension of Existing Dev:** No

**Existing Access Road:** Circle Road

Number of Acres: 28+-

Number of Lots: 99

Water Supplier: Powdersville Water

Sewer Supplier: Anderson County

Variance: Yes

Requesting a variance on lot width from 60' to 55' at the setback/building line and a variance request to allow for lot area reduction from 8,000 square feet to 7,040 square

feet. Staff recommends approval of the variance request as requested. This variance request is similar to the Benton Park Development that the Planning Commission approved.

### **Traffic Impact Analysis:**

This new subdivision is expected to generate 990 new trips per day. Circle Road is classified as a collector road with no maximum average vehicle trips per day requirement. A traffic study is not required or a second entrance to the subdivision due to the developer not exceeding 99 lots. The developer will be required and is responsible for meeting or exceeding construction plans that are approved by Anderson County Roads and Bridges. Any road improvements, if applicable, will be the responsibility of the developer. An encroachment permit shall be required by Anderson County Roads and Bridges Department.

### **Staff Recommendation:**

Approval, staff recommends approval of the overall preliminary subdivision and variances, as requested with the following conditions.

- > Subdivision and road names must be approved by the Addressing Department.
- If volumes and pressures exit, fire hydrants must be placed within 1000' of all lots.
- ➤ All lots must access proposed internal roads only.
- All lots must adhere to and maintain the front, rear, and side yard setbacks, except where a variance has been granted.
- ➤ All lots must not be smaller than 7,040 square feet.
- All recreation areas of the pocket park must be shown on the Final Plat
- > Developer must comply with applicable utility requirements where applicable.
- > Developer will be responsible for making any applicable site improvements, if required by Anderson County Roads and Bridges Department.
- > Developer must obtain the following permits prior to proceeding with development to include;
- > Anderson County Roads and Bridges Department for road construction plans.
- > SCDHEC and Anderson County Stormwater Department for approval for erosion and sediment control.
- > Anderson County Encroachment Permit.
- > Approval from Powdersville Water District for potable water and fire protection.

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# Subdivision Plat Application

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Name:	BEESON	DEVELOPMENT	LLC		
Mailing Address:	101 CELY LA	NE, SUITE-A	PIEDMONT	SC 29673	
Telephone and Fax:	864-704-4415	E-Mail: BEE	SON DEVELOPM	ENT@gmail.com	2
	864-660-9689 <sub>(</sub>	Owner's Information (If Different from Applicant)			
Name:	DEWEY E ORR	(TMS# 213-000	-5021 4 213	3-000-5022)	
Mailing Address:	1510 CIRCLE R	D, EASLEY, SC	29642		
Telephone and Fax: Additional Own	ner: JEANNE ROE	E-Mail:  Po Box 51884, Project Information	EDMONT, SC 2	9673 (TMS# part of 237-00-15-	001
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Applicant's Signature

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# Variance Application

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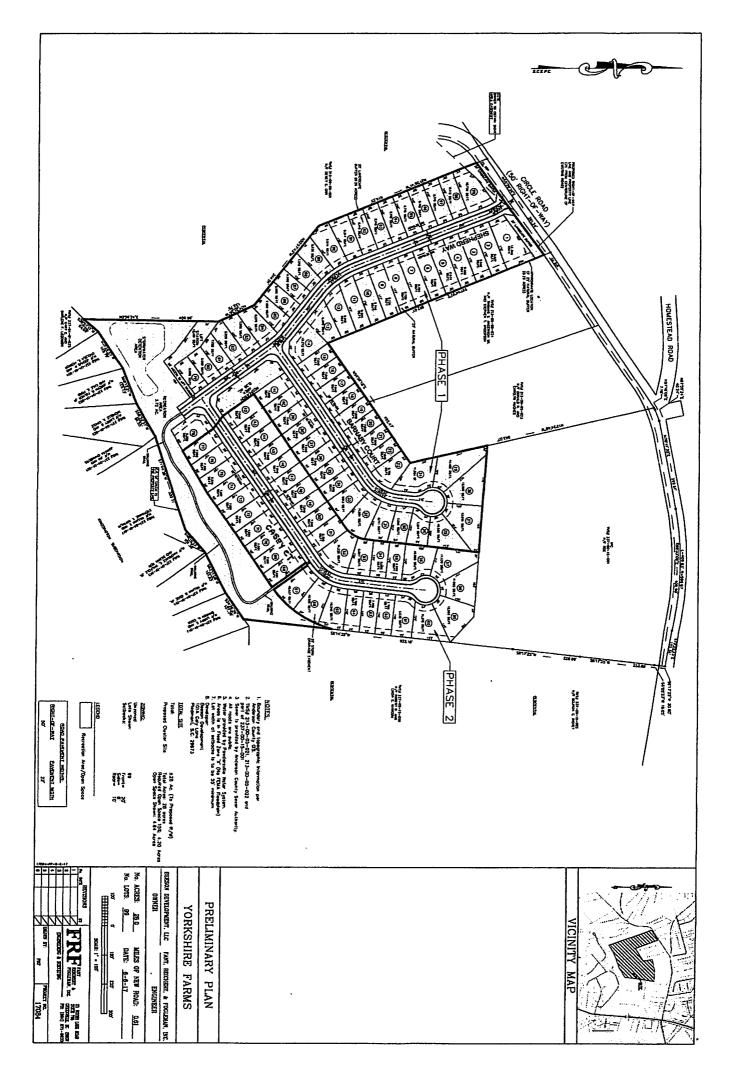
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Name: Beesa Development, LLC
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Owner's Information (If Different from Applicant)
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Telephone and Fax: E-Mail:
Designation of Agent: (Complete only if owner is not the applicant)
I (We) hereby appoint the person named the Applicant as my (our) agent to represent me (us) in this request for rezoning.
Owner's Signature  Date
Project Information
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Private Covenants or Deed Restrictions on the Property: YesNoNo

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information to this application.)	of this application: (Please attach copies of all additional		
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As the applicant, I hereby confirm that the required in	nformation and materials for this application are authentic		
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### **Anderson County Planning Commission**

August 8, 2017 6:00 PM

### Staff Report - Preliminary Subdivision

Preliminary Subdivision Name: Palmetto Crossing Subdivision

**Intended Development:** Residential

Applicant: Ryan Vicars, Vicars Construction LLC

Surveyor/Engineer: JW White Consulting, LLC

**Location:** Off of Palmetto Road

County Council District: 7

**Surrounding Land Use:** North – Vacant/Woods

South – Vacant/Woods East – Palmetto Road West – Vacant/Woods

**Zoning:** The property is un-zoned

**Tax Map Number:** 244-00-01-029

**Extension of Existing Dev:** No

**Existing Access Road:** Palmetto Road

Number of Acres: 14.82

Number of Lots: 21

Water Supplier: Big Creek Hammond Water

Sewer Supplier: Septic

Variance: None Requested

### **Traffic Impact Analysis:**

This new subdivision is expected to generate 210 new trips per day. Palmetto Road is classified as a collector road with no maximum average vehicle trips per day requirement. The developer will be required to meet or exceed construction plans that are approved by Anderson County Roads and Bridges. An encroachment permit shall be required by South Carolina Department of Transportation.

#### Staff Recommendation:

Approval, staff recommends approval of the preliminary subdivision with the following conditions.

- > Subdivision and road names must be approved by the Addressing Department.
- > If volumes and pressures exit, fire hydrants must be placed within 1000' of all lots.
- All lots must access proposed internal roads only.
- All lots must adhere to and maintain the front, rear, and side yard setbacks.
- All lots must be .574 acres or 25,000 square feet net. The developer needs to make certain that the setbacks and road right of are deducted properly to maintain the .574 acres. Corner lots facing Palmetto will have a 40' front/side yard setback and a 20' along the internal road.
- > Developer must comply with applicable utility requirements where applicable.
- Developer will be responsible for making any applicable site improvements as required by SCDOT and or Anderson County Roads and Bridges Department.
- > Developer must obtain the following permits prior to proceeding with development to include:
- Anderson County Roads and Bridges Department for road construction plans.
- ➤ Developer must complete the subdivision application for SCDHEC for septic approval.
- > SCDHEC and Anderson County Stormwater Department for approval for erosion and sediment control.
- > SCDOT Encroachment Permit.

> Approval from Big Creek Water District for potable water and fire protection.

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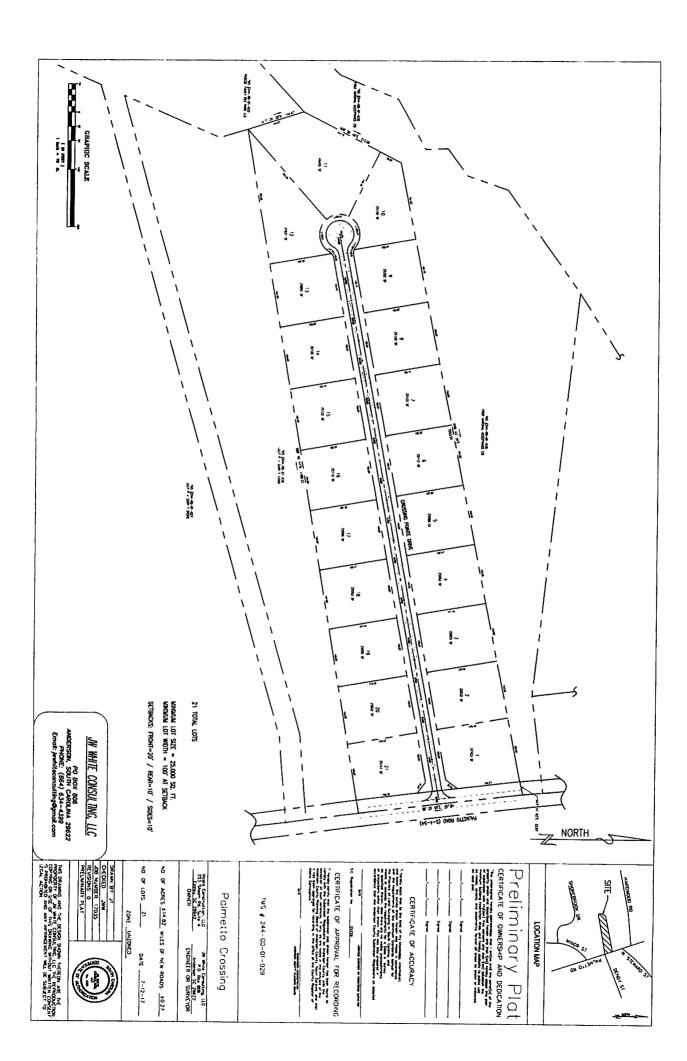


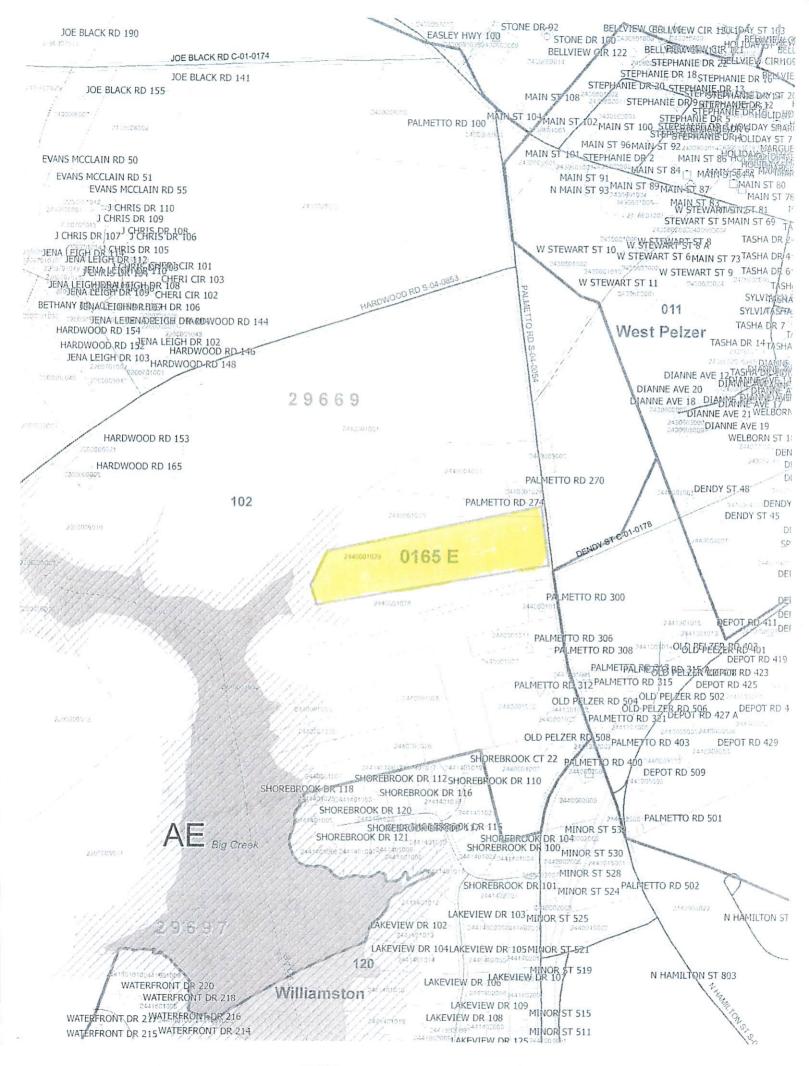
### Subdivision Plat Application

Palmetto Crossing Subdivision

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Name:	Applican Ryan Vicars, Vicars Construction	nt's Information on, LLC	
Mailing Address:	223 Siloam Road, Suite A, Eas	sley, SC 29642	
Telephone and Fax:	864-220-9840; 864-220-9762	E-Mail: _rvicars1@me.com	
		s Information ent from Applicant)	
Name:	Daniel B. Pascoe		
Mailing Address:	304 Gray Fox Sq., Taylors, SC	29687	
Telephone and Fax:		E-Mail:	
Project Location:	Project Located off of Palmetto Road.	t Information	
Parcel Number/TMS: 244-00-01-029			
County Council District: Seven School District: One			
Total Acreage: 14.82 Number of Lots: 21			
		_ Current Zoning:	
Surrounding Land Uses: North: Vacant/ Woods South: Vacant/ Woods East: Palmetto Road West: Vacant/ Woods			
Water Supplier: Big	Creek Hammond Water Dist.	Sewer Supplier: Septic Tank	
Have any changes been made since this plat was last before the Planning Commission?:			
If so, please describe:			
Is there a request for a variance?: If so, please attach the description to this application.			
As the applicant, I hereby confirm that all the required materials for this application are authentic and have been submitted to the Anderson County Development Standards Office.  Applicant's Signature  Page 1 of 1			
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#### Anderson County Planning Commission Meeting

August 8, 2017 6:00 PM

Staff Report – Preliminary Subdivision Approved by Planning Commission November 14, 2006-

- -New Application to change from Townhomes to Multi-Family Apartments.
- Under normal submittals within Zoned Areas (RM-7) are approved at the staff level since there is a change-update with Planning Commission.

**Preliminary Subdivision Name:** Proposed Multi-Family Apartments. The site is graded, paving is in and some curbing, water is installed storm water permit is still valid under the same owner, the storm water pond has been installed.

**Intended Development:** Multi-Family Apartments

Applicant: St. Andrews Development, LLC

Surveyor/Engineer: Bluewater Engineering

**Location:** Old Williamston Road

County Council District: 2

**School District:** 5

**Surrounding Land Use:** North – Residential (City Limits of Anderson)

South – Residential (R-12) East – Residential (R-12) West – Residential (R-12)

**Zoning:** RM-7

**Tax Map Number:** 149-18-02-001

**Extension of Existing Dev:** No

**Existing Access Road:** Old Williamston Road - State

Number of Acres: 11.17

**Number of Units:** 77 units (8 total building) 7 will have 10 apartments per building, the 8<sup>th</sup> building will have 7 apartments, and 1 small office. Recreational requirements, 200 square feet per unit=15,400 square feet or 0.35 acres set aside

**Parking Requirements:** 2 spaces per unit (77=154 total spaces required)

Water Supplier: Electric City Utilities

**Sewer Supplier:** City of Anderson

Variances Requested: None. The variances that were approved by the Planning Commission for the width of the right of way, minimum lots sizes and minimum lot widths are no longer valid due to change from townhome unit development to multifamily development where this will be a private parking lot and private off street parking space. There are separate guidelines for townhomes verses multi-family.

#### **Traffic Impact Analysis:**

This new subdivision is expected to generate 616 new trips per day. (8 per unit) Old Williamston Road is a state-maintained road and the developer must obtain an encroachment permit from SCDOT.

#### **Staff Recommendation:**

Approval, with the following conditions:

- ➤ If volumes and pressures exist, fire hydrants must be placed within 1000' of all lots.
- ➤ Road Names and Addressing must be updated by the Addressing Department from 2/6/2007
- All lots must access proposed internal roads within the apartment complex only.
- ➤ Developer must comply with all applicable requirements within the RM-7 Group Development Provision, Chapter 70 Section 6:12.3, 6.12.4 including detailed site plans, height restrictions
- > Developer must update the encroachment permit from SCDOT before proceeding further with development.
- ➤ All permits for storm water, sewer, water, must all be reviewed and updated and copies furnished to Development Standards Department due to permits issued and approved over 10 years old.
- ➤ Commercial Land Use Permit and a Building Permit is required prior to proceeding with construction



### Land Use Permit Application

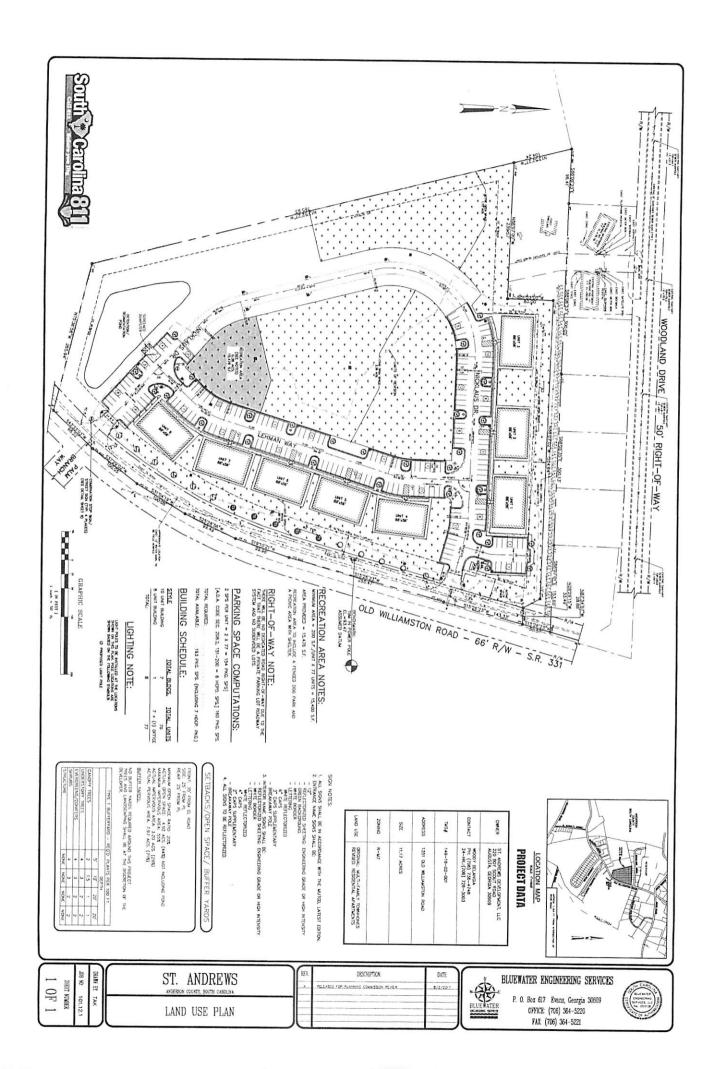
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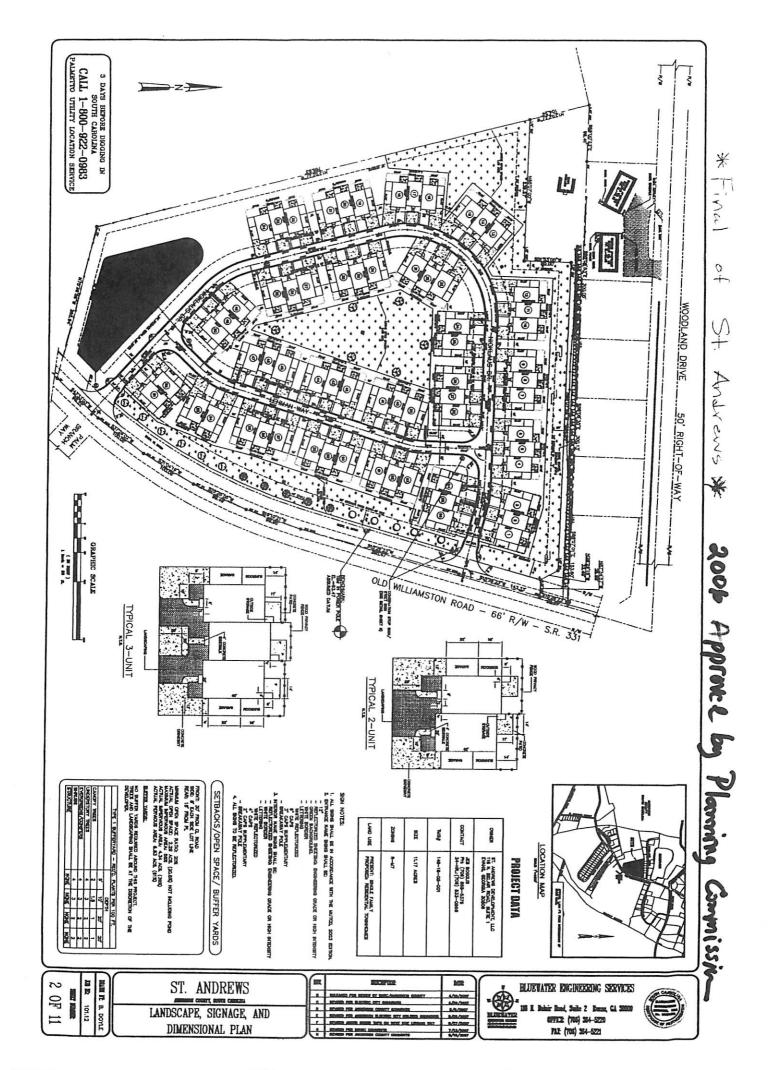
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Owner's Information			
Name: Sherwood Belangia, Manager			
Business Name (if applicable): St. Andrews De	velopment, LLC		
Mailing Address: 220 Boy Scout Road	Augusta, GA 30909		
Telephone and Fax:(706) 736-4748	E-Mail: woody@atcdevelopment.com		
Authorized Repres	entative's Information		
Name: Bill Corder, Project H	Engineer		
Company Name: Bluewater Engineering Services, LLC			
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 617 Evans, (	GA 30809		
Telephone and Fax: (706)364-5220 Phone E-Mail: billcorder@knology.net (706)364-5221 Fax Project Information			
Property Location: 1351 Old Williamston Road			
Parcel Number(s)/TMS: <u>149-18-02-001</u>			
County Council District:2	School District: 5		
Total Acreage: 11.17	Current Zoning: R-M7		
Proposed Land Use: <u>Apartments</u>	Current Land Use:Townhomes		
Water Supplier: Sewer Supplier:			
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If you indicated no, your signature is required.			
Applicant's Signature	7/3/17 Date		
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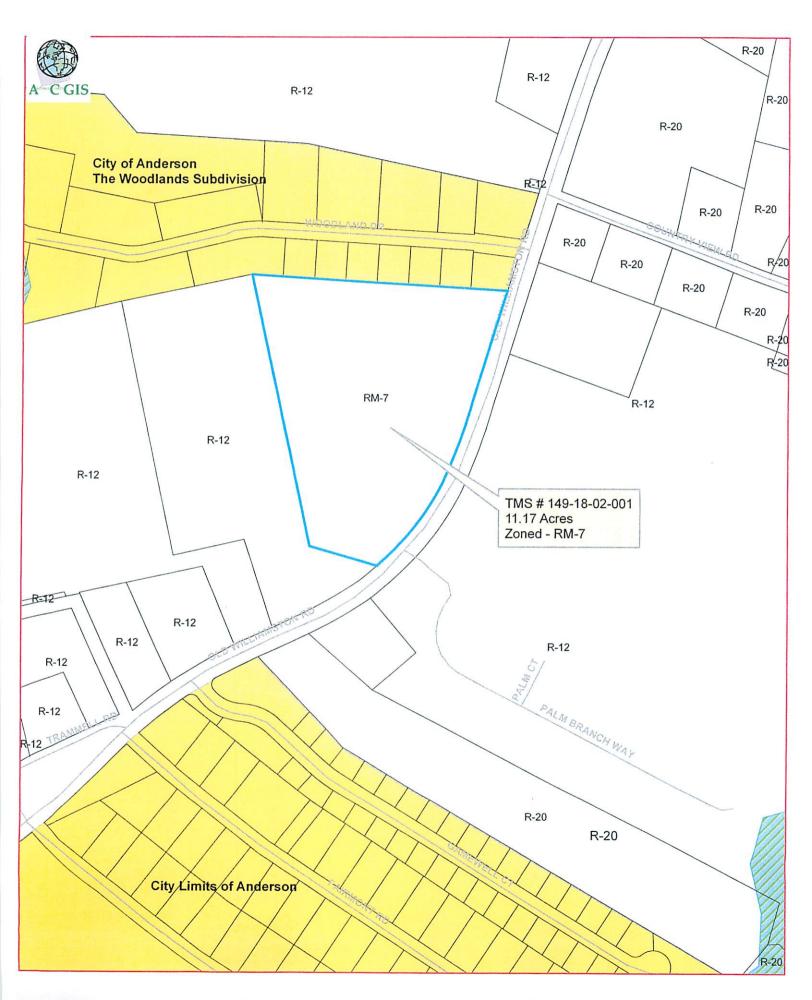
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### Proposed Old Williamston Road



# Staff Report – Variance Anderson County Planning Commission Meeting Historic Courthouse – 101 South Main Street – 2nd Floor County Council Chambers August 8, 2017 6:00 PM

Project Name: Grace Farm LLC

Applicant: Kimberly R. Sheffield

Owner: Grace Farm LLC

Intended Use: Residential, Single-Family Home

Location: Spearman Road, Pelzer, SC 29669

**County Council District:** Six (6)

**Zoning:** None (The property is un-zoned.)

Total Site Area: 50.0 acres (original); approximately 2.0 acres (Tract – to be designated and subdivided, if approved)

Tax Map Number: 193-00-19-004

**Extension of Existing Development: Yes** 

Existing Access Road: Private Easement from Spearman Road

Water Supplier: Big Creek Water & Sewer

Sewer: Individual On-Site Wastewater (Septic System)

Variance: Yes

**Request:** Applicant would like to subdivide their property, a 50.0 acre parcel, to create one additional lot containing approximately 2.0 acres. This new parcel would be accessed via a private easement (30 feet wide) as shown.

**Findings of Fact:** Anderson County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 38, Section 38-353.a. – Access. – All lots developed in the county from the date of the adoption of this article must be situated on or have direct access by right-of-way or easement to an approved county, state maintained road, or private road built to county standards. Direct access to any new lot must be in the form of an individual right of way or easement for each lot, not less than 20 feet in width.

The staff recommends APPROVAL of this request for the following reasons and with the following conditions:

- 1. Applicant has demonstrated that extraordinary and exceptional conditions exist. An alternate drive on the northern end of the property would be confronted with a steep hill and a deep ravine where a spring is located. The spring feeds both ponds. This would require construction of a bridge which would not be reasonable.
- 2. The fact that the existing easement, if shared, though 30 feet wide, is between the existing pond and a deep ravine which would preclude the establishment of a separate easement.
- 3. Due to physical and topographical conditions, no other way exists to access the property without further subdividing the property. The ponds are in the way and make this approach difficult.
- 4. The existing easement appears to be the only viable means of access to the property.
- 5. Should the Planning Commission approve this request, the staff will not be able to recommend approval of any further subdivision of lots that would be dependent on the existing access easement.



## Variance Application

Application Status (Approved or Denied)

Applicant's Information  Name: Kimberly R. Sheffield  Mailing Address: 604 Spearman Road Pelzer SC 79669  Telephone and Fax: 864 285-6117 E-Mail: Sheffield. Kimruppe egmail.ce		
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Telephone and Fax: 864. 285-6117 E-Mail: Sheffield. Kimruppe egmail.co		
Owner's Information (If Different from Applicant)		
Name: Grace Form LLC by Manager Valerie Medliff		
Name: Grace Farm LLC By Manager Valeric Medliff  Mailing Address: 6009 Spearman Rd Peizer Sc Jellug		
Telephone and Fax: 864-275-1881 E-Mail: Valerie medleiff & gmail. out		
Designation of Agent: (Complete only if owner is not the applicant)		
I (We) hereby appoint the person named the Applicant as my (our) agent to represent me (us) in this request for rezoning.		
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Manager - Project Information		
Property Location: 609 Spearman Rd Polzer Sc 29469		
County Council District: Total of School District: Anderson ( o Total of		
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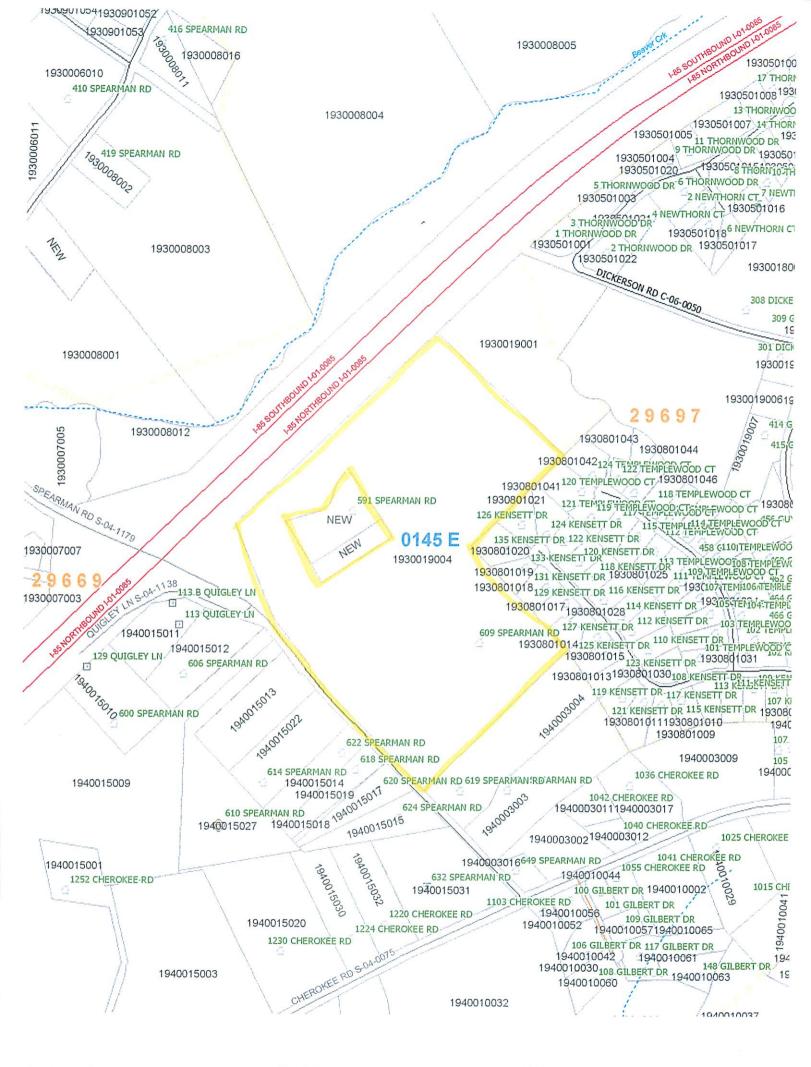
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Extraordinary and exceptional conditions pertaining to the particular piece of property, as follows:			
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Please attach an accurate, legible plot plan showing the dimensions and locations of structures and improvements of the property to this application.			
As the applicant, I hereby confirm that the required information and materials for this application are authentic and have been submitted to the Anderson County Development Standards Office.			
Applicant's Signature  Page 2 of 2  7 / 17  Date			
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Variance Application page 2 additional information...

Extraordinary and exceptional conditions pertaining to the particular piece of property as follows:

50 acres with a private drive that crosses between two ponds to the back portion of the property. Because of the 2 ponds, there is no other way to put in another drive. You cannot put in another driveway beside the existing one because there's a steep embankment on one side and a pond's edge on the other side. You cannot put another driveway on the upper part of the property because theres a steep hill with a deep ravine where a spring has formed a creek that fills the ponds. A bridge would have to be built across the ravine. Building a bridge and/or a new road would be much too costly. We've looked at every possible way to be able to utilize the property as intended when it was purchased. We cannot find any other feasible way except using the existing driveway/easement.



## Staff Report – Variance Anderson County Planning Commission Meeting Historic Courthouse – 101 South Main Street – 2nd Floor County Council Chambers August 8, 2017 6:00 PM

Project Name: William J. Herb II and Stephanie Herb

Applicant: William J. Herb III

Owner: William J. Herb II and Stephanie Z. Herb

Intended Use: Residential, Duplex

Location: 230 James Drive, Townville, SC 29689

County Council District: Four (4)

**Zoning**: None (The property is un-zoned.)

Total Site Area: 2.53 acres

Tax Map Number: 027-01-01-015

**Extension of Existing Development**: No

Existing Access Road: Private Road (James Drive) from Turk Road

Water Supplier: Pioneer Rural Water District

Sewer: Individual On-Site Wastewater (Septic System)

Variance: Yes

**Request:** Applicant would like to subdivide his property, a 2.53 acre parcel, in order to create two lots for a proposed duplex to be placed on the second lot. This new parcel would be accessed via a private road (James Drive) which in turn connects to a county road, Turk Road (C-08-0036).

**Findings of Fact:** Anderson County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 38, Section 38-353.a. – Access. – All lots developed in the county from the date of the adoption of this article must be situated on or have direct access by right-of-way or easement to an approved county, state maintained road, or private road built to county standards. Direct access to any new lot must be in the form of an individual right of way or easement for each lot, not less than 20 feet in width. James Drive (P-08-0068) is a private road constructed in 1988.

Recommendation: The staff recommends DENIAL of this request for the following reasons:

- 1. Applicant has not demonstrated that extraordinary and exceptional conditions exist to justify a variance to allow the subdivision of the property which would permit construction of a duplex.
- 2. James Drive (P-08-0068) is a private road. It currently provides the only land access between the nearest county road and six properties located on the private road. James Drive is not in compliance with minimum county road standards.
- 3. The fact that two new lots created from the existing parcel will require the use of the existing nonconforming private road. This will increase the number of lots on the existing private road from six to seven.
- 4. Should the Planning Commission approve this request, the approval will set a precedent for other properties within the subdivision by introducing the option for two family as well as multi-family structures where they do not currently exist.
- 5. As requested, the variance affords the opportunity to other property owners within the neighborhood to seek approval to subdivide their properties, thus creating higher density on a road that is not constructed to county standards.
- 6. The Planning Commission's denial of this variance request would be in keeping with similar requests that have been denied previously.



## Subdivision Plat Application

Date of Application Completion Name of Project		
Name: William J Herb II  Mailing Address: 230 James Dr. To	nt's Information  \$\frac{1}{2} \text{Stephanie Herb}  wounville, Sc. 29689  E-Mail: Stefanieherb 320 @gmail.com	
	's Information	
Name: Same / Mailing Address:	E-Mail:	
	et Information	
Project Location: 230 James Dr	Townville, 50 29689	
Parcel Number/TMS: 270101015		
County Council District: CCD 4 School District: 4		
Total Acreage: 2.53 Number of Lots: 2		
Intended Development: Doplex Current Zoning: Residential		
Surrounding Land Uses: North: Residential South: Residential East: Residential West: Residential		
Water Supplier:	Sewer Supplier:	
Have any changes been made since this plat was last before the Planning Commission?:		
If so; please describe: see attach ments (3)		
Is there a request for a variance?: Ves If so, please attach the description to this application.		
As the applicant, I hereby confirm that all the required materials for this application are authentic and have been submitted to the Anderson County Planning Department – Development Standards.  Applicant's Signature  Page 1 of 1		
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Amount of Fee Paid:		
Staff Recommendation: Planning Commission Decision:		

June 29, 2017

Anderson County Public Works Division-Development Standards Subdivision Plat Application Variance request

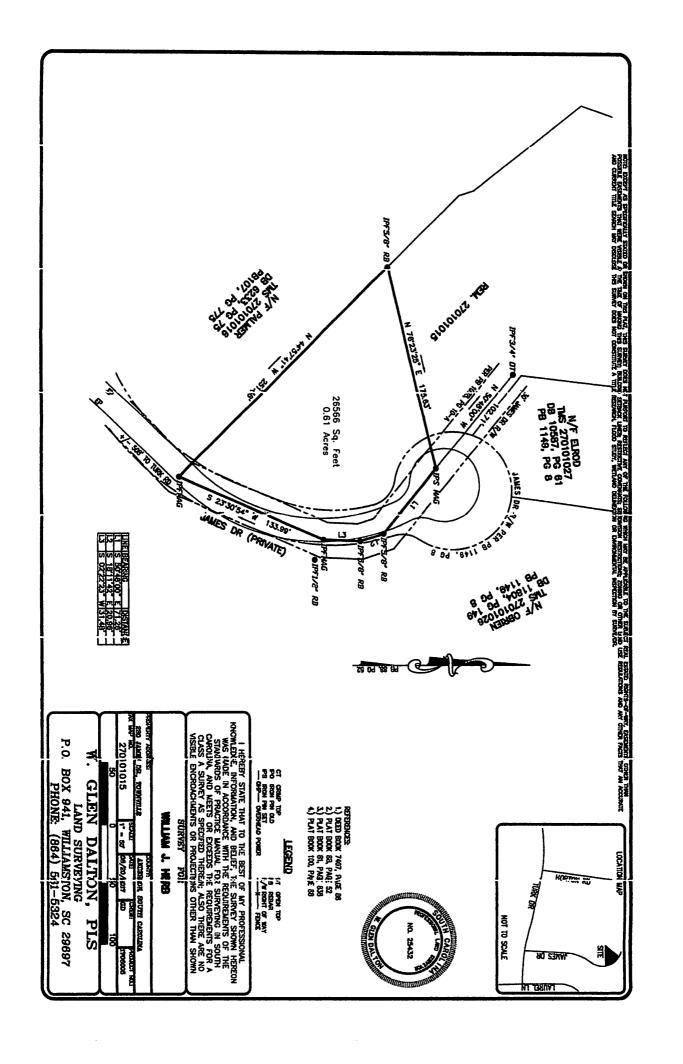
Property Location – 230 James Drive Townville, SC 29689 TMS# 270101015

#### To Whom It May Concern;

The property is currently owned as one parcel located at 230 James Drive, Townville, SC. It is the desire of the current owner to survey a piece of the parcel for the development of a duplex. The new plat which would be created by the approval of this variance would be deeded to the current owner for the purpose of building a duplex in which their two daughters would occupy for their private use and would not be used for commercial rental property. The current road (James Drive) which leads to the property is privately owned and is not to today's current standards, having been built sometime in 1988. The purpose of this request is to relieve the current owner from the hardship of not being able to use the current acreage for their intended purpose. We are requesting relief from current development standards.

A survey has been completed and submitted to Anderson County but at this time has been denied due to the issue of the privately owned road leading to the property.

Thank you,
William J. Herb II
Stefanie Herb



#### **Staff Report**

## Anderson County Planning Commission Meeting August 8, 2017 6:00 PM

Consent Agenda: The following subdivision approval did not include Phasing for the project. The developer is requesting to phase the project into two (2) phases. Phase I consists of 61 lots. Phase II, consists of 38 lots. The total number of lots for both phases will be 99 lots. The subdivision complies with Anderson County Subdivision Regulations and was approved by the Planning Commission on July 12, 2016. Staff requests that this subdivision be allowed phasing with staff conditions as previously approved.

1) Rogers Road Subdivision

Developer: Gray Engineering for Mark III Properties

Location: Rogers Road, East of Highway 29

Number of Lots: 99 (Phase I = 61 lots; Phase II = 38 lots)

Preliminary Approval Date: July 12, 2016

Council District: 7



## Subdivision Plat Application

Date of Application Completion

ROGERS ROAD SUBDIVISION Name of Project

Applicant's Information		
Name:	GRAY ENGINEERING CONSULT	TANTS
Mailing Address:	132 PILGRIM ROAD GREE	ENVILLE, SC 29607
Telephone and Fax:	864-297-3027	E-Mail:
Owner's Information (If Different from Applicant)		
Name: _	MARK III PROPERTIES	
Mailing Address:	170 CAMELOT DRIVE SPART	FANBURG SC, 29301
Telephone and Fax:	864-595-1735	_ E-Mail:
Project Information		
Project Location:	ROGERS ROAD, ANDERSON S	SC
Parcel Number/TMS	:218-00-03-002	
County Council District: DISTRICT 7 School District: SCHOOL DISTRICT 1		
Total Acreage: 41.5	57 ACRES	Number of Lots: (Phase 1 - 61) (Phase 2 - 38 lots)
Intended Developmen	t:FAMILY HOMES	_ Current Zoning:un-zoned
Surrounding Land Uses: North: RESIDENTIAL South: ROAD East: RESIDENTIAL West: ROAD		
Water Supplier: BIG CREEK		Sewer Supplier:ANDERSON COUNTY SEWER
Have any changes been made since this plat was last before the Planning Commission?: NO		
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