

KNOXVILLE/KNOX COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION USE ON REVIEW REPORT

Þ	FILE #: 4-J-16-UR	AGENDA ITEM #: 56	
		AGENDA DATE: 4/14/2016	
۲	APPLICANT:	STERCHI HILLS	
	OWNER(S):	Second Baptist Church of Clinton, Inc.	
	TAX ID NUMBER:	57 125.16 View map on KGIS	
	JURISDICTION:	City Council District 5	
	STREET ADDRESS:	904 Dry Gap Pike	
۲	LOCATION:	Southeast side of Dry Gap Pike, southeast end of Jim Sterchi Rd.	
•	APPX. SIZE OF TRACT:	15.07 acres	
	SECTOR PLAN:	North City	
	GROWTH POLICY PLAN:	Urban Growth Area (Inside City Limits)	
	ACCESSIBILITY:	Access is via Dry Gap Pike, a major collector street with a 22' pavement width within a 50' right-of-way.	
	UTILITIES:	Water Source: Knoxville Utilities Board	
		Sewer Source: Knoxville Utilities Board	
	WATERSHED:	Knob Fork Creek	
►	ZONING:	RP-1 (Planned Residential)	
۲	EXISTING LAND USE:	Church	
•	PROPOSED USE:	New access driveway	
	HISTORY OF ZONING:	None noted	
	SURROUNDING LAND USE AND ZONING:	North: Residences / RP-1 (Planned Residential)	
		South: Residence and vacant land / RP-1 (Planned Residential)	
		East: Residences / RP-1 (Planned Residential)	
		West: Mixed businesses / C-6 (General Commercial Park)	
	NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT:	The site is located in an area that has a mix of residential, institutional and commercial uses that have developed under RP-1 (Planned Residential), R-1 (Low Density Residential) and C-6 (General Commercial Park) zoning.	

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE the request for a new access driveway for the existing church as shown on the development plan subject to 2 conditions

1. Meeting all applicable requirements of the Knoxville Department of Engineering.

2. Maintaining at least 300' of sight distance in both directions along Dry Gap Pike at the new entrance.

With the conditions noted above, this request meets all criteria for a use-on-review in the RP-1 zoning district.

COMMENTS:

The applicant is requesting approval of a new access driveway for an existing church (The Church at Sterchi Hills) that is located on the southeast side of Dry Gap Pike, at the southeast end of Jim Sterchi Rd.

A use on review approval was granted for the church in 2002 (4-B-02-UR & 7-Q-02-UR). The existing entrance for the church is located directly across from the intersection of Jim Sterchi Rd. at Dry Gap Pike. While the applicant's engineer in 2002 had provided a letter certifying that there was at least 300' of sight distance in each direction at the church entrance, sight distance to the north is limited. The new access driveway will be located approximately 1000' northeast of the existing entrance and just northeast of Beaumaris Way, the access driveway for Beaumaris Park Condominiums. While the new access driveway will have a steeper grade at this location, the sight distance along Dry Gap Pike will be greatly improved.

EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL ON THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, SURROUNDING PROPERTY AND THE COMMUNITY AS A WHOLE

1. The proposed development will have minimal impact on local services since utilities are available to serve this site.

2. The new driveway is being located along a section of the property's street frontage that will maximize sight distance along Dry Gap Pike.

CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO CRITERIA ESTABLISHED BY THE KNOXVILLE ZONING ORDINANCE

1. With the recommended conditions, the proposed access driveway meets the standards required in the RP-1 (Planned Residential) zoning district.

2. The proposed access driveway is consistent with the general standards for uses permitted on review: The proposed development is consistent with the adopted plans and policies of the General Plan, North City Sector Plan and Wireless Communications Facility Plan. The use is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning Ordinance. Since this site is in an area consisting of larger tracts of land, the use will not significantly injure the value of adjacent property. The use will not draw additional traffic through residential areas.

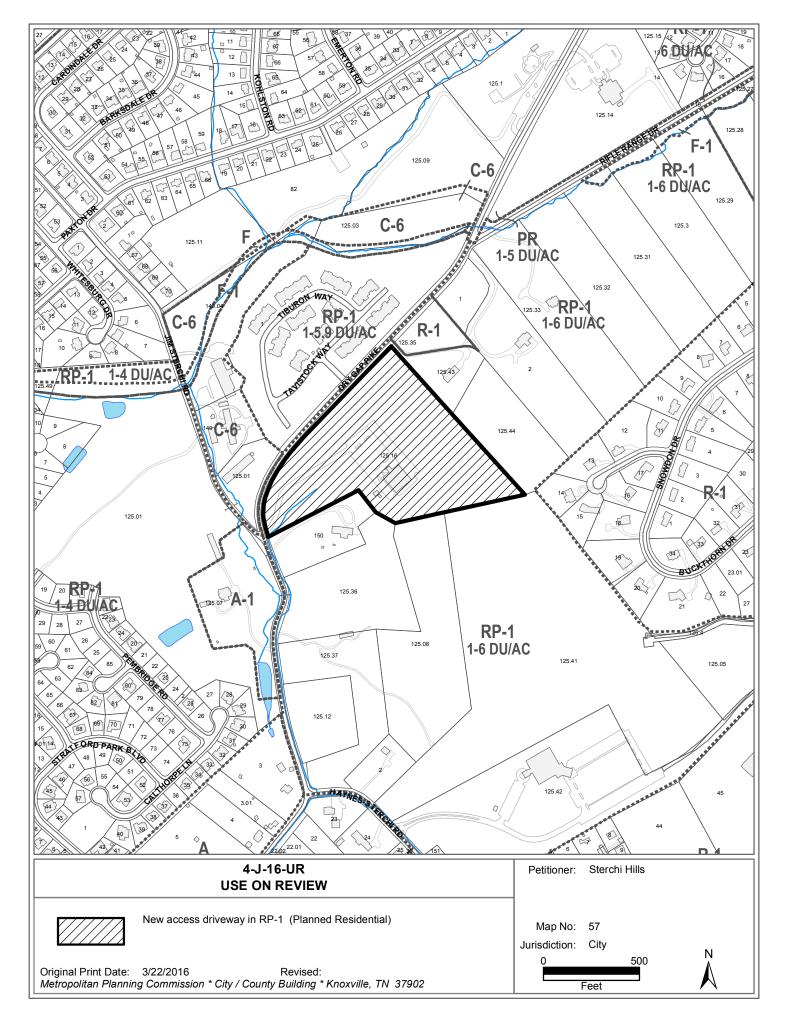
CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO ADOPTED PLANS

The North City Sector Plan proposes low density residential uses on this property and hillside protection.
The site is located within the Urban Growth Area on the Knoxville-Knox County-Farragut Growth Policy Plan map.

ESTIMATED TRAFFIC IMPACT: Not required.

ESTIMATED STUDENT YIELD: Not applicable.

MPC's approval or denial of this request is final, unless the action is appealed to the Knoxville City Council. The date of the Knoxville City Council hearing will depend on when the appeal application is filed. Appellants have 15 days to appeal an MPC decision in the City.

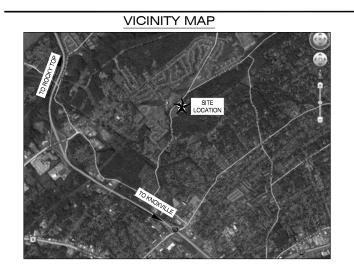


THE CHURCH AT STERCHI HILLS

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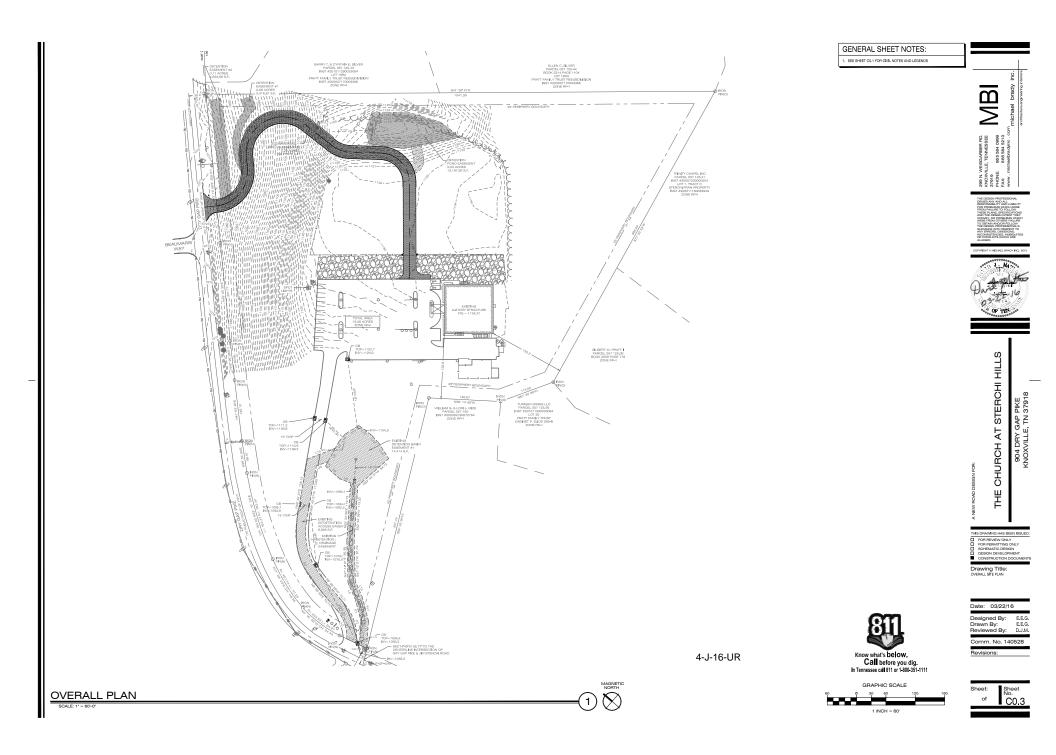


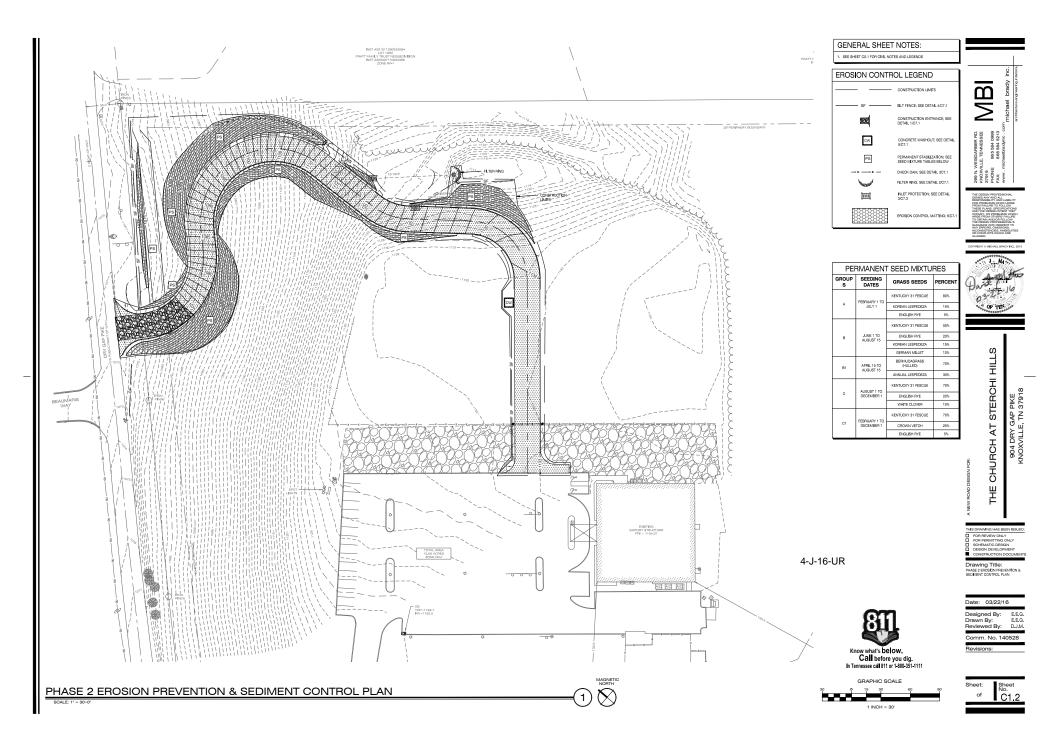
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CITY BLOCK NO.: 38134 CLT NO.: 57 PARCEL ID: 057 12516		GENERAL CO.1 OVIELLEGENDS & NOTES CO.3 OVERALLISTE PLAN
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MPC April 14, 2016