KNOXVILLE/KNOX COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION USE ON REVIEW REPORT

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AGENDA DATE: 8/11/2016

- APPLICANT: BENCHMARK ASSOCIATES, INC.

OWNER(S): Buzz Goss

TAX ID NUMBER:
JURISDICTION:
STREET ADDRESS:

- LOCATION:
- APPX. SIZE OF TRACT:

SECTOR PLAN:
GROWTH POLICY PLAN:
ACCESSIBILITY:
UTILITIES

WATERSHED:

## - ZONING:

- EXISTING LAND USE:
- PROPOSED USE:

HISTORY OF ZONING:
SURROUNDING LAND USE AND ZONING:

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View map on KGIS
City Council District 6
802 W. Hill Ave.
South side of W. Hill Ave., east of Maplehurst Ct.
6304 square feet
Central City
Urban Growth Area (Inside City Limits)
Access is W. Hill Ave.,, a local street with a pavement width of 30 ' within a 40' wide right-of-way
Water Source: Knoxville Utilities Board
Sewer Source: Knoxville Utilities Board
Tennessee River

## R-3 (High Density Residential)

Duplex
Attached houses on individual lots
none noted
North: Church Street United Methodist Church / R-3 / D-1 High Density Residential / Downtown Design Overlay
South: Apartments / R-3 High Density Residential
East: Maplehurst Inn Bed \& Breakfast / R-3 High Density Residential
West: Apartments / R-3 High Density Residential
NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT: The site is located in Maplehurst which has been developed with detached dwellings that have been converted into multi-dwelling structures and apartment buildings that were built in the 1950s and 1960s. Church Street United Methodist Church is located across W. Hill Ave. from this site.

## STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

- APPROVE the attached houses as permitted in Article 5 Section 3 of the Knoxville Zoning Ordinance as shown on the site plan subject to 2 conditions

1. Meeting all applicable requirements of the Knoxville Zoning Ordinance or obtaining any needed variances from the Knoxville Board of Zoning Appeals.
2. Establishing a homeowners association to provide for the maintenance of the exterior of the building and any other commonly used elements at this location

## COMMENTS:

The applicant is proposing to subdivide an existing duplex so that each unit will sit on it's own lot. This will require that one boundary lines be established through the common wall between the units. In order to divide the property as proposed the applicant must get these units approved as "attached houses" as defined and regulated by the Knoxville Zoning Ordinance. The existing duplex does not meet all of the required standards for attached houses called for in the Zoning Ordinance. The applicant went before the Knoxville Board of Zoning Appeals on July 21, 2016 and obtained all of the variances needed in order to permit MPC to consider this request.

As noted earlier this site is located in Maplehurst. Development in the area is primarily apartments that are located in converted detached dwellings. More recently (1950s and 1960s) apartments buildings were built in the area. The conversion of this duplex into attached dwelling will not have any negative impact on the area. The request will allow each unit to be owned separately..

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

1. Public water and sewer utilities are available to serve the site.
2. The proposed attached housing will have no impact on the existing street system.
3. The proposed use is compatible with the scale and intensity of the surrounding development and zoning pattern.

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

1. With the recommended conditions, the proposed attached houses meets all requirements of the R-3 (High Density Residential) district and the criteria for approval of a use on review.
2. The proposed use is consistent with the general standards for uses permitted on review: The proposal is consistent with the adopted plans and policies of the General Plan and Sector Plan. The use is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning Ordinance. The use is compatible with the character of the neighborhood where it is proposed. The use will not significantly injure the value of adjacent property. The use will not draw substantial additional traffic through residential areas. No surrounding land uses will pose a hazard or create and unsuitable environment for the proposed use.

## CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO ADOPTED PLANS

1. The Central City Sector Plan proposes medium density residential uses for this property.. The proposed facility is consistent with the Sector Plan.
2. The site is located within the City on the Knoxville-Knox County-Farragut Growth Policy Plan.

ESTIMATED TRAFFIC IMPACT: 28 (average daily vehicle trips)
Average Daily Vehicle Trips are computed using national average trip rates reported in the latest edition of "Trip Generation," published by the Institute of Transportation Engineers. Average Daily Vehicle Trips represent the total number of trips that a particular land use can be expected to generate during a 24 -hour day (Monday through Friday), with a "trip" counted each time a vehicle enters or exits a proposed development.

## ESTIMATED STUDENT YIELD: 1 (public and private school children, ages 5-18 years)

Schools affected by this proposal: Sequoyah Elementary, South Doyle Middle, and Austin East High.

- School-age population (ages 5-18) is estimated by MPC using data from a variety of sources.
- While most children will attend public schools, the estimate includes population that may be home-schooled, attend private schools at various stages of enrollment, or drop out of the public system.
- Students are assigned to schools based on current attendance zones as determined by Knox County

Schools. Zone boundaries are subject to change.

- Estimates presume full build-out of the proposed development. Build-out is subject to market forces, and timing varies widely from proposal to proposal.
- Student yields from new development do not reflect a net addition of children in schools. Additions occur incrementally over the build-out period. New students may replace current population that ages through the system or moves from the attendance zone.
- School capacities are subject to change by Knox County Schools through building additions, curriculum or scheduling changes, or amendments to attendance zone boundaries.

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.


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BENCHMARK ASSOCIATES，INC．
Land Planners Land Surveyors

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