## KNOXVILLE/KNOX COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION USE ON REVIEW REPORT

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AGENDA ITEM \#:
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## AGENDA DATE: <br> 5/12/2016

## - APPLICANT:

HR ACQUISITIONS, L.L.C. G. MARSHALL HART, JR.
OWNER(S):
HR Acquisitions, LLC

TAX ID NUMBER:
JURISDICTION:
STREET ADDRESS:

- LOCATION:

APPX. SIZE OF TRACT:
SECTOR PLAN:
GROWTH POLICY PLAN:
ACCESSIBILITY:

UTILITIES:

WATERSHED:

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View map on KGIS
City Council District 2
962 N Gallaher View Rd
East side of Gallaher View Rd., South side of Middlebrook Pike, and North side of Mars Hill Rd.
3.95 acres

Northwest City
Urban Growth Area (Inside City Limits)
Access is via N. Gallaher View Rd., a minor arterial street with 4 lanes and a center turn lane within a large right-of-way of varied width. The property does not have frontage on Middlebrook Pike.
Water Source: Knoxville Utilities Board
Sewer Source: Knoxville Utilities Board
Ten Mile Creek

- ZONING:
- EXISTING LAND USE:
- PROPOSED USE:


## RP-1 (Planned Residential) up to 1 du/ac

Rural residential, vacant house
38,000 square-foot Memory Care of Knoxville Assisted Living Facility (64 beds)

Rezoned to RP-1 up to 1 du/ac from R-1E in February 2016.
North: Middlebrook Pike., Detached residences / R-1 (Low Density Residential) and F-1 (Floodway)
South: Vacant land / R-1E (Low Density Exclusive Residential)
East: Detached residences / R-1E (Low Density Exclusive Residential)
West: Ten Mile Creek, N. Gallaher View Rd. / R-1E (Low Density Exclusive Residential)
The southeast quadrant of the intersection of Middlebrook Pike and N .
Gallaher View Rd. is developed with residential uses under R-1E zoning.
The broader area is developed with a mix of small and large commercial/office development, detached and attached houses, and apartments.

## STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

- APPROVE the development plan for an approximate 38,000 sq ft memory care facility with up to 64 beds, subject to the following 9 conditions:

1. Meeting all applicable requirements of the Knoxville Zoning Ordinance.
2. Connecting to sanitary sewer and meeting any other relevant requirement of the Knox County Health Department.
3. Meeting all applicable requirements of the Knoxville Department of Engineering.
4. Meeting all applicable requirements and obtaining all required permits from the Tenn. Dept. of Human Services.
5. Meeting all applicable requirements of the Knoxville Fire Marshall's Office.
6. Proposed signage shall meet all the applicable requirements of Article 8 (Signs, billboards, and other advertising structure) of the Knoxville Zoning Ordinance.
7. Completion of a "no rise" analysis by the applicant regarding the impact of raising the elevation of the driveway on the floodplain of Ten Mile Creek, and approval of the findings by the Knoxville Department of Engineering during permitting.
8. Obtaining a variance to the utility and drainage easement on the north property line, when the property is platted, due to a retaining wall being too close to the property line.
9. Install all required landscaping within six months of the issuance of occupancy permit for this project.

With the conditions noted above, this request meets the requirements for approval of a memory care facility in the RP-1 zoning district, and the other criteria for approval of a use on review.

## COMMENTS:

The proposed memory care facility is located near the intersection of N. Gallaher View Rd. and Middlebrook Pike. The current access to the site is from N. Gallaher View Rd., near the intersection with Mars Hill Rd. The subject property does not have direct frontage along Mars Hill Rd. but because of previous realignments of Gallaher View Rd. and Middlebrook Pike, the right-of-way along Gallaher View Rd. is very wide and the driveway could connect to Mars Hill Rd. Staff feels that this connection could be a better alternative to than the Gallaher View Rd. access because of the close proximity to Mars Hills Rd. and potential turning conflicts. Mars Hill Rd. is a short deadend street that currently serves 6 houses. If the memory care facility decides to provide access to Mars Hill Rd. rather than Gallaher View Rd., this should be allowed with the approval from the Knoxville Department of Engineering.

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

1. The proposed memory care facility will have minimal impact on local services since water and sewer utilities are available to serve this site, and there will not be an impact on public schools.
2. The proposed facility has 64 beds and is approximately $38,000 \mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft}$. Facilities such as this do not have a density calculated because the individual beds to not constitute a dwelling unit. The size of the facility is compatible with the surrounding residential development and the traffic generated should not have a negative effect on the area.

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

1. The proposed memory care facility meets the standards for development within a RP-1 zone and all other requirements of the Zoning Ordinance with the recommended conditions.
2. The proposed memory care facility is consistent with the general standards for uses permitted on review: The proposed development is consistent with the adopted One Year 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 traffic through residential areas.

CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO ADOPTED PLANS

1. The Northwest City Sector Plan designates this property for low density residential use. The proposed memory care facility is consistent with the adopted plans and zoning designation.
2. The site is located within the Urban Growth Boundary (Inside City) on the Knoxville-Knox County-Farragut Growth Policy Plan map.

ESTIMATED TRAFFIC IMPACT: Not required.

[^0]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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[^0]:    ESTIMATED STUDENT YIELD: Not applicable.

