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Applicant Materials for Consideration

DETAILS

Location:

550 Providence Park Drive East

Applicant / Agent:

Providence Park Rehabilitation & Healthcare (David Dichiara, Kadre Engineering, LLC, Agent)

Property Owner:

Parkway Property Holdings, LLC

Current Zoning:

B-3, Community Business Suburban District

Future Land Use:

Institutional

Applicable Codes, Policies, and Plans:

- Unified Development Code
- Map for Mobile Comprehensive Plan

Schedule for Development:

Not provided

Proposal:

 Modification of a previously approved Planned Unit Development

Considerations:

1. Modification of a previously approved Planned Unit Development with seven (7) conditions.

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PLANNING COMMISSION VICINITY MAP - EXISTING AERIAL



The site is surrounded by residential units to the west, and commercial units to the east.

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SITE HISTORY

The site came before the Planning Commission at its April 21, 2022 meeting as part of a Subdivision and a Planned Unit Development (PUD) to allow the creation of two (2) new lots with access to private streets.

The site has not been before the Board of Zoning Adjustment previously.

STAFF COMMENTS

Engineering Comments:

- 1. Label the drawing that was submitted (Sheet No. C2.0) as the PUD Site Plan.
- 2. Show and label the proposed sidewalk along Cody Rd. and Providence Park Dr. E.
- 3. Label the existing public roadways.
- 4. ADD THE FOLLOWING NOTES TO THE PUD SITE PLAN:
 - a. Any work performed in the existing ROW (right-of-way) such as driveways, sidewalks, utility connections, grading, drainage, irrigation, or landscaping will require a ROW permit from the City of Mobile Engineering Permitting Department (251-208-6070) and must comply with the City of Mobile Right-of-Way Construction and Administration Ordinance (Mobile City Code, Chapter 57, Article VIII).
 - b. A Land Disturbance Permit application shall be submitted for any proposed land disturbing activity with the property. A complete set of construction plans including, but not limited to, drainage, utilities, grading, storm water detention systems and paving will need to be included with the Land Disturbance permit. This Permit must be submitted, approved, and issued prior to beginning any of the construction work.
 - c. Any and all proposed land disturbing activity within the property will need to be submitted for review and be in conformance with Mobile City Code, Chapter 17, Storm Water Management and Flood Control); the City of Mobile, Alabama Flood Plain Management Plan (1984); and, the Rules For Erosion and Sedimentation Control and Storm Water Runoff Control.
 - d. Any existing or proposed detention facility shall be maintained as it was constructed and approved. The Land Disturbance Permit application for any proposed construction includes a requirement of a Maintenance and Inspection Plan (signed and notarized by the Owner) for the detention facility. This Plan shall run with the land and be recorded in the County Probate Office prior to the Engineering Department issuing their approval for a Final Certificate of Occupancy.
 - e. The approval of all applicable federal, state, and local agencies (including all storm water runoff, wetland and floodplain requirements) will be required prior to the issuance of a Land Disturbance permit. The Owner/Developer is responsible for acquiring all of the necessary permits and approvals.
 - f. The proposed development must comply with all Engineering Department design requirements and Policy Letters.

Traffic Engineering Comments:

Driveway number, size, location, and design to be approved by Traffic Engineering and conform to AASHTO standards. Any required on-site parking, including ADA handicap spaces, shall meet the minimum standards as defined in Article 3, Section 64-3-12 of the City's Unified Development Code

Urban Forestry Comments:

Property to be developed in compliance with state and local laws that pertain to tree preservation and protection on both city and private properties [Act 929 of the 1961 Regular Session of the Alabama Legislature (Acts 1961, p. 1487), as amended, and City Code Chapters 57 and 65]. Private removal of trees in the right-of-way will require approval of the Mobile Tree Commission. Removal of heritage trees from undeveloped residential sites, developed residential sites in historic districts, and all commercial sites will require a tree removal permit.

Fire Department Comments:

All projects located within the City Limits of Mobile shall comply with the provisions of the City of Mobile Fire Code Ordinance, which adopts the 2021 edition of the *International Fire Code (IFC)*.

Fire apparatus access roads shall be provided to within 150 feet of all non-sprinklered commercial buildings and within 300 feet of all sprinklered commercial buildings, as measured along an approved route around the exterior of the facility.

An approved fire water supply capable of meeting the requirements set forth in *Appendices B and C* of the 2021 IFC shall be provided for all commercial buildings.

Fire hydrant placement shall comply with the following minimum standards:

- Within 400 feet of non-sprinklered commercial buildings
- Within 600 feet of sprinklered commercial buildings
- Within 100 feet of fire department connections (FDCs) serving standpipe or sprinkler systems

Although the *International Residential Code (IRC)* functions as a stand-alone document for the construction of one- and two-family dwellings and townhouses, it does not govern the design or layout of emergency access or community-level fire protection infrastructure. Therefore, residential developments must also comply with the applicable requirements of the *International Fire Code*, including, but not limited to, those listed above concerning the design, construction, regulation, and maintenance of fire apparatus access roads and fire protection water supplies.

Planning Comments:

The site has been before the Planning Commission previously as part of a Planned Unit Development (PUD) in 2022. At that time, no development was depicted for the subject site. As the applicant is now ready to move forward with the development of the subject site, a Major Modification is required to amend the previously approved plans.

Detailed descriptions of the request are available via the links on page 1 of this report.

The applicant is proposing to build a new rehabilitation center with associated parking and a maintenance building on Lot A of the Providence Park, Northwest Development Parcel Resubdivision, with access to Cody Road depicted through Lot B of the same Subdivision.

It should be noted that the proposed access to Cody Road is depicted as being surfaced with gravel. The UDC requires all access and maneuvering areas to be paved with either asphalt or concrete. If approved, the site plan should be revised to depict compliance with paving requirements.

Because this is the first commercial development of the property, it will be required to fully comply with tree planting and landscape area requirements.

The application does not state how many patient beds the facility will have. The UDC requires medical facilities with overnight patients to have one (1) parking space per bed. If approved, the site plan should be revised in order to provide both the number of beds and the number of parking spaces. Any parking provided over the minimum required number, must be paved with an Alternative Paving Surface.

It should be noted that future development or redevelopment of either lot may require additional modifications of the PUD to be approved by the Planning Commission and City Council. A note stating as much should be placed on the recorded site plans, if approved.

PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT MODIFICATION CONSIDERATIONS

Standards of Review:

The Unified Development Code (UDC) in Section 64-5-8-B.(5) states the following concerning Planned Unit Development / Planning Approval Modifications:

Approval Criteria. The Planning Commission shall not recommend a major modification for approval, and the City Council shall not approve the modification, unless the proposed modification:

- 1. Is consistent with all applicable requirements of this Chapter;
- 2. Is compatible with the character of the surrounding neighborhood;
- 3. Will not impede the orderly development and improvement of surrounding property;
- 4. Will not adversely affect the health, safety or welfare of persons living or working in the surrounding neighborhood, or be more injurious to property or improvements in the neighborhood:
 - a. In making this determination, the Planning Commission and City Council shall consider the location, type and height of buildings or structures, the type and extent of landscaping and screening, lighting, hours of operation or any other conditions that mitigate the impacts of the proposed development; and
 - b. Includes adequate public facilities and utilities;
- 5. Is subject to adequate design standards to provide ingress and egress that minimize traffic hazards and traffic congestion on the public roads;
- 6. Is not noxious or offensive by reason of emissions, vibration, noise, odor, dust, smoke or gas; and
- 7. Shall not be detrimental or endanger the public health, safety or general welfare.
- 8. Benefits Consideration. In addition, consideration should also be given to the City's and the larger community's best interests and the need, benefit, or public purpose of the proposed request.

Considerations:

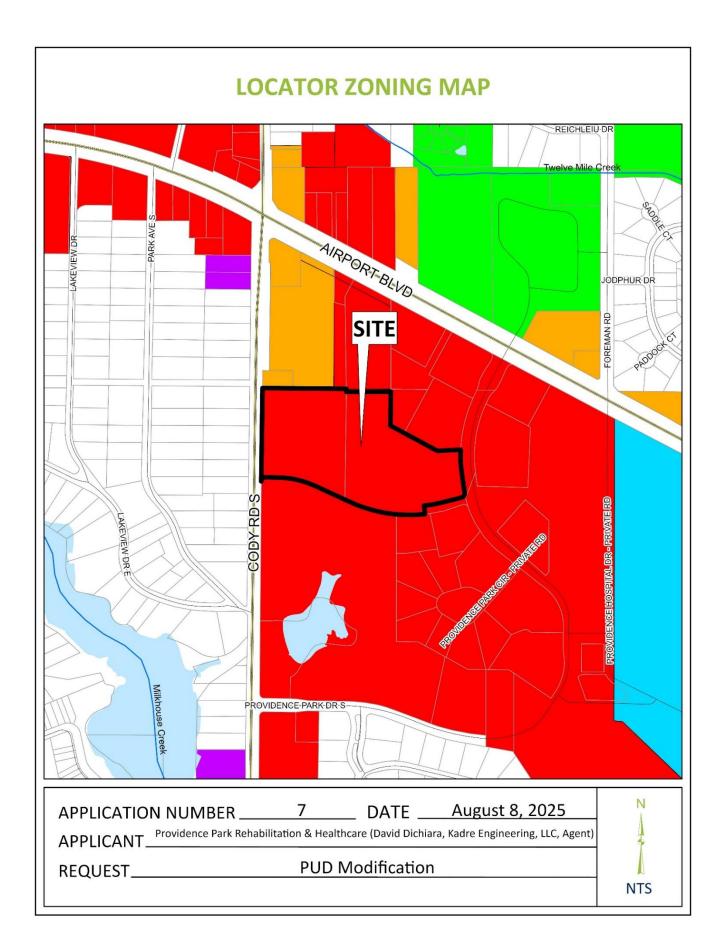
If the Planning Commission considers a recommendation of approval for the Modified Planning Approval / Planned Unit Development, the following Findings of Fact must apply:

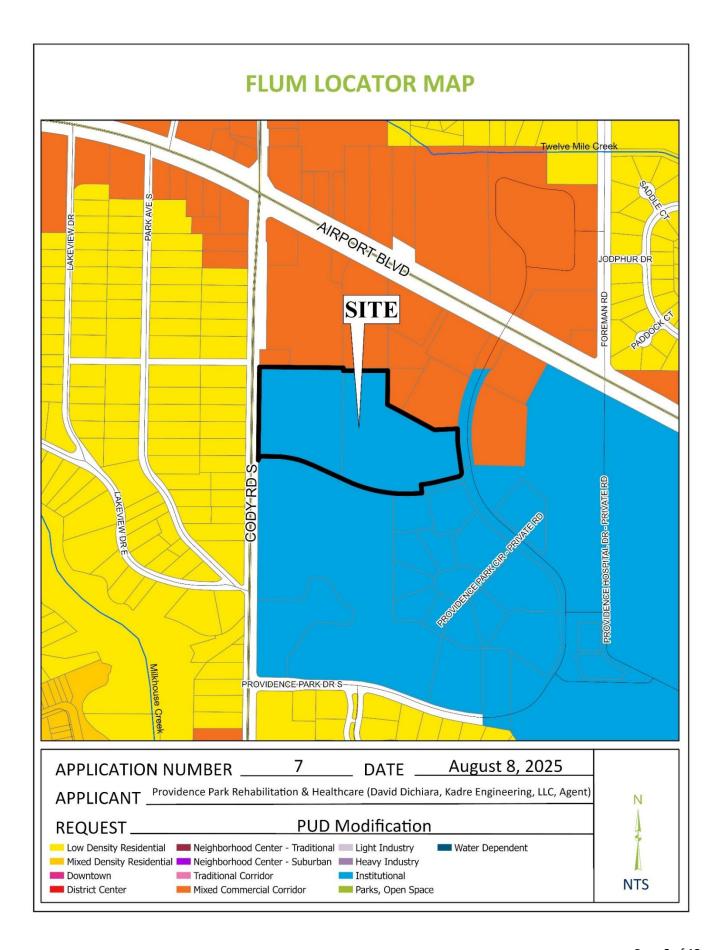
- a. The request is consistent with all applicable requirements of this Chapter;
- b. The request is compatible with the character of the surrounding neighborhood;
- c. The request will not impede the orderly development and improvement of surrounding property;

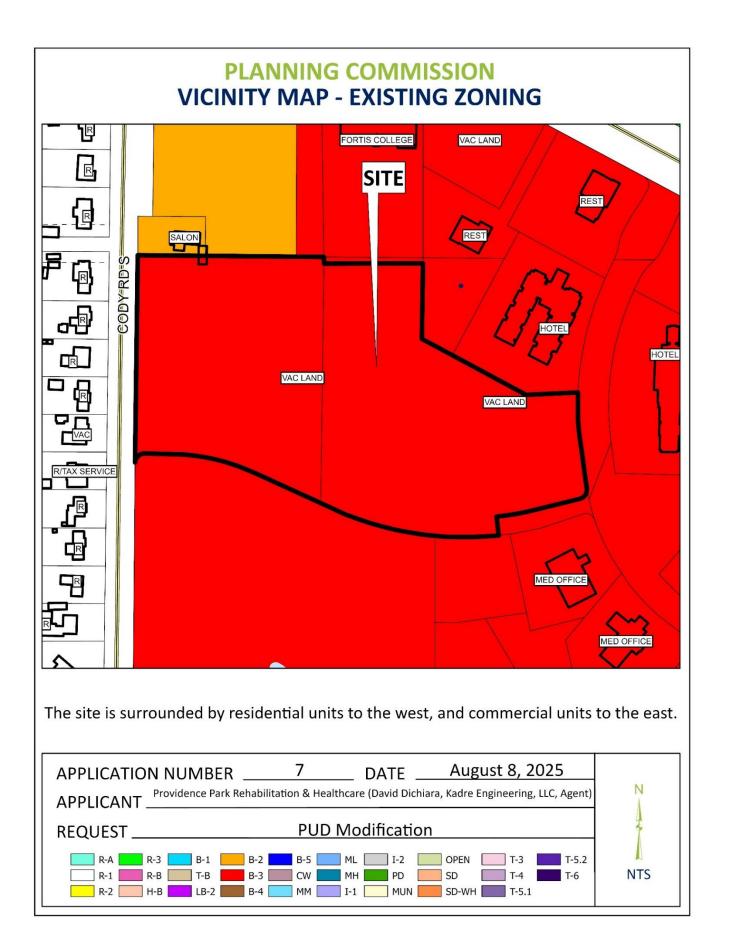
- d. The request will not adversely affect the health, safety or welfare of persons living or working in the surrounding neighborhood, or be more injurious to property or improvements in the neighborhood:
 - In making this determination, the Planning Commission and City Council shall consider the location, type and height of buildings or structures, the type and extent of landscaping and screening, lighting, hours of operation or any other conditions that mitigate the impacts of the proposed development; and
 - 2. Includes adequate public facilities and utilities;
- e. The request is subject to adequate design standards to provide ingress and egress that minimize traffic hazards and traffic congestion on the public roads;
- f. The request is not noxious or offensive by reason of emissions, vibration, noise, odor, dust, smoke or gas; and
- g. The request shall not be detrimental or endanger the public health, safety or general welfare.
- h. Benefits Consideration. In addition, consideration should also be given to the City's and the larger community's best interests and the need, benefit, or public purpose of the proposed request.

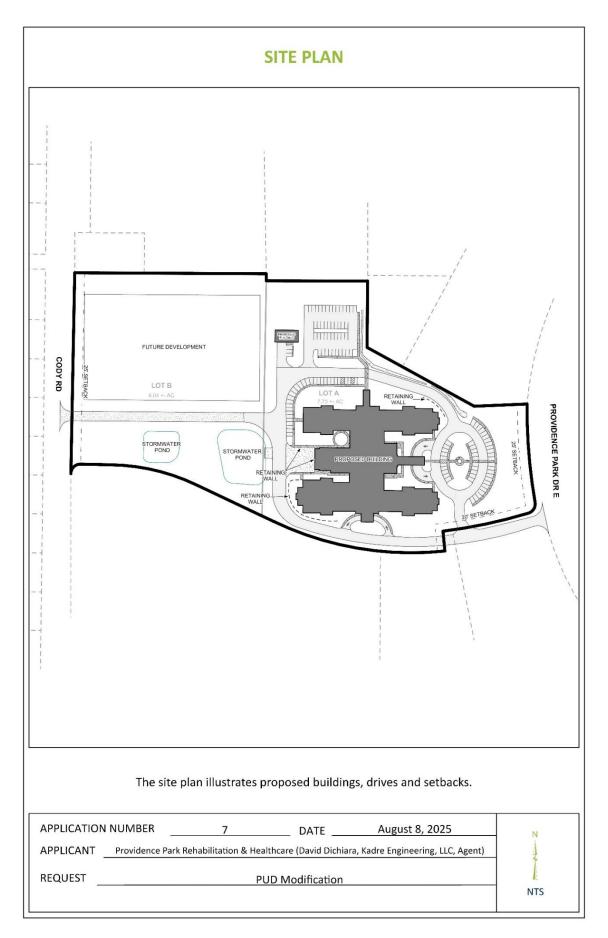
If approved, the following conditions could apply:

- 1. Revision of the site plan to illustrate the driveway to Cody Road will be paved with either asphalt or concrete;
- 2. Placement of a note on the site plan stating that the site will fully comply with tree planting and landscape area requirements;
- 3. Revision of the site plan to provide the number of beds and number of proposed parking spaces;
- 4. Revision of the site plan to depict any additional parking spaces over the minimum required as having an Alternative Paving Surface, if appropriate;
- 5. Placement of a note on the site plan stating future development or redevelopment of the property may require approval by the Planning Commission and City Council;
- 6. Submittal to and approval by Planning and Zoning of the revised Modified Planned Unit site plan prior to their recording in Probate Court, and the provision of copies of the recorded site plans (.pdf) to Planning and Zoning; and,
- 7. Full compliance with all municipal codes and ordinances.









ZONING DISTRICT CORRESPONDENCE MATRIX															
		OW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (LDR)	MIXED DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (MXDR)	DOWNTOWN (DT)	DISTRICT CENTER (DC)	NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER - TRADITIONAL (NC-T)	NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER - SUBURBAN (NC-S)	TRADITIONAL CORRIDOR (TC)	MIXED COMMERCIAL CORRIDOR (MCC)	IGHT INDUSTRIAL (LI)	HEAVY INDUSTRY (HI)	NSTITUTIONAL LAND USE (INS)	PARKS & OPEN SPACE (POS)	DOWNTOWN WATERFRONT (DW)	WATER DEPENDENT USES (WDWRU)
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OFFICE-DISTRIBUTION	B-5														
LIGHT INDUSTRY	I-1														
HEAVY INDUSTRY	I-2														

Zoning District Correspondence Matrix

- Directly Related
- Elements of the zoning category are related to the future LU category, but with qualifications (such as a development plan with conditions)
- Land use category is appropriate, but the district does not directly implement the category (e.g., open space in an industrial district)

Institutional Land Use (INS)

This designation includes land and buildings occupied by municipal and other governmental agencies for the exercise of their functions, to serve the public or provide a civic use or amenity. These include major libraries, airports, public schools and public safety facilities, but exclude parks and public open space which are identified under a separate land use classification (see below). Semi-public uses such as grammar and high schools, colleges and universities, hospitals, and other major institutions that serve the public and/or operate in a public function are included.

Note: Small-scale properties (less than 2 acres) accommodating subsidiary public and semi-public facilities, such as branch libraries, substations, satellite clinics, etc., may not be specifically called out in the FLUM under this land use designation, but may instead be considered part of the array of integrated complementary uses typically found in a residential neighborhood or a mixed-use center or corridor. The specific location and design of these complementary uses is subject to zoning.