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# DEVELOPMENT/ PLAN REVIEW APPLICATION

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## CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

Parks and Recreation Department



July 30, 2015

Mr. Peter Nicholls, Chairman Environmental Planning Commission City of Albuquerque 600 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW Albuquerque, New Mexico 87012

Re: Letter of Authorization

Dear Chairman Nicholls:

This letter serves as authorization for Consensus Planning, Inc. to represent the City Parks and Recreation Department on a Zone Map Amendment, Sector Development Plan Amendment, Master Development Plan, and Site Plan for Building Permit for the City's Regional Sports Complex.

The properties are legally described as Westland North Subdivision, Parcel C-2-A, Parcel C-3-C, Parcel C-3-A.

PO Box 1293

Sincerely,

Albuquerque

Barbara Taylor, Director

Parks and Recreation Department

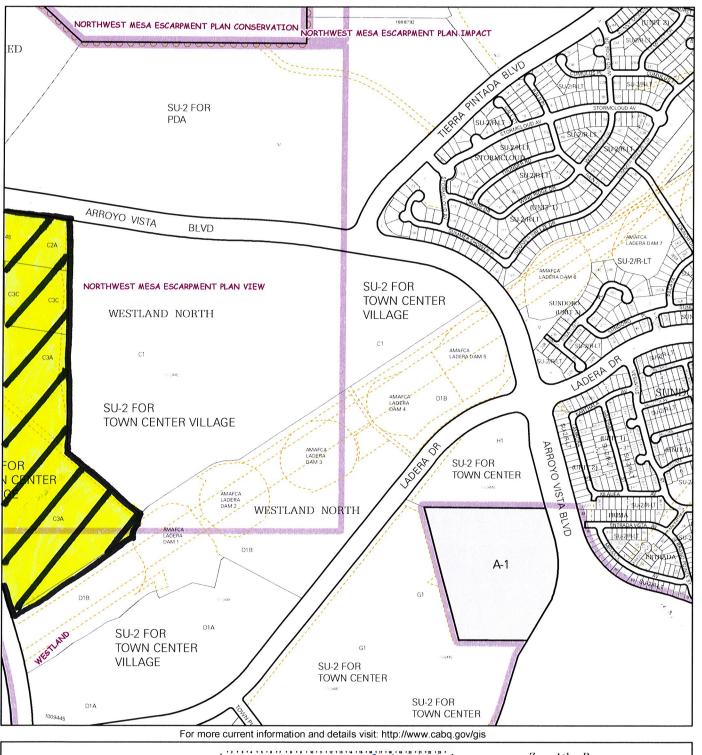
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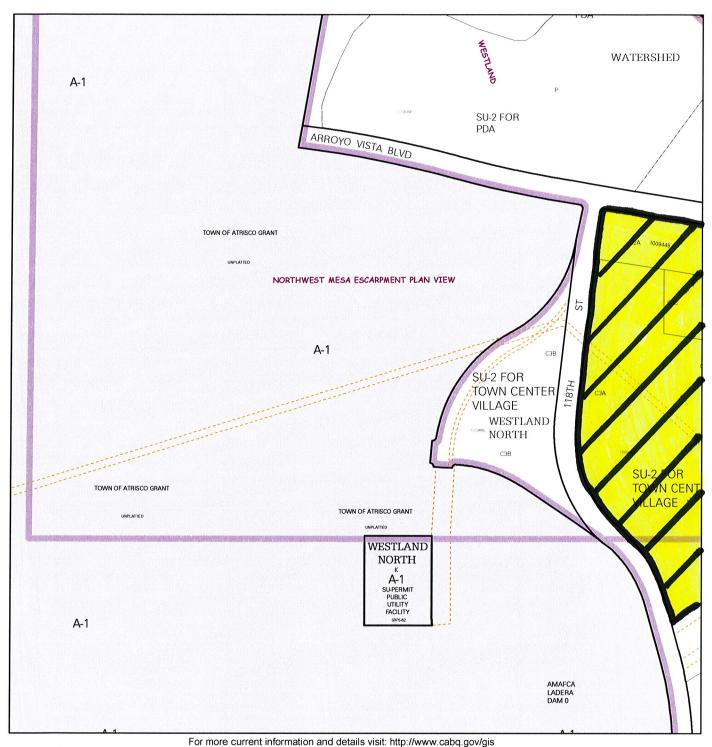
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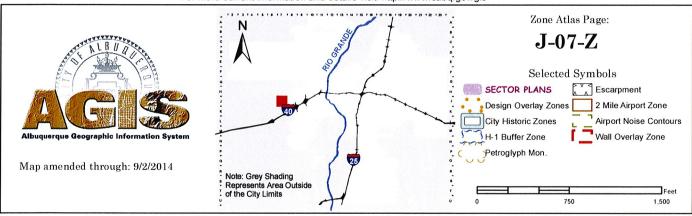
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# CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

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#### OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION OF DECISION

September 11, 2015

COA Parks & Recreation Dept. 1801 4<sup>th</sup> St NW ABQ, NM 87102

#### Project# 1010536

15EPC-40034 Sector Development Plan Map Amendment (Zone Change)

15EPC-40036 Text Amendment to Sector Development Plan

15EPC-40037 Site Development Plan for Building Permit 15EPC-40038 Site Development Plan for Subdivision

#### **LEGAL DESCRIPTION:**

All or a portion of Parcels C-2-A, C-3-A and C-3-C, Westland North, zoned SU-2 for Town Center Village to SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex, located south of Arroyo Vista Boulevard, north of Ladera Drive and east of 118<sup>th</sup> Street, containing approximately 82 acres. (J-7, J-8)

Staff Planner: Vicente Quevedo

PO Box 1293

Albuquerque

On September 10, 2015, the Environmental Planning Commission (EPC) heard Project #1010536, New Mexico 87 and voted to forward a RECOMMENDATION OF APPROVAL based on the following recommended findings and conditions to City Council regarding 15EPC-40034 Sector Development Plan Map Amendment (Zone Change) and 15EPC-40036 Text Amendment to Sector Development Plan. The EPC also voted to APPROVE 15EPC-40038 Site Development Plan for Subdivision and 15EPC-40037 Site Development Plan for Building Permit, based on the following findings and conditions:

#### FINDINGS 15EPC-40034:

- This is a request for a Zone Map Amendment (Zone Change) for Parcels C-2-A, C-3-A and C-3-C, Westland North located south of Arroyo Vista Boulevard, north of Ladera Drive and east of 118<sup>th</sup> Street and containing approximately 82 acres.
- 2. The subject site is currently owned by the City of Albuquerque and is zoned SU-2 for Town Center Village. The proposed zoning is SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex and Related Facilities.

A. <u>Policy II.B.5.e:</u> New growth shall be accommodated through development in areas where vacant land is contiguous to existing or programmed urban facilities and services and where the integrity of existing neighborhoods can be ensured.

Staff agrees that the proposed Regional Baseball Complex will be developed on existing vacant land that is contiguous to existing or programmed urban facilities and services, and will not be harmful to any existing neighborhoods. The request <u>furthers</u> Policy II.B.5.e.

B. <u>Policy II.B.5.g:</u> Development shall be carefully designated to conform to topographical features and include trail corridors in the development where appropriate.

The subject site lies within the boundaries of the west I-40 Drainage Master Plan. While the applicant is proposing drainage related improvements to construct the Regional Baseball Complex, the existing drainage pattern will not be a significantly altered. Additionally, new trail corridors are proposed as part of the development project. The request furthers Policy II.B.5.g.

C. <u>Policy II.B.5.m:</u> Urban and site design which maintains and enhances unique vistas and improves the quality of the visual environment shall be encouraged.

The main Administration / Concessions Building and stadium seating will be designed to include trail corridors and unique vistas to the escarpment face and City. Therefore, the request <u>furthers</u> Policy II.B.5.m.

D. <u>Policy II.C.8.a:</u> The natural and visual environment, particularly features unique to Albuquerque, shall be respected as a significant determinant in development decisions.

The proposed grading and drainage work will result in the site being lowered up to 30' and the height of the proposed Administration / Concessions Building will conform to the requirements of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan. Both of these items will serve to reduce the proposed project's visual impact within the View Area for the Petroglyph National Monument. The request furthers Policy II.C.8.a.

E. <u>Policy II.C.8.b:</u> Public facilities (including buildings, parks, plazas, utilities, bridges, streets, stadiums, and airports) shall be designed to realize opportunities for City/County beautification.

Staff agrees that the proposed design and landscaping generally meet the intent of realizing opportunities for City/County beautification initiatives. The request furthers Policy II.C.8.b.

F. <u>Policy II.C.8.d:</u> Landscaping shall be encouraged within public and private rights-of-way to control water erosion and dust, and create a pleasing visual environment; native vegetation should be used where appropriate.

Staff agrees that a plant palette of low to medium water use plants are appropriately proposed within public and private rights-of-way for the proposed facility. The request <u>furthers</u> Policy II.C.8.d.

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B. <u>Policy II.B.5.1:</u> Quality and innovation in design shall be encouraged in all new development; design shall be encouraged which is appropriate to the Plan area.

Staff agrees that the proposed Regional Baseball Complex will be constructed of quality materials and an innovative design. However, the proposed 80' high stadium lighting exceeds the maximum 40' structure height allowed per the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan. While a recommendation of approval for a requested amendment to the subject site area within the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan boundary to allow light poles for the athletic fields up to 80' in height was forwarded from the EPC to City Council in August 2015 (15EPC-40027), the requested amendments have not yet been adopted. Therefore, the request partially furthers Policy II.B.5.1.

C. <u>Policy II.C.8.e:</u> In highly scenic areas, development design and materials shall be in harmony with the landscape. Building siting shall minimize alteration of existing vegetation and topography and minimize visibility of structures in scenic vista areas.

The development design and materials of the proposed complex are generally in harmony with the landscape. The building siting and proposed grading and drainage plan will not significantly alter topography because the subject site's existing drainage pattern and flow will be maintained. However, the proposed 80' high stadium light structures do not serve to minimize the visibility of structures in the scenic vista area. Therefore, the request partially furthers Policy II.C.8.e.

- 12. The request partially furthers the following applicable goals and policies of the Westside Strategic Plan (WSSP):
  - A. <u>Policy 1.17:</u> The City shall encourage co-location of public services such as schools, libraries, community/senior/multi-service service centers, parks, retail and commercial services in Community and Neighborhood Activity Centers.

Staff agrees that the co-location of the proposed Regional Baseball Complex and APS Community Complex will provide a wide range of educational and recreational opportunities, however, neither complex is/will be located within an existing Community or Neighborhood Activity Center. Therefore, the request partially furthers WSSP Policy 1.17.

B. <u>Policy 3.60</u>: Design guidelines developed as a result of this Plan will guide future development in this Community along with all other existing plans and policies. Design should be sensitive to visual impacts on the National Monument. Atrisco Terrace, and regional views, and shall recognize significant cultural and environmental aspects of this area.

Design guidelines proposed as part of this request will generally be sensitive to visual impact requirements with the exception of the currently proposed 80' structure lighting due to the fact that the recently proposed amendments to structure height requirements have not yet been adopted by the Albuquerque City Council. Therefore, the request partially furthers WSSP Policy 3.60.

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which other secondary uses are planned or allowed, including but not limited to recreation, open space, transportation, and utility location"

The primary intent of the Facility Plan for Arroyos is to recognize the importance arroyos to control water run-off. The proposed drainage plan addresses the existing arroyo system that runs west to east through the subject site by directing storm water to a recently developed AMAFCA pond that was sized for existing and developed conditions such as the proposed Regional Baseball Complex. Therefore, the request furthers Facility Plan for Arroyos Drainage Policy 1 and Multiple Use Policy 1.

C. Policy 3 – Recommend Channel Treatments within Dedicated Parks: The recommended channel treatment within dedicated parks calls for a clearly delineated low-flow channel that may be hard-lined if necessary, with shallow side slopes planted with turf or, where technically feasible, active grasses. Other recommended channel treatments include curving the channel in appropriate locations to reduce the linearity of the corridor, and using tinted (to approximate earth tones) or textured concrete to blend in with adjacent landscaping.

Slope conditions will be addressed through the use of on-site storm drain lines and shallow, cobble lined swales created to appropriately carry surface water away from the subject site. Therefore, the request <u>furthers</u> Facility Plan for Arroyos Channel Treatment Policy 3.

- 15. The request furthers the following goals and policies of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan:
  - A. <u>Policy 20:</u> The predominant colors used on structures within the View Area shall blend with the natural colors of the mesa.
  - B. <u>Policy 21:</u> Structures above and below the escarpment shall not dominate the views of the escarpment from the View Area.

Staff agrees that the request would facilitate a development that would comply with Policy 20 and 21. Therefore, the request <u>furthers</u> Policies 20 and 21 of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan.

- 16. The request does not further the following goals and policies of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan:
  - A. <u>Policy 21.1:</u> The height of structures within the View Area shall comply with the requirements of the Comprehensive City Zoning Code, except that no structure shall exceed 40'0" in height.

The request does not comply with Policy 21.1 due to the proposed 80' tall stadium lighting, which exceeds the 40' height requirement for structures. Therefore, the request <u>does not further</u> Policy 21.1 of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan.

17. The applicant has justified the zone change request pursuant to *R-270-1980* as follows:

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- 2. Text amendments to Section IV. Master Plan, Table 10 Land Use (Pg. 38), Section IV. Master Plan, Exhibit 10 Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Master Plan (Pg. 39) and Appendix A, Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Sector Plan, Zoning, Sheet 2 of 2 are required to ensure internal consistency within the Westland Master Plan.
- 3. The subject site is currently owned by the City of Albuquerque and is zoned SU-2 for Town Center Village. The proposed zoning is SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex and Related Facilities.
- 4. The Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Comprehensive Plan, Westside Strategic Plan, Facility Plan for Arroyos, Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan, Westland Master Plan and the City of Albuquerque Zoning Code are incorporated herein by reference and made part of the record for all purposes.
- 5. See Findings 9 16 above for 15EPC-40034 for full policy analysis related to this Text Amendment to the Westland Master Development Plan.
- 6. The proposed amendments are exercises in "maximum local self-government" (Article I), which the City Council has authority to implement through legislative action and the establishment of appropriate committees (Article IX). The amendments are intended to further the public interest by 1). Amending a zoning and land use map of a sector development plan to reflect changed conditions within a plan boundary, 2.) Amending the zoning and land use maps also generally expresses the Council's desire to ensure the proper development of land and maintain an aesthetic urban environment.
- 7. The proposed text amendments to the Westland Master Plan are directly related to and dependent on a Zone Map Amendment (Zone Change) from SU-2 for Town Center Village to SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex and Related Facilities for Parcels C-2-A, C-3-A and C-3-C, Westland North located south of Arroyo Vista Boulevard, north of Ladera Drive and east of 118<sup>th</sup> Street and containing approximately 82 acres. (see 15EPC-40034).

#### CONDITIONS 15EPC-40036:

- 1. All references to "SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex" included in the proposed amendments to Section IV. Master Plan, Table 10 Land Use (Pg. 38), Section IV. Master Plan, Exhibit 10 Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Master Plan (Pg. 39) and Appendix A, Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Sector Plan, Zoning, Sheet 2 of 2 must be modified to match the zoning designation requested by the applicant which is "SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex and Related Facilities" to ensure internal consistency throughout the Westland Master Plan document.
- 2. The SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex and Related Facilities zoning designation proposed to be added to the Acreage by Zoning District Table as part of Appendix A, Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Sector Plan, Zoning, Sheet 2 of 2, be inserted directly below the amended existing SU-2 for

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- 9. The Tres Volcanes NA, Parkway NA, Los Volcanes NA, Avalon NA, Laurelwood NA, South Valley Coalition of NA's, South West Alliance of Neighbors (SWAN) and Westside Coalition of NA's were all notified of this request along with property owners with 100 feet of the subject site.
- 10. The Parks and Recreation Department held a public meeting on July 30, 2015 to discuss the proposed project and potential construction timeline. There is no known neighborhood opposition to this request.

#### CONDITIONS 15EPC-40037:

The EPC delegates final sign-off authority of this site development plan to the Development Review Board (DRB). The DRB is responsible for ensuring that all EPC Conditions have been satisfied and that other applicable City requirements have been met. A letter shall accompany the submittal, specifying all modifications that have been made to the site plan since the EPC hearing, including how the site plan has been modified to meet each of the EPC conditions. Unauthorized changes to this site plan, including before or after DRB final sign-off, may result in forfeiture of approvals.

- 1. Prior to application submittal to the DRB, the applicant shall meet with the staff planner to ensure that all conditions of approval are met.
- 2. The Site Development Plan for Building Permit requires City Council Approval of a related Zone Map Amendment (Zone Change) and Text Amendment to the Westland Master Plan (see 15EPC-40034 & 15EPC-40036).
- 3. The Building Height Section (II.B.) shall be revised to reflect any amended regulatory language for Policy 21-1 of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan (15EPC-40027) as adopted by the City Council prior to DRB sign off.
- 4. The Parking Areas and Roads Section (II.D.) shall be revised to define a maximum height for the use of "low walls" as a screening element.
- 5. The Lighting Section (II.F.) shall be revised to limit pedestrian and bicycle path lighting to a maximum height of 15' to comply with the design guidelines of the Westland Master Plan (VIII., D. 3., Pg. 82).
- 6. The Screening Walls and Fences Section (II.H.) shall be revised to further define the type of "wire" permitted to be used as building material for perimeter fencing.
- 7. The last paragraph under the Concessions Operations Section (III.E.) shall be removed as it is not relevant to outlining operations for the proposed use.

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- 9. The Tres Volcanes NA, Parkway NA, Los Volcanes NA, Avalon NA, Laurelwood NA, South Valley Coalition of NA's, South West Alliance of Neighbors (SWAN) and Westside Coalition of NA's were all notified of this request along with property owners with 100 feet of the subject site.
- 10. The Parks and Recreation Department held a public meeting on July 30, 2015 to discuss the proposed project and potential construction timeline. There is no known neighborhood opposition to this request.

#### CONDITIONS 15EPC-40038:

- 1. The EPC delegates final sign-off authority of this site development plan to the Development Review Board (DRB). The DRB is responsible for ensuring that all EPC Conditions have been satisfied and that other applicable City requirements have been met. A letter shall accompany the submittal, specifying all modifications that have been made to the site plan since the EPC hearing, including how the site plan has been modified to meet each of the EPC conditions. Unauthorized changes to this site plan, including before or after DRB final sign-off, may result in forfeiture of approvals.
- 2. Prior to application submittal to the DRB, the applicant shall meet with the staff planner to ensure that all conditions of approval are met.
- 3. The Site Development Plan for Subdivision (Master Development Plan) requires City Council Approval of a related Zone Map Amendment (Zone Change) and Text Amendment to the Westland Master Plan (see 15EPC-40034 & 15EPC-40036).
- 4. The Parking Calculations shall be revised to show 13 bicycle parking spaces (250 / 20 = 12.5 or 13 spaces).
- 5. The Lighting Plan on sheet 1 of 5 shall be revised to reflect any amended regulatory language for Policy 21-1 of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan (15EPC-40027) as adopted by the City Council prior to DRB sign off.
- 6. The Landscape Plan on sheet 2 of 5 shall be revised to indicate whether the five (5) proposed baseball fields will be developed with synthetic turf or irrigated natural turf.
- 7. Conditions of Approval from Solid Waste Management Department, Refuse Division:
  - Refuse enclosure will need to be built to City specifications.

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other person who requests it. Such certification shall be signed by the Planning Director after appeal possibilities have been concluded and after all requirements prerequisite to this certification are met. If such requirements are not met within six months after the date of final City approval, the approval is void. The Planning Director may extend this time limit up to an additional six months.

SITE DEVELOPMENT PLANS: Pursuant to Zoning Code Section 14-16-3-11(C)(1), if less than one-half of the approved square footage of a site development plan has been built or less than one-half of the site has been developed, the plan for the undeveloped areas shall terminate automatically seven years after adoption or major amendment of the plan: within six months prior to the seven-year deadline, the property owners shall request in writing through the Planning Director that the Planning Commission extend the plan's life an additional five years. Additional design details will be required as a project proceeds through the Development Review Board and through the plan check of Building Permit submittals for construction. Planning staff may consider minor, reasonable changes that are consistent with an approved Site Development Plan so long as they can be shown to be in conformance with the original, approved intent.

<u>DEFERRAL FEES</u>: Pursuant to Zoning Code Section 14-16-4-1(B), deferral at the request of the applicant is subject to a \$110.00 fee per case.

Sincerely,

For Suzanne Lubar Planning Director

#### SL/VQ

cc: COA Parks & Recreation Dept., 1801 4th St. NW, ABQ, NM 87102 Consensus Planning, 302 8th St. NW, ABQ, NM 87102 Thomas Borst, Tres Volcanes NA, 1908 Selway Pl. NW, ABQ, NM 87120 Antionette Lopez, Tres Volcanes NA, 9774 Summer Shower Pl NW, ABQ, NM 87120 Ruben Aleman, Parkway N.A., Fallbrook NW, ABQ, NM 87120 Mary Loughran, Parkway NA, 8015 Fallbrook NW, ABQ, NM 87120 Billy DeHerrera, Avalon NA, 651 Stern Dr. NW, ABQ, NM 87121 Lucy Anchondo, Avalon NA, 601 Stern Dr. NW, ABQ, NM 87121 Candelaria Patterson, Laurelwood NA, 7608 Elderwood Dr. NW, ABQ, NM 87120 Greg Huston, Laurelwood NA, 7600 Sherwood Dr. NW, ABQ, NM 87120 Ben Sandoval, Los Volcanes NA, 6516 Honeylocust Ave, NW, ABQ, NM 87121 Ted Trujillo, Los Volcanes NA, 6601 Honeylocust Ave, NW, ABQ, NM 87121 Rod Mahoney, S.V. Coalition of NA's, 1838 Sadora Rd SW, ABQ, NM 87105 Marcia Fernandez, S.V. Coalition of NA's, 2401 Violet SW, ABQ, NM 87105 Johnny Pena, SWAN, 6525 Sunset Gardens SW, ABQ, NM 87121 Jerry Gallegos, SWAN, 417 65th St. SW, ABQ, NM 87121 Gerald Worrall, Westside Coalition of NA's, 1039 Pinatubo Pl. NW, ABQ, NM 87120 Harry Hendriksen, Westside Coalition of NA's, 10592 Rio Del Sole Ct. NW, ABQ, NM 87114-2701



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Mr. Jack Cloud, Chairman Development Review Board City of Albuquerque 600 Second Street NW Albuquerque, NM 87102

**RE:** Regional Baseball Complex

Project #1010536

Dear Mr. Cloud:

The purpose of this letter is to explain the modifications that have been made to the Sector Development Plan Text Amendment, the Master Development Plan, and the Site Development Plan for Building Permit for Parcels C-2-A, C-3-A, and C-3-C, Westland North. The project was approved by the Environmental Planning Commission (EPC) on September 10, 2015.

The Conditions of Approval and the applicant's responses are provided below:

#### Text Amendment to Sector Development Plan (15EPC-40036)

All references to "SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex" included in the proposed amendments to Section IV Master Plan, Table 10 – Land Use (pg. 38), Section IV Master Plan, Exhibit 10 – Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Master Plan (Pg. 39) and Appendix A, Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Sector Plan, Zoning, Sheet 2 of 2 must be modified to match the zoning designation requested by the applicant which is "SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex and Related Facilities" to ensure internal consistency throughout the Westland Master Plan document.

This part of the request went to City Council and was approved and provided to Andrew Webb, City Council Services, for updating the Sector Plan on the City's website.

2. The SU-2/SU-1 for Regional Sports Complex and Related Facilities zoning description proposed to be added to the Acreage by Zoning District Table as part of Appendix A, Western Albuquerque Land Holdings Sector Plan, Zoning, Sheet 2 of 2, be inserted directly below the amended existing SU-2 for Town Center Village row in order to clarify that the modified acreage is still part of the total acreage for the plan area.

This part of the request went to City Council and was approved and provided to Andrew Webb, City Council Services, for updating the Sector Plan on the City's website.

#### **PRINCIPALS**

James K. Strozier, AICP Christopher J. Green, PLA, ASLA, LEED AP Jacqueline Fishman, AICP Laurie Firor, PLA, ASLA



#### Master Development Plan (15EPC-40037)

1. The EPC delegates final sign-off authority of this site development plan to the Development Review Board (DRB). The DRB is responsible for ensuring that all EPC Conditions have been satisfied and that other applicable City requirements have been met. A letter shall accompany the submittal, specifying all modifications that have been made to the site plan since the EPC hearing, including how the site plan has been modified to meet each of the EPC conditions. Unauthorized change to this site plan, including before or after DRB final sign-off, may result in forfeiture of approvals.

Agreed.

2. Prior to application submittal to the DRB, the applicant shall meet with the staff planner to ensure that all conditions of approval are met.

We met with Vicente Quevedo, staff planner, on February 18, 2016 to review the modifications made to the Master Development Plan and Site Development Plan for Building Permit.

3. The Site Development Plan for Building Permit requires City Council Approval of a related Zone Map Amendment (Zone Change) and Text Amendment to the Westland Master Plan (see 15EPC-40034 & 15EPC-40036).

Agreed. The City Council adopted the zone map amendment and Westland Master Plan amendments at its January 20, 2016 hearing.

4. The Building Height Section (II.B.) shall be revised to reflect any amended regulatory language for Policy 21-1 of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan (15EPC-40027) as adopted by the City Council prior to DRB sign off.

The Resolution adopted by the City Council amending the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan responded to changes in Policy 13-4, which had restricted the height of luminaires (light poles) to 20 feet. Therefore, there were no amendments made to Policy 21-1 of the NWMEP related to building height. However, we have added language to the Lighting Section (II.G.) to reflect the amendment to the NWMEP related to lighting (R-15-222).

5. The Parking Areas and Roads Section (II.D.) shall be revised to define a maximum height for the use of "low walls" as a screening element.

The maximum height for "low walls" was defined as 3 feet.

6. The Lighting Section (II.F.) shall be revised to limit pedestrian and bicycle path lighting to a maximum height of 15' to comply with the design guidelines of the Westland Master Plan (VIII., D. 3., Pg. 82).



The maximum height for pedestrian and bicycle path lights was defined as 15 feet.

7. The Screening Walls and Fences Section (II.H.) shall be revised to further define the type of "wire" permitted to be used as building material for perimeter fencing.

"Wire" fencing was further defined as "welded wire".

8. The last paragraph under the Concessions Operations Section (III.E.) shall be removed as it is not relevant to outlining operations for the proposed use.

Paragraph was removed.

9. The title for section "III. OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT" shall be revised to read "III. OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT TO BE CONTROLLED AND ENFORCED BY THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT".

Section title was revised.

10. The Site Development Plan shall comply with the General Regulations of Zoning Code and all other applicable design regulations, except as specifically approved by the EPC.

Agreed.

#### Site Development Plan for Building Permit (15EPC 40038)

1. The EPC delegates final sign-off authority of this site development plan to the Development Review Board (DRB). The DRB is responsible for ensuring that all EPC Conditions have been satisfied and that other applicable City requirements have been met. A letter shall accompany the submittal, specifying all modifications that have been made to the site plan since the EPC hearing, including how the site plan has been modified to meet each of the EPC conditions. Unauthorized change to this site plan, including before or after DRB final sign-off, may result in forfeiture of approvals.

Agreed.

2. Prior to application submittal to the DRB, the applicant shall meet with the staff planner to ensure that all conditions of approval are met.

We met with Vicente Quevedo, staff planner, on February 18, 2016 to review the modifications made to the Site Development Plan for Building Permit.



3. The Site Development Plan for Building Permit requires City Council Approval of a related Zone Map Amendment (Zone Change) and Text Amendment to the Westland Master Plan (see 15EPC-40034 & 15EPC-40036).

Agreed. The City Council adopted the zone map amendment and Westland Master Plan amendments at its January 20, 2016 hearing.

4. The Parking Calculations shall be revised to show 13 bicycle parking spaces (250 / 20 = 12.5 or 13 spaces).

Bicycle Parking calculations were revised accordingly.

5. The Lighting Plan on sheet 1 of 5 shall be revised to reflect any amended regulatory language for Policy 21-1 of the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan (15EPC-40027) as adopted by the City Council prior to DRB sign off.

The Resolution adopted by the City Council amending the Northwest Mesa Escarpment Plan responded to changes in Policy 13-4, which had restricted the height of luminaires (light poles) to 20 feet. Therefore, there were no amendments made to Policy 21-1 of the NWMEP related to building height. However, we have added language to the Lighting Section (II.G.) to reflect the amendment to the NWMEP related to lighting (R-15-222).

6. The Landscape Plan on sheet 2 of 5 shall be revised to indicate whether the five (5) proposed baseball fields will be developed with synthetic turf or irrigated natural turf.

A note was added to identify the fields to be developed with synthetic turf.

- 7. Conditions of Approval from Solid Waste Management Department, Refuse Division:
  - a. Refuse enclosure will need to be built to City specifications.

Agreed; Solid Waste has signed off on the Site Plan.

- 8. Conditions of Approval from Fire Department:
  - a. All site development plans for subdivisions and site development plans for building permit shall be submitted to the Fire Marshall's Office Plans Checking Division for an official review and approval prior to submitting for building permit.

Agreed; a Fire One Plan has been reviewed and approved by the Fire Marshal.



9. The Site Development Plan shall comply with the General Regulations of the Zoning Code, and all other applicable design regulations, except as specifically approved by the EPC.

Agreed.

- 10. Conditions of Approval from Public Service Company of New Mexico:
  - a. An existing PNM electric transmission line diagonally bisects the subject property. The applicant is responsible to abide by the conditions or terms of the transmission right-of-way. Adequate clearances for the electric utilities must be maintained during construction and provided for to address safe operation and maintenance purposes. PNM shall review all technical needs, issues and safety clearance for its electric power systems.
  - b. Grounding shall be installed by the City on the chain-link fence within proximity of the transmission line to reduce the risk of nuisance shocks. Locations to be determined by PNM.
  - c. PNM shall have 24/7 access to its transmission line facilities within the regional baseball complex and must have the ability to drive PNM vehicles within the entire transmission right-of-way.
  - d. PNM requests continued coordination regarding this project.

Notes reflecting these comments have been added to the notes on the Site Plan.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or if you require additional information.

Sincerely,

Chris Green, PLA, ASLA

Principal

# revised 07/01/01

# CITY DEPARTMENT INFRASTRUCTURE LIST

INFRASTRUCTURE LIST

Project Number: Current DRC

Date Preliminary Plat Approved: Date Preliminary Plat Expires: Date Site Plan Approved: DRB Project No.:

DRB Application No.:

DEVELOPMENT REVIEW BOARD (D.R.B.) REQUIRED INFRASTRUCTURE LIST TO SUBDIVISION IMPROVEMENTS AGREEMENT

Albuquerque Baseball Complex
PROPOSED NAME OF PLAT AND/OR SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Tracts C-2-A, C-3-A & C-3-C Westland North EXISTING LEGAL DESCRIPTION PRIOR TO PLATTING ACTION

Following is a summary of PUBLIC/PRIVATE infrastructure required to be constructed or financially guaranteed for the above development. This Listing is not necessarily a complete listing. During the SIA process and/or in the review of the construction drawings, if the DRC Chair determines that appurtenant interns and/or unforeseen items have not been included in the infrastructure listing, the DRC Chair may include those items in the listing and related financial guarantee. Likewise, if the DRC Chair determines that appurtenant or non-sestral items can be deleted from the listing, those items may be deleted as well as the related portions of the financial guarantees. All such revisions require approval by the DRC Chair, the User Department and agent/owner. If such approvals are obtained, these revisions to the listing will be incorporated administratively. In addition, any unforeseen items which arise during construction which are necessary to complete the project and which normally are the Subdivider's responsibility will be required as a condition of project acceptance and close out by the City.

City Cnst Engineer	_	_		_					
City (Inspector									
Private Inspector	1								
oT	80' WEST OF WESTERN ENTRANCE	EASTERN DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE	80 WEST OF WESTERN ENTRANCE		EX. 54" STORM DRAIN CONSTRUCTED UNDER CPN 650274		118TH ST. INTERSECTION	SOUTHERN PL NORTH OF PARCEL C-3-A WESTLAND NORTH	
From	CPN 650274		CPN 650274		NEW DETENTION POND WEST OF 118TH STREET		EDGE OF PHASE 1	ARROYO VISTA	UNTO 118TH ST.
Location	ARROYO VISTA BLVD	ARROYO VISTA BLVD	ARROYO VISTA BLVD	ARROYO VISTA BLVD	ARROYO VISTA BLVD	WEST OF 118TH STREET W/IN NEW DRAINAGE EASEMENT	ARRYOYO VISTA BLVD	118TH ST	ARROYO VISTA BLVD
Type of Improvement	PUBLIC ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS  44' WIDE  SOUTH 1/2 PAVED ROADWAY WITH  C&G AND 10' TRAIL, 810 FT	LEFT TURN LANE	PUBLIC WATER AND SEWER IMPROVEMENTS 12" DIA WATERLINE W/ NEC. VALVES FH'S, MJ'S & RJ'S, 790 FT	WATER, FIRE AND SEWER SERVICES SERVICES TO SERVE SITE	54" - 66" RCP W/ MH & INLETS  (APPROX 1,355LF)	DRAINAGE CONTROL POND & TRAINING BERMS/DYKES	PHASE 2 PUBLIC ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS  44' WIDE SOUTH 1/2 PAVED ROADWAY WITH  C&G AND 10' TRAIL, 410 FT	EAST 1/2 PAVED ROADWAY WITH C&G AND 10' TRAIL, 3,700 FT	LEFT TURN LANES, 310 FT
Size PHASE 1	PUBLIC ROA		PUBLIC WAT		PUBLIC DRAI 54" - 66"		PHASE 2 PUBLIC ROA 44' WIDE	44' WIDE	
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SIA Sequence #									

	PUBLIC WAT	PUBLIC WATER AND SEWER IMPROVEMENTS						
	12" DIA	WATERLINE W/ NEC. VALVES	NEW EASEMENT SOUTH OF	SW CORNER (CPN 650274) 118TH ST	118TH ST	,	_	
		FH'S, MJ'S & RJ'S, 1375 FT	PARCEL C-3-A WESTLAND NORTH					
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	PUBLIC DRA	PUBLIC DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS						
	54"-60"	RCP W/ MH & INLETS	ALONG EXISTING ARROYO 118TH ST WESTERN ROW (118TH ST)		EASTERN PROPERTY LINE OF	`	_	_
		(APPROX 1,650LF)	(APPROX 2,620LF SOUTH OF ARROYO VISTA BLVD)		PARCEL C-3-A WESTLAND NORTH			
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NAME OF PLAT AND/OR SITE PLAN Albuquerque Baseball Complex

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The improvements identified above will be the responsibility of the City of Albuquerque, Parks & Recreation Department. By signing below, I, Barbara Taylor, Department Director, understand that my Department is financially responsible for the above listed items. This agreement will constitute as a Subdivision Improvements Agreement (SIA). Acquiring funding for these items is my responsibility. The items listed above will be completed within two years after the City Engineer signs the construction drawings. The estimated cost of these improvements is \$	

NOTES			DEVELOPMENT REVIEW BOARD MEMBER APPROVALS	PARKS & RECREATION - date	AMAFCA - date	- date	- date	TEE REVISIONS
ON			DEVELOF	DRB CHAIR - date	TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT - date	UTILITY DEVELOPMENT - date	CITY ENGINEER - date	DESIGN REVIEW COMMITTEE REVISIONS
1	8	Ø	AGENT / OWNER	MICHAEL BALASKOVITS, P.E. NAME (print)	DEPARTMENT	SIGNATURE - date	MAXIMUM TIME ALLOWED TO CONSTRUCT THE IMPROVEMENTS WITHOUT A DRB EXTENSION:	

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