

March 20, 2013

Mr. Bill Fruhling Department of Planning & Development City of Madison 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. PO Box 2985 Madison, Wisconsin 53701

Re:

Letter of Intent PUD-SIP Submittal 1924 Atwood Ave.

Madison, WI

Dear Mr. Fruhling,

The following is submitted together with the plans, application and zoning text for staff, Plan Commission and Common Council consideration of approval.

Organizational structure:

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Introduction:

The subject development is located on Atwood Avenue just east of South First Street and is part of a two-phase PUD-GDP. The first phase of the development, located just southwest of the subject site, is a 39-unit apartment building with first floor retail and office space. This second phase of the development is a four story 50-unit apartment building with underground parking.

The site is currently occupied by a parking lot. To the northeast of the proposed site is an existing single family house and to the northwest of the proposed site is an active railroad track and a future pedestrian/bike corridor. Across the street on Atwood lies the Trinity Lutheran Church and associated parking lot.

The original PUD-GDP was approved in 2004 which provided for 39 dwelling units in Phase 1 and 50 dwelling units in Phase 2. A PUD-SIP for the first phase was submitted soon after the GDP for the first phase of the development consisting of 39 dwelling units.

Project Description:

The proposed development is a 4-story, 50-unit apartment building with a mix of efficiency, one bedroom, and two bedroom apartments, with 49 underground parking stalls.

Site Development Data:

Densities:

Lot Area 36,870 sf or 0.846 acres

Dwelling Units 50 units
Lot Area per Dwelling Unit 737 sf
Density 59 du/acre

Dwelling Unit Mix:

 Studio Apartments
 6

 One-Bedroom
 36

 Two-Bedroom
 8

 Total
 50

Building Height: 4 Stories

Floor Area:

Gross Floor Area 46,238 sf Floor Area Ratio: 1.25

Vehicle Parking Stalls:

Underground 49 Stalls (incl. 1 accessible)
Surface 5 Stalls (incl. 1 accessible)
Total Parking 54 Stalls (incl. 2 accessible

Bicycle Parking Stalls:

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Underground

42 Stalls

Project Schedule:

Construction is scheduled to begin in August 2013 and will be completed in August 2014.

Social & Economic Impacts:

This development will have a positive social and economic impact. The proposed development will provide much needed housing to the neighborhood and the added residents will support the local business district. Construction of the buildings will also provide economic employment for local businesses and trades people.

Thank you for your time in reviewing our proposal.

Very Truly Yours,

J. Ràndy Bruce, AlA Managing Member