

November 6, 2013

Ms. Katherine Cornwell Department of Planning & Development City of Madison 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd PO Box 2985 Madison, Wisconsin 53701

Re: Letter of Intent - Conditional Use Royster Crossings Lot 5 Madison, Wisconsin

KBA Project # 1302

Ms. Katherine Cornwell:

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

Organizational Structure:

Owner/Developer:	The McKenzie Company
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Engineer:

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Landscape Design: Olson Toon Landscaping 4387 Schwartz Rd. Middleton, WI 53562 Phone: 608.827.9401 Fax: 608.827.9402 Contact: Paul Bickett mailto:paul@olsontoon.com

Introduction:

The proposed site is located on the north of Silicon Prairie Parkway and Cross Oaks Drive. The site was was rezoned July 22, 2013, from "A" to "TR-UI."

The proposed development plan will create a high end apartment community that will feature attractive architecture, extensive landscaping and amenities that will appeal to a broad range of residents. Amenities including a business center, fitness facility and community room will help attract the high end resident that demands such services.

Project Description:

The site plan is designed to provide an integrated medium-density housing environment with a variety of rental apartments. The project consists of 8 three story buildings and includes 286 apartments. The building façade includes changes in color, texture and material with high-quality façade materials. The exterior materials will be a combination of masonry and horizontal and vertical fiber-cement siding with an architectural cast or simulated stone base. Standing seam metal roofs located at select unit entrances and multiple setbacks of the façade break up the massing while creating visual interest.

Vehicular access to the site is achieved from Silicon Prairie Parkway and a new public street created to service the neighborhood. Underground parking at each building is provided and includes 280 resident parking stalls. An additional 143 parking spaces on grade is provided. Bicycle parking is dispersed

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throughout the site.

Conditional Use

A 286 unit multi-family development is an allowed use in TR-UI and requires a Conditional Use Application according to Chapter 28, Madison Zoning Code Ordinance 28.050, Table 28C-1.

Site Development Data:

Densities:	
Lot Area	436,263 sf / 9.95 acres
Dwelling Units	286 D.U.
Lot Area / D.U.	I,525 SF/unit
Density	28.7 Units/Acre
Building Height:	Three Stories + Loft
Gross Floor Areas:	
38 Unit	45,951 S.F.
32 Unit	38,473 S.F.
32 Unit with Clubhouse	41,794 S.F.
Development Total	348,495 S.F.
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Dwelling Unit Mix:	
38 Unit	
Studio	4
Studio Loft	2
One Bedroom	18
Two Bedroom	8
Two Bedroom Loft	<u>6</u>
Total Dwelling Units	38
32 Unit & 32 Unit with Clubhouse	
Studio	4
Studio Loft	2
One Bedroom	14
Two Bedroom	8
<u>Two Bedroom Loft</u>	4
Total Dwelling Units	32

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Development Total	
Studio	32
Studio Loft	16
One Bedroom	132
Two Bedroom	64
Two Bedroom Loft	42
Total Dwelling Units	286
Vehicle Parking:	
Surface:	143
Underground:	280 stalls
Total	423 stalls

Bicycle Parking:

Garage - wall hung	64 stalls
Garage - standard 2'x6'	207 stalls
Exterior - standard 2'x6'	<u>64 stalls</u>
Total	335 stalls

Project Schedule:

It is anticipated that the new construction phase will start in Spring 2014 and be completed in Spring 2015.

Thank you for your time reviewing our proposal.

Sincerely,

J. Randy Bruce, AIA

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