

Traffic Engineering and Parking Divisions

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TO: Plan Commission

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SUBJECT: 1022 West Johnson Street – Demolish / Rezoning – R6 to PUD (GDP-SIP) 162

Unit Apartments, 14 Story Building

The City Traffic Engineering Division has reviewed the subject development and has the following comments.

MAJOR OR NON-STANDARD REVIEW COMMENTS (Comments which are special to the project and/or may require additional work beyond a standard, more routine project.)

- 1. City of Madison radio systems are microwave directional line of sight to remote towers citywide. The building elevation will need to be review by Traffic Engineer to accommodate the microwave sight and building. The applicant shall submit grade and elevations plans if the building exceeds four stories prior to sign-off to be reviewed and approved by Keith Lippert, (266-4767) Traffic Engineering Shop, 1120 Sayle Street. The applicant shall return one signed approved building elevation copy to the City of Madison Traffic Engineering office with final plans for sign off.
- 2. A condition of approval shall be that no residential parking permits shall be issued for 1022 West Johnson Street, this would be consistent with other projects in the area. In addition, the applicant shall inform all tenants of this facility of the requirement in their apartment leases and record in zoning text. The applicant shall note in the Zoning Text that no residential parking permits shall be issued. In addition, the applicant shall submit for 1022 West Johnson Street a copy of the lease noting the above condition in the lease when submitting plans for City approval.
- 3. The approval of this facility does not include the approval of the as proposed improvements in the street right-of-way. The applicant should remove all proposed improvements in the right-of-way on the site plan sheets or note: "All right-of-way improvements require separate approval by the Board of Public Works and Common Council for the public right-of-way changes to be requested by the developer."
- 4. The developer shall work with the City to resolve construction-related issues prior to submitting final plans for approval. The site has limited areas on and off site for constructionrelated use, West Johnson Street traffic lanes, pedestrian sidewalk and bike lanes shall be maintained during building construction. Staff cannot commit to anything until it can perform a detailed review with the applicant.

PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE TRANSPORTATION REVIEW COMMENTS

- 5. The applicant shall indicate the type of bicycle racks to be installed both inside and outside.
- 6. The applicant shall provide an area for visitor outside and inside tenant moped parking spaces and access. Moped standard parking spaces recommend 4 ft in width and 6 ft in length with a 6 ft access aisle.

GENERAL OR STANDARD REVIEW COMMENTS

In addition, we offer the following General or Standard Review Comments:

- 7. When the applicant submits final plans for approval, the applicant shall show the following: items in the terrace as existing (e.g., signs and street light poles), type of surfaces, existing property lines, addresses, one contiguous plan (showing all easements, all pavement markings, building placement, and stalls), adjacent driveway approaches to lots on either side, signage, percent of slope, vehicle routes, dimensions of radii, aisles, driveways, stalls including the two (2) feet overhang, and a scaled drawing at 1" = 20'.
- 8. When site plans are submitted for approval, the developer shall provide recorded copies of the joint driveway ingress/egress and easements.
- 9. "Stop" and "One Way " signs shall be installed at a height of six (6) feet to the bottom of the first sign at the driveway approach to W. Johnson Street. All signs at the approaches shall be installed behind the property line. All directional/regulatory signage and pavement markings on the site shall be shown and noted on the plan.
- 10. The intersection shall be so designed so as not to violate the City's sight-triangle preservations requirement which states that on a corner lot no structure, screening, or embankment of any kind shall be erected, placed, maintained or grown between the heights of 30 inches and 10 feet above the curb level or its equivalent within the triangle space formed by the two intersecting street lines or their projections and a line joining points on such street lines located a minimum of 25 feet from the street intersection in order to provide adequate vehicular vision clearance.
- 11. The applicant shall design the underground parking areas for stalls and backing up according to Figures II of the ordinance using the 9' or wider stall for the commercial/retail area. The "One Size Fits All" stall shall be used for the residential parking area only, which is a stall 8'-9" in width by 17'-0" in length with a 23'-0" backup. Aisles, ramps, *columns*, offices or work areas are to be excluded from these rectangular areas, when designing underground parking areas. The applicant shall modify the underground parking backup 23 ft to exclude columns. In addition, the applicant shall dimension 306 North Brooks Street modified parking spaces along the driveway to W. Johnson Street.
- 12. All existing driveway approaches on which are to be abandoned shall be removed and replaced with curb and gutter and noted on the plan.
- 13. The applicant shall redesign the West Johnson Street driveway approach according to the design criteria for a "Class III" driveway in accordance to Madison General Ordinance

Section 10.08(4). In addition, the applicant shall dimension the approach and flares according to M.G.O.

- 14. The Developer shall post a deposit and reimburse the City for all costs associated with any modifications to Traffic Signals, Street Lighting, Signing and Pavement Marking, and conduit and handholes, including labor, engineering and materials for both temporary and permanent installations.
- 15. Public signing and marking related to the development may be required by the City Traffic Engineer for which the developer shall be financially responsible.

Please contact John Leach, City Traffic Engineering at 267-8755 if you have questions regarding the above items:

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