



City of Bloomington Common Council

Legislative Packet - Addendum

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Wednesday, 18 May 2022

Regular Session at 6:30 pm

ORDINANCE 22-15

TO VACATE A PUBLIC PARCEL -

Re: A 12-Foot Wide Alley Segment Running East/West between the B-Line Trail and the First Alley to the West, North of 7th Street and South of 8th Street (Peerless Development, Petitioner)

WHEREAS, Ind. Code § 36-7-3-12 authorizes the Common Council to vacate public ways and places upon petition of persons who own or are interested in lots contiguous to those public ways and places; and

WHEREAS, the petitioner, Peerless Development, has filed a petition to vacate a parcel of City property more particularly described below;

WHEREAS, pursuant to I.C. § 36-7-3-16, the City received written communications from utility services regarding their interests in the right-of-way and those communications are on file and available for inspection at the City Planning and Transportation Department and the Clerk and Council Office at 401 North Morton Street, Bloomington, Indiana (47402); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to I.C. § 36-7-3-12(c), the City Clerk has provided notice to the owners of abutting property, if any, and published notice to the general public of the petition and public hearing on this matter, which will be held during the Common Council Regular Session on Wednesday, June 1st, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, Room 115, of City Hall, 401 North Morton Street; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to I.C. § 36-7-3-12, upon vacation the City Clerk shall furnish a copy of this ordinance to the County Recorder for recording and to the County Auditor;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, THAT:

SECTION 1. Through the authority of I.C. § 36-7-3-12, one portion of City owned property shall be vacated as described below:

Being a part of a 12 foot public alley in the original plat of the Town of Bloomington, as shown in the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book A, Page 5, in the Office of the Recorder of Monroe County, Indiana, described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Inlot 295, thence North 00 degrees 21 minutes 11 seconds East, (Indiana State Plane, West Zone) 12.00 feet to the Southwest corner of Inlot 294; thence along the South line thereof North 89 degrees 42 minutes 40 seconds East 132.00 feet to the Southeast corner of said Inlot 294; thence South 00 degrees 21 minutes 11 seconds West 12.00 feet to the Northeast corner of said Inlot 295; thence along the North line thereof South 89 degrees 42 minutes 40 seconds West 132.00 feet to the point of beginning, containing 0.036 acres, more or less.

SECTION 2. If any section, sentence of provision of this ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances shall be declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any of the other sections, sentences, provisions, or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington and approval of the Mayor.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this _____ day of _____, 2022.

SUSAN SANDBERG, President
City of Bloomington

NICOLE BOLDEN, Clerk
City of Bloomington

PRESENTED by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this _____ day of _____, 2022.

NICOLE BOLDEN, Clerk
City of Bloomington

SIGNED and APPROVED by me upon this _____ day of _____, 2022.

JOHN HAMILTON, Mayor
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

The petitioner, Peerless Development, requests vacation of a segment of an alley running east/west between the B-Line Trail and the first alley to the west and situated north of 7th Street and south of 8th Street in order to continue using the right-of-way as part of the Johnson's Creamery site and to allow for a proposed development at 335 W. 8th Street.

Note: This ordinance was revised after distribution in the Legislative Packet but before introduction at the May 18, 2022 Regular Session. The revision corrected the legal description of the property in question.

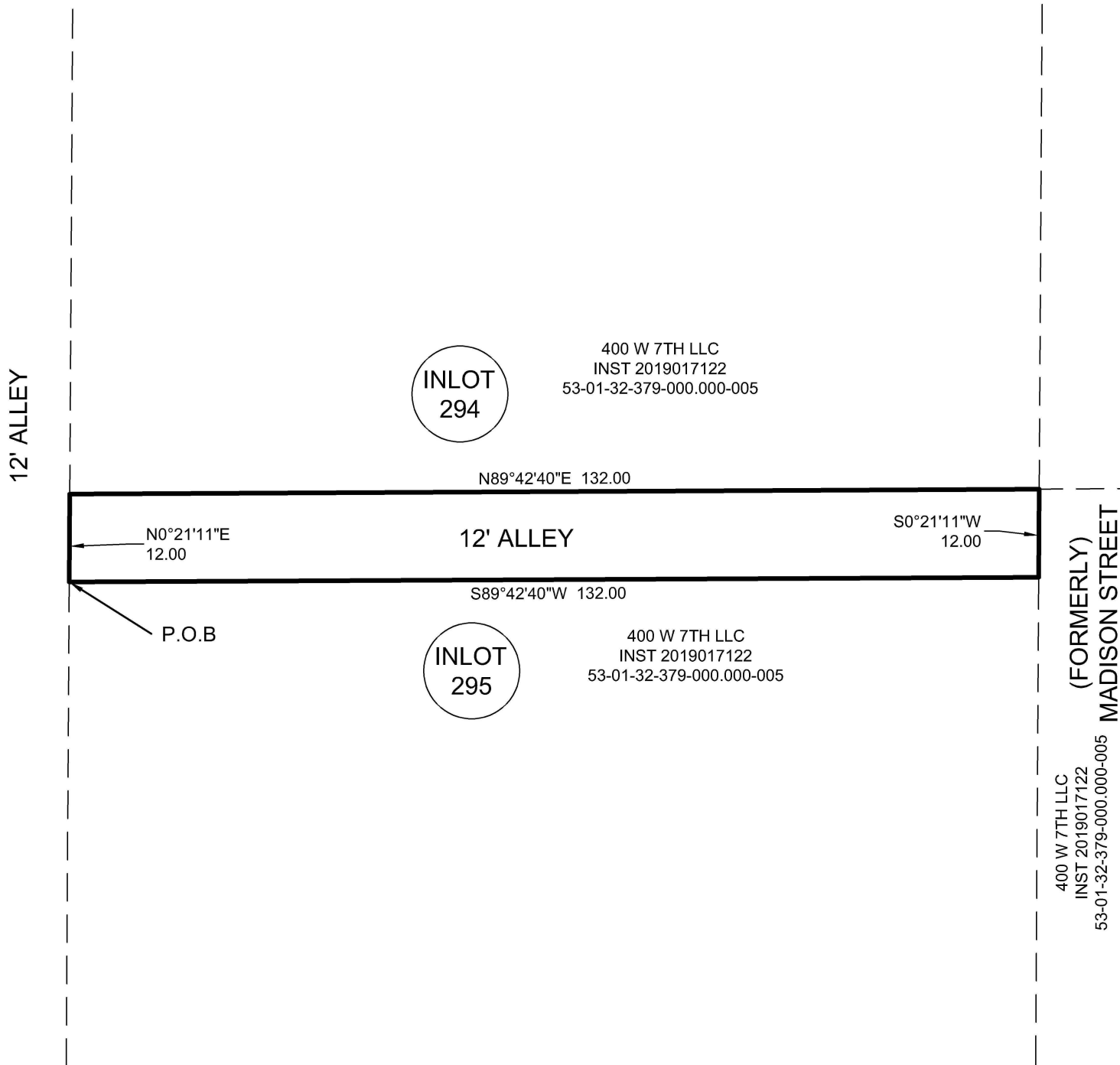
EXHIBIT 'A'

12' ALLEY

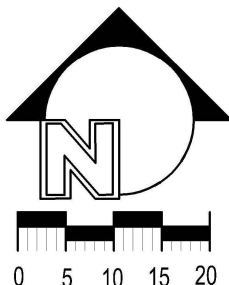
LEGAL DESCRIPTION

BEING A PART OF A 12 FOOT PUBLIC ALLEY IN THE ORIGINAL PLAT OF THE TOWN OF BLOOMINGTON, AS SHOWN IN THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK A, PAGE 5, IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF INLOT 295, THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 21 MINUTES 11 SECONDS EAST (INDIANA STATE PLANE, WEST ZONE) 12.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF INLOT 294; THENCE ALONG THE SOUTH LINE THEREOF NORTH 89 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST 132.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID INLOT 294; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 21 MINUTES 11 SECONDS WEST 12.00 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID INLOT 295; THENCE ALONG THE NORTH LINE THEREOF SOUTH 89 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 40 SECONDS WEST 132.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 0.036 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.



NOTE:
THIS EXHIBIT WAS PREPARED BASED UPON DOCUMENTS OBTAINED FROM THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF MONROE COUNTY, AND OTHER SOURCES AND IS NOT INTENDED TO BE REPRESENTED AS A RETRACEMENT OR ORIGINAL BOUNDARY SURVEY, A ROUTE SURVEY OR A SURVEYOR LOCATION REPORT.



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SCALE: 1"=20'

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*** Amendment Form ***

Ordinance #: 22-09
Amendment #: Am 01
Submitted By: Cm. Piedmont-Smith
Date: May 18, 2022
Proposed Amendment: (additions are shown in **bold** and deletions in ~~strikethrough~~)

1. The proposal forwarded to the Common Council by the Plan Commission and attached to Ordinance 22-09 as “Attachment A” (ZO-11-22) shall be amended as follows (only affected portions of the proposal are shown below):

20.03.030 Use-Specific Standards

(b) Residential Uses

(13) Student Housing or Dormitory

(B) Location

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However, if either the affordable housing incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(c) or the sustainable development incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(d) has been earned, only the requirements of 20.03.030(b)(13)(AB)(i) apply to each student housing or dormitory use in the RM, RH, MN, MM, MC, and MI zoning districts. ~~If~~ If both the affordable housing incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(c) and the sustainable development incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(d), the separation requirements of this section do not apply to each student housing or dormitory use in the RM, RH, MN, MM, MC, and MI zoning districts.

(C) Building Floor Plate

- (i) In the MN zoning district, the maximum building floor plate for a student housing or dormitory use shall be 2,000 square feet per building, pursuant to the measurement standards in Section 20.04.020(g) (Building Floor Plate). However if either the affordable housing incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(c) or the sustainable development incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(d) has been earned, the maximum building floor plate for a student housing or dormitory use in the MN zoning district shall be 3,000 square feet per building, pursuant to the measurement standards in Section 20.04.020(g). If both the affordable housing incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(c) and the sustainable development incentive codified at Section 20.04.110(d) ~~have has~~ been earned, the maximum building floor plate of a student housing or dormitory use shall be 5,000 square feet per building.

Synopsis

This amendment corrects grammatical errors in the ordinance.

Committee Recommendation:
Regular Session Action:

N/A
Pending

***** Amendment Form *****

Ordinance #: 22-10
Amendment #: Am 01 (revised)
Submitted By: Cm. Smith (at request of Planning staff)
Date: May 18, 2022
Proposed Amendment:

1. The proposal forwarded to the Common Council by the Plan Commission and attached to Ordinance 22-10 as “Attachment A” (ZO-12-22) shall be amended as shown in the red-line version of BMC 20.04.110 attached hereto.

Synopsis and Reason for Amendment

This amendment proposes changes to the existing Incentives section in Chapter 4 of Title 20, the Unified Development Ordinance. After working with the incentives since their adoption, the Department is proposing various changes in order to increase utilization of the incentives, as well as improve the outcomes of projects that utilize these incentives. These changes work in tandem with other changes proposed in Chapter 3. These changes were always intended to be included in the Ordinance update that went to Plan Commission, but were omitted through an error during the compilation of the Plan Commission packets.

The amendment proposes the following:

- Increase the earnings threshold for 7.5 percent of affordable units in a Tier II affordable housing incentive bonus project from 80 percent to 90 percent
- Alter the requirements for Student Housing or Dormitory projects outside of the MD zoning district, removing the linkage study requirement
- Increase bulk reductions eligible in an affordable housing incentive bonus project
- Split the benefit for using both the affordable housing and sustainable incentives by Tier
- Add a proof of advertising requirement before occupancy for affordable housing incentive bonus projects
- Increase the allowable distance from the project site for associated affordable units to ¼ mile for affordable housing incentive bonus projects
- Alter the process for a Payment-in-Lieu agreement for affordable housing incentive bonus projects
- Reorganize the sustainable development incentive section
- Require compliance with more sustainable practices to receive the incentive bonuses
- Increases base Solar Reflectance Index readings for hardscape and roofing that is light-colored and being used for incentive bonuses
- Increase the percentage of spaces that are required to be covered to receive incentive bonuses for covered parking

Committee Recommendation (05/11/22): 5-0-2
Regular Session Action: Pending

Note: This amendment was revised after it was considered at the May 11, 2022 Committee of the Whole. The revision corrected a typographical numbering error in the first sentence under 20.04.110(d)(2)(A)(iv).

- iv. Signs shall be truly portable and shall not be permanently affixed to any structure or sidewalk.

(C) Placement

Sandwich board signs shall meet the following placement criteria.

- i. Signs shall be placed only on sidewalks with a minimum width of seven feet.
- ii. Signs shall be removed from the public sidewalk at the end of each business day.
- iii. Signs shall be located a maximum of two feet from the building; or in the tree plot outside of the sidewalk.
- iv. Signs shall be placed a minimum of 48 inches from all obstructions within the sidewalk including newspaper boxes, outdoor tables and seating, trees and tree grates, bicycle racks, trash receptacles and any other item impeding pedestrian or wheelchair movement.
- v. Signs shall be placed a minimum of eight feet from a building corner or pedestrian crosswalk.
- vi. Sign placement shall meet all requirements of the ADA.
- vii. Signs shall not be placed within the right-of-way of the B-Line Trail. Sandwich board signs for properties with frontage along the trail shall be placed within the setback between the building and the trail right-of-way.

20.04.110 Incentives

(a) Applicability

These affordable housing and sustainable development incentives are available to all development, except for Student Housing or Dormitory projects located in the MD zoning district .

(b) General Standards

The following standards apply to all projects seeking the affordable housing or sustainable development incentives in this Section 20.04.110.

(1) Neighborhood Transition Standards

- (A) All projects abutting a property in the R1, R2, R3, or R4 zoning district shall comply with the neighborhood transition standards established in Section 20.04.070(d)(5) (Neighborhood Transition Standards).
- (B) Where a primary structure's maximum height incentive is in conflict with the neighborhood transition standards established in Section 20.04.070(d)(5) (Neighborhood Transition Standards), the neighborhood transition standards shall govern. The petitioner may request relief from the neighborhood transition standards in accordance with the development standards variance procedure pursuant to Section 20.06.080(b) (Variance).

(2) Waiver of Fees

- (A) When a petition qualifies for one or more of the incentives in this Section 20.04.110, filing fees for the Plan Commission and/or Board of Zoning Appeals shall be waived.

- (B) When a petition that qualifies for one or more of the incentives in this Section 20.04.110 has been approved by the decision-making body:
 - i. Fees associated with right-of-way excavation permits for the project shall be waived; and
 - ii. Sewer hook-on fees for the project may be waived or reduced by the utilities service board.

(3) Administration

- (A) A petition for these development incentives shall be included with a petition for development approval.
- (B) Projects that qualify for the affordable housing incentive and/or the sustainable development incentive established in Section 20.04.110: (Incentives), shall have the site plan portion of the petition processed as a minor (rather than major) site plan, except when the project is adjacent to a lot in the R1, R2, R3, or R4 zoning districts or contains more than 50 dwelling units.
- (C) Staff shall determine if the project is eligible to receive incentives and if it satisfies the criteria established in this Section 20.04.110.
- (D) Where the final approval authority determines that the project satisfies the criteria of this Section 20.04.110, the final approval authority may authorize the modifications to development standards otherwise applicable to the project to allow the use of the approved incentives, but may not modify the Neighborhood Transition Standards in Section 20.04.070(d)(5).
- (E) The city may withhold issuance of a Certificate of Zoning Compliance or recommendation for a Certificate of Occupancy until verification that the project satisfies the affordable housing and/or sustainable development standards approved as part of the development petition.

(c) Affordable Housing

(1) Purpose

The purpose of these standards is to encourage the provision of affordable housing for very low-, low-, and moderate-income households. Affordable housing is necessary to help maintain a diverse housing stock and to allow all residents to have better access to jobs and to improve their economic status.

(2) Eligibility

Projects that satisfy one of the following criteria shall be eligible for the incentives established in subsection (5) below:

(A) Tier 1

- i. At least 60 percent of the total gross floor area of the building (including additional area awarded with an incentive) is dedicated to residential dwellings; and
- ii. A minimum of 15 percent of the total dwelling units (including those on floors awarded with an incentive) are income-restricted permanently, unless otherwise adjusted or forfeited by the City, to households earning less than 120 percent of the HUD AMI for Monroe County, Indiana; or

(B) Tier 2

- i. At least 60 percent of the total gross floor area of the building (including additional area awarded with an incentive) is dedicated to residential dwellings; and

- ii. A minimum of 7.5 percent of the total dwelling units (including those on floors awarded with an incentive) are income-restricted permanently, unless otherwise adjusted or forfeited by the City, to households earning below 120 percent of the HUD AMI for Monroe County, Indiana; and
- iii. A minimum of 7.5 percent of the total dwelling units (including those on floors awarded with an incentive) are income-restricted permanently, unless otherwise adjusted or forfeited by the City, to households earning below ~~80~~ 90 percent of the HUD AMI for Monroe County, Indiana.

(3) Nonresidential Projects

Nonresidential projects that satisfy the following criteria shall qualify for the incentives established in subsection (5) below:

- (A) A linkage study has been approved by the City demonstrating that the proposed project results in an increased demand for affordable dwelling units in Bloomington; and
- (B) The petitioner takes one of the following actions in response to the findings of the linkage study:
 - i. The petitioner constructs at least the number of affordable dwelling units required to offset the increased demand for affordable housing calculated based on the linkage study, and each of those affordable dwelling units (a) is located off site, and (b) is deed-restricted to meet the Tier 1 or Tier 2 criteria for affordability levels and length of income restriction in Section 20.04.110(c), and (c) complies with the standards in Section 20.04.110(c)(6); or
 - ii. The petitioner purchases at least the number of existing market-rate dwelling units required to offset the increased demand for affordable housing calculated based on the linkage study, and each purchased market-rate unit is converted to an affordable dwelling unit that (a) is deed-restricted to meet the Tier 1 or Tier 2 criteria for affordability levels and length of income restriction in Section 20.04.110(c), and (b) complies with the standards in Section 20.04.110(c)(6); or
 - iii. The petitioner submits a payment-in-lieu of the construction or purchase of affordable dwelling units described in subsection (i) and (ii) above, pursuant to Section 20.04.110(c)(7), calculated on a per bedroom rate, in an amount sufficient to at least offset the increased demand for affordable housing calculated based on the linkage study.

(4) Student Housing or Dormitory Projects

Student housing or dormitory projects located outside of the Mixed-Use Downtown (MD) zoning district ~~that satisfy the following criteria~~ shall qualify for the incentives established in subsection (5) below:

- ~~(A) A linkage study has been approved by the City demonstrating that the proposed project results in an increased demand for affordable dwelling units in Bloomington; and~~
- ~~(B) The petitioner takes one of the following actions in response to the findings of the linkage study:~~

- ~~i. The petitioner constructs at least the number of affordable dwelling units required to offset the increased demand for affordable housing calculated based on the linkage study, and each of those affordable dwelling units (a) is located on or off site, and (b) is deed-restricted to meet the Tier 1 or Tier 2 criteria for affordability levels and length of income restriction in Section 20.04.110(c), and (c) complies with the standards in Section 20.04.110(c)(6); or~~
- ~~ii. The petitioner purchases at least the number of existing market-rate dwelling units required to offset the increased demand for affordable housing calculated based on the linkage study, and each purchased market-rate unit is converted to an affordable dwelling unit that (a) is deed-restricted to meet the Tier 1 or Tier 2 criteria for affordability levels and length of income restriction in Section 20.04.110(c), and (b) complies with the standards in Section 20.04.110(c)(6); or~~
- ~~iii. The petitioner submits a payment in lieu of the construction or purchase of affordable dwelling units described in subsection i and ii above, pursuant to Section 20.04.110(c)(7), calculated on a per bedroom rate, in an amount sufficient to at least offset the increased demand for affordable housing calculated based on the linkage study.~~

(5) Affordable Housing Incentives

(A) Reduced Bulk Requirements

The following dimensional standards shall apply to single-family and duplex residential lots in the R1, R2, R3, and R4 zoning districts that meet either of the two criteria in subsection (2) above:

- i. The minimum lot area for subdivision may be reduced up to ~~30-50~~ percent.
- ii. The minimum lot width for subdivision may be reduced up to ~~20-40~~ percent.
- iii. The side building setbacks may be reduced to five feet regardless of the number of stories.
- iv. The rear building setback may be reduced to 15 feet.
- v. Where these standards conflict with the neighborhood transition standards established in Section 20.04.070(d)(5) (Neighborhood Transition Standards), the neighborhood transition standards shall govern.

(B) Primary Structure Height

i. Eligibility

In addition to the eligibility criteria in 20.04.110(c)(2), affordable housing projects seeking increased maximum primary structure height shall comply with the following criteria:

1. The building shall contain six or more dwelling units; and
2. Unit size and bedroom mix for deed-restricted units shall be comparable to those for market-rate units.

ii. Tier 1 Projects

Projects that meet the Tier 1 affordability standards may increase the primary structure height by one floor of building height, not to exceed 12 feet, beyond the maximum primary structure height established for the zoning district where the project is located, as identified in Section 20.04.020 (Dimensional Standards).

iii. Tier 2 Projects

Projects that meet the Tier 2 affordability standards may increase the primary structure height by two floors of building height, not to exceed 24 feet, beyond the maximum primary structure height established for the zoning district where the project is located, as identified in Section 20.04.020 (Dimensional Standards).

iv. Sustainable Development Bonus

1. Tier 1 Projects: Projects that are eligible for increased primary structure height for affordable housing and sustainable development shall be eligible for one additional floor of building height, not to exceed 12 feet.
2. Tier 2 Projects: Projects that are eligible for increased primary structure height for affordable housing and sustainable development shall be eligible for one additional floor of building height, not to exceed 12 feet. The additional floor of building height granted under this subsection (iv)(2) shall be limited to 50 percent of the building footprint area of primary structure, and that additional floor shall be set back at least 10 feet further than the lower floors of the building.

(6) Other Standards

The following standards shall apply to all affordable housing projects seeking incentives under this section 20.04.110(c).

(A) Agreement Required

Petitioners shall enter into an affordable housing program or agreement administered by the federal, state, or local governments, or an organization approved by those governments to ensure that no person shall sell, rent, purchase, or lease an affordable housing unit created pursuant to this Section 20.04.110(c)(5) except to income-eligible households and in compliance with the provisions of this section.

(B) Advertising Requirement

Proof that the income eligible units will be marketed and leased similar to the market-rate units is required before occupancy can be issued.

(B)(C) Location

- i. All affordable units constructed or rehabilitated under this Section 20.04.110(c)(5) shall be located either on site or within 1,000-1,320 feet of the project site. Required affordable dwelling units shall not be located in less desirable locations than market-rate units and shall not, on average, be less accessible to public amenities, such as open space, than the market rate units.
- ii. Affordable housing shall be indistinguishable from market-rate units, integrated with the rest of the development, and shall be compatible with the market rate units in design, appearance, construction and quality of materials.
- iii. If provided off site, the petition for construction of required affordable dwelling units shall be processed simultaneously with the project for which the incentive was approved. No petition for development shall be approved if a related petition for required affordable housing units is denied or the number of required affordable dwelling units is reduced.

(7) Payment-in-Lieu

- (A) A payment-in-lieu of providing housing that meets the Tier 1 or Tier 2 affordability criteria may be authorized by ~~the Plan Commission if it determines that:~~ an agreement with the City and all payments will be deposited into the Housing Development Fund.
- ~~i. Creation of affordable housing on the petitioner's property would lead to an undesirable area/neighborhood concentration of very low- or low-income housing; or~~
 - ~~ii. Creation of affordable housing on the petitioner's property would result in income-restricted households being located more than a 10-minute walk or one-quarter mile from needed public services or public transit; or~~
 - ~~iii. Because of the small size of the petitioner's project, compliance with Tier 1 or Tier 2 affordability standards would require the creation of less than three affordable dwelling units.~~
- (B) The provisions of this Section 20.04.110(c)(7) shall become effective no later than the effective date of the UDO, by which time administrative procedures for calculating, collecting, accounting for, and spending payments-in-lieu in compliance with all applicable law shall be adopted and publicly available in the Administrative Manual within the Planning and Transportation Department. The procedures used for calculating, collecting, accounting for, and spending shall be reviewed frequently and updated as local housing market conditions change. The calculations may use or be based upon one or more of the following methods:
- i. Housing and Urban Development (HUD) annual rents based on Area Median Income;
 - ii. Area Median Income (per person, income bracket, etc.);
 - iii. Rental rates per unit or per bedroom;
 - iv. Utility rates allowances per unit;
 - v. Tiered rental rates based on percentages above and/or below AMI; and
 - vi. Payment contribution rates.

(d) Sustainable Development

(1) Purpose

The Comprehensive Plan recognizes sustainability as a key component of nurturing Bloomington's environmental integrity. The following incentives are intended to encourage the use of sustainable development, rehabilitation, and retrofit practices in Bloomington beyond the baseline standards required by this UDO.

(2) Eligibility

Projects seeking the sustainable development incentives established in Section 20.04.110(d)(3) shall meet the qualifying criteria established in 20.04.110(a), shall be located on a previously developed lot(s) served by water and sewer utilities for at least five years prior to construction of petitioner's project, and shall satisfy one of the following two options below:

(A) Option 1

Projects seeking the sustainable development incentives established in Section 20.04.110(d)(3) shall demonstrate compliance with ~~at least four of~~ the following ~~six~~ qualifying criteria:

i. Storm Water

The development site shall provide low impact development stormwater management by installing permanent infiltration or collection features (e.g., swale, culvert outfall, rainwater cistern) that can retain 100 percent of the runoff from at minimum, the 95th percentile (80th percentile for development in the MD zoning district) of regional rainfall events, based on the daily rainfall data and the methodology in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Technical Guidance on Implementing the Stormwater Runoff Requirements for Federal Projects under Section 438 of the Energy Independence and Security Act or a successor or replacement document issued by the EPA.

ii. Light Colored Hardscaping

At least 80 percent of horizontal hardscaping materials shall be installed with a solar reflectance index (SRI) of ~~29-86~~ or greater. The SRI shall be calculated in accordance with ASTM E1980. ~~A default SRI value of 35 for new concrete without added color pigment may be used instead of measurements.~~

iii. Covered Parking

1. A minimum of ~~75-90~~ percent of parking spaces shall be provided under cover. Any roof used to shade, or cover parking shall:
 - [a] Have a three-year aged SRI of at least ~~32-78~~ (if three-year aged value information is not available, use materials with an initial SRI of at least 39 at installation); or
 - [b] Be 75% covered by energy generation systems, such as solar thermal collectors or photovoltaics.
2. Parking calculations shall include all existing and new off-street parking spaces that are leased or owned by the project, including parking that is outside the project boundary but is used by the project. On-street parking in public rights-of-way is excluded from these calculations.
3. Parking spaces within a parking structure shall count toward meeting this standard.

iv. Solar Energy, Cool or Vegetated Roof

Provide a roof meeting the standards in subsections (1), (2), ~~(3)~~ or ~~(4)~~ below. Roofs containing vegetation must follow landscaping standards pursuant to subsections 20.04.080(c): *General Landscaping*, 20.04.080(d): *Permitted Plant Species*, and 20.04.080(e): *Prohibited Plant Species*.

1. Solar Energy

Install an on-site solar photovoltaic system covering an area anywhere on the building or lot equal to or greater than 35 percent of the total roof area of all primary buildings, or an area equal to or greater than an amount required to provide 40 percent of estimated annual average electricity used in all primary buildings. Other renewable energy devices may be used in place of on-site solar panels so long as evidence of equivalent electricity generation capacity is provided.

4.2 Cool Roof

Install a cool roof on at least 70 percent of the total roof surface using roofing materials that have an aged SRI equal to or greater than the values in Table 4-21. If aged SRI is not available, the roofing material shall have an initial SRI equal to or greater than the values in Table 4-21.

Table 04-21: Minimum Solar Reflectance Index (SRI)

	Slope	Initial SRI	Aged SRI
Low-sloped roof	≤ 2:12	82	64
Steep-sloped roof	> 2:12	39	32

2.3. Vegetated Roof

Install a vegetated roof on at least 70 percent of the total roof surface using native or adapted plant species. Vegetated roofing shall comply with ASTM E2400-06: Standard Guide for Selection, Installation, and Maintenance of Plants for Green Roof Systems.

3.4. Combination Roof

Install a combination solar energy, cool roof and vegetated roof, with each portion meeting the applicable standards in subsections 1, 2, and ~~2~~ 3 above, and together covering at least 70 percent of the roof surface.

~~v.~~ Solar Energy

~~Install on site solar photovoltaic system covering an area anywhere on the building or lot equal to or greater than 35 percent of the total roof area of all primary buildings, or an area equal to or greater than an amount required to provide 40 percent of estimated annual average electricity used in all primary buildings. Other renewable energy devices may be used in place of on-site solar panels so long as evidence of equivalent electricity generation capacity is provided.~~

~~vi.~~v. Building Efficiency

Design the project to achieve improved building energy performance beyond the minimum required building code standards by:

1. Demonstrating that the project qualifies for a minimum of ~~45~~ 17 points from the LEED v4.1 BD+C Optimize Energy Performance credit; or
2. Demonstrating that the project qualifies for a minimum of 100 points from the Assessing Energy Performance standards, as provided in Section 3.3.1.1 of the Green Globes for New Construction v1.5 Technical Reference Manual.

(B) Option 2

Projects seeking the sustainable development incentives established in Section 20.04.110(d)(3) shall submit proof that the project is being reviewed and expects to receive certification by the following verified third-party sustainability programs:

- i. Silver Certification by the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) rating system;
- ii. Silver Certification by the Home Innovation National Green Building Standard (NGBS) Green Certified rating system;
- iii. Petal Certification by the International Living Future Institute Living Building Challenge (LBC) rating system; or
- iv. Three Green Globes Certification by the Green Building Initiative (GBI) Green Globes Certification rating system;

- v. Another verified third-party sustainability program producing equal or greater sustainability benefits to at least one of the programs listed in subsections (i.) through (iv.) above, as determined by the Planning and Transportation Director.

(3) Sustainable Development Incentives

(A) Single-Family, Duplex, Triplex, and Fourplex Uses

- i. Single-family and duplex residential projects in the R1, R2, and R3 zoning districts that satisfy the sustainable development criteria in Option 1 or Option 2 above shall be eligible for the reduced bulk requirements established in Section 20.04.110(c)(5)(A) (Reduced Bulk Requirements).
- ii. Single-family, duplex, triplex, and fourplex residential uses that satisfy the sustainable development criteria in Option 1 or Option 2 above shall not be eligible for additional primary structure height.

(B) All Other Uses

Projects that satisfy the sustainable development criteria in Option 1 or Option 2 above shall be eligible for additional primary structure height as established below:

- i. One floor of building height, not to exceed 12 feet, beyond the maximum primary structure height established for the zoning district where the project is located, as identified in Section 20.04.020 (Dimensional Standards).
- ii. Projects that qualify for the affordable housing incentives in Section 20.04.110(c) (Affordable Housing) in addition to the sustainable development incentive in 20.04.110(d)(2) shall be eligible for the additional incentive height described in Section 20.04.110(c)(5)(B)iv.

20.04.120 Operation and Maintenance

(a) Siltation and Erosion

- (1) Sedimentation basins and other control measures necessary to meet the requirements of Section 20.04.030(d) (Siltation and Erosion Prevention) shall be maintained by the property owner during construction.
- (2) Any site stabilization measures shall be maintained by the property owner in perpetuity.
- (3) Sediment shall be removed to maintain a depth of three feet.

(b) Landscaping

Developers and their successors in interest shall be responsible for the regular maintenance of all landscaping elements in perpetuity. Failure to maintain all landscaping is a violation of this UDO.

Specifically:

- (1) All plant material, including plant material on vegetated roofs, shall be maintained alive, healthy, and free from disease and pests;
- (2) All landscape structures including, but not limited to, vegetated roof infrastructure, raised landscape planters, fences, and walls shall be repaired or replaced periodically to maintain a structurally sound and aesthetic condition;

*** Amendment Form ***

Ordinance #: 22-10
Amendment #: Am 02
Submitted By: Cm. Piedmont-Smith
Date: May 18, 2022
Proposed Amendment: (additions are shown in **bold** and deletions in ~~strikethrough~~)

The proposal forwarded to the Common Council by the Plan Commission and attached to Ordinance 22-10 as “Attachment A” (ZO-12-22) shall be amended as follows (only affected portions of the proposal are shown below):

1.

Table 04-15: Permitted Interior Tree Species

Bold text indicates evergreen species

Common Name	Scientific Name
Large Trees - 45 feet or more at mature height	

~~Black~~ **Black** Cherry

Prunus serotina

2.

20.04.100 Signs

(f) Prohibited Sign Locations

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(4) Vision Clearance Triangle

Within a vision clearance triangle as specified in Section 20.04.050(c)(4) (Vision Clearance Triangle).

(5) Miscellaneous

On any traffic control signs, highway construction signs, fences, utility poles, street signs, trees or other natural objects.

~~**(5) (6) Miscellaneous**~~

~~On any traffic control signs, highway construction signs, fences, utility poles, street signs, trees or other natural objects.~~

3.

20.04.100 Signs

(j) MS, MM, MC, ME, MI, MH, EM, and PO District Sign Standards

(2) Wall Signs

(A) Allowance

- ii. Multi-tenant ~~Nonresidential~~ Nonresidential Center

Synopsis

This amendment corrects typographical errors in the ordinance.

Committee Recommendation:

N/A

Regular Session Action:

Pending

***** Amendment Form *****

Ordinance #: 22-10
Amendment #: Am 03
Submitted By: Cm. Flaherty
Date: May 18, 2022
Proposed Amendment: (additions are shown in **bold** and deletions in ~~strikethrough~~)

The proposal forwarded to the Common Council by the Plan Commission and attached to Ordinance 22-10 as “Attachment A” (ZO-12-22) shall be amended as follows (only affected portions of the proposal are shown below):

1.

Table 04-3: Mixed-Use District Dimensional Standards

sq. ft. = square feet

Dimensional Standards	MS	MN	MM	MC	ME	MI	MD	MH
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Notes:

- [1] Buildings abutting a property in the R1, R2, R3, or R4 zoning district shall comply with the standards in Section 20.04.070(d)(5) (Neighborhood Transition Standards).
- [2] Where a nonresidential use is proposed on the ground floor, the minimum floor to ceiling height shall be 12 feet.
- [3] See Section 20.04.110 (Incentives) for alternative standards.
- ~~[4] Lots zoned MM north of 1st Street, south of 2nd Street, east of Maple Street (extending south of 2nd Street to 1st Street), and west of Morton Street shall have an impervious surface coverage maximum of 85%.~~
- ~~[5] Lots zoned MM north of 1st Street, south of 2nd Street, east of Maple Street (extending south of 2nd Street to 1st Street, and west of Morton Street shall have a minimum landscape area of 15%.~~
- ~~[6] Lots zoned MM north of 1st Street, south of 2nd Street, east of Maple Street (extending south of 2nd Street to 1st Street), and west of Morton Street shall have minimum side and rear building setbacks of zero feet.~~

2. References to Notes [4], [5], and [6] shall be deleted.

Synopsis

This amendment is sponsored by Cm. Flaherty. It removes three proposed Notes under Table 04-3 that would affect mixed-use district dimensional standards in a specified geographical area. Such standards would be more appropriately proposed as part of an Overlay Zoning District for the area in question.

Committee Recommendation:

N/A

Regular Session Action:

Pending

*** Amendment Form ***

Ordinance #: 22-08
Amendment #: Am 01
Submitted By: Cm. Piedmont-Smith
Date: May 18, 2022
Proposed Amendment: (additions are shown in **bold** and deletions in ~~strikethrough~~)

1. The proposal forwarded to the Common Council by the Plan Commission and attached to Ordinance 22-08 as “Attachment A” (ZO-10-22) shall be amended as follows (only affected portions of the proposal are shown below):

20.04.080 Landscaping, Buffering, and Fences

(f) Street Trees

(3) Location

(E) Vision Clearance

~~(4)~~

- i. **Street trees shall be planted outside the vision clearance triangle as defined in Section 20.04.050(c)(4)** (Vision Clearance Triangle), or within that portion of the vision clearance triangle behind the sidewalk.
- ii. Low-branching species shall not be allowed within 50 feet of an intersection.
- iii. Locations for street trees within 50 feet of an intersection shall be approved by the City Engineering Department.
- iv. Street trees shall be located a minimum of 10 feet from a driveway cut, traffic control sign, or streetlight, and a minimum of three feet from a fire hydrant.

~~(4)(5)~~ **(4) MD District**

Synopsis and Reason for Amendment

This amendment corrects typographical errors in the ordinance.

Committee Recommendation: N/A
Regular Session Action: *Pending*

***** Amendment Form *****

Ordinance #: 22-08
Amendment #: Am 02
Submitted By: Cm. Flaherty
Date: May 18, 2022
Proposed Amendment: (additions are shown in **bold** and deletions in ~~strikethrough~~)

The proposal forwarded to the Common Council by the Plan Commission and attached to Ordinance 22-08 as “Attachment A” (ZO-10-22) shall be amended as follows (only affected portions of the proposal are shown below):

1.

Table 02-11: MM District Dimensional Standards

Notes:

- [1] Buildings abutting a property in the R1, R2, R3, or R4 zoning district shall comply with the standards in Section 20.04.070(d)(5) (Neighborhood Transition Standards).
- [2] Where a nonresidential use is proposed on the ground floor, the minimum floor to ceiling height shall be 12 feet.
- [3] See Section 20.04.110 (Incentives) for alternative standards.
- ~~[4] Lots zoned MM north of 1st Street, south of 2nd Street, east of Maple Street (extending south of 2nd Street to 1st Street), and west of Morton Street shall have an impervious surface coverage maximum of 85%.~~
- ~~[5] Lots zoned MM north of 1st Street, south of 2nd Street, east of Maple Street (extending south of 2nd Street to 1st Street), and west of Morton Street shall have a minimum landscape area of 15%.~~
- ~~[6] Lots zoned MM north of 1st Street, south of 2nd Street, east of Maple Street (extending south of 2nd Street to 1st Street), and west of Morton Street shall have minimum side and rear building setbacks of zero feet.~~

2. References to Notes [4], [5], and [6] shall be deleted.

Synopsis

This amendment is sponsored by Cm. Flaherty. It removes three proposed Notes under Table 02-11 that would affect mixed-use district dimensional standards in a specified geographical area. Such standards would be more appropriately proposed as part of an Overlay Zoning District for the area in question.

Committee Recommendation: N/A
Regular Session Action: Pending