LONDONDERRY, NH PLANNING BOARD

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF April 4, 2012 AT THE MOOSE HILL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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Members Present: Mary Soares; Laura El-Azem; Chris Davies; Tom Freda, Ex-Officio; Rick Brideau, CNHA, Ex-Officio; John Laferriere, Ex-Officio; Dana Coons, Scott Benson, alternate member; Leitha Reilly, alternate member; Maria Newman, alternate member

10 Also Present: André Garron, AICP; Cynthia May, ASLA; John Trottier, P.E.; Libby Canuel, Community Development Secretary

M. Soares called the meeting to order at 7 PM. She appointed S. Benson to vote for Lynn Wiles and L. Reilly to vote for Art Rugg.

Administrative Board Work

A. Extension Request – Stonehenge Subdivision Phase II, Map 12 Lot 127 & Map 13 Lot 21-7

C. May referenced a letter dated March 16, 2012 from Thomas F. Quinn, attorney for property owners Francis and Jean Milne, requesting a one year extension of the subdivision plan for Phase II of the Stonehenge Subdivision. She added that according to a follow up email she received today, the applicant is hopeful about obtaining the financing needed to complete the project in the near future.

D. Coons made a motion to grant a one year extension to April 4, 2013.R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The extension for one year was granted.

B. Approval and Signing of Minutes – March 7, 2012; March 14, 2012; March 29, 2012

D. Coons made a motion to approve and sign the minutes from the March 7, 2012 meeting. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 7-0-2. (C. Davies and J. Laferriere abstained because they were absent from the March 7, 2012 meeting).

D. Coons made a motion to approve and sign the minutes from the March 14, 2012 meeting. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 8-0-1. (J. Laferriere abstained because he was absent from the March 14, 2012 meeting).

D. Coons made a motion to approve and sign the minutes from the March 29, 2012 meeting. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 6-0-3. (D. Coons, L. El-Azem, and S. Benson abstained because they were absent from the March 29, 2012 meeting).

1 Minutes for March 7, March 14, and March 29, 2012 were approved and will be signed at the conclusion of the meeting.

D. Regional Impact Determinations – American Tire Distributors; Shops at Londonderry; Elliot Health Systems Phase 4 & 5

C. May stated that American Tire Distributors is proposing a distribution and warehouse use with associated site improvements on Map 17, Lot 45-3. She said that staff recommends this project is not a development of regional impact, as it does not meet any of the regional impact guidelines suggested by Southern NH Planning Commission (SNHPC).

C. May stated that the proposed multi-tenant retail development for Shops at Londonderry on Map 15, Lots 51 & 59 was previously determined not to be a development of regional impact at the July 13, 2011 meeting.

C. May stated that Elliot Health Systems is proposing an amendment to the conditionally approved site plan (April 9, 2009) to relocate the freestanding sign from Buttrick Road to the Route 102 side of the property on Map 6, Lot 31. She said that staff recommends this project is not a development of regional impact, as it does not meet any of the regional impact guidelines suggested by Southern NH Planning Commission (SNHPC).

D. Coons made a motion to accept staff recommendations that the three aforementioned projects are determined not to be of regional impact under RSA 36:56. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0.

D. Election of Officers

R. Brideau made a motion to keep the current senior officers on the Planning Board in place (A. Rugg, Chairman; M. Soares, Vice Chairman; L. Wiles, Secretary; and L. El-Azem, Assistant Secretary). D. Coons seconded the motion. Vote on the motion 9-0-0.

E. Discussions with Town Staff

• Update on the Master Plan Comprehensive Update

A. Garron stated that on March 26, Brian Wright and Kara Wilbur of the consultant team Town Planning and Urban Design Collaborative (TPUDC) presented an overview of the project to the Town Council. It was announced that on April 12, a workshop/pot luck dinner will be held at the High School from 6 to 8 PM to solicit input from the community. From May 31 through June 5, a weeklong workshop known as Planapalooza will take place that is designed to garner further comments and ideas from residents about the direction the town should take over the next 10 to 20 years. The event will begin and close at the Lions Hall, while TPUDC will be available in the Moose Hill Council Chambers during the rest of the week. An article in today's Union Leader summarizes the work done to date and announces all

of the aforementioned events. A. Garron stressed how vital resident participation is in the development of a master plan, simply because it acts as a guide for the future Londonderry. A separate means of requesting public input, he continued, is through the telephone survey currently being conducted by the UNH Survey Center. He asked that if residents receive a call from UNH or from a number with an 862 prefix, that they please accept the call and make their opinions known. Master Plan Steering Committee Chair L. Reilly noted that as of 5:30 PM on April 3, statistics showed of the 66+% that elected to take the survey when called, 90% completed it, resulting in 259 responses out of the 500 goal.

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Public Hearings

A. Shops at Londonderry – Londonderry Land Development, LLC (Applicant), Jean M. Gagnon (Owner), Map 15 Lots 51 & 59 - Application Acceptance and Public Hearing for a two-lot subdivision of Map 15 Lot 51 and subsequent merger of new Lot 51 with Lot 59, Route 28 (Rockingham Road), Vista Ridge Drive and Perkins Road, Zoned MUC.

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J. Trottier stated there are eight outstanding checklist items, all of which are waiver requests. Assuming the Board grants the waivers, staff recommends the application be accepted as complete. J. Trottier read the waivers into the record from the Staff Recommendation memo:

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26 27 1. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 4.01.C of the regulations requiring the topographic plan scale to be 1'' = 40', where the plan is presented at 1" = 50' scale. Staff recommends granting the waiver because the topographic information shown on the associated site plan is at a scale of 1"=40'.

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2. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.08 of the Subdivision Regulations and item X.3 of the checklist requiring a drainage report. Staff recommends granting the waiver because the drainage report was submitted with the associated site plan.

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3. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.09.F.2 of the regulations and Item VII.3.a.11 of the checklist requiring that driveway locations be shown for each lot. Staff recommends granting the waiver because the driveway locations were submitted with the associated site plan.

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4. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.07, 4.16.B.2 and 4.18.B of the regulations and Item VII.2.b and X.7 of the checklist requiring utility clearance letters or proposed sewer service information. Staff recommends granting the waiver because the utility clearance letters and sewer service information was submitted with the associated site plan.

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5. The applicant has requested a waiver to Sections 3.06, 4.16.B.4 and 4.18.B of the regulations and item VII.2. d and X.7 of the checklist requiring the provision of utility clearance letter or proposed water service information. Staff recommends granting the waiver because

- the utility clearance letters and water service information was submitted with the associated site plan.
- 6. The applicant has requested a waiver to Sections 3.05 and 4.16.B.7 and 4.18.B of the regulations and item VII.2.g and X.7 of the checklist requiring a utility clearance letter and indication of the proposed utility service information. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver because the utility clearance letters and utility service information was submitted with the associated site plan.
- 7. The applicant has requested a waiver to Sections 4.17.A.27.ii, iii and iv for the Subdivision Regulations and Item VI.28.b, c, and d of the Subdivision Application Checklist to provide existing pipe type, size and inverts of the existing sewer system, drainage system and existing utilities. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver, because sufficient information is provided in order to determine pipe lengths and slopes.
- 8. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 4.12.c.9 of the regulations and Items V.9 and VI.9 of the checklist to include cross easements between the new lots for access, drainage, utilities, and maintenance. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver to this requirement **for acceptance only**, because the cross access easements will be provided as a condition of the subdivision plan approval in association with the final site plan.
- D. Coons made a motion to grant the eight waivers based on the applicant's letter and staff recommendation. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The eight waivers were granted.
- **D.** Coons made a motion to accept the application as complete. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The application was accepted as complete.

Michael DiGuiseppe, applicant and developer, complimented staff on their professionalism over the past year while he has worked with them on the proposed shopping center. Project engineer Brad Mezquita from Tighe and Bond explained that lots 51 (27.6 acres) and 59 (.34 acres) will be merged, followed by a subdivision of the nearly 28 acre parcel in two. This will result in the new lots 51 (11.8 acres) and 51-9 (16.04 acres). A minor right of way realignment along Vista Ridge will take place in conjunction with the separate site plan.

- J. Trottier summarized the design review items from the Public Works Department memorandum.
- M. Soares asked for Board input. C. Davies inquired about the rationale for dividing the lots as they are proposed. B. Mezquita replied that in part, it was due to the Town's site plan regulations as well as financing issues on the part of the applicant. J. Laferriere asked if impacts on the stormwater drainage in the

area were clear at this point. J. Trottier responded that as a work in progress, the issue has been addressed and agreed to conceptually and will continue to be refined and finalized through the process. He also explained flowage rights that will be granted by the applicant to the Town.

M. Soares asked for public input.

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Bill Sibley of Vista Ridge condominiums asked if the natural drainage from Perkins Road which goes under Vista Ridge Drive and out to Route 28 would be affected by the development. J. Trottier replied that the wetland and drainage will not be impacted.

There was no further public comment.

D. Coons made a motion to conditionally approve the subdivision plan with the following conditions:

"Applicant", herein, refers to the property owner, business owner, or organization submitting this application and to his/its agents, successors, and assigns.

PRECEDENT CONDITIONS

All of the precedent conditions below must be met by the applicant, at the expense of the applicant, prior to certification of the plans by the Planning Board. Certification of the plans is required prior to commencement of any site work, any construction on the site or issuance of a building permit.

1. The easement plan indicates the existing drainage easements across the lots will be abandoned, but it is unknown how the existing flow from the Town's drainage system or the upstream abutting lots will now be addressed per section 4.12.C.9 of the regulations. The Town's drainage system and upstream abutting lots currently have flows to the existing detention basin located upon the subject lots via the existing easements. In addition, portions of the Town's existing drainage system are currently located within portions of the drainage easements to be abandoned. It is our understanding that some of the easements would change under the proposed site plan, but no information is provided on the plans or in the notes on the plans. The Applicant shall provide additional information that addresses the current drainage flows on the plan to explain/clarify the proposed changes to the easements meeting approval of the Town.

2. The Applicant shall provide the Owner's signatures on the subdivision plans and all applicable sheets.

3. The project is located along a significant portion of Vista Ridge Drive and the Applicant is proposing improvements to the roadway to serve the new lots as part of the off-site improvements for the separate site plan application.

- 4. The Applicant shall confirm the Assessor's DRC comments have been addressed with the Assessor.
 - 5. Note all waivers granted on the plan.
 - 6. The Applicant shall provide a digital (electronic) copy of the complete final plan sent to the Town at the time of signature by the Board in accordance with Section 2.06.N of the regulations.
- The applicant shall provide a check for \$25 (made payable to the Rockingham County Registry of Deeds) to pay for the LCHIP tax that became effective on recording of all plans and documents at the registry on July 1, 2008.
 - 8. The applicant shall note all general and subsequent conditions on the plans (must be on a sheet to be recorded, or a separate document to be recorded with the subdivision plans), per the new requirements of RSA 676:3.
 - 9. Outside consultant's fees shall be paid within 30 days of approval of plan.
 - 10. Financial guaranty if necessary.
 - 11. Final engineering review

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u> - Once these precedent conditions are met and the plans are certified the approval is considered final. If these conditions are not met within 2 years to the day of the meeting at which the Planning Board grants conditional approval the board's approval will be considered to have lapsed and re-submission of the application will be required. See RSA 674:39 on vesting.

GENERAL AND SUBSEQUENT CONDITIONS

All of the conditions below are attached to this approval.

- No construction or site work for the subdivision may be undertaken until the pre-construction meeting with Town staff has taken place, filing of an NPDES-EPA Permit and the site restoration financial guaranty is in place with the Town (as applicable). Please contact the Department of Public Works to arrange for this meeting.
- 2. The project must be built and executed exactly as specified in the approved application package unless modifications are approved by the Planning Department & Department of Public Works, or if staff deems applicable, the Planning Board.
- 3. All of the documentation submitted in the application package by the applicant and any requirements imposed by other agencies are part of this approval unless otherwise updated, revised, clarified in some manner, or superseded in full or in part. In the case of conflicting information between documents, the most recent documentation and this notice herein shall generally be determining.

- 4. All required Traffic, Police, and Fire impact fees must be paid prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the newly created lot.
 - 5. It is the responsibility of the applicant to obtain all other local, state, and federal permits, licenses, and approvals which may be required as part of this project (that were not received prior to certification of the plans). Contact the Building Division at extension 115 regarding building permits.
 - R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The plan was conditionally approved.
 - B. Shops at Londonderry Londonderry Land Development, LLC (Applicant), Jean M. Gagnon (Owner), Map 15 Lots 51 & 59 Application Acceptance and Public Hearing for a proposed multi-tenant retail development with associated site improvements, Vista Ridge Drive, Zoned MUC.
 - J. Trottier stated there are two outstanding checklist items, both of which are waiver requests. Assuming the Board grants the waivers, staff recommends the application be accepted as complete. J. Trottier read the waivers into the record from the Staff Recommendation memo:
 - 1. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.12 and 4.15 of the Site Plan Regulations and Item IX of the Site Plan Application & Checklist requiring the submission of building elevations for the separate bank and restaurant uses proposed. Staff supports granting the waiver for acceptance only. The applicant shall provide the building elevations at the time the restaurant and the bank are proposed to be constructed, for review and approval of the Heritage Commission.
 - 2. The Applicant has requested a waiver to Sections 4.14.a.19. and b.1 of Site Plan Regulations and Item VI.1.s and VI.2.a of the checklist requiring the provision of existing pipe lengths and slopes of the existing drainage system and existing sewer system per. Staff supports granting the waiver because sufficient information is provided in order to determine pipe lengths and slopes.
 - D. Coons made a motion to grant the two waivers based on the applicant's letter and staff recommendation. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The two waivers were granted.
 - D. Coons made a motion to accept the application as complete. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The application was accepted as complete.

Project engineer Brad Mezquita from Tighe and Bond explained that a retail development is proposed for the buildable portion of the lots, including two large buildings, one on the northeast corner and the other on the southeast end. A restaurant and bank are planned on separate parts of the western side along Vista Ridge Drive. Three access ways will lead onto the site, two from the

northern portion of Vista Ridge Drive and the other on the southeast end to provide an entryway to the rear of the larger buildings.

Because the elevation between Vista Ridge and the lowest part of the lot changes anywhere from 40 to 70 feet, the development will be terraced into the hillside, making the buildings sit lower than Vista Ridge Drive. A retaining wall along the rear will shield the wetland and Conservation Overlay District buffer. The parking lot will consist of 574 spaces and the site will be serviced by municipal water and sewer. The sewer connection permit is currently under review by the Town. Landscaping will occur throughout the site, in part to provide screening from both the rear and south ends of the site. The Heritage Commission has given their approval of the conceptual designs of the two large buildings. Their endorsement will be sought for the restaurant and bank since both became part of the project after the fact.

B. Mezquita then reviewed the wetland area and existing stormwater drainage on the eastern side of the lot mentioned by an abutter during the subdivision discussion (see above). Stormwater management for the developed portion continues to be reviewed extensively by staff as well as the Departments of Transportation (NH DOT) and Environmental Services (NH DES). stormwater system will be used which will discharge toward the rear of the buildings where two stormwater ponds and a rain garden will treat runoff before continuing to the wetland. The system will also accommodate the drainage currently coming from the Vista Ridge development into the site. Wetland impacts will total approximately 9,000 square feet and the Town's Conservation Commission recommended approval to NH DES of the applicant's Dredge and Fill permit. The Commission did not recommend approval, however, of the applicant's Conditional Use Permit for stormwater management work to be done within the wetland buffer. An Alternation of Terrain permit is forthcoming. Two dam permits, one for a stormwater pond and the other related to an existing wetland berm, are being sought as well.

Giles Ham of Vanasse and Associates, Inc. stated that improvements made by the State to Route 28 have provided sufficient capacity to accommodate the project, leaving him to focus on off-site improvements related to traffic on the Vista Ridge portion of the project. The first 1,000 feet of Vista Ridge Drive coming off of Route 28 will be widened in order to provide two lanes of traffic coming down the hill as well as an additional exclusive left turn lane for traffic coming onto the site from Rte. 28. NH DOT and the Town have both approved these changes and the Town has filed for what in this instance is a driveway permit modification.

C. May read five of the nine additional waivers into the record from the Staff Recommendation memo:

1. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.11.g.1.ii of the Site Plan Regulations requiring the provision of eight percent (8%) minimum interior landscaping for parking area located on the side of buildings. Staff supports **granting** the waiver because the parking

- fields on the building sides are smaller areas, and the interior landscape areas provided in front exceeds the minimum requirement.
 - 2. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.11.g.1.iii of the Site Plan Regulations requiring the provision of five percent (5%) minimum interior landscaping for parking area located at the rear of buildings. Staff supports **granting** the waiver because the parking fields behind the buildings are linear and not visible from the public Right-of-Way, and are screened by a large wooded wetland area on the east side of the development.
 - 3. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.11.g.3 of the Site Plan Regulations requiring the provision of a minimum of one (1) deciduous tree per every 15 parking spaces as part of the internal parking lot landscaping. Staff supports **granting** the waiver because the waiver is for a deficit of one tree in the rear, but overall they have provided 43 trees where only 38 are required, as demonstrated in the chart on Sheet C-5.
 - 4. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.11.g.5 of the Site Plan Regulations requiring the provision of a minimum of one (1) deciduous tree per every 20 parking spaces and one tree per each 50 feet of parking lot perimeter where screening is required. The applicant has provided 31 trees where 73 are required. Staff supports granting the waiver, because the parking lot is from 10 feet up to 27 feet lower than Vista Ridge Drive beyond the main entrance, and trees will not be visible from the street.
 - 5. The applicant has requested a waiver to Sections 3.11.g.6 & 7 of the Site Plan Regulations to provide screening of the parking lots located along the front and side of buildings with a minimum vertical opacity of more than 50%. The applicant has provided 30% along the section of Vista Ridge Drive between the first two curb cuts. Staff supports granting the waiver, because there is a significant drainage swale along the frontage and not appropriate for most trees or shrubs. There are 5 trees proposed along the street. Only a small section of the parking lot is visible from the street where the bank will take up the remainder of that space before the driveway.

J. Trottier read the remaining four waivers into the record:

- 6. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.07.H of the Site Plan Regulations which requires the provision of manhole and catch basin depths not to exceed 18 feet in height. Staff supports **granting** the waiver, because of significant grade changes from the top of the retaining walls to outlet structures.
- 7. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.07.G.3 of the Site Plan Regulations requiring a minimum of 3 feet of cover over pipes. There are three catch basins, and five locations off site where the minimum cover is not provided. The applicant has provided RCP pipe. In addition, the applicant is proposing a 6" underdrain within the Rain Garden. Staff supports granting the waiver due to required placement

- and utility crossings and the applicant is proposing to use reinforced concrete pipe in these locations.
- 8. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.07.G.2 of the regulations regarding minimum and maximum permitted pipe velocities. The drainage report indicates seven pipes will have velocities in excess of 10 fps. In addition, the table indicates the minimum velocity of 2 fps is not achieved (1.85 fps) in one location (CB 22 to CB21). Staff supports **granting** the waiver, because of insufficient flows to achieve the minimum velocity and due to the proposed site grades and limiting the depth of the proposed piping that impacts the maximum velocity.
- 9. The applicant has requested a waiver to the typical roadway section in Exhibits D5 and R-101 of the Subdivision Regulations. They are proposing to alter the existing Vista Ridge Drive roadway embankment within the Town's existing roadway slope easement from a typical cut section to an embankment sloping downward similar to a fill type section. The proposed grading design provided for a 3H:1V slope with guardrail in lieu of the 4H:1V embankment slope required for this type of roadway section as indicated in Exhibit D5 of the Subdivision Regulations and Town's typical roadway section Exhibit R-101. Staff supports **granting** the waiver in order to limit the required side slope of the roadway and the Applicant is proposing guardrail to be installed along portions of Vista Ridge Drive where required.
- C. May continued with the applicant's four Conditional Use Permit requests:
 - 1. The Applicant indicates several retaining walls are to be constructed within the building setbacks of the property adjacent to abutting lot 60-2, along Vista Ridge Drive and along Rockingham Road with the wall heights varying up to twenty (20) feet. In addition, the site plan indicates the proposed restaurant will be within the 60 foot front setback along Vista Ridge Drive. The Applicant is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to section 2.4.5.1 of the Zoning Ordinance to construct these structures in the setbacks under this application. Staff recommends **granting** the Conditional Use Permit because the there is only a small corner of the building that will end up in the setback after the first 10 feet of frontage is dedicated for future roadway improvements on Vista Ridge Drive. The retaining walls within the setbacks only occur along the common boundary of the development subdivision.
 - 2. The Applicant's design does not provide landscaping to enclose the proposed lot per section 2.4.5.3.1 of the Zoning Ordinance. The Applicant is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to section 2.4.5.3.1 of the Zoning Ordinance for the proposed common driveway. Staff recommends **granting** the Conditional Use Permit because the area of concern is the location of the common driveway and boundary between the newly subdivided lots separating the development, and the applicant has provided adequate landscaping along either side of the driveway within the available green space.

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- The Applicant's design does not provide the minimum required 1 2 parking in accordance with section 3.10.10 of the Zoning Ordinance 3 and identified on sheet C-2A. The applicant is requesting a 4 Conditional Use Permit to reduce the number of proposed parking 5 spaces under this application. Staff recommends granting the Conditional Use Permit because the applicant has demonstrated that 6 7 the spaces provided adequately addresses the parking needs for this 8 use based on the number of parking spaces utilized in similarly 9 owned developments. Parking will be shared between both lots as 10 part of the single shopping center development.
 - 4. The Applicant is proposing improvements within the Conservation Overlay District (COD) that will require a Conditional Use Permit approval by the Planning Board. The Conservation Commission does not recommend approval of the Conditional Use Permit because they found that it didn't meet the intent of the COD. The Commission did, however, note in their notice that the plan proposes to minimize the impact of the development, and the applicant designed a created wetland area adjacent to the existing wetland that would have a similar equivalent functional value to the wetlands and buffers being disturbed. Staff recommends **granting** the Conditional Use Permit for the reasons stated, and because the two small impacts are in the outer half of the buffer. The application has received a wetland permit from NHDES.
 - J. Trottier summarized Design Review Items, Board Action Items, and Board Informational Items from the Staff Recommendation memo.
 - M. Soares asked for Board input. S. Benson expressed concerned about the drainage and natural runoff but was confident all issues would be addressed through staff's due diligence. J. Laferriere questioned the reduction of landscaping as noted in the first two of the nine additional waivers along with the reduction in parking spaces (from 598 to 574), considering Londonderry's specific requirements for both. A. Garron explained that the regulations also provide Board with the flexibility to reduce parking if evidence can demonstrate its adequacy on similar projects elsewhere. L. Reilly asked staff about the possibility and subsequent complications of a driveway coming off of any future development on map 15, lot 62-2 onto Vista Ridge Drive since it would then be very close to the most northerly proposed access for this project. A. Garron agreed that it would be a very limiting factor for such a development on that lot. D. Coons suggested the addition of at least a walkway between the site and lot 62-2 in the event it is developed. He also recommended that painted medians for the entrances off of Rte. 28 as well as the first entrance on Vista Ridge Drive be a raised to avoid drivers taking a left turn in and out where the intent is for a right in/right out access only. The following issues were also clarified by the applicant when questioned by various Board members:
 - The total number of parking spaces includes the anticipated needs for both the bank and restaurant in addition to the retail buildings;

- No parking spaces will be lost to snow storage (i.e. sufficient space will be provided elsewhere on the site);
- Snow storage will not block sight lines or hinder visibility;
- The lack of landscaping enclosing the lot referred to in Design Review item #3 only applies to the edge adjacent to the entrance drive;
- o Blasting could be required at some point, however preliminary geotechnical analysis does not indicate a need thus far;
- Visual impact on the residents within Vista Ridge condominiums will be minimized by the elevation distance such that they will overlook the lighting poles;
- Tenants will be required to instruct delivery trucks to use Route 28 to enter the site (as opposed to Perkins Road), and the right out only design of the exit will inhibit access to Perkins when leaving the site

M. Soares asked for public comment.

Bill Sibley, Vista Ridge Road, voiced concern (as did others) about a lack of sidewalks or other measures being proposed to ensure the safety of the Vista Ridge condominium residents, particularly children who walk Vista Ridge Drive to reach their bus stop on Perkins Road. He noted the dangers of speeding cars that use Vista Ridge Drive as a cutoff between Perkins Road and Rte. 28, along with trucks that will be instructed to come up Vista Ridge Drive to access the back of the building. He also disagreed with the notion that trucks will be discouraged from using Perkins Road to access the site. M. DiGuiseppe stated he will be meeting with School Administration staff to discuss relocating the school bus stop. Traffic signs and lighting were also of concern to B. Sibley. Additionally, he and Jean Bonus of Crestview Circle suggested that a lack of buffer between the retail establishment and the condos will reduce the value of the latter. B. Sibley questioned the applicant's assertion that trees will not grow at a certain angle because trees have been successful on the steeper slope where the condos are located.

A discussion ensued about the lack of a traffic light or pedestrian signal at the proposed crosswalk across Vista Ridge Drive in front of the complex. G. Ham explained that a traffic light is not warranted there because it did not meet the volume criteria, adding that a pedestrian signal in situations like that have shown to be more problematic than effective. A three-way stop and/or speed bumps were suggested as well, although G. Ham insisted on the adequate safety of the design as proposed, indicating that neither staff nor the Town's consultant have opposed it. Sheri Fortier, Crestview Circle, noted that a three-way stop could back traffic up on Vista Ridge Drive. M. DiGuiseppe offered to discuss the issue further with J. Trottier.

Jan McLaughlin, 14 Crestview Circle, stated that traffic is already significant enough on Crestview Circle that seasonal speed bumps have been installed. She added that guardrails there already hinder pedestrians from being able to stay off the road. Sufficient drainage measures and parking were also concerns of hers and she asked if signage will be posted along Vista Drive to

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keep the road free of cars. S. Fortier added that the overflow parking for the Vista Ridge condos could be used during such times as the holiday season. D. Coons suggested that if residents of Vista Ridge plan to walk to the retail stores, another crosswalk be added between the two sites.

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Lee Jeffers, 16 Vista Ridge Drive, reiterated the concerns that trucks will use Perkins Road to access the designated truck entrance and that sidewalks are needed. M. DiGuiseppe noted that the majority of truck deliveries occur before 9 AM when pedestrians and other vehicles are scarce, although M. Soares countered that students would be out well before then. He added that truck drivers would naturally not find Perkins Road to be a practical access.

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Dave Maloney, 2 Crestview Circle, cited the added traffic difficulties that will occur if lot 62-2 is developed. He asked about the change in the wetland since the conceptual plan was presented. B. Mezquita replied that the area in question is the aforementioned portion that will be filled with endorsement from the Town and approval from NH DES. M. Soares added that another wetland was created to mitigate that loss. D. Maloney asked if the hours of truck deliveries could be restricted. Danny Mendoza, Crestview Circle, suggested removing the rear entrance entirely to avoid the safety issues being posed. A. Garron explained that the back entrance is intended for emergency fire vehicle access. M. DiGuiseppe added that the suggestion of a gate at that entrance is not likely to be acceptable to the Fire Department. J. Laferriere asked if the Fire Department's determination is based on specific regulations or is more of a judgment. J. Trottier said the issues would be addressed to the Fire Chief. D. Mendoza also challenged the traffic analysis determination that only the northern portion of Vista Ridge Drive would need widening when it is likely that drivers will use the whole length of the road to access the retail site as well as Perkins Road. G. Ham explained that widening was limited to discourage regular use of the remainder of the road. D. Mendoza then posed the detrimental effects that blasting could have on the area. M. DiGuiseppe explained that surveying is done prior to blasting to identify any vulnerable areas and assess whether further damage has occurred after blasting is complete.

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Hal Line, 12 Vista Ridge, asked if the traffic analysis demonstrates a reasonable amount of traffic generated by the development. responded that approximately 400 customers are anticipated to be entering and leaving via Rte. 28 during peak hours as opposed to 30-40 currently. The analysis, he added, also showed that Vista Ridge is not used very frequently as a cut through to Perkins Road. H. Line asserted that the restaurant, because of its later business hours, will generate increased traffic during non-peak times. Later in the meeting, M. Soares conveyed to staff a question from an audience member asking why traffic studies were not done in the early morning hours when students would be walking the road. A. Garron said he would address the issue with the Town's traffic consultant. In general, H. Line expressed opposition to the overdevelopment of the site as evidenced in his opinion by the number of waivers being sought. He advised the use of downcast lighting to minimize effects on Vista Ridge residents. A. Garron noted that the Town requires such lighting be used. H. Line also questioned why he was not notified personally of the meeting but only through the Vista Ridge condo association. A. Garron explained that by State statute, only the associations of condominium buildings require notification, then it is their responsibility to pass the information along to members of the association.

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Jeff T (?), Crestview Circle, asked if a right turn only lane would be added to Rte. 28 to accommodate traffic heading east and trying to access Vista Ridge Drive. J. Trottier replied that NH DOT (who oversees Rte. 28 and the development around it) did not require one. He then asked what restrictions the Town places on business hours. C. May said there are none but added that the Board could impose a restriction on how late a business stays open or how long their non-emergency lights remains on. M. DiGuiseppe estimated that the retail stores would stay open as late as 10 PM (with lighting staying on an hour or so later for employees), and the restaurant could conceivably stay open until 2 AM, depending on liquor license laws. Lastly, when asked if specific tenants have been identified yet, M. DiGuiseppe replied that he could not say at this point.

There was no additional input from direct abutters but later in the meeting, Ann Chiampa, 28 Wedgewood, asked if the rear of the buildings would be shielded from Perkins Road by the retaining wall or other measures. A. Garron said no man made measures would do so but that the tree stand in the wetland should provide a visual shield based on the elevations involved.

Considering the number of issues and questions raised by the Board and abutters, M. Soares entertained a motion to continue the public hearing and allow the applicant to do further research. D. Coons made a motion to continue the public hearing to May 9, 2012 at 7pm. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The hearing will be continued to May 9, 2012 at 7PM. M. Soares said this will be the only public notice.

C. Clark Farm Industrial Center – BC Construction (Applicant), Evans Family LTD Partnership (Owner), Map 17 Lot 45-3 – Application Acceptance and Public Hearing for a two-lot subdivision, Jack's Bridge Road and Clark Road, Zoned I-I.

J. Trottier stated there are three outstanding checklist items, all of which are waiver requests. Assuming the Board grants the waivers, staff recommends the application be accepted as complete. He read the waivers into the record from the Staff Recommendation memo:

1. The applicant has requested a waiver to Sections 3.05, 3.06, 3.07 and 4.18B of the Subdivision Regulations and Item X.7 of the Subdivision Application Checklist. The applicant has not provided utility clearance letters because there is no construction related to the subdivision application. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver, because the utility clearances were provided with the associated site plan application.

- 2. The applicant has requested a waiver to Item X.4 of the checklist to provide a traffic report. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver, because the traffic report was submitted with the associated site plan application.
- 3. The applicant has requested a waiver to Items VII.2.b, d, f & g of the checklist to provide utility services to serve the Lot 45-3. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver because there is no development proposed for Lot 45-3 at this time.
- D. Coons made a motion to grant the three waivers based on the applicant's letter and staff recommendation. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. All three waivers were granted.
- **D.** Coons made a motion to accept the application as complete. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The application was accepted as complete.

Earle Blatchford of Hayner/Swanson, Inc. stated that the lot 45-3 is 43 acres with approximately 1,700 feet of frontage on Clark Road and 525 feet on Jack's Bridge Road. The two roads are segregated by a gate to keep the residential uses on Clark Road separate from the industrial uses on Jack's Bridge Road. Wetlands which exist on the northwesterly corner and along the southerly boundary of the lot have been flagged by a wetland scientist. Roughly .46 acres abutting Jack's Bridge Road is being dedicated to the Town because of the public drainage and sight distance easements located there. The remainder of the lot would be subdivided, resulting in new lot 45-5 being 8.8 acres which will be developed (see site plan hearing below). Municipal water and sewer will service the site, along with natural gas, power, and communications, all coming from Jack's Bridge Road. A cross access easement from the cul de sac of Jack's Bridge Road will allow access not only to 45-5 but to future development on 45-3. A 30 foot wide drainage easement is proposed for the southwesterly corner of the new lot while a 20 foot wide drainage easement is planned for an area of Clark Road where a public drain outfall currently exists.

- J. Trottier read the four waivers into the record from the Staff Recommendation memo:
 - 1. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 4.01.C of the regulations requiring the plan scale to be 1" = 100', where the plan is presented at 1" = 150' scale for the Master Subdivision Plan sheet. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver because the subsequent sheet shows boundary and topographic information at 1" = 40', and the master subdivision plan sheet is intended to depict the entire proposal.
 - 2. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.02.C of the regulations to place Conservation Overlay District (COD) signs. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver because the lot to be developed per the associated site plan application is outside the Conservation

- Overlay District. Further development of Lot 45-3 will require placement of COD signs.
- 3. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.09.F of the regulations requiring driveway locations and sight distance plans for the proposed subdivision. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver because there is no development proposed for Lot 45-3 and a driveway design and sight distance plan was provided as part of the site plan application for the new lot.
- 4. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.03.E requiring side lot lines to be no greater than 10 degrees from perpendicular to the Right-of-Way. Staff recommends **granting** the waiver because it complies with Section 3.03.D. of the regulation preserving future resubdivision of tracts subdivided into larger parcels. Also, should Jack's Bridge Road be extended in the future, this configuration would disappear.
- J. Trottier also summarized the Design Review, Board Action, and Board Information items from the DPW memorandum.
- M. Soares asked for input from the Board. There was none.
- M. Soares asked for public input. There was none.
- D. Coons made a motion to grant the four waivers based on the applicant's letter and staff recommendation. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The four waivers were granted.
- D. Coons made a motion to conditionally approve the subdivision plan with the following conditions:

"Applicant", herein, refers to the property owner, business owner, or organization submitting this application and to his/its agents, successors, and assigns.

PRECEDENT CONDITIONS

All of the precedent conditions below must be met by the applicant, at the expense of the applicant, prior to certification of the plans by the Planning Board. Certification of the plans is required prior to commencement of any site work, any construction on the site or issuance of a building permit.

- 1. The Applicant shall verify the DRC comments of the Planning and Economic Development Department are adequately addressed with the Department. In addition, The Applicant shall verify the DRC comments of the Heritage Commission are adequately addressed with the Commission.
- 2. Note all waivers granted on the plan.

3. The Applicant shall provide a digital (electronic) copy of the complete final plan sent to the Town at the time of signature by the Board in accordance with Section 2.06.N of the regulations.

5 4. The applicant shall provide a check for \$25 (made payable to the Rockingham County Registry of Deeds) to pay for the LCHIP tax that became effective on recording of all plans and documents at the registry on July 1, 2008.

- 5. The applicant shall note all general and subsequent conditions on the plans (must be on a sheet to be recorded, or a separate document to be recorded with the subdivision plans), per the new requirements of RSA 676:3.
- 6. Outside consultant's fees shall be paid within 30 days of approval of plan.
- 7. Financial guaranty if necessary.
- 8. Final engineering review

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u> Once these precedent conditions are met and the plans are certified the approval is considered final. If these conditions are not met within 2 years to the day of the meeting at which the Planning Board grants conditional approval the board's approval will be considered to have lapsed and re-submission of the application will be required. See RSA 674:39 on vesting.

GENERAL AND SUBSEQUENT CONDITIONS

All of the conditions below are attached to this approval.

- No construction or site work for the subdivision may be undertaken until the pre-construction meeting with Town staff has taken place, filing of an NPDES-EPA Permit and the site restoration financial guaranty is in place with the Town (as applicable). The Applicant shall contact the Department of Public Works to arrange for this meeting.
- 2. The project must be built and executed exactly as specified in the approved application package unless modifications are approved by the Planning Department & Department of Public Works, or if staff deems applicable, the Planning Board.
- 3. All of the documentation submitted in the application package by the applicant and any requirements imposed by other agencies are part of this approval unless otherwise updated, revised, clarified in some manner, or superseded in full or in part. In the case of conflicting information between documents, the most recent documentation and this notice herein shall generally be determining.
- 4. All required Police and Fire impact fees must be paid prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the newly created lot.
- 5. It is the responsibility of the applicant to obtain all other local, state, and federal permits, licenses, and approvals which may be required as part of

this project (that were not received prior to certification of the plans). Contact the Building Division at extension 115 regarding building permits.

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R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. **Vote on the motion: 9-0-0.** The plan was conditionally approved.

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D. American Tire Distributors – BC Construction (Applicant), Evans Family LTD Partnership (Owner), Map 17 Lot 45-3 – Application Acceptance and Public Hearing for a proposed distribution and warehouse use with associated site improvements, Jack's Bridge Road and Clark Road, Zoned I-I.

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J. Trottier stated that there are no checklist items, and staff recommended the application be accepted as complete.

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D. Coons made a motion to accept the application as complete. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The application was accepted as complete.

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Engineer Kevin Riggs, President and CEO of Cole, reiterated that new lot 45-5 would be roughly 8.8 acres with access off of Jack's Bridge Road for 125,000 square foot of building, (120,575 sq. ft. of warehouse and 4,485 sq. ft. of office) for a tire distribution business. No access will be allowed from Clark Road. The entrance to the site will be off of an access easement stemming from the cul de sac on Jack's Bridge Road. The Zoning Board of Adjustment granted a variance in February to allow the access road to be outside the property lines so as to provide an entrance for future development on 45-. At some point after any further development, easement could conceivably become a public right of way. K. Riggs reviewed access around the site, the self contained stormwater management system, and the landscape plan, particularly with regard to screening form the residential lots to the south. All utilities to the site are existing and off of Jack's Bridge Road. He also provided views of the building and elevation designs. An Alteration of Terrain permit has been issued by the State and the Town's Conservation and Heritage Commissions have both provided favorable comments. (The Heritage Commission will review signage for the site separately). The only outstanding issues are relatively minor and related to traffic. K. Riggs expects those will be quickly resolved. A. Garron noted later in the meeting that a traffic study done in 2005 for the Harvey Industries development took into account developments on this lot as well as what is now the Penske site. The figures provided by the applicant fell within that 2005 estimate. K. Riggs also stated that residential abutters were contacted directly by Cole to address any concerns they might have.

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C. May read the three waivers into the record from the Staff Recommendation memo:

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1. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.11.g.3 of the Site Plan Regulations requiring one (1) deciduous tree per every 15 parking spaces. Staff supports **granting** the waiver because the parking lot for

- this industrial site is relatively small and there are shade trees provided along the perimeter of the lot with enough area set aside for snow storage at the lower end.
- 2. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.11.g.1.i of the Site Plan Regulations requiring 10% interior landscaping in the front parking area. Staff supports **granting** the waiver for the same reasons previously stated.
- 3. The applicant has requested a waiver to Section 3.08.b.3 of the Site Plan Regulations requiring 200 feet of separation from an existing driveway on the same side of the roadway. Staff supports **granting** the waiver because the proposed point of access is situated in a manner to potentially accommodate the future extension of Jack's Bridge Road.
- C. May also stated the applicant is requesting a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) to reduce the number of proposed parking spaces. Staff recommends granting the CUP because the applicant has demonstrated that the spaces provided adequately addresses the parking needs for this use based on the number of parking spaces utilized in similar facilities around the country.
- J. Trottier summarized the Design Review comments, Board Action items, and Board Informational items from the DPW memorandum.
- M. Soares asked for input from the Board. C. Davies asked how many parking spaces are planned as well as how many employees will be on site. K. Riggs said 101 spaces are required for this scenario and 46 will be provided. Typically 40 employees will work on two shifts. D. Coons asked what kinds of trucks would be coming to the site. K. Riggs estimated two to five over the road trucks and an additional 10 to 20 local trucks would visit the site daily. L. Reilly and M. Newman thanked the applicant for being proactive with regard to the residential abutters as well as excessive parking area.
- M. Soares asked for public input. There was none.
- D. Coons made a motion to grant the three waivers based on the applicant's letter and staff recommendation. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The three waivers were granted.
- A. Garron asked if the Board would be amenable to holding a special meeting to sign the plans if conditional approval is granted and conditions are met at a time prior to the May 2 meeting. The consensus was to have a special meeting if needed.
- **D.** Coons made a motion to grant Conditional Use Permit. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No Discussion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The Conditional Use Permit was granted.

D. Coons made a motion to conditionally approve the site plan with the following conditions:

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PRECEDENT CONDITIONS

All of the precedent conditions below must be met by the applicant, at the expense of the applicant, prior to certification of the plans by the Planning Board. Certification of the plans is required prior to commencement of any site work, any construction on the site or issuance of a building permit.

- 1. The Applicant indicates the NHDOT Driveway Permit, NHDES Alteration of Terrain Permit and Londonderry Sewer Discharge permit applications have been submitted for the project on the application checklist. We understand the NHDES Alteration of Terrain Permit has been recently obtained. The Applicant shall obtain all project permits, indicate the permit approval numbers on sheet 3 and provide copies of all permits for the Planning Division files per section 4.13 of the Site Plan Regulations and Item XII of the Site Plan Application & Checklist.
- 2. The Applicant shall address the following relative to the project drainage report:
 - A. The Applicant's riprap calculations do not provide the minimum lengths or widths required by NHDES. It appears that the proper calculations are not utilized. The Applicant shall review and update the plans and details to indicate the proper widths and lengths consistent with the updated calculations.
 - B. The Applicant's pipe summary table table 3 does not include the depth of flow or Manning "n" per Section 3.07.b.4 of the regulations and Item XI.2.d of the checklist. The Applicant shall update the report table in accordance with the regulations.
 - C. The post development drainage area map indicates nine subcatchment areas, but the analysis does not include calculations for all nine areas. We note post subcatchment 1-7 will have pond areas (CN=100) and subcatchment 1-2 has riprap areas, but it is unknown if these areas are represented in the weighted CN values. The Applicant shall provide calculations to substantiate how the weighted CN values were determined and how the runoff values noted on the post development drainage area map were determined for each subcatchment. In addition, The Applicant shall review and update the predevelopment calculations as necessary to clarify how the weighted CN values were determined and verify compliance with the regulations (no increase in runoff) is achieved.
 - D. The revised detention pond volume calculations include volume accumulating below the outlet structure invert of 350.00 in the analysis that is typically not allowed by the Town. It is our understanding that the Applicant's chosen pond design type is to maintain volume in the ponds below the invert that is not is available as implied by the calculations.

The Applicant shall revise the pond routing analysis to eliminate all volume below the outlet structure invert and verify the detention pond is adequately sized and provides the minimum 12" freeboard above the 50-year storm elevation as required by the regulations.

- A. A post development drainage diagram was provided with the updated report, but it is unclear how the flows from each subcatchment progress to the pond in the analysis provided. Based upon the drainage area map, the flow from post subcatchment 1-2 would not utilize the same piping system as post subcatchment 1-4, but this does not appear to be represented in the latest analysis information provided. The Applicant shall carefully review and clarify how the post development analysis was conducted and the relationship of the subcatchment flows and ponds to the two points of analysis. The Applicant shall update the report accordingly.
- B. The Applicant shall provide a summary table comparing existing and post development information to address <u>each abutter</u> and clarify the requirements of the regulations are achieved per section 3.07.B of the regulations. In addition, The Applicant shall update the narrative to indicate the new lot number 45-5 (vs. 45-3).
- 3. The Applicant shall address the following on the cover sheet:
 - A. The Applicant shall provide a north arrow on the sheet for clarity.
 - B. The Applicant shall update note 2 to properly address the subject lot area for the new lot consistent with the subdivision plan, which does not include the dedication. Notes 9 and 10 shall be updated accordingly. Also, The Applicant shall update the lot number to 45-5 (vs. 45-3) in the title block on all plans as applicable.
 - C. The Applicant shall update note 12 consistent with the index.
 - D. The Applicant shall note the zoning cases on the plan.
 - E. The Applicant shall provide the Owner's signature on the plan and all applicable sheets.
 - F. The Applicant shall provide a signature for the professional endorsement on these sheets and all applicable sheets.
 - G. The Applicant shall update the Planning Board signature block to remove the date lines. This shall apply to all signature blocks.
- 4. The Applicant shall note the height and number of stories for the proposed building on sheet 3. In addition, please clarify the plan references on this sheet.
- 5. The Applicant shall update note 4 on the existing conditions plan sheet 4 consistent with note 5 on the cover sheet. In addition, The Applicant shall update the "Existing Public Sewer Easement" noted on the plan noted on the northerly side of Jacks Bridge Road accordingly.
- 6. The Applicant has updated the grading along the building on sheet 5, but it appears the location of the proposed 368 contour is missing along the southerly side of the building. The Applicant shall review and update. In addition, the updated notes for the turf reinforcement mat state to "... tuck the mat under the curb", but it appears there is no curb in these locations.

The Applicant shall clarify for proper construction. Also, The Applicant shall clarify the text for the water line and sewer slope on the utility plan – sheet 6.

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7. The Applicant shall provide a Planning Board signature block on sheet 7. In addition, The Applicant shall carefully review and clarify the text on the plan, such as the parking lot dimensions.

8. The Applicant shall update the storm profile #2 on sheet 9 to indicate the invert in and out of the manhole. In addition, The Applicant shall label the invert out in profile #3 on the sheet and clarify the catch basin sumps in profile#1 on sheet 8. Also, The Applicant shall update the sanitary profile on sheet 9 to note private sewer (vs. public sewer) consistent with the notes and verify the sewer profile meets the approval of the Sewer Division.

9. The Applicant shall update the stop bar detail on sheet 10 to indicate an 18" width and be white thermoplastic (vs. paint) as typically requested. In addition, The Applicant shall provide a signature for the certification of the driveway sight distance on sheet 12. Also, The Applicant shall include a typical trench detail for the gas line and underground utilities (i.e. UGE, UGT, and CATV) in the plan set for proper construction.

10. The Applicant shall update the index on the elevation and renderings plans to include sheet 20 consistent with the updated plan set and cover sheet index.

11. The Applicant shall verify the DRC comments as applicable:

A. The Applicant shall verify the DRC comments of the Planning and Economic Development Department are adequately addressed with the Department.

B. The Applicant shall verify the DRC comments of the Heritage Commission are adequately addressed with the Commission.

12. The Applicant shall provide the Owner signature and the professional engineer endorsement (stamp and signature) on all applicable plans.

13. Note all waivers and the Conditional Use Permit granted on the plan.

14. The Applicant shall provide a digital (electronic) copy of the complete final plan sent to the Town at the time of signature by the Board in accordance with Section 2.05.n of the regulations.

15. Outside consultant's fees shall be paid within 30 days of conditional site plan approval.

16. Financial guaranty if necessary.

17. Final engineering review

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u> - Once these precedent conditions are met and the plans are certified the approval is considered final. If these conditions are not met within **120 days** to the day of the meeting at which the Planning Board grants conditional approval the board's approval will be considered to have lapsed and re-submission of the application will be required. See RSA 674:39 on vesting.

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R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. **Vote on the motion: 9-0-0.** The plan was conditionally approved.

D. Coons and T. Freda made note of the number of staff comments read into the record for the above applications. A discussion followed about whether <u>all</u> comments need to be read into the record since they are all documented and presented to the Board electronically at meetings. A. Garron stated staff's agreement that not all comments need to be stated. C. May suggested summarizing staff comments. The consensus of the Board was for staff to summarize comments, excepting those items that need a vote from the Board.

E. Elliot Health Systems Phase 4 & 5 – Tarrytown Real Estate Holdings, Inc. Owner), Map 6 Lot 31 – Application Acceptance and Public Hearing for a proposed amendment to the conditionally approved site plan (April 9, 2009) to relocate the freestanding sign from Buttrick Road to the Route 102 side of the property, 31 Buttrick Road, Zoned C-I in the Route 102 Overlay District.

C. May stated that the applicant went before the Heritage Commission recently and although they agreed with the newly proposed location of the sign, they were not supportive of the new sign design. They will meet again with the Commission in May and if their support is obtained, the applicant has requested to be placed on the June 13 agenda.

D. Coons made a motion to continue the public hearing to June 13, 2012 at 7pm. R. Brideau seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote on motion: 9-0-0. The hearing will be continued to June 13, 2012 at 7PM.

Other Business

There was no other business.

Adjournment:

D. Coons made a motion to adjourn the meeting. R. Brideau seconded the motion. Vote on the motion: 9-0-0. The meeting adjourned at 10:41 PM.

These minutes prepared by Jaye Trottier and Libby Canuel, Community Development Department Secretaries.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lynn Wiles, Secretary