

FOUNTAIN VIEW AKA STONERIDGE WEST II JSP18-30

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Public hearing at the request of Acquira Realty Holdings for approval of Preliminary Site Plan, Phasing Plan, Wetland Permit, and Storm Water Management Plan. The subject property is located in Section 10 of the City of Novi north of Twelve Mile Road and west of Novi Road. The applicant is proposing to construct three medical and professional office buildings totaling 40,240 square feet with associated site improvements.

Required Action

Approval/Denial of the Preliminary Site Plan, Phasing Plan, Wetland Permit, and Stormwater Management Plan.

REVIEW	RESULT	DATE	COMMENTS
Planning	Approval recommended	8-28-18	Items to be addressed on Final Site Plan
Engineering	Approval recommended	8-23-18	Items to be addressed on Final Site Plan
Landscape	Approval recommended	8-21-18	 Waiver for deficiency in total foundation landscape area (staff supported) Waiver for use of gray dogwood rather than the required 4.5-6' berm to screen northwestern half of the parking lot (staff supported) Items to be addressed on Final Site Plan
Wetlands	Approval recommended	8-23-18	 Minor Wetland Permit: 0.14 acre wetland impact Authorization to Encroach upon 25-Foot Natural Feature Setback: 0.14 acres buffer impact Items to be addressed on Final Site Plan
Woodlands	Approval recommended	8-23-18	No further review required
Traffic	Approval recommended	8-24-18	 Waiver for Driveway spacing deficiency to the east Items to be addressed on Final Site Plan
Facade	Approval Recommended	8-27-18	 Buildings A & C Section 9 Waivers: Underage of brick on the rear, left and right facades. (Supported) Overage of Burnished CMU on all facades. (Supported) Overage of Standing Seam Metal on rear, left and right facades. (Supported)
Fire	Recommended with conditions	8-9-18	Items to be addressed on Final Site Plan

Motion Sheet

Approval -Preliminary Site Plan and Phasing Plan

In the matter of FOUNTAIN VIEW AKA STONERIDGE WEST II, JSP 18-30, motion to approve the <u>Preliminary Site Plan and Phasing Plan</u> based on and subject to the following:

- a. For buildings A & C, a Section 9 waiver to allow the overage of Burnished CMU on all facades (10% allowed; up to 20% proposed), an underage of Brick on the rear, left and right facades (30% required; minimum 20% proposed) and an overage of Standing Seem Metal on rear, left and right facades (25% allowed; up to 36% proposed). These deviations are supported because the buildings exhibit well balanced composition and the proportions of materials used are consistent with and will enhance the overall design, and overall the building is consistent with the intent and purpose of the Façade Ordinance. The Section 9 waiver is hereby granted;
- b. Waiver for deficiency in total foundation landscape area provided which is hereby granted because the site will be heavily and attractively landscaped, and only the limited paved areas of the building are not landscaped as required;
- c. Waiver for use of a gray dogwood to screen along the northwestern half of the parking lot in place of the required 4.5-6 foot tall berm, which is hereby granted because more of the wetland would have to be filled if the required berm was built along the entire northern frontage;
- d. Waiver for driveway spacing of 140 feet from the driveway to the east, where 230 feet is required, which is hereby granted because of constraints on the site and in the Twelve Mile right-of-way;
- e. The conditions and items listed in the staff and consultant review letters being addressed on the Final Site Plan; and
- f. (additional conditions here if any)

This motion is made because the plan is otherwise in compliance with the Article 3, Article 4 and Article 5 of the Zoning Ordinance and all other applicable provisions of the Ordinance.

-AND-

Approval - Wetland Permit

In the matter of **FOUNTAIN VIEW AKA STONERIDGE WEST II, JSP 18-30**, motion to **approve** the <u>Wetland Permit</u> based on and subject to the following:

- a. The findings of compliance with Ordinance standards in the staff and consultant review letters, and the conditions and items listed in those letters being addressed on the Final Site Plan; and
- b. (additional conditions here if any)

(This motion is made because the plan is otherwise in compliance with Chapter 12, Article V of the Code of Ordinances and all other applicable provisions of the Ordinance.)

-AND-

Approval – Stormwater Management Plan

In the matter of FOUNTAIN VIEW AKA STONERIDGE WEST II, JSP 18-30, motion to approve the <u>Stormwater Management Plan</u> based on and subject to the following:

- a) The findings of compliance with Ordinance standards in the staff and consultant review letters, and the conditions and items listed in those letters being addressed on the Final Site Plan; and
- b) (additional conditions here if any)

This motion is made because the plan is otherwise in compliance with Chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances and all other applicable provisions of the Ordinance.

-OR-

Denial -Preliminary Site Plan

In the matter of **FOUNTAIN VIEW AKA STONERIDGE WEST II**, JSP 18-30, motion to **deny** the <u>Preliminary Site Plan</u>, for the following reasons...(because the plan is not in compliance with Article 3, Article 4 and Article 5 of the Zoning Ordinance and all other applicable provisions of the Ordinance.)

-AND-

Denial - Wetland Permit

In the matter of FOUNTAIN VIEW AKA STONERIDGE WEST II, JSP 18-30, motion to deny the <u>Wetland Permit</u> based on and subject to the following:

- c. The findings of compliance with Ordinance standards in the staff and consultant review letters, and the conditions and items listed in those letters being addressed on the Final Site Plan; and
- d. (additional conditions here if any)

(This motion is made because the plan is otherwise in compliance with Chapter 12, Article V of the Code of Ordinances and all other applicable provisions of the Ordinance.)

-AND-

Denial -Stormwater Management Plan

In the matter of **FOUNTAIN VIEW AKA STONERIDGE WEST II, JSP 18-30**, motion to **deny** the <u>Stormwater Management Plan</u>, for the following reasons...(because the plan is not in compliance with Chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances and all other applicable provisions of the Ordinance.)

MAPS Location Zoning Future Land Use Natural Features









SITE PLAN (Full plan set available for viewing at the Community Development Department.)















EXTERIOR	MATERIAL	FINIS	H SCHEDU	LE AND N	OTES
MATERIAL/ TAG	MANU	FACTURE	COLOR/ MODEL	SIZE	REMARKS/ NOTES
MASONRY A - FULL BRICK VEHIER	GLEN-GAR		RUSTIC BURGUNDY: DEEP RED GROUT	3-5/8°D x 2-1/47H X 7-5/8°W (WODULAR)	CONTACT, GLEN GARY SUPPLIER
MASONRY C - BURNSHED	GRAND BL CEMENT P		GREYSTONE WHITE WHITE GROUT	4'D X E'H X LE'W	CONTACT: BON HUNT (810) 494-7500

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PLANNING REVIEW



PLAN REVIEW CENTER REPORT

August 28, 2018 Planning Review Stoneridge West II JSP 18-30

PETITIONER

Acquira Realty Holdings

REVIEW TYPE

Preliminary Site Plan

PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS

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Section	10			
Site Location	North of Tw	North of Twelve Mile, West of Novi Road; 22-10-400-067		
Site School District	Novi Comn	Novi Community School District		
Site Zoning	OS-1: Office	e Service District		
Adjoining Zoning	North R-1: One-Family Residential District			
	East	OS-1: Office Service District		
	West OS-1: Office Service District			
	South RC: Regional Center District			
Current Site Use	Vacant			
	North	Single family residence		
Adjoining Uses	East	Office Park		
Aujoining uses	West	Bank; Vacant lot		
	South	South Twelve Mile Crossing at Fountain Walk		
Site Size	4.45 acres	4.45 acres		
Plan Date	July 31, 201	8		

PROJECT SUMMARY

The applicant is proposing three new medical/professional office buildings with a total of 40,240 square feet on a 4.46 acre vacant parcel. The parcel is on the north side of Twelve Mile Road, west of Novi Road. The site is planned for Community Office and zoned OS-1, Office Service. The proposal includes parking spaces, wetland mitigation on the north side and a stormwater detention pond.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval of the **Preliminary Site Plan is recommended**. The plan mostly conforms to the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance, with a few deviations to be addressed in subsequent Site Plan submittals. All reviews recommend approval. <u>Planning Commission's approval for Preliminary Site Plan, Wetland Permit</u> <u>and Storm Water Management Plan is required.</u>

ORDINANCE REQUIREMENTS

This project was reviewed for conformance with the Zoning Ordinance with respect to Article 3 (Zoning Districts), Article 4 (Use Standards), Article 5 (Site Standards), and any other applicable provisions of the Zoning Ordinance. <u>Please see the attached charts for information pertaining to ordinance requirements.</u> Items in **bold** below must be addressed and incorporated as part of the Final Site Plan submittal:

- 1. <u>Phasing Plan (Sec 4.19.2.A)</u>: The application indicates 2-3 phases of development, however no phasing plan with phase lines has been included in the plan set. Applicant has indicated the entire site will be prepared, including pad sites for all three buildings, with construction of individual buildings to be built in phases. If the applicant believes construction of the project will exceed 2 years, staff recommends that a phasing plan sheet be included for Planning Commission approval. Such phasing plan should clearly delineate all features, including structures, utilities and landscaping, that will be provided in each phase.
- 2. <u>Lighting and Photometric Plan (Sec. 5.7.2)</u>: Complete the Statistics chart and include notes that address the Ordinance requirements. Adjust lighting levels at the main entrance to meet the 1.0 fc minimum. See planning chart for additional details.
- 3. <u>Bicycle Parking (Section 5.16)</u>: Nine bicycle parking spaces are proposed in 3 clusters on the east side of the detention pond. Each of the 3 locations is within 120 feet of one of the building entrances of each building. **Details of the bicycle parking layouts and rack design should be shown and dimensioned within the plan set. See chart for additional details.**
- 4. <u>Plan Review Chart:</u> There are additional minor clarifications requested in the Plan review chart. Please refer to the chart for additional details.
- 5. <u>Economic Impact Information</u>: The following information is requested before the Planning Commission meeting:
 - i. Total cost of the proposed construction & site improvements (\$6 million indicated in response letter)
 - ii. Number of anticipated jobs created (during construction & after building is occupied, estimated)
- 6. Other Reviews:
 - a. <u>Engineering Review:</u> Additional comments to be addressed with Final Site Plan. Engineering recommends approval.
 - b. <u>Landscape Review</u>: Landscape recommends approval with comments to be addressed in Final Site Plan Submittal. **Two landscape waivers are required**, **but both are supported by staff.** Refer to review letter and chart for more comments.
 - c. <u>Wetlands Review</u>: Wetlands consultant recommends approval to move forward with additional comments to be addressed in Final Site Plan submittal. Refer to review letter for more details.
 - d. <u>Woodlands Review:</u> No impacts to regulated Woodlands or trees are proposed. Further Woodland Review is not necessary.
 - e. <u>Traffic Review</u>: Additional comments to be addressed with Final Site Plan. Traffic recommends approval.
 - f. <u>Facade Review:</u> The proposed materials on two buildings deviates from the façade ordinance, which will require a Section 9 façade waiver. Façade consultant recommends approval. See letter for additional details.
 - g. <u>Fire Review:</u> Fire recommends approval. Additional comments to be addressed with Final Site Plan. **Please note the need for an adjustment to the driveway on the south side of Building A.**

NEXT STEP: PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

This Site Plan is scheduled to go before Planning Commission for public hearing on **September 26, 2018** at **7:00 p.m.** Please provide the following <u>no later than 12:00pm, September 20, 2018</u> if you wish to keep this schedule.

- 1. Site Plan submittal in PDF format (maximum of 10MB). NO CHANGES MADE.
- 2. Phasing plan sheet, if applicable.
- 3. A response letter addressing ALL the comments from ALL the review letters and <u>a request for</u> waivers as you see fit.

- 4. A color rendering of the Site Plan (Optional to be used for Planning Commission presentation).
- 5. A sample board of building materials as requested by our Façade Consultant.

FINAL SITE PLAN SUBMITTAL

After receiving Planning Commission's approval of the Preliminary Site Plan, please follow the <u>Final Site</u> <u>Plan Checklist</u> and submit for approval:

- 1. Seven copies of Final Site Plan sets addressing all comments from Preliminary review and Planning Commission (or a <u>No Revision Façade Affidavit</u> and 6 copies of FSP, if applicable);
- 2. Response letter addressing ALL the comments from ALL the review letters and refer to sheet numbers where the change is reflected;
- 3. Final Site Plan Application

ELECTRONIC STAMPING SET SUBMITTAL AND RESPONSE LETTER

After receiving Final Site Plan approval, plans addressing the comments in all of the staff and consultant review letters should be submitted electronically for informal review and approval prior to printing Stamping Sets. A letter from either the applicant or the applicant's representative addressing comments in this and other review letters and associated charts is to be submitted with the electronic stamping set. This letter should address all comments in ALL letters and ALL charts and refer to sheet numbers where the change is reflected.

STAMPING SET APPROVAL

Stamping sets are still required for this project. After having received all of the review letters from City staff the applicant should make the appropriate changes on the plans and submit <u>10 size 24" x 36"</u> copies with original signature and original seals on the cover sheet (subsequent pages may use <u>electronic seal with signature</u>), to the Community Development Department for final Stamping Set approval.

If required, drafts for all legal documents with a legal transmittal are to be submitted along with stamping sets.

SIGNAGE

Exterior Signage is not regulated by the Planning Division or Planning Commission. Sign permit applications that relate to construction of a new building or an addition to an existing building may submitted, reviewed, and approved as part of a site plan application. Proposed signs shall be shown on the preliminary site plan. Alternatively, an applicant may choose to submit a sign application to the Building Official for administrative review. Following preliminary site plan approval, any application to a mend a sign permit or for a new or additional sign shall be submitted to the Building Official. Please contact the Ordinance Division 248.735.5678 for information regarding sign permits.

PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING

A Pre-Construction meeting is required for this project. Prior to the start of any work on the site, Pre-Construction (Pre-Con) meetings must be held with the applicant's contractor and the City's consulting engineer. Pre-Con meetings are generally held after Stamping Sets have been issued and prior to the start of any work on the site. There are a variety of requirements, fees and permits that must be issued before a Pre-Con can be scheduled. If you have questions regarding the checklist or the Pre-Con itself, please contact Sarah Marchioni [248.347.0430 or smarchioni@cityofnovi.org] in the Community Development Department.

CHAPTER 26.5

Chapter 26.5 of the City of Novi Code of Ordinances generally requires all projects be completed within two years of the issuance of any starting permit. Please contact Sarah Marchioni at 248-347-0430 for additional information on starting permits. The applicant should review and be aware of the requirements of Chapter 26.5 before starting construction.

If the applicant has any questions concerning the above review or the process in general, do not hesitate to contact me at 248.347.0484 or <u>lbell@cityofnovi.org</u>.

Kindsmy Bell

Lindsay Bell – Planner

CITY OF PLANNING REVIEW CHART: OS-1 Office Service District

Review Date: Review Type: Project Name: Location: Plan Date: Prepared by:

August 17, 2018 Preliminary Site Plan JSP18-30 Stoneridge West II 44244 W. Twelve Mile Road; Parcel 22-10-400-067 7/31/2018 Lindsay Bell, Planner **E-mail:** Ibell@cityofnovi.org; **Phone:** (248) 347-0484

Items in **Bold** need to be addressed by the applicant before approval of the Preliminary Site Plan. <u>Underlined</u> items need to be addressed on the Final Site Plan.

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments		
Zoning and Use Re	equirements					
Master Plan (adopted July 26, 2017)	Community Office	Medical Office	Yes			
Area Study	The site does not fall under any special category	NA	Yes			
Zoning (Effective January 8, 2015)	OS-1: Office Service District	OS-1	Yes			
Uses Permitted (Sec 3.1.21.B & C)	Sec. 3.1.21.B Principal Uses Permitted. Sec. 3.1.21.C Special Land Uses Permitted.	Medical Office Buildings	Yes			
Height, bulk, dens	Height, bulk, density and area limitations (Sec 3.1.21.D)					
Frontage on a Public Street. (Sec. 5.12) Access To Major Thoroughfare (Sec. 5.12)	Frontage on a Public Street is required	The site has frontage and access to Twelve Mile Road	Yes			
Minimum Zoning Lot Size for each Unit in Ac (Sec 3.6.2.D)	Except where otherwise provided in this Ordinance, the minimum lot area and width, and the maximum percent of	4.46 acres	NA			
Minimum Zoning Lot Size for each Unit: Width in Feet (Sec 3.6.2.D)	lot coverage shall be determined on the basis of off-street parking, loading, greenbelt screening, yard setback or usable open space		NA			
Open Space Area						
Maximum % of	(Sec 3.6.2.D)	15.5%	Yes			

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
Lot Area Covered (By All Buildings)				
Building Height (Sec. 3.1.23.D)	30 feet	Maximum height: 28.5'	Yes	
Building Setbacks	(Sec 3.1.21.D)			
Front South @ Twelve Mile	20 ft.	105 ft.	Yes	Dimensions on Site Plan missing for rear building
Rear North	20 ft.	157 ft.	Yes	setback
West Side	15 ft.	15 ft.	Yes	
East Side	15 ft.	15 ft.	Yes	
Parking Setback (Sec 3.1.21.D)Refer to applic	able notes in Sec 3.6.2		
Front South @ Twelve Mile	20 ft.	35.45 ft.	Yes	
Rear North	10 ft. (20ft. when abuts residential zone)	88 ft.	Yes	
West Side	10 ft.	10.5 ft.	Yes	
East Side	10 ft.	9.5 ft.	No	Parking on east side must meet 10 ft setback
Note To District Sta	andards (Sec 3.6.2)			
Exterior Side Yard Abutting a Street (Sec 3.6.2.C)	All exterior side yards abutting a street shall be provided with a setback equal to front yard.	No exterior side yard present	NA	
Off-Street Parking in Front Yard (Sec 3.6.2.E)	Off-street parking is allowed in front yard if - does not extend into the minimum required front yard setback of the district	Does not extend	Yes	
Setbacks from Residential (Sec 3.6.2.L)	All properties abutting residential districts shall have 20' parking setback	Rear yard abuts residential – parking setback exceeds 20'	Yes	
Wetland/Waterc ourse Setback (Sec 3.6.2.M)	A setback of 25ft from wetlands and from high watermark course shall be maintained	Wetlands shown on northern portion of the site – parking area appears to encroach	No	See comments from ECT. Quantify wetlands and 25' buffers impact area
Parking setback screening (Sec 3.6.2.P)	Required parking setback area shall be landscaped per sec 5.5.3.			See Landscape comments
Modification of parking setback requirements (Sec 3.6.2.Q)	The Planning Commission may modify parking setback requirements based on its determination according to Sec 3.6.2.Q	Parking setbacks conform to the minimum required	NA	

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
OS-1 District Requ	ired Conditions (Sec 3.17)			
Interior Display (Sec 3.17.1)	No interior display shall be visible from the exterior of the building.	Notes on sheet C3	Yes	
Outdoor storage (Sec 3.17.2)	The outdoor storage of goods or materials shall be prohibited.	Notes on sheet C3	Yes	
Warehousing or indoor storage (Sec 3.17.3)	Warehousing or indoor storage of goods or material, beyond that normally incident to the permitted uses, shall be prohibited.	Notes on sheet C3	Yes	
	and Dumpster Requirements		1	
Number of Parking Spaces Medical Office (Sec.5.2.12.D)	Medical Office: For buildings greater than 5,000 square feet,1 space per 175 SF GLA General Office: 1 space per 222 sf	Total Proposed = 188 spaces	Yes	
	27,320 GLA/175 = 156 6,820 GLA/222 = 31 156+31= 187 spaces required			
Parking Space Dimensions and Maneuvering Lanes (Sec. 5.3.2)	 90° Parking: 9 ft. x 19 ft. 24 ft. two way drives 9 ft. x 17 ft. parking spaces allowed along 7 ft. wide interior sidewalks as long as detail indicates a 4" curb at these locations and along landscaping 	90° Parking: 9 ft. x 17 ft. along 7 ft. wide interior sidewalks	Yes	
Parking stall located adjacent to a parking lot entrance(public or private) (Sec. 5.3.13)	 shall not be located closer than twenty-five (25) feet from the street right-of-way (ROW) line, street easement or sidewalk, whichever is closer 	The parking stall appears to be 25' from the street right-of-way	Yes	
End Islands (Sec. 5.3.12)	 End Islands with landscaping and raised curbs are required at the end of all parking bays that abut traffic circulation aisles. The end islands shall generally be at least 8 feet wide, have an outside radius of 15 	End Islands are proposed – dimensions not shown.	No	Please dimension the radius and the offset distance according to standards.

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	feet, and be constructed 3' shorter than the adjacent parking stall as illustrated in the Zoning Ordinance			
Barrier Free Spaces Barrier Free Code	7 barrier free parking spaces (for total 201 to 300) including 1 van barrier free parking space	7 barrier Free parking proposed	Yes	
Barrier Free Space Dimensions Barrier Free Code	 8' wide with an 8' wide access aisle for van accessible spaces 5' wide with a 5' wide access aisle for regular accessible spaces 	All van accessible	Yes	Plans show 8' access aisle, however detail on Sheet C4 shows 5' access aisle. Provide correct detail image for van accessible spaces.
Barrier Free Signs Barrier Free Code	One sign for each accessible parking space.	Signs shown on plans	Yes	
Minimum number of Bicycle Parking (Sec. 5.16.1)	Medical Offices: One (1) space for each twenty (20) employees on the maximum shift, minimum two (2) spaces	9 bicycle parking spaces indicated	Yes	
Bicycle Parking General requirements (Sec. 5.16)	 No farther than 120 ft. from the entrance being served When 4 or more spaces are required for a building with multiple entrances, the spaces shall be provided in multiple locations 	Spaces all shown on east side of detention basin – 3 locations spaced out 55-65 feet; At least one location is w/in 120 feet of each building entrance	Yes Yes	
	 Spaces to be paved and the bike rack shall be inverted "U" design Shall be accessible via 6 ft. paved sidewalk 		No	Provide detail of bicycle rack design
Bicycle Parking Lot layout (Sec 5.16.6)	Parking space width: 6 ft. One tier width: 10 ft. Two tier width: 16 ft. Maneuvering lane width: 4 ft. Parking space depth: 2 ft. single, 2 ½ ft. double	No Bicycle parking layout provided	No	Provide a plan detail of the bicycle parking as required
Loading Spaces Sec. 5.4.1	 Within the OS districts, loading space shall be provided in the rear yard or in the case of a double 	 Loading area (9.5 x 54.5 = 518 sf) is located adjacent to the dumpster enclosure in the rear yard (NE 	Yes	Label the loading space dimensions.

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	frontage lot, in the interior side yard, - in the ratio of five (5) square feet per front foot of building up to a total area of three- hundred sixty (360) square feet per building.	corner of the parking lot)		
Dumpster Sec 4.19.2.F	 Located in rear yard Attached to the building or No closer than 10 ft. from building if not attached Not located in parking setback If no setback, then it cannot be any closer than 10 ft, from property line. Away from Barrier free Spaces 	Two dumpsters are provided in one enclosure in the rear yard (NE corner of the parking lot) Yes – meets setback requirements Yes, it is away	Yes	
Dumpster Enclosure Sec. 21-145. (c) Chapter 21 of City Code of Ordinances	 Screened from public view A wall or fence 1 ft. higher than height of refuse bin And no less than 5 ft. on three sides Posts or bumpers to protect the screening Hard surface pad. Screening Materials: Masonry, wood or evergreen shrubbery 	 An enclosure is shown on the plans 6' high A concrete surface is indicated 9 Dark Green Arborvitae shown for evergreen screening on east and north sides. 	Yes	
Lighting and Othe	r Equipment Requirements			
Exterior lighting Sec. 5.7	Photometric plan and exterior lighting details needed at time of Preliminary Site Plan submittal	A lighting plan was provided in pdf format	Yes	See Lighting Review chart for more details.
Roof top equipment and wall mounted utility equipment Sec. 4.19.2.E.ii	 All roof top equipment must be screened and all wall mounted utility equipment must be enclosed and integrated into the design and color of the building 	Roof top equipment proposed – applicant indicated it will be 100% screened by sloped roof at parapet	Yes	See Façade review for further comments
Roof top appurtenances	Roof top appurtenances shall be screened in	Roof top equipment proposed	Yes	See Façade review for further comments

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
screening	accordance with applicable facade regulations, and shall not be visible from any street, road or adjacent property.			
Non-Motorized Fa		1	1	
Article XI. Off- Road Non- Motorized Facilities	Non-motorized facilities shall be placed across the frontage of all streets and roadways (public or private) for all projects in accordance with the "Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan", as well as at those locations specified in the City of Novi Subdivision Ordinance (Appendix C) and the City of Novi	A sidewalk is proposed along Twelve Mile Road – Sheet C4 indicates 6' width	Yes	
	Zoning Ordinance			
Pedestrian Connectivity	(Appendix A). Whether the traffic circulation features within the site and location of automobile parking areas are designed to assure safety and convenience of both vehicular and pedestrian traffic both within the site and in relation to access streets	Sidewalks are proposed throughout the site	Yes	
	d Other Requirements			
Building Code	Building exits must be connected to sidewalk system or parking lot.	All exits are connected to internal sidewalk	Yes	
Design and Construction Standards Manual	Land description, Sidwell number (metes and bounds for acreage parcel, lot number(s), Liber, and page for subdivisions).	Provided	Yes	

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
General layout and dimension of proposed physical improvements	Location of all existing and proposed buildings, proposed building heights, building layouts, (floor area in square feet), location of proposed parking and parking layout, streets and drives, and indicate square footage of pavement area (indicate public or private).	Provided	Yes	
Economic Impact	 Total cost of the proposed building & site improvements Number of anticipated jobs created (during construction & after building is occupied, if known) 	Total cost of construction and site improvements estimated: \$6 million Jobs created: unknown	Yes	
Phasing	 All projects must be completed within 2 years of the issuance of any starting permit or phasing plan should be provided 	Phasing is indicated – however plan sheet with phase lines is not provided	No	If a phasing plan is to be approved by the Planning Commission it should be provided in advance of the Planning Commission Meeting
Development/ Business Sign & Street addressing	 Signage if proposed requires a permit. The applicant should contact the Building Division for an address prior to applying for a building permit. 			For further information contact Maureen Underhill 248-735-5602.
Project and Street Naming	Some projects may need approval from the Street and Project Naming Committee.	This project requires approval of the Project Name – please complete the required <u>application</u>		<u>For approval of project</u> <u>and street naming</u> <u>contact Hannah Smith at</u> <u>248-735-0579</u> (REMOVE THIS PARTIAL NOTE FROM THE PLAN – Applicant should apply for project name approval at this time)
Parcel Split or Combination or Condominium approval	Any parcel splits or condominium approvals must be completed before Stamping Set approval		NA	
Lighting and Photo	ometric Plan (Sec. 5.7)			
Intent (Sec. 5.7.1)	Establish appropriate minimum levels, prevent	Provided	Yes	PDF of lighting plan was provided but not hard

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	unnecessary glare, reduce spillover onto adjacent properties & reduce unnecessary transmission of light into the night sky			<u>copy – include hard copy</u> <u>in Final Stamping Set</u>
Lighting Plan (Sec. 5.7.A.i)	Site plan showing location of all existing & proposed buildings, landscaping, streets, drives, parking areas & exterior lighting fixtures	Light pole locations shown on landscape plans	Yes	
Building Lighting (Sec. 5.7.2.A.iii)	Relevant building elevation drawings showing all fixtures, the portions of the walls to be illuminated, illuminance levels of walls and the aiming points of any remote fixtures.	Lighting fixtures etc. not shown on building elevations	No	Show as required on building elevation drawings
Lighting Plan (Sec.5.7.2.A.ii)	Specifications for all proposed & existing lighting fixtures	Provided	Yes	
	Photometric data	Provided	Yes	
	Fixture height	11' & 24' for building- mounted, 25' pole lights	Yes	
	Mounting & design	Provided	Yes	
	Glare control devices (Also see Sec. 5.7.3.D)	Shown	Yes	
	Type & color rendition of lamps	LED	Yes	
	Hours of operation	Shown	Yes	
	Photometric plan illustrating all light sources that impact the subject site, including spill-over information from neighboring properties		Yes	
Maximum Height (Sec. 5.7.3.A)	Height not to exceed maximum height of zoning district (30 ft.) (or 25 ft. where adjacent to residential districts or uses)	25 ft proposed	Yes	
Standard Notes (Sec. 5.7.3.B)	 Electrical service to light fixtures shall be placed underground Flashing light shall not be permitted Only necessary lighting 	Notes included on Lighting plan	Yes	

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	for security purposes & limited operations shall be permitted after a site's hours of operation			
Security Lighting (Sec. 5.7.3.H) Lighting for security purposes shall be directed only onto the area to be secured.	 All fixtures shall be located, shielded, and aimed at the areas to be secured. Fixtures mounted on the building and designed to illuminate the facade are preferred. 	Not specified	No	Show which lights are security lighting
Average Light Levels (Sec.5.7.3.E)	Average light level of the surface being lit to the lowest light of the surface being lit shall not exceed 4:1	Parking lot is 3.2:1	Yes	
Type of Lamps (Sec. 5.7.3.F)	Use of true color rendering lamps such as metal halide is preferred over high & low pressure sodium lamps	LED proposed	Yes	
Min. Illumination (Sec. 5.7.3.k)	Parking areas: 0.2 min	0.5 min	Yes	
	Loading/unloading areas: 0.4 min	1.1 min	Yes	
	Walkways: 0.2 min	0.3 shown	Yes	
	Building entrances, frequent use: 1.0 min	0.5 min	No	Adjust to min level required
	Building entrances, infrequent use: 0.2 min	0.3 min	Yes	
Max. Illumination adjacent to Non-Residential (Sec. 5.7.3.K)	When site abuts a non- residential district, maximum illumination at the property line shall not exceed 1 foot candle	Max proposed 0.0 at property line	Yes	
Cut off Angles (Sec. 5.7.3.L)	 When adjacent to residential districts All cut off angles of fixtures must be 90° maximum illumination at the property line shall not exceed 0.5 foot candle 	Illumination at the property line adjacent to residential is 0.0	Yes	

ENGINEERING REVIEW



PLAN REVIEW CENTER REPORT

August 23, 2018

Engineering Review

Stoneridge West II JSP18-0030

Applicant

Acquira Realty Holdings

<u>Review Type</u>

Preliminary Site Plan

Property Characteristics

Site Location: East of Dixon Road, north of Twelve Mile Road

4.458 acres

- Site Size:
- Plan Date: 07/31/2018
- Design Engineer: Nowak & Fraus Engineers

Project Summary

- Construction of three separate medical office buildings with associated parking.
- Water service would be provided by an 8-inch extension from the existing 24-inch water main in Twelve Mile Road. Each building has proposed 2-inch domestic lead and a 6-inch fire lead connections to serve the buildings, with fire hydrants on the site.
- Sanitary sewer service would be provided by extension of an 8-inch sewer main from existing sewer manhole on the site to the east, with separate service leads to each building.
- Storm water would be collected by a single storm sewer collection system and detained in a storm water basin on the site prior to discharge to existing storm sewer in Twelve Mile Road.

Recommendation

Approval of the Preliminary Site Plan and Preliminary Storm Water Management Plan is recommended.

Comments:

The Preliminary Site Plan meets the general requirements of the design and construction standards as set forth in Chapter 11 of the City of Novi Codified Ordinance, the Storm Water Management Ordinance and the Engineering Design Manual with the following items to be addressed at the time of Final Site Plan submittal (further engineering detail will be required at the time of the final site plan submittal):

General

- 1. Provide a note on the plans that all work shall conform to the current City of Novi standards and specifications.
- 2. The plans shall be prepared on NAVD88 datum. All site benchmarks must be tied in to City benchmarks, and all elevations on the plans must be shown on NAVD88 (rather than including a conversion factor).
- 3. Right-of-way permits will be required from both the City of Novi and Road Commission for Oakland County.
- 4. Show and label the master planned 90-foot half right-of-way width for Twelve Mile Road. Dedication of the right-of-way along the parcel frontage is requested with the development.
- 5. The Non-domestic User Survey form shall be submitted to the City so it can be forwarded to Oakland County.
- 6. The City standard detail sheets are not required for the Final Site Plan submittal. They will be required with the final, printed Stamping Set submittal. The recently updated standard detail sheets can be found on the City website at this location:

http://cityofnovi.org/Government/City-Services/Public-Services/Engineering-Division/Engineering-Standards-and-Construction-Details.aspx.

- 7. Soil borings shall be provided for a preliminary review of the constructability of the proposed development (roads, basin, etc.). Borings identifying soil types, and groundwater elevation should be provided with the next submittal.
- The six-foot sidewalk along Twelve Mile Road should generally be placed one (1) foot inside the future master planned right-of-way line.
- 9. Provide a note stating if dewatering is anticipated or encountered during construction a dewatering plan must be submitted to the Engineering Department for review.
- 10. Provide a traffic control plan for the proposed construction activity in Twelve Mile Road.

- 11. Traffic signs in the RCOC right-of-way will be installed by RCOC. Identify any signs within RCOC right-of-way in the sign quantity table.
- 12. At a minimum, an emergency access easement must be obtained from the property to the east.
 - a. If the intent is emergency access only, a gate must be provided at the property line. The Fire Marshal must approve of the gate and lock.
 - b. If the intent is for users of each property to be able to access either property along that route, a cross-access easement will be required in addition to the emergency access easement.
- 13. A letter from either the applicant or the applicant's engineer must be submitted with the Final Site Plan submittal highlighting the changes made to the plans addressing each of the comments in this review.

Water Main

- 14. Provide a profile for all proposed water main 8-inch and larger.
- 15. Label water main size, lengths and pipe material on the utility plan.
- 16. Provide three (3) signed and sealed sets of utility plans along with the MDEQ permit application (06/12 rev.) for water main construction. The Streamlined Water Main Permit Checklist should be submitted to the Engineering Division for review, assuming no further design changes are anticipated. Utility plan sets shall include only the cover sheet, any applicable utility sheets and the standard detail sheets.

Sanitary Sewer

- 17. Revise the Sanitary Sewer Basis of design using the City's Sewer Unit Factor chart, which is attached to this letter.
- 18. Note on the construction materials table that 6-inch sanitary leads shall be a minimum SDR 23.5, and mains shall be SDR 26.
- 19. Provide a note on the Utility Plan and sanitary profile stating the sanitary lead will be buried at least 5 feet deep where under the influence of pavement.
- 20. Provide a testing bulkhead immediately upstream of the sanitary connection point. Additionally, provide a temporary 1-foot deep sump in the first sanitary structure proposed upstream of the connection point, and provide a secondary watertight bulkhead in the downstream side of this structure.
- 21. Seven (7) sealed sets of revised utility plans along with the MDEQ permit application (01/18 rev.) for sanitary sewer construction and the Streamlined Sanitary Sewer Permit Certification Checklist should be submitted to the Engineering Division for review, assuming no further design changes are anticipated. Utility plan sets shall include only the cover sheet, any applicable utility sheets and the standard detail sheets. Also, the MDEQ can be contacted for an expedited review by their office.

Paving & Grading

- 22. The newly issued City standard paving details will be incorporated into the plans at the time of stamping sets. Remove any redundant or conflicting details from the plan set, and remove or revise general paving notes to be consistent with pavement mix types and cross sections in standard details.
- 23. The end islands shall conform to the City standard island design, or variations of the standard design, while still conforming to the standards given in Section 2506 of Appendix A of the Zoning ordinance (i.e. 2' minor radius, 15' major radius, minimum 8' wide, 3' shorter than adjacent 19' stall).
- 24. Revise the entrance driveway to be consistent with the standard dimensions shown in Figure IX.1 and Section 11-216 of the Design and Construction Standards.

Storm Sewer

- 25. Provide a four-foot deep sump and an oil/gas separator in the last storm structure prior to discharge to the storm water basin. This can be added to the last catch basin in the network and does not need to be a separate structure.
- 26. A minimum cover depth of 3 feet shall be maintained over all storm sewers. Grades shall be elevated and minimum pipe slopes shall be used to maximize the cover depth. In situations where the minimum cover <u>cannot</u> be achieved, Class V pipe must be used with an absolute minimum cover depth of 2 feet.
- 27. Show and label all roof conductors, and indicate where they will tie into the storm sewer system on the utility layout and on storm sewer profiles.

Storm Water Management Plan

- 28. The Storm Water Management Plan (SWMP) shall comply with the Storm Water Ordinance and <u>Chapter 5 of the Engineering Design Manual</u>.
 - a. Stormwater discharge from the site shall not exceed 0.15 cfs/acre. Revise the storm water detention basin sizing calculations accordingly.
 - b. The outlet control structure shall be designed in accordance with Section 5.6.4.B of the Engineering Design Manual
- 29. Provide release rate calculations for the three design storm events (first flush, bank full, 100-year).
- 30. Provide calculations verifying the post-development runoff rate directed to the proposed receiving drainage course does not exceed the predevelopment runoff rate for the site.
- 31. Provide a soil boring in the vicinity of the storm water basin to determine soil conditions and to establish the high water elevation of the groundwater table.
- 32. An adequate maintenance access route to the basin outlet structure and any other pretreatment structures shall be provided (15 feet wide, maximum

slope of 1V:5H, and able to withstand the passage of heavy equipment). Verify the access route does not conflict with proposed landscaping.

- 33. A 4-foot wide safety shelf is required one-foot below the permanent water surface elevation within the basin.
- 34. A 25-foot vegetated buffer shall be provided around the perimeter of each storm water basin. This buffer cannot encroach onto adjacent lots or property.
- 35. Provide a 5-foot wide stone bridge allowing direct access to the standpipe from the bank of the basin during high-water conditions (i.e. stone 6-inches above high water elevation). Provide a detail and/or note as necessary.

Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control

36. A SESC permit is required. A full review has not been done at this time. The review checklist detailing all SESC requirements is attached to this letter. A SESC permit application should be submitted under a separate cover at the time of Final Site Plan submittal. The application can be found on the City's website at http://cityofnovi.org/Reference/Forms-and-Permits.aspx.

Off-Site Easements

- 37. Any off-site easements must be executed prior to final approval of the plans. Drafts shall be submitted as soon as possible for review and approval.
 - a. Off-site sanitary sewer easement
 - b. Off-site temporary construction permit
 - c. Secondary emergency access easement on property to the east
 - d. Cross-access easement with property to the east, if applicable.
 - e. Off-site portion of the Storm Drain Facility Maintenance Easement agreement, for access to the outlet control structure.

The following must be submitted with the Final Site Plan:

- 38. A letter from either the applicant or the applicant's engineer must be submitted with the Final Site Plan highlighting the changes made to the plans addressing each of the comments listed above <u>and indicating the revised sheets involved</u>.
- 39. An itemized construction cost estimate must be submitted to the Community Development Department for the determination of plan review and construction inspection fees. This estimate should only include the civil site paving and utilities and **not** any costs associated with demolition, soil erosion control, or building construction items. <u>The estimate must be itemized</u> for each utility (water, sanitary, storm sewer), on-site paving (square yardage), right-of-way paving (including proposed right-of-way), grading, and the storm water basin (basin construction, control structure, pretreatment structure and restoration).

40. Draft copies of all off-site easements listed in item 36 and payment of Legal Review escrow amount. Unused escrow will be returned to the payee at the end of the project.

The following must be submitted with the Stamping Set:

(Please note that all documents must be submitted together as a package with the Stamping Set submittal with a legal review transmittal form that can be found on the City's website. Partial submittals will <u>not</u> be accepted.)

- 41. A draft copy of the Storm Drainage Facility Maintenance Easement Agreement, as outlined in the Storm Water Management Ordinance, must be submitted to the Community Development Department. Once the form of the agreement is approved, this agreement must be approved by City Council and shall be recorded in the office of the Oakland County Register of Deeds. This document is available on our website.
- 42. A draft copy of the 20-foot wide easement for the water main to be constructed on the site must be submitted to the Community Development Department. This document is available on our website.
- 43. A draft copy of the 20-foot wide easement for the sanitary sewer and monitoring manhole to be constructed on the site must be submitted to the Community Development Department. This document is available on our website.
- 44. A draft copy of the warranty deed for the additional right-of-way along Twelve Mile Road must be submitted for acceptance by the City.
- 45. Executed copies of approved off-site easements.

The following must be addressed prior to construction:

- 46. A pre-construction meeting shall be required prior to any site work being started. Please contact Sarah Marchioni in the Community Development Department to setup a meeting (248-347-0430).
- 47. A City of Novi Grading Permit will be required prior to any grading on the site. This permit will be issued at the pre-construction meeting (no application required). No fee is required for this permit.
- 48. Material certifications must be submitted to Spalding DeDecker for review prior to the construction of any utilities on the site. Contact Ted Meadows at 248-844-5400 for more information.
- 49. Construction inspection fees in an amount to be determined must be paid to the Community Development Department.
- 50. Legal escrow fees in an amount to be determined must be deposited with the Community Development Department. Unused escrow will be returned to the payee at the end of the project. Note: This amount will include

engineering legal fees only. There may be additional legal fees for planning legal documents.

- 51. A storm water performance guarantee in an amount of equal to 120% of the estimated cost required to complete the storm water management facilities as specified in the Storm Water Management Ordinance must be posted at the Community Development Department.
- 52. Water and Sanitary Sewer Fees must be paid prior to the pre-construction meeting. Contact the Water & Sewer Division at 248-347-0498 to determine the amount of these fees.
- 53. A street sign financial guarantee in an amount of \$400 per traffic control sign proposed must be posted at the Community Development Department. Signs must be installed in accordance with MMUTCD standards.
- 54. A Soil Erosion Control Permit must be obtained from the City of Novi. Contact Sarah Marchioni in the Community Development Department, Building Division (248-347-0430) for forms and information. The financial guarantee and inspection fees will be determined during the SESC review.
- 55. A permit for work within the right-of-way must be obtained from the City of Novi. The application is available from the City Engineering Division or on the City website and may be filed once the Final Site Plan has been submitted. Please contact the Engineering Division at 248-347-0454 for further information. Only submit the cover sheet, standard details and plan sheets applicable to the permit.
- 56. A permit for work within the right-of-way of 12 Mile Road must be obtained from the Road Commission for Oakland County. Please contact the RCOC (248-858-4835) directly with any questions. The applicant must forward a copy of this permit to the City. Provide a note on the plans indicating all work within the right-of-way will be constructed in accordance with the Road Commission for Oakland County standards.
- 57. A permit for water main construction must be obtained from the MDEQ. This permit application must be submitted through the City Engineer after the water main plans have been approved. Only submit the cover sheet, overall utility sheet, standard details and plan/profile sheets applicable to the permit.
- 58. A permit for sanitary sewer construction must be obtained from the MDEQ. This permit application must be submitted through the City Engineer after the sanitary sewer plans have been approved. Only submit the cover sheet, overall utility sheet, standard details and plan/profile sheets applicable to the permit.
- 59. An inspection permit for the sanitary sewer tap must be obtained from the Oakland County Water Resource Commissioner.
To the extent this review letter addresses items and requirements that require the approval of or a permit from an agency or entity other than the City, this review shall not be considered an indication or statement that such approvals or permits will be issued.

Please contact Darcy Rechtien at (248) 735-5695 with any questions.

Dary N. Rechtien Darcy N. Rechtien, P.E.

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Sewer Unit Factor Chart

(See Notes Following Table)

Usage Type	Unit Factor	Information Source
Auto Dealers	0.300 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Barber Shops	1.000 per 1000 sq. ft.	A - C
Bars	0.044 per seat	D
Beauty Shops	0.223 per booth	D
Boarding Houses	0.160 per person	A - C
Boarding Schools	0.270 per person	A - C
Bowling Alleys (no bar, or lunch facilities)	0.160 per alley	D
Car Wash: a) Manual, Do-It-Yourself b) Semi-Automatic (mechanical without conveyor) c) Automatic (with conveyor) d) Automatic (with recycling water)	2.500 per stall 12.500 per lane 33.000 per lane 8.400 per lane	D D D D
Churches	0.008 per seat	D
Cleaners: a) Pick-up Only b) With Pressing Facilities	0.048 per employee 1.250 per press	D D
Clinics: a) Medical b) Dental	1.000 per doctor 1.400 per dentist	D D
Community Buildings	2.000 per building	D
Convalescent and/or Nursing Homes	0.300 per bed	D
Convents	0.200 per person	D
Country Clubs	0.080 per member	A - C
Day Care	0.012 per student	CITY
Drug Stores: a) With Fountain Service 	0.080 per seat, plus	i Marin
b) Without Fountain Service	0.140 per 1000 sq. ft. 0.140 per 1000 sq. ft.	D D

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Sewer Unit Factor Chart (See Notes Following Table)

Factories (exclusive of excessive industrial use)	0.500 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Fraternal Organizations (members only)	1.000 per hall	D
Fraternal Organizations (members and rentals)	2.000 per hall	D
Funeral Home (including one residence)	2.200 per funeral home	D
Grocery Stores & Super Markets Grocery Stores & Super Markets	1.100 per 1000 sq. ft. 0.310 per 1000 sq. ft.	Ð D
Health Clubs: a) With Showers and/or Pool b) Without Showers and/or Pool	2.300 per 1000 sq. ft. 0.260 per 1000 sq. ft.	D D
Hospitals	1.220 per bed	A - C
Hotels and/or Motels (exclusive of swimming, pools, bars, restaurants, etc.)	0.380 per room	A - C
Laundry (self-serve)	0.540 per washer	D
Office Building	0.400 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Public Institutes (other than hospitals)	0.320 per employee	A - C
Racquet Clubs	0.820 per court	D
Residences: Mobile Home Parks & Multiple Family Residences: a) One Bedroom b) Two Bedroom c) Three or more Bedrooms Single Family Residential	0.600 per dwelling unit 0.750 per dwelling unit 1.000 per dwelling unit 1.000 per dwelling	CITY CITY CITY CITY
Restaurants: a) Conventional Type (with or without drinks) 1. Seasonal Out-door Eating 2. Banquet Section	0.130 per seat 0.130 per seat x 5/12 0.130 per seat x 25%	A - B CITY CITY
b) Quick Service Franchise Type (without dishes, dealing mainly in hamburgers, with or without eating in building. Includes, but not necessarily limited to McDonald's, Burger Chef, Burger King, Red Barn, and Hardees.)	5.600 per restaurant	D
c) All Other Restaurants (Includes, but not limited to, drive- ins, snack bars, carryouts, such as fried chicken, pizzas; could have some eating in building, all without dishes.	1.800 per restaurant	D

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Sewer Unit Factor Chart

(See Notes Following Table)

Rooming Houses (No Meals)	0.130 per person	A - C
Schools: a) Elementary b) Junior or Middle School c) High School d) Bus Maintenance Facility	0.012 per student 0.020 per student 0.038 per student 0.165 per 1000 sq. ft.	D D D D
Service Station	0.240 per pump	C - D
Store (other than specifically listed)	0.340 per 1000 sq. ft.	CITY
Summer Camps	0.140 per housing unit	D
Swimming Pool (residential excluded)	3.000 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Theaters (drive-in)	0.012 per car space	D
Theaters (indoor)	0.008 per seat	D
Warehouses	0.100 per 1000 sq. ft.	D

Notes Pursuant to Resolutions Dated April 10, 1991 and June 7, 1999:

- In the computing of unit factors to be charged to industrial and commercial users, each separately operated business entity in a common building shall have a unit factor as set forth above (unless modified by agreement) but in no instance less than 1.00 tap unit for each separately operated business entity.
- 2) When the usage requested is not specifically identified under the "Usage Type" column, an estimated temporary tap unit assignment will be initially assigned by the City, and the USER will enter into a monitoring agreement (Exhibit A) to determine the actual tap unit assignment.

INFORMATION SOURCE:

- A Cincinnati Report
- B Gordon McDougall Report to Wayne County
- C Manual of Septic Tank Practice Publication No. 526, U.S. Department of Health
- D Oakland County Department of Public Works Studies



CITY OF NOVI ENGINEERING DIVISION SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL PLAN CHECKLIST

PROJECT:	SESC Application #:	SE	-
Contact Name:	DATE COMPLETED:		
Phone Number:	DATE OF PLAN:		
Fax Number:	STATUS:		

<u>General Requirements</u> – Following the initial Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control permit application to the Community Development Department, all SESC plan revisions shall be submitted directly to the Engineering Department for further review and/or permit approval. One (1) copy of revised soil erosion plans, including response letter addressing the comments below, shall be submitted for each subsequent review until the plan has been given approval by the Engineering Department, at which point five (5) copies will be required for permit approval. Plans shall be signed and sealed, and the bond must be submitted to the Treasurer's Office prior to permit issuance.

ITEM	ITEM	Provided	COMMENTS
NO.		on Plans	
1.	Plan shall be at scale of not more than $1" = 200'$,		
	include legal description, location, proximity to		
	lakes, streams or wetlands, slopes, etc.		
2.	Plan shall include a soil survey or a written		
	description of soil types of the exposed land area.		
3.	Plan shall show the limits of earth disruption.		
4.	Plan shall show tree protection fencing and		
	location of trees to be protected.		
5.	Plan shall show all existing and proposed on-site		
	drainage and dewatering facilities (i.e. structure		
	details, rim elev., etc.)		
6.	Detailed sequence of construction shall be		
	provided on plans structured similar to the		
	following, supplemented with site specific items:		
	1) Install tracking mat, 2) Install temp. SESC measures, 3) Construct storm water basins and install		
	treatment structures, if applicable, 4) Install storm		
	sewer, with inlet protection to follow immediately, 5)		
	Remove all temp. SESC measures once site is		
	stabilized.		
7.	Plan must address maintenance of soil erosion		
	and sedimentation control measures (temporary		
	and permanent)		
8.	Provide a note stating if dewatering is anticipated		
	or encountered during construction a dewatering		
	plan must be submitted to the Engineering		
	Division for review.		
9.	A grading plan shall be provided, or grade		
	information shown on plan.		

10.	Note that it is the developer's responsibility to				
	grade and stabilize disturbances due to the				
	installation of public utilities.				
11.	The CSWO shall be listed on permit application.				
12.	Plan sealed by registered civil engineer with original signature.				
13.	An itemized cost estimate (Silt Fence, Inlet Filters, Topsoil/Seed/Mulch, Const. Access, etc.) shall be provided.	The \$ The \$		guarantee on fees	
14.	Potential stockpile areas shall be shown on the plan, with note stating a ring of silt fence will be installed surrounding any stockpiled material.				
15.	Sediment basin: Provide filter on standpipe outlet structure until site is stabilized, then removed. Noted on plan and standpipe detail(s).				
16.	Provide a note on the plan stating the storm water basin will be stabilized prior to directing flow to the basin.				
17.	Pretreatment Structures: Noted to inspect weekly for sediment accumulation until site is stabilized, and will clean as required.				
18.	Attach the Oakland County standard detail sheet.				
19.	Construction mud tracking entrance: 75'x20', 6" of 1" to 3" stone, on geotextile fabric.				
20.	Silt fence: 6" anchor trench, stakes 6' on center. Prominent line type on plan, with legend.				
21.	Provide Silt Sack with overflow capability as the inlet protection, and provide detail on plans.				
22.	Catch basin inlet filters shall be provided on existing roadways along construction route for reasonable distance from site.				
23.	Street sweeping and dust control shall be noted on plan as responsibility of contractor.				
24.	Vegetation shall be established within 5 days of final grade, or whenever disturbed areas will remain unchanged for 30 days or greater. 3-4" of topsoil will be used where vegetation is required.		 		
25.	Vegetated buffer strips (25' wide wherever possible) shall be created or retained along the edges of all water bodies, water courses or wetlands.				
26.	Diversion berms or terracing shall be implemented where necessary.				
27.	All drainage ditches shall be stabilized with erosion control blanket and shall utilize check				

	dams as necessary. Drainage ditches steeper than 3% shall be sodded.	
28.	Slopes steeper than 1V:6H (16%) shall be stabilized with erosion control blanket. Add this note as a general note, and also in a prominent location near any berm, etc. where a significant slope is proposed.	
29.	All culvert end sections must contain grouted rip- rap in accordance with ordinance specifications.	
ADDI	TIONAL COMMENTS:	
p	Please note that installation of silt fencing or tree prot pre-construction meeting. When natural features exis prior to installation of the fencing.	a 1

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Reviewed By:

LEGAL REVIEW TRANSMITTAL FORM Engineering Documents (Include the Transmittal with every submittal)				CITY USE ONLY Date Received:		
cityofnovi.org PROJECT INFORMA	TION: (To be filled by Staff)				Legal Permit No:	
Site Plan No:	JSP18-0030				PL18-0039	
Project Name:	Stoneridge West II				Engineer:	
Site Address:					DNR	
PRIMARY CONTACT	INFORMATION : (To be filled by Applicant)	1				
Contact Name:			Phone:			
Company:			E-mail:			
Contact Address:						
TYPE OF DOCUMEN	TS SUBMITTING: (To be filled by Staff)					
✓ Initial Draft						
Revised Draf						
	and Notarized (Sign in black ink only or C e on the easement form should be signed b			the pror	perty	
	are also accepted via e-mail for Initial a					
2. Hard Copies a	re required for Final signed and Notarize	ed sub	omittal			
	uld be letter or legal sized (24" x 36" will	not b	e accept	ed unle	ss requested)	
	REQUIRED: (To be filled by Staff)					
	below should be submitted together. In					
10: Off-site Tit	5				ty Deed (add'l on ex. rd.)	
	mporary Construction Agreement				ty Deed (new road)	
12: Off-Site St	orm Sewer and Drainage Easement		25: Roads	Bill Of Sa	ale	
✓ 13: Off-Site Sa	initary Sewer Easement	2	26: Roads	Sworn S	tatement	
14: Off-Site W	ater Main Easement	(Signed by	/ DEVELO	OPER Only)	
15: Title Policy	,	2	27: Roads	Waivers	OfLien	
16: Storm Dra	in Facility Maintenance Easement	(Signed by	(ROADS	SCONTRACTOR Only)	
17: Sanitary S	ewer Easement	2	28: Ingress	-Egress I	Easement	
18: Sanitary Se	ewer Manhole Access Easement	~ 2	29: Cross-A	Access E	asement	
19: Water Ma	19: Water Main Easement 30: Emergency Access Easement					
20: Utilities Bill of Sale (SanSew/WM) 31: Sidewalk or Pathway Easement				thway Easement		
21: Utilities Sw	21: Utilities Sworn Statement (SanSew/WM) 32: Boardwalk Bill of Sale			of Sale		
(Signed by DEVELOPER Only) 33: Other						
22: Utility Waivers Of Lien						
(Signed by UTILITY CONTRACTOR Only)						
MAINTENANCE/F	MAINTENANCE/FINANCIAL GUARANTEES					
Submit directly to Bond Coordinator under SEPARATE COVER. For any questions, call Angela Pawlowski, @ 248-347-0441						

Additional Documents may be required during the review process

LANDSCAPING REVIEW



PLAN REVIEW CENTER REPORT

August 21, 2018 <u>Preliminary Site Plan - Landscaping</u> Stoneridge West II

<u>Review Type</u> Preliminary Landscape Review Job # JSP18-0030

Property Characteristics

- Site Location:
- Site Acreage:
- Site Zoning:
- Adjacent Zoning:
- Aujacent zoning.
- North: R-1, East & West: OS-1, South: 12 Mile Road 7/30/2018

44244 Twelve Mile Road

4.5 acres

OS-1

Plan Date:

Ordinance Considerations

This project was reviewed for conformance with Chapter 37: Woodland Protection, Zoning Article 5.5 Landscape Standards, the Landscape Design Manual and any other applicable provisions of the Zoning Ordinance. Items in **bold** below must be addressed and incorporated as part of the revised Preliminary/Final Site Plan submittal. Please follow guidelines of the Zoning Ordinance and Landscape Design Guidelines. This review and the accompanying Landscape Chart are summaries and are not intended to substitute for any Ordinance.

Recommendation

This project is **recommended for approval.** There are two landscape waivers required but both are supported by staff. Changes recommended below can be addressed on Final Site Plans.

Landscape Waivers

- 1. Deficiency in total foundation landscape area provided. This waiver is supported by staff because the site will be heavily and attractively landscaped and only the limited paved areas of the buildings are not landscaped as required. There is a large landscaped open space between Buildings A and B that includes the detention pond and other landscaped area.
- 2. Use of a gray dogwood screen along the western half of the parking lot in place of the required 4.5-6' berm. This waiver is supported by staff because more of the wetland would have to be filled if the required berm was built along the entire northern frontage.

Ordinance Considerations

Existing Soils (Preliminary Site Plan checklist #10, #17) Provided.

Existing and proposed overhead and underground utilities, including hydrants (LDM 2.e.(4))

- 1. Provided.
- 2. The street trees proposed may need to be converted to subcanopy trees at a rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree if they are within 15 feet of the overhead lines.

Existing Trees (Sec 37 Woodland Protection, Preliminary Site Plan checklist #17 and LDM 2.3 (2))

1. No woodland trees appear to exist on the site. Existing landscape trees are located and identified.

2. Please show the required tree and silt fencing consistently between the demolition, grading and landscape plans.

Adjacent to Residential - Buffer (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.B.ii and iii)

- 1. Property is adjacent to Residential on the north side.
- 2. The required 4.5-6 foot tall buffer is provided on for the east half of the site.
- 3. A dense screen of gray dogwoods is proposed as screening for the west half of the site in lieu of the required berm. A landscape waiver is required for this deviation from the ordinance.
- 4. A request for this waiver would be supported by staff because less of the wetland would be disturbed using the dogwoods instead of building the full berm.

<u>Adjacent to Public Rights-of-Way – Berm (Wall) & Buffer (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.B.ii and iii)</u> The required berm and landscaping are provided along the Twelve Mile Road frontage.

Street Tree Requirements (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.E.i.c and LDM 1.d.)

- 1. The required trees are provided.
- 2. As noted above, subcanopy trees may be required in place of the canopy trees, depending on the position of the trees relative to the overhead lines.
- 3. If the trees are within 15 feet of the lines, please make this conversion.
- 4. The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC) will need to make the ultimate determination on whether the trees can be planted. If they deny some or all of the trees, please provide us with a copy of the denial.

Parking Lot Landscaping (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.C.)

- 1. Based on the vehicular use areas, 3,922 sf of islands and 20 trees are required. 5,651 sf of islands and 20 trees are provided.
- 2. The island with the hydrant at the southeast corner of Building A should be enlarged and a canopy tree should be planted in it at least 10 feet from the hydrant to meet the requirement for endcap landscape islands for each parking bay.

Parking Lot Perimeter Canopy Trees (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.C.(3) Chart footnote)

- 1. Based on the 1,219 linear feet of parking lot periphery, 36 canopy trees are required.
- 2. 32 trees, including 9 evergreen trees along the east edge, and 9 shared greenbelt trees are provided to meet this requirement.

Loading Zone screening (Zoning Sec. 3.14, 3.15, 4.55, 4.56, 5.5)

The loading zone will be screened from the north by a dense planting of gray dogwoods.

Building Foundation Landscape (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.D.)

- 1. Based on the net building foundations' peripheries, 9,840sf of foundation landscape area is required, but only 8,933sf (91% of the requirement) is provided. This shortage requires a landscape waiver.
- 2. As the deficiency is not significant, and the large detention/landscape area provides area far in excess of the deficiency, exclusive of the pond, this waiver request is supported by staff.
- 3. Greater than 60% of the frontages of the buildings facing Twelve Mile Road are landscaped.

Plant List (LDM 2.h. and t.)

Please add the standard costs for seed, sod and mulch to the cost summary.

Planting Notations and Details (LDM)

Please see the landscape chart for a detailed discussion of details and notes.

Storm Basin Landscape (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.E.iv and LDM 1.d.(3)

- 1. Sufficient cover of the periphery is provided with 3 species of shrubs native to Michigan.
- 2. Please survey the site for Phragmites australis. If any is found, please note it on the existing conditions sheet, and propose a plan for complete removal of it from the site.

Irrigation (LDM 1.a.(1)(e) and 2.s)

The proposed landscaping must be provided with sufficient water to become established and survive over the long term. Please note how this will be accomplished if an irrigation plan is not provided.

Proposed topography. 2' contour minimum (LDM 2.e.(1))

1. Provided.

2. Please copy the berms shown on the landscape plan to the Grading plans.

Snow Deposit (LDM.2.q.)

Provided.

Proposed trees to be saved (Sec 37 Woodland Protection 37-9, LDM 2.e.(1))

- 1. It appears that no woodlands exist on the site so no replacements are required
- 2. Please see the ECT woodland and wetland review for a discussion of any woodland replacements that may be required.

Corner Clearance (Zoning Sec 5.9)

Provided.

If the applicant has any questions concerning the above review or the process in general, do not hesitate to contact me at 248.735.5621 or <u>rmeader@cityofnovi.org</u>.

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Rick Meader - Landscape Architect

LANDSCAPE REVIEW SUMMARY CHART - Preliminary Site Plan

Review Date:	August 21, 2018
Project Name:	JSP18– 0030: Stoneridge West II
Plan Date:	July 30, 2018
Prepared by:	Rick Meader, Landscape Architect E-mail: <u>rmeader@cityofnovi.org;</u> Phone: (248) 735-5621

Items in **Bold** need to be addressed by the applicant before approval of the Preliminary Site Plan. <u>Underlined</u> items need to be addressed for Final Site Plan.

Landscape Waivers:

- 1. Deficiency in total foundation landscape area provided. This waiver is supported because the site will be heavily and attractively landscaped and only the limited paved areas of the buildings are not landscaped as required. There is a large landscaped open space between Buildings A and B that includes the detention pond and other landscaped area.
- 2. Use of a gray dogwood screen along the western half of the parking lot in place of the required 4.5-6' berm. This waiver is supported by staff because more of the wetland would have to be filled if the required berm was built along the entire northern frontage.

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
Landscape Plan Requir	ements (LDM (2)			
Landscape Plan (Zoning Sec 5.5.2, LDM 2.e.)	 New commercial or residential developments Addition to existing building greater than 25% increase in overall footage or 400 SF whichever is less. 1" = 20' minimum with proper North. Variations from this scale can be approved by LA Consistent with plans throughout set 	Scale 1″=30′	Yes	
Project Information (LDM 2.d.)	Name and Address	Yes	Yes	
Owner/Developer Contact Information (LDM 2.a.)	Name, address and telephone number of the owner and developer or association	Yes	Yes	
Landscape Architect contact information (LDM 2.b.)	Name, Address and telephone number of RLA	Yes	Yes	
Sealed by LA. (LDM 2.g.)	Requires original signature	Yes	Yes	Need for Final Site Plans
Miss Dig Note (800) 482-7171 (LDM.3.a.(8))	Show on all plan sheets	Yes	Yes	

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
Zoning (LDM 2.f.)	Include all adjacent zoning	<u>Parcel:</u> OS-1 <u>North:</u> R-1 <u>East, West:</u> OS-1 <u>South:</u> 12 Mile Rd	Yes	
Survey information (LDM 2.c.)	 Legal description or boundary line survey Existing topography 	Sheet C1	Yes	
Existing plant material Existing woodlands or wetlands (LDM 2.e.(2))	 Show location type and size. Label to be saved or removed. Plan shall state if none exists. 	Sheets C1, C2, L1	Yes	 The trees to be removed may not be regulated trees. If this is the case, they would not need to be replaced. See the ECT review for detailed reviews of wetlands and woodlands. Please show silt and tree protection fencing on C2. Make sure the fence lines on C2 and L1 match.
Soil types (LDM.2.r.)	 As determined by Soils survey of Oakland county Show types, boundaries 	Sheets C7, L2	Yes	
Existing and proposed improvements (LDM 2.e.(4))	Existing and proposed buildings, easements, parking spaces, vehicular use areas, and R.O.W	Yes	Yes	
Existing and proposed utilities (LDM 2.e.(4))	Overhead and underground utilities, including hydrants	Yes	Yes	 The overhead line along 12 Mile Road may require the use of subcanopy trees at the rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree required if the larger trees will impact/be impacted by the lines. Please check the spacing and make the change if required.
Proposed grading. 2' contour minimum (LDM 2.e.(1))	Provide proposed contours at 2' interval	 Spot elevations provided on Sheet C4. ROW berm 	Yes	1. Please make sure greenbelt berm contours on C4 match those on

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
		elevations shown on landscape plan.		Landscape plan, which show required undulations. 2. The berm contours adjacent to the parking lot at the north end of the site should also appear on C4 as they are shown on L1 and L2.
Snow deposit (LDM.2.q.)	Show snow deposit areas on plan	Yes	Yes	
LANDSCAPING REQUIRE	EMENTS			
Parking Area Landscap	e Requirements LDM 1.c. &	Calculations (LDM 2.0	.)	
General requirements (LDM 1.c)	 Clear sight distance within parking islands No evergreen trees 	Yes	Yes	
Name, type and number of ground cover (LDM 1.c.(5))	As proposed on planting islands	Sod is indicated on islands.	Yes	
General (Zoning Sec 5.	5.3.C.ii)			
Parking lot Islands (a, b. i)	 A minimum of 200 SF to qualify A minimum of 200sf unpaved area per tree planted in an island 6" curbs Islands minimum width 10' BOC to BOC 	Yes	Yes	
Curbs and Parking stall reduction (C)	Parking stall can be reduced to 17' and the curb to 4" adjacent to a sidewalk of minimum 7 ft.	Dimensions shown on C3	Yes	
Contiguous space limit (i)	Maximum of 15 contiguous spaces	15 is maximum bay length	Yes	 Endcap islands and islands used to break up bays must be landscaped with a deciduous canopy tree. Please enlarge the island at the southeast corner of Building A, at the south end of the parking bay, and add a canopy tree at least 10 feet from the hydrant.

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Plantings around Fire Hydrant (d)	No plantings with matured height greater than 12' within 10 ft. of fire hydrants	All trees are at least 10 feet from structures and 5 feet from underground lines.	Yes		
Landscaped area (g)	Areas not dedicated to parking use or driveways exceeding 100 sq. ft. shall be landscaped	Yes	Yes		
U U	 25 ft corner clearance required. Refer to Zoning Section 5.5.9 Show Road Commission for Oakland County clear vision zones for roads under RCOC jurisdiction. DS-2, OSC, OST, B-1, B-2, B-3 district (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.C. 		No C-1, RC, Sp	 Please indicate clear vision zone per RCOC regulations for 12 Mile Road entry. Remove any shrubs taller than 30" or trees from the zone. If RCOC does not allow some or all of the Road street trees, the disallowed trees do not need to be planted, but documentation of that ruling must be provided. ecial Land Use or non- 	
A = Total square footage of vehicular use areas up to 50,000sf x 7.5%	 A = x sf * 7.5 % = A sf 50,000 * 7.5% = 3750 sf 				
B = Total square footage of additional paved vehicular use areas (not including A or B) over 50,000 SF) x 1 %	 B = x sf * 1% = B sf (67,152 - 50000) * 1% = 172 sf 				
Category 2: For: I-1 and I-2 (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.C.iii)					
A. = Total square footage of vehicular use area up to 50,000 sf x 5%	A = x sf * 5% = A sf	NA			
B = Total square footage of additional paved vehicular use areas over 50,000 SF x 0.5%	B = 0.5% x 0 sf = B SF	NA			
All Categories					
C = A+B Total square footage	3750 + 172 = 3922 SF	5651 sf	Yes		

ltem	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
of landscaped islands				
D = C/200 Number of canopy trees required	• 3922/200 = 20 Trees	20 trees	Yes	
Perimeter Green space	 1 Canopy tree per 35 lf 1219/35 = 36 trees 	32 trees + 9 double- counted greenbelt trees	Yes	
Access way perimeter	 1 canopy tree per 35 lf on each side of road, less widths of access drives. 53/35 = 2 trees on each side 	Calculations include accessway	Yes	
Parking land banked	• NA	None		
Berms, Walls and ROW	Planting Requirements			
Berms				
 Berm should be locat Berms should be constant 	a maximum slope of 33%. G ed on lot line except in cor structed with 6" of top soil.	nflict with utilities.	ouraged. St	now 1ft. contours
Residential Adjacent to	Non-residential (Sec 5.5.3.	A) & (LDM 1.a)	1	T · · · · ·
Berm requirements (Zoning Sec 5.5.A)	Landscaped berm 4.5-6 feet high required between site and residential property to north	 4.5-6' berm provided on east half of parking lot. Dense planting of gray dogwood planted along west half of parking lot for screening. 	Yes/No	 A landscape waiver is required to not provide the required berm along the entire northern parking lot frontage The waiver request for the use of the dogwoods instead of a berm on the western half of the frontage would be supported by staff because building the entire required berm would impact more of the wetland.
Planting requirements (LDM 1.a.)	LDM Novi Street Tree List	NA		
Adjacent to Public Righ	ts-of-Way (Sec 5.5.B) and (LDM 1.b)		
Berm requirements (Zoning Sec	An undulating berm a minimum of 3 feet high with a 3 foot wide crest	Berm 2.5 ft (max) tall with 1 ft wide	No	Please match the contours shown on the landscape plan, which shows the required
5.5.3.A.(5))	is required along 12 Mile Road	crest		undulations, on the Grading Plan.

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Slope, height and width	 Label contour lines Maximum 33% Min. 3 feet flat horizontal area Minimum 3 feet high Constructed of loam with 6' top layer of topsoil. 	Yes		Please add callouts to detail showing that it is constructed of loam with a 6" top layer of topsoil.
Type of Ground Cover		NA		
Setbacks from Utilities	Overhead utility lines and 15 ft. setback from edge of utility or 20 ft. setback from closest pole	NA		
Walls (LDM 2.k & Zoning	y Sec 5.5.3.vi)			
Material, height and type of construction footing	Freestanding walls should have brick or stone exterior with masonry or concrete interior	No walls are proposed		
Walls greater than 3 ½ ft. should be designed and sealed by an Engineer		NA		
ROW Landscape Scree	ning Requirements (Sec 5.5.	3.B. ii)		
Greenbelt width (2)(3) (5)	Adj. to Parking: 20 ft.	20 ft	Yes	
Min. berm crest width	3 ft	1-3 ft max width		20 foot wide greenbelt does not allow undulations and full 3 foot crest.
Minimum berm height (9)	3 ft	4 ft max height	Yes	
3' wall	(4)(7)	None		
Canopy deciduous or large evergreen trees Notes (1) (10)	 Adj to Parking: 1 tree per 35 lf (332-31)/35 = 9 trees 	9 trees	Yes	
Sub-canopy deciduous trees Notes (2)(10)	 Parking: 1 tree per 20 lf (332-31)/20 = 15 trees 	15 trees	Yes	
Canopy deciduous trees in area between sidewalk and curb (Novi Street Tree List)	 Parking & No Parking: 1 tree per 35 lf (332 - 92 ft)/35 = 7 trees 	7 trees	Yes	 Please make sure with RCOC that trees can be planted. If they can't, provide us a copy of their denial. If the overhead wires are within 15 feet of

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
				the trees, please use subcanopy trees at a rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree required.
	Sec 5.5.3.E.iii & LDM 1.d (2) N, building foundation land		dscaping a	nd LDM
Interior Street to Industrial subdivision (LDM 1.d.(2))	 1 canopy deciduous or 1 large evergreen per 35 l.f. along ROW No evergreen trees closer than 20 ft. 3 sub canopy trees per 40 l.f. of total linear frontage Plant massing for 25% of ROW 	NA		
Screening of outdoor storage, loading/unloading (Zoning Sec. 3.14, 3.15, 4.55, 4.56, 5.5)		A dense line of gray dogwoods is proposed to screen the loading area from the north.	Yes	
Transformers/Utility boxes (LDM 1.e from 1 through 5)	 A minimum of 2ft. separation between box and the plants Ground cover below 4" is allowed up to pad. No plant materials within 8 ft. from the doors 	Transformers at each building are fully screened.	Yes	If any transformer locations are added, screening shrubs per standard detail are required.
Building Foundation La	ndscape Requirements (Sec	c 5.5.3.D)		
Interior site landscaping SF	 Equals to entire perimeter of the building x 8 with a minimum width of 4 ft. A: (428-18)lf x 8ft = 3280 sf B: (428-18)lf x 8ft = 3280 sf C: (428-18)lf x 8ft = 3280 sf Total area: 9,840 sf 	Total area provided: 8,933 sf (91% of requirement)	No	 A landscape waiver is required for the deficiency in foundation landscaping. The waiver request is supported by staff because the buildings are all heavily landscaped and the open space between Buildings A and B is attractively landscaped and provides more than the additional required landscaping.

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Zoning Sec 5.5.3.D.ii. All items from (b) to (e) If visible from public street a minimum of 60 of the exterior building perimeter should be covered in green space		77% of Building A's frontage and 82% of Building C's frontage facing 12 Mile Road will be landscaped.	Yes					
Detention/Retention Ba	Detention/Retention Basin Requirements (Sec. 5.5.3.E.iv)							
Planting requirements (Sec. 5.5.3.E.iv)	 Clusters of large native shrubs (at least 3 species) shall cover 70- 75% of the basin rim area 10" to 14" tall grass along sides of basin Refer to wetland for basin mix 	 It appears that at least 70% of the basin rims will be landscaped with large shrubs. 3 native species are used. Seed mix instructions are provided. 	Yes					
Phragmites Control (Sec 5.5.6.C)	 Any and all populations of Phragmites australis on site shall be included on tree survey. Treat populations per MDEQ guidelines and requirements to eradicate the weed from the site. 	None indicated	TBD	 Please survey the site for any populations of <i>Phragmites</i> <i>australis</i> and submit plans for its removal. If none is found, please indicate that on the survey. 				
LANDSCAPING NOTES,	DETAILS AND GENERAL REQU	JIREMENTS						
	ze City of Novi Standard No	otes	1	1				
Installation date (LDM 2.1. & Zoning Sec 5.5.5.B)	Provide intended date	Between Mar 15 and Nov 15.	No	Please add note				
Maintenance & Statement of intent (LDM 2.m & Zoning Sec 5.5.6)	 Include statement of intent to install and guarantee all materials for 2 years. Include a minimum one cultivation in June, July and August for the 2-year warranty period. 	Yes	Yes	Please have all of the City of Novi Notes printed darker.				
Plant source (LDM 2.n & LDM 3.a.(2))	(LDM 2.n & LDM snall be northern nursery grown. No 1 grade		Yes					
3.a.(2))aIrrigation plan (LDM 2.s.)A fully automatic irrigation system or a method of providing sufficient water for plant establishment and survival is required on		A note indicates that an automatic irrigation system will be provided.		1. <u>Please add irrigation</u> <u>plan or information</u> <u>as to how plants will</u> <u>be watered</u> <u>sufficiently for</u> <u>establishment and</u>				

ltem	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	Final Site Plans.			long- term survival on Final Site Plans.2. If xeriscaping is used, please provide information about
Other information (LDM 2.u)	Required by Planning Commission	NA		
Establishment period (Zoning Sec 5.5.6.B)	2 yr. Guarantee	Yes	Yes	Please change General Landscape Note #6 to show a 2-year period, and note that failing material should be replaced within 3 months of discovery.
Approval of substitutions. (Zoning Sec 5.5.5.E)	City must approve any substitutions in writing prior to installation.	Yes	Yes	
Plant List (LDM 2.h.) - Ir	nclude all cost estimates			
Quantities and sizes		Yes	Yes	
Root type	Refer to LDM suggested plant list	Yes	Yes	
Botanical and common names		Yes	Yes	14 of 24 species are native to Michigan (58%).
Type and amount of lawn		No	No	Please add areas in SY of sod and seed in cost table.
Cost estimate (LDM 2.t)	For all new plantings, mulch and sod as listed on the plan	No	No	Please add areas and costs of sod and seed in cost table.
Planting Details/Info (L	DM 2.i) – Utilize City of Novi	Standard Details		
Canopy Deciduous Tree		Yes	Yes	 None of the planting details printed correctly. Please check future plans to be sure they are visible.
Evergreen Tree	Refer to LDM for detail	Yes	Yes	See above
Multistem Tree	drawings	Yes	Yes	See above
Shrub		Yes	Yes	See above
Perennial/ Ground Cover		Yes	Yes	See above
Tree stakes and guys. (Wood stakes, fabric guys)		Yes	Yes	See above
Tree protection fencing	Located at Critical Root Zone (1' outside of	Yes	Yes	

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	dripline)			
Other Plant Material Re	quirements (LDM 3)	L		
General Conditions (LDM 3.a)	Plant materials shall not be planted within 4 ft. of property line	within 4 ft. of Yes Yes		
Plant Materials & Existing Plant Material (LDM 3.b)	Clearly show trees to be removed and trees to be saved.	Yes	Yes	
Landscape tree credit (LDM3.b.(d))	Substitutions to landscape standards for preserved canopy trees outside woodlands/ wetlands should be approved by LA. Refer to Landscape tree Credit Chart in LDM	No		
Plant Sizes for ROW, Woodland replacement and others (LDM 3.c)	2.5" canopy trees6' evergreen trees	Yes	Yes	
Plant size credit (LDM3.c.(2))	NA	No		
Prohibited Plants (LDM 3.d)	No plants on City Invasive Species List	None	Yes	
Recommended trees for planting under overhead utilities (LDM 3.e)	Label the distance from the overhead utilities		TBD	As noted above, if the street trees are too close to the overhead lines, subcanopy trees should be used at a rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree.
Collected or Transplanted trees (LDM 3.f)		No		
Nonliving Durable Material: Mulch (LDM 4)	 Trees shall be mulched to 3" depth and shrubs, groundcovers to 2" depth Specify natural color, finely shredded hardwood bark mulch. Include in cost estimate. Refer to section for additional information 	Yes	Yes	Please change the pea in General Landscape Note #11 to compost.

NOTES:

1. This table is a working summary chart and not intended to substitute for any Ordinance or City of Novi

It	em	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
2	 requirements or standards. 2. The section of the applicable ordinance or standard is indicated in parenthesis. For the landscape requirements, please see the Zoning Ordinance landscape section 5.5 and the Landscape Design 				
3	Manual for the appropriate items under the applicable zoning classification.Please include a written response to any points requiring clarification or for any corresponding site plan modifications to the City of Novi Planning Department with future submittals.				corresponding site plan

WETLAND REVIEW



ECT Project No. 180513-0100

August 23, 2018

Ms. Barbara McBeth, AICP City Planner Community Development Department City of Novi 45175 W. Ten Mile Road Novi, Michigan 48375

Re: Stoneridge West II (JSP18-0030) Wetland Review of the Preliminary Site Plan (PSP18-0117)

Dear Ms. McBeth:

Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc. (ECT) has reviewed the Preliminary Site Plan for the proposed Stoneridge West II project prepared by Nowak & Fraus Engineers dated July 30, 2018 and stamped "Received" by the City of Novi Community Development Department on August 2, 2018 (Plan). The Plan was reviewed for conformance with the City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance and the natural features setback provisions in the Zoning Ordinance.

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Wetlands. The Applicant shall address the items noted in the *Wetland Comments* Section of this letter prior to receiving Wetland approval of the Final Site Plan.

Item	Required/Not Required/Not Applicable
Wetland Permit (specify Non-Minor or Minor)	Required (Minor)
Wetland Mitigation	Not Required
Wetland Buffer Authorization	Required
MDEQ Permit	Not Required
Wetland Conservation Easement	Not Required

The proposed project is located north of Twelve Mile Road and east of Dixon Road in Section 10 (Parcel ID 50-22-10-400-067). The Plan includes the construction of two (2) proposed 1-story medical office buildings (+/- 10,000 square feet), a 2-story medical office building (+/- 20,000 square feet), associated parking, utilities and stormwater detention basin.

Based on our review of the Plan, Novi GIS, the City of Novi Official Wetlands and Woodlands Maps and Novi aerial photos, the subject site appears to contain areas of existing wetland as well as existing trees, however the City's Wetland and Woodland Map does not appear to indicate the presence of City-Regulated Wetlands or Woodlands on the subject property (see Figure 1).

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Wetland Evaluation

Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc. (ECT) conducted a wetland evaluation for the proposed project site on August 22, 2018. ECT's in-office review of available materials included the City of Novi Regulated Wetland and Watercourse map (see Figure 1), USGS topographic quadrangle map, NRCS soils map, and USFWS National Wetland Inventory map. The Plan indicates one (1) wetland area located in the northwest portion of the site (Wetland A; flags A1 to A11), however this wetland area is not indicated on the City's Regulated Wetlands Map.

The focus of the site inspection was to review site conditions in order to determine whether City-regulated wetlands are found on-site. Wetland boundary flagging was not apparent in the field at the time of this site inspection. Based on the existing vegetation and topography however, it is ECT's assessment that the on-site wetlands have been accurately portrayed on the Plan.

The following is a brief description of the on-site wetland features:

Wetland A (Wetland Flags A1 to A11) – Emergent wetland located in the northwest portion of the site. The on-site area of Wetland A is listed as 21,771 square feet (0.50-acre). The dominant wetland vegetation includes reed canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*) and dogbane (*Apocynum cannabinum*). This wetland continues off-site to the north and west.

Wetland Impact Review

Currently, the Plan indicates one (1) direct impact to Wetland A for the purpose of constructing the proposed parking area (see *Wetland Plan*, Sheet C6). The total amount of direct (i.e., fill or excavation) impact to on-site wetlands currently indicated is 5,882 square feet (0.14-acre).

The following table summarizes the proposed wetland impacts as listed on the Wetland Plan (Sheet C6):

Wetland	Area (Acres)	City Regulated?	MDEQ Regulated?	Impact Area (Sq. Ft.)	Impact Area (acre)	Estimated Impact Volume (cubic yards)
А	0.50	Yes City Regulated /Essential	No	5,882	0.14-acre	Not Indicated
TOTAL	0.50			5,882	0.14-acre	Not Indicated

Table 1. Proposed Wetland Impacts

In addition to the proposed wetland impacts, the Plan proposes disturbance to on-site 25-foot wetland buffer area. The following table summarizes the proposed impacts to the 25-foot wetland buffer:



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Wetland	Buffer Area (Acres)	City Regulated?	Impact Area (Sq. Ft.)	Impact Area (acre)
А	0.19	Yes City Regulated /Essential	5,896	0.14-acre
TOTAL	0.19		5,896	0.14-acre

Table 2. Proposed Wetland Buffer Impacts

The Plans currently indicate and quantify the areas of existing wetland and 25-foot wetland buffer. The areas of proposed wetland and wetland buffer impacts are also indicated on the Plan. The applicant shall provide information on subsequent plans that clearly indicates the volume of proposed wetland fill/excavation (cubic yards). This information is required before any necessary City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Permits or Authorization to Encroach Upon the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback letters can be issued.

<u>Regulatory Status - MDEQ</u>

ECT has evaluated the on-site wetlands and believes that they are considered to be essential/regulated by the City of Novi as they meet one or more of the essentiality criteria (i.e., functions and values) outlined in the City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance. As noted, the wetlands appear to accurately flagged in the field and appear to indicated accurately on the *Wetland Plan* (Sheet C6).

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) generally regulates wetlands that are within 500 feet of an inland lake, pond, or stream, or within 1,000 feet of a Great Lake, Lake St. Clair, the St. Clair River, or the Detroit River. Isolated wetlands five (5) acres in size or greater are also regulated. The MDEQ may also exert regulatory control over isolated wetlands less than five acres in size "...if the department determines that protection of the area is essential to the preservation of the natural resources of the state from pollution, impairment, or destruction and the department has notified the owner".

ECT has been provided correspondence between the MDEQ and Nowak & Fraus Engineers (e-mail dated Monday, August 20, 2018) that states that the on-site wetland is not regulated by State law and that a wetland permit from the MDEQ is not required for this project.

<u>Regulatory Status – City of Novi</u>

The City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance (City of Novi Code of Ordinances, Part II, Chapter 12, Article V.; Division 2.) describes the regulatory criteria for wetlands and review standards for wetland permit applications. The City of Novi regulates wetlands that are: (1) contiguous to a lake, pond, river or stream, as defined in Administrative Rule 281.921; (2) two (2) acres in size or greater; or (3) less than two (2) acres in size but deemed essential to the preservation of the natural resources of the city under the criteria set forth in subsection 12-174(b). Wetlands deemed regulated by the City of Novi require the approval of a use permit for any proposed impacts to the wetland.

ECT has evaluated the areas of on-site wetland and believes the wetland is regulated by the City's Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance because it meets one or more of the essentiality criteria in the Ordinance (i.e., stormwater storage and wildlife habitat).



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It should be noted that in those cases where an activity results in the impact to wetland areas of 0.25-acre or greater that are deemed essential under City of Novi Ordinance subsection 12-174(b) mitigation shall be required. The applicant shall submit a mitigation plan which provides for the establishment of replacement wetlands at a ratio of 1:1 through 2:1 times the area of the natural wetland impaired or destroyed, if impacts meet or exceed the 0.25-acre threshold. In general, the MDEQ's threshold for the requirement of wetland mitigation is 0.3-acre of wetland impacts. Wetland mitigation does not appear to be a requirement of the current Plan as the total wetland impact is 0.14-acre.

As noted above, any proposed use of the wetlands will require a City of Novi *Wetland Use Permit* as well as an *Authorization to Encroach the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback* for any proposed impacts to the 25-foot wetland buffers. The applicant is urged to minimize impacts to on-site wetlands and wetland setbacks to the greatest extent practicable. The City regulates wetland buffers/setbacks. Article 24, Schedule of Regulations, of the Zoning Ordinance states that:

"There shall be maintained in all districts a wetland and watercourse setback, as provided herein, unless and to the extent, it is determined to be in the public interest not to maintain such a setback. The intent of this provision is to require a minimum setback from wetlands and watercourses".

Finally, as proposed, the project will require a City of Novi Minor Use wetland permit. The granting or denying of nonresidential minor use permits shall be the responsibility of the Community Development Department. A nonresidential minor use permit is a permit for activities consisting of no more than one (1) of the following activities which have a minimal environmental effect:

- a. Minor fills of three hundred (300) cubic yards or less and not exceeding ten thousand (10,000) square feet in a wetland area, providing the fill consists of clean, nonpolluting materials which will not cause siltation and do not contain soluble chemicals or organic matter which is biodegradable, and providing that any upland on the property is utilized to the greatest degree possible. All fills shall be stabilized with sod, or seeded, fertilized and mulched, or planted with other native vegetation, or riprapped as necessary to prevent soil erosion.
- b. Installation of a single water outfall provided that the outlet is riprapped or otherwise stabilized to prevent soil erosion.
- c. Watercourse crossings by utilities, pipelines, cables and sewer lines which meet all of the following design criteria:
 - i. The method of construction proposed is the least disturbing to the environment employable at the given site;
 - ii. The diameter of pipe, cable or encasement does not exceed twenty (20) inches;
 - iii. A minimum of thirty (30) inches of cover will be maintained between the top of the cable or pipe and the bed of the stream or other watercourse on buried crossings; and
 - iv. Any necessary backfilling will be of washed gravel.
- d. Extension of a wetland/watercourse permit previously approved by the Planning Commission.
- e. Replacement of a culvert of an identical length and size, and at the same elevation. If the proposed culvert is of a greater length or size than the existing culvert, or is a new culvert



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altogether, it must meet the conditions of subpart c., above, to qualify for a nonresidential minor use permit.

f. Temporary impacts where the encroachment into protected areas is less than five hundred (500) feet.

Because the project contains one (1) area of wetland fill and does not propose a stormwater outfall to wetlands, a Minor-Use Wetland Permit will be required.

Wetland Comments

ECT recommends that the Applicant address the items noted below in subsequent site plan submittals:

- 1. It appears as though a City of Novi *Wetland Minor Use Permit* would be required for any proposed impacts to site wetlands (as the proposed impact to wetlands are less than 10,000 square feet). A City of Novi *Authorization to Encroach the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback* would be required for any proposed impacts to on-site 25-foot wetland buffers. A wetland use permit from the MDEQ will not be required for this project.
- 2. ECT encourages the Applicant to minimize impacts to on-site wetlands and wetland setbacks to the greatest extent practicable. The Applicant should consider modification of the proposed site design to preserve wetland and wetland buffer areas. The City regulates wetland buffers/setbacks. Article 24, Schedule of Regulations, of the Zoning Ordinance states that:

"There shall be maintained in all districts a wetland and watercourse setback, as provided herein, unless and to the extent, it is determined to be in the public interest not to maintain such a setback. The intent of this provision is to require a minimum setback from wetlands and watercourses".

- 3. The Applicant should demonstrate that alternative site layouts that would reduce the overall impacts to wetlands and wetland setbacks have been reviewed and considered.
- 4. The Plans currently indicate and quantify the areas of existing wetland and 25-foot wetland buffer. The areas of proposed wetland and wetland buffer impacts are also indicated on the Plan. The applicant shall provide information on subsequent plans that clearly indicates the volume of proposed wetland fill/excavation (cubic yards). This information is required before any necessary City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Permits or Authorization to Encroach Upon the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback letters can be issued.
- 5. The City's threshold for the requirement of wetland mitigation is 0.25-acre of proposed wetland impact. This should be considered on subsequent site Plan submittals, if necessary. The current Plan appears to propose on-site wetland mitigation, however this will not likely be a requirement of the City of Novi Wetland Permit.
- 6. The applicant should ensure that any proposed snow storage areas are located such that any runoff will not directly affect on-site wetlands.



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Wetland Conclusion

The project site contains wetland and 25-foot wetland setback that are regulated by the City of Novi. One (1) wetland impact is currently proposed that will require a City of Novi *Wetland and Watercourse Minor Use Permit* and an *Authorization to Encroach the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback* for proposed impacts to the 25-foot wetland buffers. An MDEQ wetland permit will not be required for this project.

Recommendation

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Wetlands. The Applicant shall address the items noted in the *Wetland Comments* Section of this letter prior to receiving Wetland approval of the Final Site Plan.

If you have any questions regarding the contents of this letter, please contact us.

Respectfully submitted, ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTING & TECHNOLOGY, INC.

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cc: Lindsay Bell, City of Novi Planner Sri Komaragiri, City of Novi Planner Rick Meader, City of Novi Landscape Architect Hannah Smith, City of Novi Planning Assistant

Attachments: Figure 1 – City of Novi Regulated Wetland and Woodland Map Site Photos



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Figure 1. City of Novi Regulated Wetland & Woodland Map (approximate parcel boundary shown in red). Regulated Woodland areas are shown in green and Regulated Wetland areas are shown in blue. No regulated wetland or woodland areas are mapped on the subject property.



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Photo 1. Looking north at Wetland A in the northwestern portion of the site (ECT, August 22, 2018).



Photo 2. Typical vegetation within Wetland A (ECT, August 22, 2018).



WOODLAND REVIEW



ECT Project No. 180513-0200

August 23, 2018

Ms. Barbara McBeth, AICP City Planner Community Development Department City of Novi 45175 W. Ten Mile Road Novi, Michigan 48375

Re: Stoneridge West II (JSP18-0030) Woodland Review of the Preliminary Site Plan (PSP18-0117)

Dear Ms. McBeth:

Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc. (ECT) has reviewed the Preliminary Site Plan for the proposed Stoneridge West II project prepared by Nowak & Fraus Engineers dated July 30, 2018 and stamped "Received" by the City of Novi Community Development Department on August 2, 2018 (Plan). The Plan was reviewed for conformance with the City of Novi Woodland Protection Ordinance Chapter 37.

The purpose of the Woodlands Protection Ordinance is to:

- 1) Provide for the protection, preservation, replacement, proper maintenance and use of trees and woodlands located in the city in order to minimize disturbance to them and to prevent damage from erosion and siltation, a loss of wildlife and vegetation, and/or from the destruction of the natural habitat. In this regard, it is the intent of this chapter to protect the integrity of woodland areas as a whole, in recognition that woodlands serve as part of an ecosystem, and to place priority on the preservation of woodlands, trees, similar woody vegetation, and related natural resources over development when there are no location alternatives;
- 2) Protect the woodlands, including trees and other forms of vegetation, of the city for their economic support of local property values when allowed to remain uncleared and/or unharvested and for their natural beauty, wilderness character of geological, ecological, or historical significance; and
- 3) Provide for the paramount public concern for these natural resources in the interest of health, safety and general welfare of the residents of the city.

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Woodlands and <u>no further</u> woodland review of the proposed project is necessary.

The proposed project is located north of Twelve Mile Road and east of Dixon Road in Section 10 (Parcel ID 50-22-10-400-067). The Plan includes the construction of two (2) proposed 1-story medical office buildings (+/- 10,000 square feet), a 2-story medical office building (+/- 20,000 square feet), associated parking, utilities and stormwater detention basin.

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FAX (734) 769-3164 Based on our review of the application, Novi aerial photos, Novi GIS, the City of Novi Official Wetlands and Woodlands Maps (see Figure 1, attached), and our woodland verification site inspection conducted on August 22, 2018 the proposed project site does not contain areas that are mapped as City-Regulated Stoneridge West II (JSP18-0030) Woodland Review of the Preliminary Site Plan (PSP18-0117) August 23, 2018 Page 2 of 6

Woodlands. The City of Novi regulates trees that are 8-inch diameter-at-breast-height (DBH) or greater and are located within areas designated as regulated on the City Regulated Woodland map. In addition, any tree 36-inches DBH or greater are also regulated.

On-Site Woodland Evaluation

ECT has reviewed the City of Novi Official Woodlands Map and completed an onsite Woodland Evaluation on August 22, 2018. ECT's in-office review of available materials included the City of Novi Regulated Woodland map and other available mapping. As noted above, the project site does not contain areas mapped as City-Regulated Woodland.

An existing tree list is included on Sheet L1 (*Tree Preservation Plan*). This Plan identifies tree tag numbers, diameter-at-breast-height (DBH), common name, botanical name and condition. The surveyed trees have been marked with aluminum tree tags allowing ECT to compare the tree diameters reported on the Plan with the existing trees in the field. ECT found that the Plan appears to accurately depict the location, species composition and the size of the existing trees. ECT took a sample of diameter-at-breast-height (DBH) measurements and found that the data provided on the Plan was consistent with the field measurements.

The on-site trees are white spruce (*Picea glauca*) and eastern red cedar (*Juniperus virginina*), generally located in the northeastern section of the subject site. A maple (*Acer spp.*) is shown on the Plan and is located within the existing wetland area. Finally, two (2) eastern red cedar trees are located along the western property line, west of the proposed stormwater detention basin. The *Tree Preservation Plan* indicates nineteen (19) total surveyed trees on the site.

City of Novi Woodland Review Standards & Woodland Permit Requirements

Based on Section 37-29 (*Application Review Standards*) of the City of Novi Woodland Ordinance, the following standards shall govern the grant or denial of an application for a use permit required by this article:

No application shall be denied solely on the basis that some trees are growing on the property under consideration. However, the protection and conservation of irreplaceable natural resources from pollution, impairment, or destruction is of paramount concern. Therefore, the preservation of woodlands, trees, similar woody vegetation, and related natural resources shall have priority over development when there are location alternatives.

In addition,

"The removal or relocation of trees shall be limited to those instances when necessary for the location of a structure or site improvements and when no feasible and prudent alternative location for the structure or improvements can be had without causing undue hardship".

The City of Novi regulates all trees 8-inches diameter-at-breast-height (DBH) and greater that are located within the areas delineated as regulated woodlands on the City-Regulated Woodlands Map. The City also regulates any individual tree greater than or equal to 36-inches DBH, irrespective of whether such tree is within a regulated woodland. Proposed woodland impacts will require a Woodland Permit and the regulated trees shall be relocated or replaced by the permit grantee.

It should be noted that the purpose of the City of Novi Woodland Protection Ordinance (Chapter 37) is to:

• Provide for the protection, preservation, replacement, proper maintenance and use of trees and woodlands located in the city in order to minimize disturbance to them and to prevent damage from erosion and siltation, a loss of wildlife and vegetation,



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and/or from the destruction of the natural habitat. In this regard, it is the intent of this chapter to protect the integrity of woodland areas as a whole, in recognition that woodlands serve as part of an ecosystem, and to place priority on the preservation of woodlands, trees, similar woody vegetation, and related natural resources over development when there are no location alternatives;

- Protect the woodlands, including trees and other forms of vegetation, of the city for their economic support of local property values when allowed to remain uncleared and/or unharvested and for their natural beauty, wilderness character of geological, ecological, or historical significance; and
- Provide for the paramount public concern for these natural resources in the interest of health, safety and general welfare of the residents of the city.

Proposed Woodland Impacts and Replacements

As noted above, this site does not contain areas mapped as City of Novi Regulated Woodlands and does not contain any trees 36-inches DBH or greater.

Based on the *Tree List* information provided on the *Tree Preservation Plan* (Sheet L1), there appear to be a total of **19** surveyed trees on the subject property. None of these are City-Regulated Woodland Trees.

A total of five (5) trees are proposed for removal but will not require Woodland Replacement Credits.

Currently, the Plan indicates that three (3) Woodland Replacement Credits are required and will be planted around the proposed stormwater detention basin.

Woodland Review Comments

ECT recommends that the Applicant address the items noted below in subsequent site plan submittals:

1. The Plan proposes that removal of five (5) trees (white spruce) that are 8 inches diameter-at-breastheight (DBH) or greater. These trees are however not located within area mapped as City of Novi Regulated Woodland. This project will not require a City of Novi Woodland Permit and will not require the planting of Woodland Replacement Credits.

Recommendation

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Woodlands and <u>no further woodland</u> review of the proposed project is necessary.


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If you have any questions regarding the contents of this letter, please contact us.

Respectfully submitted,

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Photo 1. Looking northwest at Tree No. 1781 and 1782 (eastern red cedars) to be preserved (ECT, August 22, 2018).



Photo 2. Looking northeast at existing spruce trees in the northeast section of the site. The southernmost 5 trees will be removed for the proposed development (ECT, August 22, 2018).



Site Photos

TRAFFIC REVIEW

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AECOM 27777 Franklin Road Southfield MI, 48034 USA aecom.com

Project name: JSP18-0030 Stoneridge West II Preliminay Site Plan Traffic Review

From: AECOM

Date: August 24, 2018

To: Barbara McBeth, AICP City of Novi 45175 10 Mile Road Novi, Michigan 48375

CC: Sri Komaragiri, Lindsay Bell, George Melistas, Darcy Rechtien, Hannah Smith

Memo

Subject: JSP18-0030 Stoneridge West II Preliminary Site Plan Traffic Review

The preliminary site plan was reviewed to the level of detail provided and AECOM **recommends approval** for the applicant to move forward with the condition that the comments provided below are adequately addressed to the satisfaction of the City.

GENERAL COMMENTS

- 1. The applicant, Acquira Realty Holdings, is proposing a 40,240 GSF medical office development on the north side of 12 Mile Road, between Dixon Road and Carlton Way Drive.
- 2. 12 Mile Road is under the jurisdiction of the Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC).
- 3. The site is currently zoned OS-1 and the applicant is not proposing a zoning change at this time.
- 4. Summary of traffic-related waivers/variances:
 - a. It does not appear that the driveway spacing requirements will be met and a City Council variance may be required.

TRAFFIC IMPACTS

1. AECOM performed an initial trip generation estimate based on the ITE Trip Generation Manual, 10th Edition, as follows:

ITE Code: 720 – Medical/Dental Office Building Development-specific Quantity: 40,240 GSF Zoning Change: N/A

Trip Generation Summary					
	Estimated Trips	Estimated Peak- Direction Trips	City of Novi Threshold	Above Threshold?	
AM Peak-Hour Trips	99	77	100	No	

PM Peak-Hour Trips	138	99	100	No
Daily (One- Directional) Trips	1,400	N/A	750	Yes

 The number of trips exceeds the City's threshold of more than 750 trips per day or 100 trips per either the AM or PM peak hour. AECOM recommends performing the following traffic impact study in accordance with the City's requirements.

Trip Impact Study Recommendation			
Type of Study:	Justification		
Traffic Impact Statement The proposed development's daily trip generation estimate is in excess of the City's threshold of 750 trips.			

3. The applicant has indicated that a traffic impact study is underway and will be provided once it is complete. AECOM will review under a separate letter once the study is provided.

EXTERNAL SITE ACCESS AND OPERATIONS

The following comments relate to the external interface between the proposed development and the surrounding roadway(s).

- 1. The applicant is proposing one main point of access to 12 Mile Road.
 - a. The applicant has not provided driveway dimensions of 31' width, 24.5' entering radius and 25.9' exiting radius. The dimensions provided do not meet the City standard dimensions, but are within the range. The applicant may be required to seek an administrative variance for not providing standard dimensions as shown in Figure IX.1.
 - b. The applicant shall provide driveway spacing measurements between the near approach curb to near approach curb for adjacent driveways. Based on the 45 mile per hour speed limit along 12 Mile Road, that driveway spacing must be 230' or more, per Section 11-216.c. It does not appear that the driveway spacing requirements will be met and a City Council variance may be required. The applicant has stated that the driveway location has been approved by the Road Commission for Oakland County, but has not provided written approval of the location, as requested.
- 2. The applicant has included the sight distance measurement to the east on the site plans, which exceeds the requirements of Figure XIII-E.
- 3. The applicant has provided a connection to the right turn lane from the property to the east to extend through to the existing right turn lane to Dixon Road, as required by Section 11-216(d)(5)c.
 - a. The applicant should include maintaining traffic notes and details in future submittals for the construction of the right turn lane. The applicant stated in their response letter that this was provided on sheets C3 and C4, but it is not.
 - b. The applicant shall provide proposed pavement marking details for modifications to Twelve Mile Road.
- 4. The applicant is proposing an internal connection to the adjacent property to the east, which can serve as a secondary point of access, and a stub to the west near the north property line. The applicant has indicated widths of 25.5' and 25.0', respectively for each of these connections.

INTERNAL SITE OPERATIONS

The following comments relate to the on-site design and traffic flow operations.

- 1. General Traffic Flow
 - a. The applicant has provided aisle widths throughout the site, which are generally 24', which is compliant.
 - i. Along the east side of the site near the north, there is an aisle width of 23'. According to Section 5.3.2 of the Zoning Ordinance, this dimension may be acceptable because there is no adjacent parking present, unless the Planning Commission finds that the 24' width is warranted for the proposed use.
 - ii. There is a dimension of 23' shown for the aisle width along the east side of the site near the south that appears to be measuring an angled distance. The dimension should be updated to reflect the actual, perpendicular width of the aisle.
 - iii. There is an aisle width dimension shown near the dumpster indicating 22.5' which should further be clarified as it is nearly adjacent to another dimension with a width of 25.5'. The applicant should review and update as appropriate or provide commentary as to why the width changes along the segment.
 - b. The applicant has included dimensions for the outside curb radii of the landscape islands throughout the site, but shall provide dimensions for the inside landscape island radii and other landscaped area curb radii throughout the site to review accessibility and compliance with City requirements as stated in Section 5.3.12 of the Zoning Ordinance.
 - i. Note that all end islands shall be constructed three (3) feet shorter than the adjacent parking space. The applicant appears to have reduced the length of the end islands in some locations, but not in all instances of end islands and should do so on the next submittal.
 - c. The applicant has proposed a loading zone and trash receptacle in the rear yard.
 - i. The applicant has indicated the size of the proposed loading zone, as required by Section 5.4 of the Zoning Ordinance.
 - ii. The applicant has provided truck turning patterns throughout the site to be able to access the dumpster, but has not provided turn patterns to access the loading zone without interfering with parking spaces.
 - 1. The applicant should show, via turning patterns, how a truck will access the loading zone without encroaching into the parking area and maintaining the entirety of the truck within the loading zone and not in the maneuvering aisle.
 - 2. The easternmost parking space along the north parking bay may pose a concern when a truck is accessing the trash receptacle.
 - iii. The applicant should consider providing a landscape peninsula between the northernmost parking bay and loading zone to protect the vehicle at the end of the adjacent parking bay, or may provide justification as to why a landscape peninsula is not provided.
 - d. The applicant should consider providing additional pavement near the west side of the site at the southern parking area to allow vehicles to effectively back out of the westernmost parking spaces.
- 2. Parking Facilities
 - a. The applicant should refer to the Planning Review Letter for bicycle and vehicle parking quantity requirements.
 - b. The applicant has provided parking space dimensions for standard parking spaces as well as barrier-free parking spaces and aisles, which are in conformance with standard dimensions.

- i. The applicant has indicated that all barrier-free spaces are designated as van accessible.
- c. The applicant has generally provided appropriate curb heights throughout the site, with the exception of two call-outs on the grading plan, as shown in the attached photo.
 - i. The northern call-out highlighted in green in the photo is indicating 4" and should be updated to 6".
 - ii. The southern call-out highlighted in green in the photo is indicating 6" and should be updated to be 4".



- iii. The applicant has indicated a clear 2' overhang in front of the 17' parking spaces.
- The applicant has provided nine bicycle parking spaces throughout the site.
 - i. The bicycle parking layout shown on sheet C-4 is in compliance with City standards, with the exception of a 4' maneuvering aisle.

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- ii. The applicant should further review the locations of the proposed bicycle parking areas against Section 5.16.5 of the Zoning Ordinance and relocated them as applicable or may provide dimensions indicating that they are in compliance with standards.
- iii. Note that all bicycle parking facilities shall be accessible from adjacent street(s) and pathway(s) via a paved route that has a minimum width of 6'. The applicant would be required to increase the width of the proposed sidewalk adjacent to the bicycle parking areas to be 8' wide to meet this requirement, or may choose to relocate the bicycle parking areas nearer to the building entrances and update route widths as applicable.
- 3. Sidewalk Requirements
 - a. The applicant is proposing a 5' sidewalk along 12 Mile Road to connect the existing sidewalk east and west of the site. The proposed 5' sidewalk is not in compliance with the City's Non-motorized Master Plan, or Article XI of the City Design and Construction Ordinance.
 - i. The applicant should update the sidewalk width to be 6'.
 - ii. The applicant should indicate the location of the sidewalk with respect the roadway right-of-way line.
 - b. The applicant has indicated 7' sidewalk within the site along the east side of Office 'A' and should confirm the width of the other sidewalks provided throughout the site.
 - i. Sidewalks throughout the site are required to be a minimum of 5' wide.
 - ii. Note that when a 17' parking space abuts a sidewalk, the sidewalk shall be 4" in height and a minimum of 7' wide to accommodate a 2' vehicle overhand and provide 5' of unobstructed travel way for non-motorized users.
 - iii. See also comment 2.iii above for additional width requirements where the sidewalk serves as an access route to the bicycle parking areas.

SIGNING AND STRIPING

- 1. All on-site signing and pavement markings shall be in compliance with the Michigan Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MMUTCD). The following is a discussion of the proposed signing and striping.
- 2. The applicant should include applicable signing and pavement marking details for the modifications to 12 Mile Road with the extension of the right turn lane.
- 3. The applicant has indicated the location of proposed signs throughout the site, but should provide further clarification as to which sign is to be placed at each location.
- 4. The applicant should include a sign quantity table in future submittals to indicate the sign, size, MMUTCD designation and quantity.
 - a. The applicant has provided appropriate signing notes on the site plans.
 - b. The applicant should update the barrier-free signage detail on sheet SP1.2 to be consistent with sheet C4 or may remove it and add the applicable details to the detail on sheet C4 for simplicity.
 - c. The applicant has provided notes and details related to proposed pavement markings.
 - The applicant has indicated that the crosswalk pavement markings shall comply with the MMUTCD, but should provide a detail of the proposed design so that it can be reviewed prior to installation.
 - ii. The applicant should position the international symbol for accessibility to be flush with the maneuvering aisle.
 - iii. The applicant has included arrow pavement marking details on sheet SP1.2 and should indicate where they are proposed on the plans, or remove them. The provided details are not compliant with standards and, if used, should be updated.

Memo

Should the City or applicant have questions regarding this review, they should contact AECOM for further clarification.

Sincerely,

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FAÇADE REVIEW





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August 27, 2018

City of Novi Planning Department 45175 W. 10 Mile Rd. Novi, MI 48375-3024

Re: FACADE ORDINANCE - Facade Review – Preliminary S.P. Stoneridge West II, JSP18-0030 Façade Region: 1, Zoning District: OS-1,

Dear Ms. McBeth;

The following is the Facade Review for Preliminary Plan Approval of the above referenced project based on the drawings prepared by Jona Abro Architects, dated 7/16/18. The percentages of materials proposed for each façade are as shown on the table below. The maximum percentages allowed by the <u>Schedule Regulating Façade Materials</u> (AKA Façade Chart) of Ordinance Section 5.15 are shown in the right hand column. Materials in non-compliance with the Façade Chart, if any, are highlighted in bold.

Building A & C	Front	Rear	Left	Right	Ordinance Maximum (Minimum)
Brick	33%	23%	20%	20%	100% (30%)
Burnished Concrete Masonry Unit (CMU)	17%	17%	20%	20%	10%
EIFS	12%	13%	15%	15%	25%
Flat Metal (Trim)	13%	11%	12%	12%	50%
Standing Seam Metal	25%	36%	33%	33%	25%

Building A & C - As shown above the minimum percentage of Brick is not provided on the rear, left and right facades, the percentage of Burnished CMU exceeds the maximum amount allowed by the Ordinance on all facades and the percentage of Standing Seam Metal exceeds the Ordinance on the rear, left and right facades. A Section 9 Waiver would be required for these deviations.

Building B	Front	Rear	Left	Right	Ordinance Maximum (Minimum)
Brick	84%	85%	84%	82%	100% (30%)
Burnished Concrete Masonry Unit (CMU)	8%	10%	10%	8%	10%
Flat Metal (Trim)	4%	5%	6%	4%	50%
Standing Seam Metal	4%	0%	0%	6%	25%

Building B – As shown above Building B is in full compliance with the Façade Ordinance.

Dumpster Enclosure - The drawings (SP1.2) indicates that the dumpster will be clad in Brick to match the building.

Recommendation – Buildings A and C exhibit well balanced composition and the proportions of materials used are consistent with and will enhance the overall design. The deviations in percentage of material are comparatively minor in nature. Therefore, it is our recommendation that the design are consistent with the intent and purpose of the Façade Ordinance and the a Section 9 waiter be granted for the following deviations;

- 1. The underage of Brick on the rear, left and right facades.
- 2. The overage of Burnished CMU on all facades
- 3. The overage of Standing Seam Metal on the rear, left and right facades.

Note – A sample board was not available at the time of this review. The applicant should provide a sample board illustration carefully coordinated colors and textures as required by Section 5.15.4.D of the Ordinance not less than 5 days prior to the Planning Commission Meeting.

Notes to the Applicant:

- Façade Ordinance requires inspection(s) for all projects. Materials displayed on the approved sample board will be compared to materials delivered to the site. It is the applicant's responsibility to request the inspection of each façade material at the appropriate time. Inspections may be requested using the Novi Building Department's Online Inspection Portal with the following link. Please click on "Click here to Request an Inspection" under "Contractors", then click "Façade". http://www.cityofnovi.org/Services/CommDev/OnlineInspectionPortal.asp.
- 2. Roof Appurtenances The drawings indicate that all roof appurtenances are fully screened using the building parapets. It is the applicant's responsibility to coordinate parapet and roof equipment heights to maintain full screening.

If you have any questions regarding this project please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely, DRN & Architects PC

Douglas R. Necci, AIA

FIRE REVIEW



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TO: Barbara McBeth- City Planner Sri Ravali Komaragiri- Plan Review Center Lindsay Bell-Plan Review Center Hannah Smith-Planning Assistant

RE: Stoneridge West II development - 44244 12 Mile Rd.

JSP# 18-30 PSP# 18 -0074 PSP# 18-0117

Project Description:

Build 3 commercial buildings total. 2x - 1 story medical office(s) and 1x - 2 story medical office.

Comments:

- All fire hydrants MUST in installed and operational prior to any building construction begins.
- Fire apparatus access drives to and from buildings through parking lots shall have a minimum fifty (50) feet outside turning radius and designed to support a minimum of thirty-five (35) tons. (D.C.S. Sec 11-239(b)(5))
- For interior fire protection systems a separate fire protection line shall be provided in addition to a domestic service for each building. Individual shutoff valves for interior fire protection shall be by post indicator valve (P.I.V.) or by valve in well and shall be provided within a public water main easement. (D.C.S. Sec.11-68(a)(9))
- All hydrants shall be accessible by improved roadways capable of supporting fire apparatus and equipment weighing up to 35 tons. (D.C.S. Sec. 11-68 (f)(1)e)
- All hydrants shall have two 2-1/2 inch male outlets and one 4-1/2 inch male steamer connection. Threads shall be National Standard. (D.C.S. Sec. 11-68 (f)(2))
- Immediate access to fire department connections shall be maintained at all times and without obstruction by fences, bushes, trees, walls or any other object for a minimum of 3 feet (914 mm). (International Fire Code)
- A hazardous chemical survey is required to be submitted to the Planning & Community Development Department for distribution to the Fire Department at the time any Preliminary Site Plan is submitted for review and approval. Definitions of chemical types can be obtained from the Fire Department at (248) 735-5674. (See Attachment B)
- South side of building "A", **MUST** provide some type of turn around due to the drive way is longer than 150'. **IFC 503.2.5.**

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Novi Public Safety Administration

45125 Ten Mile Road

Novi, Michigan 48375

Recommendation:

Approved with conditions

Sincerely, SR-X >

Kevin S. Pierce-Fire Marshal City of Novi – Fire Dept.

cc: file

APPLICANT RESPONSE LETTER



PLAN REVIEW CENTER REPORT

August 28, 2018 Planning Review Stoneridge West II JSP 18-30

PETITIONER

Acquira Realty Holdings

REVIEW TYPE

Preliminary Site Plan

PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS

Section	10			
Site Location	North of Tw	North of Twelve Mile, West of Novi Road; 22-10-400-067		
Site School District	Novi Comn	nunity School District		
Site Zoning	OS-1: Office	e Service District		
Adjoining Zoning	North	R-1: One-Family Residential District		
	East	OS-1: Office Service District		
	West	OS-1: Office Service District		
	South	RC: Regional Center District		
Current Site Use	Vacant			
	North	Single family residence		
Adjoining Uses	East	Office Park		
Aujoining uses	West	Bank; Vacant lot		
	South	South Twelve Mile Crossing at Fountain Walk		
Site Size	4.45 acres	4.45 acres		
Plan Date	July 31, 201	8		

PROJECT SUMMARY

The applicant is proposing three new medical/professional office buildings with a total of 40,240 square feet on a 4.46 acre vacant parcel. The parcel is on the north side of Twelve Mile Road, west of Novi Road. The site is planned for Community Office and zoned OS-1, Office Service. The proposal includes parking spaces, wetland mitigation on the north side and a stormwater detention pond.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval of the **Preliminary Site Plan is recommended**. The plan mostly conforms to the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance, with a few deviations to be addressed in subsequent Site Plan submittals. All reviews recommend approval. <u>Planning Commission's approval for Preliminary Site Plan, Wetland Permit</u> <u>and Storm Water Management Plan is required.</u>

ORDINANCE REQUIREMENTS

This project was reviewed for conformance with the Zoning Ordinance with respect to Article 3 (Zoning Districts), Article 4 (Use Standards), Article 5 (Site Standards), and any other applicable provisions of the Zoning Ordinance. <u>Please see the attached charts for information pertaining to ordinance requirements.</u> Items in **bold** below must be addressed and incorporated as part of the Final Site Plan submittal:

- 1. <u>Phasing Plan (Sec 4.19.2.A)</u>: The application indicates 2-3 phases of development, however no phasing plan with phase lines has been included in the plan set. Applicant has indicated the entire site will be prepared, including pad sites for all three buildings, with construction of individual buildings to be built in phases. If the applicant believes construction of the project will exceed 2 years, staff recommends that a phasing plan sheet be included for Planning Commission approval. Such phasing plan should clearly delineate all features, including structures, utilities and landscaping, that will be provided in each phase.
- 2. <u>Lighting and Photometric Plan (Sec. 5.7.2)</u>: Complete the Statistics chart and include notes that address the Ordinance requirements. Adjust lighting levels at the main entrance to meet the 1.0 fc minimum. See planning chart for additional details.
- 3. <u>Bicycle Parking (Section 5.16)</u>: Nine bicycle parking spaces are proposed in 3 clusters on the east side of the detention pond. Each of the 3 locations is within 120 feet of one of the building entrances of each building. **Details of the bicycle parking layouts and rack design should be shown and dimensioned within the plan set. See chart for additional details.**
- 4. <u>Plan Review Chart:</u> There are additional minor clarifications requested in the Plan review chart. Please refer to the chart for additional details.
- 5. <u>Economic Impact Information</u>: The following information is requested before the Planning Commission meeting:
 - i. Total cost of the proposed construction & site improvements (\$6 million indicated in response letter)
 - ii. Number of anticipated jobs created (during construction & after building is occupied, estimated)
- 6. Other Reviews:
 - a. <u>Engineering Review:</u> Additional comments to be addressed with Final Site Plan. Engineering recommends approval.
 - b. <u>Landscape Review</u>: Landscape recommends approval with comments to be addressed in Final Site Plan Submittal. **Two landscape waivers are required**, **but both are supported by staff.** Refer to review letter and chart for more comments.
 - c. <u>Wetlands Review</u>: Wetlands consultant recommends approval to move forward with additional comments to be addressed in Final Site Plan submittal. Refer to review letter for more details.
 - d. <u>Woodlands Review:</u> No impacts to regulated Woodlands or trees are proposed. Further Woodland Review is not necessary.
 - e. <u>Traffic Review</u>: Additional comments to be addressed with Final Site Plan. Traffic recommends approval.
 - f. <u>Facade Review:</u> The proposed materials on two buildings deviates from the façade ordinance, which will require a Section 9 façade waiver. Façade consultant recommends approval. See letter for additional details.
 - g. <u>Fire Review:</u> Fire recommends approval. Additional comments to be addressed with Final Site Plan. **Please note the need for an adjustment to the driveway on the south side of Building A.**

NEXT STEP: PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

This Site Plan is scheduled to go before Planning Commission for public hearing on **September 26, 2018** at **7:00 p.m.** Please provide the following <u>no later than 12:00pm, September 20, 2018</u> if you wish to keep this schedule.

- 1. Site Plan submittal in PDF format (maximum of 10MB). NO CHANGES MADE.
- 2. Phasing plan sheet, if applicable.
- 3. A response letter addressing ALL the comments from ALL the review letters and <u>a request for</u> waivers as you see fit.

- 4. A color rendering of the Site Plan (Optional to be used for Planning Commission presentation).
- 5. A sample board of building materials as requested by our Façade Consultant. Architect to provide

color rendering and sample board

FINAL SITE PLAN SUBMITTAL

After receiving Planning Commission's approval of the Preliminary Site Plan, please follow the <u>Final Site</u> <u>Plan Checklist</u> and submit for approval:

- 1. Seven copies of Final Site Plan sets addressing all comments from Preliminary review and Planning Commission (or a <u>No Revision Façade Affidavit</u> and 6 copies of FSP, if applicable);
- 2. Response letter addressing ALL the comments from ALL the review letters and refer to sheet numbers where the change is reflected;
- 3. Final Site Plan Application

ELECTRONIC STAMPING SET SUBMITTAL AND RESPONSE LETTER

After receiving Final Site Plan approval, plans addressing the comments in all of the staff and consultant review letters should be submitted electronically for informal review and approval prior to printing Stamping Sets. A letter from either the applicant or the applicant's representative addressing comments in this and other review letters and associated charts is to be submitted with the electronic stamping set. This letter should address all comments in ALL letters and ALL charts and refer to sheet numbers where the change is reflected.

STAMPING SET APPROVAL

Stamping sets are still required for this project. After having received all of the review letters from City staff the applicant should make the appropriate changes on the plans and submit <u>10 size 24" x 36"</u> copies with original signature and original seals on the cover sheet (subsequent pages may use <u>electronic seal with signature</u>), to the Community Development Department for final Stamping Set approval.

If required, drafts for all legal documents with a legal transmittal are to be submitted along with stamping sets.

SIGNAGE

Exterior Signage is not regulated by the Planning Division or Planning Commission. Sign permit applications that relate to construction of a new building or an addition to an existing building may submitted, reviewed, and approved as part of a site plan application. Proposed signs shall be shown on the preliminary site plan. Alternatively, an applicant may choose to submit a sign application to the Building Official for administrative review. Following preliminary site plan approval, any application to a mend a sign permit or for a new or additional sign shall be submitted to the Building Official. Please contact the Ordinance Division 248.735.5678 for information regarding sign permits.

PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING

A Pre-Construction meeting is required for this project. Prior to the start of any work on the site, Pre-Construction (Pre-Con) meetings must be held with the applicant's contractor and the City's consulting engineer. Pre-Con meetings are generally held after Stamping Sets have been issued and prior to the start of any work on the site. There are a variety of requirements, fees and permits that must be issued before a Pre-Con can be scheduled. If you have questions regarding the checklist or the Pre-Con itself, please contact Sarah Marchioni [248.347.0430 or smarchioni@cityofnovi.org] in the Community Development Department.

CHAPTER 26.5

Chapter 26.5 of the City of Novi Code of Ordinances generally requires all projects be completed within two years of the issuance of any starting permit. Please contact Sarah Marchioni at 248-347-0430 for additional information on starting permits. The applicant should review and be aware of the requirements of Chapter 26.5 before starting construction.

If the applicant has any questions concerning the above review or the process in general, do not hesitate to contact me at 248.347.0484 or <u>lbell@cityofnovi.org</u>.

Kindsmy Bell

Lindsay Bell – Planner

CITY OF PLANNING REVIEW CHART: OS-1 Office Service District

Review Date: Review Type: Project Name: Location: Plan Date: Prepared by:

August 17, 2018 Preliminary Site Plan JSP18-30 Stoneridge West II 44244 W. Twelve Mile Road; Parcel 22-10-400-067 7/31/2018 Lindsay Bell, Planner **E-mail:** Ibell@cityofnovi.org; **Phone:** (248) 347-0484

Items in **Bold** need to be addressed by the applicant before approval of the Preliminary Site Plan. <u>Underlined</u> items need to be addressed on the Final Site Plan.

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments			
Zoning and Use Re	Zoning and Use Requirements						
Master Plan (adopted July 26, 2017)	Community Office	Medical Office	Yes				
Area Study	The site does not fall under any special category	NA	Yes				
Zoning (Effective January 8, 2015)	OS-1: Office Service District	OS-1	Yes				
Uses Permitted (Sec 3.1.21.B & C)	Sec. 3.1.21.B Principal Uses Permitted. Sec. 3.1.21.C Special Land Uses Permitted.	Medical Office Buildings	Yes				
Height, bulk, dens	ity and area limitations (Sec	3.1.21.D)	_				
Frontage on a Public Street. (Sec. 5.12) Access To Major Thoroughfare (Sec. 5.12)	Frontage on a Public Street is required	The site has frontage and access to Twelve Mile Road	Yes				
Minimum Zoning Lot Size for each Unit in Ac (Sec 3.6.2.D)	Except where otherwise provided in this Ordinance, the minimum lot area and width, and the maximum percent of	4.46 acres	NA				
Minimum Zoning Lot Size for each Unit: Width in Feet (Sec 3.6.2.D)	lot coverage shall be determined on the basis of off-street parking, loading, greenbelt screening, yard setback or usable open space		NA				
Open Space Area							
Maximum % of	(Sec 3.6.2.D)	15.5%	Yes				

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
Lot Area Covered (By All Buildings)				
Building Height (Sec. 3.1.23.D)	30 feet	Maximum height: 28.5'	Yes	
Building Setbacks	(Sec 3.1.21.D)			
Front South @ Twelve Mile	20 ft.	105 ft.	Yes	Dimensions on Site Plan missing for rear building
Rear North	20 ft.	157 ft.	Yes	setback
West Side	15 ft.	15 ft.	Yes	Any missing
East Side	15 ft.	15 ft.	Yes	setbacks will appear on future
Parking Setback (Sec 3.1.21.D)Refer to applic	able notes in Sec 3.6.2		plans
Front South @ Twelve Mile	20 ft.	35.45 ft.	Yes	The additional 0.5
Rear North	10 ft. (20ft. when abuts residential zone)	88 ft.	Yes	will be provided
West Side	10 ft.	10.5 ft.	Yes	
East Side	10 ft.	9.5 ft.	No	Parking on east side must meet 10 ft setback
Note To District Sta	andards (Sec 3.6.2)			
Exterior Side Yard Abutting a Street (Sec 3.6.2.C)	All exterior side yards abutting a street shall be provided with a setback equal to front yard.	No exterior side yard present	NA	
Off-Street Parking in Front Yard (Sec 3.6.2.E)	Off-street parking is allowed in front yard if - does not extend into the minimum required front yard setback of the district	Does not extend	Yes	
Setbacks from Residential (Sec 3.6.2.L)	All properties abutting residential districts shall have 20' parking setback	Rear yard abuts residential – parking setback exceeds 20'	Yes	
Wetland/Waterc ourse Setback (Sec 3.6.2.M)	A setback of 25ft from wetlands and from high watermark course shall be maintained	Wetlands shown on northern portion of the site – parking area appears to encroach	No	See comments from ECT. Quantify wetlands and 25' buffers impact area n quantifies impact area
Parking setback screening (Sec 3.6.2.P)	Required parking setback area shall be landscaped per sec 5.5.3.			See Landscape comments
Modification of parking setback requirements (Sec 3.6.2.Q)	The Planning Commission may modify parking setback requirements based on its determination according to Sec 3.6.2.Q	Parking setbacks conform to the minimum required	NA	

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
OS-1 District Requ	ired Conditions (Sec 3.17)			
Interior Display (Sec 3.17.1)	No interior display shall be visible from the exterior of the building.	Notes on sheet C3	Yes	
Outdoor storage (Sec 3.17.2)	The outdoor storage of goods or materials shall be prohibited.	Notes on sheet C3	Yes	
Warehousing or indoor storage (Sec 3.17.3)	Warehousing or indoor storage of goods or material, beyond that normally incident to the permitted uses, shall be prohibited.	Notes on sheet C3	Yes	
Parking, Loading a	and Dumpster Requirements			
Number of Parking Spaces Medical Office (Sec.5.2.12.D)	Medical Office: For buildings greater than 5,000 square feet,1 space per 175 SF GLA General Office: 1 space per 222 sf 27,320 GLA/175 = 156	Total Proposed = 188 spaces	Yes	
	6,820 GLA/222 = 31 156+31= 187 spaces required			
Parking Space Dimensions and Maneuvering Lanes (Sec. 5.3.2)	 90° Parking: 9 ft. x 19 ft. 24 ft. two way drives 9 ft. x 17 ft. parking spaces allowed along 7 ft. wide interior sidewalks as long as detail indicates a 4" curb at these locations and along landscaping 	90° Parking: 9 ft. x 17 ft. along 7 ft. wide interior sidewalks	Yes	
Parking stall located adjacent to a parking lot entrance(public or private) (Sec. 5.3.13)	 shall not be located closer than twenty-five (25) feet from the street right-of-way (ROW) line, street easement or sidewalk, whichever is closer 	The parking stall appears to be 25' from the street right-of-way	Yes	
End Islands (Sec. 5.3.12)	 End Islands with landscaping and raised curbs are required at the end of all parking bays that abut traffic circulation aisles. The end islands shall generally be at least 8 feet wide, have an outside radius of 15 	End Islands are proposed – dimensions not shown.	No	Please dimension the radius and the offset distance according to standards. The typical dim is shown, all remaining dims will be added

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	feet, and be constructed 3' shorter than the adjacent parking stall as illustrated in the Zoning Ordinance			
Barrier Free Spaces Barrier Free Code	7 barrier free parking spaces (for total 201 to 300) including 1 van barrier free parking space	7 barrier Free parking proposed	Yes	
Barrier Free Space Dimensions Barrier Free Code	 8' wide with an 8' wide access aisle for van accessible spaces 5' wide with a 5' wide access aisle for regular accessible spaces 	All van accessible Future plans to 8' in the detail	Yes Show	Plans show 8' access aisle, however detail on Sheet C4 shows 5' access aisle. Provide correct detail image for van accessible spaces.
Barrier Free Signs Barrier Free Code	One sign for each accessible parking space.	Signs shown on plans	Yes	
Minimum number of Bicycle Parking (Sec. 5.16.1)	Medical Offices: One (1) space for each twenty (20) employees on the maximum shift, minimum two (2) spaces	9 bicycle parking spaces indicated	Yes	
Bicycle Parking General requirements (Sec. 5.16)	 No farther than 120 ft. from the entrance being served When 4 or more spaces are required for a building with multiple entrances, the spaces shall be provided in multiple locations 	Spaces all shown on east side of detention basin – 3 locations spaced out 55-65 feet; At least one location is w/in 120 feet of each building entrance	Yes Yes	
	 Spaces to be paved and the bike rack shall be inverted "U" design Shall be accessible via 6 ft. paved sidewalk 		No	Provide detail of bicycle rack design A profile view will be added to plan
Bicycle Parking Lot layout (Sec 5.16.6)	Parking space width: 6 ft. One tier width: 10 ft. Two tier width: 16 ft. Maneuvering lane width: 4 ft. Parking space depth: 2 ft. single, 2 ½ ft. double	No Bicycle parking layout provided	No	Provide a plan detail of the bicycle parking as required A detail is on sheet C4
Loading Spaces Sec. 5.4.1	 Within the OS districts, loading space shall be provided in the rear yard or in the case of a double 	 Loading area (9.5 x 54.5 = 518 sf) is located adjacent to the dumpster enclosure in the rear yard (NE 	Yes	Label the loading space dimensions. C3 calls dims out: 19.5' x 54.75' = 1,067

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	frontage lot, in the interior side yard, - in the ratio of five (5) square feet per front foot of building up to a total area of three- hundred sixty (360) square feet per building.	corner of the parking lot)		
Dumpster Sec 4.19.2.F	 Located in rear yard Attached to the building or No closer than 10 ft. from building if not attached Not located in parking setback If no setback, then it cannot be any closer than 10 ft, from property line. Away from Barrier free Spaces 	Two dumpsters are provided in one enclosure in the rear yard (NE corner of the parking lot) Yes – meets setback requirements Yes, it is away	Yes	
Dumpster Enclosure Sec. 21-145. (c) Chapter 21 of City Code of Ordinances	 Screened from public view A wall or fence 1 ft. higher than height of refuse bin And no less than 5 ft. on three sides Posts or bumpers to protect the screening Hard surface pad. Screening Materials: Masonry, wood or evergreen shrubbery 	 An enclosure is shown on the plans 6' high A concrete surface is indicated 9 Dark Green Arborvitae shown for evergreen screening on east and north sides. 	Yes	
Lighting and Othe	r Equipment Requirements			
Exterior lighting Sec. 5.7	Photometric plan and exterior lighting details needed at time of Preliminary Site Plan submittal	A lighting plan was provided in pdf format	Yes	See Lighting Review chart for more details.
Roof top equipment and wall mounted utility equipment Sec. 4.19.2.E.ii	 All roof top equipment must be screened and all wall mounted utility equipment must be enclosed and integrated into the design and color of the building 	Roof top equipment proposed – applicant indicated it will be 100% screened by sloped roof at parapet	Yes	See Façade review for further comments
Roof top appurtenances	Roof top appurtenances shall be screened in	Roof top equipment proposed	Yes	See Façade review for further comments

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
screening	accordance with applicable facade regulations, and shall not be visible from any street, road or adjacent property.			
Non-Motorized Fa		1	1	
Article XI. Off- Road Non- Motorized Facilities	Non-motorized facilities shall be placed across the frontage of all streets and roadways (public or private) for all projects in accordance with the "Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan", as well as at those locations specified in the City of Novi Subdivision Ordinance (Appendix C) and the City of Novi	A sidewalk is proposed along Twelve Mile Road – Sheet C4 indicates 6' width	Yes	
	Zoning Ordinance			
Pedestrian Connectivity	(Appendix A). Whether the traffic circulation features within the site and location of automobile parking areas are designed to assure safety and convenience of both vehicular and pedestrian traffic both within the site and in relation to access streets	Sidewalks are proposed throughout the site	Yes	
	d Other Requirements			
Building Code	Building exits must be connected to sidewalk system or parking lot.	All exits are connected to internal sidewalk	Yes	
Design and Construction Standards Manual	Land description, Sidwell number (metes and bounds for acreage parcel, lot number(s), Liber, and page for subdivisions).	Provided	Yes	

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments		
General layout and dimension of proposed physical improvements	Location of all existing and proposed buildings, proposed building heights, building layouts, (floor area in square feet), location of proposed parking and parking layout, streets and drives, and indicate square footage of pavement area (indicate public or private).	Provided	Yes			
Economic Impact	 Total cost of the proposed building & site improvements Number of anticipated jobs created (during construction & after building is occupied, if known) 	Total cost of construction and site improvements estimated: \$6 million Jobs created: unknown	Yes			
Phasing	 All projects must be completed within 2 years of the issuance of any starting permit or phasing plan should be provided 	provided plar	No asing n to be vided?	If a phasing plan is to be approved by the Planning Commission it should be provided in advance of the Planning Commission Meeting		
Development/ Business Sign & Street addressing	 Signage if proposed requires a permit. The applicant should contact the Building Division for an address prior to applying for a building permit. 			For further information contact Maureen Underhill 248-735-5602.		
Project and Street Naming	Some projects may need approval from the Street and Project Naming Committee.	This project requires approval of the Project Name – please complete the required application Project na application being sub at this time	on is omitted	For approval of project and street naming contact Hannah Smith at 248-735-0579 (REMOVE THIS PARTIAL NOTE FROM THE PLAN – Applicant should apply for project name approval at this time)		
Parcel Split or Combination or Condominium approval	Any parcel splits or condominium approvals must be completed before Stamping Set approval		NA			
Lighting and Photometric Plan (Sec. 5.7)						
Intent (Sec. 5.7.1)	Establish appropriate minimum levels, prevent	Provided	Yes	PDF of lighting plan was provided but not hard		

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	unnecessary glare, reduce spillover onto adjacent properties & reduce unnecessary transmission of light into the night sky			<u>copy – include hard copy</u> <u>in Final Stamping Set</u>
Lighting Plan (Sec. 5.7.A.i)	Site plan showing location of all existing & proposed buildings, landscaping, streets, drives, parking areas & exterior lighting fixtures	Light pole locations shown on landscape plans	Yes	
Building Lighting (Sec. 5.7.2.A.iii)	Relevant building elevation drawings showing all fixtures, the portions of the walls to be illuminated, illuminance levels of walls and the aiming points of any remote fixtures.	Lighting fixtures etc. not shown on building elevations	No	Show as required on building elevation drawings See architect submittal
Lighting Plan (Sec.5.7.2.A.ii)	Specifications for all proposed & existing lighting fixtures	Provided	Yes	
	Photometric data	Provided	Yes	
	Fixture height	11' & 24' for building- mounted, 25' pole lights	Yes	
	Mounting & design Glare control devices (Also see Sec. 5.7.3.D)	Provided Shown	Yes Yes	
	Type & color rendition of lamps	LED	Yes	
	Hours of operation	Shown	Yes	
	Photometric plan illustrating all light sources that impact the subject site, including spill-over information from neighboring properties		Yes	
Maximum Height (Sec. 5.7.3.A)	Height not to exceed maximum height of zoning district (30 ft.) (or 25 ft. where adjacent to residential districts or uses)	25 ft proposed	Yes	
Standard Notes (Sec. 5.7.3.B)	 Electrical service to light fixtures shall be placed underground Flashing light shall not be permitted Only necessary lighting 	Notes included on Lighting plan	Yes	

Item	Required Code	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
	for security purposes & limited operations shall be permitted after a site's hours of operation			
Security Lighting (Sec. 5.7.3.H) Lighting for security purposes shall be directed only onto the area to be secured.	 All fixtures shall be located, shielded, and aimed at the areas to be secured. Fixtures mounted on the building and designed to illuminate the facade are preferred. 	Not specified	No	Show which lights are security lighting See architect submittal
Average Light Levels (Sec.5.7.3.E)	Average light level of the surface being lit to the lowest light of the surface being lit shall not exceed 4:1	Parking lot is 3.2:1	Yes	
Type of Lamps (Sec. 5.7.3.F)	Use of true color rendering lamps such as metal halide is preferred over high & low pressure sodium lamps	LED proposed	Yes	
Min. Illumination (Sec. 5.7.3.k)	Parking areas: 0.2 min	0.5 min	Yes	
	Loading/unloading areas: 0.4 min	1.1 min	Yes	
	Walkways: 0.2 min	0.3 shown	Yes	
	Building entrances, frequent use: 1.0 min	0.5 min	No	Adjust to min level
	Building entrances, infrequent use: 0.2 min	0.3 min	Yes	submittal
Max. Illumination adjacent to Non-Residential (Sec. 5.7.3.K)	When site abuts a non- residential district, maximum illumination at the property line shall not exceed 1 foot candle	Max proposed 0.0 at property line	Yes	
Cut off Angles (Sec. 5.7.3.L)	 When adjacent to residential districts All cut off angles of fixtures must be 90° maximum illumination at the property line shall not exceed 0.5 foot candle 	Illumination at the property line adjacent to residential is 0.0	Yes	



PLAN REVIEW CENTER REPORT

August 23, 2018

Engineering Review

Stoneridge West II JSP18-0030

Applicant

Acquira Realty Holdings

<u>Review Type</u>

Preliminary Site Plan

Property Characteristics

Site Location: East of Dixon Road, north of Twelve Mile Road

4.458 acres

- Site Size:
- Plan Date: 07/31/2018
- Design Engineer: Nowak & Fraus Engineers

Project Summary

- Construction of three separate medical office buildings with associated parking.
- Water service would be provided by an 8-inch extension from the existing 24-inch water main in Twelve Mile Road. Each building has proposed 2-inch domestic lead and a 6-inch fire lead connections to serve the buildings, with fire hydrants on the site.
- Sanitary sewer service would be provided by extension of an 8-inch sewer main from existing sewer manhole on the site to the east, with separate service leads to each building.
- Storm water would be collected by a single storm sewer collection system and detained in a storm water basin on the site prior to discharge to existing storm sewer in Twelve Mile Road.

Recommendation

Approval of the Preliminary Site Plan and Preliminary Storm Water Management Plan is recommended.

Comments:

The Preliminary Site Plan meets the general requirements of the design and construction standards as set forth in Chapter 11 of the City of Novi Codified Ordinance, the Storm Water Management Ordinance and the Engineering Design Manual with the following items to be addressed at the time of Final Site Plan submittal (further engineering detail will be required at the time of the final site plan submittal):

General

- 1. Provide a note on the plans that all work shall conform to the current City of Novi standards and specifications.
- 2. The plans shall be prepared on NAVD88 datum. All site benchmarks must be tied in to City benchmarks, and all elevations on the plans must be shown on NAVD88 (rather than including a conversion factor).
- 3. Right-of-way permits will be required from both the City of Novi and Road Commission for Oakland County.
- 4. Show and label the master planned 90-foot half right-of-way width for Twelve Mile Road. Dedication of the right-of-way along the parcel frontage is requested with the development.
- 5. The Non-domestic User Survey form shall be submitted to the City so it can be forwarded to Oakland County.
- 6. The City standard detail sheets are not required for the Final Site Plan submittal. They will be required with the final, printed Stamping Set submittal. The recently updated standard detail sheets can be found on the City website at this location:

http://cityofnovi.org/Government/City-Services/Public-Services/Engineering-Division/Engineering-Standards-and-Construction-Details.aspx.

- 7. Soil borings shall be provided for a preliminary review of the constructability of the proposed development (roads, basin, etc.). Borings identifying soil types, and groundwater elevation should be provided with the next submittal.
- The six-foot sidewalk along Twelve Mile Road should generally be placed one (1) foot inside the future master planned right-of-way line.
- 9. Provide a note stating if dewatering is anticipated or encountered during construction a dewatering plan must be submitted to the Engineering Department for review.
- 10. Provide a traffic control plan for the proposed construction activity in Twelve Mile Road.

- 11. Traffic signs in the RCOC right-of-way will be installed by RCOC. Identify any signs within RCOC right-of-way in the sign quantity table.
- 12. At a minimum, an emergency access easement must be obtained from the property to the east.
 - a. If the intent is emergency access only, a gate must be provided at the property line. The Fire Marshal must approve of the gate and lock.
 - b. If the intent is for users of each property to be able to access either property along that route, a cross-access easement will be required in addition to the emergency access easement.
- 13. A letter from either the applicant or the applicant's engineer must be submitted with the Final Site Plan submittal highlighting the changes made to the plans addressing each of the comments in this review.

Water Main

- 14. Provide a profile for all proposed water main 8-inch and larger.
- 15. Label water main size, lengths and pipe material on the utility plan.
- 16. Provide three (3) signed and sealed sets of utility plans along with the MDEQ permit application (06/12 rev.) for water main construction. The Streamlined Water Main Permit Checklist should be submitted to the Engineering Division for review, assuming no further design changes are anticipated. Utility plan sets shall include only the cover sheet, any applicable utility sheets and the standard detail sheets.

Sanitary Sewer

- 17. Revise the Sanitary Sewer Basis of design using the City's Sewer Unit Factor chart, which is attached to this letter.
- 18. Note on the construction materials table that 6-inch sanitary leads shall be a minimum SDR 23.5, and mains shall be SDR 26.
- 19. Provide a note on the Utility Plan and sanitary profile stating the sanitary lead will be buried at least 5 feet deep where under the influence of pavement.
- 20. Provide a testing bulkhead immediately upstream of the sanitary connection point. Additionally, provide a temporary 1-foot deep sump in the first sanitary structure proposed upstream of the connection point, and provide a secondary watertight bulkhead in the downstream side of this structure.
- 21. Seven (7) sealed sets of revised utility plans along with the MDEQ permit application (01/18 rev.) for sanitary sewer construction and the Streamlined Sanitary Sewer Permit Certification Checklist should be submitted to the Engineering Division for review, assuming no further design changes are anticipated. Utility plan sets shall include only the cover sheet, any applicable utility sheets and the standard detail sheets. Also, the MDEQ can be contacted for an expedited review by their office.

Paving & Grading

- 22. The newly issued City standard paving details will be incorporated into the plans at the time of stamping sets. Remove any redundant or conflicting details from the plan set, and remove or revise general paving notes to be consistent with pavement mix types and cross sections in standard details.
- 23. The end islands shall conform to the City standard island design, or variations of the standard design, while still conforming to the standards given in Section 2506 of Appendix A of the Zoning ordinance (i.e. 2' minor radius, 15' major radius, minimum 8' wide, 3' shorter than adjacent 19' stall).
- 24. Revise the entrance driveway to be consistent with the standard dimensions shown in Figure IX.1 and Section 11-216 of the Design and Construction Standards.

Storm Sewer

- 25. Provide a four-foot deep sump and an oil/gas separator in the last storm structure prior to discharge to the storm water basin. This can be added to the last catch basin in the network and does not need to be a separate structure.
- 26. A minimum cover depth of 3 feet shall be maintained over all storm sewers. Grades shall be elevated and minimum pipe slopes shall be used to maximize the cover depth. In situations where the minimum cover <u>cannot</u> be achieved, Class V pipe must be used with an absolute minimum cover depth of 2 feet.
- 27. Show and label all roof conductors, and indicate where they will tie into the storm sewer system on the utility layout and on storm sewer profiles.

Storm Water Management Plan

- 28. The Storm Water Management Plan (SWMP) shall comply with the Storm Water Ordinance and <u>Chapter 5 of the Engineering Design Manual</u>.
 - a. Stormwater discharge from the site shall not exceed 0.15 cfs/acre. Revise the storm water detention basin sizing calculations accordingly.
 - b. The outlet control structure shall be designed in accordance with Section 5.6.4.B of the Engineering Design Manual
- 29. Provide release rate calculations for the three design storm events (first flush, bank full, 100-year).
- 30. Provide calculations verifying the post-development runoff rate directed to the proposed receiving drainage course does not exceed the predevelopment runoff rate for the site.
- 31. Provide a soil boring in the vicinity of the storm water basin to determine soil conditions and to establish the high water elevation of the groundwater table.
- 32. An adequate maintenance access route to the basin outlet structure and any other pretreatment structures shall be provided (15 feet wide, maximum

slope of 1V:5H, and able to withstand the passage of heavy equipment). Verify the access route does not conflict with proposed landscaping.

- 33. A 4-foot wide safety shelf is required one-foot below the permanent water surface elevation within the basin.
- 34. A 25-foot vegetated buffer shall be provided around the perimeter of each storm water basin. This buffer cannot encroach onto adjacent lots or property.
- 35. Provide a 5-foot wide stone bridge allowing direct access to the standpipe from the bank of the basin during high-water conditions (i.e. stone 6-inches above high water elevation). Provide a detail and/or note as necessary.

Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control

36. A SESC permit is required. A full review has not been done at this time. The review checklist detailing all SESC requirements is attached to this letter. A SESC permit application should be submitted under a separate cover at the time of Final Site Plan submittal. The application can be found on the City's website at http://cityofnovi.org/Reference/Forms-and-Permits.aspx.

Off-Site Easements

- 37. Any off-site easements must be executed prior to final approval of the plans. Drafts shall be submitted as soon as possible for review and approval.
 - a. Off-site sanitary sewer easement
 - b. Off-site temporary construction permit
 - c. Secondary emergency access easement on property to the east
 - d. Cross-access easement with property to the east, if applicable.
 - e. Off-site portion of the Storm Drain Facility Maintenance Easement agreement, for access to the outlet control structure.

The following must be submitted with the Final Site Plan:

- 38. A letter from either the applicant or the applicant's engineer must be submitted with the Final Site Plan highlighting the changes made to the plans addressing each of the comments listed above <u>and indicating the revised sheets involved</u>.
- 39. An itemized construction cost estimate must be submitted to the Community Development Department for the determination of plan review and construction inspection fees. This estimate should only include the civil site paving and utilities and **not** any costs associated with demolition, soil erosion control, or building construction items. <u>The estimate must be itemized</u> for each utility (water, sanitary, storm sewer), on-site paving (square yardage), right-of-way paving (including proposed right-of-way), grading, and the storm water basin (basin construction, control structure, pretreatment structure and restoration).

40. Draft copies of all off-site easements listed in item 36 and payment of Legal Review escrow amount. Unused escrow will be returned to the payee at the end of the project.

The following must be submitted with the Stamping Set:

(Please note that all documents must be submitted together as a package with the Stamping Set submittal with a legal review transmittal form that can be found on the City's website. Partial submittals will <u>not</u> be accepted.)

- 41. A draft copy of the Storm Drainage Facility Maintenance Easement Agreement, as outlined in the Storm Water Management Ordinance, must be submitted to the Community Development Department. Once the form of the agreement is approved, this agreement must be approved by City Council and shall be recorded in the office of the Oakland County Register of Deeds. This document is available on our website.
- 42. A draft copy of the 20-foot wide easement for the water main to be constructed on the site must be submitted to the Community Development Department. This document is available on our website.
- 43. A draft copy of the 20-foot wide easement for the sanitary sewer and monitoring manhole to be constructed on the site must be submitted to the Community Development Department. This document is available on our website.
- 44. A draft copy of the warranty deed for the additional right-of-way along Twelve Mile Road must be submitted for acceptance by the City.
- 45. Executed copies of approved off-site easements.

The following must be addressed prior to construction:

- 46. A pre-construction meeting shall be required prior to any site work being started. Please contact Sarah Marchioni in the Community Development Department to setup a meeting (248-347-0430).
- 47. A City of Novi Grading Permit will be required prior to any grading on the site. This permit will be issued at the pre-construction meeting (no application required). No fee is required for this permit.
- 48. Material certifications must be submitted to Spalding DeDecker for review prior to the construction of any utilities on the site. Contact Ted Meadows at 248-844-5400 for more information.
- 49. Construction inspection fees in an amount to be determined must be paid to the Community Development Department.
- 50. Legal escrow fees in an amount to be determined must be deposited with the Community Development Department. Unused escrow will be returned to the payee at the end of the project. Note: This amount will include
engineering legal fees only. There may be additional legal fees for planning legal documents.

- 51. A storm water performance guarantee in an amount of equal to 120% of the estimated cost required to complete the storm water management facilities as specified in the Storm Water Management Ordinance must be posted at the Community Development Department.
- 52. Water and Sanitary Sewer Fees must be paid prior to the pre-construction meeting. Contact the Water & Sewer Division at 248-347-0498 to determine the amount of these fees.
- 53. A street sign financial guarantee in an amount of \$400 per traffic control sign proposed must be posted at the Community Development Department. Signs must be installed in accordance with MMUTCD standards.
- 54. A Soil Erosion Control Permit must be obtained from the City of Novi. Contact Sarah Marchioni in the Community Development Department, Building Division (248-347-0430) for forms and information. The financial guarantee and inspection fees will be determined during the SESC review.
- 55. A permit for work within the right-of-way must be obtained from the City of Novi. The application is available from the City Engineering Division or on the City website and may be filed once the Final Site Plan has been submitted. Please contact the Engineering Division at 248-347-0454 for further information. Only submit the cover sheet, standard details and plan sheets applicable to the permit.
- 56. A permit for work within the right-of-way of 12 Mile Road must be obtained from the Road Commission for Oakland County. Please contact the RCOC (248-858-4835) directly with any questions. The applicant must forward a copy of this permit to the City. Provide a note on the plans indicating all work within the right-of-way will be constructed in accordance with the Road Commission for Oakland County standards.
- 57. A permit for water main construction must be obtained from the MDEQ. This permit application must be submitted through the City Engineer after the water main plans have been approved. Only submit the cover sheet, overall utility sheet, standard details and plan/profile sheets applicable to the permit.
- 58. A permit for sanitary sewer construction must be obtained from the MDEQ. This permit application must be submitted through the City Engineer after the sanitary sewer plans have been approved. Only submit the cover sheet, overall utility sheet, standard details and plan/profile sheets applicable to the permit.
- 59. An inspection permit for the sanitary sewer tap must be obtained from the Oakland County Water Resource Commissioner.

To the extent this review letter addresses items and requirements that require the approval of or a permit from an agency or entity other than the City, this review shall not be considered an indication or statement that such approvals or permits will be issued.

Please contact Darcy Rechtien at (248) 735-5695 with any questions.

Dary N. Rechtien Darcy N. Rechtien, P.E.

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Sewer Unit Factor Chart

(See Notes Following Table)

Usage Type	Unit Factor	Information Source
Auto Dealers	0.300 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Barber Shops	1.000 per 1000 sq. ft.	A - C
Bars	0.044 per seat	D
Beauty Shops	0.223 per booth	D
Boarding Houses	0.160 per person	A - C
Boarding Schools	0.270 per person	A - C
Bowling Alleys (no bar, or lunch facilities)	0.160 per alley	D
Car Wash: a) Manual, Do-It-Yourself b) Semi-Automatic (mechanical without conveyor) c) Automatic (with conveyor) d) Automatic (with recycling water)	2.500 per stall 12.500 per lane 33.000 per lane 8.400 per lane	D D D D
Churches	0.008 per seat	D
Cleaners: a) Pick-up Only b) With Pressing Facilities	0.048 per employee 1.250 per press	D D
Clinics: a) Medical b) Dental	1.000 per doctor 1.400 per dentist	D D
Community Buildings	2.000 per building	D
Convalescent and/or Nursing Homes	0.300 per bed	D
Convents	0.200 per person	D
Country Clubs	0.080 per member	A - C
Day Care	0.012 per student	CITY
Drug Stores: a) With Fountain Service	0.080 per seat, plus	i Marin
b) Without Fountain Service	0.140 per 1000 sq. ft. 0.140 per 1000 sq. ft.	D D

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Sewer Unit Factor Chart (See Notes Following Table)

Factories (exclusive of excessive industrial use)	0.500 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Fraternal Organizations (members only)	1.000 per hall	D
Fraternal Organizations (members and rentals)	2.000 per hall	D
Funeral Home (including one residence)	2.200 per funeral home	D
Grocery Stores & Super Markets Grocery Stores & Super Markets	1.100 per 1000 sq. ft. 0.310 per 1000 sq. ft.	Ð D
Health Clubs: a) With Showers and/or Pool b) Without Showers and/or Pool	2.300 per 1000 sq. ft. 0.260 per 1000 sq. ft.	D D
Hospitals	1.220 per bed	A - C
Hotels and/or Motels (exclusive of swimming, pools, bars, restaurants, etc.)	0.380 per room	A - C
Laundry (self-serve)	0.540 per washer	D
Office Building	0.400 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Public Institutes (other than hospitals)	0.320 per employee	A - C
Racquet Clubs	0.820 per court	D
Residences: Mobile Home Parks & Multiple Family Residences: a) One Bedroom b) Two Bedroom c) Three or more Bedrooms Single Family Residential	0.600 per dwelling unit 0.750 per dwelling unit 1.000 per dwelling unit 1.000 per dwelling	CITY CITY CITY CITY
Restaurants: a) Conventional Type (with or without drinks) 1. Seasonal Out-door Eating 2. Banquet Section	0.130 per seat 0.130 per seat x 5/12 0.130 per seat x 25%	A - B CITY CITY
b) Quick Service Franchise Type (without dishes, dealing mainly in hamburgers, with or without eating in building. Includes, but not necessarily limited to McDonald's, Burger Chef, Burger King, Red Barn, and Hardees.)	5.600 per restaurant	D
c) All Other Restaurants (Includes, but not limited to, drive- ins, snack bars, carryouts, such as fried chicken, pizzas; could have some eating in building, all without dishes.	1.800 per restaurant	D

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Sewer Unit Factor Chart

(See Notes Following Table)

Rooming Houses (No Meals)	0.130 per person	A - C
Schools: a) Elementary b) Junior or Middle School c) High School d) Bus Maintenance Facility	0.012 per student 0.020 per student 0.038 per student 0.165 per 1000 sq. ft.	D D D D
Service Station	0.240 per pump	C - D
Store (other than specifically listed)	0.340 per 1000 sq. ft.	CITY
Summer Camps	0.140 per housing unit	D
Swimming Pool (residential excluded)	3.000 per 1000 sq. ft.	D
Theaters (drive-in)	0.012 per car space	D
Theaters (indoor)	0.008 per seat	D
Warehouses	0.100 per 1000 sq. ft.	D

Notes Pursuant to Resolutions Dated April 10, 1991 and June 7, 1999:

- In the computing of unit factors to be charged to industrial and commercial users, each separately operated business entity in a common building shall have a unit factor as set forth above (unless modified by agreement) but in no instance less than 1.00 tap unit for each separately operated business entity.
- 2) When the usage requested is not specifically identified under the "Usage Type" column, an estimated temporary tap unit assignment will be initially assigned by the City, and the USER will enter into a monitoring agreement (Exhibit A) to determine the actual tap unit assignment.

INFORMATION SOURCE:

- A Cincinnati Report
- B Gordon McDougall Report to Wayne County
- C Manual of Septic Tank Practice Publication No. 526, U.S. Department of Health
- D Oakland County Department of Public Works Studies



CITY OF NOVI ENGINEERING DIVISION SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL PLAN CHECKLIST

PROJECT:	SESC Application #:	SE	-
Contact Name:	DATE COMPLETED:		
Phone Number:	DATE OF PLAN:		
Fax Number:	STATUS:		

<u>General Requirements</u> – Following the initial Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control permit application to the Community Development Department, all SESC plan revisions shall be submitted directly to the Engineering Department for further review and/or permit approval. One (1) copy of revised soil erosion plans, including response letter addressing the comments below, shall be submitted for each subsequent review until the plan has been given approval by the Engineering Department, at which point five (5) copies will be required for permit approval. Plans shall be signed and sealed, and the bond must be submitted to the Treasurer's Office prior to permit issuance.

ITEM	ITEM	Provided	COMMENTS
NO.		on Plans	
1.	Plan shall be at scale of not more than $1" = 200'$,		
	include legal description, location, proximity to		
	lakes, streams or wetlands, slopes, etc.		
2.	Plan shall include a soil survey or a written		
	description of soil types of the exposed land area.		
3.	Plan shall show the limits of earth disruption.		
4.	Plan shall show tree protection fencing and		
	location of trees to be protected.		
5.	Plan shall show all existing and proposed on-site		
	drainage and dewatering facilities (i.e. structure		
	details, rim elev., etc.)		
6.	Detailed sequence of construction shall be		
	provided on plans structured similar to the		
	following, supplemented with site specific items:		
	1) Install tracking mat, 2) Install temp. SESC measures, 3) Construct storm water basins and install		
	treatment structures, if applicable, 4) Install storm		
	sewer, with inlet protection to follow immediately, 5)		
	Remove all temp. SESC measures once site is		
	stabilized.		
7.	Plan must address maintenance of soil erosion		
	and sedimentation control measures (temporary		
	and permanent)		
8.	Provide a note stating if dewatering is anticipated		
	or encountered during construction a dewatering		
	plan must be submitted to the Engineering		
	Division for review.		
9.	A grading plan shall be provided, or grade		
	information shown on plan.		

10.	Note that it is the developer's responsibility to				
	grade and stabilize disturbances due to the				
	installation of public utilities.				
11.	The CSWO shall be listed on permit application.				
12.	Plan sealed by registered civil engineer with original signature.				
13.	An itemized cost estimate (Silt Fence, Inlet Filters, Topsoil/Seed/Mulch, Const. Access, etc.) shall be provided.	The \$ The \$		guarantee on fees	
14.	Potential stockpile areas shall be shown on the plan, with note stating a ring of silt fence will be installed surrounding any stockpiled material.				
15.	Sediment basin: Provide filter on standpipe outlet structure until site is stabilized, then removed. Noted on plan and standpipe detail(s).				
16.	Provide a note on the plan stating the storm water basin will be stabilized prior to directing flow to the basin.				
17.	Pretreatment Structures: Noted to inspect weekly for sediment accumulation until site is stabilized, and will clean as required.				
18.	Attach the Oakland County standard detail sheet.				
19.	Construction mud tracking entrance: 75'x20', 6" of 1" to 3" stone, on geotextile fabric.				
20.	Silt fence: 6" anchor trench, stakes 6' on center. Prominent line type on plan, with legend.				
21.	Provide Silt Sack with overflow capability as the inlet protection, and provide detail on plans.				
22.	Catch basin inlet filters shall be provided on existing roadways along construction route for reasonable distance from site.				
23.	Street sweeping and dust control shall be noted on plan as responsibility of contractor.				
24.	Vegetation shall be established within 5 days of final grade, or whenever disturbed areas will remain unchanged for 30 days or greater. 3-4" of topsoil will be used where vegetation is required.		 		
25.	Vegetated buffer strips (25' wide wherever possible) shall be created or retained along the edges of all water bodies, water courses or wetlands.				
26.	Diversion berms or terracing shall be implemented where necessary.				
27.	All drainage ditches shall be stabilized with erosion control blanket and shall utilize check				

	dams as necessary. Drainage ditches steeper than 3% shall be sodded.	
28.	Slopes steeper than 1V:6H (16%) shall be stabilized with erosion control blanket. Add this note as a general note, and also in a prominent location near any berm, etc. where a significant slope is proposed.	
29.	All culvert end sections must contain grouted rip- rap in accordance with ordinance specifications.	
ADDI	TIONAL COMMENTS:	
p	Please note that installation of silt fencing or tree prot pre-construction meeting. When natural features exis prior to installation of the fencing.	a 1

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Reviewed By:

LEGAL REVIEW TRANSMITTAL FORM Engineering Documents (Include the Transmittal with every submittal)			CITY USE ONLY Date Received:		
cityofnovi.org PROJECT INFORMA	TION: (To be filled by Staff)				Legal Permit No:
Site Plan No:	JSP18-0030				PL18-0039
Project Name:	Stoneridge West II				Engineer:
Site Address:					DNR
PRIMARY CONTACT	INFORMATION : (To be filled by Applicant)	1			
Contact Name:			Phone:		
Company:			E-mail:		
Contact Address:					
TYPE OF DOCUMEN	TS SUBMITTING: (To be filled by Staff)				
✓ Initial Draft					
Revised Draf					
	and Notarized (Sign in black ink only or C e on the easement form should be signed b			the pror	perty
	are also accepted via e-mail for Initial a				
2. Hard Copies a	re required for Final signed and Notarize	ed sub	omittal		
	uld be letter or legal sized (24" x 36" will	not b	e accept	ed unle	ss requested)
	REQUIRED: (To be filled by Staff)				
	below should be submitted together. In				
10: Off-site Tit	5				ty Deed (add'l on ex. rd.)
	mporary Construction Agreement				ty Deed (new road)
12: Off-Site St	orm Sewer and Drainage Easement		25: Roads	Bill Of Sa	ale
✓ 13: Off-Site Sa	initary Sewer Easement	2	26: Roads	Sworn S	tatement
14: Off-Site W	ater Main Easement	(Signed by	/ DEVELO	OPER Only)
15: Title Policy	,	2	27: Roads	Waivers	OfLien
16: Storm Dra	in Facility Maintenance Easement	(Signed by	(ROADS	SCONTRACTOR Only)
17: Sanitary S	ewer Easement	2	28: Ingress	-Egress I	Easement
18: Sanitary Se	ewer Manhole Access Easement	~ 2	29: Cross-A	Access E	asement
19: Water Ma	19: Water Main Easement 30: Emergency Access Easement				ccess Easement
20: Utilities Bill	20: Utilities Bill of Sale (SanSew/WM) 31: Sidewalk or Pathway Easement			thway Easement	
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(Signed by DEVELOPER Only) 33: Other					
22: Utility Waivers Of Lien					
(Signed by UTILITY CONTRACTOR Only)					
MAINTENANCE/FINANCIAL GUARANTEES					
Submit directly to Bond Coordinator under SEPARATE COVER. For any questions, call Angela Pawlowski, @ 248-347-0441					

Additional Documents may be required during the review process



PLAN REVIEW CENTER REPORT

August 21, 2018 <u>Preliminary Site Plan - Landscaping</u> Stoneridge West II

<u>Review Type</u> Preliminary Landscape Review Job # JSP18-0030

Property Characteristics

- Site Location:
- Site Acreage:
- Site Zoning:
- Adjacent Zoning:
- Aujacent zoning.
- North: R-1, East & West: OS-1, South: 12 Mile Road 7/30/2018

44244 Twelve Mile Road

4.5 acres

OS-1

Plan Date:

Ordinance Considerations

This project was reviewed for conformance with Chapter 37: Woodland Protection, Zoning Article 5.5 Landscape Standards, the Landscape Design Manual and any other applicable provisions of the Zoning Ordinance. Items in **bold** below must be addressed and incorporated as part of the revised Preliminary/Final Site Plan submittal. Please follow guidelines of the Zoning Ordinance and Landscape Design Guidelines. This review and the accompanying Landscape Chart are summaries and are not intended to substitute for any Ordinance.

Recommendation

This project is **recommended for approval.** There are two landscape waivers required but both are supported by staff. Changes recommended below can be addressed on Final Site Plans.

Landscape Waivers

- 1. Deficiency in total foundation landscape area provided. This waiver is supported by staff because the site will be heavily and attractively landscaped and only the limited paved areas of the buildings are not landscaped as required. There is a large landscaped open space between Buildings A and B that includes the detention pond and other landscaped area.
- 2. Use of a gray dogwood screen along the western half of the parking lot in place of the required 4.5-6' berm. This waiver is supported by staff because more of the wetland would have to be filled if the required berm was built along the entire northern frontage.

Ordinance Considerations

Existing Soils (Preliminary Site Plan checklist #10, #17) Provided.

Existing and proposed overhead and underground utilities, including hydrants (LDM 2.e.(4))

- 1. Provided.
- 2. The street trees proposed may need to be converted to subcanopy trees at a rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree if they are within 15 feet of the overhead lines.

Existing Trees (Sec 37 Woodland Protection, Preliminary Site Plan checklist #17 and LDM 2.3 (2))

1. No woodland trees appear to exist on the site. Existing landscape trees are located and identified.

2. Please show the required tree and silt fencing consistently between the demolition, grading and landscape plans.

Adjacent to Residential - Buffer (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.B.ii and iii)

- 1. Property is adjacent to Residential on the north side.
- 2. The required 4.5-6 foot tall buffer is provided on for the east half of the site.
- 3. A dense screen of gray dogwoods is proposed as screening for the west half of the site in lieu of the required berm. A landscape waiver is required for this deviation from the ordinance.
- 4. A request for this waiver would be supported by staff because less of the wetland would be disturbed using the dogwoods instead of building the full berm.

<u>Adjacent to Public Rights-of-Way – Berm (Wall) & Buffer (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.B.ii and iii)</u> The required berm and landscaping are provided along the Twelve Mile Road frontage.

Street Tree Requirements (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.E.i.c and LDM 1.d.)

- 1. The required trees are provided.
- 2. As noted above, subcanopy trees may be required in place of the canopy trees, depending on the position of the trees relative to the overhead lines.
- 3. If the trees are within 15 feet of the lines, please make this conversion.
- 4. The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC) will need to make the ultimate determination on whether the trees can be planted. If they deny some or all of the trees, please provide us with a copy of the denial.

Parking Lot Landscaping (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.C.)

- 1. Based on the vehicular use areas, 3,922 sf of islands and 20 trees are required. 5,651 sf of islands and 20 trees are provided.
- 2. The island with the hydrant at the southeast corner of Building A should be enlarged and a canopy tree should be planted in it at least 10 feet from the hydrant to meet the requirement for endcap landscape islands for each parking bay.

Parking Lot Perimeter Canopy Trees (Zoning Sec. 5.5.3.C.(3) Chart footnote)

- 1. Based on the 1,219 linear feet of parking lot periphery, 36 canopy trees are required.
- 2. 32 trees, including 9 evergreen trees along the east edge, and 9 shared greenbelt trees are provided to meet this requirement.

Loading Zone screening (Zoning Sec. 3.14, 3.15, 4.55, 4.56, 5.5)

The loading zone will be screened from the north by a dense planting of gray dogwoods.

Building Foundation Landscape (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.D.)

- 1. Based on the net building foundations' peripheries, 9,840sf of foundation landscape area is required, but only 8,933sf (91% of the requirement) is provided. This shortage requires a landscape waiver.
- 2. As the deficiency is not significant, and the large detention/landscape area provides area far in excess of the deficiency, exclusive of the pond, this waiver request is supported by staff.
- 3. Greater than 60% of the frontages of the buildings facing Twelve Mile Road are landscaped.

Plant List (LDM 2.h. and t.)

Please add the standard costs for seed, sod and mulch to the cost summary.

Planting Notations and Details (LDM)

Please see the landscape chart for a detailed discussion of details and notes.

Storm Basin Landscape (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.E.iv and LDM 1.d.(3)

- 1. Sufficient cover of the periphery is provided with 3 species of shrubs native to Michigan.
- 2. Please survey the site for Phragmites australis. If any is found, please note it on the existing conditions sheet, and propose a plan for complete removal of it from the site.

Irrigation (LDM 1.a.(1)(e) and 2.s)

The proposed landscaping must be provided with sufficient water to become established and survive over the long term. Please note how this will be accomplished if an irrigation plan is not provided.

Proposed topography. 2' contour minimum (LDM 2.e.(1))

1. Provided.

2. Please copy the berms shown on the landscape plan to the Grading plans.

Snow Deposit (LDM.2.q.)

Provided.

Proposed trees to be saved (Sec 37 Woodland Protection 37-9, LDM 2.e.(1))

- 1. It appears that no woodlands exist on the site so no replacements are required
- 2. Please see the ECT woodland and wetland review for a discussion of any woodland replacements that may be required.

Corner Clearance (Zoning Sec 5.9)

Provided.

If the applicant has any questions concerning the above review or the process in general, do not hesitate to contact me at 248.735.5621 or <u>rmeader@cityofnovi.org</u>.

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Rick Meader - Landscape Architect

LANDSCAPE REVIEW SUMMARY CHART - Preliminary Site Plan

Review Date:	August 21, 2018	All landscape comments to be
Project Name:	JSP18– 0030: Stoneridge West II	addressed by the NFE Landscape
Plan Date:	July 30, 2018	Architect prior to the next plan submittal
Prepared by:	Rick Meader, Landscape Architect E- Phone: (248) 735-5621	mail: <u>rmeader@cityofnovi.org;</u>

Items in **Bold** need to be addressed by the applicant before approval of the Preliminary Site Plan. <u>Underlined</u> items need to be addressed for Final Site Plan.

Landscape Waivers:

Please consider approval of these two Landscape waivers

- 1. Deficiency in total foundation landscape area provided. This waiver is supported because the site will be heavily and attractively landscaped and only the limited paved areas of the buildings are not landscaped as required. There is a large landscaped open space between Buildings A and B that includes the detention pond and other landscaped area.
- 2. Use of a gray dogwood screen along the western half of the parking lot in place of the required 4.5-6' berm. This waiver is supported by staff because more of the wetland would have to be filled if the required berm was built along the entire northern frontage.

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
Landscape Plan Requir	ements (LDM (2)			
Landscape Plan (Zoning Sec 5.5.2, LDM 2.e.)	 New commercial or residential developments Addition to existing building greater than 25% increase in overall footage or 400 SF whichever is less. 1" = 20' minimum with proper North. Variations from this scale can be approved by LA Consistent with plans throughout set 	Scale 1"=30'	Yes	
Project Information (LDM 2.d.)	Name and Address	Yes	Yes	
Owner/Developer Contact Information (LDM 2.a.)	Name, address and telephone number of the owner and developer or association	Yes	Yes	
Landscape Architect contact information (LDM 2.b.)	Name, Address and telephone number of RLA	Yes	Yes	
Sealed by LA. (LDM 2.g.)	Requires original signature	Yes	Yes	Need for Final Site Plans
Miss Dig Note (800) 482-7171 (LDM.3.a.(8))	Show on all plan sheets	Yes	Yes	

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
Zoning (LDM 2.f.)	Include all adjacent zoning	<u>Parcel:</u> OS-1 <u>North:</u> R-1 <u>East, West:</u> OS-1 <u>South:</u> 12 Mile Rd	Yes	
Survey information (LDM 2.c.)	 Legal description or boundary line survey Existing topography 	Sheet C1	Yes	
Existing plant material Existing woodlands or wetlands (LDM 2.e.(2))	 Show location type and size. Label to be saved or removed. Plan shall state if none exists. 	Sheets C1, C2, L1	Yes	 The trees to be removed may not be regulated trees. If this is the case, they would not need to be replaced. See the ECT review for detailed reviews of wetlands and woodlands. Please show silt and tree protection fencing on C2. Make sure the fence lines on C2 and L1 match.
Soil types (LDM.2.r.)	 As determined by Soils survey of Oakland county Show types, boundaries 	Sheets C7, L2	Yes	
Existing and proposed improvements (LDM 2.e.(4))	Existing and proposed buildings, easements, parking spaces, vehicular use areas, and R.O.W	Yes	Yes	
Existing and proposed utilities (LDM 2.e.(4))	Overhead and underground utilities, including hydrants	Yes	Yes	 The overhead line along 12 Mile Road may require the use of subcanopy trees at the rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree required if the larger trees will impact/be impacted by the lines. Please check the spacing and make the change if required.
Proposed grading. 2' contour minimum (LDM 2.e.(1))	Provide proposed contours at 2' interval	 Spot elevations provided on Sheet C4. ROW berm 	Yes	1. Please make sure greenbelt berm contours on C4 match those on

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		elevations shown on landscape plan.		Landscape plan, which show required undulations. 2. The berm contours adjacent to the parking lot at the north end of the site should also appear on C4 as they are shown on L1 and L2.
Snow deposit (LDM.2.q.)	Show snow deposit areas on plan	Yes	Yes	
LANDSCAPING REQUIRE	EMENTS			
Parking Area Landscap	e Requirements LDM 1.c. &	Calculations (LDM 2.0	.)	
General requirements (LDM 1.c)	 Clear sight distance within parking islands No evergreen trees 	Yes	Yes	
Name, type and number of ground cover (LDM 1.c.(5))	As proposed on planting islands	Sod is indicated on islands.	Yes	
General (Zoning Sec 5.	5.3.C.ii)			
Parking lot Islands (a, b. i)	 A minimum of 200 SF to qualify A minimum of 200sf unpaved area per tree planted in an island 6" curbs Islands minimum width 10' BOC to BOC 	Yes	Yes	
Curbs and Parking stall reduction (c)	Parking stall can be reduced to 17' and the curb to 4" adjacent to a sidewalk of minimum 7 ft.	Dimensions shown on C3	Yes	
Contiguous space limit (i)	Maximum of 15 contiguous spaces	15 is maximum bay length	Yes	 Endcap islands and islands used to break up bays must be landscaped with a deciduous canopy tree. Please enlarge the island at the southeast corner of Building A, at the south end of the parking bay, and add a canopy tree at least 10 feet from the hydrant.

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Plantings around Fire Hydrant (d)	No plantings with matured height greater than 12' within 10 ft. of fire hydrants	All trees are at least 10 feet from structures and 5 feet from underground lines.	Yes		
Landscaped area (g)	Areas not dedicated to parking use or driveways exceeding 100 sq. ft. shall be landscaped	Yes	Yes		
U U	 25 ft corner clearance required. Refer to Zoning Section 5.5.9 Show Road Commission for Oakland County clear vision zones for roads under RCOC jurisdiction. DS-2, OSC, OST, B-1, B-2, B-3 district (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.C. 		No C-1, RC, Sp	 Please indicate clear vision zone per RCOC regulations for 12 Mile Road entry. Remove any shrubs taller than 30" or trees from the zone. If RCOC does not allow some or all of the Road street trees, the disallowed trees do not need to be planted, but documentation of that ruling must be provided. ecial Land Use or non- 	
A = Total square footage of vehicular use areas up to 50,000sf x 7.5%	 A = x sf * 7.5 % = A sf 50,000 * 7.5% = 3750 sf 				
B = Total square footage of additional paved vehicular use areas (not including A or B) over 50,000 SF) x 1 %	 B = x sf * 1% = B sf (67,152 - 50000) * 1% = 172 sf 				
Category 2: For: I-1 and I-2 (Zoning Sec 5.5.3.C.iii)					
A. = Total square footage of vehicular use area up to 50,000 sf x 5%	A = x sf * 5% = A sf	NA			
B = Total square footage of additional paved vehicular use areas over 50,000 SF x 0.5%	B = 0.5% x 0 sf = B SF	NA			
All Categories					
C = A+B Total square footage	3750 + 172 = 3922 SF	5651 sf	Yes		

ltem	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
of landscaped islands				
D = C/200 Number of canopy trees required	• 3922/200 = 20 Trees	20 trees	Yes	
Perimeter Green space	 1 Canopy tree per 35 lf 1219/35 = 36 trees 	32 trees + 9 double- counted greenbelt trees	Yes	
Access way perimeter	 1 canopy tree per 35 lf on each side of road, less widths of access drives. 53/35 = 2 trees on each side 	Calculations include accessway	Yes	
Parking land banked	• NA	None		
Berms, Walls and ROW	Planting Requirements			
Berms				
 Berm should be locat Berms should be constant 	a maximum slope of 33%. G ed on lot line except in cor structed with 6" of top soil.	nflict with utilities.	ouraged. St	now 1ft. contours
Residential Adjacent to	Non-residential (Sec 5.5.3.	A) & (LDM 1.a)	1	T · · · · ·
Berm requirements (Zoning Sec 5.5.A)	Landscaped berm 4.5-6 feet high required between site and residential property to north	 4.5-6' berm provided on east half of parking lot. Dense planting of gray dogwood planted along west half of parking lot for screening. 	Yes/No	 A landscape waiver is required to not provide the required berm along the entire northern parking lot frontage The waiver request for the use of the dogwoods instead of a berm on the western half of the frontage would be supported by staff because building the entire required berm would impact more of the wetland.
Planting requirements (LDM 1.a.)	LDM Novi Street Tree List	NA		
Adjacent to Public Righ	ts-of-Way (Sec 5.5.B) and (LDM 1.b)		
Berm requirements (Zoning Sec	An undulating berm a minimum of 3 feet high with a 3 foot wide crest	Berm 2.5 ft (max) tall with 1 ft wide	No	Please match the contours shown on the landscape plan, which shows the required
5.5.3.A.(5))	is required along 12 Mile Road	crest		undulations, on the Grading Plan.

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Slope, height and width	 Label contour lines Maximum 33% Min. 3 feet flat horizontal area Minimum 3 feet high Constructed of loam with 6' top layer of topsoil. 	Yes		Please add callouts to detail showing that it is constructed of loam with a 6" top layer of topsoil.
Type of Ground Cover		NA		
Setbacks from Utilities	Overhead utility lines and 15 ft. setback from edge of utility or 20 ft. setback from closest pole	NA		
Walls (LDM 2.k & Zoning	y Sec 5.5.3.vi)			
Material, height and type of construction footing	Freestanding walls should have brick or stone exterior with masonry or concrete interior	No walls are proposed		
Walls greater than 3 ½ ft. should be designed and sealed by an Engineer		NA		
ROW Landscape Scree	ning Requirements (Sec 5.5.	3.B. ii)		
Greenbelt width (2)(3) (5)	Adj. to Parking: 20 ft.	20 ft	Yes	
Min. berm crest width	3 ft	1-3 ft max width		20 foot wide greenbelt does not allow undulations and full 3 foot crest.
Minimum berm height (9)	3 ft	4 ft max height	Yes	
3' wall	(4)(7)	None		
Canopy deciduous or large evergreen trees Notes (1) (10)	 Adj to Parking: 1 tree per 35 lf (332-31)/35 = 9 trees 	9 trees	Yes	
Sub-canopy deciduous trees Notes (2)(10)	 Parking: 1 tree per 20 lf (332-31)/20 = 15 trees 	15 trees	Yes	
Canopy deciduous trees in area between sidewalk and curb (Novi Street Tree List)	 Parking & No Parking: 1 tree per 35 lf (332 - 92 ft)/35 = 7 trees 	7 trees	Yes	 Please make sure with RCOC that trees can be planted. If they can't, provide us a copy of their denial. If the overhead wires are within 15 feet of

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
				the trees, please use subcanopy trees at a rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree required.
	Sec 5.5.3.E.iii & LDM 1.d (2) N, building foundation land		dscaping a	nd LDM
Interior Street to Industrial subdivision (LDM 1.d.(2))	 1 canopy deciduous or 1 large evergreen per 35 l.f. along ROW No evergreen trees closer than 20 ft. 3 sub canopy trees per 40 l.f. of total linear frontage Plant massing for 25% of ROW 	NA		
Screening of outdoor storage, loading/unloading (Zoning Sec. 3.14, 3.15, 4.55, 4.56, 5.5)		A dense line of gray dogwoods is proposed to screen the loading area from the north.	Yes	
Transformers/Utility boxes (LDM 1.e from 1 through 5)	 A minimum of 2ft. separation between box and the plants Ground cover below 4" is allowed up to pad. No plant materials within 8 ft. from the doors 	Transformers at each building are fully screened.	Yes	If any transformer locations are added, screening shrubs per standard detail are required.
Building Foundation La	ndscape Requirements (Sec	c 5.5.3.D)		
Interior site landscaping SF	 Equals to entire perimeter of the building x 8 with a minimum width of 4 ft. A: (428-18)lf x 8ft = 3280 sf B: (428-18)lf x 8ft = 3280 sf C: (428-18)lf x 8ft = 3280 sf Total area: 9,840 sf 	Total area provided: 8,933 sf (91% of requirement)	No	 A landscape waiver is required for the deficiency in foundation landscaping. The waiver request is supported by staff because the buildings are all heavily landscaped and the open space between Buildings A and B is attractively landscaped and provides more than the additional required landscaping.

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Zoning Sec 5.5.3.D.ii. All items from (b) to (e) If visible from public street a minimum of 60 of the exterior building perimeter should be covered in green space		77% of Building A's frontage and 82% of Building C's frontage facing 12 Mile Road will be landscaped.	Yes					
Detention/Retention Ba	Detention/Retention Basin Requirements (Sec. 5.5.3.E.iv)							
Planting requirements (Sec. 5.5.3.E.iv)	 Clusters of large native shrubs (at least 3 species) shall cover 70- 75% of the basin rim area 10" to 14" tall grass along sides of basin Refer to wetland for basin mix 	 It appears that at least 70% of the basin rims will be landscaped with large shrubs. 3 native species are used. Seed mix instructions are provided. 	Yes					
Phragmites Control (Sec 5.5.6.C)	 Any and all populations of Phragmites australis on site shall be included on tree survey. Treat populations per MDEQ guidelines and requirements to eradicate the weed from the site. 	None indicated	TBD	 Please survey the site for any populations of <i>Phragmites</i> <i>australis</i> and submit plans for its removal. If none is found, please indicate that on the survey. 				
LANDSCAPING NOTES,	DETAILS AND GENERAL REQU	JIREMENTS						
	ze City of Novi Standard No	otes	1	1				
Installation date (LDM 2.1. & Zoning Sec 5.5.5.B)	Provide intended date	Between Mar 15 and Nov 15.	No	Please add note				
Maintenance & Statement of intent (LDM 2.m & Zoning Sec 5.5.6)	 Include statement of intent to install and guarantee all materials for 2 years. Include a minimum one cultivation in June, July and August for the 2-year warranty period. 	Yes	Yes	Please have all of the City of Novi Notes printed darker.				
Plant source (LDM 2.n & LDM 3.a.(2))	(LDM 2.n & LDM Shall be northern hursery grown. No 1 grade		Yes					
3.a.(2))aIrrigation plan (LDM 2.s.)A fully automatic irrigation system or a method of providing sufficient water for plant establishment and survival is required on		A note indicates that an automatic irrigation system will be provided.		1. <u>Please add irrigation</u> <u>plan or information</u> <u>as to how plants will</u> <u>be watered</u> <u>sufficiently for</u> <u>establishment and</u>				

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	Final Site Plans.			long- term survival on Final Site Plans.2. If xeriscaping is used, please provide information about
Other information (LDM 2.u)	Required by Planning Commission	NA		
Establishment period (Zoning Sec 5.5.6.B)	2 yr. Guarantee	Yes	Yes	Please change General Landscape Note #6 to show a 2-year period, and note that failing material should be replaced within 3 months of discovery.
Approval of substitutions. (Zoning Sec 5.5.5.E)	City must approve any substitutions in writing prior to installation.	Yes	Yes	
Plant List (LDM 2.h.) - Ir	nclude all cost estimates			
Quantities and sizes		Yes	Yes	
Root type	Refer to LDM suggested plant list	Yes	Yes	
Botanical and common names		Yes	Yes	14 of 24 species are native to Michigan (58%).
Type and amount of lawn		No	No	Please add areas in SY of sod and seed in cost table.
Cost estimate (LDM 2.t)	For all new plantings, mulch and sod as listed on the plan	No	No	Please add areas and costs of sod and seed in cost table.
Planting Details/Info (L	DM 2.i) – Utilize City of Novi	Standard Details		
Canopy Deciduous Tree		Yes	Yes	 None of the planting details printed correctly. Please check future plans to be sure they are visible.
Evergreen Tree	Refer to LDM for detail	Yes	Yes	See above
Multistem Tree	drawings	Yes	Yes	See above
Shrub		Yes	Yes	See above
Perennial/ Ground Cover		Yes	Yes	See above
Tree stakes and guys. (Wood stakes, fabric guys)		Yes	Yes	See above
Tree protection fencing	Located at Critical Root Zone (1' outside of	Yes	Yes	

Item	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
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Other Plant Material Re	quirements (LDM 3)	L		
General Conditions (LDM 3.a)	Plant materials shall not be planted within 4 ft. of property line			
Plant Materials & Existing Plant Material (LDM 3.b)	Clearly show trees to be removed and trees to be saved.	Yes	Yes	
Landscape tree credit (LDM3.b.(d))	Substitutions to landscape standards for preserved canopy trees outside woodlands/ wetlands should be approved by LA. Refer to Landscape tree Credit Chart in LDM	No		
Plant Sizes for ROW, Woodland replacement and others (LDM 3.c)	2.5" canopy trees6' evergreen trees	Yes	Yes	
Plant size credit (LDM3.c.(2))	NA	No		
Prohibited Plants (LDM 3.d)	No plants on City Invasive Species List	None	Yes	
Recommended trees for planting under overhead utilities (LDM 3.e)	Label the distance from the overhead utilities		TBD	As noted above, if the street trees are too close to the overhead lines, subcanopy trees should be used at a rate of 1.5 trees per canopy tree.
Collected or Transplanted trees (LDM 3.f)		No		
Nonliving Durable Material: Mulch (LDM 4)	 Trees shall be mulched to 3" depth and shrubs, groundcovers to 2" depth Specify natural color, finely shredded hardwood bark mulch. Include in cost estimate. Refer to section for additional information 	Yes	Yes	Please change the pea in General Landscape Note #11 to compost.

NOTES:

1. This table is a working summary chart and not intended to substitute for any Ordinance or City of Novi

It	em	Required	Proposed	Meets Code	Comments
2	 requirements or standards. 2. The section of the applicable ordinance or standard is indicated in parenthesis. For the landscape requirements, please see the Zoning Ordinance landscape section 5.5 and the Landscape Design 				
3	Manual for the appropriate items under the applicable zoning classification.Please include a written response to any points requiring clarification or for any corresponding site plan modifications to the City of Novi Planning Department with future submittals.				corresponding site plan



ECT Project No. 180513-0100

August 23, 2018

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As noted on p. 6 of 8: All wetland comments will be addressed prior to receiving wetland approval of the Final Site Plan.

Re: Stoneridge West II (JSP18-0030) Wetland Review of the Preliminary Site Plan (PSP18-0117)

Dear Ms. McBeth:

Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc. (ECT) has reviewed the Preliminary Site Plan for the proposed Stoneridge West II project prepared by Nowak & Fraus Engineers dated July 30, 2018 and stamped "Received" by the City of Novi Community Development Department on August 2, 2018 (Plan). The Plan was reviewed for conformance with the City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance and the natural features setback provisions in the Zoning Ordinance.

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Wetlands. The Applicant shall address the items noted in the *Wetland Comments* Section of this letter prior to receiving Wetland approval of the Final Site Plan.

Item	Required/Not Required/Not Applicable
Wetland Permit (specify Non-Minor or Minor)	Required (Minor)
Wetland Mitigation	Not Required
Wetland Buffer Authorization	Required
MDEQ Permit	Not Required
Wetland Conservation Easement	Not Required

The proposed project is located north of Twelve Mile Road and east of Dixon Road in Section 10 (Parcel ID 50-22-10-400-067). The Plan includes the construction of two (2) proposed 1-story medical office buildings (+/- 10,000 square feet), a 2-story medical office building (+/- 20,000 square feet), associated parking, utilities and stormwater detention basin.

Based on our review of the Plan, Novi GIS, the City of Novi Official Wetlands and Woodlands Maps and Novi aerial photos, the subject site appears to contain areas of existing wetland as well as existing trees, however the City's Wetland and Woodland Map does not appear to indicate the presence of City-Regulated Wetlands or Woodlands on the subject property (see Figure 1).

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Wetland Evaluation

Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc. (ECT) conducted a wetland evaluation for the proposed project site on August 22, 2018. ECT's in-office review of available materials included the City of Novi Regulated Wetland and Watercourse map (see Figure 1), USGS topographic quadrangle map, NRCS soils map, and USFWS National Wetland Inventory map. The Plan indicates one (1) wetland area located in the northwest portion of the site (Wetland A; flags A1 to A11), however this wetland area is not indicated on the City's Regulated Wetlands Map.

The focus of the site inspection was to review site conditions in order to determine whether City-regulated wetlands are found on-site. Wetland boundary flagging was not apparent in the field at the time of this site inspection. Based on the existing vegetation and topography however, it is ECT's assessment that the on-site wetlands have been accurately portrayed on the Plan.

The following is a brief description of the on-site wetland features:

Wetland A (Wetland Flags A1 to A11) – Emergent wetland located in the northwest portion of the site. The on-site area of Wetland A is listed as 21,771 square feet (0.50-acre). The dominant wetland vegetation includes reed canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*) and dogbane (*Apocynum cannabinum*). This wetland continues off-site to the north and west.

Wetland Impact Review

Currently, the Plan indicates one (1) direct impact to Wetland A for the purpose of constructing the proposed parking area (see *Wetland Plan*, Sheet C6). The total amount of direct (i.e., fill or excavation) impact to on-site wetlands currently indicated is 5,882 square feet (0.14-acre).

The following table summarizes the proposed wetland impacts as listed on the Wetland Plan (Sheet C6):

Wetland	Area (Acres)	City Regulated?	MDEQ Regulated?	Impact Area (Sq. Ft.)	Impact Area (acre)	Estimated Impact Volume (cubic yards)
А	0.50	Yes City Regulated /Essential	No	5,882	0.14-acre	Not Indicated
TOTAL	0.50			5,882	0.14-acre	Not Indicated

Table 1. Proposed Wetland Impacts

In addition to the proposed wetland impacts, the Plan proposes disturbance to on-site 25-foot wetland buffer area. The following table summarizes the proposed impacts to the 25-foot wetland buffer:



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Wetland	Buffer Area (Acres)	City Regulated?	Impact Area (Sq. Ft.)	Impact Area (acre)
А	0.19	Yes City Regulated /Essential	5,896	0.14-acre
TOTAL	0.19		5,896	0.14-acre

Table 2. Proposed Wetland Buffer Impacts

The Plans currently indicate and quantify the areas of existing wetland and 25-foot wetland buffer. The areas of proposed wetland and wetland buffer impacts are also indicated on the Plan. The applicant shall provide information on subsequent plans that clearly indicates the volume of proposed wetland fill/excavation (cubic yards). This information is required before any necessary City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Permits or Authorization to Encroach Upon the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback letters can be issued.

<u>Regulatory Status - MDEQ</u>

ECT has evaluated the on-site wetlands and believes that they are considered to be essential/regulated by the City of Novi as they meet one or more of the essentiality criteria (i.e., functions and values) outlined in the City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance. As noted, the wetlands appear to accurately flagged in the field and appear to indicated accurately on the *Wetland Plan* (Sheet C6).

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) generally regulates wetlands that are within 500 feet of an inland lake, pond, or stream, or within 1,000 feet of a Great Lake, Lake St. Clair, the St. Clair River, or the Detroit River. Isolated wetlands five (5) acres in size or greater are also regulated. The MDEQ may also exert regulatory control over isolated wetlands less than five acres in size "...if the department determines that protection of the area is essential to the preservation of the natural resources of the state from pollution, impairment, or destruction and the department has notified the owner".

ECT has been provided correspondence between the MDEQ and Nowak & Fraus Engineers (e-mail dated Monday, August 20, 2018) that states that the on-site wetland is not regulated by State law and that a wetland permit from the MDEQ is not required for this project.

<u>Regulatory Status – City of Novi</u>

The City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance (City of Novi Code of Ordinances, Part II, Chapter 12, Article V.; Division 2.) describes the regulatory criteria for wetlands and review standards for wetland permit applications. The City of Novi regulates wetlands that are: (1) contiguous to a lake, pond, river or stream, as defined in Administrative Rule 281.921; (2) two (2) acres in size or greater; or (3) less than two (2) acres in size but deemed essential to the preservation of the natural resources of the city under the criteria set forth in subsection 12-174(b). Wetlands deemed regulated by the City of Novi require the approval of a use permit for any proposed impacts to the wetland.

ECT has evaluated the areas of on-site wetland and believes the wetland is regulated by the City's Wetland and Watercourse Protection Ordinance because it meets one or more of the essentiality criteria in the Ordinance (i.e., stormwater storage and wildlife habitat).



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It should be noted that in those cases where an activity results in the impact to wetland areas of 0.25-acre or greater that are deemed essential under City of Novi Ordinance subsection 12-174(b) mitigation shall be required. The applicant shall submit a mitigation plan which provides for the establishment of replacement wetlands at a ratio of 1:1 through 2:1 times the area of the natural wetland impaired or destroyed, if impacts meet or exceed the 0.25-acre threshold. In general, the MDEQ's threshold for the requirement of wetland mitigation is 0.3-acre of wetland impacts. Wetland mitigation does not appear to be a requirement of the current Plan as the total wetland impact is 0.14-acre.

As noted above, any proposed use of the wetlands will require a City of Novi *Wetland Use Permit* as well as an *Authorization to Encroach the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback* for any proposed impacts to the 25-foot wetland buffers. The applicant is urged to minimize impacts to on-site wetlands and wetland setbacks to the greatest extent practicable. The City regulates wetland buffers/setbacks. Article 24, Schedule of Regulations, of the Zoning Ordinance states that:

"There shall be maintained in all districts a wetland and watercourse setback, as provided herein, unless and to the extent, it is determined to be in the public interest not to maintain such a setback. The intent of this provision is to require a minimum setback from wetlands and watercourses".

Finally, as proposed, the project will require a City of Novi Minor Use wetland permit. The granting or denying of nonresidential minor use permits shall be the responsibility of the Community Development Department. A nonresidential minor use permit is a permit for activities consisting of no more than one (1) of the following activities which have a minimal environmental effect:

- a. Minor fills of three hundred (300) cubic yards or less and not exceeding ten thousand (10,000) square feet in a wetland area, providing the fill consists of clean, nonpolluting materials which will not cause siltation and do not contain soluble chemicals or organic matter which is biodegradable, and providing that any upland on the property is utilized to the greatest degree possible. All fills shall be stabilized with sod, or seeded, fertilized and mulched, or planted with other native vegetation, or riprapped as necessary to prevent soil erosion.
- b. Installation of a single water outfall provided that the outlet is riprapped or otherwise stabilized to prevent soil erosion.
- c. Watercourse crossings by utilities, pipelines, cables and sewer lines which meet all of the following design criteria:
 - i. The method of construction proposed is the least disturbing to the environment employable at the given site;
 - ii. The diameter of pipe, cable or encasement does not exceed twenty (20) inches;
 - iii. A minimum of thirty (30) inches of cover will be maintained between the top of the cable or pipe and the bed of the stream or other watercourse on buried crossings; and
 - iv. Any necessary backfilling will be of washed gravel.
- d. Extension of a wetland/watercourse permit previously approved by the Planning Commission.
- e. Replacement of a culvert of an identical length and size, and at the same elevation. If the proposed culvert is of a greater length or size than the existing culvert, or is a new culvert



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altogether, it must meet the conditions of subpart c., above, to qualify for a nonresidential minor use permit.

f. Temporary impacts where the encroachment into protected areas is less than five hundred (500) feet.

Because the project contains one (1) area of wetland fill and does not propose a stormwater outfall to wetlands, a Minor-Use Wetland Permit will be required.

Wetland Comments

ECT recommends that the Applicant address the items noted below in subsequent site plan submittals:

- 1. It appears as though a City of Novi *Wetland Minor Use Permit* would be required for any proposed impacts to site wetlands (as the proposed impact to wetlands are less than 10,000 square feet). A City of Novi *Authorization to Encroach the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback* would be required for any proposed impacts to on-site 25-foot wetland buffers. A wetland use permit from the MDEQ will not be required for this project.
- 2. ECT encourages the Applicant to minimize impacts to on-site wetlands and wetland setbacks to the greatest extent practicable. The Applicant should consider modification of the proposed site design to preserve wetland and wetland buffer areas. The City regulates wetland buffers/setbacks. Article 24, Schedule of Regulations, of the Zoning Ordinance states that:

"There shall be maintained in all districts a wetland and watercourse setback, as provided herein, unless and to the extent, it is determined to be in the public interest not to maintain such a setback. The intent of this provision is to require a minimum setback from wetlands and watercourses".

- 3. The Applicant should demonstrate that alternative site layouts that would reduce the overall impacts to wetlands and wetland setbacks have been reviewed and considered.
- 4. The Plans currently indicate and quantify the areas of existing wetland and 25-foot wetland buffer. The areas of proposed wetland and wetland buffer impacts are also indicated on the Plan. The applicant shall provide information on subsequent plans that clearly indicates the volume of proposed wetland fill/excavation (cubic yards). This information is required before any necessary City of Novi Wetland and Watercourse Permits or Authorization to Encroach Upon the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback letters can be issued.
- 5. The City's threshold for the requirement of wetland mitigation is 0.25-acre of proposed wetland impact. This should be considered on subsequent site Plan submittals, if necessary. The current Plan appears to propose on-site wetland mitigation, however this will not likely be a requirement of the City of Novi Wetland Permit.
- 6. The applicant should ensure that any proposed snow storage areas are located such that any runoff will not directly affect on-site wetlands.



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Wetland Conclusion

The project site contains wetland and 25-foot wetland setback that are regulated by the City of Novi. One (1) wetland impact is currently proposed that will require a City of Novi *Wetland and Watercourse Minor Use Permit* and an *Authorization to Encroach the 25-Foot Natural Features Setback* for proposed impacts to the 25-foot wetland buffers. An MDEQ wetland permit will not be required for this project.

Recommendation

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Wetlands. The Applicant shall address the items noted in the *Wetland Comments* Section of this letter prior to receiving Wetland approval of the Final Site Plan.

If you have any questions regarding the contents of this letter, please contact us.

Respectfully submitted, ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTING & TECHNOLOGY, INC.

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Pete Hill, P.E. Senior Associate Engineer

cc: Lindsay Bell, City of Novi Planner Sri Komaragiri, City of Novi Planner Rick Meader, City of Novi Landscape Architect Hannah Smith, City of Novi Planning Assistant

Attachments: Figure 1 – City of Novi Regulated Wetland and Woodland Map Site Photos



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Figure 1. City of Novi Regulated Wetland & Woodland Map (approximate parcel boundary shown in red). Regulated Woodland areas are shown in green and Regulated Wetland areas are shown in blue. No regulated wetland or woodland areas are mapped on the subject property.



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Photo 1. Looking north at Wetland A in the northwestern portion of the site (ECT, August 22, 2018).



Photo 2. Typical vegetation within Wetland A (ECT, August 22, 2018).





ECT Project No. 180513-0200

August 23, 2018

Ms. Barbara McBeth, AICP City Planner Community Development Department City of Novi 45175 W. Ten Mile Road Novi, Michigan 48375

Re: Stoneridge West II (JSP18-0030) Woodland Review of the Preliminary Site Plan (PSP18-0117)

Dear Ms. McBeth:

Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc. (ECT) has reviewed the Preliminary Site Plan for the proposed Stoneridge West II project prepared by Nowak & Fraus Engineers dated July 30, 2018 and stamped "Received" by the City of Novi Community Development Department on August 2, 2018 (Plan). The Plan was reviewed for conformance with the City of Novi Woodland Protection Ordinance Chapter 37.

The purpose of the Woodlands Protection Ordinance is to:

- 1) Provide for the protection, preservation, replacement, proper maintenance and use of trees and woodlands located in the city in order to minimize disturbance to them and to prevent damage from erosion and siltation, a loss of wildlife and vegetation, and/or from the destruction of the natural habitat. In this regard, it is the intent of this chapter to protect the integrity of woodland areas as a whole, in recognition that woodlands serve as part of an ecosystem, and to place priority on the preservation of woodlands, trees, similar woody vegetation, and related natural resources over development when there are no location alternatives;
- 2) Protect the woodlands, including trees and other forms of vegetation, of the city for their economic support of local property values when allowed to remain uncleared and/or unharvested and for their natural beauty, wilderness character of geological, ecological, or historical significance; and
- 3) Provide for the paramount public concern for these natural resources in the interest of health, safety and general welfare of the residents of the city.

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Woodlands and <u>no further</u> woodland review of the proposed project is necessary.

The proposed project is located north of Twelve Mile Road and east of Dixon Road in Section 10 (Parcel ID 50-22-10-400-067). The Plan includes the construction of two (2) proposed 1-story medical office buildings (+/- 10,000 square feet), a 2-story medical office building (+/- 20,000 square feet), associated parking, utilities and stormwater detention basin.

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FAX (734) 769-3164 Based on our review of the application, Novi aerial photos, Novi GIS, the City of Novi Official Wetlands and Woodlands Maps (see Figure 1, attached), and our woodland verification site inspection conducted on August 22, 2018 the proposed project site does not contain areas that are mapped as City-Regulated Stoneridge West II (JSP18-0030) Woodland Review of the Preliminary Site Plan (PSP18-0117) August 23, 2018 Page 2 of 6

Woodlands. The City of Novi regulates trees that are 8-inch diameter-at-breast-height (DBH) or greater and are located within areas designated as regulated on the City Regulated Woodland map. In addition, any tree 36-inches DBH or greater are also regulated.

On-Site Woodland Evaluation

ECT has reviewed the City of Novi Official Woodlands Map and completed an onsite Woodland Evaluation on August 22, 2018. ECT's in-office review of available materials included the City of Novi Regulated Woodland map and other available mapping. As noted above, the project site does not contain areas mapped as City-Regulated Woodland.

An existing tree list is included on Sheet L1 (*Tree Preservation Plan*). This Plan identifies tree tag numbers, diameter-at-breast-height (DBH), common name, botanical name and condition. The surveyed trees have been marked with aluminum tree tags allowing ECT to compare the tree diameters reported on the Plan with the existing trees in the field. ECT found that the Plan appears to accurately depict the location, species composition and the size of the existing trees. ECT took a sample of diameter-at-breast-height (DBH) measurements and found that the data provided on the Plan was consistent with the field measurements.

The on-site trees are white spruce (*Picea glauca*) and eastern red cedar (*Juniperus virginina*), generally located in the northeastern section of the subject site. A maple (*Acer spp.*) is shown on the Plan and is located within the existing wetland area. Finally, two (2) eastern red cedar trees are located along the western property line, west of the proposed stormwater detention basin. The *Tree Preservation Plan* indicates nineteen (19) total surveyed trees on the site.

City of Novi Woodland Review Standards & Woodland Permit Requirements

Based on Section 37-29 (*Application Review Standards*) of the City of Novi Woodland Ordinance, the following standards shall govern the grant or denial of an application for a use permit required by this article:

No application shall be denied solely on the basis that some trees are growing on the property under consideration. However, the protection and conservation of irreplaceable natural resources from pollution, impairment, or destruction is of paramount concern. Therefore, the preservation of woodlands, trees, similar woody vegetation, and related natural resources shall have priority over development when there are location alternatives.

In addition,

"The removal or relocation of trees shall be limited to those instances when necessary for the location of a structure or site improvements and when no feasible and prudent alternative location for the structure or improvements can be had without causing undue hardship".

The City of Novi regulates all trees 8-inches diameter-at-breast-height (DBH) and greater that are located within the areas delineated as regulated woodlands on the City-Regulated Woodlands Map. The City also regulates any individual tree greater than or equal to 36-inches DBH, irrespective of whether such tree is within a regulated woodland. Proposed woodland impacts will require a Woodland Permit and the regulated trees shall be relocated or replaced by the permit grantee.

It should be noted that the purpose of the City of Novi Woodland Protection Ordinance (Chapter 37) is to:

• Provide for the protection, preservation, replacement, proper maintenance and use of trees and woodlands located in the city in order to minimize disturbance to them and to prevent damage from erosion and siltation, a loss of wildlife and vegetation,



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and/or from the destruction of the natural habitat. In this regard, it is the intent of this chapter to protect the integrity of woodland areas as a whole, in recognition that woodlands serve as part of an ecosystem, and to place priority on the preservation of woodlands, trees, similar woody vegetation, and related natural resources over development when there are no location alternatives;

- Protect the woodlands, including trees and other forms of vegetation, of the city for their economic support of local property values when allowed to remain uncleared and/or unharvested and for their natural beauty, wilderness character of geological, ecological, or historical significance; and
- Provide for the paramount public concern for these natural resources in the interest of health, safety and general welfare of the residents of the city.

Proposed Woodland Impacts and Replacements

As noted above, this site does not contain areas mapped as City of Novi Regulated Woodlands and does not contain any trees 36-inches DBH or greater.

Based on the *Tree List* information provided on the *Tree Preservation Plan* (Sheet L1), there appear to be a total of **19** surveyed trees on the subject property. None of these are City-Regulated Woodland Trees.

A total of five (5) trees are proposed for removal but will not require Woodland Replacement Credits.

Currently, the Plan indicates that three (3) Woodland Replacement Credits are required and will be planted around the proposed stormwater detention basin.

Woodland Review Comments

ECT recommends that the Applicant address the items noted below in subsequent site plan submittals:

1. The Plan proposes that removal of five (5) trees (white spruce) that are 8 inches diameter-at-breastheight (DBH) or greater. These trees are however not located within area mapped as City of Novi Regulated Woodland. This project will not require a City of Novi Woodland Permit and will not require the planting of Woodland Replacement Credits.

Recommendation

ECT currently recommends approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Woodlands and <u>no further woodland</u> review of the proposed project is necessary.



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If you have any questions regarding the contents of this letter, please contact us.

Respectfully submitted,

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Photo 1. Looking northwest at Tree No. 1781 and 1782 (eastern red cedars) to be preserved (ECT, August 22, 2018).



Photo 2. Looking northeast at existing spruce trees in the northeast section of the site. The southernmost 5 trees will be removed for the proposed development (ECT, August 22, 2018).



Site Photos

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AECOM 27777 Franklin Road Southfield MI, 48034 USA aecom.com

Project name: JSP18-0030 Stoneridge West II Preliminay Site Plan Traffic Review

From: AECOM

Date: August 24, 2018

To: Barbara McBeth, AICP City of Novi 45175 10 Mile Road Novi, Michigan 48375

CC: Sri Komaragiri, Lindsay Bell, George Melistas, Darcy Rechtien, Hannah Smith

Memo

Subject: JSP18-0030 Stoneridge West II Preliminary Site Plan Traffic Review

The preliminary site plan was reviewed to the level of detail provided and AECOM **recommends approval** for the applicant to move forward with the condition that the comments provided below are adequately addressed to the satisfaction of the City.

GENERAL COMMENTS

- 1. The applicant, Acquira Realty Holdings, is proposing a 40,240 GSF medical office development on the north side of 12 Mile Road, between Dixon Road and Carlton Way Drive.
- 2. 12 Mile Road is under the jurisdiction of the Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC).
- 3. The site is currently zoned OS-1 and the applicant is not proposing a zoning change at this time.
- 4. Summary of traffic-related waivers/variances:
 - a. It does not appear that the driveway spacing requirements will be met and a City Council variance may be required. Please consider approval of this

TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Please consider approval of this waiver. The driveway location is acceptable to RCOC

1. AECOM performed an initial trip generation estimate based on the ITE Trip Generation Manual, 10th Edition, as follows:

ITE Code: 720 – Medical/Dental Office Building Development-specific Quantity: 40,240 GSF Zoning Change: N/A

Trip Generation Summary						
	Estimated Peak Estimated Trips Direction Trips		City of Novi Threshold	Above Threshold?		
AM Peak-Hour Trips	99	77	100	No		

PM Peak-Hour Trips	138	99	100	No
Daily (One- Directional) Trips	1,400	N/A	750	Yes

 The number of trips exceeds the City's threshold of more than 750 trips per day or 100 trips per either the AM or PM peak hour. AECOM recommends performing the following traffic impact study in accordance with the City's requirements.

Trip Impact Study Recommendation			
Type of Study:	Justification		
Traffic Impact Statement	The proposed development's daily trip generation estimate is in excess of the City's threshold of 750 trips.		

3. The applicant has indicated that a traffic impact study is underway and will be provided once it is complete. AECOM will review under a separate letter once the study is provided.

EXTERNAL SITE ACCESS AND OPERATIONS

The following comments relate to the external interface between the proposed development and the surrounding roadway(s).

- 1. The applicant is proposing one main point of access to 12 Mile Road.
 - a. The applicant has not provided driveway dimensions of 31' width, 24.5' entering radius and 25.9' exiting radius. The dimensions provided do not meet the City standard dimensions, but are within the range. The applicant may be required to seek an administrative variance for not providing standard dimensions as shown in Figure IX.1.
 - b. The applicant shall provide driveway spacing measurements between the near approach curb to near approach curb for adjacent driveways. Based on the 45 mile per hour speed limit along 12 Mile Road, that driveway spacing must be 230' or more, per Section 11-216.c. It does not appear that the driveway spacing requirements will be met and a City Council variance may be required. The applicant has stated that the driveway location has been approved by the Road Commission for Oakland County, but has not provided written approval of the location, as requested.
- 2. The applicant has included the sight distance measurement to the east on the site plans, which exceeds the requirements of Figure XIII-E.
- 3. The applicant has provided a connection to the right turn lane from the property to the east to extend through to the existing right turn lane to Dixon Road, as required by Section 11-216(d)(5)c.
 - a. The applicant should include maintaining traffic notes and details in future submittals for the construction of the right turn lane. The applicant stated in their response letter that this was provided on sheets C3 and C4, but it is not.
 - b. The applicant shall provide proposed pavement marking details for modifications to Twelve Mile Road.
- 4. The applicant is proposing an internal connection to the adjacent property to the east, which can serve as a secondary point of access, and a stub to the west near the north property line. The applicant has indicated widths of 25.5' and 25.0', respectively for each of these connections.

INTERNAL SITE OPERATIONS

The following comments relate to the on-site design and traffic flow operations.

- 1. General Traffic Flow
 - a. The applicant has provided aisle widths throughout the site, which are generally 24', which is compliant.
 - i. Along the east side of the site near the north, there is an aisle width of 23'. According to Section 5.3.2 of the Zoning Ordinance, this dimension may be acceptable because there is no adjacent parking present, unless the Planning Commission finds that the 24' width is warranted for the proposed use.
 - ii. There is a dimension of 23' shown for the aisle width along the east side of the site near the south that appears to be measuring an angled distance. The dimension should be updated to reflect the actual, perpendicular width of the aisle.
 - iii. There is an aisle width dimension shown near the dumpster indicating 22.5' which should further be clarified as it is nearly adjacent to another dimension with a width of 25.5'. The applicant should review and update as appropriate or provide commentary as to why the width changes along the segment.
 - b. The applicant has included dimensions for the outside curb radii of the landscape islands throughout the site, but shall provide dimensions for the inside landscape island radii and other landscaped area curb radii throughout the site to review accessibility and compliance with City requirements as stated in Section 5.3.12 of the Zoning Ordinance.
 - i. Note that all end islands shall be constructed three (3) feet shorter than the adjacent parking space. The applicant appears to have reduced the length of the end islands in some locations, but not in all instances of end islands and should do so on the next submittal.
 - c. The applicant has proposed a loading zone and trash receptacle in the rear yard.
 - i. The applicant has indicated the size of the proposed loading zone, as required by Section 5.4 of the Zoning Ordinance.
 - ii. The applicant has provided truck turning patterns throughout the site to be able to access the dumpster, but has not provided turn patterns to access the loading zone without interfering with parking spaces.
 - 1. The applicant should show, via turning patterns, how a truck will access the loading zone without encroaching into the parking area and maintaining the entirety of the truck within the loading zone and not in the maneuvering aisle.
 - 2. The easternmost parking space along the north parking bay may pose a concern when a truck is accessing the trash receptacle.
 - iii. The applicant should consider providing a landscape peninsula between the northernmost parking bay and loading zone to protect the vehicle at the end of the adjacent parking bay, or may provide justification as to why a landscape peninsula is not provided.
 - d. The applicant should consider providing additional pavement near the west side of the site at the southern parking area to allow vehicles to effectively back out of the westernmost parking spaces.
- 2. Parking Facilities
 - a. The applicant should refer to the Planning Review Letter for bicycle and vehicle parking quantity requirements.
 - b. The applicant has provided parking space dimensions for standard parking spaces as well as barrier-free parking spaces and aisles, which are in conformance with standard dimensions.

- i. The applicant has indicated that all barrier-free spaces are designated as van accessible.
- c. The applicant has generally provided appropriate curb heights throughout the site, with the exception of two call-outs on the grading plan, as shown in the attached photo.
 - i. The northern call-out highlighted in green in the photo is indicating 4" and should be updated to 6".
 - ii. The southern call-out highlighted in green in the photo is indicating 6" and should be updated to be 4".



- iii. The applicant has indicated a clear 2' overhang in front of the 17' parking spaces.
- The applicant has provided nine bicycle parking spaces throughout the site.
 - i. The bicycle parking layout shown on sheet C-4 is in compliance with City standards, with the exception of a 4' maneuvering aisle.

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- ii. The applicant should further review the locations of the proposed bicycle parking areas against Section 5.16.5 of the Zoning Ordinance and relocated them as applicable or may provide dimensions indicating that they are in compliance with standards.
- iii. Note that all bicycle parking facilities shall be accessible from adjacent street(s) and pathway(s) via a paved route that has a minimum width of 6'. The applicant would be required to increase the width of the proposed sidewalk adjacent to the bicycle parking areas to be 8' wide to meet this requirement, or may choose to relocate the bicycle parking areas nearer to the building entrances and update route widths as applicable.
- 3. Sidewalk Requirements
 - a. The applicant is proposing a 5' sidewalk along 12 Mile Road to connect the existing sidewalk east and west of the site. The proposed 5' sidewalk is not in compliance with the City's Non-motorized Master Plan, or Article XI of the City Design and Construction Ordinance.
 - i. The applicant should update the sidewalk width to be 6'.
 - ii. The applicant should indicate the location of the sidewalk with respect the roadway right-of-way line.
 - b. The applicant has indicated 7' sidewalk within the site along the east side of Office 'A' and should confirm the width of the other sidewalks provided throughout the site.
 - i. Sidewalks throughout the site are required to be a minimum of 5' wide.
 - ii. Note that when a 17' parking space abuts a sidewalk, the sidewalk shall be 4" in height and a minimum of 7' wide to accommodate a 2' vehicle overhand and provide 5' of unobstructed travel way for non-motorized users.
 - iii. See also comment 2.iii above for additional width requirements where the sidewalk serves as an access route to the bicycle parking areas.

SIGNING AND STRIPING

- 1. All on-site signing and pavement markings shall be in compliance with the Michigan Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MMUTCD). The following is a discussion of the proposed signing and striping.
- 2. The applicant should include applicable signing and pavement marking details for the modifications to 12 Mile Road with the extension of the right turn lane.
- 3. The applicant has indicated the location of proposed signs throughout the site, but should provide further clarification as to which sign is to be placed at each location.
- 4. The applicant should include a sign quantity table in future submittals to indicate the sign, size, MMUTCD designation and quantity.
 - a. The applicant has provided appropriate signing notes on the site plans.
 - b. The applicant should update the barrier-free signage detail on sheet SP1.2 to be consistent with sheet C4 or may remove it and add the applicable details to the detail on sheet C4 for simplicity.
 - c. The applicant has provided notes and details related to proposed pavement markings.
 - The applicant has indicated that the crosswalk pavement markings shall comply with the MMUTCD, but should provide a detail of the proposed design so that it can be reviewed prior to installation.
 - ii. The applicant should position the international symbol for accessibility to be flush with the maneuvering aisle.
 - iii. The applicant has included arrow pavement marking details on sheet SP1.2 and should indicate where they are proposed on the plans, or remove them. The provided details are not compliant with standards and, if used, should be updated.

Memo

Should the City or applicant have questions regarding this review, they should contact AECOM for further clarification.

Sincerely,

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August 27, 2018

City of Novi Planning Department 45175 W. 10 Mile Rd. Novi, MI 48375-3024

Re: FACADE ORDINANCE - Facade Review – Preliminary S.P. Stoneridge West II, JSP18-0030 Façade Region: 1, Zoning District: OS-1,

Dear Ms. McBeth;

The following is the Facade Review for Preliminary Plan Approval of the above referenced project based on the drawings prepared by Jona Abro Architects, dated 7/16/18. The percentages of materials proposed for each façade are as shown on the table below. The maximum percentages allowed by the <u>Schedule Regulating Façade Materials</u> (AKA Façade Chart) of Ordinance Section 5.15 are shown in the right hand column. Materials in non-compliance with the Façade Chart, if any, are highlighted in bold.

Building A & C	Front	Rear	Left	Right	Ordinance Maximum (Minimum)
Brick	33%	23%	20%	20%	100% (30%)
Burnished Concrete Masonry Unit (CMU)	17%	17%	20%	20%	10%
EIFS	12%	13%	15%	15%	25%
Flat Metal (Trim)	13%	11%	12%	12%	50%
Standing Seam Metal	25%	36%	33%	33%	25%

Building A & C - As shown above the minimum percentage of Brick is not provided on the rear, left and right facades, the percentage of Burnished CMU exceeds the maximum amount allowed by the Ordinance on all facades and the percentage of Standing Seam Metal exceeds the Ordinance on the rear, left and right facades. A Section 9 Waiver would be required for these deviations.

Building B	Front	Rear	Left	Right	Ordinance Maximum (Minimum)
Brick	84%	85%	84%	82%	100% (30%)
Burnished Concrete Masonry Unit (CMU)	8%	10%	10%	8%	10%
Flat Metal (Trim)	4%	5%	6%	4%	50%
Standing Seam Metal	4%	0%	0%	6%	25%

Building B – As shown above Building B is in full compliance with the Façade Ordinance.

Dumpster Enclosure - The drawings (SP1.2) indicates that the dumpster will be clad in Brick to match the building.

Recommendation – Buildings A and C exhibit well balanced composition and the proportions of materials used are consistent with and will enhance the overall design. The deviations in percentage of material are comparatively minor in nature. Therefore, it is our recommendation that the design are consistent with the intent and purpose of the Façade Ordinance and the a Section 9 waiter be granted for the following deviations;

- 1. The underage of Brick on the rear, left and right facades.
- 2. The overage of Burnished CMU on all facades
- 3. The overage of Standing Seam Metal on the rear, left and right facades.

Note – A sample board was not available at the time of this review. The applicant should provide a sample board illustration carefully coordinated colors and textures as required by Section 5.15.4.D of the Ordinance not less than 5 days prior to the Planning Commission Meeting.

Notes to the Applicant:

- Façade Ordinance requires inspection(s) for all projects. Materials displayed on the approved sample board will be compared to materials delivered to the site. It is the applicant's responsibility to request the inspection of each façade material at the appropriate time. Inspections may be requested using the Novi Building Department's Online Inspection Portal with the following link. Please click on "Click here to Request an Inspection" under "Contractors", then click "Façade". http://www.cityofnovi.org/Services/CommDev/OnlineInspectionPortal.asp.
- 2. Roof Appurtenances The drawings indicate that all roof appurtenances are fully screened using the building parapets. It is the applicant's responsibility to coordinate parapet and roof equipment heights to maintain full screening.

If you have any questions regarding this project please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely, DRN & Architects PC

Douglas R. Necci, AIA



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August 9, 2018

TO: Barbara McBeth- City Planner Sri Ravali Komaragiri- Plan Review Center Lindsay Bell-Plan Review Center Hannah Smith-Planning Assistant

RE: Stoneridge West II development - 44244 12 Mile Rd.

JSP# 18-30 PSP# 18 -0074 PSP# 18-0117

Project Description:

Build 3 commercial buildings total. 2x - 1 story medical office(s) and 1x - 2 story medical office.

Comments:

- All fire hydrants MUST in installed and operational prior to any building construction begins.
- Fire apparatus access drives to and from buildings through parking lots shall have a minimum fifty (50) feet outside turning radius and designed to support a minimum of thirty-five (35) tons. (D.C.S. Sec 11-239(b)(5))
- For interior fire protection systems a separate fire protection line shall be provided in addition to a domestic service for each building. Individual shutoff valves for interior fire protection shall be by post indicator valve (P.I.V.) or by valve in well and shall be provided within a public water main easement. (D.C.S. Sec.11-68(a)(9))
- All hydrants shall be accessible by improved roadways capable of supporting fire apparatus and equipment weighing up to 35 tons. (D.C.S. Sec. 11-68 (f)(1)e)
- All hydrants shall have two 2-1/2 inch male outlets and one 4-1/2 inch male steamer connection. Threads shall be National Standard. (D.C.S. Sec. 11-68 (f)(2))
- Immediate access to fire department connections shall be maintained at all times and without obstruction by fences, bushes, trees, walls or any other object for a minimum of 3 feet (914 mm). (International Fire Code)
- A hazardous chemical survey is required to be submitted to the Planning & Community Development Department for distribution to the Fire Department at the time any Preliminary Site Plan is submitted for review and approval. Definitions of chemical types can be obtained from the Fire Department at (248) 735-5674. (See Attachment B)
- South side of building "A", **MUST** provide some type of turn around due to the drive way is longer than 150'. **IFC 503.2.5**.

We are looking at the feasibilty of either:

- 1. install a gated emergency driveway to the adjoining parking lot, or
- 2. shorten to 150' and ask for a variance on the 5 parking spaces lost.

Recommendation:

Approved with conditions

Sincerely, SR-X >

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