



THE CITY OF MOBILE, ALABAMA  
MOBILE CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

LETTER OF DECISION

September 21, 2021

Carah Hall  
McCrary & Williams  
3207 International Drive  
Suite G  
Mobile, AL 36606

**Re: 940 and 954 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue**  
(Northwest corner of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue and Davidson Street).  
Council District 2  
**SUB-001762-2021**  
**Hill's Addition to Fisher Tract Subdivision, Phase 2**  
**Number of Lots / Acres:** 1 Lot / 0.4± Acre  
**Engineer / Surveyor:** McCrary & Williams, Inc.

Dear Applicant(s)/ Property Owner (s):

At its meeting on September 16, 2021, the Planning Commission considered the above referenced Planning Approval.

**After discussion, the Commission Tentatively Approved the request, subject to the following conditions:**

- 1) **retention of the right-of-way width of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue on the Final Plat;**
- 2) **revision of the plat to either indicate a current right-of-way width for Davidson Street of at least 25 feet from the centerline, or dedication to provide 25 feet from the centerline;**
- 3) **dedication to provide a 25-foot corner radius at the intersection of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue and Davidson Street;**
- 4) **retention of the 25-foot minimum building setback line along both street frontages on the Final Plat, revised so as to be measured from any required dedication;**
- 5) **retention of the lot size label in both square feet and acres on the Final Plat, revised for any required dedication, or the furnishing of a table on the Final Plat providing the same information;**
- 6) **compliance with the Engineering comments: (FINAL PLAT COMMENTS (should be addressed prior to submitting the FINAL PLAT for review and/or signature by the City Engineer): A. Provide all of the required information on the SUBDIVISION PLAT (i.e., signature blocks, signatures, certification statements, written legal**

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- description, required notes, legend, scale, bearings, and distances) that is required by the current Alabama State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors. B. Provide and label the monument set or found at each subdivision corner. C. Add legible street names to the vicinity map. D. Dedicate the corner radius (25' minimum or as approved by the City Engineer and Traffic Engineer) at the southeast corner of LOT 1 to the City of Mobile and list the amount of dedicated acreage. E. Provide the Surveyor's and Owner's (notarized) signatures. F. Add a note to the SUBDIVISION PLAT stating that as shown on the 1984 aerial photo (FLIGHT 29 - #74) LOT 1 will receive historical credit of existing (1984) impervious area towards stormwater detention requirement per Mobile City Code, Chapter 17, Storm Water Management and Flood Control) as follows: LOT 1 – 4,000 sf. G. Add a note that a Land Disturbance permit will be required for any land disturbing activity in accordance with Mobile City Code, Chapter 17, Storm Water Management and Flood Control; the City of Mobile, Alabama Flood Plain Management Plan (1984); and the Rules For Erosion and Sedimentation Control and Storm Water Runoff Control. H. Add a note that the approval of all applicable federal, state, and local agencies (including all storm water runoff, wetland and floodplain requirements) will be required prior to the issuance of a Land Disturbance permit. I. Add a note that sidewalk is required to be constructed, and/or repaired, along the frontage of each lot, or parcel, at time of new development or construction, unless a sidewalk waiver is approved. J. Add a note that all existing and proposed detention facilities, common areas, and wetlands shall be the responsibility of the Property Owner(s), and not the responsibility of the City of Mobile. K. Add a note that all easements shall remain in effect until vacated through the proper Vacation process. L. Email a pdf copy of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT and LETTER OF DECISION to the Permitting Engineering Dept. for review at [land.disturbance@cityofmobile.org](mailto:land.disturbance@cityofmobile.org) prior to obtaining any signatures. No signatures are required on the drawing. M. After addressing all of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT review comments provide the ORIGINAL (with all signatures except for the Planning Commission, Traffic Engineering, and City Engineer), one (1) copy, and a transmittal letter to the Engineering Permitting Department. They can be dropped off at 205 Government St. or mailed to PO Box 1827, Mobile, AL, 36633.); placement of a note on the Final Plat stating the Traffic Engineering comments: (Driveway number, size, location, and design to be approved by Traffic Engineering and conform to AASHTO standards. Any required on-site parking, including ADA handicap spaces, shall meet the minimum standards as defined in Section 64-6 of the City's Zoning Ordinance.);*
- 8) compliance with the Urban Forestry comments: (Property to be developed in compliance with state and local laws that pertain to tree preservation and protection on both city and private properties [Act 929 of the 1961 Regular Session of the Alabama Legislature (Acts1961, p. 1487), as amended, and City Code Chapters 57 and 65]. Private removal of trees in the right-of-way will require approval of the Mobile Tree Commission. Removal of heritage trees from undeveloped residential sites, developed residential sites in historic districts, and all commercial sites will require a tree removal permit.); and**
- 9) compliance with the Fire-Rescue Department comments: (All projects within the City Limits of Mobile shall comply with the requirements of the City of Mobile Fire**

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*Code Ordinance (2012 International Fire Code). Fire apparatus access is required to be within 150' of all commercial and residential buildings. A fire hydrant is required to be within 400' of non-sprinkled commercial buildings and 600' of sprinkled commercial buildings.*

After you have obtained all the necessary approval signatures and the plat has been recorded in the Mobile County Probate Office, seven copies of the recorded plat (including map book and page number) must be submitted to the Planning and Zoning Department office. This procedure must be completed within one (1) year, or the Tentative Approval will expire.

Please also submit a CAD compatible (DXF) digital copy of the final plat to the Planning and Zoning Department office once the plat has been submitted to Probate for recording. This may be submitted on disk, flash drive, memory stick, or via e-mail to [planning@cityofmobile.org](mailto:planning@cityofmobile.org).

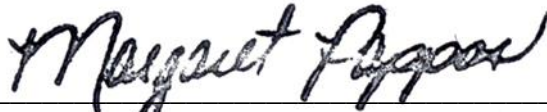
If you have any questions regarding this action, please call this office at 251-208-5895.

Sincerely,

**MOBILE CITY PLANNING COMMISSION**

Ms. Jennifer Denson, Secretary

By: \_\_\_\_\_



Margaret Pappas

Deputy Director of Planning and Zoning