

Project #21-070 Gateway Apartments Located at approximately 721 South 100 West

REPORT SUMMARY...

Project Name: Gateway Apartments

Proponent / Owner: Jeff Douglas / Craig Adams

Project Address: 721 South 100 West Request: Design Review Permit

Current Zoning: Mixed Residential High (MR-30)

Type of Action: Quasi-Judicial Hearing Date December 9, 2021

Submitted By: Russ Holley, Senior Planner

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Planning Commission **conditionally approve** a Design Review Permit for Project #21-070, Gateway Apartments, in the Mixed Residential High (MR-30) zone located at approximately 721 S. 100 W., TIN #02-063-0035

Current Land use adjoining the subject property

North:	NR-6: Residential Uses	East:	COM: Commercial Uses
South:	COM: Commercial Uses	West:	MR-12: Residential Uses

Project Proposal

This proposal is for a new 62-unit four-story apartment building, surface asphalt parking lot, landscaping and other site improvements. The currently vacant triangularly shaped 2.07-acre site sits directly west of the new Gateway Office building and adjacent to the Logan River. The sharp lines and modern architecture proposed on the apartment building shares a similar style and form as the newly finished office building to the east.



Figure 1 shows the proposed apartment building from 100 West.

Land Use & Density

The Land Development Code (LDC) 17.07.110 permits multi-family residential density at no more than 30 dwelling units per acre in the MR-30 zone. Up to three (3) individual occupants or one (1) family per dwelling unit is allowed in this zone.

Setbacks

The Land Development Code (LDC) requirements for setbacks in the MR-30 zone are as follows (as measured from property lines):

Front: 10' (opposite NR zones = 25')

Side: 8'
Rear: 10'
Parking (front): 10'
Parking (side/rear): 5'

River 25' (top of bank)

The following setbacks are proposed (as measured from property lines):

Front (east): 20'
Side (south): 75'
Side (north): 120'
Rear (west): 85'
Parking (front): 12'
Parking (side/rear): 5'
River: 85

As proposed, the project meets the setback requirements in the LDC.

Lot Coverage & Building Frontage

The LDC 17.7.100 establishes a maximum lot coverage of 60% (building(s) footprint in relation to overall lot size) and a minimum building frontage of 60% (percentage of building width to overall lot width at front setback) in the MR-30 zone. The submitted project shows a lot coverage of 26% and a building frontage that equals approximately 50%. The building frontage does not meet the minimum of 60% as submitted. The Planning Commission may use discretion as per LDC 17.43.080.C.5 and consider the unique shape of the site due to the river and the proximity of the proposed 100 West road extension and bridge in determining appropriate building frontage adjustments on this property. As conditioned with building frontage compliance, the project meets the requirements in the LDC.

Parking Requirements

The LDC 17.31.040 requires two (2) parking stalls per every dwelling unit for multi-family structures in the MR-30 zone. The LDC also requires bike racks/parking for residential uses. The applicant has submitted an alternative parking plan requesting a reduction in the parking requirement as per LDC 17.31.050. At 62 dwelling units, the project would be required to provide 124 parking stalls. The proposed plan shows 112 stalls, which would be 12 stalls shy or at 90% of the overall parking requirement. As conditioned with either acceptance or denial of the submitted alternative parking plan in accordance to LDC 17.31 and the addition of bike racks, the project complies with the Logan City code requirements.

Building Design, Site Layout & Pedestrian Circulation

The LDC 17.09.040 requires multi-family buildings to have minimum variations, interesting façade design, a mix of materials and articulation for aesthetically pleasing projects. The code requires building orientation that creates inviting architecture from the street, surface parking lots located in subordinate locations and prominent and convenient pedestrian circulation for better walkability. The proposed project shows brick, glass, cedar, stucco and metal building materials and articulations that provide variation and emphasize orientation. The site plan shows sidewalk connections to 100 West and the new trail along the river. As proposed, the project meets the building design requirements in the LDC.



Figure 2 shows the proposed site plan.

Building Heights

The LDC allows building heights in the MR-30 zone at 55 feet. When properties are adjacent or opposite to NR zones, height transitions are required to start at 35 feet. The proposed building is shown at 45'-4" tall and is positioned outside of the NR transitional area to the northwest. As proposed, building height complies with the LDC standards.

Open Space

The LDC 17.07.110 requires 20% open space and an additional 10% useable outdoor space in the MR-30 zone. The LDC 17.35 generally describes open space as vegetation or landscaped areas, while useable outdoor space is typically decks, patios and other similar outdoor amenities. The 2.07-acre property would be required 18,033 SF of open space and 9,016 SF of outdoor space for a combined total 27,049 SF of open area. The proposed conceptual plan shows approximately 20,365 SF of open space and 9,173 of outdoor space meeting the requirement in the LDC. As conditioned with final landscaping plans and minimum open space, the project meets the requirements of the LDC.

Landscaping

The LDC 17.32 requires minimum landscaping for overall visual aesthetics, ecological reasons, visual screening, shading purposes and enhancement of the outdoor experience. The LDC requires a minimum of 20 trees and a combination of 50 shrubs, flowers and ornamental grasses per acre of land for multi-family residential projects. The LDC also requires minimum perimeter and interior parking lot landscaping to reduce the visual and environmental impacts of asphalt parking lots. At 2.07 acres, 41 trees and 103 shrubs are required on-site. As conditioned with a detailed landscaping plan meeting minimum plant numbers, the project complies with the LDC.

Lighting

The LDC 17.37.090 requires adequate lighting that adds aesthetic quality and improves safety while mitigating unnecessary glare, sky glow and light trespass. The LDC limits freestanding pole height to 32 feet and luminaire fixtures on buildings and canopies to be concealed source, down-cast and shielded from neighboring properties. Light measurements are required to range between 0.5 - 4.0-foot candles, so areas are sufficiently safe, but not excessively bright. As submitted, no exterior lighting has been shown. As conditioned, the project meets the requirements of the LDC.

AGENCY AND CITY DEPARTMENT COMMENTS

Comments were solicited from the following departments or agencies:

• Fire	Water
 Engineering 	Environmental
 Light and Power 	

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Notices were mailed to property owners within 300 feet of the subject property. As of the time of this report, no comments have been received.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

Legal notices were published in the Herald Journal on 11/27/21, posted on the City's website and the Utah Public Meeting website on 11/29/21, and mailed to property owners within 300 feet on 11/22/21.

RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

This project is subject to the proponent or property owner agreeing to comply with the following conditions as written, or as may be amended by the Planning Commission.

- 1. All standard conditions of approval will be recorded with the Design Review Permit and are available in the Community Development Department.
- 2. This permit authorizes 62 new residential apartments
- 3. Building frontage along 100 West shall be at least 60% unless the Planning Commission adjusts the standard as per LDC 17.43.080.
- 4. The Community Development Director accepts the alternative parking plan of 112 stalls as proposed (less than 15% reduction). If any deviations occur prior to project completion, a second review and approval is required. Cross access and cross parking agreements shall be recorded on each affected property title in accordance with this proposal and cannot be removed unless approved by Logan City. Bike parking/racks shall be provided onsite.
- 5. The trail along the Logan River shall be designed to be at least 10 feet wide, paved with either concrete or asphalt and connect to the existing trail located at the southwest corner of the property. Coordinate with Logan City Public Works/Parks and Recreation on the trail connections and/or underpass at the new bridge at the northeast corner of the property.
- 6. A building entry and sidewalk connection shall be made on the east façade providing convenient pedestrian connections to the street.
- 7. All pedestrian entrances shall have weather protection provided above.
- 8. A performance landscaping plan, prepared in accordance with §17.39 of the LDC, shall be submitted for approval to the Community Development Department prior to the issuance of the building permit. The plan shall include the following:
 - a) Open Space and Useable Outdoor areas shall total a minimum of 27,049 SF.
 - b) 41 trees and 103 shrubs/perennials shall be provided.
 - c) 18 SF of interior/perimeter parking lot landscaping shall be provided per every parking stall contained within and perimeter areas shall have buffering landscape designs for all surface parking area.
 - d) Street trees shall be provided at every 30 feet on center along 100 West.

- 9. All dumpsters shall be visually screened or buffered from public streets by using fencing, walls and landscaping.
- 10. Rooftop mechanical and/or building wall mechanical equipment shall be placed out of view from the street or screen from view from the street.
- 11. Exterior lighting shall be concealed source, down-cast and shall not illuminate or cast light onto adjacent properties.
- 12. No signs are approved with this Design Review Permit. All signage shall be approved and permitted by staff in accordance with the Land Development Code.
- 13. No fences are approved with this Design Review Permit. All fences shall be approved and permitted by staff in accordance with the Land Development Code.
- 14. Surface storm-water retention and detention facilities shall be located in areas away from public streets and buffered from view.
- 15. Prior to issuance of a Building Permit, the Director of Community Development shall receive a written memorandum from each of the following departments or agencies indicating that their requirements have been satisfied:

a. Fire—contact 716-9515

• Detailed review will be conducted when plans are submitted for building permit including aerial apparatus access, fire hydrants, fire flow analysis, fire sprinklers, fire alarms, standpipes etc.

b. Engineering —contact 716-9160

- Provide water shares or in-lieu fee for all indoor and outdoor demands to City system per State Sourcing requirements.
- Provide storm water detention/retention per City standards for the development. This
 includes the retention of the 90% storm event onsite using Low Impact Design
 methods.
- Provide a geotechnical report that at a minimum provides the following information: 1)
 California Bearing Ratio of proposed road subgrade for pavement section design, 2)
 Historical High-Water Elevation, and 3) native soil percolation rates for storm water design
- Coordinate with City for the design and tie-in of the proposed trail along the road, river and under the bridge. Development design must tie into the current design drawings the City has for the 100 West road, bridge and trail underpass.
- Ensure that all trails are a minimum 10' per trail standards
- Ensure that accesses to 100 West align with access to the east side of the road development accesses.
- All work along the river shall be required to comply with all FEMA, State and Federal requirements. This includes but not limited to: 1) Construction if a special flood hazard area permit, 2) Stream Alteration permit from the State Engineer's Office, 3) A no rise certification if work is done in the special flood hazard area, and 4) Provide a FEMA Elevation Certificate for the building to ensure the lowest inhabitable space is 1' above the base flood elevation
- Ensure that all elevations related to note seven are in compliance with the NAVID 88 elevations references and required on the existing 2011 Flood Insurance Rate Maps.
- No Civil plans provided with the permit application, Public Works will address these requirements with the Building Permit design review and approval.

c. Water —contact 716-9627

All three-story tall or taller (above finish grade) residential buildings must have a
minimum DC (ASSE1015) backflow assembly installed and tested on the water
main/s as it/they enters the building/s before any branch offs or possible
connections. All landscape irrigation system's fed from Logan City water must
have a high hazard rated backflow assembly installed and tested. All backflow
assemblies must be tested within 10 days of turning water into them and annually
thereafter.

Fire suppression systems that are connected to Logan City water (with no added chemicals) must have a minimum DC (ASSE1015) backflow assembly installed and tested. Fire risers and B/F assemblies must be installed as per Logan City standards. All points of use of water must comply with the 2018 IPC and State of Utah Amendments and the Utah Admin Code 309-305 during and after construction. Project shall comply with all current plumbing codes, Utah State Amendments, Utah Division of Drinking Water rules and regulations including, but not limited to, those pertaining to backflow protection and cross connection prevention.

d. Light and Power- contact 716-9722

- Logan City Light and Power; Requires 1-Line Diagram, A Logan City Load Data Sheet, A Digital Site Plan In Auto CAD (DWG) Format and PUE's Public Utility Easement 10' Easement On All Property Lines That Face A Road Way, And A 5' Easement On All Other Property Lines.
- e. Environmental contact 716-9761
 - Minimum 60 ft. straight on access required. Approach must be level, no down or uphill slopes.

RECOMMENDED FINDINGS FOR APPROVAL FOR THE DESIGN REVIEW PERMIT

The Planning Commission bases its decisions on the following findings supported in the administrative record for this project:

- 1. The proposed project is compatible with surrounding land uses and will not interfere with the use and enjoyment of adjacent properties because of the building design, site layout, materials, landscaping, and setbacks.
- 2. The Design Review Permit conforms to the requirements of Title 17 of the Logan Municipal Code.
- 3. The project meets the goals and objectives of the MR-30 designation within the Logan General Plan by providing housing near commercial centers.
- 4. The proposed project complies with maximum height, density and building design, parking requirements, and open space standards and is in conformance with Title 17.
- 5. The project met the minimum public noticing requirements of the Land Development Code and the Municipal Code.
- 6. 100 West provides access and is adequate in size and design to sufficiently handle all traffic modes and infrastructure related to the land use.



APPLICATION FOR PROJECT REVIEW

For Staff Only										
□ Planning Commission		□ Land Use Appeal Board			□ Administrative Review					
Date Received	Received By	Scheduled N	leeting Date	Zone	Application Number					
11111		DEC.		MR-30 .	PC U-070					
Type of Application (Check all that apply): Wood KNFF										
X Design Review	nistrative Design Review									
□ Code Amendm	nent □ Appe	al	☐ Zone Char	nge □ Other						
PROJECT NAME Gateway Apartments										
PROJECT ADDRESS	C 140 11				COUNTY PLAT TAX ID#					
701 South 100 west 70	15.100 W.				02063-0035					
AUTHORIZED PROJECT REPI	RESENTATIVE FOR (OWNER			PHONE #					
Jeff Douglas					204 224 4722					
MAILING ADDRESS			CITY	STATE	801-824-4732 ZIP					
927 S State Street Salt Lake Ci	ity , Utah 84094									
EMAIL ADDRESS jdouglas@axisarchitects.com										
PROPERTY OWNER OF RECO	ORD				PHONE #					
Craig Adams					435-754-7887					
MAILING ADDRESS			CITY	STATE	ZIP					
	255 South Main Suite 100 Logan , Utah 84321									
EMAIL ADDRESS mhendrix@triiiogroup.com, mje	ewell@trijiogroup.com									
DESCRIBE THE PROPOSED F (Include as much detail as pos					Total Lot Size (acres)					
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Logan Gateway project locate "Apartments"). The project of				dential in this area.	(square feet)					
"Apartments"). The project consists of 62 units and addressed the rising need for residential in this area. Approx 60,000 sf										
The Apartments will encoura transportation and take into a reduced or even eliminated. Plan for the Apartments.	Number of Proposed New Units/Lots 62									
I certify that the information cor	ntained in this applicati	on and all	Signature of	Property Owner's Aut	horized Project Representative					
supporting plans are correct an	nd accurate. I also cer	tify that I		SR T						
am authorized to sign all furthe on behalf of the property owner		permit		10 7						

I certify that I am the property owner on record of the subject property and that I consent to the submittal of this project. I understand that all further legal documents and permits will be sent to my authorized agent listed above.

Signature of Property Owner

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APPLICATION MUST BE ACCURATE AND COMPLETE
NO SITE ACTIVITY MAY OCCUR UNTIL AFTER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE APPROVAL -



Gateway Apartment Project

1 message

Mike Desimone <mike.desimone@loganutah.org>
To: Russ Holley <russ.holley@loganutah.org>

Wed, Dec 1, 2021 at 2:01 PM

I have reviewed the Alternative Parking Plan for the Gateway Apartment project submitted pursuant to Section 17.31.050 of Logan City's Land Development Code and give my preliminary approval of the alternative parking plan pending final Design Review approval from the Planning Commission. If there are no changes to the site layout, project composition or parking demands, then this approval will become final. If there are any changes made to the site or project, then an updated parking plan reflecting those changes shall be submitted and approved.

Michael A. DeSimone, AICP Community Development Director Logan City 290 North 100 West Logan, Utah 84321 (435) 716-9022

mike.desimone@loganutah.org

Axis Job # 2112
Owner #
Date 10/14/20
Drawn -Checked --

ARCHITECTURAL SITE PLAN

GATEWAY APARTMENTS LOGAN, UTAH

SCHEMATIC DESIGN PACKAGE OCTOBER 14, 2021







Urban Designers
Land Planners
Landscape Architects

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Legend

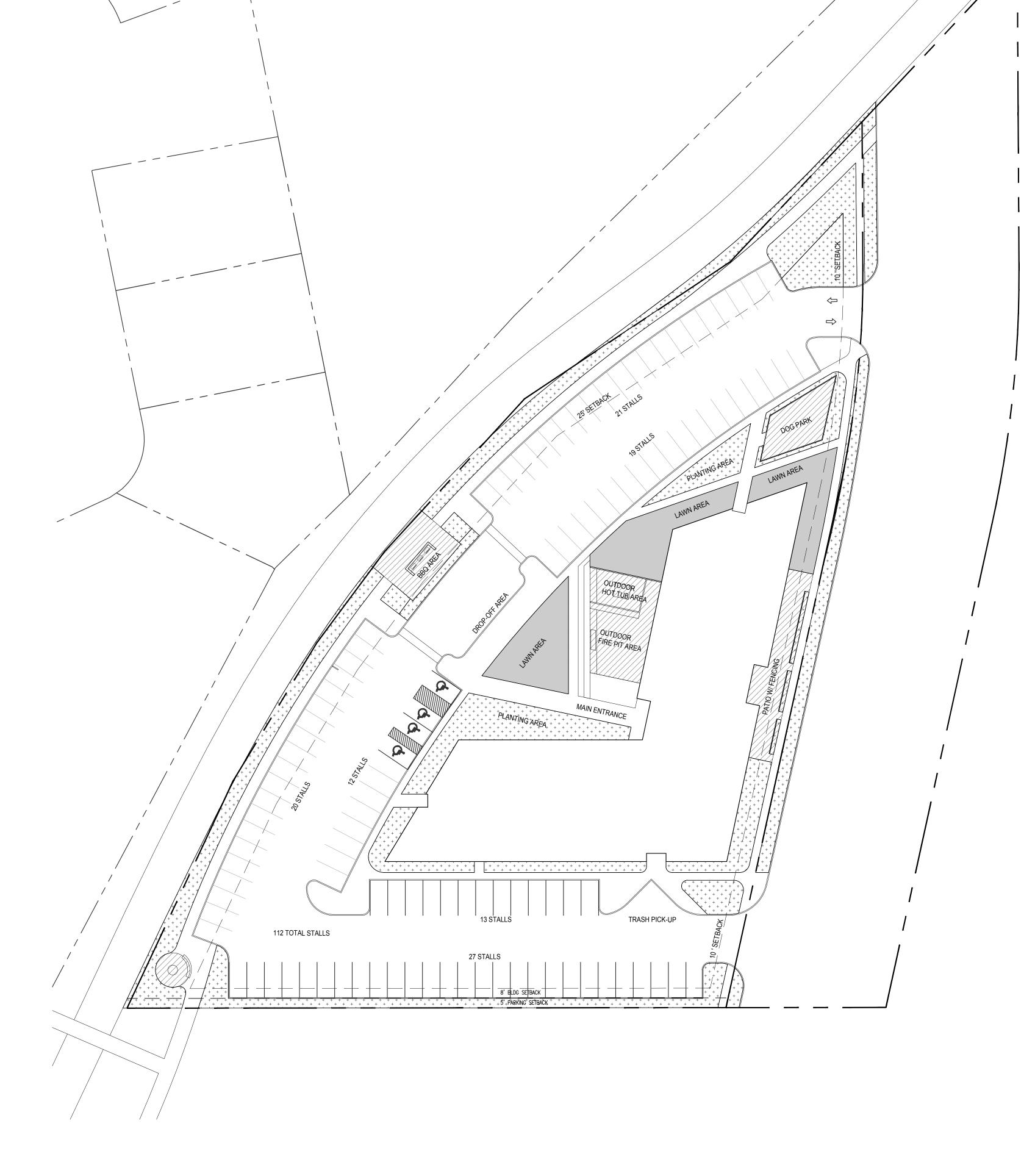
Open Space: Landscape Planted Area 20,365 SF

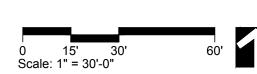


Usable Outdoor Space: 9,173 SF (Includes: Amenities: BBQ, Seating Area, Patio w/ Fence, Dog Park = 5,164 SF + Lawn = 4,009 SF)

Landscape Site Data:
Total Project Area 90,188 SF
Total Planted Area 20,365 SF
Percent Overall Landscape 22.5%

Open Space: 20,365 (22.5%) Usable Outdoor Space: 9,173 SF (10%)





LANDSCAPE

Project #:21-159 Drawn: BJR Checked: JAB

Date: Status: 10-15-21 LANDSCAPE EXHIBIT

Axis Job # 2112
Owner #
Date 10/14/2021
Drawn --Checked ---

EAST ELEVATION AND EAST VIEWS

AE201





C1 EAST VIEWS



A1 EAST ELEVATION

SCALE: 1/8"=1'-0"

SCALE: 1/8"=1'-0"

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4'
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NORTH ELEVATION AND VIEWS

AE202





C1 NORTH VIEWS



A1 NORTH ELEVATION

SCALE: 1/8"=1'-0"

WEST ELEVATION AND VIEWS

AE203





C1 WEST VIEWS

A1 WEST ELEVATION

SCALE: 1/8"=1'-0"



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SOUTH ELEVATION AND VIEWS





C1 SOUTH ELEVATION AND VIEWS



A1 SOUTH ELEVATION

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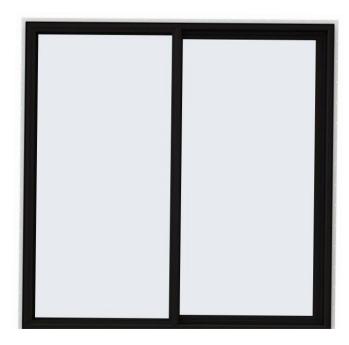
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STUCCO WHITE



HORIZONTAL BOX RIB METAL PANEL- GRAY



VINYL WINDOWS - BLACK