

# Project #23-014 Fredrickson STR 466 North 200 West

# **REPORT SUMMARY...**

Project Name: Fredrickson STR
Proponent/Owner: Jacob Fredrickson
Project Address: 466 North 200 West
Request: Conditional Use Permit

Current Zoning: Mixed Residential Low (MR-12)

Date of Hearing: February 23, 2023
Type of Action: Quasi-Judicial

Submitted By: Tanya Rice, Planner II

#### RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Planning Commission **Conditionally Approve** a Conditional Use Permit for Project #23-014 Fredrickson STR, for the property located at 466 North 200 West; TIN #05-080-0036.

Land use adjoining the subject property

Nort	h:	(MR-12)	Mixed I	Resider	ntial	East:	(MR-1	2) Mixed Residential
Sout	th:	(MR-12)	Mixed I	Resider	ntial	West:	(NR-6)	) Neighborhood Residential

# Request

The applicant is requesting a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) for a short-term rental (STR) in one unit of a four-plex at 466 N 200 W. The proposed STR is the entire townhouse #101 containing three (3) bedrooms and one and a half (1.5) bathrooms. The proposal shows three (3) off-street parking stalls in the parking area east of the STR. The parcel is approximately .37 acres in the Mixed Residential Low Zone (MR-12).



Figure 1 – 466 N 200 W

# Short Term Rentals

The purpose of the Section 17.37.130 is to regulate short term rentals to ensure compatibility within residential neighborhoods and to ensure they won't unreasonably reduce housing opportunities. The general requirements are:

- Occupied less than 30 continuous days.
- Business license required.
- CUP required.
- Meet minimum neighborhood density by being located at least 500' from another STR.
- Limitations on total numbers of STR's citywide.

The specific operational standards for STR's are as follows:

- Occupancy: Maximum occupancy is two (occupants) per bedroom plus two additional occupants.
- Parking: All STR parking shall be located on-site at one space per bedroom with a minimum of two parking spaces required.
- Residential appearance or character cannot change because of the STR.
- No more than one STR per residential structure.
- Subject to City's nuisance ordinances. Repeated failure to comply will result in loss of CUP.
- STR's shall comply with all applicable building, fire, health, safety, maintenance codes.
- Signage is limited to two square feet.

# Conditional Use Permit

The CUP process provides a system for discretionary consideration for applications that are not typically associated with the zoning district or considered conditional. CUP approvals should preserve and enhance neighborhood character and provide conditions to mitigate any potential impacts. Land Development Code (LDC) §17.37.130 requires a CUP for STRs in all residential zones. Section 17.42.050 in the LDC governs the approval criteria for Conditional Uses.

# §17.42.050 Planning Commission Action

The Commission may approve or conditionally approve a conditional use permit only upon substantiating the following findings:

- A. The maximum established density has not been exceeded, unless a density bonus has been approved in conformance with General Plan policy and City ordinance.
- B. The proposed use conforms to the requirements of Title 17 of the Logan Municipal Code and is listed as a conditional use in the Use Table.
- C. The use is compatible with surrounding land uses and will not interfere with the use and enjoyment of adjoining or area properties.
- D. The streets providing access and other infrastructure to the subject property have adequate capacities or a suitable level of service for the conditional use.
- E. The proposed use is compatible with neighborhood uses and character while preserving and enhancing the character of the neighborhood.
- F. Access to adjoining streets is designed to be constructed in conformance with City standards and specifications. Where adjoining streets are regulated by the Utah Department of Transportation, access to street(s) shall conform to the requirements of the Cache Access Management Plan.
- G. The proposed use provides adequate off-street parking in conformance with this Title.
- H. The project provides open space and landscaping in conformance with this Title.

When approving a CUP, the Planning Commission must substantiate the above lists of criteria for the specific application. CUP approvals include substantiating the "preservation and enhancement of neighborhood character" and "compatibility and interference with use and

enjoyment of neighboring properties". These discretionary issues need to be reviewed to ensure a proposed STR is compatible within the neighborhood.

# **Neighborhood Compatibility**

The proposed STR is one unit of a fourplex in the MR-12 Zone. The owners occupy one of the units and two (2) units are long term rentals. Two blocks off Main Street, the property is surrounded by a mixture of homes and apartments. Many of the homes nearby are identified as grandfathered duplexes. As the proposed STR is currently a long-term rental, changing the rental duration will not alter the exterior of the structure, or change the character of the property.

# **Parking**

The LDC requires all parking for the STR to be located on-site and off-street. The location and positioning of parking stalls shall comply with setback and dimensional requirements in the LDC. All parking areas shall be located outside the front setback, must be a minimum of 9' x 18' in size, and shall have at least a 12' wide driveway providing access to, and around, for all vehicles. Parking stalls and driveways are required to be paved with either concrete, asphalt, or other similar approved hardened surfaces. Parking for the STR shall be provided at one (1) space per bedroom with a minimum of two (2) spaces, and a minimum of two spaces for each residential unit (basement unit & detached residential unit) located on the site.

The subject parcel has twelve (12) on-site parking stalls associated with the fourplex. The application shows three (3) of the twelve (12) stalls allocated to the STR, leaving more than the required two (2) parking stalls for each of the other three (3) units. Each parking stall meets minimum size requirements. As proposed, with three (3) parking stalls for the STR, and nine (9) parking stalls for other units, the project complies with the LDC.



Figure 2 – Proposed Parking Plan

# **Proximity Restrictions**

The LDC requires the proximity of a STR to be located at least 500 feet from another STR as measured along the street frontage between front property corners. The proposed STR is not located within 500 feet of another permitted STR. The citywide allowance of 3 STR's per every

1,000 of total population has not been surpassed. As proposed, this application complies with the minimum proximity regulations in the LDC.

# **Occupancy Limits**

Occupancy limits for residential zones in Logan City are three (3) unrelated individuals or one family per dwelling unit. In STRs, the LDC permits a maximum of two (2) occupants per bedroom plus two (2) additional occupants. An STR may not be rented to the same individual, group or party for more than two consecutive rental contracts in a 6-month period or have multiple rental contracts by separate individuals, groups or parties for the same night or nights. STR contracts are limited to a maximum stay of 30 days.

The proposed STR is a three (3) bedroom townhome. The maximum occupancy for the STR would be eight (8) individuals. Occupancy for each of the other three (3) townhomes in the fourplex are to remain three (3) unrelated individuals or one family. As conditioned, with a maximum occupancy, the project meets the requirements of the LDC.

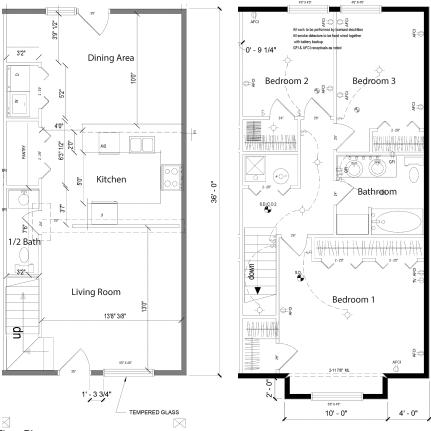


Figure 3 - STR Floor Plan

# **Operational Standards**

In addition to site specific requirements reviewed above, the LDC §17.37.130 and Logan Municipal Code provides general standards to ensure smooth and safe operations of STRs. Some of these include business licensing, building requirements and inspection, mitigation of potential nuisances (regarding noise, garbage, and pets) and neighborhood noticing. Following approval of the CUP, applicants proceed as specified in the City's business licensing process to ensure these requirements are met.

#### SUMMARY

Staff's assessment of the potential impact of this specific STR on the neighboring properties is minimal if at all. The proposed STR maintains neighborhood compatibility because no exterior alterations are proposed. The driveway and parking configurations are on-site and set back from

the street. Parking stall counts and sizes meet requirements outside of setbacks. As conditioned with full compliance to LDC standards and subsequent licensing and building inspection requirements, the proposed STR meets the requirements of Logan City codes and specifications.

# AGENCY AND CITY DEPARTMENT COMMENTS

Comments were solicited from the following departments or agencies:

<ul> <li>Water/Cross Connection</li> </ul>	Business Licensing
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# **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Notices were mailed to property owners within 300 feet of the subject property. As of the time of this report, three comment had been received. All comments express opposition to the STR and are attached for review.

# **PUBLIC NOTIFICATION**

Legal notices were published in the Herald Journal on 02/11/23 and the Utah Public Meeting website on 2/13/23. Public notices were mailed to all property owners within 300 feet of the project site on 02/06/23.

# RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

- 1. All standard conditions of approval will be recorded with the Conditional Use Permit and are available in the Community Development Department.
- 2. This Conditional Use Permit authorizes a three (3) bedroom short term rental occupying one unit of a fourplex.
- 3. This Conditional Use Permit authorizes two (2) people per bedroom with two (2) additional individuals for a maximum of eight (8) occupants within the STR.
- 4. Occupancy for the other three (3) units on the property shall comply with LDC regulations.
- 5. A minimum of three (3) parking stalls are required for the STR and two (2) parking spaces are required for each of the other units in the building. All parking areas shall be located on-site, off-street and outside of the front yard setbacks. All parking stalls shall be paved and 9'x18' in size. Parking shall be fully installed and approved prior to the issuance of the business license.
- 6. Prior to issuance of the business license, the applicant shall install the landscape as required in the original 2016 fourplex Design Review Permit, including:
  - a. Street trees on 30 foot centers, species and size to be approved by the City Forester prior to planting.
  - b. Landscaping to be provided at a minimum of 4,778 square feet of useable outdoor space and plantings to include a minimum of 7 trees (in addition to street trees) and 18 shrubs/perennials. A minimum of 50% of the plantings to be evergreen species.
- 7. Parking of recreational vehicles, trailers, boats, ATVs or similar vehicles associated with the STR shall be legally parked on-site and are not permitted to be parked on-street.
- 8. Rental contracts for the STR shall be for 30 days or less.
- 9. Rental contracts shall not be offered to the same individual, group, or party for more than two consecutive rental contracts in a six (6) month period. The owner shall maintain rental records available for review and inspection by Logan City.
- 10. Quiet times shall comply with the City noise ordinance of 10 pm to 8am.
- 11. A Logan City building/fire inspection is required which may result in building remodeling and building permits prior to the issuance of a business license.
- 12. A Logan City business license is required before a rental contract can be issued.
- 13. The STR shall comply with local and state Building, Health, Fire, Safety, Maintenance and Nuisance Codes prior to operating.

- 14. Exterior lighting shall be concealed source, down-cast and reviewed and approved prior to the issuance of a building permit and shall comply with current LDC regulations.
- 15. No signs are approved with this Conditional Use Permit. All signage shall be approved and permitted by staff in accordance with the Land Development Code.
- 16. No fences are approved with this Conditional Use Permit. All fences shall be approved and permitted by staff in accordance with the Land Development Code.

# RECOMMENDED FINDINGS FOR APPROVAL

- 1. The proposed use conforms to the requirements of the Land Development Code and is listed as a conditional use in the Use Table.
- 2. This STR meets the City's STR density and location parameters as specified in Chapter 17.37.130.
- 3. The use is compatible with the surrounding land uses and will not interfere with the use and enjoyment of adjoining or area properties.
- 4. The streets providing access and other infrastructure to the subject property have adequate capacities and level of service for the conditional use.
- 5. The Planning Commission has substantiated the findings for a Conditional Use Permit in Chapter 17.42.050.

This staff report is an analysis of the application based on adopted city documents, standard city development practices, and available information. The report is to be used to review and consider the merits of the application prior to and during the course of the Planning Commission meeting. Additional information may be revealed by participants at the Planning Commission meeting which may modify the staff report and become the Certificate of Decision. The Director of Community Development reserves the right to supplement the material in the report with additional information at the Planning Commission meeting.



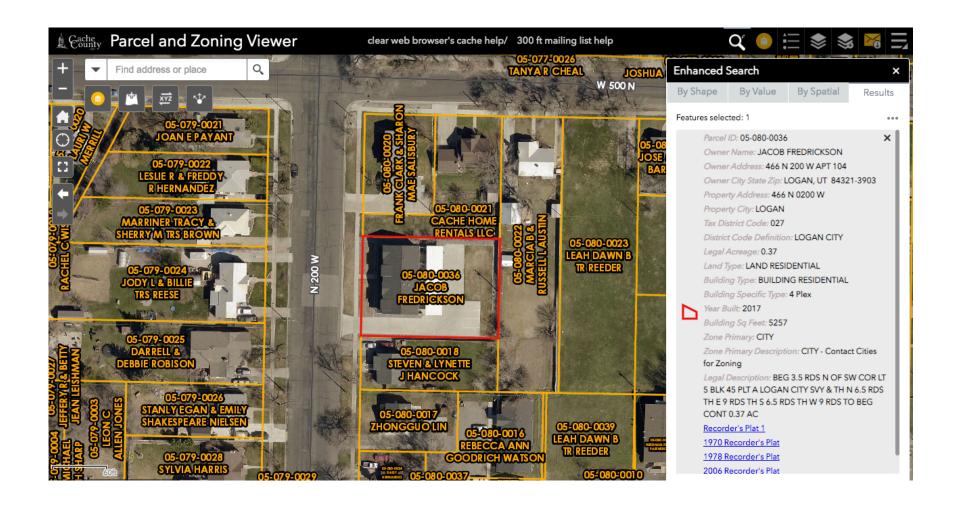
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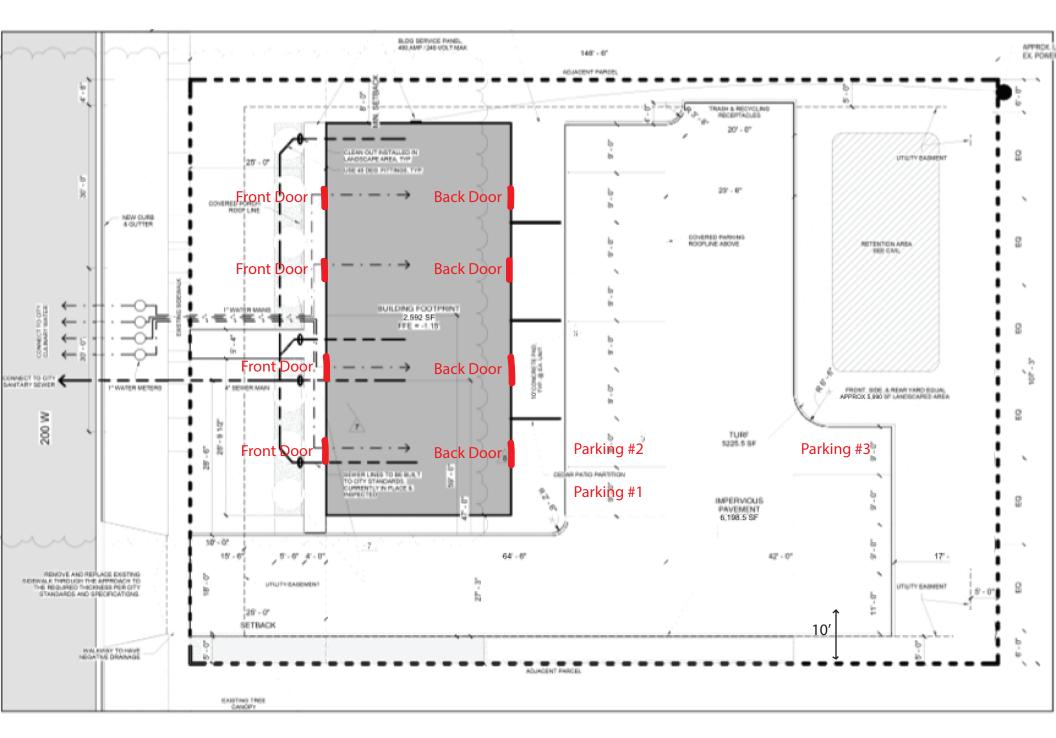
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APPLICATION MUST BE ACCURATE AND COMPLETE
NO SITE ACTIVITY MAY OCCUR UNTIL AFTER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE APPROVAL -

# Short Term Rental Management Plan

- This is a townhome that will be listed for short term rental through a property management company.
- An occupancy restriction of eight people will be posted clearly on all listings.
- The units were built to be separate and self-sustaining, including a sound wall separating each one.
- The tenants will be sourced from online short term rental posting applicants and their identities are confirmed and vetted by a third party application software.
- We will have clear instructions regarding Logan City statute quiet hours on the listings and in the unit itself.
- We, the owners, live on site and will be available to deal with complaints.

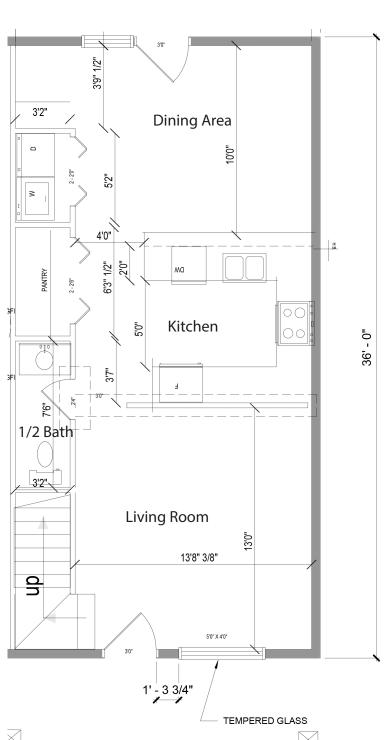


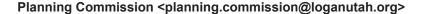


Site Plan

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# Fredrickson short term rental

1 message

Shawn Reese <cymru2000@hotmail.com>

Sat, Feb 11, 2023 at 8:54 AM

To: "Planning.commission@loganutah.org" <Planning.commission@loganutah.org>

I am unable to attend the public hearing on this fredrickson short term rental. But the letter does not explain why they are requesting this and does not go into any further detail. This neighborhood has had issues with refugees telling other residents that their American flags are racist and others stealing property. I don't know if it's something to do with housing migrants but my answer is No, I do not want or approve of this conditional use permit. Reese