

TOLEDO - LUCAS COUNTY PLAN COMMISSIONS

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DATE: October 11, 2024

REF: Z-8001-24

TO:

President Carrie Hartman and Members of Council, City of Toledo

FROM:

Toledo City Plan Commission, Thomas C. Gibbons, Secretary

SUBJECT:

Zone Change from RM36 (Multi-Family Residential) & RS9 (Single-Dwelling

Residential) to CO (Office Commercial)

The Toledo City Plan Commission considered the above-referenced request at its meeting on Thursday, October 10, 2024 at 2:00 P.M.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Subject

Request - Zone Change from RM36 (Multi-Family

Residential) & RS9 (Single-Dwelling Residential) to

CO (Office Commercial)

Location

3815 W. Sylvania Avenue

Owner / Applicant

Jeff Nowalk, Director of Facilities Lucas County Commissioners

One Government Center, Suite 800

Toledo, OH 43604

Civil Engineer

Seth Transue

Civil & Environmental Consultants, Inc. 250 W. Old Wilson Bridge Road, Suite 250

Worthington, OH 43085

Site Description

Zoning - RM36 (Multi-Family Residential) & RS6 (Single

Dwelling Residential)

Area

±2.23 acres ±300' along Sylvania Avenue

±330' along Woodley Road

Existing Use

Frontage

Funeral Home

Proposed Use

Parking

Area Description

North

RM36 / Apartments

South

CO / Medical Offices

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GENERAL INFORMATION (cont'd)

Area Description (cont'd)

East - RM36, RS9 / Lucas County Shared Services Bldg.

West - CO, RM36, RS9 / Medical Offices, Multi-Unit

Dwellings

Parcel History

T-177-61 - Lot Split of the westerly three hundred feet (300') of

the original parcel. (Administratively approved

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Applicable Plans & Regulations

Toledo Municipal Code Part Eleven: Planning and Zoning

• Forward Toledo Comprehensive Land Use Plan

STAFF ANALYSIS

The applicant is requesting a Zone Change from RM36 (Multi-Family Residential) & RS9 (Single-Dwelling Residential) to CO (Office Commercial) for 3815 W. Sylvania Avenue. The request is to accommodate a proposed parking lot intended to serve the adjacent Lucas County Shared Services Building, which is an administrative office use. Administrative offices are not permitted in the current RM36 (Multi-Family Residential) & RS9 (Single-Dwelling Residential) zoning district. Administrative offices are permitted in CO (Office Commercial) districts. To the north are apartments, to the south are medical offices, to the east is the Lucas County Shared Services Building, and to the west are medical offices and multi-unit dwellings.

Forward Toledo Comprehensive Land Use Plan

The Forward Toledo Comprehensive Land Use Plan targets this area for Neighborhood Mixed-Use land uses. The intent of the Neighborhood Mixed-Use land use designation is to preserve and promote pedestrian-oriented commercial and mixed-use areas. These are a core component of neighborhoods and provide the highest density of commercial and housing opportunities.

Staff recommends approval of the Zone Change from RM36 (Multi-Family Residential) & RS9 (Single-Dwelling Residential) to CO (Office Commercial) for 3815 W. Sylvania Avenue because it is consistent with existing land uses and zoning classifications within the general vicinity of the subject property.

PLAN COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

The Toledo City Plan Commission recommends approval of Z-8001-24, a Zone Change from RM36 (Multi-Family Residential) & RS9 (Single-Dwelling Residential) to CO (Office Commercial) for 3815 W. Sylvania Avenue, for the following two (2) reasons:

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PLAN COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION (cont'd)

- 1. The proposed Zone Change is consistent with existing land uses within the general vicinity of the subject property (TMC§1111.0606(B))
- 2. The proposed Zone Change is consistent with the zoning classifications of properties within the general vicinity of the subject property (TMC§1111.0606(C))

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas C. Gibbons

Secretary

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Two (2) sketches follow

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