# CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES PLANNING AND URBAN DESIGN DIVISION

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**TO:** Planning and Development Board

VIA: Leslie A. Del Monte, Planning Manager

**FROM:** Deandrea Moise, Planning Administrator

**SUBJECT:** 58 Oak LLC requests Design and Site Plan for a mixed-use development consisting of 58

residential units and 9,300 square feet of office space, located at 4231 N 58 Avenue (58

Oak).

# **REQUEST**

Design and Site Plan for a mixed-use development consisting of 58 residential units and 9,300 square feet of office space.

# **RECOMMENDATION**

Design: Approval.

Site Plan: Approval, if Design is granted, with the following conditions:

- 1. Unity of Title, in a form acceptable to the City Attorney, be submitted prior to the issuance of Building Permits, and recorded by the City of Hollywood, in the Broward County Public Records prior to Certificate of Completion (C/C) or Certificate of Occupancy (C/O).
- 2. Applicant shall work with the Engineering Division and Broward County Transit to provide bus shelter and any appropriate easements, if feasible.

#### **REQUEST**

The Applicant requests Design and Site plan for a mixed-use development, to include 58 residential units and approximately 9,300 square foot of office space. The subject site is located along 58<sup>th</sup> avenue with marginal frontage along Stirling Road.

The Applicant proposes to demolish the existing single family home and parking lot to construct a five story mixed-use building, offering redevelopment in this area. The proposed development will introduce a mix of uses by providing residential units on all levels (excluding ground), and office spaces on three levels. The unit configurations range from one to two bedrooms and exceed the minimum unit size as

required by code. Residential amenities, such as a pool area, are also proposed with this request. The Applicant has worked to ensure that the appropriate amount of parking is provided to accommodate both uses. The proposed parking is located under the building and shall be screened adjacent to interior property lines through thoughtful landscape design and fencing. Furthermore, the proposed development seeks to enhance pedestrian connectivity by providing pedestrian access from 58<sup>th</sup> avenue. Staff has also recommended the condition that the Applicant work with both City Staff and County Staff to provide a bus shelter, if feasible. As the proposed development is comprised of more than one lot, Staff recommends a Unity of Title, in a form acceptable to the City Attorney, be submitted prior to the issuance of Building Permits.

The Applicant is proposing a unique design that seeks to introduce a different architectural style than seen throughout the surrounding area. The proposed architecture is described by the Applicant as "Coastal Contemporary." Although the proposed design will be unique to the area, the various materials, architectural elements, and scale of the building help to tie in the proposed design into the surrounding area.

The Applicant has worked with Staff to ensure that all applicable regulations are met and to provide dynamic and appealing facades. Development of this site enhances the neighborhood, encourages redevelopment of the area, and provides a model for redevelopment within this area.

**Applicant:** 58 Oak LLC

Address/Location: 4231 N 58 Avenue

Net Area of Property: 65,153 sq. ft. (1.4957 acres)
Land Use: Transit Oriented Corridor (TOC)
Zoning: North-Mixed Use District (N-MU)
Existing Use of Land: Residential and Commercial

# ADJACENT LAND USE

North: Transit Oriented Corridor (TOC)
South: Transit Oriented Corridor (TOC)
East: Medium Residential (MRES)
West: Transit Oriented Corridor (TOC)

#### **ADJACENT ZONING**

North: North-Mixed Use District (N-MU)
South: North-Mixed Use District (N-MU)

**East:** Medium High Multiple Family District (RM-18)

West: North-Mixed Use District (N-MU)

#### CONSISTENCY WITH THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

The goal of the Land Use element is to promote a distribution of land uses that will enhance and improve the residential, business, resort, and natural communities while allowing land owners to maximize the use of their property. The project is consistent with the Land Use element of the Comprehensive Plan.

**Policy 2.2.11:** Promote the development of US 441/SR 7 as a major transit corridor.

**Policy 3.1.1:** Continue to prioritize US 441/SR 7 Corridor for redevelopment opportunities and work with the Florida Department of Transportation and other applicable agencies on design of the highway, and create innovative zoning to implement future plans.

#### CONSISTENCY WITH THE CITY-WIDE MASTER PLAN

The project is located in Sub-Area 6, the US 441/SR 7 Corridor, is geographically defined by 56th Avenue to the east (including that portion of Washington Park that extends to 52nd Avenue), the Dania Cut-Off Canal to the north, Florida's Turnpike to the west and Pembroke Road to the south. This area includes the residential neighborhoods of Beverly Park, Lawn Acres and Washington Park as well as the undefined residential areas east and west of US 441/SR 7 north of Hollywood Boulevard.

Guiding Principle: Promote the highest and best use of land in each sector of the City without compromising the goals of the surrounding community.

Policy 2.46: Preserve stable neighborhoods and encourage rehabilitation initiatives that will revitalize and promote stability of neighborhoods.

# **APPLICABLE CRITERIA**

Analysis of Criteria and Findings for Design as stated in the City of Hollywood Zoning and Land Development Regulations, Article 5.

**CRITERIA 1:** 

Architectural and Design components. Architecture refers to the architectural elements of exterior building surfaces. Architectural details should be commensurate with the building mass. The use of traditional materials for new architectural details is recommended. Design of the building(s) shall consider aesthetics and functionality, including the relationship of the pedestrian with the built environment.

**ANALYSIS:** 

As described by the Applicant, a "Coastal Contemporary" architectural style is proposed. The Applicant is proposing a unique design that seeks to introduce a different architectural style than seen throughout the surrounding area, which does not exhibit any distinct architectural styles. Furthermore, the proposed development seeks to enhance pedestrian connectivity by providing pedestrian access from 58th avenue. Staff has also recommended the condition that the Applicant work with both City Staff and County Staff to provide a bus shelter, if feasible.

**FINDING:** Consistent.

**CRITERIA 2:** 

Compatibility. The relationship between existing architectural styles and proposed construction, including how each building along the street relates to the whole and the pattern created with adjacent structures and the surrounding neighborhood. Buildings should contain architectural details that are characteristic of the surrounding neighborhood.

**ANALYSIS:** 

Although the proposed design will be unique to the area, the various materials, architectural elements, and scale of the building help to tie in the proposed design into the surrounding area. The architectural styles and elements of the proposed development do not exhibit architectural features and styles that are insensitive and incompatible to the surrounding area.

FINDING:

Consistent.

**CRITERIA 3:** 

Scale/Massing. Buildings shall be proportionate in scale, with a height which is consistent with the surrounding structures. Building mass shall reflect a simple composition of basic architectural details in relation to its length, width, height, lot coverage, and setting of the structure in context with adjacent buildings. Architectural details include, but are not limited to, banding, molding, and fenestration.

**ANALYSIS:** 

The proposed building is proportionate in scale and massing with the adjacent structures and meets the height requirements. As the proposed is located on more than one lot, Staff recommends that a Unity of Title, in a form acceptable to the City Attorney, be submitted prior to the issuance of Building Permits, and recorded by the City of Hollywood, in the Broward County Public Records prior to Certificate of Completion (C/C) or Certificate of Occupancy (C/O).

FINDING:

Consistent.

**CRITERIA 4:** 

Landscaping. Landscaped areas should contain a variety of native and other compatible plant types and forms, and be carefully integrated with existing buildings and paved areas. Existing mature trees and other significant plants on the site should be preserved.

**ANALYSIS:** 

The Applicant has worked with the City Landscape Reviewer to incorporate a variety of compatible plant types and forms into the design. The proposed landscape helps articulate the property and enhance the design of the proposed building.

FINDING:

Consistent.

#### **SITE PLAN**

The Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) found the proposed Site Plan compliant with all regulations as set forth in Article 6 of the Hollywood Zoning and Land Development Regulations on May 20, 2019. Therefore, Staff recommends approval, if Design is granted, and with the aforementioned conditions.

The following standards shall be utilized by the Technical Advisory Committee and the Planning and Development Board in the review, evaluation, and approval of all required plans and exhibits:

A. Natural Environment. All proposed development shall be designed in such a manner as to preserve, perpetuate and improve the existing natural character of the site. Existing trees and other landscape features shall, to the maximum extent possible, be preserved in their natural

state; and additional landscape features shall be provided to enhance architectural features, to relate structural design to the site, and to conceal unattractive uses. In all instances the city's tree protection, landscaping and all other applicable regulations shall be fully complied with as minimum standards.

- B. Open space. Adequate landscaped open space shall be provided which meets the particular needs and demands of the proposed development and all specific zoning district requirements. Legal methods assuring the continued preservation and maintenance of required open space shall be submitted to and approved by the City Attorney. The type and distribution of all open space shall be determined by the character, intensity and anticipated residential or user composition of the proposed development.
  - 1. Passive open spaces (those areas not planned for intensive activity) shall be arranged as to enhance internal spatial relationships between proposed structures, to provide buffers between the project and adjacent less intensive uses, to facilitate pedestrian movements within the development, and to improve the overall visual quality of the site.
  - Active open spaces (those areas containing activities such as playgrounds, tennis courts, swimming pools and other active recreational facilities) shall be located so as to permit easy access to all residents or users within a development. Private recreational facilities and activities within specific projects shall, wherever possible, complement, rather than duplicate, nearby public recreational activities.
- C. Circulation and parking. All circulation systems and parking facilities within a proposed development shall be designed and located in such a manner as to comply with the following:
  - A clearly defined vehicular circulation system shall be provided which allows free movement within the proposed development while discouraging excessive speeds. Said systems shall be separated insofar as practicable from pedestrian circulation systems. Pavement widths and access points to peripheral streets shall be provided which adequately serve the proposed development and which are compatible and functional with circulation systems outside the development.
  - 2. Whenever possible in proposed residential developments, living units should be located on residential streets or courts which are designed to discourage nonlocal through traffic.
  - 3. Off-street parking areas shall be provided which adequately accommodate maximum vehicle storage demands for the proposed project and are located and designed in such a manner so as to conveniently serve the uses to which they are accessory and not create incompatible visual relationships.
  - 4. Safe and efficient access to all areas of the proposed development shall be provided for emergency and service vehicles, as required by the Florida Building Code in effect in Broward County, Florida, as revised from time to time.
  - 5. Sidewalks shall be provided as required by the city regulations.
  - 6. Handicapped Accessibility shall be provided as required by all applicable regulations.

- D. *Community services and utilities*. All proposed developments shall be designed and located in such a manner as to insure the adequate provision, use and compatibility of necessary community services and utilities.
  - 1. An adequate sanitary sewer collection system including all necessary extensions and connections, shall be provided in accordance with city standards for location and design. Where necessitated by the size of the development and/or by the unavailability of city treatment facilities, sanitary sewage treatment and disposal systems must be provided in accordance with city and state standards and regulations.
  - 2. An efficient solid waste collection system, including the provisions of an adequate number of properly screened local receptacles in locations which afford maximum use and collection convenience, shall be provided in accordance with all applicable city standards.
  - 3. A well designed internal system for fire protection, including the provisions of an adequate number of properly located fire hydrants and an efficient access arrangement for emergency fire vehicles, shall be provided to insure the safety of all persons within the project.
- E. Building and other structures. All buildings and structures proposed to be located within a development shall be oriented and designed in such a manner as to enhance, rather than detract from, the overall quality of the site and its immediate environment. The following guidelines shall be followed in the review and evaluation of all buildings and structures:
  - 1. Proposed buildings and structures shall be related harmoniously to the terrain, other buildings and the surrounding neighborhood, and shall not create through their location, style, color or texture incompatible physical or visual relationships.
  - 2. All buildings and structures shall be designed and oriented in a manner insuring maximum privacy of residential uses and related activities both on the site being developed and property adjacent thereto.
  - 3. All permanent outdoor identification features which are intended to call attention to proposed projects and/or structures shall be designed and located in such a manner as to be an integral part of the total project and/or structural design and shall not exceed a size and scale necessary for the recognition from vehicles moving along adjacent streets at prescribed legal speeds.
- F. Level of service standards. For the purpose of the issuance of development orders and permits, the city has adopted level of service standards for public facilities and services which include roads, sanitary sewer, solid waste, drainage, potable water, and parks and recreation. All applicants are required to prove concurrency pursuant to the City's Comprehensive Plan and F.S. Chapter 163, as amended from time to time.
- G. Other requirements. Requirements and recommendations as provided in the city tree and landscape regulations shall be observed as will the requirements of all applicable standards and regulations.

# **ATTACHMENTS**

ATTACHMENT A: Application Package

ATTACHMENT B: Land Use and Zoning Map