

City Council ZON24-00731

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Request



- Rezone from RM-2-PAD to RM-2 with a new PAD overlay
- Major Site Plan Modification
- To allow for a single residence development



Location

- East of the 202 Freeway
- West of Ellsworth Road
- North side of Southern Ave







General Plan

Neighborhood, Suburban:

- Safe places for people to live, feel secure and enjoy their community
- Single residences are a primary land use and RM-2 is a primary zoning district







Zoning

- Multiple Residence-2 with a Planned Area Development overlay (RM-2-PAD)
- Attached single residence is a permitted use in the RM-2 District









Looking north from Southern Avenue



Site Plan

- 54 townhomes grouped into 8 buildings
- Swimming pool, shade structures and seating areas, dog park
- Gated access from Southern Ave, with exit onto 88th St
- 18 guest parking spaces





Planned Area Development

| Development Standard | MZO Required | PAD Proposed |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| <u> Minimum Lot Width</u> – MZO Table 11- | | |
| 5-5 | 36 feet | 22 feet |
| -Single Residence Attached | | |
| Minimum Lot Depth – MZO Table 11- | | |
| 5-5 | 94 feet | 61 feet |
| -Single Residence Attached | | |
| Minimum Lot Area per Dwelling Unit | | |
| <u>(sq. ft.)</u> – MZO Table 11-5-5 | 2,904 square feet | 1,352 square feet |
| Max. Lot Coverage (% of lot) – | | |
| MZO Table 11-5-5 | 70% | 95% |
| <u>Minimum Yards</u> – | | |
| MZO Table 11-5-5 | | |
| -Rear: 1 or 2 units on lot | 15 feet | 0 feet |
| <u>Max. Building Coverage (% of lot)</u> – | | |
| MZO Table 11-5-5 | 45% | 87% 8 |



Planned Area Development

| Development Standard | MZO Required | PAD Proposed |
|---|---|--|
| Standards for Required Open Space – MZO Section 11-5-5(A)(3)(e)(ii) -Private open space, covered | Open space shall be at least 50% covered (60 square feet) and shall have at least one (1) exterior side that is open and unobstructed between three (3) and eight (8) feet above its floor level | <u>Unit A</u> : Open space shall be at least 39% covered (47 square feet), and shall have at least one (1) exterior side that is open and unobstructed between three feet six inches (3'-6") and eight (8) feet above its floor level. <u>Unit B</u> : Open space shall be at least 35% covered (42 square feet), and shall have at least one (1) exterior side that is open and unobstructed between three feet six inches (3'-6") and eight (8) feet above its floor level. |
| <u>Access, Circulation and Parking</u> – <i>MZO Section</i> 11-5-5(B)(4)(f)(ii) -Attached Garages | Garage doors located below upper-story living space shall be recessed at least 3 feet from the upper story facade | Garage doors located below upper-story living space shall be recessed at least 2 feet 1 inch from the upper story facade |
| <u>Materials</u> – <i>MZO Section 11-5-5(B)(5)(b)</i> | Buildings must contain 2 primary materials, each covering at least 25% of the exterior walls | Buildings must contain 4 primary materials, 1 covering at least 25% of the exterior walls and 2 others collectively covering at least 22% of the exterior walls on the side elevations and 25% of the exterior walls on the front and rear elevations |

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| <u>Fences and Freestanding Walls</u> – <i>MZO</i> Section 11-30-4(A)(1) -Maximum Height in RM District: Front Yards | 4.5 feet tall if the topmost 1.5 feet is visually transparent fand not opaque | 6 feet tall (along south and west property lines) |
| <u>Required Landscape Yards</u> – <i>MZO Section 11-33-3(B)(1)(a)(i)</i> -Non-Single residence adjacent to single residence uses or districts less than 5 acres | 20-feet | 5 feet (between the solid waste enclosures and the north property line) |
| | | 8 feet (East property line) |



Citizen Participation

- Notified property owners within 1,000 ft., HOAs, and registered neighborhoods
- Staff has not been contacted by interested parties







Findings

Complies with the 2040 Mesa General Plan
Criteria in Chapter 69 of the MZO for Site Plan Review
Complies with Chapter 22 of the MZO for a PAD Overlay
Complies with the Subdivision Regulations Section 9-6-2

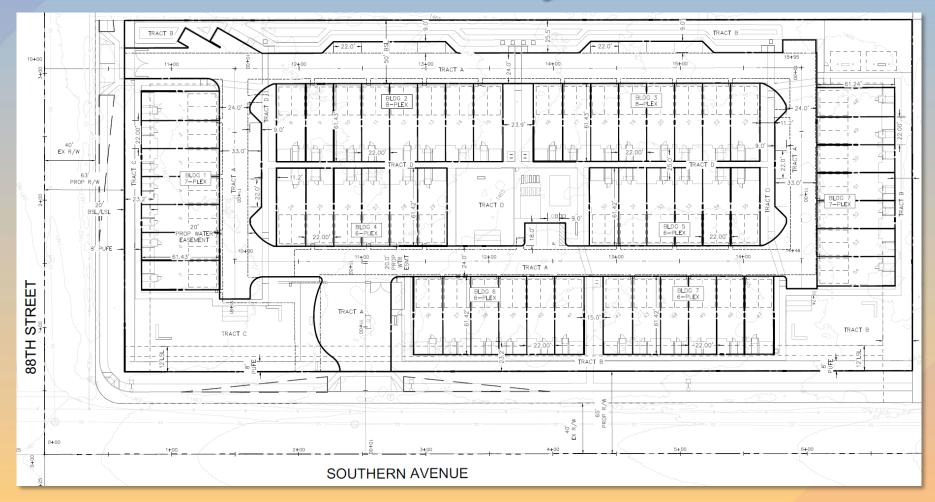
Staff recommends Approval with Conditions Planning and Zoning Board recommends Approval with Conditions (6-0)





Preliminary Plat

- 17 (PE)

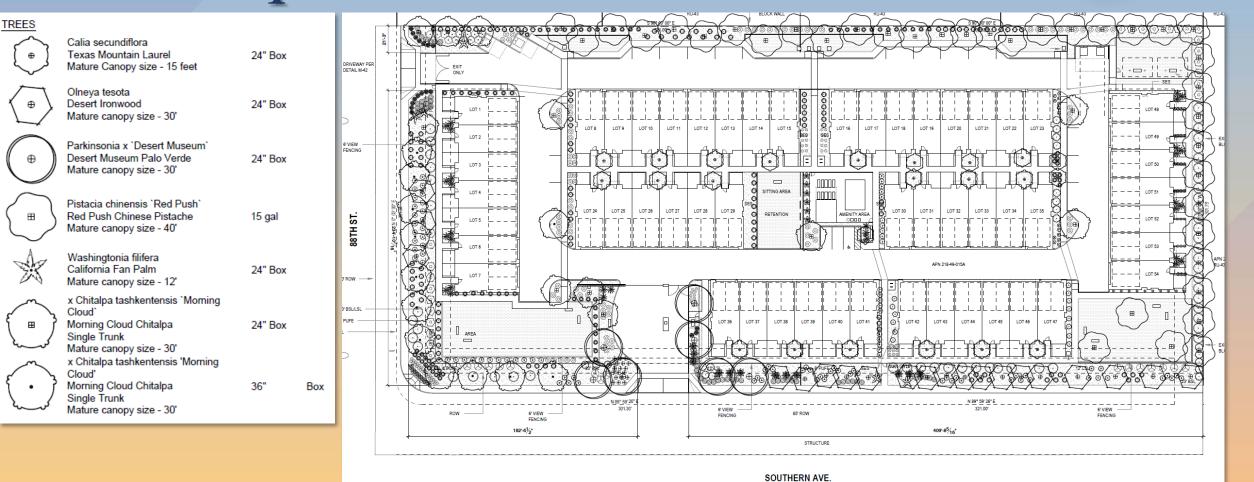






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Landscape Plan









7 PLEX_NORTH

















6 PLEX_NORTH

















1 8 PLEX_NORTH



8 PLEX_SOUTH











Floor Plans

