

PROJECT FACT SHEET

TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL

Planning and Development Service

Section A: Project Info	rmation						
Use Type: (check/list o	all that apply)						
☐ Office/Institution	al Residentia	al Mixed-Use	Other:				
Overlay District: (chec	ck all that apply)						
Historic District	☐ Neighborho	od Conservation Distr	rict Airport Haz	ard Zone			
Section B: Land Area							
Net Land Area (NLA): Area v	vithin zoning lot bou	ındaries			NLA=	19,793	sq. ft.
Choose one, or both, of	a) Credited Street a	Area (total adjacent fr	ontage) x ½ width of p	ublic right-	CSA=	1979	sq. ft.
the following (a or b), not to exceed 10% of NLA	,		al adjacent frontage) x 🛚	½ public or	COS=		sq. ft.
TOTAL: NLA + CSA and/or Co			+ 10%)		GLA=	21,772	sq. ft.
Section C: Special Prot	ection Areas, Lai	nd Disturbance, ar	nd Impervious Area	1			
Special Protection Are	eas: (check all those Resource Conse] 100 Year Floodplain	☐ Wat	ershed P	rotection Dis	strict
Land Disturbance						Total (sq. f	t.)
Area of Land Disturbance (Includes: Footprint of proposall grading, including off-site cl		area envelope, staging a	rea for materials, access/o	equipment pa	ths, and	22,609	
Area of Land Disturbance w							
Area of Land Disturbance w	ithin Jordan Buffer						
Impervious Areas		Existing (sq. ft.)	Demolition (sq. ft.)	Proposed	(sq. ft.)	Total (s	q. ft.)
Impervious Surface Area (IS	A)	4,756	4,756	14,202		14,202	
Impervious Surface Ratio: P Surface Area of Gross Land	•	21.8%	21.8%	65.23%		65.23%	
If located in Watershed Pro of impervious surface on 7/	·						



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Section D: Dimensions

Dimensional Unit (sq. ft.)	Existing (sq. ft.)	Demolition (sq. ft.)	Proposed (sq. ft.)	Total (sq. ft.)
Number of Buildings	1	1.681	1	5,500
		1,001	_	3,300
Number of Floors	1		2	
Recreational Space				

Residential Space						
Dimensional Unit (sq. ft.)	Existing (sq. ft.)	Demolition (sq. ft.)	Proposed (sq. ft.)	Total (sq. ft.)		
Floor Area (all floors – heated and unheated)	1	1,681				
Total Square Footage of All Units						
Total Square Footage of Affordable Units						
Total Residential Density						
Number of Dwelling Units						
Number of Affordable Dwelling Units						
Number of Single Bedroom Units						
Number of Two Bedroom Units						
Number of Three Bedroom Units						

Non-Residential Space (Gross Floor Area in Square Feet)					
Use Type	Existing	Proposed	Uses	Existing	Proposed
Commercial					
Restaurant			# of Seats		
Government					
Institutional					
Medical					
Office		5,500 gfa			
Hotel			# of Rooms		
Industrial					
Place of Worship			# of Seats		
Other					

	Dimensional Requirements	Required by Ordinance	Existing	Proposed
Catharde	Street	22' (OI-2)	22' (R-4)	20'
Setbacks (minimum)	Interior (neighboring property lines)	8' (OI-2)	8' (R-4)	4'
(minimum)	Solar (northern property line)	9' (OI-2)	9' (R-4)	9'
Height	Primary	34'	1- story house	
(maximum)	Secondary	60'	1- story house	37'8.5"
Streets	Frontages	40' min	79.93'	79.93
Streets	Widths		25' (Dobbins)	25' (Dobbins)



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Section F: Adjoining or Connecting Streets and Sidewalks

Note: For approval of proposed street names, contact the Engineering Department.

Street Name	Right-of-Way Width	Pavement Width	Number of Lanes	Existing Sidewalk*	Existing Curb/Gutter
Dobbins Drive	250' (combined w/ 15-501)	25'	2		⊠ Yes
				☐ Yes	Yes

List Proposed Points of Access (Ex: Number, Street Name):

*If existing sidewalks do not exist and the applicant is adding sidewalks, please provide the following information:

Sidewalk Information					
Street Names	Dimensions	Surface	Handicapped Ramps		
Dobbins Drive (existing sidewalk)	4.7' wide	Concrete	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A		
			Yes No N/A		

Section G: Parking Information

Parking Spaces	Minimum	Maximum	Proposed		
Regular Spaces	15	22	19		
Handicap Spaces	1		2		
Total Spaces	16	22	21		
Loading Spaces	N/A	N/A	0		
Bicycle Spaces	7		8		
Surface Type	2" SF9.5A // 8" ABC in parking spaces				

Section H: Landscape Buffers

Location (North, South, Street, Etc.)	Minimum Width	Proposed Width	Alternate Buffer	Modify Buffer
Dobbins Drive // Type C Buffer Req.	20'	10'	☐ Yes	
North (Rear) // Type C Buffer Req.	20'	15'	☐ Yes	
West // Type B Buffer Required	20'	8'	Yes	
East // Type C Buffer Req.	10'	4'	Yes	

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Z	oning – Area -	- Ratio	Imperv	ious Surface	e Thres	sholds		and Maximum
Zoning District(s)	Floor Area Ratio (FAR	Recreation	Low Density Residential (0.24)	High Den Resident (0.50)	sity tial	Non- Residential (0.70)	Lin Maximum Floor Area (MFA) = FAF GLA	Recreation
OI-2-CZ	.264	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	5,747	N/A
TOTAL	.264							
RCD Streamside	N/A	0.01						N/A
RCD Managed	N/A	0.019						N/A
RCD Upland	N/A	N/A						N/A
Section J: Uti	oply:							
Wate		○ OWASA ○ OWASA ○ OWASA	Individual V			Community We		Other Other
Electri		Underground	Above Grou	•		community i ac	Rage Flame	
Telepho	one		Above Grou	nd				
Solid W	aste	☐ Town	Private					

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Written Narrative

This rezoning requests to rezone 1751 Dobbins Drive (the "Property") from the Residential-4 (R-4) zoning district to the Office Institutional-2 (OI-2) zoning district to allow the development of two office buildings totaling 5,000 square feet. The buildings will be one and two-stories and connected by a shared lobby. The rezoning is requested to develop permanent office space for a local company.

The buildings will be served by 16 parking spaces, 7 bicycle parking spaces, and access will be provided from Dobbins Drive. No access will be provided from the road serving Dobbins Hill Apartments. A bus stop is located at the adjacent property and employees will be encouraged to use transit.

Stormwater management will be provided through underground stormwater retention, and landscaping will be provided around the property to serve as a buffer. The underground cistern is proposed in the front of the site to design with existing topographic patterns.

The building will be two-stories tall, with large windows and a wedge-style roofline will make the structure architecturally interesting and impactful along the 15-501 corridor. Architectural considerations will allow for design of the building that will stimulate interest from 15-501 while remaining compatible with residential uses to the west and north.

Statement of Justification to Rezone 1751 Dobbins Drive

This application requests to rezone 1751 Dobbins Drive (the "Property") from the Residential-4 (R-4) zoning district to the Office/Institutional-2 (OI-2) zoning district. The Property is currently used for a single-family residential dwelling in a predominately commercial use area of the Town, along the 15-501 corridor. Zoning amendments are permitted in the Land Use Management Ordinance (LUMO) to a) to correct a manifest error in the appendix; or b) because of changed or changing conditions in a particular area or in the jurisdiction generally; or c) to achieve the purposes of the comprehensive plan. This Statement of Justification demonstrates that this fully satisfies criteria b) and c) of Section 4.4, as described below. Details regarding the design of the site, proposed use, and other features of redevelopment are provided in the Written Narrative.

b) because of changed or changing conditions in a particular area or in the jurisdiction generally

The area containing the Property has changed drastically in the previous decades, resulting in a context that is no longer appropriate for single-family residential use. This is evidenced as the Property contains the only remaining single-family residential dwelling in the area; surrounding properties have been recently redeveloped to office, multi-family residential, and retail communities. The Property is adjacent to 15-501, a median-separated arterial and contributes towards noise and light pollution that is incompatible for single-family residential dwelling. This zoning change proposes to change the land use to more appropriately blend in with the non-residential neighborhood, contribute towards the tax base, and capitalize on the strategic location of the property for non-residential development.

The proximity and visibility of the site to large traffic volumes position it advantageously to accommodate non-residential land uses. Access to the site is provided from Dobbins Drive via 15-501 and does not require vehicular traffic to traverse through a residential neighborhood. Bus access to the property is also possible with a bus stop located at the adjacent property, allowing employees and visitors alike to access the property using means other than car. Locating non-residential development near a transit stop demonstrates private investment capitalizing on public investment in transportation.

c) to achieve the purposes of the comprehensive plan.

This application will achieve the purposes of the comprehensive plan. The Property is located within the *North 15-501 Future Focus Discussion Area and the*. The request to rezone to the OI-2 zoning designation strives to achieve the stated goals of the Future Focus Area, and will achieve one of the stated preferred land uses for this location in the Comprehensive Plan: *Mixed Use/Office/Commercial Emphasis*. Additional analysis of supporting Comprehensive Plan language is provided in the Comprehensive Plan Letter of Justification.