

# OPEN THE PUBLIC HEARING: LIMITED SCOPE SPECIAL USE PERMIT FOR TRI-CITY MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING, 5002 BARBEE CHAPEL ROAD

STAFF REPORT

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PROPERTY ADDRESS DATE APPLICANT

5002 Barbee Chapel Road June 23, 2021 C. F. Smith Property Group

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

That the Council 1) open the Evidentiary Hearing 2) receive evidence, and 3) continue the Evidentiary Hearing to September 1, 2021.

### **PROCESS**

The application is before the Council for approval of a Special Use Permit Modification. The Council must consider the *four findings* for approval of a Special Use Permit, which indicate that the use or development:

- 1. is located, designed, and proposed to be operated so as to maintain or promote the public health, safety, and general welfare;
- 2. would comply with all required regulations and standards of the Land Use Management Ordinance;
- is located, designed, and proposed to be operated so as to maintain or enhance the value of contiguous property, or that the use or development is a public necessity; and
- 4. conforms to the general plans for the physical development of the Town as embodied in the Land Use Management Ordinance and in the Comprehensive Plan.

# **PROJECT OVERVIEW**

The project at 5002 Barbee Chapel Road received a Special Use Permit approval by the Council at the November 23, 2015 Council meeting<sup>1</sup>. The approval was for construction of a 60,000 sq. ft. office building with 240 parking spaces.

The applicant states that the developers have made progress towards completing the project by closing on the purchase of the property; contracting with architects and other design professionals to work on the final design drawings; and working aggressively to solicit prospective tenants for the building.

### **DECISION POINTS**

The applicant requests a limited scope review to the Special Use Permit to allow an extension to the construction start and completion dates.



## **ATTACHMENTS**

- 1. Draft Staff Presentation
- 2. Resolution A
- 3. Resolution B
- 4. Planning Commission Recommendation
- 5. Applicant's Materials

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://chapelhill.granicus.com/DocumentViewer.php?file=chapelhill\_d3beafbb58fbab22be938acc37f6147d.pdf&view=1