CITY OF WEST DES MOINES PLAN AND ZONING COMMISSION COMMUNICATION

Meeting Date: May 23, 2016

Item: Costco, 7205 Mills Civic Parkway - Approval of a Major Modification to Site Plan for

construction of a 2,435 sq. ft. cooler and freezer addition - Costco Wholesale Corporation

- MaM-002852-2015

Requested Action: Approval of a Major Modification to a Site Plan

Case Advisor: Brian Portz, AICP

Applicant's Request: The applicant, Costco Wholesale Corporation, requests approval of a major modification to a site plan to allow construction of a 2,435 sq. ft. cooler and freezer addition on the north side of the building. This modification will result in the loss of 9 parking spaces on the site. Even with the loss of the 9 parking spaces, the site will still be above the number of parking spaces required by City Code.

<u>History</u>: The subject property is part of the Jordan Creek Town Center development. The underlying zoning is Regional Commercial (RC). The building was built in 2004.

<u>City Council Subcommittee</u>: This project was presented to the Development and Planning City Council Subcommittee on November 5, 2015 as an informational item. No discussion was had.

<u>Staff Review and Comment</u>: This request was distributed to other City departments and other agencies for their review and comment. There are no outstanding issues, however, staff would highlight the following:

• <u>Cross Access Easement</u>: The applicant has submitted an ingress/egress cross access easement to provide for future access between the Costco and Lowe's sites. The cross access drive will align with the Lowe's drive aisle on the north side of their building. The connection to Lowe's is not required at this time, but may be require in the future if the Lowe's or Costco sites are modified in the future.

<u>Comprehensive Plan Consistency</u>: The project has been reviewed for consistency with the Comprehensive Plan. Based upon that review, a finding has been made that the proposed project is consistent with the Comprehensive Plan in that the project is consistent with all of the goals and policies of the Comprehensive Plan and the land use map of the Comprehensive Plan.

Town Center Overlay District Consistency: The proposed site plan has been reviewed for consistency with the proposed Town Center Overlay District Guidelines. Based upon that review, a finding has been made that the proposed site plan is consistent with the Town Center Overlay District Guidelines in that the site plan is consistent with the overall objective and intents of the Town Center Overlay District Guidelines.

<u>Findings</u>: This proposed project was distributed to various City departments for review and comment. Based upon that review, the following findings have been made on the proposed project:

- 1. The proposed development and use is consistent with the West Des Moines Comprehensive Plan in that the project has been reviewed for consistency with the Comprehensive Plan. Based upon that review, a finding has been made that the proposed project is consistent with the Comprehensive Plan in that the project is consistent with all of the goals and policies of the Comprehensive Plan.
- 2. The proposed development and use does assure compatibility of property uses within the zone and general area in that this project was reviewed by various City Departments for compliance with the Zoning Ordinance.
- All applicable standards and conditions have been imposed which protects the public health, safety and welfare in that this project was reviewed by various City Departments and public agencies for compliance with the various

state and local regulations. Based upon that review a finding is made that the project has been adequately conditioned to protect the health, welfare and safety of the community.

- 4. There is adequate on-site and off-site public infrastructure to support the proposed development in that this project was reviewed by various public agencies, City Departments, and public utilities to ensure that either the petitioner will construct or the project has been conditioned to construct adequate public infrastructure to serve the development.
- 5. The proposed development and use has met the requirements contained in the City Code in that this project was reviewed by various City Departments and the project has complied with or has been conditioned to comply with all City Code requirements.
- 6. The proposed development and use is in keeping with the scale and nature of the surrounding neighborhood in that the proposed project is consistent with the zoning designation and Comprehensive Plan which designates this site as suitable for development such as that proposed by this project.

<u>Staff Recommendation and Conditions of Approval</u>: Based upon the preceding review and a finding of consistency with the goals and policies of the Comprehensive Plan, staff recommends the Plan and Zoning Commission adopt a resolution recommending the City Council approve the Major Modification to a Site Plan for Costco, subject to the applicant meeting all City Code requirements and the following:

1. The City Council accepting an ingress/egress and cross access easement for the future connection of the drive aisle north of the Costco building with the drive aisle north of the Lowe's building.

Property Owner: Costco Wholesale Corporation

999 Lake Drive Issaquah, WA 98027

Applicant's Representative: Ann Tseng

MulvannyG2 Architecture 1101 Second Avenue, Seattle, WA 98101 ann.tseng@mg2.com

Attachments:

Attachment A Plan and Zoning Commission Resolution

Exhibit A Conditions of Approval

Attachment B - Location Map
Attachment C - Site Plans

Attachment D - Building Elevations

RESOLUTION NO. PZC-15-

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLAN AND ZONING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WEST DES MOINES, RECOMMENDING TO THE CITY COUNCIL THAT IT APPROVE A MAJOR MODIFICATION (MaM-002852-2015) TO CONSTRUCT A COOLER/FREEZER ADDITION AT 7205 MILLS CIVIC PARKWAY

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Title 9, Chapter 1 et seq, of the West Des Moines Municipal Code, the applicant, Costco Wholesale Corporation, has requested approval of a Major Modification Permit (MaM-002852-2015) for that property located at 7205 Mills Civic Parkway to construct a 2,435sf cooler/freezer building addition;

WHEREAS, studies and investigations were made, and staff reports and recommendations were submitted which are made a part of this record and herein incorporated by reference;

WHEREAS, on May 23, 2016, this Commission held a duly-noticed public meeting to consider the application for Major Modification;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE PLAN AND ZONING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WEST DES MOINES DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

<u>SECTION 1</u>. The findings, for approval, in the staff report noted above, or as amended orally at the meeting on this date, are adopted.

SECTION 2. The Major Modification (MaM-002852-2015) to construct a 2,435sf cooler/freezer building addition is recommended to the City Council for approval, subject to compliance with all the conditions in the staff report, including conditions added at the meeting, and attached hereto as Exhibit "A". Violation of any such conditions shall be grounds for revocation of the permit, as well as any other remedy which is available to the City.

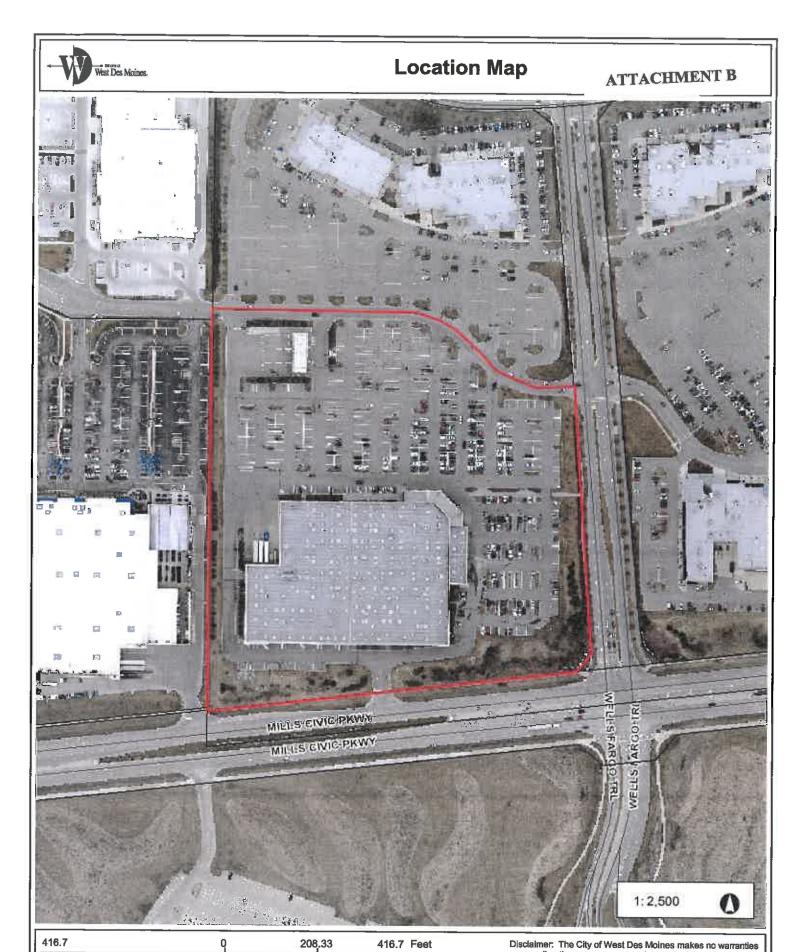
PASSED AND ADOPTED on May 23, 2016.

	Craig Erickson, Chair
	Plan and Zoning Commission
ATTEST:	
Recording Secretary	_
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the fore of the City of West Des Moines, Iowa, at a r	egoing resolution was duly adopted by the Plan and Zoning Commission egular meeting held on May 23, 2016, by the following vote:
AYES:	
NAYS:	
ABSTENTIONS: ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	
Recording Secretary	-

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Exhibit A CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1.	The City Council accepting an ingress/egress and cross access easement for the future connection of the drive aisle north of the Costco building with the drive aisle north of the Lowe's building.



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416.7 Feet

Disclaimer: The City of West Des Moines makes no warranties regarding the accuracy or completeness of the data provided herein.

PROJECT DATA

COSTCO WHOLESALE 999 LAKE DRIVE ISSAQUAH, WA 98027

7205 MILLS CIVIC PKWY PROJECT ADDRESS: WEST DES MOINES, IA 50266

PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (PUD) ZONING: SITE AREA: 15.65 ACRES (681,844 S.F.) JURISDICTION: CITY OF WEST DES MOINES, IA

THIS PLAN HAS BEEN
PREPARED BY USING A
CONCEPT SITE PLAN
PREPARED BY TJ DESIGN
STRATEGIES DATED 7,30,2003

EXISTING BUILDING DATA:

BUILDING AREA 134 865 S.F. TIRE CENTER
TOTAL BUILDING 5,200 S.F. 140,085 S.F. COOLER/FREEZER ADDITION 2 435 S.F. NEW TOTAL BUILDING 142,500 S.F.

EXISTING PARKING DATA:

PARKING PROVIDED:

10' WIDE STALLS 645 STALLS € ACCESSIBLE STALLS 18 STALLS 661 STALLS TOTAL PARKING

NO. OF STALLS PER 1000 SF OF BUILDING AREA: 4.72 STALLS

PARKING REQUIRED: 1/250 SF X 140,064 SF TOTAL = 560 STALLS 2% REQUIRED FOR ACCESSIBLE = 12 STALLS

FUTURE PARKING 52 STALLS (713 TOTAL)

PROPOSED PARKING DATA

PARKING PROVIDED:

10' WIDE STALLS @ ACCESSIBLE STALLS

16 STALLS 853 STALLS 48 STALLS (701 TOTAL) FUTURE PARKING

NO. OF STALLS PER 1000 SF OF BUILDING AREA: TOTAL PARKING LOST

4.57 STALLS 12 STALLS

637 STALLS

EXISTING SITE IMPERVIOUS AREA 508,844 S.F. (11.88 ACRES) (74.60%) EXISTING SITE PERVIOUS AREA: 173,200 S.F. (3.98 ACRES) (25.40%)

PROPOSED SITE DATA:

PROPOSED SITE IMPERVIOUS AREA: 510,011 S.F. (11.71) (74,80%)
PROPOSED SITE PERVIOUS AREA: 171,633 S.F. (3.94 ACRES) (25.20%)

NOTES: EXISTING CONDITIONS TO BE FIELD VERIFIED.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:
LOT S, JORDAN CREEK TOWN CENTER PLAT 1REPLAT 1, AN OFFICIAL PLAT NOW IN AND FORMING
A PART OF THE CITY OF WEST DES MOINES, DALLAS
COUNTY, IOWA

GONITY, IOWA

GENERAL NOTES SPECIFIC TO THE CITY OF WEST

DES MONES

1. ALL WATER WORK, PUBLIC OR PRIVATE, SHALL

BE DONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH WEST DES

MOINES WATER WORKS STANDARD

2. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY WEST DES MOINES

WATER WORKS AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR TO

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION.

3. CONTACT BUILDING INSPECTION (515,222,369)

A MINIMUM OF 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE FOR

PRIVATE UTILITY INSTALLATION INSPECTIONS.

1. THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR SHALL BE

RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE

WEST DES MOINES WATER WORKS AND THE

CITY'S CRUSS CONNECTION

CONTROLICONTAINMENT PROVISION.

WEST DES MOINES, IA

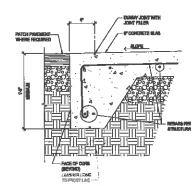
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MITCHELL C. SMITH, ARCHITECT

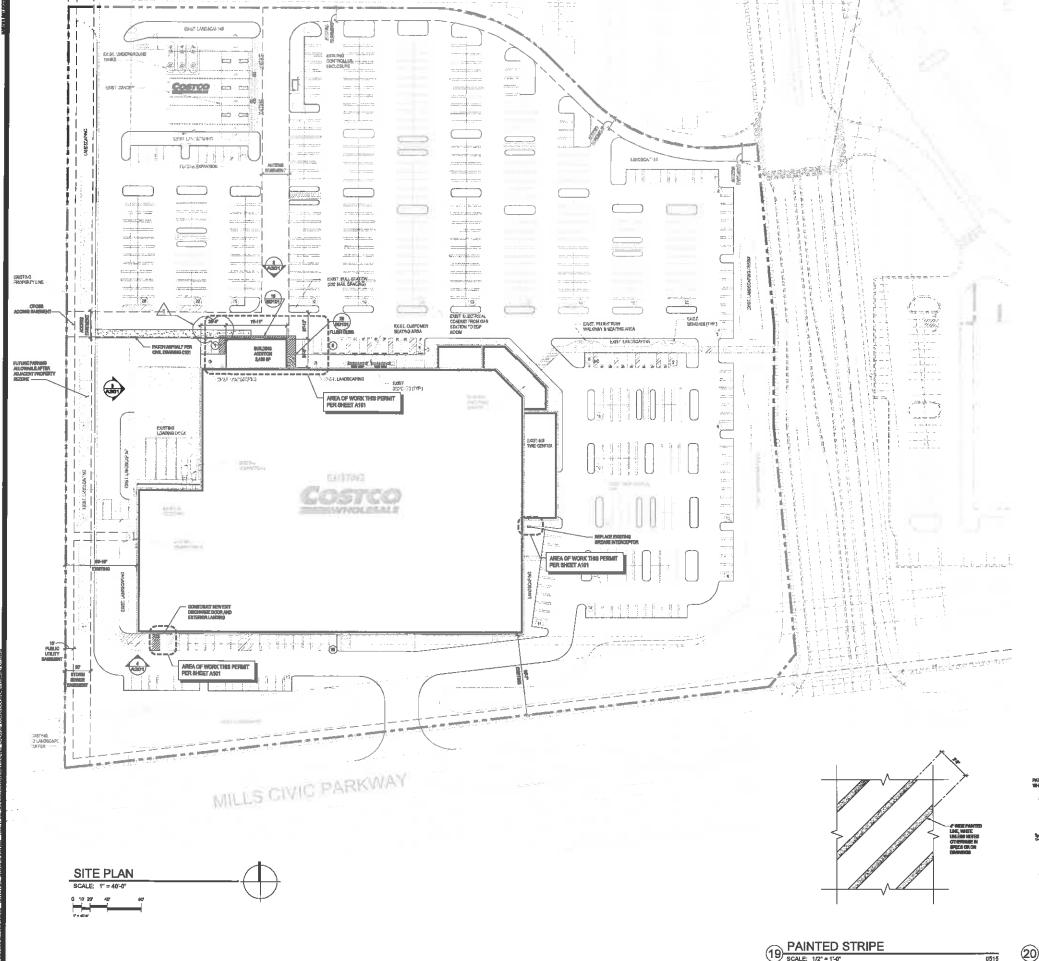


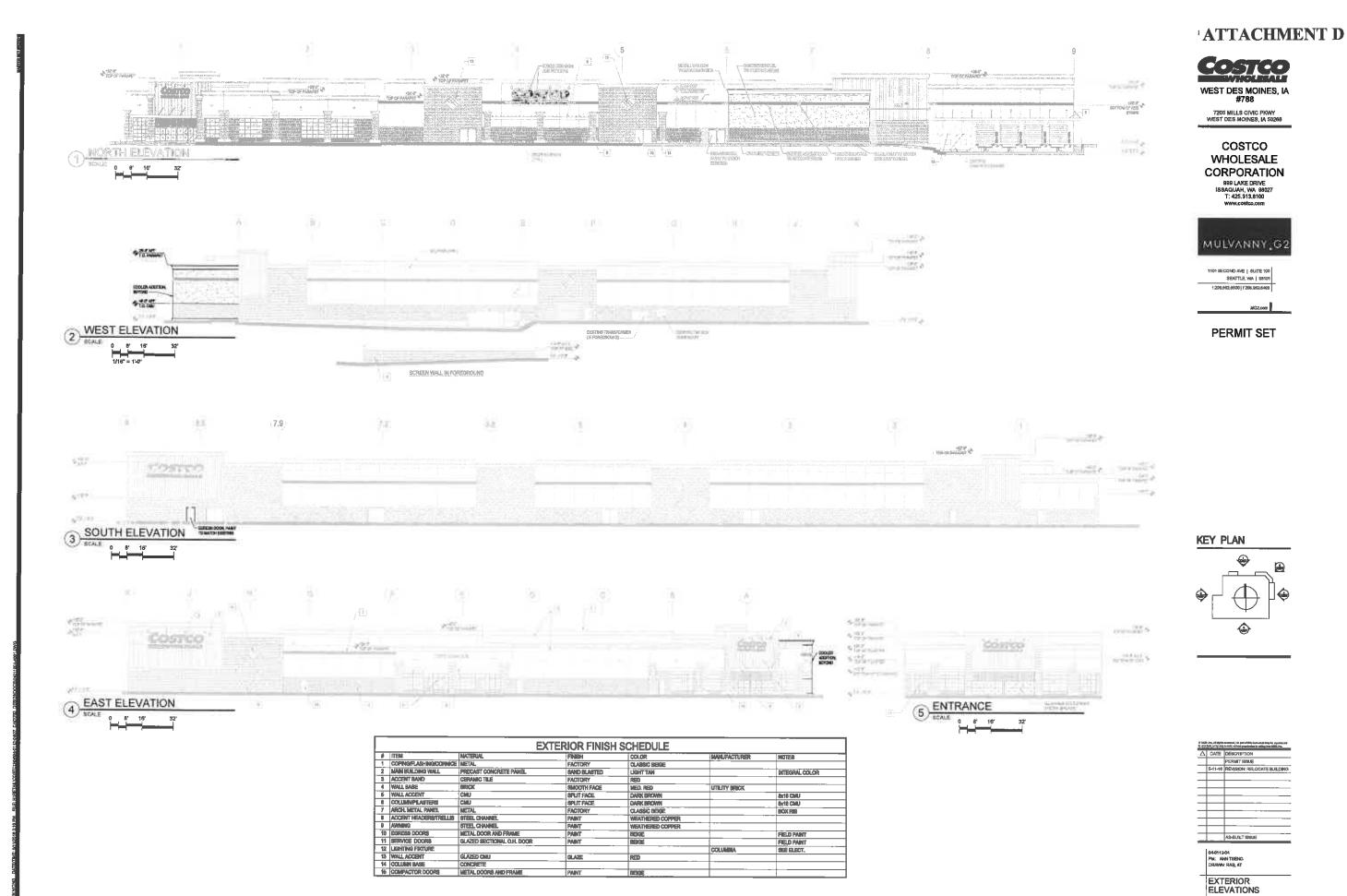
FLUSH CURB AT PAVEMENT 20 SCALE: 1-1/2" = 1'-0"

10,08,15 198UE FOR PLANNIN AS-BUILT ISSUE

SITE PLAN, DETAILS

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