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I.	That he, she, it, they located within the co	, has (have) the properties of the contract of	ne following legal interes s of Ballwin, Missouri, de	et in the tract of land and/or premises escribed in Section II of this petition.					
	A. State Legal Inter	est: Owner							
	B. Documentation	of Legal Inter	est must accompany this	petition.					
П.	That the legal description is enclosed.	ption of the p	roperty/premises, for wh	ich a Special Use Exception is desired,					
III.				ich a Special Use Exception is 0 feet or less to the inch.					
IV.	That the street addre	ss of said pro	perty is: 265 Steamb	oat Lane					
V.	That the area (acres	or square feet	of said property is: 0.	69					
VI.	That the zoning classification of said property is: R-4 Planned Multiple Dwellings								
VII.	That the present use	of said prope	rty is: Vacant						
VIII.	That the intended us	e of said prop	perty is: Day Care/scl	nool-type use					
	This is in-line wi	ith the use	over the past 20+ ye	ars.					
IX.	That the proposed S property.	pecial Use Ex	sception does not violate	any private deed restrictions on said					

X. That all information provided herein is true and a statement of fact.

herein described Special Use Exception. PETITIONER: SG MF Rockwood Investors LLC AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE (PRINTED): ADDRESS: 3843 West Chester Pike CITY/STATE/ZIP: Newtown Square, PA 19073 TELEPHONE NO. 484-427-2232 \_\_\_\_, do hereby designate \_\_\_ I, (print name of Petitioner) as my agent for purposes of presenting this petition, negotiating with the City of Ballwin on all issues relative to this petition, and corresponding and communicating with representatives of the City of Ballwin relative to this petition. AGENT'S SIGNATURE: AGENT'S NAME (PRINTED): ADDRESS: CITY/STATE/ZIP: TELEPHONE NO. Subscribed and sworn before me this and day of Arthur Art, 20 My Commission Expires Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal Mary E. Lord, Notary Public Delaware County My Commission Expires April 26, 2027

Commission Number 1205638

I, the Petitioner, do hereby request an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen approving and granting the



Petition Number: SUE-25-01

Public Hearing Date: January 6, 2025

Owner: SG MF Rockwood Investors LLC

3843 West Chester Pike, Newtown Square, PA 19073

**Petitioner:** Caravel Autism Health

1575 Allouez Avenue, Green Bay, Wisconsin 54311

Project Name: Caravel Autism Health

Requested Action: SUE-25-01 Special Use Exception, submitted by SG MF

Rockwood Investors LLC for Caravel Autism Health for a

nursery, pre-kindergarten, day care/play school with front yard

parking at 265 Steamboat Lane.

[per Appendix A, Article XIV, Section 1 (12) & (14)]

**Location:** 265 Steamboat Lane

**Existing Zoning:** R-4 Planned Multiple Dwelling District

**Surrounding Zoning:** R-1 Single Family Residential District to the north

R-2 Single Family Residential District to the east and west

R-4 Planned Multiple Dwelling District to the south

**Project Description:** Nursery, pre-kindergarten, day care/play school with front yard

parking in an existing structure previously occupied by a similar

facility.





Figure 1 - Aerial view of the site and surrounding properties. Source: St Louis County



Figure 2 - Street view of the development



# **Project description:**

This Petition is for a Special Use Exception for a nursery, pre-kindergarten, day care/play school with front yard parking at 265 Steamboat Lane. The property is located on the southwest corner of Steamboat Lane and Kehrs Mill Road. The property is currently zoned R-4, Planned Multiple Dwelling District. Surrounding properties are zoned R-1, Single Family Residential to the north, R-2, Single Family Residential to the east and west and R-4 to the south.

The Petitioner is proposing to operate a school facility on the property, dedicated to children with autism. Caravel's mission and services have been described to staff as:

"Caravel Autism Health specializes in the evaluation, diagnosis and development for children on the autism spectrum. Their focus is on providing early, data-driven interventions to reshape a child's development. As part of their process, Caravel reviews a wide range of developmental information, including medical history, medications, and early childhood milestones. Their staff works closely with parents and caregivers to understand a child's needs, focusing on language, sensory tolerance and motor skills. Operationally, their team engages in direct observation and interaction with each child in a classroom or 1 on 1 review style to determine what motivates them, ultimately providing insight into individualized plans typically through the Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) style learning. Children are dropped off and spend anywhere from 2 to 8 hours a day at the clinic for 1 or more days per week."

# **History:**

- In 1975, Ordinance #1203 was approved by the Board of Aldermen to permit the operation of a KinderCare Day Care Center.
- In 2002, Ordinance #3172 was approved by the Board of Aldermen to allow the operation of Howard Park School. The mission statement for Howard Park Early Childhood Center was:
  - "Howard Park Early Childhood Center is dedicated to meeting the individual needs of infants and young children and their families, with specific attention to children with mild to severe developmental delays. Our mission is to provide all children, regardless of their ability, with a strong foundation to learn, grow, and become as independent as possible."
- Howard Park School vacated the property in October 2023, causing the Special Use Exception to expire. To allow the Petitioner to operate in the building, a new Special Use Exception must be considered during a public hearing before the Planning & Zoning Commission and subsequently approved by the Board of Aldermen.



# Staff analysis:

This Petition seeks a Special Use Exception to re-establish a nursery, pre-kindergarten, daycare, or play school at 265 Steamboat Lane, as outlined in Appendix A, Article XIV, Section 1(12). Additionally, a Special Use Exception is requested for front yard parking along a public right-of-way. This is required under Appendix A, Article XIV, Section 1(14), which requires Special Use Exception approval for parking within any front yard. Currently, there are six (6) parking spaces located in the front yard along Steamboat Lane.

The property is part of an existing development, and certain site conditions do not fully comply with the requirements outlined in the referenced subsection. This includes the number of required off-street parking spaces. Currently there are six (6) parking spaces in front of the building. The current requirement states:

"School, except high school and college, one parking space for each ten seats in the auditorium or main assembly room, or one space for each classroom, whichever is greater."

The building is 4,753 square feet which would require twenty-one (21) parking spaces. There appears to be cross access to the south, where there are several parking spaces, along with a sidewalk, leading to the school. As part of an existing development, the non-compliant conditions are classified as legally non-conforming. Staff is not aware of any complaints against or issues with the previous tenants or site conditions. Any future changes to the site will be required to adhere to current standards.

When reviewing a Special Use Exception, the Planning & Zoning Commission and Board of Aldermen shall determine whether such exception:

a. Will substantially increase traffic hazards or congestion.

A new tenant in this existing development will naturally result in an increase in traffic. However, it is important to note that this is an existing development that was previously used for the same use as is proposed by this Petition.

b. Will adversely affect the character of the neighborhood.

The proposed development should not adversely affect the character of the neighborhood. It is situated within an established development designated as "Mixed Residential" in the City's Comprehensive Plan.

c. Will adversely affect the general welfare of the community.

The proposed development should not adversely affect the welfare of the community.



d. Will overtax public utilities.

The proposed development should not overtax public utilities.

e. Will adversely affect public safety and health.

The proposed development should not adversely affect public safety and health.

f. Is consistent with good planning practice.

Approval of this Special Use Exception would reestablish a use that was approved for the site at the time this development was platted in 1975. It therefore, should be considered consistent with good planning practice.

g. Can be operated in a manner that is not detrimental to the permitted developments and uses in the district.

The proposed development should not be detrimental to the permitted developments and uses in the district.

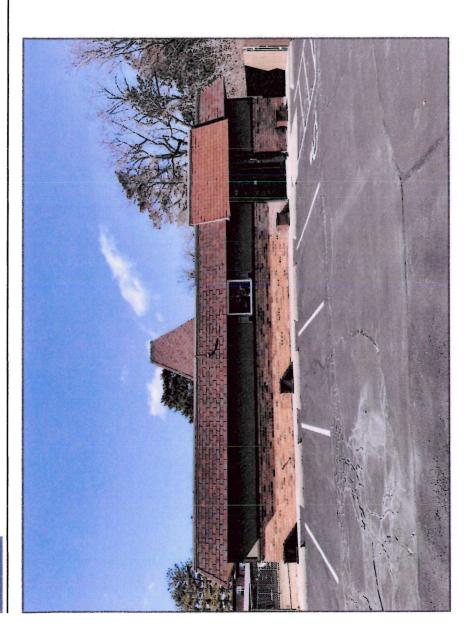
h. Can be developed and operated in a manner that is visually compatible with the permitted uses in the surrounding area.

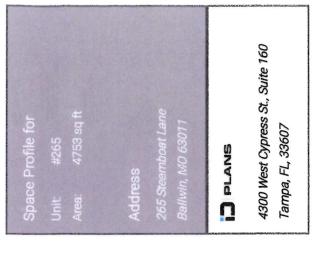
The proposed development should be operated in a manner that is visually compatible with the permitted uses in the surrounding area.

#### Staff recommendation:

This Petition requests a Special Use Exception to establish a nursery, pre-kindergarten, or day care/play school with front yard parking at 265 Steamboat Lane. The facility would utilize an existing building to conduct activities previously approved by the City. Staff recommends approval of this Petition, subject to all standard conditions, including an additional condition that all drop-off and pick-up activities must occur on-site and outside of the public right-of-way.



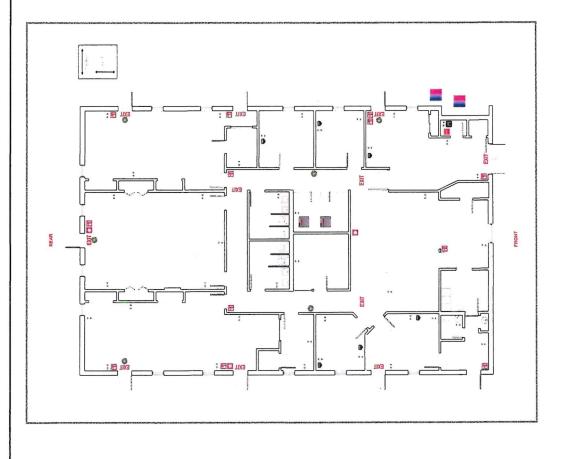




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# Legend

Fire Sprinkler	Pocket Door	Track Lighting	2-Bulb Fluorescent Lighting	3-Bulb Fluorescent Lighting	4-Bulb Fluorescent Lighting	Celling Air Vent	Air Diffuser	Celling Fan w/o Light	Air Handler	Fire Alarm Control Panel	Tenant Water Meter	Sub Gas Meter	Tenant Electric Meter	
Ceiling Fan w/ Light	Rectangular Column	Refrigerator	Roll-Up Door	Snk	Swing Door	Toilet	Can Lght	Chinal Chinal	Thermostat	R1 45	Window Window	House Gas Meter	-touse Flectric Meter	Horizontal Fire Riser
Fire Extinguisher	Fire Alarm Pulldown	Glass Door	Handicap Handrail	Roof Hatch	HVAC Unit	- Recessed Light	Staircase	(A) Water Heater	TP Telephone Panel	Mindow Wall Opening	Maintenance Sink	Sub Water Meter	Air Handler	Vertical Fire Riser
[2] Breaker Panel	Giroular Column	Appliance Outlet	Fire Alarm	Drinking Fountain	CV Double Hung Door	# Electrical Outlet	Emergency Light		Tankless Water Heater	Step Down Transformer	Disconnect	House Water Meter	Tenant Gas Meter	Sub Electric Meter

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### ITEMS CORRESPONDING TO SCHEDULE B-II

- 9. Easement granted to Union Electric Company of Missouri by the instrument recorded August 30, 1938 in Book 155 at Page 223. Partial Release of easement recorded July 25, 1986 in Book 7932 at Page 2004. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREON)
- (1) 10. Building lines, restrictions, utility, drainage, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, and waterline easements shown on the plat, MARK TWAIN VILLAGE, recorded January 3, 1989 in Plat Book 127 at Page 36. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREON)
- 11. Essement granted to Laclede Gas Company by the instrument recorded June 13, 1969 in Book 6399 at Page 2392. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREON)
- (12) 12. Building lines, restrictions, utility, drainage, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, and waterline easements shown on the plat, AMENDED PLAT OF MARK TWAIN VILLAGE, recorded in Plat Book 131 at Page 96. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREON)
- Easement granted to Union Electric Company by the instrument recorded July 1, 1969 in Book 6403 at Page 1883. (NO PLOTTABLE INFORMATION)
- 14. Easement granted to Southwestern Bell Telephone Company by the instrument recorded August 5, 1969 in Book 6410 at Page 1547. (NO PLOTTABLE INFORMATION)
- (15) 15. Easement granted to Laclede Gas Company by the instrument recorded March 23, 1970 in Book 6447 at Page 518. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREOW)
- Easement granted to St. Louis County Sewer Compony by the instrument recorded January 26, 1976
  in Book 6842 of 1998 2455. (NOT PLOTTED, CENTERLINE OF 10" WIDE EASEMENT NOT DESCRIBED, SEE
  DOCUMENT FOR APPROXIMATE LOCATION).
- 17. Easement granted to St. Louis County Sewer Company by the instrument recorded January 26, 1976 in Book 6842 at Page 2457, from PLOTTED, CENTERLINE OF 10' WIDE EASEMENT NOT DESCRIBED, SEE DOCUMENT FOR APPROXIMATE LOCATION.
- (B) 18. Declaration of Easement according to instrument recorded July 31, 1975 in Book 6806 at Page 1704. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREON)
- (19) 19. Building lines, restrictions, utility, drainage, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, and waterline easements shown on the plat, MTV/KINDER CARE, recorded August 14, 1990 in Plat Book 300 at Page 6. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREON)
- 20 20. Terms, provisions and easements of Easement and Access Agreement according to instrument recorded August 14, 1990 in Book 8823 at Page 1970. (PLOTTED AND SHOWN HEREON)
- 21 21. Building lines, restrictions, utility, drainage, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, and waterline easements shown on the plat, AMENDED MTV-KINDER CARE, recorded July 21, 1994 in Plat Book 328 at Page
- 23. Easement granted to Charter Communications Entertainment I, LLC by the instrument recorded February 2, 2010 in Book 18775 at Page 430. (NOT PLOTTED, BLANKET IN NATURE)

#### MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

PER TABLE A ITEM 1: MONUMENTS HAVE BEEN PLACE AT ALL MAJOR CORNERS OF THE BOUNDARY OF THE SURVEYED PROPERTY, UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN HEREON PER TABLE A ITEM 2: 170 STEAMBOAT LANE, BALLWIN, MO WAS DISCLOSED IN DOCUMENTS PROVIDED AND OBSERVED AS POSTED AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY.

PER TABLE A ITEM 4: PROPERTY CONTAINS: 14.4 ACRES (628,980 SQ. FT.) OF GROSS LAND AREA

PER TABLE A ITEM B: SUBSTANTIAL ABOVE GROUND FEATURES THAT WERE OBSERVED ON THE SUBJECT PARCEL, SUCH AS PARKING AREAS, ORIVES, WALKS, PLANTERS/LANDSCOME AREAS AND OTHER, HAVE BEEN LOCATED AS SHOWN HEREON. NOTE: THERE WERE NO OBSERVED SUBSTANTIAL AREAS OF REFUSE ON THE SUBJECT PARCEL PER THE DATE OF THIS SURVEY.

PER TABLE A ITEM 9: THERE ARE 500 STANDARD PARKING SPACES, 15
HANDICAPPED PARKING SPACES. FOR A TOTAL OF 515 PARKING SPACES WITHIN

PER TABLE A ITEM 10; NO PARTY WALLS WERE OBSERVED IN THE FIELD AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY.

PER TABLE A TIEM 13: ADJOINING OWNERSHIP INFORMATION SHOWN HEREON WAS OBTAINED FROM THE ST. LOUIS COUNTY COUNTY WEBSITE. OWNERSHIP INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO REVISION UPON RECEIPT OF A TITLE SEARCH BY A TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY.

PER TABLE A ITEM 16: THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF RECENT EARTH MOVING WORK, BUILDING CONSTRUCTION, OR BUILDING ADDITIONS OBSERVED AT THE TIME

PER TABLE A ITEM 17: THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF RECENT STREET OR SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIRS AND WE ARE NOT AWARE OF ANY PROPOSED CHANGES IN STREET RIGHT OF WAY LINES.

1. BASED ON OBSERVED EVIDENCE ONLY, THE SITE DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CEMETERIES, BURIAL GROUNDS, OR INDIVIDUAL GRAVE SITES.

2. BASED ON OBSERVED EVIDENCE ONLY THERE IS NO EVIDENCE OF LAKES, CREEKS OR STREAMS WITHIN SUBJECT PROPERTY.

3. ALL STATEMENTS WITHIN THE CERTIFICATION, AND OTHER REFERENCES LOCATED ELSEWHERE HEREON, RELATED TO: UTILITIES, IMPROVEMENTS, STRUCTURES, BUILDINGS, PARTY WALLS, PARKING, EASEWENTS, SERVIDLES, AND ENCROACHMENTS; ARE BASED SOLELY ON ABOVE GROUND, VISIBLE EVIDENCE, UNLESS ANOTHER SOURCE OF INFORMATION IS SPECIFICALLY REFERENCED HEREON.

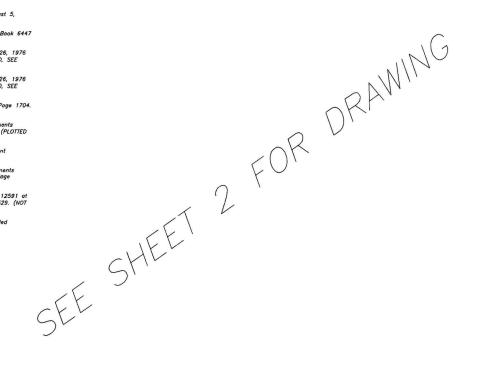
- 5. THIS BEARING SYSTEM IS BASED ON ST. LOUIS COUNTY COORDINATE SYSTEM /
- 6. PROPERTY HAS DIRECT AND PHYSICAL ACCESS TO AND FROM STEAMBOAT LANE, A DULY DEDICATED PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY.

#### UTILITY NOTES

THE SURVEY SHOWS THE LOCATION OF UTILITIES EXISTING ON OR SERVING THE SURVEYED PROPERTY AS DETERMINED BY OBSERVED EVIDENCE COLLECTED PURSUANT TO ALTA SECTION S. E. N.

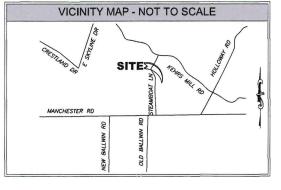
#### FLOOD NOTE

BY GRAPHIC PLOTTING ONLY. THIS PROPERTY LIES WITHIN ZONE "X". AS SHOWN WHICH BEARS AN EFFECTIVE DATE MAP, COMMUNITY PANEL NO. 29189C0281K, WHICH BEARS AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF 02/04/2015, AND IS NOT IN A SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREA. NO FIELD SURVEYING WAS PERFORMED TO DETERMINE THIS ZONE ZONE "X" DENOTES AREAS DETERMINED TO BE OUTSIDE THE 0.2% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOODPLAIN.



# SIGNIFICANT OBSERVATIONS

- (E) RETAINING WALL CROSSES OVER SUBJECT PROPERTY, OWNERSHIP IS
- @ BUILDING CROSSES INTO GAS EASEMENT BY UP TO 1.1 FEET.
- (1) FENCE CROSSES SUBJECT PROPERTY LINE IN VARIOUS LOCATIONS, OWNERSHIP IS UNKNOWN.
- () MULTIPLE BUILDINGS CROSS INTO GAS EASEMENT BY UP TO 4.5 FEET
- @ FENCE CROSSES SUBJECT PROPERTY LINE, OWNERSHIP IS UNKNOWN.
- DOG FENCE AREA CROSSES ONTO ADJOINING PROPERTY BY UP TO 9.2
- (1) BITUMINOUS PATHWAY CROSSES ONTO ADJOINING PROPERTY WITHOUT THE BENEFIT OF A KNOWN EASEMENT.
- () MULTIPLE SIGNS RESIDE IN THE PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY WITHOUT THE BENEFIT OF A KNOWN EASEMENT.



#### ZONING INFORMATION

THE SURVEYOR WAS NOT PROVIDED WITH A ZONING REPORT OR LETTER PURSUANT TO TABLE A ITEM 6(A)

## LEGEND

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- ELECTRICAL MANHOLE
- # FLECTRICAL OUTLET UTILITY PEDESTAL
- O POWER POLE
- AC UNIT
- GROUND LIGHT
- I GUY WIRE
- BOLLARD POST
- A GAS METER
- GAS MANHOLE GAS VALVE
- FLAG POLE
- DE MAIL BOX - SIGN

W UNKNOWN MANHOLE

- TIRE HYDRANT
- AUTO SPRINKLER M WATER VALVE
- WATER MANHOLE
- W WELL HEAD
- MONITOR WELL
- IN IRRIGATION CONTROL VALVE
- POST INDICATOR VALVE
- STORM MANHOLE
- STORM INLET SQUARE
- STORM INLET ROUND
- OVERFLOW STRUCTURE
- PIPE OUTLET
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#### LEGAL

THIS SURVEY WAS PREPARED FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION ONLY AND NO PURTHER PARTIES OTHER THAN THOSE CERTIFIED ABOVE SHALL RELY OF THE PURPOSE OR THANSACTION.

# RECORD DESCRIPTION

The Land referred to herein below is situated in the County of St. Louis, State of Missouri, and is described as follows:

Lots 1, 2 and 3 of the Amended M T V — Kinder Care, a subdivision in St. Louis County, Missouri, according to the plot thereof recorded in Plot Book 328 pages 66 and 67 of the St. Louis County Records: PARCEL 2:

THE LANDS SURVEYED, SHOWN AND DESCRIBED HEREON ARE THE SAME LANDS AS DESCRIBED IN THE TITLE COMMITMENT PROVIDED BY FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, COMMITMENT NO. LSUJ: MOFA23-4065, DATED OCTOBER 23, 2023

# ALTA/NSPS LAND TITLE SURVEY

# **Project Timber**

NV5 Project No. 202303975-006 Rockwood (Ballwin) 170 Steamboat Lane, Ballwin, MO

BASED UPON TITLE COMMITMENT NO. LSU#: MOFA23-4065 OF FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY BEARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF OCTOBER 23, 2023 Surveyor's Certification

To: First American Title Insurance Company; Bock & Clark Corporation, an NV5 Company.

This is to certify that this map or plat and the survey on which it is based were made in accordance with the 2021 Minimum Standard Detail Requirements for ALTA/NSPS Land Title Surveys, jointly established and adopted by ALTA and NSPS, and includes Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 6e, 6b, 7a, 7b1, 7c, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 16, 17, 19, and 20 of Table A thereof. The field work was completed on 10/24/2023.

MICHAEL STANG REGISTRATION NO. 2023017113 IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI DATE OF FIELD SURVEY: 10/24/2023 DATE OF LAST REVISION: 11/16/2023 NETWORK PROJECT NO. 202303975-006 RRF

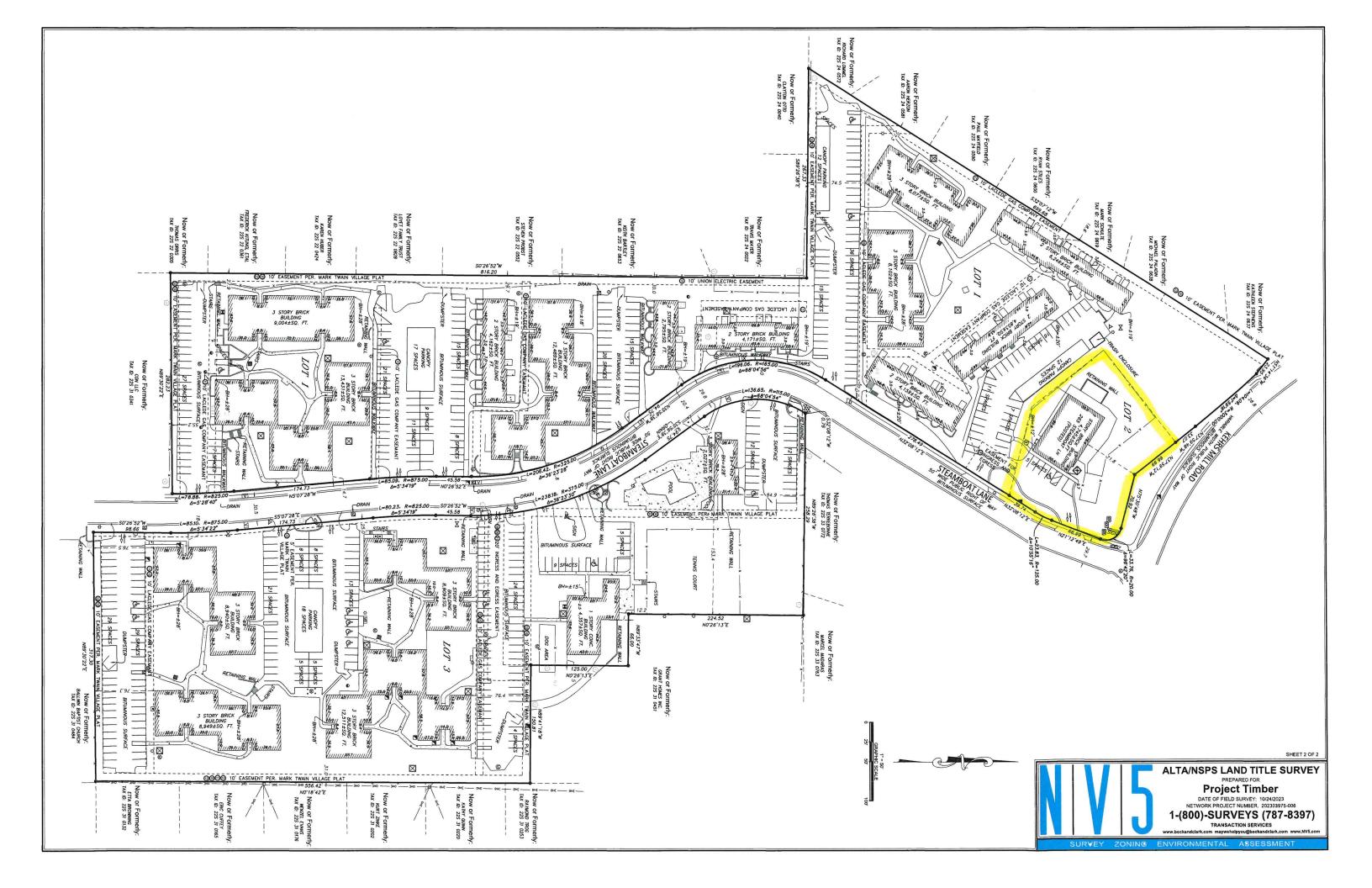
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# **PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, January 6, 2025 at 7:00 pm, a Public Hearing will be held by the Planning & Zoning Commission in the City Government Center Board Room at 1 Government Center, Ballwin, Missouri 63011. The Commission will consider the following Petition:

SUE-25-01 - Petition for a Special Use Exception for a nursery, prekindergarten/day care school with front yard parking at 265 Steamboat Lane.

Additional information on this Petition is available at the City Government Center or by calling 636-227-2243.