



CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS

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Dripping Springs, TX 78620

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PRELIMINARY PLAT APPLICATION

Case Number (staff use only): _____ - _____

MEETINGS REQUIRED

(AS APPLICABLE PER SUBDIVISION ORDINANCE)

INFORMAL CONSULTATION

PRE-APPLICATION CONFERENCE

DATE: _____

DATE: 4/07/20

NOT SCHEDULED

NOT SCHEDULED

CONTACT INFORMATION

APPLICANT NAME Christopher A. Reid, P.E.
COMPANY Doucet & Associates, Inc.
STREET ADDRESS 7401B Hwy. 71 W., Ste. 160
CITY Austin STATE TX ZIP CODE 78735
PHONE 512-583-7645 EMAIL creid@doucetengineers.com

OWNER NAME _____
COMPANY Meritage Homes of Texas, LLC
STREET ADDRESS 8920 Business Park Dr., Ste. 350
CITY Austin STATE TX ZIP CODE 78759
PHONE 512-615-6432 EMAIL rob.archer@meritagehomes.com

PROPERTY INFORMATION	
PROPERTY OWNER NAME	Meritage Homes of Texas, LLC
PROPERTY ADDRESS	Lone Peak Way at Founders Park Dr.
CURRENT LEGAL DESCRIPTION	Approximately 200.4 acres out of the Phillip A. Smith League, Survey No. 26, Abstract No. 415 and 13.585 acres out of the LV Davis Jr. Preemption Survey, Abstract No. 673.
TAX ID #	R17869, R18077, R12923, R12924, R19906, R19907
LOCATED IN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> City Limits <input type="checkbox"/> Extraterritorial Jurisdiction
CURRENT LAND ACREAGE	213.985 acres
SCHOOL DISTRICT	Dripping Springs ISD
ESD DISTRICT(S)	ESD #6
ZONING/PDD/OVERLAY	PDD #10: Big Sky (Amended 6/9/20)
EXISTING ROAD FRONTAGE	<input type="checkbox"/> Private Name: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> State Name: _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> City/County (public) Name: <u>Founders Park Rd.</u>
DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT? (If so, please attach agreement)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (see attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable Annexation & Development Agreement for Scott Tract Development Agreement Name: _____

ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION	
IS PROPERTY OVER THE EDWARDS AQUIFER RECHARGE ZONE?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
IS PROPERTY OVER THE BARTON SPRINGS CONTRIBUTING ZONE TO THE EDWARDS AQUIFER?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
IS PROPERTY WITHIN A FEMA FLOODPLAIN AS DEFINED BY THE MOST CURRENT FIRM?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

PROJECT INFORMATION

PROPOSED SUBDIVISION NAME	Big Sky Ranch Preliminary Plat Amendment
TOTAL ACREAGE OF DEVELOPMENT	211.4 acres
TOTAL NUMBER OF LOTS	804 (40 new lots)
AVERAGE SIZE OF LOTS	
INTENDED USE OF LOTS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTIAL <input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL <input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL/OTHER: _____
# OF LOTS PER USE	RESIDENTIAL: <u>804</u> COMMERCIAL: _____ INDUSTRIAL: _____
ACREAGE PER USE	RESIDENTIAL: <u>211.4</u> COMMERCIAL: _____ INDUSTRIAL: _____
LINEAR FEET (ADDED) OF PROPOSED ROADS	PUBLIC: <u>30,387 LF</u> PRIVATE: _____
ANTICIPATED WASTEWATER SYSTEM	<input type="checkbox"/> CONVENTIONAL SEPTIC SYSTEM <input type="checkbox"/> CLASS I (AEROBIC) PERMITTED SYSTEM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC SEWER
WATER SOURCES	SURFACE WATER <input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY <input type="checkbox"/> RAIN WATER GROUND WATER* <input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC WELL <input type="checkbox"/> SHARED WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY

*IF DOING GROUND WATER PROVISION FOR THE DEVELOPMENT USING GROUNDWATER RESOURCES, THE HAYS-TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT MUST BE NOTIFIED:
HAYS-TRINITY GCD NOTIFIED? YES NO

COMMENTS: _____

TITLE: Sr. Project Manager SIGNATURE: 

PUBLIC UTILITY CHECKLIST

ELECTRIC PROVIDER NAME (if applicable): Pedernales Electric Cooperative

VERIFICATION LETTER ATTACHED NOT APPLICABLE

COMMUNICATIONS PROVIDER NAME (if applicable): Frontier Communications

VERIFICATION LETTER ATTACHED NOT APPLICABLE

WATER PROVIDER NAME (if applicable): Dripping Springs Water Supply Corporation

VERIFICATION LETTER ATTACHED NOT APPLICABLE

WASTEWATER PROVIDER NAME (if applicable): City of Dripping Springs

VERIFICATION LETTER ATTACHED NOT APPLICABLE

GAS PROVIDER NAME (if applicable): Texas Gas

VERIFICATION LETTER ATTACHED NOT APPLICABLE

PARKLAND DEDICATION?

YES NOT APPLICABLE

AGRICULTURE FACILITIES (FINAL PLAT)?

YES NOT APPLICABLE

COMPLIANCE WITH OUTDOOR LIGHTING ORDINANCE?*

(See attached agreement)

*If proposed subdivision is in the City Limits, compliance with the Lighting Ordinance is **mandatory**. If proposed subdivision is in the ETJ, compliance is **mandatory** when required by a Development Agreement, or as a condition of an Alternative Standard/Special Exception/Variance/Waiver.

Voluntary compliance is strongly encouraged by those not required by above criteria (see Outdoor Lighting tab on the city's website at www.cityofdrippingsprings.com and online Lighting Ordinance under the Code of Ordinances tab for more information).

YES (REQUIRED) YES (VOLUNTARY*) NO

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

*Note: An additional signature is required on page 7 of the application verifying completeness. Applications should be submitted **only** when all required information is included in the submittal.*

The above information is true to the best of my knowledge. I attest that the real property described is owned by me and all others as signed below. If the below signed applicant is not the owner of said property, the signature of the property owner must be included below, or consent must be attached (If a corporation, please list title, and name of corporation.)

Christopher A. Reid, P.E., Doucet & Associates, Inc.

Applicant Name

C.A. Reid

8/05/2020

Applicant Signature

Meranda S. Perkins

Date
8/05/2020

Notary

Date



Meritage Homes of Texas, LLC

Property Owner Name

R. H. [Signature] FOR MERITAGE

8-10-2020

Property Owner Signature

HOMES OF TEXAS, LLC

Date

All required items and information (including all applicable below listed exhibits and fees) must be received by the City for an application and request to be considered complete. Incomplete submissions will not be deemed filed and complete. By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read through and met all requirements for a complete submittal:

Applicants Signature:  Date: 8/5/20

For projects within the ETJ, per the City of Dripping Springs Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with Hays County, a county subdivision application must also be submitted for review to the City. Fees for Hays County shall also be paid. The City will forward the application and Hays County Fees to the County.

PRELIMINARY PLAT CHECKLIST		
Subdivision Ordinance, Section 4		
STAFF	APPLICANT	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Completed application form – including all required notarized signatures
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Application fee (refer to Fee Schedule)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Digital Copies/PDF of all submitted items – please provide a coversheet outlining what digital contents are included on the CD/USB drive.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Digital Data (GIS) of Subdivision
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	County Application Submittal – proof of online submission (if applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ESD No. 6 Application (if applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$240 Fee for ESD No. 6 Application (if applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Billing Contract Form
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Engineer’s Summary Report
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Preliminary Drainage Study
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Preliminary Plats (1 Copy required – 11 x 17)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tax Certificates – verifying that property taxes are current
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Copy of Notice Letter to the School District – notifying of preliminary submittal
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Outdoor Lighting Ordinance Compliance Agreement
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Development Agreement/PDD (If applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Utility Service Provider “Will Serve” Letters
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Documentation showing approval of driveway locations (TxDOT, County,)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Documentation showing Hays County 911 addressing approval (if applicable)

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Parkland Dedication Submittal (narrative, fees)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$25 Public Notice Sign Fee
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ITE Trip Generation Report, or if required; a Traffic Impact Analysis
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Geologic Assessment Identifying Critical Environmental Features [Sub. Ord. 4.8(l)(4)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	OSSF Facility Planning Report or approved OSSF permit (<i>if applicable</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Hays Trinity Groundwater Conservation District approval of water well (<i>if applicable</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Preliminary Conference Form signed by City Staff
PRELIMINARY PLAT INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A vicinity, or location, map that shows the location of the proposed Preliminary Plat within the City (or within its ETJ) and in relationship to existing roadways.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Boundary lines, abstract/survey lines, corporate and other jurisdictional boundaries, existing or proposed highways and streets (including right-of-way widths), bearings and distances sufficient to locate the exact area proposed for the subdivision, and all survey monuments including any required concrete monuments (per the City Engineer); the length and bearing of all straight lines, radii, arc lengths, tangent lengths and central angles of all curves shall be indicated along the lines of each lot or Unit (curve and line data may be placed in a table format); accurate reference ties via courses and distances to at least one recognized abstract or survey corner or existing subdivision corner shall be shown.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The name, location and recording information of all adjacent subdivisions (or property owners of adjacent unplatted property), including those located on the other sides of roads or creeks, shall be drawn to the same scale and shown in dotted lines adjacent to the tract proposed for subdivision in sufficient detail to show accurately the existing streets, alleys, building setbacks, lot and block numbering, easements, and other features that may influence the layout of development of the proposed subdivision; adjacent unplatted land shall show property lines, the names of owners of record, and the recording information.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The location, widths and names of all streets, alleys and easements (it shall be the applicant's responsibility to coordinate with appropriate utility entities for placement of necessary utility easements and for location of all streets and median openings on highways or arterial roadways), existing or proposed, within the subdivision limits and adjacent to the subdivision; a list of proposed street names shall be submitted (in the form of a letter or memo along with the application form) for all new street names (street name approval is required at the time the Preliminary Plat is approved)

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The location of all existing property lines, existing lot and block numbers and date recorded, easements of record (with recording information), buildings, existing sewer or water mains (can be shown on a separate sheet, if preferred), gas mains or other underground structures, or other existing features within the area proposed for subdivision;
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proposed arrangement and square footage of lots or Units (including lot and block numbers or Unit numbers) proposed use of same; for nonresidential uses, the location and size of buildings, existing and proposed. This information shall be provided on a separate sheet, such as on a concept plan or the final site plan.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All sheets shall have a title block which shows the title or name under which the proposed subdivision is to be recorded; the name, address and phone number of the property owner(s); the name, address and phone number of the licensed engineer or registered professional land surveyor who prepared the plat/plans; the scale of the plat/plans; the date the plat/plan was prepared; and the location of the property according to the abstract or survey records of Hays County, Texas.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sites, if any, to be reserved or dedicated for parks, schools, playgrounds, other public uses or for private facilities or amenities
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Scale (including a graphic scale), date, north arrow oriented to the top or left side of the sheet, and other pertinent informational data
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Contours with intervals of two feet (2') or less shown for the area, with all elevations on the contour map referenced to sea level datum; and the limits of any portion of the 100-year floodplain (pursuant to the flood study, if required by the City Engineer) that may be within or adjacent to (i.e., within 100 feet of) the property (final monumentation of the floodplain shall occur, and shall be shown, on the final plat prior to approval and filing at the County) - if no floodplain is present, then a note stating this shall be shown on the plat
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Areas contributing drainage to the proposed subdivision shall be shown in the drainage study and construction plans; locations proposed for drainage discharge from the site shall be shown by directional arrows.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All physical features of the property to be subdivided shall be shown, including: - The location and size of all watercourses; and - 100-year floodplain according to Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) information; and

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Water Quality Buffer Zones as required by [WQO 22.05.017] - Drainage ways and drainage easements. Drainage easements are required for bypass of any offsite flows and for concentrated flows conveyed across lots. Drainage easements shall be large enough to contain the 100-yr storm [Sub. Ord. 12.2.2]. - U.S. Army Corps of Engineers flowage easement requirements; and - All critical environmental features (CEFs) such as karsts, springs, sinkholes, caves, etc., to be located and documentation to be signed and certified by a geologist. All CEF to have a minimum setback of 150'. All designated wetlands to be certified as such by an accredited wetland biologist relying the presence of wetlands plant species. Applicant to include a slope map identifying the breakdown of all lands in categories from 0% to 15 slope, 15 to 30 slope, and over 30% slope; and - Ravines; and - Bridges; and - Culverts; and - Existing structures; and - Drainage area in acres or area draining into subdivisions (to be included in drainage study and construction plans); and - Outline of major wooded areas or the location of major or important individual trees (excluding Cedar Trees) with trunk diameters exceeding twelve inches (12") measured four feet (4') above the ground, and other features pertinent to subdivision; is defined in the City's Technical Construction Standards and Specifications, and the City's Landscape Ordinance.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>Provide notes identifying the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Owner responsible for operation and maintenance of stormwater facilities. • Owner/operator of water and wastewater utilities. • Owner/operator of roadway facilities
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>Schematic Engineering plans of water and sewer lines and other infrastructure (including sizes) to be constructed in the subdivision; the proposed connections to distribution mains shall be indicated</p>

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proposed phasing of the development: Where a subdivision is proposed to occur in phases, the applicant, in conjunction with submission of the Preliminary Plat, shall provide a schedule of development, the dedication of rights-of-way for streets and street improvements, whether on-site or off-site, intended to serve each proposed phase of the subdivision. The City Engineer shall determine whether the proposed streets and street improvements are adequate pursuant to standards herein established, and may require that a traffic impact analysis be submitted for the entire project or for such phases as the City Engineer determines to be necessary to adjudge whether the subdivision will be served by adequate streets and thoroughfares.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All Preliminary Plats shall be submitted in a legible format that complies with Hays County requirements for the filing of plats.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Existing zoning of the subject property and all adjacent properties if within the city limits.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Construction Traffic Plan showing proposed routes for construction vehicle traffic and points of ingress and egress of such vehicles during construction; temporary construction easement approvals if needed, this shall be sealed by a registered engineer
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>Certificates and other language shall be included on the plat, pursuant to the following Subsections: A statement signed by the property owner(s) and acknowledged before a Notary Public that the subdivided area is legally owned by the applicant.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A statement signed by the property owner(s) and acknowledged before a Notary Public that the subdivided area is legally owned by the applicant. - An accurate legal, such as by metes and bounds, description by bearings and distances (including necessary curve and line data), accurate to the nearest one hundredth of a foot, for all boundary, block and lot lines, with descriptions correlated to a permanent survey monument. - The registered professional land surveyor's certificate, with a place for his or her signature and notarization of his or her signature. - A place for plat approval signature of the Chair or Vice Chair, in the Chair's absence) of the Planning and Zoning Commission, a place for the City Secretary to attest such signature, and the approval dates by Planning and Zoning Commission. - Appendices to this Chapter contain certificates and languages to be used on the plat to accommodate the above requirements:
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If any amount of surface water is to be used by the subject property, the Applicant must provide documentation to the City establishing that the Applicant has notified the following entities of the Applicant's plans for the

		project: Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA), and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS).
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NARRATIVE OF COMPLIANCE

A written narrative describing how all portions of the subdivision meets all requirements of this code and other codes, including landscaping, lighting, parkland dedication, site development, water quality protection, and zoning, as may be relevant.

Outdoor Lighting, Article 24.06	Per PDD 10, the subdivision will comply with the Outdoor Lighting Ordinance
Parkland Dedication, Article 28.03	<p>Per 2.4.12 Parkland and Exhibit C of PDD 10, 44.8 acres of Total Parkland/Open Space was dedicated.</p> <p>Per 3.4.12 Parkland of PDD 10, in addition to the previously dedicated Parkland in 2018, the development will provide 0.6 acres in parkland dedication as recommended by the Parks & Recreation Commission on 5/4/20 and approved by City Council 5/12/20. No additional dedication or fee-in-lieu is required for Tract 2 beyond that.</p>
Landscaping and Tree Preservation, Article 28.06	Per 3.9 Tree Replacement Plan of PDD 10, a tree survey is submitted with this preliminary plat.

<p>Subdivision, 28.02, Exhibit A</p>	<p>This section shall also include, depending on what type of plat is being filed, how public or private improvements will meet City standards, including water quality, drainage, stormwater, and fire (if applicable).</p> <p>The design of the subdivision is in accordance with the approved Development Agreement and PDD 10.</p>
<p>Zoning, Article 30.02, Exhibit A</p>	<p>The design of the subdivision is in accordance with the approved PDD 10.</p>