

Planning & Community Development Department 785 Forest Parkway Forest Park, Georgia 30297 (404) 366-4720

Acreage: 1.55

## STAFF REPORT – Preliminary Plat

Public Hearing Date: January 18, 2024

Case: PP-2024-01

Current Zoning: Multiple-Family Residential District (RM)

**Proposed Request:** Preliminary Plat for 803, 805, 829, 837, 845, 847, 861 Main Street – 32-Unit Townhome Development

Staff Report Compiled By: SaVaughn Irons, Principal Planner

Staff Recommendation: Approval of Preliminary Plat with Conditions

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Owner of Record:		Applicant:			
Name:	Cultivate Communities	Name:	Frank Bailey		
Address:	1075 Peachtree Street, NE, Suite 6 #570248	Address:	1075 Peachtree Street, NE, Suite 6 #570248		
City/State:	Atlanta, Georgia 30318	City/State:	Atlanta, GA 30309		
PROPERTY INFORMATION					

Parcel Number: 13050B L001A, L002 - L007

Address: 803, 805, 829, 837, 845, 847, 861 Main Street FLU: Institutional, Commercial

SUMMARY

The applicant is requesting the approval of a Preliminary Plat for 803 Main Street to subdivide a 1.55+/- acre parcel to create 32 townhome units.

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

The subject property is a vacant lot located north of the railroad tracks between Forest Parkway and Main Street, and the corners of Lake Drive and Ash Street, with approximately 1.55 acres. The applicant has met with the City of Forest Park City Manager, Planning & Community Development Department, Economic Development Department, and the Urban Design Review Board to discuss this project. The applicant is seeking approval of the Preliminary Plat to begin the process of developing the property into a subdivision consisting of thirty-two (32) townhome units. Adjacent zoning land uses north, east and west of the subject property consist

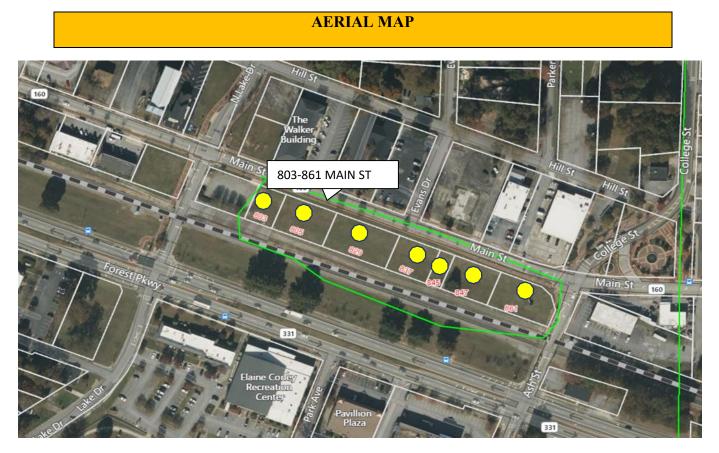


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of the Downtown Mainstreet District (DM District). South of the property is zoned Institutional Commercial District (IC District).

Each of the thirty-two (32) townhomes will be constructed into four (4) Separate buildings, featuring rear loading two (2) car garages, and a mixture of seventeen (17) feet and twenty (20) feet wide units. Three (3) of the townhome buildings will be two-story (2), and one building will be three (3) stories. The units range from 2,052 sq ft to 2,286 sq ft gross and 1,500 sq ft to 1,734 sq ft heated. Each end unit on each building will be slightly wider than the middle units. The front exterior of the buildings will include a combination of brick, faux stone siding panels, vertical Hardie board plank, and Hardie shingle plank.

The entrance will feature a walk-up design, with wrought iron railings and minimum front yard space from the sidewalk to provide an urban, walkable environment while still providing a small-town charm. The upper levels of the rear elevations will consist of Hardie plank and the lower, garage level exterior will be brick. Side elevations of the buildings will mimic the same materials as the rear elevations, upper levels utilizing Hardie plank and the lower-level brick. The front exterior of each townhome unit per building will also have an assorted color and material combination.



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#### **ZONING MAP**



## Multiple Family Residential (RM)

#### **Zoning Classifications of Contiguous Properties**

Direction	Zoning & Use	Direction	Zoning & Use
North	Downtown Mainstreet District (DM)	East	Downtown Mainstreet District (DM)
South	Institutional Commercial District (IC)	West	Downtown Mainstreet District (DM)



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#### **CURRENT CONDITIONS**



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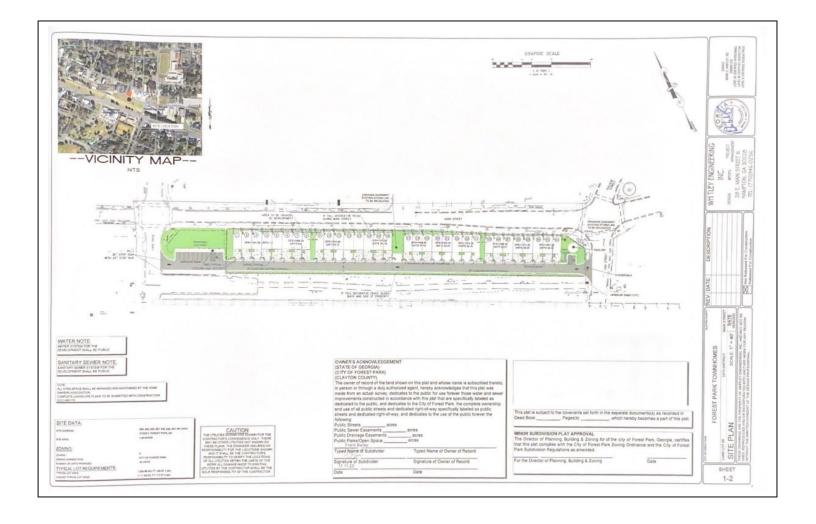


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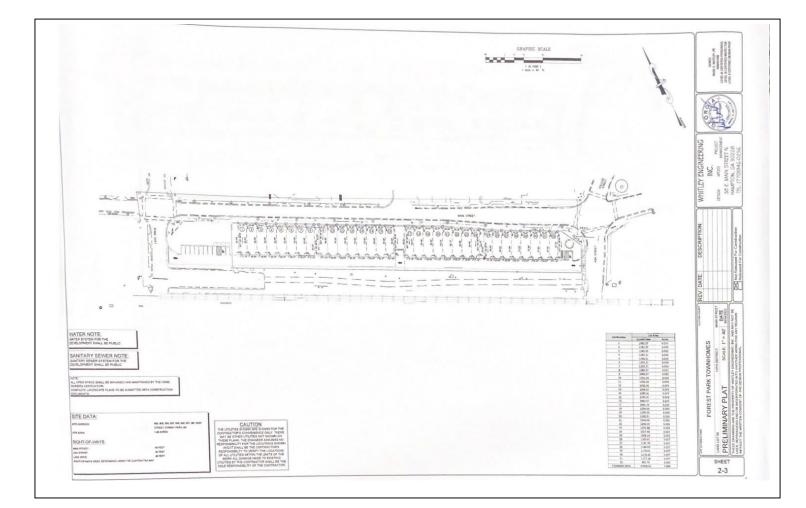
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#### SITE PLAN





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#### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends **APPROVAL OF THE PRELIMINARY PLAT** for 803, 805, 829, 837, 845, 847, 861 Main Street with the **FOLLOWING CONDITIONS**:

- 1. The applicant will submit protective covenants to regulate land use in the subdivision and otherwise protect the proposed subdivision.
- 2. The developer will be responsible for all costs associated with design and construction of sanitary sewer and water improvements necessary to serve the proposed plat.



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- 3. Sidewalks shall serve each lot and shall be designed and constructed in accordance with City Standards.
- 4. Applicant must complete a land combination application and submit to the city of Forest Park to Combine separate addresses and parcels prior to the final Plat submission.
- 5. Applicant must complete a Lot Split Application and submit to the City of Forest Park to subdivide lots for 32 units to be provided individual Parcel ID numbers prior to the final plat submission.

Attachments Included

• Site Plan