

PLAT COMMITTEE July 12, 2023

Case Number: 2023-PLT-043

Property Address: 7511 New Augusta Road (Approximate Address)

Location: Pike Township, Council District #1

Petitioner: Doug Wagner – New Augusta SF, LLC

Zoning: D-4

Request: Approval of a Subdivision Plat to be known as Ashton, Section 1B, dividing

14.63 acres into 47 lots.

Waiver Requested: None

Current Land Use: Ball Fields

Staff Reviewer: Linda Ahlbrand, Principal Planner II

PETITION HISTORY

This is the first hearing for this petition.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Plat Committee **approve** and find that the plat, file-dated June 1, 2023, complies with the standards of the Subdivision regulations, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. That the applicant provides a bond, as required by Section 741-210, of the Consolidated Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance.
- 2. Subject to the Standards and Specifications of Citizens Energy Group, Sanitation Section.
- 3. Subject to the Standards and Specifications of the Department of Public Works, Drainage Section.
- 4. Subject to the Standards and Specifications of the Department of Public Works, Transportation Section.
- 5. That addresses and street names, as approved by the Department of Metropolitan Development, be affixed to the final plat prior to recording.
- 6. That the Enforcement Covenant (Section 741-701, of the Consolidated Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance) be affixed to the final plat prior to recording
- 7. That the Site Distance Covenant (Section 741-702, of the Consolidated Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance) be affixed to the final plat prior to recording.
- 8. That the Sanitary Sewer Covenant (Section 741-704, of the Consolidated Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance) be affixed to the final plat prior to recording.



- 9. That the Storm Drainage Covenant (Section 741-703, of the Consolidated Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance) be affixed to the final plat prior to recording.
- 10. That the plat restrictions and covenants, done in accordance with the rezoning commitments, be submitted prior to recording the final plat.
- 11. That all the standards related to secondary plat approval listed in Sections 741-207 and 741-208 of the Consolidated Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance be met prior to recording the final plat.
- 12. That all lots shown with a 53-foot lot width be increased to meet the minimum lot width of 54 feet.

PETITION OVERVIEW

SITE PLAN AND DESIGN

This plat is part of a larger development of 65.6 acres. The overall site is comprised of three different zoning classifications, with variable housing types and densities for a total of 347 dwelling units and an overall density of 5.3 units per acre. There would be two access drives along New Augusta Road. The northern access drive would align with San Gabriel to the west, with a second access drive to the south.

This request would provide for the development of Section 1B. Section 1B would provide for 47 single-family detached lots in the northeastern portion of the overall site.

The minimum lot width in the D-4 district is 60 feet. The Ordinance allows for a 10% reduction of the lot width for 20% of the lots. A 10% reduction would result in a 54-foot lot width. Some of the lots in Section 1B are shown with a lot width of 53 feet. Therefore, these lots need to be increased to 54 feet prior to final plat recording.

With the change above, the plat meets the standards of the applicable zoning classifications, the zoning commitments and the standards of the subdivision regulations.

STREETS

The plat would provide for the extension of two stub streets from Section 1A. One new street and two new cul-de-sacs would be provided.

SIDEWALKS

Sidewalks are required along all proposed interior streets.

GENERAL INFORMATION



Existing Land Use	Ball Fields	
Comprehensive Plan	Suburban Neighborhood	
Surrounding Context	Zoning	Land Use
North:	SU-2	Ball Fields
South:	D-4	Undeveloped
East:	D-P	Single-family residential
West:	D-6II	Undeveloped
Thoroughfare Plan		
New Augusta Road	Primary Collector	50-foot existing and 91-foot proposed
Petition Submittal Date	June 1, 2023	

SUBDIVISION PLAT REGULATIONS

741-203 Required Documents for Approval		EVALUATION
	 741.201.A-C – Primary Plat Requirements: Plat name, Legal Description, Surveyor Seal, Scale. Boundary Lines, Existing Street Names and dimensions. Layout of Proposed Streets – names, widths, classifications. Layout of all easements and purpose thereof. Layout of lots with numbering and dimensions. Floodway/Floodplain Delineation. Topographic Map. Area Map. 	Satisfied
	 741-203.D – Traffic Control Plan Traffic control street signs and devices. Traffic calming devices. Bicycle facilities. Sidewalks and pedestrian facilities. Transit facilities, such as bus stops pads or shelter. Street lighting. 	Satisfied
	 741-203.E– Natural infrastructure plan (major plats containing more than 20 lots) Placement of all proposed drainage facilities for the subdivision, indicating type of facility and if the facility is to be designed to be wet or dry Location of Open Space Areas of the open space common area, indicating size and general improvements Location of any Stream Protection Corridors in accordance with Section 744-205 (Stream Protection Corridors) 	Satisfied



	741-205 – Waivers	
	The granting of the waiver or modification will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, or welfare or injurious to other property	
	The conditions upon which the request is based are individual to the property for which the relief is sought and are not applicable generally to other property;	
	Because of the particular physical surroundings, shape, or topographical conditions of the specific property involved, a particular hardship would result, as distinguished from a mere inconvenience, if the strict letter of these regulations is carried out;	Satisfied
	The resulting subdivision fulfills the purpose and intent of these regulations at an equal or higher standard than what would have been possible without the deviation; and	
	 The relief sought shall not in any manner vary from the provisions of the Zoning Ordinance, or official zoning base maps, except as those documents may be amended in the manner prescribed by law. 	
741-300 Design and nstallation	All proposed plats submitted for Committee approval under the provisions of these regulations shall meet these standards to the satisfaction of the Committee unless waived by the Committee.	EVALUATION
	741-302.A – Lots:	
	 Comply with zoning district and any cluster approval or variance grant. 	Satisfied
	 Lots must have positive drainage away from buildings. 	
	No more than 25% of lot area may be under water.	
	 Side lots lines at right angles to streets or radial to curving street line. 	
	 Layout of lots with numbering and dimensions. 	
	Floodway/Floodplain Delineation.	
	Topographic Map.	
	741-302.B – Frontage and Access:	
	 Through lots should be avoided except where necessary for primary arterial separation and topography challenges. 	
	Triple frontage lots are prohibited.	
	 Lots abutting alleys must have vehicular access exclusively from alley. 	Satisfied
	 Lots shall not have direct access to arterial streets. 	
	 Non-residential plats shall provide cross-access easements to limits points of access to existing street network to no more than one per 500 feet. 	



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	741-302.C — Blocks:		
	 Shall not exceed maximum block lengths per Table 741-302.1 If exceeded, it must be demonstrated that: 		
	There are improved pedestrian easements at intervals of	Catiofied	
	400 feet or less.	Satisfied	
	 Adequate traffic calming provisions are made. 		
	 The block length must be exceeded because of physical conditions of the land. 		
741-303 Streets and Connectivity	All proposed plats shall allocate adequate areas for streets in conformity with the Comprehensive Plan and Official Thoroughfare Plan for Marion County, Indiana, and these regulations.	EVALUATION	
	741-303.A – General:	EVALUATION	
	Subdivisions shall provide a logical street layout in relation to topographical conditions, public convenience, safety, multimodal use and the proposed use of the land to be served by such streets. Triple frontage lots are prohibited.		
	 Streets shall intersect as nearly as possible at right angles. No street shall intersect another at an angle of less than 75 degrees. 		
	 Not more than two streets shall intersect at any one point. 	Satisfied	
	 Bicycle lanes meeting the Indiana Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (IMUTCD) for location, width, and marking shall be provided along collector streets. 		
	All streets shall be dedicated to the public. Alleys may be private.		
	 Turn lanes or other improvements recommended by the Department of Public Works shall be added to the existing street system to minimize the impact of the connection upon the existing street system. 		
	741-303.B – Through Connectivity (Metro Context Area):		
	 Emergency vehicles must not have to use more than two different local streets (any street other than a primary arterial, a secondary arterial or a collector street) to reach their destination. 		
	 Permanently dead-ended streets and alleys, except for cul-de-sac streets, are prohibited. 		
	 All existing or platted streets that terminate at the property boundary line of a proposed subdivision shall be continued into the proposed subdivision to provide street connections to adjoining lands and streets within the proposed subdivision. 	Satisfied	
	 Streets entering opposite sides of another street shall be laid out either directly opposite one another or with a minimum offset of 125 ft. between their centerlines. 		
	 Whenever cul-de-sac streets are created, a 15-foot-wide pedestrian access/public utility easement shall be provided between the cul-de-sac head or street. 		
	 Subdivisions with 30 or more lots shall have more than one entrance to the existing street network. 		
	741-303.D – Cul-de-sacs (Metro Context Area):	_	
	 In the Metro Context Area, cul-de-sac lengths shall not exceed 500 feet or serve more than 20 dwelling units. 	Satisfied	



Additional Development Items		EVALUATION
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	Street name signs, traffic control signs, bike route signs.	Satisfied
	Traffic control devices for streets exceeding 900 feet in length.	
	Bicycle Facilities for subdivisions with a collector street serving more than 100 dwelling units.	
	741.305 – Numbering and naming:	
	Street numbering per adopted addressing guidelines.	Satisfied
	 Streets that are extensions or continuations of existing or approved streets must bear the name of such existing street. 	Satistied
	741.306 – Sidewalks:	Satisfied
	Sidewalks shall be provided along all internal and external streets.	Satisfied
	741.307-309 – Easements, Utilities, Stream Protection Corridors:	
	 Utility easements shall be located along lot lines and shall be a minimum of 10 feet. 	Satisfied
	 All BMPs and drainage facilities must be located within an easement. The easement must accommodate adequate access for maintenance. 	
	 Generally, pedestrian easements shall be 15 feet in width and be considered open to the public unless specifically declared otherwise. 	
	All utilities shall be located underground.	
	 All subdivisions must be designed in accordance with the Stream Protection Corridor requirements of Section 744-205. 	
	741.310 – Common Areas, Open Space and Public Sites (Compact Context Area):	Satisfied
	 Required for subdivisions with more than 20 dwelling units. 	
	 Access easements shall be provided to connect all common areas to a public street right-of-way. The minimum width of such access must be at least 15 feet. 	
	 Basic Open Space Requirements: Multi-purpose path, natural landscaping area, entrance landscaping. 	
	 Additional Open Space Requirements: Community garden, dog park, game court, picnic area, playground, pool, etc. Additional component required for every 30 additional dwelling units overall. 	
	Reservation of land for public/semi-public purpose.	
	741-312 – Monuments	
	 Permanent reference monuments shall be placed in the subdivision by a Professional Surveyor. Where no existing permanent monuments are found, monuments must be installed no more than 600 feet apart in any straight line and in accordance with the schedule in Table 741-312-1. 	Satisfied



 All development shall comply with all provisions of Section 742- (Flood Control Zoning District). 	-203
 Floodway and Floodway Fringe zones shall be delineated and labeled on the primary plat and the plat to be recorded. 	Satisfied
 For Zone AE areas, the plat must show the BFE topographic lin 	ie.
For Zone A areas, the plat must show the delineation study with floodway and floodway fringe lines shown on the FIRM ma	
741.316 – Street Lighting:	
All subdivisions must be designed and constructed in accordance with the Street Lighting requirements of Section 744-600 (Street and Exterior Lighting).	ce Satisfied













