STAFF REPORT

Department of Metropolitan Development Division of Planning Current Planning Section

Case Number: 2023-ZON-013

Address: 2457 & 2461 Shelby Street (Approximate Address)

Location: Center Township, Council District #21

Petitioner: Inpraedium Quarters, LLC, by David Kingen

Reguest: Rezoning of 0.21 acre from the C-1 (TOD) district to the D-8 (TOD)

district to legally establish multi-family dwelling uses.

The petitioner's representative requested that this petition be continued from the March 23, 2023 hearing to the April 27, 2023 to provide time to meet with the neighborhood organization, clear up issues with the legal description, and pay the application fee. The continuance was granted with the understanding that if the fees are not paid by the April 27 hearing, the petition will be dismissed. As of the time of publication of this staff report, the application fee for this petition has not been paid. If the fee has not been paid by the time of the hearing, the **petition should be dismissed** for lack of prosecution.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff **recommends approval** of this request.

SUMMARY OF ISSUES

The following issues were considered in formulating the recommendation.

LAND USE

- The subject site is two lots on the northeast corner of the intersection of Shelby Street and Hoefgen Street. The lots were platted as part of Spann and Holloway's Shelby Street Addition in 1899. Historic mapping indicates that a building has stood on the north lot since 1915 and perhaps longer. Petition 90-UV3-101 approved a five-unit multi-family dwelling for the north lot. The buildings on the south lot first appear in the 1950 aerial photograph.
- The 2018 Comprehensive Land Use Plan recommends Traditional Neighborhood for the subject site. This typology envisions a full spectrum of housing types, ranging from single family homes to large-scale multi-family housing with a development pattern that is compact and well-connected. This typology usually has a residential density of five to fifteen dwelling units per acre, but a higher density in proximity of a transit line, greenway, or park.

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♦ The subject site is located on the Red Line Bus Rapid Transit route and across the street from Garfield Park.

ZONING

- This petition requests a rezoning from the C-1 district to the D-8 district. The D-8 district is a unique district designed for application in older, developed urban areas. The district allows all forms of residential development except mobile dwellings. The district is designed to provide for the wide range and mixture of housing types found in older, inner-city neighborhoods, as well as along older residential/commercial thoroughfares.
- ♦ The D-8 district is appropriate as it is responsive to the Traditional Neighborhood recommendation of the Comprehensive Land Use Plan and is a district found in the vicinity.

GENERAL INFORMATION

EXISTING ZONING, CONTEXT AREA, AND LAND USE

C-1 Compact Small multi-family buildings, single-family dwelling

SURROUNDING ZONING AND LAND USE

North C-1 Single-family dwelling
South C-1 Single-family dwelling
East D-5 Single-family dwelling

West PK-1 Garfield Park Branch Library, Garfield Park

COMPREHENSIVE LAND USE PLAN The Center Township Comprehensive Plan (2018)

recommends Traditional Neighborhood.

THOROUGHFARE PLAN Shelby Street is classified in the Official Thoroughfare

Plan for Marion County, Indiana as a Secondary Arterial, with a 61-foot existing right-of-way and a 78-

foot proposed right-of-way.

Hoefgen Street is classified in the Official

Thoroughfare Plan for Marion County, Indiana as a Local Street, with a 60-foot existing right-of-way and a

48-foot proposed right-of-way.

FLOODWAY / FLOODWAY FRINGE This site is not located within a floodway or floodway

fringe.

WELLFIELD PROTECTION DISTRICT This site is not located within a wellfield protection

district.

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ZONING HISTORY – SITE

90-UV3-101; 2457 Shelby Street, requested a variance of use to provide for a five-unit, multifamily dwelling in a C-1 district, **approved**.

ZONING HISTORY – VICINITY

2009-HOV-030, **2449 Shelby Street (north of site)**, requested a variance of use to provide for a single-family dwelling and accessory garage in a C-1 district and a variance of development standards to provide for deficient setbacks and transitional yards, **approved**.

2006-UV3-046; **2509 Shelby Street (south of site)**, requested a variance of use to legally establish a four-unit multi-family dwelling in a C-1 district and a variance of development standards to provide for deficient setbacks and for parking maneuvering in a public alley, **approved.**

STAFF REPORT 2023-ZON-013, Location



STAFF REPORT 2023-ZON-013, Aerial photograph (2022)



STAFF REPORT 2023-ZON-013, Photographs



Looking east from Shelby Street at the subject site.



Looking across Hoefgen Street at the site.



Looking northwest at the site from the corner of Hoefgen Street and the alley.



Looking east along north property line of the north lot of the site.



Looking east along Hoefgen Street.



Looking southwest across Shelby Street at the neighbors to the south. The site is on the far left of the photo.