



LAWRENCEVILLE

Planning & Development

~~PLANNING COMMISSION AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT~~

~~MAYOR AND COUNCIL~~

RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS – ~~0601202608042026~~

RZM2026-00006

Approval of a rezoning to RM-8 (Townhouse Residential District), subject to the following enumerated conditions:

1. To restrict the use of the property as follows:

- A. Townhouse dwelling units at a maximum of ~~fortythree~~ thirty-nine (4039) dwelling units on approximately 6.61 acres at a gross density of no more than eight (8) units per acre (UPA).
- B. The development shall be designed and constructed in general accordance with the Site Plan presented at the August 24, 2026 Regular Council Meeting titled "Townhouses at Sugarloaf," dated "May 18, 2026," prepared by "DES Davis Engineering & Surveying" with the exception that the plan may be modified to address conditions of zoning. Final site design shall be subject to the review and approval of the Director of the Planning and Development Department.
- C. The ~~townhouse multifamily~~ dwelling units shall be three stories designed in general accordance with the Elevations presented at the August 24, 2026 Regular Council Meeting and shall be titled "Townhouses at Sugarloaf by Zianna," dated received "April 1, 2026," predominantly four-sided masonry construction utilizing, which could be brick, stone or a combination thereof of brick and stone (with accents with of fiber cement siding permitted only as an accent material). Final architectural design shall be subject to the review and approval of the Director of the Planning and Development Department.
- D. All townhouse dwelling units shall include have a minimum two (2) car garage with carriage-style garage doors. ~~The driveway~~ s shall measure a minimum of twenty-one (21) feet in width and a minimum of twenty-seven (27) feet in depth ~~(as measured from the curb), providing sufficient to accommodate space for~~ two (2) passenger vehicles. Final design shall be subject to the review and approval of the Director of the Planning and Development Department
- E. All Townhouse Units shall be a minimum of 24' wide.

F. Townhouse lots may be developed with front-entry garages and shall include a covered rear porch or covered rear deck.

G. All dwellings shall be constructed with EV-ready infrastructure. Each dwelling shall include a dedicated 240-volt, 50-amp branch circuit terminating in a NEMA 14-50 receptacle located within the garage and installed in accordance with all applicable electrical codes. The circuit shall be placed on a dedicated breaker and sized to support future Level-2 electric vehicle charging equipment.

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2. To satisfy the following site development considerations:

A. The development shall be constructed in conformity with the City of Lawrenceville Zoning Ordinance and Development Regulations. The final design shall be subject to the review and approval of the Director of Planning and Development.

B. The development shall abide by all applicable standards of the Development Regulations, unless otherwise modified by specified in these conditions of zoning, or by an approved variance through approval of a variance administratively, or by the Zoning Board of Appeals, as appropriate.

C. Landscape shall be designed and installed to meet with these the conditions of zoning, while also meeting the requirements of requirements of the Zoning Ordinance and Development Regulations. The final landscape plans design shall be subject to the review and approval of the Director of Planning and Development.

D. Natural vegetation shall remain on the property until the issuance of a development permit.

E. All grassed areas shall be sodded.

F. The required parking ratio for development shall be four (4) spaces per townhouse unit.

G. Building setbacks adjacent to off internal streets or private driveways shall be in generally conform to the approved accordance with the submitted site plans and architectural renderings, and otherwise subject subject to review and approval of the Director of Planning and Development.

H. All underground utilities shall be provided throughout the development.

I. The community building shall be a minimum of 1000 sf of enclosed floor area and shall include publicly accessible restroom facilities for residents and guests. The building shall be four (4) sided masonry with accents of fiber cement siding matching the residential structures on site.

J. A passive dog park or similar recreation amenity shall be provided within the area located south of the playground and generally situated over the Colonial Pipeline

easement, subject to the review and approval of Colonial Pipeline and all applicable easement restrictions

K. The central green space located within the Colonial Pipeline easement shall incorporate passive recreational amenities, including benches, picnic tables, seating areas, or other similar site furnishings intended to encourage resident use and activity, subject to the review and approval of Colonial Pipeline and all applicable easement restrictions.

L. An enhanced landscape buffer shall be installed along the Sugarloaf Parkway frontage adjacent to Lots 1 through 8 to provide additional visual screening and noise attenuation. The landscape design shall include a combination of canopy trees, evergreen trees, understory trees, shrubs, or other landscape features, as approved by the Director of Planning and Development.

M. All roadways and alleyways within the development shall be privately owned and maintained.

N. Chainlink fencing shall be prohibited. All fencing materials shall be approved by the Director of Planning and Development.

O. Provide a 10' sidewalk along Sugarloaf Parkway across the frontage of the property and connecting to the existing crosswalk at Lawrenceville-Suwanee Road as well as to the existing sidewalk near Town Parke Drive. Sidewalk shall be subject to the review and approval of Gwinnett County DOT.

P. Dedicate at no cost to the City a permanent easement within the floodplain and buffers of Redland Creek and its tributaries as well as the existing sanitary sewer easement for the future construction of a Greenway trail.

Q. To minimize the use of exterior retaining walls, basements shall be included as necessary.

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3. The following variances are approved:

- A. A variance from the Zoning Ordinance, Article 1 – Districts, Section 102.7 – RM-8 Townhouse Residential District, Subsection B. Lot Development Standards. Allows an increase in the percentage of three-bedroom units allowed from forty percent (40%) feet to one hundred percent (100%).
- B. A variance from the Zoning Ordinance, Article 1 – Districts, Section 102.7 – RM-8 Townhouse Residential District, Subsection E. Development Standards. Allows for a reduction in the required minimum private drive width from twenty-four (24) feet to twenty (20) feet.

C. A variance from the Zoning Ordinance, Article 1 – Districts, Section 102.7 – RM-8 Townhouse Residential District, Subsection E. Development Standards. Allows for a reduction in the required minimum adjacency of units to public green space from fifty percent (50%) to forty percent (40%).

~~D.~~ D. A variance from the Zoning Ordinance, Article 4 – Buffers, Section 403 Buffers Table. Allows for a fifty percent (50%) reduction of the minimum zoning buffer requirements between dissimilar zoning classifications (RM-8 and RS-180), from fifty (50) feet to twenty-five (25) forty (40) feet. ▲

~~E. Exception: Notwithstanding the foregoing, the installation and construction of two retaining walls within the required forty-foot (40') buffer shall be permitted as depicted on the approved site plan and engineering plans. The retaining walls shall be limited to the two non-contiguous locations along the western property boundary and shall not be construed as reducing the required buffer width for the remainder of the property. Except for the approved retaining wall encroachments, the forty foot (40') buffer shall be maintained around the entire perimeter of the development where required.~~

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SUP2026-00006

Approval of a Special Use Permit for Front Entry Garage Units, subject to the following enumerated conditions:

1. To restrict the use of the property as follows:

A. The maximum number of Front Entry Units shall be forty (40) ~~thirty-one (31)~~.

A-B. Minimum lot width shall be twenty four feet (24').