

Letter of Intent

December 4, 2023

Purchaser Representative:
Ming Zhou
6056 Courtside Drive
Peachtree Corners, GA 30092

Address of Property: 0 Curtis Road, Lawrenceville, GA 30046

Parcel: R5145-299

Size of Tract: 3.38 Acres

Zoning Classification: Currently zoned BG, seeking to rezone to LM

Proposed Use of the Property: Build three flex office buildings to accommodate the growth of small businesses in the City of Lawrenceville.

Density: Total size of three buildings would be roughly 43,000 to 48,000 square foot. Each suite would be about 1,500 to 3,000 square foot.

Parking: 45 spaces; 1.4 spaces/1,000 SF.

Height of Buildings: 14-16 foot.

I am writing to express my intent to propose a rezoning request for property located at 0 Curtis Road, Lawrenceville, GA 30046 with parcel ID R5145-299. The current zoning classification for the property is BG (General Business), and I am seeking to rezone it to LM (Light Manufacturing).

At the time of this application, the Lawrenceville and GA-316 corridor only has three flex office spaces available in the 1,500 to 2,000 square foot range, out of 2.1 million square foot flex office buildings in this area. This means, the flex vacancy in the city of Lawrenceville is 0.27%. With such low vacancy, many small businesses simply do not have any options to grow or relocate their businesses to the City of Lawrenceville. I am proposing to build three flex office buildings offering suites between 1500 to 3000 SF to accommodate the growth of small businesses in our community. With a total project size of roughly 43,000 to 48,000 SF, this project can provide flex office spaces for additional 18 to 22 business owners. There is a huge demand from business owners to lease small flex office suites. I have helped my clients to create and lease more than 60 small flex office suites in Norcross and Duluth in the last three years and all the units were leased up within the first year. I am confident that the City of Lawrenceville and business owners in Lawrenceville will benefit from this development.

In addition to rezoning, I am seeking a 30 foot buffer encroachment on the south side of the property and a 10 foot encroachment into the front set back of the property on Curtis road. The City will benefit from buffer reduction by not having to rebuild new curb and gutter along Curtis road.

As part of the rezoning proposal, I am committed to complying with all applicable zoning regulations. I am excited to create more options for business owners that are looking to relocate and/or grow their business in the City of Lawrenceville.

By:  12/4/2023
Ming Zhou