

# 221 E Boyd St.

*A Center City Planned Unit Development*

Applicant: 208APACHE LLC

Application for:

Center City Planned Unit Development

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## I. INTRODUCTION

A. **Background and Intent.** This Center City Planned Unit Development (“CCPUD”) is proposed by 208APACHE LLC (the “Applicant”) for the property located at 221 E. Boyd St., Norman, Oklahoma, more particularly described on **Exhibit A** (the “Property”). The Property contains approximately 0.321 acres. This CCPUD is intended to put forth the parameters for the development of the Property to allow for the construction of a multi-family structure with up to five (5) residential units with a maximum of four (4) bedrooms per unit. This CCPUD will allow for a relaxation of the CCFBC’s specific development and design criteria applicable to the Property in order to allow the Applicant to utilize the site for higher density multifamily structure with leasable units which are needed close to the University of Oklahoma campus, while maintaining adequate pervious coverage and parking on the Property.

B. **Development Team.** The Applicant and owner of the Property is 208APACHE LLC. The architect for the project is Nathan Lofties, with Creative Home Designs.

## II. PROPERTY DESCRIPTION/GENERAL SITE CONDITIONS

A. **Location.** The Property is an approximately 13,995 square foot parcel located North of E. Boyd St. and West of the railroad right-of-way. The specific location is illustrated on the Site Development Plan, attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.

B. **Existing Land Use and Zoning.** The Property is located in the Center City Form Based Code (“CCFBC”) District, Urban General BFS. The Property is currently vacant.

C. **Elevation and Topography.** The Property is essentially flat with little to no elevation change throughout.

D. **Drainage.** The Property is generally flat and drains to Boyd Street and the alleyway on the North.

E. **Utility Services.** All necessary utilities for this project (including water, sewer, gas, telecommunications, and electric) are currently located within the necessary proximity to serve the Property, or they will be extended by the Applicant, as necessary.

F. **Fire Protection Services.** Fire protection services will be provided by the City of Norman Fire Department and by the owner of the Property where required by building and fire protection codes in the structures. Fire suppression systems, such as, by way of example, fire sprinklers and/or U305 fire rated walls, will be included on portions of the initial construction to permit possible commercial adaptability of the ground floor units. Additionally, the applicant has agreed to elevated ground floor ceilings to allow for future commercial adaptability of the ground floor, by providing adequate space for future commercial users to install additional fire

suppression materials, improvements, and systems to protect residential units on the upper floors from future commercial uses on the ground floor.

- G. **Traffic Circulation and Access.** Boyd Street is located on the South boundary of the Property and the public alleyway is located along the North boundary of the Property. Vehicle access is currently gained from an existing driveway off of Boyd Street, which will be removed under this CCPUD. The public sidewalk is located along Boyd Street. Traffic access and circulation will be allowed in the manner depicted on the Site Development Plan. The Property will be accessed from the alley.

### III. DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND DESIGN CONCEPT

The Property shall be developed in compliance with the terms of this CCPUD and the exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, subject to adjustments or modifications allowed pursuant to Appendix B, Section 520(F), Administration, of the CCFBC, as may be amended from time to time.

A. **Allowable Uses.**

A list of the allowable uses for the Property is attached hereto as **Exhibit C**.

B. **Development Criteria.**

1. **Siting.** The proposed Site Development Plan for the Property is concurrently submitted with this CCPUD as **Exhibit B** and shall be incorporated herein as an integral part of this CCPUD. The Property shall be developed in substantial conformance with the Site Development Plan, subject to adjustments or modifications allowed pursuant to Appendix B Section 520(F), Administration, of the CCFBC, as may be amended from time to time. The Required Building Line (“RBL”) along the Property’s Boyd Street frontage shall ~~be six (6’) feet from comply with the front property line as shown on~~applicable provisions of the attached Site Development Plan CCFBC for this Property, as may be amended from time to time.
2. **Building Height.** The buildings to be constructed on the Property are planned to be three (3) stories, as shown on the proposed elevations attached as **Exhibit D**. As shown on the proposed elevations, the finished floor height may be raised up to ~~36’-24”~~. Additionally, the ground floor ceiling height shall be a minimum of ten (10’) feet to permit future commercial adaptability of the ground floor units.
3. **Elements.** The Property shall be built in accordance with the terms of this CCPUD and the exhibits hereto. Exterior materials shall comply with the

requirements of Section 402(J), Architectural Materials (exteriors), of the CCFBC, as may be amended from time to time. Fenestration is only required along Boyd Street frontage. Fenestration for Boyd Street frontage shall be a minimum of 33% on ground story and 20% for upper stories. To break down the scale of the buildings and provide a better pedestrian experience, the facades along Boyd Street will have at least two different materials, a ground story configuration different from the upper story and at least 2 different bay configurations. The Boyd Street RBL shall have an offset depth of a maximum of 60 inches behind the RBL to accommodate the proposed recessed doors and stoops.

4. **Sanitation.** A trash dumpster to be installed at 305 E. Boyd will be shared by this Property.
5. **Signage.** All signage for the Property shall comply with Section 402(N), Signage, of the CCFBC, as amended thereafter.
6. **Traffic access and sidewalks.** Traffic circulation and access to the Property shall be allowed in the manner shown on the Site Development Plan. In order to keep the streetscape pedestrian friendly and usable, street trees and streetlights shall not be required along the Property's Boyd Street frontage.
7. **Lighting.** The project shall comply with the requirements of the CCFBC under Section 402(O), Lighting & Mechanical, as amended thereafter.
8. **Open Space.** Open space will be located on the Property in the locations depicted on the attached Site Development Plan. Consistent with the Property's CCFBC designation of Urban General, the Property shall have a maximum of 85% impervious coverage. Open space areas are allowed to be located in noncontiguous areas on the Property.
9. **Parking.** Parking is provided in the manner shown on the attached Site Development Plan. The Applicant will provide one parking space per bedroom. Additionally, three (3) off-site spaces will be provided on the Property for 305 E Boyd Street. One bike rack per unit will be provided as shown on the Site Development Plan.
10. **Landscaping.** In order to keep the streetscape pedestrian friendly and usable, street trees and streetlights will not be required for development of the Property under this CCPUD. Landscaping will be provided in substantial compliance with the Site Development Plan. Final landscaping types, quantities, and locations may change during final design and construction. Any trees to be planted shall be of a species that is listed in Section 506 of the CCFBC, as

amended thereafter, or otherwise approved by the City of Norman Forester, City of Norman Ordinance, or appropriate City of Norman staff member.

- 11. Drainage.** The Property will meet or exceed all applicable drainage ordinances. Drainage will be directed into the existing storm sewer main on Boyd Street and to the alleyway on the north of the Property.
- 12. Fencing.** Fencing with a maximum height of eight (8') feet is permissible but not required on the Property.

**C. CCFBC Variances.**

The Property shall be developed in accordance with the terms of this CCPUD and the exhibits attached hereto and incorporated by reference. For convenience purposes, a summary of the variances sought from the CCFBC follows:

- ~~1. **RBL Modification.** The RBL has been modified to six (6') feet due to the presence of overhead powerlines and to provide the residents with additional privacy from the adjacent public right-of-way. The adjustment also ensures that front doors will not encroach within the public right-of-way.~~
- 2.1. Four Bedrooms Per Unit.** Each unit is allowed to contain a maximum of four bedrooms as this is an area that is appropriate for added density. This CCPUD will allow for a development that can provide thoughtfully designed residential units closely located to the University of Oklahoma, which is much needed.
- 3.2. Streetscape.** Street trees and streetlights will not be required on this Property. This will help keep the Boyd streetscape pedestrian friendly due to the proximity of the RBL to the right-of-way and the existence of driveways on other properties on this block. Bike racks will be installed on the Property.
- 4.3. Open Space.** Open space areas are not required to be contiguous on the Property.
- 5.4. Elements.** An additional 36 inches of offset from the Boyd Street RBL is being requested to allow the proposed recessed entries and covered stoops for a total maximum offset depth of five (5') feet. Additionally, the finished floor height may be raised up to 24".

**EXHIBIT A**

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY**

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

LOT 29A  
STATE UNIVERSITY ADDITION  
NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA

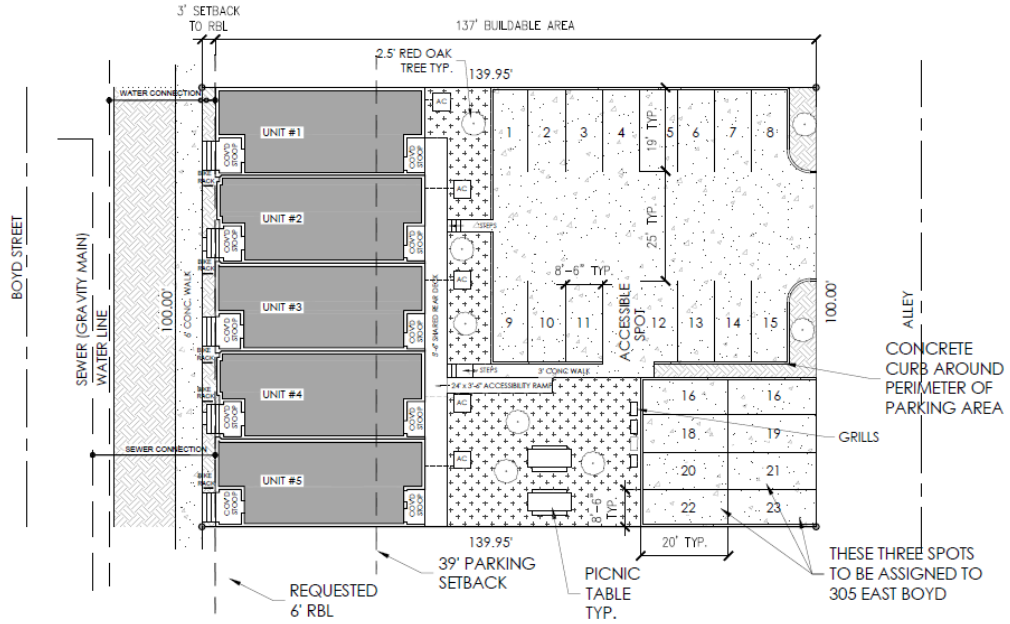
*A tract of land being Lot Twenty Eight (28), Twenty Nine (29), Thirty (30) and Thirty One (31) of the State University Addition to Norman Cleveland County, Oklahoma and being more particularly described as follows:*

*Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Lot 31;  
Thence West a distance of 100 feet to the Southwest corner of said Lot 28;  
Thence North a distance of 139.95 feet to the Northwest corner of said Lot 28;  
Thence East a distance of 100 feet to the Northeast corner of said Lot 31;  
Thence South a distance of 139.95 feet to the Point of Beginning;*

*Said parcel of land contains 0.321 Acres or 13,995 Sq. Ft., more or less.*

# EXHIBIT B

## PROPOSED SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN Full Size PDF Documents Submitted to City Staff



TOTAL BUILDABLE AREA-	13,701 SQ FT	
PRIVATE OPEN AREA (EXCLUDING BALCONIES)- REMAINING PRIVATE OPEN AREA TO BE SATISFIED BY THE 2ND FLOOR BALCONIES (THERE IS 862 SQ FT OF BALCONIES ON BUILDING)-	1,996 SQ FT	14.57 %
	862 SQ FT	6.43 %
TOTAL PRIVATE OPEN AREA (INCLUDES THREE BALCONIES)-	2,858 SQ FT	20.84 %
TOTAL LOT SIZE-	13,995 SQ FT	
MAIN BUILDING (INCLUDING STOOPS AND SHARED DECK)-	5,331 SQ FT	38.09 %
CONCRETE PARKING-	5,809 SQ FT	46.37 %
CONCRETE WALKWAYS/RAMP-	262 SQ FT	1.87 %
AC PADS-	80 SQ FT	0.57 %
TOTAL LOT COVERAGE-	11,482 SQ FT	82.04 %

221 EAST BOYD  
CLEVELAND COUNTY, NORMAN, OKLAHOMA

23 PARKING SPOTS

- CONCRETE
- PRIVATE OPEN AREA
- SOD



**1 SITE PLAN**  
SCALE: 1" = 20'



**EXHIBIT C**  
**ALLOWABLE USES**

Allowable Uses:

**Ground Story:**

The Ground Story may house commerce, professional services or residential uses.

**Upper Stories:**

The Upper Stories may only house Residential or Commerce uses. No restaurant or retail sales uses shall be allowed in Upper Stories unless they are second story extensions equal to or less than the area of the Ground Story use. No commerce use, except for permitted rooftop restaurants, is permitted above a residential use. Additional habitable space is permitted within the roof where the roof is configured as an attic story.

**Residential Dwelling Units:**

The Property may contain five (5) units with a maximum of four (4) bedrooms per unit, totaling twenty (20) bedrooms on the Property.

**Use Table**

*The use table included below, as may be amended from time to time, identifies the uses allowed within this CCPUD. References to Additional Regulations refer to provisions of the CCFBC (as such may be amended from time to time) and shall be applied to the Property if such use is requested on the Property, except that no additional regulations will be applied to any Residential Uses on the Property.*

USE CATEGORY		Urban General		Additional Regulations
		Ground Story	Upper Story	
<b>RESIDENTIAL</b>	Household Living	✓	✓	Sec. 704.B.1-2; 704. J, K.
	Group Living		✓	
<b>COMMERCE</b>	Office	✓	✓	Sec. 704.D.1-2
	Overnight Lodging	✓	✓	Sec. 704.E.1-3
	Recreation/Entertainment	✓	✓	Sec. 704.F.1-5
	Vehicle Sales	✓	✓	Sec. 704.F.6
	Passenger Terminal	✓		
	Child Care Center	✓	✓	See Part 9. Definitions
	Family Day Care Home	✓	✓	See Part 9. Definitions
	Retail Sales & Service	✓	✓	Sec. 704.F.2, 6, 7
	Restaurant/Bar/Lounge/Tavern	✓	✓	Sec. 704.F.1-5
	Art Studio/Artisinal Manufacturing	✓	✓	Sec. 704.F.7
	Research & Development	✓	✓	
	Self-service storage		✓	
	Auto Repair	✓		Sec. 704.G.
<b>CIVIC</b>	See Part 9. Definitions		✓	Sec. 704.C.

Key: ✓= Permitted    Blank Cell = Not Permitted

