

COUNCIL ITEM AGENDA REQUEST FORM

Department: Community Development

Meeting Date: 11/16/2023 **Staff Contact:** Phillip Trocquet

Agenda Section: New Business

Staff Report:

Item Description:

Background/History:

The Town's ordinances per Sec. 109-84 require that any non-residential development within the SR-74 overlay obtain a Certificate of Appropriateness based on "how the proposed development relates to the surrounding environment to ensure visual continuity and how the development will of approved, be in compliance with the SR-74 Quality Growth District special requirements."

The applicant, Mr. Steven Gulas, has submitted conceptual information on a proposed 90-room hotel for the property with a conceptual site plan and example images of other hotels for architectural reference.

Findings/Current Activity:

The property lies within the Commercial Corridor character area which encourages commercial development consistent with the Town's C-1, C-2, CMU, and O-I zoning classifications to maintain a high standard of architecture, landscaping, and sign controls that also accommodate pedestrian and traffic circulation throughout the developments.

Staff Determination:

Staff has noted the following items regarding the submission based on ordinance standards at the time of submission for this application.

- The conceptual landscaping areas do not detail how they are to be in conformity with the standards of the SR-74 Quality Growth Overlay District.
- No submission of architectural renderings signed by an architect or other appropriate professional have been submitted that clearly indicate the following:
 - o Exterior elevations drawn to scale with color rendering
 - o Proposed Colors, materials, and textures for structures.
 - o Location of all exterior utility facilities including any rooftop units.
 - o Proposed signs and locations including size, color and material.

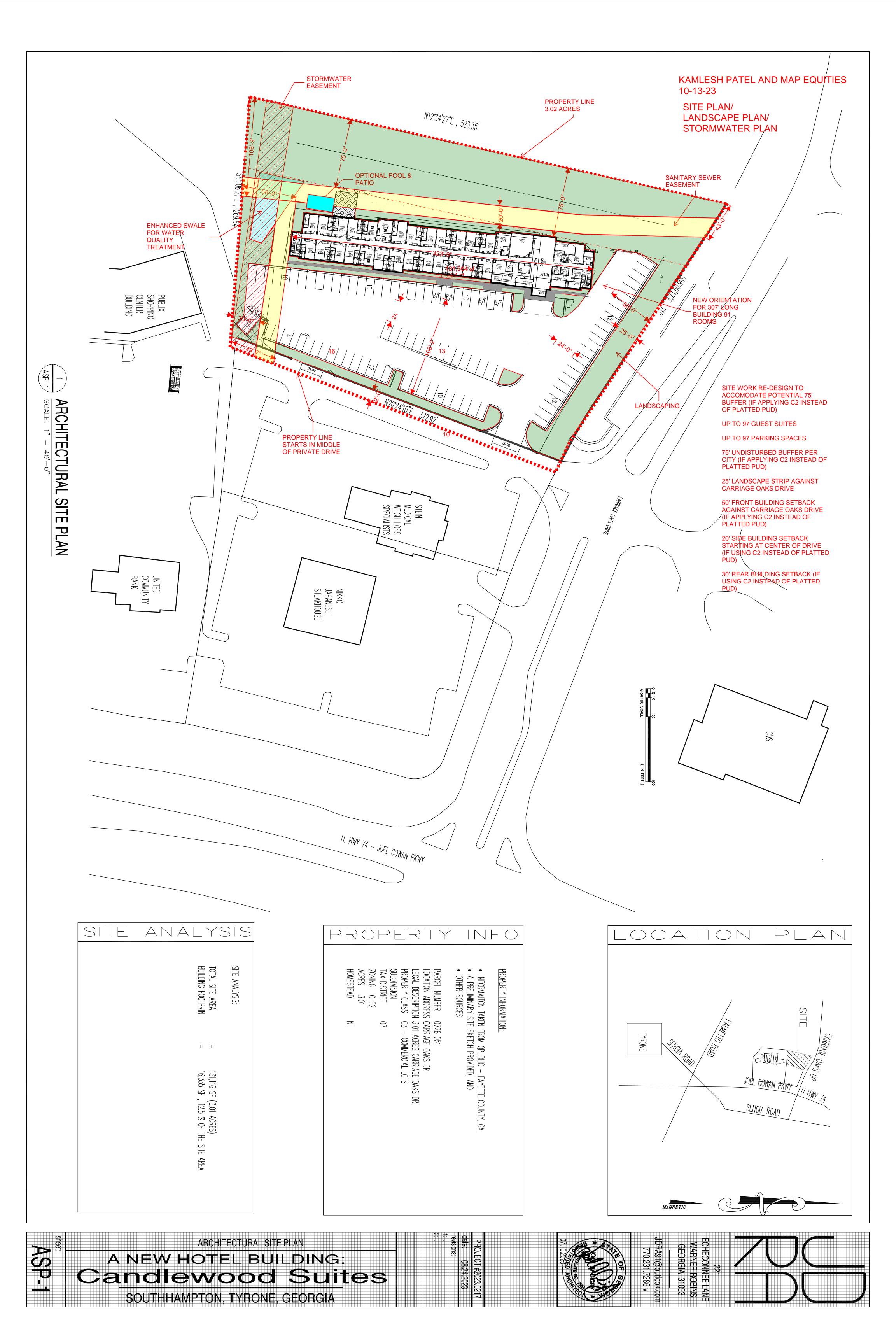
Given that no rendering has been submitted for this proposed project, staff does not recommend approval of this Certificate of Appropriateness Application.

Southhampton Candlewood Suites

Example of mostly brick/stone three story hotel (Best Western Gettysburg)



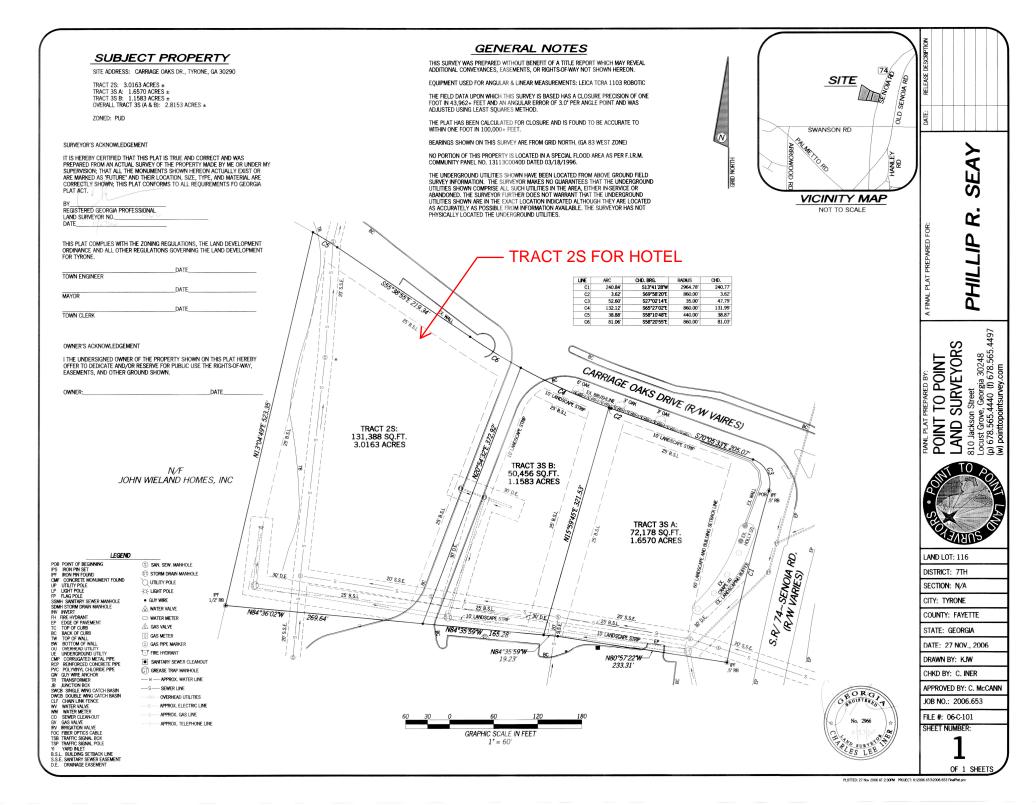




Letter of Intent Hwy 74 Overlay

Hotel

The site shall maintain a physically and aesthetically pleasing gateway into the Town of Tyrone, while keeping it in line with the surrounding environment to ensure visual continuity. The general design, the character and appropriateness of design, scale of buildings, arrangement, texture, materials, and colors of structures in question and the relationship of such elements to similar features of structures in the surrounding area are all appropriate with Publix large building as a neighbor in the commercial complex. Our structure is within 800 feet of the State Route 74 right-of-way line or that is part of a common development within 800 feet of the State 74 right-of-way line shall. The exterior shall meet 70% Class A materials (stone, brick and glass).



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Aug. 28, 2023

To: Mr. Steve Gulas

Re: IGH Candlewood extended stay hotel site Town of Tyrone, Fayette County, Ga.

Mr. Gulas,

As requested, I have analyzed the Hydrological Study for the South Hampton Subdivision (dated July 17, 1998) for the purposes of determining if the site chosen for the potential Candlewood extended stay hotel does indeed meet the requirements for storm water detention as per the mentioned study. The site in question fall within the study basin B which has an overall drainage area considered of 78 acres. For the developed conditions of this basin, 15.4% is considered as residential with a developed runoff curve number of 72, 43.6% is considered as commercial development with a developed curve number of 92, and 41.0% is considered as offsite areas with a runoff curve number of 61. The proposed Candlewood site falls within the commercial areas having a developed runoff curve number of 92. What constitutes a developed runoff curve number of 92 is that 85% of the site is considered as impervious areas and the remaining 15% is considered as landscaped/open space. The proposed Candlewood site - as depicted in your layoutfalls well below the 85% impervious areas, therefore this site can be considered as still being fully detained for in the adjacent detention basin (pond 2 as per the study).

If you have questions concerning this matter please feel free to give me a call.

Sincerely,

David G. Hovey, P.E. Hovey & Associates, Inc.