

July 16, 2020

Mr. C.J. Peters, Chair Campbell County & Municipal Planning & Zoning Commission 1098 Monmouth Street, Suite 343 Newport, KY 41071

NOTE: This is a Special Meeting / Public Hearing

Comments regarding this case will be taken by email, phone and in-person. Interested persons may submit their comments in advance by emailing pzadmin@campbellcountyky.gov or calling 859-292-3880 no later than noon (EST) on July 27, 2020. For record keeping purposes, comments should also include the name and address of the person(s) commenting.

The meeting format will include social distancing measures. Attendees are encouraged to wear masks.

The Campbell County staff respectfully submits this report for review prior to the public hearing scheduled before the Campbell County and Municipal Planning and Zoning Commission. The public hearing will be held on Tuesday July 28, 2020 at 6:30PM at the Campbell County Fiscal Court located at 1098 Monmouth St. Newport, KY 41071for the purpose of hearing testimony regarding this application.

FILE 230-20-ZMA-01

NUMBER:

APPLICANT: Thomas Munninghoff for Sun

Valley Real Estate LLC

ENGINEER: Joe Kramer for Cardinal

Engineering

LOCATION: Parkside III Subdivision, Woeste

Road, Unincorporated Campbell

County

A similar case was heard regarding a RCD overlay within the Parkside III zone change in November 2019. During the review process by the Fiscal Court, significant public comment was received and the case was voluntarily pulled by the applicant. The previous case has been closed. This is a new case.

Legal Notices were:

- Mailed to the addresses within the Reserves of Parkside;
- Notice was forwarded to Mr. Matt Snowball as a representative of the Home Owners Association for the Reserves of Parkside;
- Notice was placed on the site;

 Notice was requested to be placed on the closed Facebook groups for the Reserves of Parkside and Parkside residents.





LEGAL NOTICE

The Campbell County & Municipal Planning & Zoning Commission will hold a special public hearing on Tuesday July 28th at 6:30 P.M. at the Campbell County Fiscal Court located at 1098 Monmouth St. Newport, KY 41071 for the purpose of hearing testimony for the following cases:

FILE NUMBER: 230-20-ZMA-01 APPLICANT: Sun Valley Real Estate

LOCATION: Woeste Rd, Unincorporated Campbell County, Kentucky

REQUEST: A proposed zone change from R-1C to R-1C (RCD)

Information concerning these cases is available for review at the Campbell County & Municipal Planning & Zoning Office, 1098 Monmouth Street, Suite 343, Newport, KY. Monday-Friday during normal business hours. In addition, a staff report for the case is available on the county website https://campbellcountyky.gov/meetings/

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Cynthia Minter /s/ Date: July 10, 2020

Cynthia Minter Published: July 16 2020 and July 23 2020

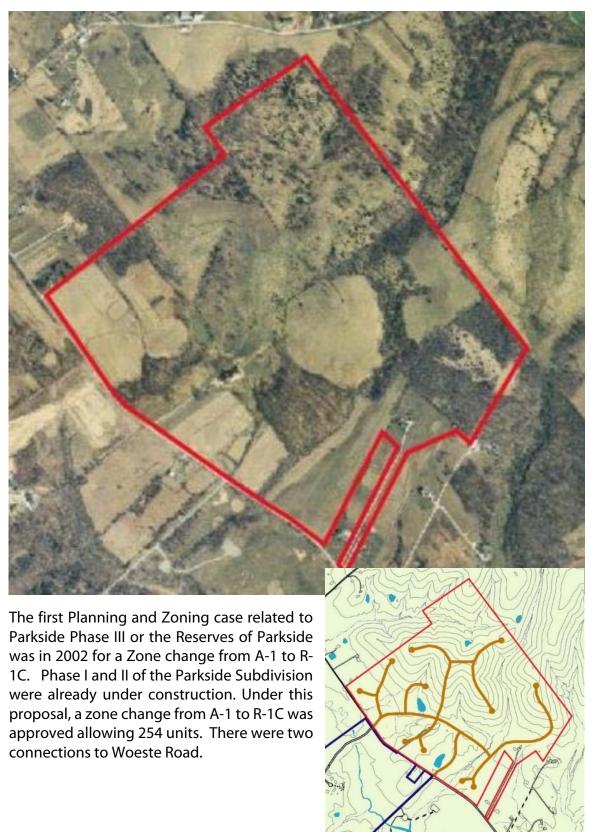
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OVERVIEW OF REQUEST:

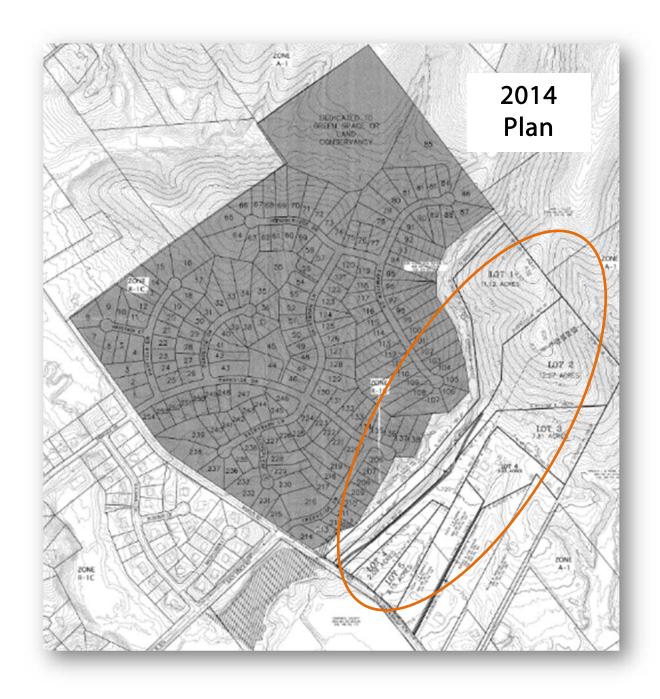
Sun Valley Realty LLC is requesting a Residential Cluster Development Overlay Zone (RCD) to be overlaid on the existing Residential-1C (R-1C) zone for the Parkside III Development in Campbell County, on the northeast side of Woeste Road.

The R-1C zone allows for single-family detached homes. The RCD overlay would allow for both single-family attached and single-family detached homes.

PLANNING & ZONING CASES RELATED TO PARKSIDE PHASE III SUBDIVISION:







In 2014, a Planning & Zoning case was approved which removed 39 acres from the subdivision and converted those 39 acres into large lot units. Those large lots were subsequently sold.

The remaining subdivision was redesigned and the overall number of units was reduced the number of units to 187 units.

In 2018, construction on the subdivision was re-energized with the completion of Pondwoods Drive.

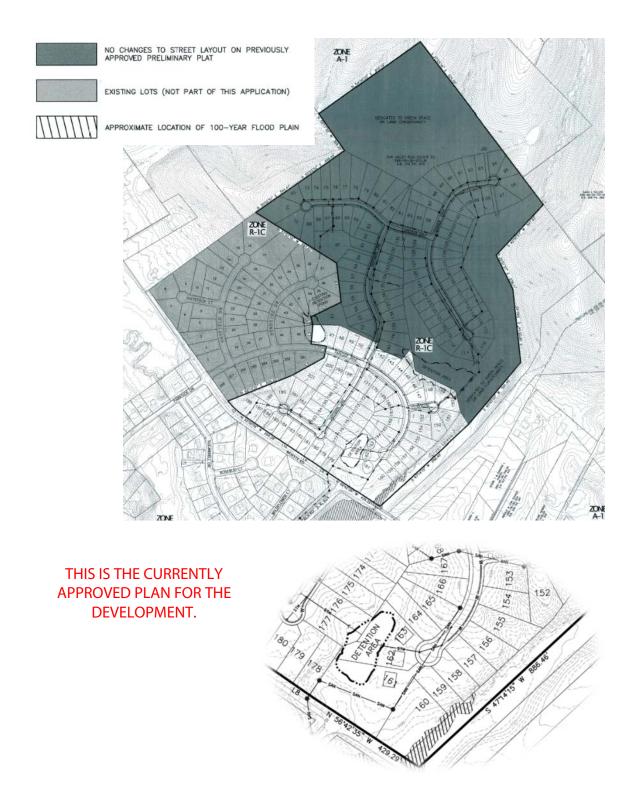
Significant drainage issues emerged during that same timeframe. The complexity of the soil conditions was noted and more detailed field analyses were conducted. The County also expressed drainage concerns, which were affecting street longevity of the public streets.



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As a result, in May 2019, a revised plan was submitted to the Planning Commission, which addressed the drainage issues and created detention areas. It was noted that 54 residential lots have been platted and would not change.

The connection to from Woeste Road at Race Track Road was removed as this was a major drainage area with soils that were not suitable for pavement. The remaining subdivision was redesigned to accommodate a total of 209 units in the *Reserves of Parkside*.



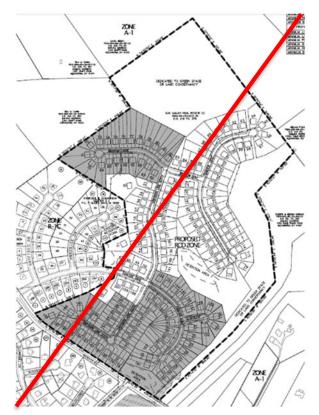
In November 2019, the developer proposed a Residential Cluster Development.

The Planning Commission adopted the proposed change and forwarded to the Fiscal Court for action. Significant public comment was received by the Fiscal Court.

The case was subsequently pulled by the Applicant/Developer before the final reading by the Fiscal Court.

The Fiscal Court did not accept the proposed zone change request by the Applicant/ Developer.

In 2020, Mr. Thomas Munninghoff for Sun Valley Real Estate LLC with Joe Kramer for Cardinal Engineering submitted a revised request for a Residential Cluster Development with the *Reserves of Parkside*.

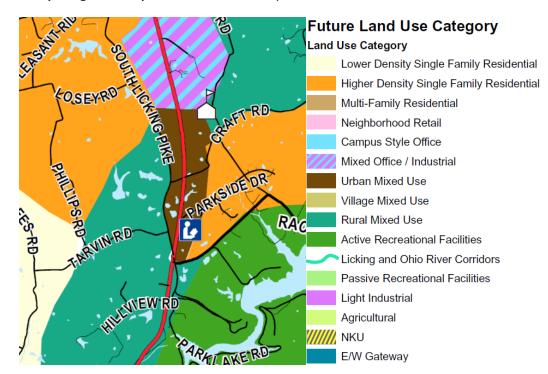


PLANNING AND ZONING BACKGROUND:

As defined in the Campbell County Zoning Ordinance, SECTION 10.14 RCD - RESIDENTIAL CLUSTER DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY ZONE, the purpose of the Residential Cluster Development (RCD) Overlay Zone is to provide a means whereby clusters of <u>attached and detached</u> single-family residential units may be constructed in the R-1 Single- Family Residential Zones, and therein, through a development plan, permit a wide flexibility in the design, location, siting of buildings, in order to provide for, to the greatest extent possible, the preservation of hillside areas, and other natural geographic and topographic features, and to provide for more usable and suitable located recreation facilities and open space than would otherwise be provided under conventional R-1 Single-Family Residential land development procedures.

In 2015, Campbell County adopted a Vision Statement stating "Campbell County offers a variety of housing options for people in all life phases spanning a wide income level." Residential goals included:

- Encourage a variety of densities and housing types that will provide options for a range of household sizes, age groups, and income levels to promote a highquality environment.
- Facilitate neighborhood-scale and mixed-use developments that promote a sense of community and provide housing, employment, recreation, community gathering, educational, and service options.



The Future land Use Map within the Comprehensive Plan identifies this area as Higher Density Single-Family Residential Development.

The Comprehensive Plan further stated:

"Higher Density Single Family Residential – Smaller lot, one or two family detached residential dwellings, on lots smaller than one acre, where sanitary sewer is readily available. Higher density single family residential developments typically occur in a subdivision type setting (e.g. detached single family dwelling on ¼ acre, patio homes, duplex, etc.)."



Relevant section of the Goals and Objectives as updated in 2015 are outlined as follows:

Goal: Land Use

- Cultivate future development and redevelopment, which reinforces the County's high quality natural and livable environment through its buildings, site development, traffic patterns, signage, and landscaping.
- Effectively manage potential conflicts from proposed development through functional and attractive transitions between land uses.

 Evaluate and implement strategies to balance development and mitigate risk to public infrastructure, private property and environmental degradation within unstable soils and special flood hazard zones.

Goal: Residential Development

- Encourage a variety of densities and housing types that will provide options for a range of household sizes, age groups, and income levels to promote a highquality environment.
- Utilize performance standards for housing development that incorporate the effects on water and sanitary sewer needs, traffic congestion, and open space preservation.

Goal: Environmental Stewardship

• Include and maintain appropriate and economically feasible, levels of open space, landscaping, trees, and other natural features in conjunction with all development or redevelopment.



THE RESERVES OF PARKSIDE:

The Reserves of Parkside is Phase III of the Parkside Development. Fischer Homes advertises an "offering its Designer Collection of homes in this Campbell County community with large, wooded and cul-de-sac homesites available. Natural beauty, woods and parkland surrounding The Reserve of Parkside provide a tranquil setting. A.J. Jolly Park is located next door offering an abundance of outdoor activities including an 18-hole golf course, lake for fishing,

boating and kayaking, hiking, camping and much more. Shopping and dining options are a short drive away on US 27. The Reserve of Parkside is located in Campbell County School District – Grant's Lick Elementary, Campbell County Middle, and Campbell County High School."

Based upon a review of the Property Value Administrator (PVA) records for 169 homes within the Parkside subdivision, the average home value is \$236K with a Median value of \$230K.

	S	ingle-Famil	y Detached	Homes *			
Style	Starting Price	Assessed Value	Bedrooms	Baths	Square f	00	tage
Blair	\$313,990	;`	4-5	2-5	3,029	-	3,735
Grandin	\$310,990	O,	4-5	2-5	2,711	-	3,831
Avery	\$294,990	-\$154,000 to \$485,000; verage \$236,521; Median \$230,000	4-4	2-4	2,535		
Foster	\$293,990	to \$48! 36,521; 30,000	4-6	2-4	2,954	-	3,980
Charles	\$287,990	\$23	3-6	2.5-4.5	2,457		
Wyatt	\$281,990	e -\$154,00 Average : Median	4-5	2.5-4.5	2,731	-	2,731
Keaton	\$276,990	-\$15 vera Aed	3-4	2.5-3.5	2,069	-	2,108
Miles	\$268,990	Range - Av	3-4	2.5-3.5	2,437		
Calvin	\$268,990	an	3-4	2-3	2,069		
Springfield	\$257,990	Œ	2-3	2-3	1,805		
* PVA Sumn	nary Assessi	ment of 169	homes in Pa	arkside			

Hayfield Drive and Haystack Court were constructed in 2005. Parkside Drive had an extension in 2006.

Similar to many neighborhoods, the completion of the Reserves of Parkside subdivision struggled following the 2008 economic downturn. In 2018, the subdivision added Pondwoods Drive; this was the first new road in over twelve years. From 2018 Through July 2020, two (2) new homes were constructed on Hayfield Drive, 13 homes on Pondwoods Drive and one (1) new home on Parkside Drive for a total of 15 new homes within the reserves of Parkside initiating in 2018.

REQUEST FOR RESIDENTIAL CLUSTER DEVELOPMENT:

The Northern Kentucky housing market has a growing demand for sustainable homes with flexibility in style, maintenance and price. One style that is gaining in popularity and demand is the attached single-family home often referred to as the "paired-patio home". These homes are commonly on smaller lots with a zero lot-line between the two homes, effectively creating an attached single-family home.

In February 2020, a new case was submitted requesting a Residential Cluster Development (RCD) over the existing R-1C zone within the Parkside Phase III – Reserves of Parkside. This overlay excludes the areas were streets which have been constructed. The area under review consists of approximately ninety-six (96) acres in Unincorporated Campbell County.



Parkside Subdivision Zone Change Narrative (Provided by Applicant)

"Sun Valley Real Estate is requesting a Residential Cluster Development Overlay Zone (RCD) to be overlaid on the existing Residential-1C (R-1C) zone for the Parkside III Development in Campbell County, on the northeast side of Woeste Road.

The current Campbell County comprehensive plan was adopted in 2008. In 2015, Campbell County updated the goals and objectives.

The purpose of this request is not to increase the permitted density under the R-1C zoning designation, but to allow for <u>attached</u> single family housing. The current R-1C zone permits only single-family <u>detached</u> housing.

As stated in the Campbell County Zoning Ordinance, the purpose of the Residential Cluster Development (RCD) Overlay Zone is to provide a means whereby clusters of attached and detached single-family residential units may be constructed in the R-1 Single-Family Residential Zones, and therein, through a development plan, permit a wide flexibility in the design, location, siting of buildings, in order to provide for, to the greatest extent possible, the preservation of hillside areas, and other natural geographic and topographic features.

The submitted development plan shows a street network that follows the high ridges of the development property and preserves the valleys and open space below. As a result, nearly 33 acres of open space is shown (34%).

The single family attached product offered by Fischer homes is called a Paired Patio home and is a newer product that was not offered in 2008 when the current land use map was adopted nor when the current goals and objectives were adopted in 2015. This product will widen the variety of housing in this part of Campbell County fulfilling a key goal and objective adopted in 2015. This product is not being offered anywhere in Campbell County at this time.

This product is typically being purchased by empty nesters and single parents. These buyers want this type of ranch style product with a maintenance free exterior. There will be a HOA set up (separate from the master HOA) to take care of the owner's lawncare, landscape maintenance and snow removal. The lots are deeded in fee simple to the owners so that they have ownership of their unit, front, side and rear yards.

The current zoning classification (R-1C) permits a density of up to 3.48 dwelling units per acre while the land use map and the comprehensive plan call for higher density single family residential of 4.1 to 7.0 dwelling units per acre. This development will not exceed the density of 3.48 dwelling units per acre of the underlying R-1C zone.

We feel that the original zoning is not appropriate since it is not offering the higher density and variety of housing called for the in Campbell County Comprehensive plan. While the higher densities may not be able to be achieved due to the challenging topography, by offering another housing product, we

can help further fulfill the 2015 adopted goals and objectives. In addition, given the time that has passed since the 2008 land use map and the 2015 adoption of the goals and objectives, there have been major changes of economic and social nature. The Parkside Subdivision has not fully recovered from the 2008 economic down turn as evidence by the fact that the first new section of street was constructed just last year. And while this is a step in the right direction, the first year produced only 12 lot sales. Fischer Homes has picked up on the social changes in the Northern Kentucky Area and has realized that more product variety and price points must be offered in order to sustain a community. This is what led them to designing the paired patio product.

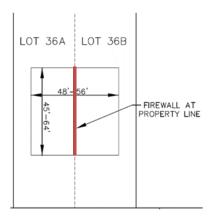
Based on the above information and the attached plan, Sun Valley requests that the current R-1C zone be overlaid with a Residential Cluster Development designation.

Sun Valley made a previous application for this project in 2019. The Campbell County Planning Commission recommended approval of that application. The application was withdrawn at the Fiscal Court meeting in December, 2019.

This new application is for a revised development plan which has an added a street connection (intersection) on Woeste Road with the proposed Dairybarn Lane. This element of the development plan creates an effective second access point into the development from the existing street network, dividing the traffic into the development into two optional routes for the residents."

As described in the applicant's narrative, the developer for the *Reserves of Parkside* has collaborated with Fischer Homes to provide multiple home styles that align with this demand and continue to provide the same quality of home in the neighborhood. In addition to the existing portfolio of new single-family <u>detached</u> homes, the developer would like to add single-family <u>attached</u> homes or patio homes. Fischer Homes has provided two examples of the attached housing style which are appended to this report.

Each "Patio" home is a single-family residence. Each homeowner owns the lot on which the home sits. The attached homes home will share a wall. The shared common wall and the fact that there would be no windows on this common wall, keeps the price lower than that of a detached single-family home of similar dimensions and finish. Exterior maintenance is completed through a homeowners association (HOA).



A comparative summary of the units as provided by Fisher Homes was gathered from the marketing materials.

The developer has indicated that these attached patio homes will be subject to a unique homeowners association (HOA) with covenants, conditions and restrictions regulating activities on the property. We encourage to the community to be actively engaged in

the development of this HOA but note that the HOA agreements are between private property owners and are not reviewed nor enforced by Planning & Zoning.

		Single-Fam	ily Attache	d Homes		
Style	Starting Price	Average Price	Bedrooms	Baths	Square foot	age
Wembley	\$180,000	\$230,000	2-3	1.5-2.5	2,195 -	2,874
Hudson	\$180,000	\$230,000	2-3	2.5	1,657 -	2,066
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The developer has emphasized that there overarching intention of this RCD overlay would be to:

- Take advantage of the natural topography in the area
- Incorporate adequate drainage
- Avoid poor soils which were discovered during previous home construction
- Provide single family homes at a quality home at desirable price point (\$180K low, \$230K avg)

The purpose of this request is to allow for <u>attached</u> single-family housing. The current R-1C zone permits only single-family <u>detached</u> housing. The current zoning classification (R-1C) permits lots sizes of a minimum of 12,500 feet or slightly over quarter-acre lots or 3.48 units per acre. The RCD overlay allows for the clustering single-family housing. This housing may include <u>attached</u> and/or <u>detached single-family</u>

housing. Minimum lot sizes and setbacks are revised to allow for this clustering.

The developer is proposing to convert approximately 96 acres to the RCD/R-1C Zone.

Area to	be rezoi	ned	
Right-of-way	7.2	acres	8%
Open Space	33.0	acres	34%
Residential lots	<u>56.0</u>	acres	58%
	96.2		

As indicated on the proposed plan, the lot sizes would be reduced to a minimum of

4,000 square feet. The minimum lot width would be reduced from 70 for 30 feet. Minimum front yard depths wild be reduced from 35 to 20 feet.

Side yard setbacks would be reduced from 7 feet (total 20 feet) to 0 feet (total 5 feet).

Rear	yard	depths	and

EXISTING ZONE, K-	TO (RESIDENTIAL ONE-C)
MINIMUM LOT AREA:	12,500 SQUARE FEET
MINIMUM LOT WIDTH AT SETBACK:	SEVENTY (70) FEET
MINIMUM FRONT YARD DEPTH:	THIRTY-FIVE (35) FEET
MINIMUM SIDE YARD WIDTH:	SEVEN (7) FEET, TWENTY (20) FEET TOTAL
MINIMUM REAR YARD DEPTH:	TWENTY-FIVE (25) FEET
MAXIMUM BUILDING HEIGHT:	THIRTY-FIVE (35) FEET
PROPOSED ZONE: RCD (RES	IDENTIAL CLUSTER DEVELOPMENT)
MINIMUM LOT AREA:	4,000 SQUARE FEET
MINIMUM LOT WIDTH AT SETBACK:	THIRTY (30) FEET
MINIMUM FRONT YARD DEPTH:	TWENTY (20) FEET
MINIMUM SIDE YARD WIDTH:	ZERO (0) FEET, FIVE (5) FEET TOTAL
MINIMUM REAR YARD DEPTH:	TWENTY-FIVE (25) FEET
MAXIMUM BUILDING HEIGHT:	THIRTY-FIVE (35) FEET

EXISTING ZONE: R-10 (RESIDENTIAL ONE-0)

building heights would remain unchanged.

In 2002, the *Reserves of Parkside* planned for 254 units with two entrance points off of Woeste Road. In 2014, the acreage was reduced and the number of units reduced to 187 units. The site retained with two entrance points off Woeste Road.

In 2019, the site was redesigned to 209 units (including the existing 54 units). One connection to Racetrack - Road was removed.

The current proposal is for 286 units (including the 54 existing units) with two entrance points off of Woeste Road.

	Number of Homes	Entrances to Reserves of Parkside
2002	254	2
2014	187	2
2019	209	1
2020	286 proposed	2 proposed

Plan Review:

- 1. Plans were submitted in electronic form to enable detailed review.
- 2. Plans were submitted with two-foot topography intervals.
- 3. Approximately 56 acres are identified as residential lots. Per General Note 2, the proposed uses are attached and detached single-family lots. Lots are depicted and vary by shape and size. Minimum lots sizes are indicated. Individual lot dimensions are required as part of Stage II plan set.
- 4. Per General Note 22, the maximum density in the R-1C zone (3.48 dwelling units per acre) will not be exceeded. However, the density is increased as compared to the plan approved in 2019.

	Density per Acre
Permitted within R-1C Zone	3.48 units
Approved in 2019	1.61 units
2020 Proposed with RCD overlay	2.41 units

General Note 21 indicates that the paired patio home lots may also be developed as detached single family homes which would reduce the proposed density.

5. There are no non-residential structures included in this plan.

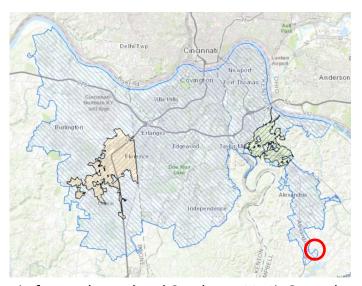
Approximately 33 acres are dedicated as open space areas. General note 15 indicates that open space parcels are to be maintained by the HOA or transferred to the Campbell County Conservancy.

The plan does indicate access points to these areas on the north and south ends of Farmview Drive. These access points are consistent with the approved 2019 plan.

While the Campbell County Conservancy does maintain a parcel in Parkside. No reference is made or inferred regarding their willingness of the Conservancy to accept additional acreage for management. The Conservancy has recently approached the County to divest of this land.

- 6. There are no designated landscaping features. Landscaping features would be submitted with each lot development.
- 7. The location of signs would be required as part of Stage II plan set. Signage should include access to the open space / recreational areas.
- 8. The site is within the Regional Urban Service Boundary. Sanitary sewer capacity is available at the site. SD1 has confirmed the available (reference capacity letter dated October 4, 2019). General Note 3 indicates that all sanitary sewer will be public 8" and will be owned by the Sanitation District #1.

Domestic water supply is available at the site. Northern Kentucky Water District has



confirmed the available capacity (reference letter dated October 4, 2019). General Note 4 indicates that the proposed public water mains will be 6" and 8" mains extended from the existing Parkside Drive.

Gas and electric are serviced by Duke Energy. Telephone service is by Cincinnati Bell.

All proposed utilities are to be underground. Details and specific locations will be determined including utility easements will be defined as part of Stage II plan set. Detailed plans are subject to review and approval by the applicable utility agency.

- On-street parking will be limited to one side of the street consistent with the previous approvals of the subdivision. Off-street parking is permitted within each residential driveway.
- 10. Streets and pedestrian ways are indicated. Per General Note 12, Parkside Drive west of Dairybarn Lane is to be 28' wide, Parkside Drive east of Dairybarn Lane and all other drive will be 25' wide. This is consistent with the subdivision regulations for street design.

No sidewalk is noted along Woeste Road from Dairy Barn to Parkside. A sidewalk at this location is desirable to promote safe pedestrian travel through the Parkside Subdivision to the trailhead at AJ Jolly Park.

- 11. Stormwater and detention areas area indicated. Per General Note 10, Erosion and Sediment Controls will be in accordance with the requirements of Sanitation District #1. General Note 15 indicates that onsite detention basin be maintained by the HOA.
- 12. Per General Note 20, Construction is expected to occur over the next 10 to 12 years. A phasing plan will be requested with Stage II plans.

FINDINGS NECESSARY FOR MAP AMENDMENT:

As indicated in Article XVII, Section 17.0 E of the Campbell County Zoning Ordinance, Before any map amendment is granted, the Planning and Zoning Commission, or legislative body, must find that the amendment is in agreement with the adopted comprehensive plan by the Planning and Zoning Commission for the County or in the absence of such a finding, that one or more of the following apply, including the making of a written report, setting forth explicitly, the reasons and substantiation as to how each would apply, and such finding and report shall be recorded in the minutes and records of the Planning and Zoning Commission or legislative body.

- A. That the original zoning classification given to the property was inappropriate or improper; and
- B. That there have been major changes of an economic, physical, or social nature within the area involved which were not anticipated in the comprehensive plan and which have substantially altered the basic character of such area.

Staff Recommendations:

Staff finds that the proposed lot dimensions are consistent with the purpose of the Residential Cluster Development (RCD) Overlay Zone by providing a means to cluster residential units with a flexible design that preserves hillsides, natural geographic and topographic features.

However, there are several features to note.

- The greenspace identified within the approved 2019 and proposed 2020 plan has *not* been increased, implying that no additional preservation of the hillsides, natural geographic and topographic features is provided.
- In the area proposed for single-family detached units within the RCD zone, the lot sizes and setbacks are reduced as compared to the previously approved reserves of Parkside.
- A minimum of a five foot side-yard setback from the lot line will be required for detached units for building code purposes. This is not indicated on the plan.
- The HOA would be responsible for the maintenance of the Open Space, Green Space and/or Land Conservancy.

The applicant has stated:

"The single family attached product offered by Fischer homes is called a Paired Patio home and is a newer product that was not offered in 2008 when the current land use map was adopted nor when the current goals and objectives were adopted in 2015. This product will widen the variety of housing in this part of Campbell County fulfilling a key goal and objective adopted in 2015. This product is not being offered anywhere in Campbell County at this time."

"We feel that the original zoning is not appropriate since it is not offering the higher density and variety of housing called for the in Campbell County Comprehensive plan."

Staff concurs with the need for a wider variety of housing types but finds that the applicant has not provided sufficient detail as to determine if this product aligns with the specific established area.

The smaller lot sizes and dimensional characteristics will increase the density within an established community which advertises as "offering its Designer Collection of homes in this Campbell County community with large, wooded and cul-de-sac homesites Natural beauty, woods and parkland surrounding The Reserve of Parkside provide a tranquil setting."

The proposed lot sizes will no longer be classified as large, wooded homesites.

Therefore, staff recommends that the Campbell County Planning and Zoning Commission take the following actions:

Deny the request for a Zone Map Amendment from R-1C to R-1C/RCD and forward this recommendation to the Campbell County Fiscal Court for consideration. The recommendation should state that the Planning Commission has:

- Not found the original zoning classification given to the property was inappropriate or improper; and
- Not found that there have been major changes of an economic, physical, or social nature within the area involved which were not anticipated in the comprehensive plan and which have substantially altered the basic character of such area.
- Found that the proposed plan does not provide for additional preservation of hillside areas, and other natural geographic and topographic features, which is the purpose of the RCD Zone, than what was previously approved for the subdivision.

Staff further notes that if the Planning Commission should see to approve the proposal that the following conditions should addressed, namely:

- A limit on the total number of housing units.
- Ratio of open space per unit should not be decreased over previously approved levels.
- Dimensional criteria for single-family attached and detached units be listed separately.
- Single-family detached units should align with those previously approved.
- Lots that share a common driveway be noted.
- Maintenance of the open space be clearly identified. Trail head access points to the open space be identified and signed.
- That a construction entrance be established, exclusive of the intersection of Parkside and Woeste Road.
- Timing for the construction of the as secondary access road be triggered based upon the number of units sold.
- Sidewalks between Dairybarn Lane and Parkside Drive along Woeste Road be added.

Supporting Information/Bases for Staff Recommendation:

- 1. Per Kentucky Revised Statutes, the Campbell County has the authority to enact zoning regulations within its jurisdiction. This authority includes the provision to amend its zoning map.
- 2. Pursuant to the Campbell County & Municipal Zoning Ordinance Article XVII Amendment Procedure, the Planning and Zoning Commission has the authority to take action on amendments to the zoning map for adoption by the legislative body.
- 3. Proper notice has been given in accordance with Article XVII Amendment Procedure of the Zoning Ordinance.
- 4. Findings indicate that the existing zoning R-1C classification is appropriate and consistent with the recommendations of the 2008 Campbell County Comprehensive Plan Update, the Campbell County Subdivision Regulations and Zoning Ordinance.

Report prepared by: Cunthui Mi

Cynthia Minter, AICP CFM
Director of Planning & Zoning