



City of Portland, Oregon

Bureau of Development Services

Land Use Services

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Date: May 23, 2014

To: Interested Person

From: Shawn Burgett, Land Use Services

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NOTICE OF A TYPE IX DECISION ON A PROPOSAL IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

The Bureau of Development Services has **approved** a proposal in your neighborhood. The reasons for the decision are included in the version located on the BDS website http://www.portlandonline.com/bds/index.cfm?c=46429. Click on the District Coalition then scroll to the relevant Neighborhood, and case number. If you disagree with the decision, you can appeal. Information on how to do so is included at the end of this decision.

CASE FILE NUMBER: LU 14-109205 LC

GENERAL INFORMATION

Applicant: Kevin Partain / Urban Visions

223 NE 56th Ave / Portland, OR 97213

Owner: Whitney Petersen / PeterFarr LLC

4772 N Lombard St / Portland, OR 97203

Site Address: 7311 N FISKE AVE

Legal Description: BLOCK 5 LOT 1-3 SELY 5' OF LOT 4, SMITHSON LAND COS ADD

Tax Account No.: R776601560 **State ID No.:** 1N1E08CC 15800

Quarter Section: 2225

Neighborhood: University Park, contact Tom Karwaki at

chair@universityparkneighbors.org

Business District: None

District Coalition: North Portland Neighborhood Services, contact Mary Jaron Kelley at

503-823-4099.

Zoning: R5 (Single Family Residential 5,000)

Case Type: LC (Lot Consolidation)

Procedure: Type Ix, an administrative decision with appeal to the Oregon Land

Use Board of Appeals (LUBA).

Proposal:

The applicant proposes to consolidate historic lots 2, 3 and a portion of Lot 4, Block 5 of The Smithson Land Company's Addition into one parcel. The lot consolidation is in preparation for a future property line adjustment with the abutting Lot 1 under the same ownership.

Relevant Approval Criteria:

In order to be approved, this proposal must comply with the approval criteria of Title 33. The relevant approval criteria are:

• Zoning Code Section 33.675.300, Lot Consolidation Standards.

ANALYSIS

Site and Vicinity: The existing single family home located on the site which was built in 1894 was recently demolished. The properties directly adjacent to the subject are all single family residential homes.

Zoning: The R5 designation is one of the City's single-dwelling zones which is intended to preserve land for housing and to promote housing opportunities for individual households. The zone implements the comprehensive plan policies and designations for single-dwelling housing

Land Use History: City records indicate that the applicant has applied for a property line adjustment under 14-147639 PR in association with Lot 4, Block 5 of The Smithson Land Company's Addition, at the corner of N Fiske Avenue and N Oberlin Street. The property line adjustment proposed cannot be approved until the lot consolidation is recorded.

Agency Review The service Bureaus have responded with no issues or concerns about the proposal (exhibits E):

Neighborhood Review: A Notice of Proposal in Your Neighborhood was mailed on **February 27, 2014**. One written response has been received from a notified property owners in response to the proposal.

Neighborhood Response: The neighbor (exhibit F-1) who resides on the lot located directly south of the subject site was concerned that several large trees growing on the subject site close to her property line would damage the foundation of her home. The letter also expressed concern about noise levels during construction of the new homes. In addition, the letter recommended that off street parking is provided with any new homes constructed on the subject site.

BDS Response: The property owner has applied for a building permit under 14-128736 RS to build a new single family home on the subject site. Although the building permit is still under review and could potentially be modified, the current site plan shows the new home proposed on the subject site approximately 6'4" from the adjacent property to the south, in the area where the existing trees on the subject site are located which the neighbor expressed concerns about in her letter. Thus, it appears these trees will be removed. In addition, the proposed new home includes onsite parking. Any new additional development will also be required to provide onsite parking. The City has noise standards in place regarding construction activity. Generally, the nosiest construction activity is limited to between Monday-Saturday between 7am and 6pm. More information on these standards can be found at the following line: http://www.portlandoregon.gov/oni/article/475617. However, these comments are not related to the applicable approval criteria listed below.

ZONING CODE APPROVAL CRITERIA

LOT CONSOLIDATIONS

33.675.010 Purpose

This chapter states the procedures and regulations for removing lot lines within a site to create one lot. The regulations ensure that lot consolidation does not circumvent other requirements of this Title, and that lots and sites continue to meet conditions of land use approvals. The lot consolidation process described in this chapter is different from (and does not replace) the process used by the county to consolidate lots under one tax account. A tax consolidation does not affect the underlying platted lots. A lot consolidation results in a new plat for the consolidation site.

33.675.050 When These Regulations Apply

A lot consolidation may be used to remove lot lines within a site. The applicant may also choose to remove such lot lines through a land division. A lot consolidation may be required by other provisions of this Title.

33.675.100 Review Procedure

- A. Generally. Lot consolidations are reviewed through Type Ix procedure.
- B. Sites in PUDs or PDs. If any portion of the site is within a Planned Unit Development (PUD) or Planned Development (PD), an amendment to the PUD or PD is also required. The amendment to the PUD or PD must be reviewed concurrently with the lot consolidation.

Findings: The site is not involved in any past or proposed Planned Unit Development or Planned Developments. The requested lot consolidation review is being reviewed under the Type Ix procedure.

Approval Standards for a Lot Consolidation 33.675.300 Standards

A lot consolidation must meet the following standards:

- A. Lots. Consolidated lots must meet the standards of Chapters 33.605 through 33.615, with the following exceptions:
 - 1. Lot dimension standards.
 - a. Minimum lot area. If the area of the entire lot consolidation site is less than that required of new lots, the lot consolidation site is exempt from minimum lot area requirements;
 - b. Maximum lot area. If any of the lots within the lot consolidation site are larger than the maximum lot area allowed, the lot consolidation site is exempt from maximum lot area requirements;
 - c. Minimum lot width. If the width of the entire lot consolidation site is less than that required of new lots, the lot consolidation site is exempt from minimum lot width requirements;
 - d. Minimum front lot line. If the front lot line of the entire lot consolidation site is less than that required of new lots, the lot consolidation site is exempt from minimum front lot line requirements;
 - e. Minimum lot depth. If the depth of the entire lot consolidation site is less than that required of new lots, the lot consolidation site is exempt from minimum lot depth requirements.

Findings: The proposed site is in the R5 zone. Approval standards 1.a through 1.e are related to the required lot dimensions and creation of a consolidated parcel that will either meet the lot dimension standards of the zone or meet the listed exceptions. The proposed consolidated lot meets the lot dimension standards of the R5 zone. The site meets the minimum lot area, lot width, minimum depth and front lot line requirements of the R5 zone.

	R5 Zone	Parcel 1
	Requirement	(after consolidation)
Minimum Lot Area	3,000 square feet	5,775 square feet
Maximum Lot Area	8,500 square feet	
Minimum Lot Width*	36 ft.	55 feet
Minimum Front Lot	30 ft.	55 feet
Line		
Minimum Lot Depth	None	105 feet

^{*} Width is measured by placing a rectangle along the minimum front building setback line specified for the zone. The rectangle must have a minimum depth of 40 feet, or extend to the rear of the property line, whichever is less.

As noted herein, the proposed consolidated lot meets the standards of 1.a through 1.e.

2. Maximum density. If the consolidation brings the lot consolidation site closer to conformance with maximum density requirements, the consolidation does not have to meet maximum density requirements;

Findings: The maximum density of the consolidated lot is (5,775/5,000) = 1 units. The site is developed with one single-family dwelling. Therefore the maximum density will not be exceeded by consolidating the historic lots that currently make up this site. This standard is met.

3. Lots without street frontage. If the lot consolidation consolidates lots that do not have street frontage with a lot that has street frontage, the consolidation does not have to meet minimum density and maximum lot area requirements;

Findings: All the lots within this lot consolidation site have street frontage, therefore this standard does not apply.

4. Through lots. If any of the existing lots within the lot consolidation site are through lots with at least one front lot line abutting an arterial street, then the consolidated lot may be a through lot;

Findings: None of lots in the lot consolidation site are through lots, therefore this standard does not apply.

5. Split zoning. If any of the existing lots within the lot consolidation site are in more than one base zone, then the consolidated lot may be in more than one base zone.

Findings: This site contains only one zoning designation; therefore the consolidated lot will not have split zoning. This standard does not apply.

B. Conditions of land use approvals. Conditions of land use approvals continue to apply, and must be met.

Findings: There are no previous land use case conditions for this site, therefore this standard does not apply.

DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

Unless specifically required in the approval criteria listed above, this proposal does not have to meet the development standards in order to be approved during this review process. The plans submitted for a building or zoning permit must demonstrate that all development standards of Title 33 can be met, or have received an Adjustment or Modification via a land use review prior to the approval of a building or zoning permit.

CONCLUSIONS

The applicant proposes to consolidate historic Lots 2, 3 and a portion of Lot 4 of Block 5, of The Smithson Land Company's Addition into one parcel. No City Bureaus raised objection to the proposal.

As discussed above, the requested lot consolidation has been reviewed and shown to be able to meet all the required standards for lot consolidations as laid out in Section 33.675.300.

ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION

Approval of a Lot Consolidation to create one parcel of historic Lots 2, 3 and a portion of Lot 4 of Block 5, of The Smithson Land Company's Addition, as illustrated by Exhibit C.1, signed and dated May 21, 2014

Staff Planner:	Shawn Burgett			
Decision rende	red by:	Kenduly	Tallant	on May 21, 2014
	By authority of the	Director of th	e Bureau of De	velopment Services

Decision mailed May 23, 2014.

About this Decision. This land use decision is not a permit for development. THE SIGNED FINAL PLAT MUST BE RECORDED WITH MULTNOMAH COUNTY DEED RECORDS WITHIN 90 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS DECISION (8/19/14), OR THIS DECISION WILL BECOME NULL AND VOID

Procedural Information. The application for this land use review was submitted on **January 23, 2014,** and was determined to be complete on **February 21, 2014.**

Zoning Code Section 33.700.080 states that Land Use Review applications are reviewed under the regulations in effect at the time the application was submitted, provided that the application is complete at the time of submittal, or complete within 180 days. Therefore this application was reviewed against the Zoning Code in effect on January 23, 2014.

ORS 227.178 states the City must issue a final decision on Land Use Review applications within 120-days of the application being deemed complete. The 120-day review period may be waived or extended at the request of the applicant. In this case, the applicant waived the 120-day review period, as stated with Exhibit A-2.

Some of the information contained in this report was provided by the applicant.

As required by Section 33.800.060 of the Portland Zoning Code, the burden of proof is on the applicant to show that the approval criteria are met. The Bureau of Development Services has independently reviewed the information submitted by the applicant and has included this information only where the Bureau of Development Services has determined the information satisfactorily demonstrates compliance with the applicable approval criteria. This report is the decision of the Bureau of Development Services with input from other City and public agencies.

This decision, and any conditions associated with it, is final. It may be appealed to the Oregon Land Use Board of Appeals (LUBA), within 21 days of the date the decision is mailed, as specified in the Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 197.830. Among other things, ORS 197.830 requires that a petitioner at LUBA must have submitted written testimony during the comment period for this land use review. Contact LUBA at 775 Summer St NE Suite 330, Salem, OR 97301-1283 or phone 1-503-373-1265 for further information.

The file and all evidence on this case are available for your review by appointment only. Please call the Request Line at our office, 1900 SW Fourth Avenue, Suite 5000, phone 503-823-7617, to schedule an appointment. I can provide some information over the phone. Copies of all information in the file can be obtained for a fee equal to the cost of services. Additional information about the City of Portland, city bureaus, and a digital copy of the Portland Zoning Code is available on the internet at www.portlandonline.com.

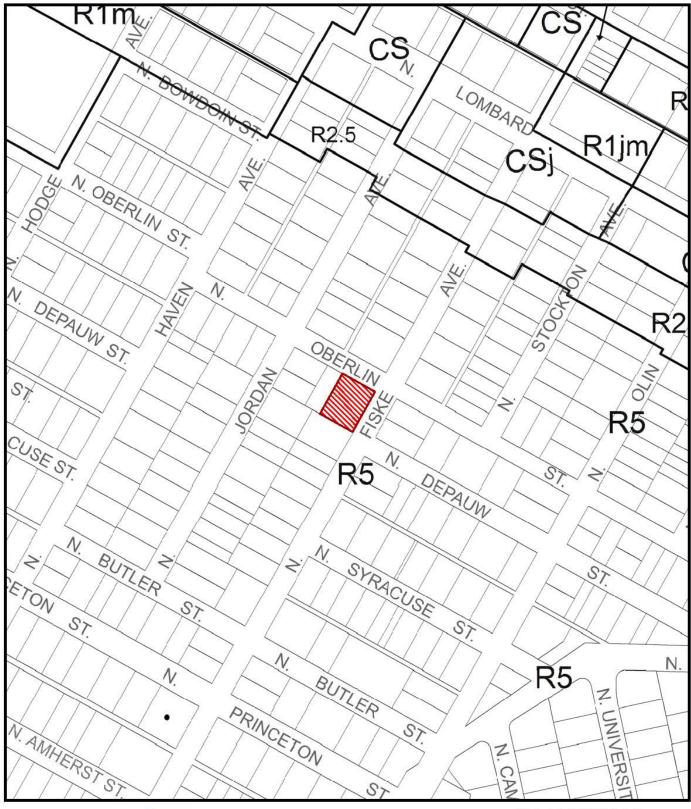
EXHIBITS

NOT ATTACHED UNLESS INDICATED

- A. Applicant's Statement
 - 1. Narrative
 - 2. 120 day waiver
 - 3. Legal description
 - 4. Deed history
- B. Zoning Map (attached)
- C. Plans/Drawings:
 - 1. Approved Plat (attached)
 - 2. Supplemental Plat
 - 3. Copy of existing recorded plat (prior to Lot Consolidation)
- D. Notification information:
 - 1. Mailing list
 - 2. Mailed notice
- E. Agency Responses:
 - 1. Bureau of Environmental Services
 - 2. Bureau of Transportation Engineering and Development Review
 - 3. Water Bureau
 - 4. Fire Bureau

- 5. Site Development Review Section of BDS
- 6. Bureau of Parks, Forestry Division
- 7. Life Safety
- 8. Auditors office
- F. Correspondence:
 - 1. Nancy Henley, 3/31/14. 7247 N Fiske Avenue Portland, OR 97203
- G. Other:
 - 1. Original LU Application
 - 2. Land Use History
 - 3. Memo from Planning staff to surveyor dated 4/8/14

The Bureau of Development Services is committed to providing equal access to information and hearings. Please notify us no less than five business days prior to the event if you need special accommodations. Call 503-823-7300 (TTY 503-823-6868).



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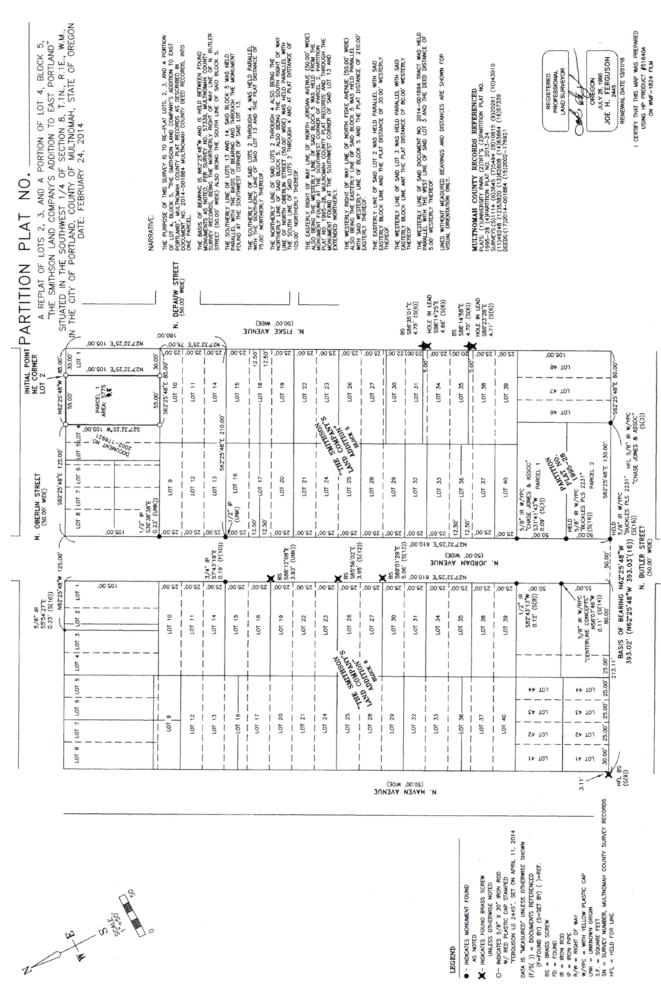


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Exhibit B (Jan 29,2014)





Ferguson Land Surveying, Inc. 646 SE 106TH AVE. PORTLAND, OR 97216 Phone (503) 408-0601 Fax (503) 408-0602

PARTITION PLAT
A REPLAT OF LOTS 2, 3, AND A PORTION OF LOT 4, BLOCK 5,
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THIS DECLARATION WAS ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME ON

BY WHITNEY PETERSEN AND MARK FARRELL, MEMBERS OF PETEFARR, LLC. ON BEHALF OF SAID COMPANY

NOTARY SIGNATURE

NOTARY PUBLIC - OREGON

COMMISSION NO.

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

NOTES:

1. THIS PLAT IS SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS IMPOSED BY THE CITY OF PORTLAND IN CASE FILE LU 2014—109205 LU.

SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE:

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SS (STATE OF OREGON COUNTY OF MULTNOMAH

DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ATTACHED PARTITION PLAT WAS

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Q COUNTY RECORDING OFFICE.

BY: DEPUTY

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