



# DEVELOPMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE (DRC) COMMENT REPORT

**MEETING DATE:** January 9, 2018

**APPLICANT:** Bridge Development Partners, LLC.

**PROJECT NAME:** Bridge Logistics

CASE NUMBER: R18006

Site Plan Level III Review: Conditional Use For

**REQUEST:** Two Warehouse Buildings Within 300 Feet of

Residential Use

LOCATION: 1300 SW 32nd Court

**ZONING**: I (Industrial)

**LAND USE:** Community Facilities

**CASE PLANNER**: Tyler LaForme

DRC Comment Report: ENGINEERING Member: Raymond Meyer rmeyer@fortlauderdale.gov 954-828-5048

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# **CASE COMMENTS:**

Please provide a response to the following:

1. Comments may be forthcoming.

# **GENERAL COMMENTS**

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Please consider the following prior to submittal for Final DRC:

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Please consider the following prior to submittal for Building Permit:

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#### CASE COMMENTS:

Please provide a response to the following:

- 1. The zoning of this property requires at least one tree for each 1,000 square feet of net lot area or portion thereof, as per ULDR 47-21.13.A&B. This tree planting requirement is in addition to the VUA landscaping requirements. Twenty percent of the trees shall be shade trees. Please illustrate the calculations and planting on plan.
- 2. The zoning of this property requires at least twelve ornamental shrubs for each 1,000 square feet of net lot area or portion thereof, as per ULDR 47-21.13.A&B. Shrub planting requirements are in addition to the VUA requirements. At least 50 percent of all required shrubs shall consist of native species. Please illustrate the calculations and planting on plan.
- 3. Light fixtures with an overall height of more than ten feet shall be located a minimum of 15 feet aware from shade trees, as per ULDR Section 47-21.12. Illustrate the locations of lighting fixtures.
- 4. Illustrate the location of overhead utilities and follow FPL Right Tree Right Place guidelines for tree selection and placement.
- 5. Utilities and site amenities such as walkways, flagpoles, transformers, fire hydrants, sewer and water supply lines, trash enclosures, and similar items located on the site shall not be placed in or under required tree planting areas, as per ULDR Section 47-21.12. Confirm with civil, site and life safety plans that utilities and site amenities are not causing conflicts with proposed landscaping. Where conflicts exist, shift the utility and/or site amenities.
- 6. The use of structural soil is required in paved sites to provide adequate soil volumes for tree roots under pavements, as per ULDR Section 47-21.13. Structural soil details and specifications can be obtained at <a href="http://www.hort.cornell.edu/uhi/outreach/index.htm#soil">http://www.hort.cornell.edu/uhi/outreach/index.htm#soil</a> This is to be provided at a minimum of 8' radii of tree trunks, and is to be consistently illustrated and noted on landscape, site and civil plans.
- 7. There appears to be several large, desirable trees on site. Consider relocation and provide evidence of efforts.
- 8. Provide ISA Certified Arborist report for each existing tree, as per ULDR 47-21.15. This report is to be on ISA Certified Arborist business letterhead with contact information and ISA Certification number clearly stated. This report would include tree survey with numbered trees, a corresponding table which includes tree number, botanical name and common name, trunk diameter at breast height, clear trunk for palms, condition percentage, etc.; and a written assessment of existing tree characteristics.
- 9. Sheet TS-3 provide clear trunk in feet for existing palms.
- 10. Sheet TS-3 provide mitigation for each tree and palm.
- 11. Sheet LP-1 illustrates the NE median being landscaped. Please include the entire median on the plan and irrigation. Likewise, please provide written documentation from Public Works that this

DRC Comment Report: LANDSCAPE Member: Kimberly Pearson kpearson@fortlauderdale.gov 954-828-5200

planting/irrigation has been agreed on. Perhaps meeting to review with Park Operation Superintendent Mark Almy and/or City Forester Mark Williams will assist in accomplishing this discussion and written documentation.

- 12. Clarify how the outside of perimeter wall will be finished and maintained, as it is proposed on the property line.
- 13. Provide landscape data table illustrating required vs. provided.
- 14. Sheets LP-1 LP-2 appear to illustrate boxed areas around street tree locations. Please clarify.
- 15. All detached freestanding signs shall be landscaped underneath the sign with a continuous planting and irrigation system, as per ULDR 47-22.E.3.
  - a. This area is to be minimum 3 feet deep and extend at least the same length as the longest side of the sign.
  - b. Continuous planting is to be mulched and can be hedges and shrubs 2 feet tall planted 2 feet apart. Groundcover may be 6 inches tall planted 6 inches apart.
  - c. Irrigation shall be from a permanent water source.
  - d. Please clearly note and illustrate all of the above on plan.
- 16. Fences facing the street are required to be setback a minimum of 3 feet from the property line and must be planted with continuous hedges, shrubs, groundcover, AND trees in that area between property line and fence. These plantings shall be planted between the street and the property line as per ULDR 47-19.5C.
  - a. Hedges and shrubs may be 2 feet tall planted 2 feet apart.
  - b. Groundcover may be 6 inches tall planted 6 inches apart.
  - c. Trees may be standard or flowering at 10 feet tall, or palms at 8 feet clear trunk, planted an average of 1 tree per 20 feet or portion thereof.
  - d. Please specifically note and illustrate this on plans.

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- 17. A separate sub-permit application for Tree Removal & Relocation, and General Landscaping for site are required at time of master permit submittal.
- 18. Provide separate Plumbing sub permit application for irrigation. Irrigation plans are required at time of Building permit submittal. Plans are to be in compliance with ULDR 47-21.6.A.11 and 47-21.10.
- 19. Note that tree removal at time of demolition will not be permitted unless the Master Permit for redevelopment has been submitted for review.

DRC Comment Report: POLICE Member: Detective K. DiCristofalo kimdicr@fortlauderdale.gov 954-828-6421

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# **CASE COMMENTS:**

Please provide a response to the following:

- 1. Consider pre-wiring the building for an alarm system.
- 2. Secondary locks should be provided along with an 180 degree view finder on solid pedestrian doors.
- 3. Roof areas should have restricted access.
- 4. Consider implementing the use of CCTV to cover entrance doors, loading areas, and parking areas.
- 5. Bay doors should have a secondary locking mechanism.

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DRC Comment Report: SOLID WASTE Member: Stephanie McCutcheon smccutcheon@fortlauderdale.gov 954-828-5054

Case Number: R18006 CASE COMMENTS:

Please provide a response to the following:

- 1. Garbage, Recycling and Bulk Trash shall be provided.
- 2. Recycling reduces the amount of trash your business creates and it is the best way to reduce monthly waste disposal costs and improve your company's bottom line.
- 3. Solid Waste Services shall be provided by a Private Contractor licensed by the City.
- 4. Solid Waste charges shall be collected in monthly lease with Sanitation account for property under one name (Commercial).
- 5. Service Days shall be: No restriction for Commercial collection. Service may not occur earlier than 7:00 am or later than 10:00 pm within 250 feet of residential.
- 6. Solid Waste Collection shall be on private property container shall not be placed, stored or block the public street to perform service (large multifamily and commercial parcels).
- 7. Containers: must comply with 47-19.4
- 8. Dumpster enclosure: concrete pad, decorative block wall, gates hung independently, protective bollards, secondary pedestrian side entry, high strengthen apron and driveway approach, night light, hot water, hose bib, drain, low circulating ventilation for dampness, weep holes, landscaping, smooth surface walkway to accommodate wheeled containers.
- 9. Provide on the site plan a garbage truck turning radii for City review. Indicate how truck will circulate within property.
- 10. Submit a Solid Waste Management Plan on your letterhead containing name of project, address, DRC case number, number of units if applicable, and indicate whether it is Pre or Final DRC.
  - This letter is to be approved and signed off by the Sustainability Division, and should be attached to your drawings. Please email an electronic copy to <a href="mailto:smccutcheon@fortluaderdale.gov">smccutcheon@fortluaderdale.gov</a>. Letter should include an analysis of the expected amounts of solid waste and recyclables that will be generated (if different from current capacity), and container requirements to meet proposed capacity.
  - Community Inspections will reference this Solid Waste Plan for sanitation compliance issues at this location.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS**

The following comments are for informational purposes.

Please consider the following prior to submittal for Final DRC:

1. None

**DRC Comment Report:** PUBLIC WORKS- Stormwater Operations **Members:** Elkin Diaz, MBA, PE, PMP

ediaz@fortlauderdale.gov

954-828-6539

Case Number: R17041 CASE COMMENTS:

The applicant shall provide an itemized response letter addressing the following comments:

#### Prior to Final DRC Sign Off, the applicant shall address these comments:

This site is in the Edgewood neighborhood. Applicant shall coordinate proposed right of way improvements with Public Works Engineering (Rares Petrica, rpetrica@fortlauderdale.gov) with the neighborhood drainage improvement project (P11842).

# Prior to Issuance of Building Permit, the applicant shall address these comments:

1. Please provide (or revise if already submitted) an erosion, sedimentation, and stormwater pollution prevention plan (SWPPP) showing the adjacent City's existing stormwater system as shown in the survey and to the limits shown with green line work in the storm map provided at the end of this report. A copy of the approved SWPP shall be at the construction site from the date of demolition initiation to the date of final construction activities.

Add the following notes to the **SWPPP** (CCTV Notes, Pollution Prevention Notes, and Dewatering Notes):

# Pollution Prevention Notes

- a) Contractor shall adhere to of the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) requirements. The contractor shall institute Best Management Practices (BMPs) to ensure compliance with the NPDES program and to minimize the impact to public stormwater facilities. A Notice of Intent (NOI) shall be filed prior to start construction activities.
- b) Prior to demolition activities, contractor shall install pollution prevention control devices (i.e., silt barriers, sediment basins, turbidity barriers around stormwater outfalls on the waterside of lakes, ponds, canals, or waterways, silt screens, etc. according to the approved SWPPP and as recommended by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) latest guidelines and permitting requirements.
- c) Prior to demolition activities, a silt fence in accordance with the approved SWPPP details and latest DEP standards shall be erected around the site property lines. All public inlets surrounding the site shall be protected by the installation of filter fabric into the frame and grate or other approved BMPs to protect against storm runoff.
- d) Pollution control installations, as approved and shown in the SWPPP, shall be maintained throughout demolition and construction periods until the project has been completed and approved by City engineering inspector or project engineer.
- e) Contractor shall inspect the pollution control devices daily for signs of malfunction, failure, or needed repairs, and shall make remedial actions immediately upon discovery.
- f) Existing stormwater inlets, catch basins, or manholes, onsite and offsite, shall be protected from sediment storm runoff from the proposed demolitions and construction activities.
- g) Contractor shall immediately remove all mud, dirt, or other materials tracked or spilled onto existing roads and facilities due to demolition or construction activities from the proposed development.
- h) In order to minimize the amount of sediments, mud, and dust transported onto public roadways by the construction vehicles or runoff, the contractor shall install stabilized temporary construction entrance(s) from the construction site as recommended by FDEP. Each temporal construction entrance is a stabilized 6 inch thick layer of 2 to 3 inch Course Aggregate Stone, 12" minimum width, and length to accommodate a minimum of one trucking vehicle.
  - i. The entrance shall be maintained periodically as conditions demand in a condition that will prevent tracking or flowing of sediments onto public rights-of-way. Sediment

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- shall be trapped in cleanout areas and properly handled as onsite debris per applicable state regulations.
- ii. When necessary, vehicle wheels shall be cleaned prior to entrance onto public right-of-way.
- iii. All materials spilled, dropped, washed or tracked from vehicles onto roadways or into public storm drains must be removed by the contractor immediately.
- iv. Trucks shall not 'cut corners' where the construction exit meets the roadways.
- v. Sweeping of public roadways shall be done periodically as condition demand.
- i) Dust generated from construction shall be minimized by daily watering of the site.
- j) Contractor shall provide an erosion and sedimentation control inspector to inspect all points of discharge into nearby waterbodies to record the condition of discharge points, integrity of silt fence and pollution control devices, dust control measures, vehicular traffic and construction material storage and disposal. Written record of all inspections shall be stored by the contractor during demolition and construction periods and shall be submitted to City inspectors upon request.

The inspection report shall include at a minimum the following information:

- i. Name of inspector and his/her qualifications in erosion and sedimentation control
- ii. Date of the inspection
- iii. Rainfall rate
- iv. Observations about the SWPP
- v. Actions taken by contractor for all incidents of noncompliance with permit(s)
- vi. Certification that the facility is in compliance with the SWPP and permit(s)

### **Dewatering Notes**

- a) The applicant shall use Broward County's latest <a href="Plate WM 2.1 Future Conditions">Plate WM 2.1 Future Conditions</a> for determining the average wet season ground water levels to evaluate if demolition or excavation/earthwork will require dewatering activities. The Plate WM 2.1 Future Conditions average wet season ground water levels can be accessed through the following link:

  <a href="http://bcgis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/View/index.html?appid=70c3f3ffc88748c28e432719ec2844c4">http://bcgis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/View/index.html?appid=70c3f3ffc88748c28e432719ec2844c4</a>
- b) If dewatering activities are anticipated, a notarized City dewatering affidavit shall be filed at City's building department when submitting a demolition or foundation permit along with qany applicable dewatering permit form regulatory agencies such as the South Florida Water Management District or Broward County Department of Environmental Protection.
- c) If dewatering is going to be needed, please submit a dewatering plan, so it can be reviewed by the City's stormwater and environmental groups.
- d) Dewatering activities will not be allowed without an approved dewatering affidavit, SWPPP, and dewatering permit from applicable regulatory agencies.
- 2. No private stormwater infrastructure (pipes, basins, drainage wells) can be constructed in City Right of Way or drainage easements serving existing City's stormwater utilities. Please remove (if applicable) any the proposed stormwater systems that are not in compliance with this requirement or provide appropriate documentation if the City Rights-of-Way (or easement) has been vacated to allow the construction of private underground utilities.

DRC Comment Report: TRANSPORTATION & MOBILITY
Member: Benjamin Restrepo

brestrepo@fortlauderdale.gov 954-828-5216

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- 1. The proposed building square footage in the traffic impact statement does not match the proposed building square footage in the site data table. Please correct whichever is incorrect so that the two match.
- 2. Please correct the building labeling on the site plan. Both buildings are labeled "Building 'A' ".
- 3. Please show on the site plan where the proposed bicycle parking will be placed.
- 4. Please provide a minimum 5 foot sidewalk along SW 12th Ave.
- 5. Please label the streets along the perimeter of the site.
- 6. In the site data table please include total linear feet, total area (in square feet) of proposed sidewalk in the public right of way.
- 7. In your narrative could you please quantify the monetary value of the proposed surface improvements in the public right of way. Example; the total cost of furnishing and installing new sidewalk, new bus shelter, bicycle racks, pedestrian lighting, on-street parking etc.
- 8. Bicycle parking is encouraged. Consult the APBP Bicycle Parking Guidelines and Broward County End-of-Trip Bicycle Facilities Guide. Provide the minimum long term and short term bicycle parking based on requirements in the guide and include total counts on the site plan data sheet.
- 9. Please consider enhancing the pedestrian experience by providing interactive public art works, seating, and shade along all sidewalks to promote multimodal travel.
- 10. Ensure all access points, sidewalks, walkways, and curb cuts are unobstructed and ADA accessible with appropriate slopes and detectible warning devices and indicate on the site plan.
- 11. Additional comments will be provided upon further review off traffic impacts and potential mitigations.
- 12. Signature required.

# **GENERAL COMMENTS:**

Please address comments below where applicable.

- 1. Contact Benjamin Restrepo at 954-828-5216 or brestrepo@fortlauderdale.gov to set up an appointment for final plan approval.
- 2. The City's Transportation & Mobility Department encourages the use of sustainable materials such as permeable pavement and electric car charge stations and installation of multimodal facilities such as bicycle pump stations and bike lockers.
- 3. Please note that any work within the City's right-of-way will require an MOT approved by Transportation and Mobility and Engineering for permitting. Any full closures of roadways, alleys, or sidewalks that are over 72 hours will require a Revocable License Agreement (RLA) with the City of Fort Lauderdale.

DRC Comment Report: URBAN DESIGN & PLANNING

**Member:** Tyler Laforme tlaforme@fortlauderdale.gov 954-828-5633

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# **CASE COMMENTS:**

Please provide a response to the following:

- 1. The applicant is strongly encouraged to contact neighbors adjacent to, as well as condominium and neighborhood associations located within three hundred feet (300') of the development site, to advise of this proposal (a listing of officially-recognized neighborhood associations is provided on the City's website: http://www.fortlauderdale.gov/neighbors/civic-associations). Please provide acknowledgement and/or documentation of any public outreach.
- 2. The proposed project requires review and approval by the Planning and Zoning Board. A separate application and fee is required for PZ Board submittal, and the applicant is responsible for all public notice requirements (Sec. 47-27). In addition, the development permit shall not take effect nor shall a building permit be issued until thirty (30) days after approval, and then only if no motion is adopted by the City Commission seeking to review the application.
- 3. Please note that any industrial use within 300 feet of residential property shall be subject to the requirements of a Conditional Use Permit, listed in Section 47-24.3 Conditional Use Permit requirements.
- 4. This application is subject to the Public Participation requirements of Unified Land Development Regulations (ULDR) Sec. 47-27.4.A.2.c., prior to submittal of the application to the Planning and Zoning Board (PZB), a notice from the applicant via letter or e-mail shall be provided to official city-recognized civic organization(s) within 300 feet of the proposed project, notifying of the date, time and place of applicant's project presentation meeting to take place prior to the PZB meeting.

The applicant shall then conduct a public participation meeting(s) a minimum of 30 days prior to the PZB. This date and location of the meeting is at the discretion of the applicant. Once the meeting(s) is/are conducted, the applicant shall provide a written report letter to the Department of Sustainable Development, with copy to subject association(s), documenting the date(s), time(s), location(s), number of participants, presentation material and general summary of the discussion after a public participation meeting(s). The report letter shall summarize the substance of comments expressed during the process and shall be made a part of the administrative case file record.

The applicant shall, 10 days prior to the PZB, execute and submit to the department an affidavit of proof of public notice according to this section. If the applicant fails to submit the affidavit, the public hearing will be postponed until the next available hearing date after the affidavit has been supplied.

- 5. The site is designated Community Facilities on the City's Future Land Use Map. The proposed use is permitted in this designation. This is not a determination on consistency with Comprehensive Plan Goals, Objectives and Policies. Prior to Final DRC, the change in land use and zoning designations must be approved.
- 6. Verify that copy of plat is the most current recorded plat, including notes and amendments, for the proposed site. Provide documentation from the Broward County Planning Council verifying that the site does not require platting or replatting. If replatting or platting is <u>not</u> required, contact the Development Review Services Section of the Planning and Environmental Regulation Division of Broward County at (954) 357-6637 to ensure that proposed project is consistent with the latest recorded plat restriction.

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**Member:** Tyler Laforme tlaforme@fortlauderdale.gov 954-828-5633

- 7. Clarify response to Section 47-25.2.M.8, Other Roadway Improvements, in the Adequacy Requirements to include improvements to the median on SW 12<sup>th</sup> Ave.
- 8. Consider how the 6 foot masonry wall and landscaping along the property lines abutting the adjacent properties will be constructed and maintained on the opposite side facing the residential properties.
- 9. Indicate all adjacent building footprints, indicating their uses and heights, and dimension approximate setbacks on the site plan.
- 10. Provide roof plan for all structures indicating the location of all mechanical equipment. This plan shall include spot elevations of the parapet wall and roof as well as mechanical equipment to verify adequate screening and to illustrate how equipment will be screened or shielded from view. In addition, indicate all mechanical equipment within the subject site on the site plan and elevations where applicable.
- 11. Provide the following graphics and ensure the proposed project is in scale with neighboring buildings and only existing or proposed structures are shown in all renderings. To ensure that graphics accurately portray the project in scaled proportion to its surroundings, provide a vertical benchmark (power pole, adjacent building, etc.) and indicate the measurements for comparison. In addition, include the following verification statement on all provided renderings: "This 3-dimensional representation of the proposed development is true and accurate relative to the height, width and length of any adjacent or proximate existing structures."
  - a. **Provide a context plan** of general area indicating proposed development and outline of all nearby properties with structures outlined, and uses and heights labeled. On context plan, indicate and dimension setbacks, drive isles, public sidewalks, crosswalks, and bus stop(s).
  - b. **Provide context elevations** (north/south and east/west) indicating proposed project and nearby properties, including those across adjacent streets and/or waterways. Dimension the height, length, and width of all structures, setbacks, drive isles, landscaping, etc. in order to ascertain the relationship the proposed development will have on the surrounding properties.
  - c. **Provide project cross sections** clearly indicating how the proposed development will interact with the surrounding properties.
  - d. **Provide detail of ground floor elevations** with scale no less than  $\frac{1}{4}$ " = 1'. All pertinent details (awnings, windows, etc.) should be dimensioned. Include specifications, and/or photographic examples of proposed materials.
  - e. **Provide a shadow study** indicating shadows at 9 am, 12 pm, and 4 pm for the Winter Solstice (December 22) and Spring Equinox (March 21). Indicate property lines and indicate shadow spillover beyond property lines. Study must be in context and scale with the surrounding area, and should show adjacent lots, streets, neighboring buildings, pools, etc. Indicate if any parks or open space will be impacted.
- 7. Provide documentation that an easement has been recorded to ensure access to residential uses on the west side of the property.
- 8. Coordinate with DRC Fire department representative to ensure fire access is sufficient from SW 32 Court.
- 9. Provide legible photometric plan for the entire site. Extend values on photometric plans to all property lines. Show values pursuant to the Unified and Land Development Regulations ("ULDR"), Section 47-25.3.A.3.a and 47-20.14. Indicate lighting poles on site plan and landscape plan, and provide detail with dimensions.

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- 10. Pursuant to Section 47-22.4.C.8 provide a master sign plan detailing the following:
  - a. Location and orientation of all proposed signage;
  - b. Dimensions of each proposed sign (height, width, depth, etc.);
  - c. Proposed sign copy; and,
  - d. Proposed color and materials

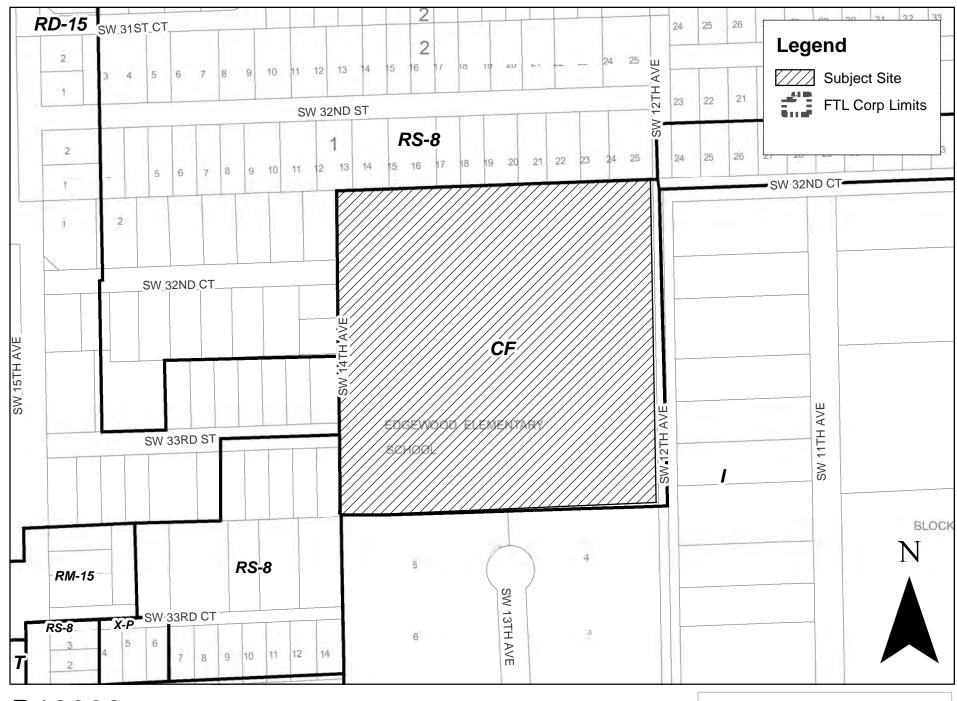
Please note any proposed signs will require a separate permit application.

11. It is strongly recommended that bicycle parking in visible, well-lit areas as close as possible to pedestrian entryways/doors is provided. In addition where possible, locate bicycle parking facilities in an area that is sheltered/covered. Show internal secured bicycle racks and/or external bike racks on the site plan. Consult the Association of Pedestrian and Bicycle Professionals ("APBP") for Bicycle Parking Guidelines and Broward County End-of-Trip Bicycle Facilities Guide at <a href="http://www.apbp.org/">http://www.apbp.org/</a>. For more information on bicycle parking standards, please email Karen Warfel at <a href="http://www.apbp.org/">KWarfel@fortlauderdale.gov</a>.

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The following comments are for informational purposes.

- 12. Provide a written response to all DRC comments within 180 days.
- 13. All construction activity must comply with ULDR, Section 24-11, Construction sites. If a temporary construction/sales trailer is needed for this project, provide the details and location of the trailer on a separate site plan, to avoid additional review in the future. Verify details and location with the Building Representative. Contact Joe Pasquariello, Structural Plans Examiner (954-828-5419) to obtain his signature on the final DRC plans.
- 14. An additional follow-up coordination meeting may be required to review project changes necessitated by the DRC comments. Prior to routing your plans for Final DRC sign-off, please schedule an appointment with the case planner (Tyler Laforme 954-828-5633) to review project revisions and/or to obtain a signature routing stamp.
- 15. Additional comments may be forthcoming at the DRC meeting



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