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FREMONT



NEBRASKA PATHFINDERS

400 East Military Avenue, Fremont, NE 68025-5141

April 4, 2019

RE: Amendment to Redevelopment Plan

Dear Property Owner:

You are hereby advised that the City of Fremont has received the following application(s):

A request by Heather A. Carver on behalf of WCBS, LLC to amend the Morningside Area Redevelopment Plan to specifically identify the WCBS project generally located 440 feet northeast of the intersection of Morningside Rd and Luther Rd.

The public hearing on this application will be held before the City of Fremont Planning Commission on the 15th day of April, 2019. The public hearing is your opportunity to appear and speak on the merits of this application, if you so choose. The Planning Commission study session begins at 4:45 PM followed by the formal meeting at 5:00 PM in the Fremont City Council Chambers located on the second floor in the Fremont Municipal Building at 400 East Military Avenue, Fremont, Nebraska.

If you would like more information, you are encouraged to contact the applicant Heather Carver at 402-397-1700 or hcarver@clinewilliams.com, or the Planning Director, Jennifer Dam at 402-727-2636 or jennifer.dam@fremontne.gov.

The Planning Department staff report and recommendation will be available at the Planning Department office on Friday, April 12th after 3:00 PM. The Planning Commission Agenda and staff reports will also be available on the City's website at that time, www.fremontne.gov.

Sincerely) Tenngh & Dam

Jennifer L. Dam, AICP Planning Director

Attachment: Amendment

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Heather Carver

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AMENDMENT TO THE REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE MORNINGSIDE ROAD REDEVELOPMENT AREA IN THE CITY OF FREMONT, NEBRASKA

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(WCBS REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT)

The City of Fremont, Nebraska ("City") has undertaken a plan of redevelopment within the community pursuant to the adoption of the Redevelopment Plan for the Morningside Road Redevelopment Area in the City of Fremont, as amended (the "Redevelopment Plan"). The Redevelopment Plan was prepared by the City in May of 2014 and was approved by the City Council of the City on July 29, 2014, pursuant to Resolution No. 2014-138. The Redevelopment Plan serves as a guide for the implementation of redevelopment activities within certain areas of the City, as set forth in the Redevelopment Plan.

Pursuant to the Nebraska Community Development Law codified at <u>Neb. Rev. Stat.</u> §§ 18-2101 through 18-2154 (the "Act"), the City created the Community Development Agency of the City of Fremont ("CDA"), which has administered the Redevelopment Plan for the City.

The purpose of this Plan Amendment is to identify a specific project within the Redevelopment Area that will cause the removal of blight and substandard conditions on the site located in the City of Fremont, Nebraska, and legally described on the attached and incorporated <u>Exhibit "A"</u> (the "Project Site").

The Project Site

The Project Site is in need of redevelopment. The CDA has considered whether the redevelopment of the Project Site will conform to the City's general plan and the coordinated, adjusted, and harmonious development of the City and its environs. In this consideration, the CDA finds that the proposed redevelopment of the Project Site will promote the health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity, and the general welfare of the community including, among other things, the promotion of safety from fire, the promotion of the healthful and convenient distribution of population, the promotion of sound design and arrangement, the wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the prevention of the recurrence of unsanitary and unsafe dwelling accommodations or conditions of blight. The blighted condition of the Project Site and the Redevelopment Area has contributed to its inability to attract business and/or development. In order to support private development, the Project Site and the Redevelopment Area are in need of redevelopment.

The Project Site is currently vacant and underdeveloped. The Project Site requires significant upfront costs, including site preparation, installation of public utilities and street improvements, in order to be developed. The location of the Project Site just south of the Lon D. Wright Power Plant, which produces coal dust in the area, and the significant upfront costs required to develop the Project Site, contribute to its inability to attract development. Due to the additional upfront costs required to eliminate the blighted and substandard conditions from the Project Site,

the Project is not feasible without the use of tax increment financing, which will be used to pay for eligible expenditures under the Act. The redevelopment of the Project Site is anticipated to eliminate the current blight and substandard conditions of the Project Site and will further the purposes of the Act in conformity with the Redevelopment Plan.

Description of the Project

WCBS, LLC (the "Redeveloper") has submitted a proposal for the redevelopment of the Project Site. The Project will consist of the construction of an approximately 70,000 square foot warehouse, an office, and associated improvements on the Project Site. The Redeveloper will pay the costs of the private improvements, including the costs of construction of the building on the Project Site. As part of the Project, the CDA shall capture available tax increment revenues generated by the redevelopment of the Project Site to reimburse the Redeveloper or assist in payment for the public improvements listed as eligible expenditures under the Act in the Redevelopment Area and to be more fully described in the Redevelopment Agreement. Such public improvements may include, but are not limited to: site acquisition, site preparation and grading, architectural and engineering fees, installation and extension of public utilities, installation of streets and sidewalks, energy enhancements, and other improvements deemed feasible and necessary in support of the public health, safety, and welfare which qualify as eligible expenditures for public improvements under the Act. The specific public improvements for which the available tax increment revenues generated by the Project will be used will be described in more detail in the Redevelopment Agreement.

Statutory Elements

As described above, the Project envisions the capture of the incremental taxes created by the Project on the Project Site to pay for those eligible expenditures as set forth in the Act. Attached as <u>Exhibit "B"</u> and incorporated herein by this reference is a consideration of the statutory elements under the Nebraska Community Development Law.

Cost-Benefit Analysis

Pursuant to Section 18-2113 of the Act, the CDA must conduct a cost-benefit analysis for any redevelopment project that will utilize TIF. The Cost-Benefit Analysis for the Project is attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and shall be approved as part of this Plan Amendment. The estimated costs of the Project, the estimated TIF proceeds, and the proposed method of financing the Project are set forth in the Cost-Benefit Analysis.

EXHIBIT "A" Legal Description of the Project Site

The improvements for this Project shall be constructed on the property legally described as follows:

The South 380 feet of Lot 2R, Morningside North Business Park Replat, as surveyed, platted and recorded in the City of Fremont, Dodge County, Nebraska.

EXHIBIT "B" Statutory Elements

A. Property Acquisition, Demolition and Disposal

No public acquisition of private property or relocation of families or businesses is necessary to accomplish the Project. The City of Fremont currently owns the Project Site. The CDA shall acquire the Project Site and convey it to the Redeveloper as necessary to redevelop the Project Site. The conveyance of the Project Site shall be described in greater detail in the Redevelopment Agreement and shall comply with the Nebraska Community Development Law and all other applicable laws.

B. <u>Population Density</u>

The proposed Project includes the construction of an approximately 70,000 square foot warehouse and office facility on undeveloped land, which will not significantly affect population density in the project area.

C. Land Coverage

The Project is anticipated to consist of construction of an approximately 70,000 square foot warehouse and office facility on the approximately 6.6 acre Project Site, which is part of a larger lot consisting of approximately 14.2 acres. The Project will meet the applicable land-coverage ratios and zoning requirements as required by the City of Fremont.

D. Traffic Flow, Street Layouts, and Street Grades

The Project is not anticipated to materially increase traffic to and from the Project Site. As a result, no changes in street layout or street grade are anticipated.

E. Parking

The Project will include construction a parking lot that will meet or exceed parking requirements set forth in the applicable zoning district.

F. Zoning, Building Code, and Ordinances

The Project Site is located in the Limited Industrial zoning district. Redeveloper will be responsible for obtaining any zoning, building code, or ordinance changes that are necessary for the Project.

EXHIBIT "C" Cost-Benefit Analysis

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY CITY OF FREMONT, NEBRASKA WCBS REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT COST-BENEFIT ANALYSIS (Pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 18-2113)

The WCBS Redevelopment Project (the "Project") will consist of construction of an approximately 70,000 square foot warehouse, office facility and associated improvements on the Project Site, as more particularly described on Exhibit "C-1". The cost-benefit analysis for the Project, which will utilize funds authorized by Neb. Rev. Stat. § 18-2147, can be summarized as follows:

1. Tax shifts resulting from the approval of the use of funds pursuant to Section 18-2147:

a.	Estimated Base Project Area Valuation:	\$184,000
b.	Estimated Completed Project Assessed Valuation:	\$1,995,000
c.	Estimated Tax Increment Base (b. minus a.):	\$1,811,000
d.	Estimated Annual Projected Tax Shift:	\$37,000

Note: The Estimated Annual Projected Tax shift is based on assumed values and levy rates; actual amounts and rates will vary from those assumptions, and it is understood that the actual tax shift may vary materially from the projected amount. The estimated tax levy for this analysis is 2.041365, which is the 2018 Dodge County tax levy, and is subject to change.

2. Public infrastructure and community public service needs impacts and local tax impacts arising from the approval of the redevelopment project:

a. Public infrastructure improvements and impacts:

The Redeveloper will make significant expenditures for the acquisition, construction and installation of the Project and related and ancillary improvements. It is proposed that approximately \$360,000 of these expenditures will be financed with the proceeds of tax increment financing indebtedness, with the remaining balance to be paid by the Redeveloper. The sources and uses of the TIF indebtedness will be more particularly set forth in the Redevelopment Agreement for this Project. It is anticipated that eligible uses of the TIF indebtedness may include the following: site acquisition, site preparation, architectural and engineering fees, public utility extension and installation, installation of streets and sidewalks, energy efficiency enhancements, and other improvements deemed feasible and necessary in support of the public health, safety, and welfare. All expenditures financed by tax increment financing indebtedness shall be eligible in accordance with the requirements of the Nebraska Community Development Law. It is not anticipated that the Project will have a material adverse impact on existing public infrastructure. The Project improvements will materially benefit other property in and around the City.

b. Local Tax impacts (in addition to impacts of Tax Shifts described above):

The Project will create material tax and other public revenue for the City and other local taxing jurisdictions. While the use of tax increment financing will defer receipt of a majority of new ad valorem real property taxes generated by the Project, it is intended to create a long term benefit and substantial increase in property taxes to the City and other local taxing jurisdictions. Since the Project Site is unlikely to attract development on account of its proximity to the Lon D. Wright Power Plan, the City would be unlikely to realize additional ad valorem taxes in the near future without the Project. The Project should also generate immediate tax growth for the City. It is anticipated that the Project will include a significant amount of personal property that will be installed within the commercial buildings constructed, such as refrigeration and other equipment, which will be on the property tax rolls upon its acquisition and installation.

3. Impacts on employers and employees of firms locating or expanding within the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project:

It is anticipated that the Project will have a material positive impact on employers and employees of firms locating or expanding within the boundaries of the redevelopment project, because the enhancements to the Project Site should attract additional redevelopment to the area of the Project. Further, the Project will likely require products and services from firms located within the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project.

It is not anticipated that the Project will have a material adverse impact on employers and employees of firms locating or expanding within the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project.

4. Impacts on other employers and employees within the City and the immediate area that is located outside of the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project:

The Project should have a material positive impact on private sector businesses in and around the area outside the boundaries of the redevelopment project. The Project is not anticipated to impose a burden or have a negative impact on other local area employers, but should also increase the need for services and products from existing businesses. Since the Project includes an office component, upon occupancy the Project may require the purchase of janitorial services, office supplies, and other similar products and services.

5. Impacts on the student populations of school districts within the City:

The Project is not expected to have an impact on student populations of school districts within the City of Fremont because the Project does not include the construction of any dwelling units.

6. Other impacts determined by the agency to be relevant to the consideration of costs and benefits arising from the redevelopment project:

The Project is anticipated to create additional full- and part-time jobs at the facility constructed on the Project Site, which will have secondary employment effects in other employment sectors in the City of Fremont.

There are no other material impacts determined by the agency relevant to the consideration of the cost of benefits arising from the Project.

6. Cost Benefit Analysis Conclusion:

Based upon the findings presented in outweigh the costs of the proposed Project.	this cost benefit analysis, the benefits
Approved by the Community Development of, 2019.	nt Agency, City of Fremont this day
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, Secretary	

EXHIBIT C-1

PROJECT INFORMATION

The Project will be undertaken on the real estate legally described as:

The South 380 feet of Lot 2R, Morningside North Business Park Replat, as surveyed, platted and recorded in the City of Fremont, Dodge County, Nebraska

(the "Project Site"). The Project shall consist of the following Private Improvements and Public Improvements:

- (a) **Private Improvements.** The private improvements to be constructed by the Redeveloper on the Project Site include a new approximately 70,000 square foot warehouse, office, and associated improvements.
- (b) **Public Improvements.** Land acquisition, installation and extension of public utilities, site preparation and grading, installation of streets and sidewalks, energy efficiency enhancements, and other eligible public expenditures under the Act as determined in the Redevelopment Agreement; paid for, in part, by the tax increment generated by the private improvements.

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NEBRASKA PATHFINDERS

400 East Military Avenue, Fremont, NE 68025-5141

April 4, 2019

RE: Conditional Use Permit

Dear Property Owner:

You are hereby advised that the City of Fremont has received the following application(s):

A request by Doug Whitehead on behalf of NEBCO Inc for a Conditional Use Permit to construct a private campground on Lake Leba, generally located 800 feet southwest of the intersection of Ridge Rd and W. Military Avenue.

The public hearing on this application will be held before the City of Fremont Planning Commission on the 15th day of April, 2019. The public hearing is your opportunity to appear and speak on the merits of this application, if you so choose. The Planning Commission study session begins at 4:45 PM followed by the formal meeting at 5:00 PM in the Fremont City Council Chambers located on the second floor in the Fremont Municipal Building at 400 East Military Avenue, Fremont, Nebraska.

If you would like more information, you are encouraged to contact the applicant Doug Whitehead at 402-450-3560 or dougw@nebcoinc.com, or the Planning Director, Jennifer Dam at 402-727-2636 or jennifer.dam@fremontne.gov.

The Planning Department staff report and recommendation will be available at the Planning Department office on Friday, April 12th after 3:00 PM. The Planning Commission Agenda and staff reports will also be available on the City's website at that time, www.fremontne.gov.

Sincerely,

Jennifer L. Dam, AICP Planning Director

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OWNER:

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April 4, 2019

RE: Amendment to Redevelopment Plan

Dear Property Owner:

You are hereby advised that the City of Fremont has received the following application(s):

A request by Heather A Carver on behalf of Morningside Commercial L.L.C for an amendment to the Redevelopment Plan for the Morningside Road Redevelopment Area to identify a specific project, the Morningside Crossing Redevelopment Project.

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Jennifer L. Dam, AICP Planning Director

Attachment: Amendment

Cc: Heather Carver

Fremont School Board Educational Service Unit Community College County Board

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AMENDMENT TO THE REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE MORNINGSIDE ROAD REDEVELOPMENT AREA IN THE CITY OF FREMONT, NEBRASKA

(MORNINGSIDE CROSSING REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT)

The City of Fremont, Nebraska ("City") has undertaken a plan of redevelopment within the community pursuant to the adoption of the Redevelopment Plan for the Morningside Road Redevelopment Area in the City of Fremont, as amended (the "Redevelopment Plan"). The Redevelopment Plan was prepared by the City in May of 2014 and was approved by the City Council of the City on July 29, 2014, pursuant to Resolution No. 2014-138. The Redevelopment Plan serves as a guide for the implementation of redevelopment activities within certain areas of the City, as set forth in the Redevelopment Plan.

Pursuant to the Nebraska Community Development Law codified at <u>Neb. Rev. Stat.</u> §§ 18-2101 through 18-2154 (the "Act"), the City created the Community Development Agency of the City of Fremont ("CDA"), which has administered the Redevelopment Plan for the City.

The purpose of this Plan Amendment is to identify: (a) the phasing of the overall project; and (b) a specific project within the Redevelopment Area that will cause the removal of blight and substandard conditions on the site located in the City of Fremont, Nebraska, and legally described on the attached and incorporated Exhibit "A" (the "Project Site").

The Project Site

The Project Site is in need of redevelopment. The CDA has considered whether the redevelopment of the Project Site will conform to the City's general plan and the coordinated, adjusted, and harmonious development of the City and its environs. In this consideration, the CDA finds that the proposed redevelopment of the Project Site will promote the health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity, and the general welfare of the community including, among other things, the promotion of safety from fire, the promotion of the healthful and convenient distribution of population, the promotion of sound design and arrangement, the wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the prevention of the recurrence of unsanitary and unsafe dwelling accommodations or conditions of blight. The blighted condition of the Project Site and the Redevelopment Area has contributed to its inability to attract business and/or development. In order to support private development, the Project Site and the Redevelopment Area are in need of redevelopment.

The Project Site is currently vacant and underdeveloped. The Project Site requires significant upfront costs, including site preparation and installation of public utilities, in order to be developed. Due to the additional upfront costs required to eliminate the blighted and substandard conditions from the Project Site, the Project is not feasible without the use of tax increment financing, which

will be used to pay for eligible expenditures under the Act. The redevelopment of the Project Site is anticipated to eliminate the current blight and substandard conditions of the Project Site and will further the purposes of the Act in conformity with the Redevelopment Plan.

Description of the Project

Morningside Commercial, LLC (the "Redeveloper") has submitted a proposal for the redevelopment of the Project Site. The Project will consist of the construction of a new commercial center, parking lots, and ancillary improvements on the Project Site in a series of up to 6 phases. Implementation of the Project in phases is described in greater detail below. Phase 1 of the Project will include construction of an approximately 5,000 square foot convenient store and fueling station on Lot 11, and Phase 2 will consist of construction of a roughly 5,000 square foot commercial flex building on Lot 4, and an approximately 11,000 square foot retail strip center on Lots 8 and 9. It is anticipated that Phase 3 will include construction of an approximately 15,000 square foot self-storage facility on Lot 10, and that Phase 4 will consist of construction of an approximately 6,000 square foot single-tenant retail building on Lot 2 and an approximately 5,200 square foot commercial flex building on Lot 7. Phases 5 and 6 are anticipated to include construction of roughly 5,000 square foot commercial flex buildings on each of Lots 5 and 6. The proposed site plan for the Project is attached hereto as Exhibit "B" (the "Site Plan"). The Site Plan is conceptual in nature and is subject to revision based on changes in community needs, but it presents the vision and intended character for the Project. The Project retains the flexibility to change the size and sequence of the individual phases of the development based on market forces and demand.

The Redeveloper will pay the costs of the private improvements, including all costs of construction of the commercial buildings. As part of the Project, the CDA shall capture available tax increment revenues generated by the redevelopment of the individual phases of the Project Site to reimburse the Redeveloper or assist in payment for the public improvements listed as eligible expenditures under the Act in the Redevelopment Area and to be more fully described in the Redevelopment Agreement. Such public improvements may include, but are not limited to: site acquisition, site preparation, architectural and engineering fees, extension of public utilities, installation of streets and sidewalks, landscaping, façade enhancements, energy enhancements, and other improvements deemed feasible and necessary in support of the public health, safety, and welfare which qualify as eligible expenditures for public improvements under the Act. The specific public improvements for which the available tax increment revenues generated by the Project will be used will be described in more detail in the Redevelopment Agreement.

Implementation of the Project

The Redeveloper intends to complete the Project in 6 phases over a period of years. The private improvements and the public improvements to be constructed by the Redeveloper as a part of each phase will be more particularly described in

the Redevelopment Agreement between the CDA and the Redeveloper. The implementation of each phase will mirror the Redeveloper's anticipated construction schedule. Each phase would support separate tax increment financing indebtedness for each phase. Further, the "effective date" for the division of the ad valorem taxes generated by each phase of the Project will be determined for each phase in order to preserve the tax increment financing resources available for the public improvements to be constructed as part of the Project.

The implementation of the Project in multiple phases is crucial to the successful development of the Project, as it will allow the Redeveloper to construct the private improvements at a rate that the market can support, and to adapt subsequent phases of the Project to accommodate the changing needs of the community. For this reason, the Project, including (i) the quantity and type of commercial buildings, (ii) the size of each of the commercial buildings, and (iii) the schedule for implementation of each phase of the Project, is subject to adjustment. The CDA acknowledges that any adjustments to the private improvements, the public improvements, or the timing of construction of each phase of the Project shall be a minor modification to the Redevelopment Plan and this Redevelopment Plan Amendment.

Further, completion of the Project in multiple phases will allow the Redeveloper to optimize the tax increment financing resources available for public improvements in the Redevelopment Area. Due to the scope of the Project and the public improvements to be constructed, the CDA acknowledges that the Redeveloper would not undertake Phase 1 of the Project or any subsequent phase, without the benefit of tax increment financing with respect to each phase of the Project.

Statutory Elements

As described above, the Project envisions the capture of the incremental taxes created by each phase of the Project on the Project Site to pay for those eligible expenditures as set forth in the Act. Attached as <u>Exhibit "C"</u> and incorporated herein by this reference is a consideration of the statutory elements under the Nebraska Community Development Law.

Cost-Benefit Analysis

Pursuant to Section 18-2113 of the Act, the CDA must conduct a cost-benefit analysis for any redevelopment project that will utilize TIF. The Cost-Benefit Analysis for each phase of the Project is attached hereto as Exhibit "D" and shall be approved as part of this Plan Amendment. The estimated costs of the Project, the estimated TIF proceeds, and the proposed method of financing the project are set forth in the Cost-Benefit Analysis. If the plan for redevelopment is adjusted or the phasing schedule is modified, the Redeveloper shall include any adjustments to the Cost-Benefit Analysis within any minor modification of the Redevelopment Plan.

EXHIBIT "A" Legal Description of the Project Site

The improvements for this Project shall be constructed on the property legally described as follows:

Lots Two (2), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10) and Eleven (11), Morningside Crossing, as surveyed, platted and recorded in the City of Fremont, Dodge County, Nebraska.

EXHIBIT "B" Site Plan

[Attach]



EXHIBIT "C" Statutory Elements

A. Property Acquisition, Demolition and Disposal

No public acquisition of private property, relocation of families or businesses, or the sale of property is necessary to accomplish the Project. The Redeveloper has a contractual right to purchase the property from the current owner, and the land will be purchased by Redeveloper.

B. Population Density

The proposed development at the Project Site includes the construction of commercial buildings, which will not affect population density in the project area.

C. Land Coverage

The Project is anticipated to consist of construction of 4 commercial flex buildings, a convenient store and fueling station, a retail strip center and a single-tenant retail building, and a self-storage facility on 9 lots. The Project will meet the applicable land-coverage ratios and zoning requirements as required by the City of Fremont.

D. <u>Traffic Flow, Street Layouts, and Street Grades</u>

As part of the Project, the Redeveloper will extend Bud Boulevard to provide access to the Project Site, and will make improvements to Morningside Road, including construction of acceleration and deceleration lanes leading to and from Bud Boulevard. These improvements, and the implementation of the Project in phases, are anticipated to eliminate any potential adverse impacts with respect to traffic flow, street layouts, and street grades that might result from the Project.

E. Parking

The Project will include construction of parking lots to serve the commercial buildings constructed that will meet or exceed the parking requirements set forth in the applicable zoning district.

F. Zoning, Building Code, and Ordinances

The Project Site is located in the General Commercial zoning district. Redeveloper will be responsible for obtaining any zoning, building code, or ordinance changes that are necessary for the Project.

EXHIBIT "D" Cost-Benefit Analysis

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY CITY OF FREMONT, NEBRASKA MORNINGSIDE CROSSING REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT COST-BENEFIT ANALYSIS (Pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 18-2113)

The Morningside Crossing Redevelopment Project (the "Project") will consist of construction of a commercial center on the Project Site in up to 6 phases. The private improvements and the public improvements to be constructed as part of the Project are subject to adjustment based on the needs of the community and other factors. However, for purposes of this cost-benefit analysis, it is assumed that the Project will consist of 4 commercial flex buildings, a convenient store and fueling station, a retail strip center and single-tenant retail building, and a self-storage facility, as more particularly described on <u>Exhibit "D-1"</u>. The cost-benefit analysis for the Project, which will utilize funds authorized by <u>Neb. Rev. Stat.</u> § 18-2147, can be summarized as follows:

1. Tax shifts resulting from the approval of the use of funds pursuant to Section 18-2147:

a.	Estimated Base Project Area Valuation:	\$126,000
b.	Estimated Completed Project Assessed Valuation:	\$12,000,000
c.	Estimated Tax Increment Base (b. minus a.):	\$11,874,000
d.	Estimated Annual Projected Tax Shift:	\$242,400

Notes:

- 1. The Estimated Annual Projected Tax shift is based on assumed values and levy rates; actual amounts and rates will vary from those assumptions, and it is understood that the actual tax shift may vary materially from the projected amount. The estimated tax levy for this analysis is 2.041365, which is the 2018 Dodge County tax levy, and is subject to change.
- 2. The Estimated Completed Project Assessed Valuation is the estimated completed assessed value of all of the private improvements that the redeveloper anticipates will be constructed as part of the Project. The Project will be completed in multiple phases, and each phase may have a different effective date for the division of the ad valorem tax. As a result, the Estimated Annual Projected Tax Shift will vary during the Project.

2. Public infrastructure and community public service needs impacts and local tax impacts arising from the approval of the redevelopment project:

a. Public infrastructure improvements and impacts:

The Redeveloper will make significant expenditures for the acquisition, construction and installation of the Project and related and

ancillary improvements. It is proposed that approximately \$2,083,000 of these expenditures will be financed with the proceeds of tax increment financing indebtedness, with the remaining balance to be paid by the Redeveloper. The sources and uses of the TIF indebtedness will be more particularly set forth in the Redevelopment Agreement for this Project, including each phase. anticipated that eligible uses of the TIF indebtedness may include the following: site acquisition, site preparation, architectural and engineering fees, public utility extension and installation, installation of streets and sidewalks, landscaping, façade enhancements, energy efficiency enhancements, and other improvements deemed feasible and necessary in support of the public health, All expenditures financed by tax increment financing safety, and welfare. indebtedness shall be eligible in accordance with the requirements of the Nebraska Community Development Law. It is not anticipated that the Project will have a material adverse impact on existing public infrastructure. The Project improvements will materially benefit other property in and around the City.

b. Local Tax impacts (in addition to impacts of Tax Shifts described above):

The Project will create material tax and other public revenue for the City and other local taxing jurisdictions. While the use of tax increment financing will defer receipt of a majority of new ad valorem real property taxes generated by the Project, it is intended to create a long term benefit and substantial increase in property taxes to the City and other local taxing jurisdictions. Since the Project Site was not, until recently, within the corporate limits of the City, the City has not historically relied on tax revenue from the Project Site, and the City would be unlikely to realize additional ad valorem taxes in the near future without the Project because the Project Site and surrounding areas are unlikely to be developed without the street and utility improvements being constructed as part of the Project. The Project should also generate immediate tax growth for the City. It is anticipated that the Project will include a significant amount of personal property that will be installed within the commercial buildings constructed, which will be on the property tax rolls upon its acquisition and installation. Further, the Project will generate sales tax as a result of the commercial buildings constructed.

3. Impacts on employers and employees of firms locating or expanding within the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project:

It is anticipated that the Project will have a material positive impact on employers and employees of firms locating or expanding within the boundaries of the redevelopment project, because the Project includes extension and installation of public utilities, as well as street improvements, which will attract additional redevelopers to the area of the Project. Further, the Project will likely require products and services from firms located within the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project.

It is not anticipated that the Project will have a material adverse impact on employers and employees of firms locating or expanding within the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project.

4. Impacts on other employers and employees within the City and the immediate area that is located outside of the boundaries of the area of the redevelopment project:

The Project should have a material positive impact on private sector businesses in and around the area outside the boundaries of the redevelopment project. The Project is not anticipated to impose a burden or have a negative impact on other local area employers. The Project should also increase the need for services and products from existing businesses. Since the Project includes construction of commercial buildings, upon occupancy, the Project may require the purchase of janitorial services, office and hardware supplies, and other similar products and services.

5. Impacts on the student populations of school districts within the City:

The Project is not expected to have an impact on student populations of school districts within the City of Fremont because the Project does not include the construction of any dwelling units.

6. Other impacts determined by the agency to be relevant to the consideration of costs and benefits arising from the redevelopment project:

Upon completion of every phase of the Project, the Project is anticipated to create up to 120 full- and part-time jobs at the commercial buildings on the Project Site. When secondary employment effects in other employment sectors are added, the total employment effects are expected to be even higher.

There are no other material impacts determined by the agency relevant to the consideration of the cost of benefits arising from the Project.

6. Cost Benefit Analysis Conclusion:

Based upon the findings presented in this cost benefit analysis, the benefits outweigh the costs of the proposed Project.

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		, Chairman
	, Secretary	

EXHIBIT D-1

PROJECT INFORMATION

The Project will be undertaken on the real estate legally described as:

Lots Two (2), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10) and Eleven (11), Morningside Crossing, as surveyed, platted and recorded in the City of Fremont, Dodge County, Nebraska

(the "Project Site"). The Project shall consist of the following Private Improvements and Public Improvements:

- (a) **Private Improvements.** The private improvements anticipated to be constructed as part of the Project include 4 commercial flex buildings, a convenient store and fueling station, a retail strip center and a single-tenant retail building, a self-storage facility, and associated improvements on the Project Site. However, the private improvements, including (i) the quantity and type of commercial buildings, (ii) the size of each of the commercial buildings, and (iii) the schedule for implementation of each phase of the Project, are subject to adjustment, as more fully described in the Redevelopment Plan Amendment.
- (b) **Public Improvements.** Land acquisition, extension of public utilities, site preparation, installation of streets and sidewalks, landscaping, façade enhancements, energy efficiency enhancements, and other eligible public expenditures under the Act as determined in the Redevelopment Agreement; paid for, in part, by the tax increment generated by the private improvements.

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NEBRASKA PATHFINDERS

400 East Military Avenue, Fremont, NE 68025-5141

April 4, 2019

RE: Conditional Use Permit

Dear Property Owner:

You are hereby advised that the City of Fremont has received the following application(s):

A request by Stephen Dodd on behalf of the property owners for a Conditional Use Permit to expand a nonstandard use to allow two houses on a single nonstandard lot to be split into two nonstandard lots on property located at 315 N Linden Ave. and 1250 N. D St.

The public hearing on this application will be held before the City of Fremont Planning Commission on the 15th day of April, 2019. The public hearing is your opportunity to appear and speak on the merits of this application, if you so choose. The Planning Commission study session begins at 4:45 PM followed by the formal meeting at 5:00 PM in the Fremont City Council Chambers located on the second floor in the Fremont Municipal Building at 400 East Military Avenue, Fremont, Nebraska.

If you would like more information, you are encouraged to contact the applicant Stephen Dodd at 402-720-5017 or doddeng1@gmail.com, or the Planning Director, Jennifer Dam at 402-727-2636 or jennifer.dam@fremontne.gov.

The Planning Department staff report and recommendation will be available at the Planning Department office on Friday, April 12th after 3:00 PM. The Planning Commission Agenda and staff reports will also be available on the City's website at that time, <u>www.fremontne.gov.</u>

Sincerely,

Jennifer L. Dam, AICP Planning Director

Attachment: map

Cc: Stephen Dodd

Fremont School Board

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