

MEMO

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To: City of Dublin

From: EMH&T

Subject: Riverview Village Parking Analysis

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Introduction

Riverview Village Development involves a total of 5 buildings, as shown below.



The developer's 9/13/24 parking and zoning analysis (enclosed), calculated the following number of required spaces.

37 N. Riverview = 3 spaces	53 N. Riverview = 12 spaces	Prop. New Build = 53 spaces
45 N. Riverview = 3 spaces	62 N. Riverview = 47 spaces	Total for all = 118 spaces

Parking requirements are discussed in Section 153.173(F) of the <u>Historic District (HD) Zoning Districts Code</u> dated 2/22/2021. The Riverview Village development will occur on small lots and adjacent to the Scioto River (and park), where construction of on-site parking lots and/or parking structures are not feasible, would detract from village charm, and would negatively impact the scenic river corridor. Therefore, it is proposed that Riverview Village's required parking be provided through a combination of the following: 1) adding on-street parking and 2) utilizing available capacity in nearby parking structures.

Street Parking

The HD Code states:

• 153.173(F)(3)(c)2: On-street spaces shall be on the same side of the street and more than one-half the length of the parking space lies between the two side lot lines of the parcel extended into the street right-of-way.

Based on current plans for the street improvements, there are five on-street parking spaces planned for the east side of North Riverview Street in front of the New Build, contributing directly toward the parking requirement for that building. Additionally, the street improvements that are proposed in coordination with Riverview Village will add an approximate net total of 15 additional parking spaces on North Riverview Street between East Bridge Street and Indian Run; these are mainly located north of North Street and not directly in front of the Riverview Village buildings.

Off-site Parking

The HD Code states:

- 153.173(F)(2)(b): Required parking shall be provided either on-site, on-street, off-site, or in a parking structure or surface parking lot located within 600 feet of the subject parcel in which the parking lot or structure is located, unless approved by the required reviewing body.
- 153.173(F)(3)(b)4: If located off-site, distances to required parking areas shall be measured
 along a walkway from the nearest pedestrian entrance to the parking area to the main entrance
 to the principal structure or use being served.

There are many on-street spaces, parking garages and surface lots, on both the east and west sides of the river, within a quarter-to-half-mile walking distance of the site. For the purposes of this study, the two parking structures which are closest to Riverview Village were analyzed for their ability to provide all of the required off-site parking. They are:

- 1) Library Garage This structure has 410 spaces dedicated to public use at no charge. A parking survey performed by Nelson Nygard on 7/28/2022 found those spaces to be 6% occupied on a weekday morning, 31% occupied in the afternoon, and 61% occupied in the evening. Pedestrian entrances are located on the east side of the building and the northwest/southwest corners. The east-side entrance is closest to Riverview Village.
- 2) High Street Garage This structure is privately owned but has 204 spaces available to the public at a fee. A parking survey performed by EMH&T on 8/8/2024 found those spaces to be 13% occupied on a weekday morning, 26% occupied in the afternoon, and 68% occupied in the evening.

Proposed Parking Plan

Constructing on-site spaces within the Riverview Village development is not practical. Parking surveys show that the two garages closest to Riverview Village have more than enough spaces available to accommodate Riverview Village off-site parking requirements as demonstrated in the table below.

Building	Spaces Required	On-Street along Frontage	Off-Site Required	Offsite Proposed	Proposed Off-Site Location	Walking Distance (Feet) to Offsite Location	Time (Minutes) to Walk at 3 Ft/Sec Avg	Walking Distance as a % of 600 Ft Max per Code	Waiver Required for Distance > 600 ft?
37 N. Riverview	3	0	3	3	High St Garage	688	3.8	115%	Waiver
37 N. Riverview	3	"		0	Library Garage	796	4.4	133%	-
45 N. Riverview	3	0	3	3	High St Garage	617	3.4	103%	Waiver
45 N. Riverview	3			0	Library Garage	718	4.0	120%	-
53 N. Riverview	12	0	12	5	High St Garage	546	3.0	91%	-
53 N. Kiverview	12	"		7	Library Garage	640	3.6	107%	Waiver
(O.N. Di	47	0	47	22	High St Garage	473	2.6	79%	-
62 N. Riverview	47			25	Library Garage	572	3.2	95%	-
N B. 21-1	15	40	18	High St Garage	584	3.2	97%	-	
New Build	53	5	48	30	Library Garage	694	3.9	116%	Waiver
Total =	118	5	113	113				% >100% requir	es Waiver

Total Riverview Village Offsite Allocated to High St Garage =		45%
Total Riverview Village Offsite Allocated to Library Garage =	62	55%

Location/Time	Public Spaces	Occupied %	Occupied #	Available	Less Riverview Village Offsite	Remaining Available
High Street Garage						
10am Weekday		13%	27	177	-51	126
1pm Weekday	204	26%	53	151	-51	100
7pm Weekday		61%	124	80	-51	29
Library Garage						
10am Weekday		6%	25	385	-62	323
1pm Weekday	410	31%	127	283	-62	221
7pm Weekday		68%	279	131	-62	69

As shown above, High Street Garage and Library Garage can accommodate the proposed distribution of Riverview Village off-site parking at all times of day studied (10am, 1pm, 7pm on a weekday) with additional available spaces remaining and sidewalks will be constructed as part of the City's street improvements to facilitate walking between Riverview Village and the two parking structures. Note that, in four cases, the walking distances from the suggested offsite parking location to the building exceed the HD Code maximum of 600 feet. All four exceed the maximum by 16% or less and have an estimated walk time of less than 4 minutes. These walk distances and times are considered very reasonable and, therefore, it is recommended that a Waiver be granted.

It is noted again that, in addition to the two parking structures analyzed, there are many on-street spaces, parking garages and surface lots on both the east and west sides of the river, within a quarter-to-half-mile walking distance of the site which provide additional parking opportunities for visitors to Riverview Village.

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37 N RIVERVIEW ST		45 N RIVERVIEW ST		53 N RIVERVIEW ST	
Proposed Buildable Area		Proposed Buildable Area		Proposed Buildable Area	
Lot Area (sf)	5,912	Lot Area (sf)	4,691	Lot Area (sf)	4,236
Lot Width (ft)	63	Lot Width (ft)	57.3	Lot Width (ft)	65.9
Impervious Area (sf)	1,785	Impervious Area (sf)	1,678	Impervious Area (sf)	2,145
Lot Coverage	30.2%	Lot Coverage	35.8%	Lot Coverage	50.6%
Front Yard Setback (ft)	21.33	Front Yard Setback (ft)	21.9	Front Yard Setback (ft)	14.8
North Side Yard Setback (ft)	25.58	North Side Yard Setback (ft)	24.7	North Side Yard Setback (ft)	17.8
South Side Yard Setback (ft)	-3	South Side Yard Setback (ft)	5.5	South Side Yard Setback (ft)	12
Rear Yard Setback (ft)	43.25	Rear Yard Setback (ft)	29.66	Rear Yard Setback (ft)	11.1
Parking Requirement		Parking Requirement		Parking Requirement	
Parking Location	rear	Parking Location	rear	Parking Location	rear
Office, general, <50,000 SF	2.5 spaces per 1,000 SF	Office, general, <50,000 SF	2.5 spaces per 1,000 SF	Eating & Drinking	10 per 1,000 SF
Gross Building Area (sf)	1,130	Gross Building Area (sf)	915	Gross Building Area (sf)	1,130
Total Parking Required	3	Total Parking Required	3	Total Parking Required	12

62 N RIVERVIEW ST		NEW BUILD
Proposed Buildable Area		Proposed Buildable Area
Lot Area (sf)	6,772	Lot Area (sf) 15,79
Lot Width (ft)	73.9	Lot Width (ft) 172
Impervious Area (sf)	3,605	Impervious Area (sf) 10,08
Lot Coverage	53.2%	Lot Coverage 63.9
Front Yard Setback (ft)	0	Front Yard Setback (ft)
North Side Yard Setback (ft)	31.25	North Side Yard Setback (ft) 14
South Side Yard Setback (ft)	10.9	South Side Yard Setback (ft) 37
Rear Yard Setback (ft)	51.8	Rear Yard Setback (ft) 25
Parking Requirement		Parking Requirement
Parking Location	rear	Parking Location re
Eating & Drinking	10 per 1,000 SF	Office, general, <50,000 SF 2.5 spaces per 1,000 S
Gross Restaurant Building Area (sf)	2,388	Gross Office Building Area (sf) 12,09
Gross Patio Building Area (sf)	2,255	Event Space - Eating & Drinking 10 per 1,000 S
		Gross Event Space Building Area (sf) 2,20
Total Parking Required	47	
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Total Site Parking Required

118

