

STAFF REPORT DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION SPECIAL ZONING MEETING CITY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO FEBRUARY 8, 2024

2. **APPLICATION**: **Z23-069**

Location: 697 E. BROAD ST. (43215), being 0.76± acres located at the

southwest corner of East Broad Street and Parsons Avenue (010-046088 & 4 others; Near East Area Commission).

Existing Zoning: CPD, Commercial Planned Development District.

Request: CPD, Commercial Planned Development District (H-60).

Proposed Use: Commercial development.

Applicant(s): 697 East Broad, LLC c/o David Hodge, Atty.; 8000 Walton

Parkway, Suite 260; New Albany, OH 43054.

Property Owner(s): 697 East Broad, LLC c/o Tom Vetter; 15 West Cherry Street,

Suite 201; Columbus, OH 43215.

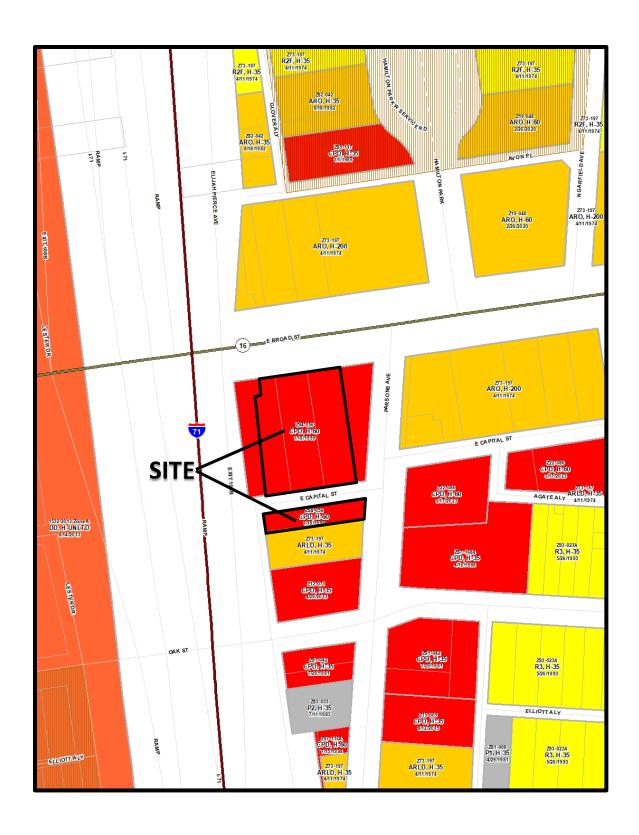
Planner: Tim Dietrich; 614-645-6665; tedietrich@columbus.gov

BACKGROUND:

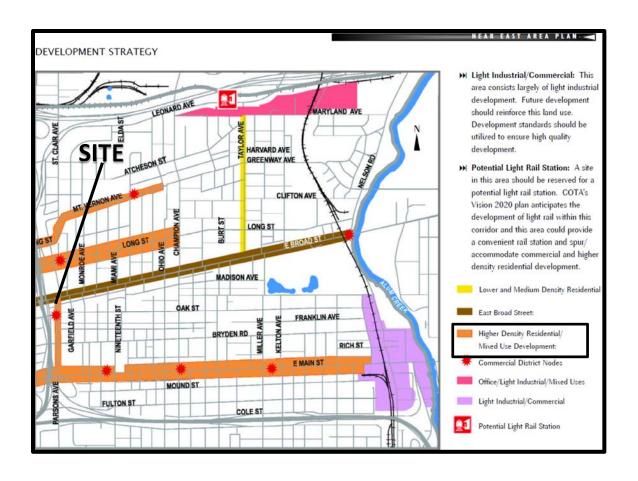
- o The 0.76± acre site consists of five parcels developed with an office building and parking in the CPD, Commercial Planned Development District, which only allows C-2 commercial uses. The requested CPD district updates the permitted uses to a limited number of C-4 uses and conforms the existing site conditions.
- North of the site are offices in the AR-O, Apartment-Office District. South of the site is an apartment building in the ARLD, Apartment Residential District. East of the site is an eating and drinking establishment in the AR-O, Apartment Office District. West of the site is right-of-way for I-70.
- o The site is within the *Near East Area Plan* (2005), which recommends "Higher Density Residential/ Mixed Use Development" land uses for this location.
- The site is located within the boundaries of the Near East Area Commission whose recommendation is for approval.
- The CPD text includes use restrictions, and supplemental development standards addressing building height, building and parking setbacks, required parking and loading spaces, vision clearance, and includes a commitment to develop the site in accordance with the submitted site plan. Code modifications to building and parking setbacks, required parking and loading spaces, and vision clearance are included in the text.
- The Columbus Multimodal Thoroughfare Plan (2019) identifies this portion of East Broad Street as a Signature Corridor requiring 120 feet of right-of-way and this portion of Parsons Avenue as an Urban Community Connector requiring 80 feet of right-of-way.

<u>CITY DEPARTMENTS' RECOMMENDATION</u>: <u>Conditional Approval.</u>

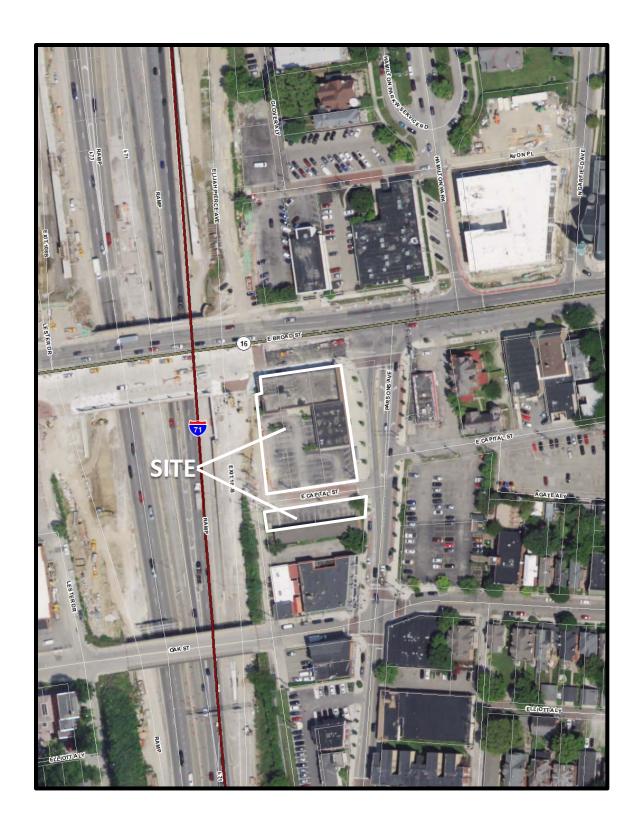
The proposed CPD, Commercial Planned Development District will update the permitted uses to include a limited number of C-4 uses, while also conforming the site's existing conditions. The CPD text includes appropriate use restrictions and supplemental development standards. The permitted uses are consistent with the *Near East Area Plan's* recommendation for "Higher Density Residential/ Mixed Use Development." Additionally, the included code modifications will conform the existing site conditions. The Department of Public Service has the following unresolved issues: site plan does not show the proposed reduction in loading space dimensions, and staff questions the accuracy regarding the aisle width measurement for the western portion of the parking lot. Upon resolution of these comments staff will be in full approval. Staff comments have been addressed and are now in full approval.



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Standardized Recommendation Form

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING AND ZONING SERVICES

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FOR USE BY: AREA COMMISSION / NEIGHBORHOOD GROUP (PLEASE PRINT) Z23-069 **Case Number** 697 E. Broad St. **Address** Near East Area Commssion **Group Name Meeting Date Specify Case Type** ☐ BZA Variance / Special Permit **Council Variance** Rezoning Graphics Variance / Plan / Special Permit Approval Recommendation (Check only one) Disapproval LIST BASIS FOR RECOMMENDATION:

Vote	15-0-1	
Signature of Authorized Representative		
Recommending Group Title	Chair O	
Daytime Phone Number	614 403 2225	

Please e-mail this form to the assigned planner within 48 hours of meeting day; OR FAX to Zoning at (614) 645-2463; OR MAIL to: Zoning, City of Columbus, Department of Building & Zoning Services, 111 N Front Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.



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PROJECT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Parties having a 5% or more interest in the project that is the se	ubject of this application.	
THIS PAGE MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY AND NOTARIZED. Do not indicate 'NONE' in the space provided.		
STATE OF OHIO COUNTY OF FRANKLIN		
Being first duly cautioned and sworn (NAME) Eric Zartma	n	
of (COMPLETE ADDRESS) 8000 Walton Parkway, Suit	te 260, New Albany, Ohio 43054	
deposes and states that (he/she) is the APPLICANT, AGENT, OR DULY AUTHORIZED ATTORNEY FOR SAME and the following is		
a list of all persons, other partnerships, corporations or entities having a 5% or more interest in the project which is the subject of this		
application in the following format:		
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SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT	<u> </u>	
Sworn to before me and signed in my presence this 27 day	of <u>Nov</u> , in the year <u>2023</u>	
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This Project Disclosure Statement expires six (6) months after date of notarization.

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