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### STATEMENT OF HARDSHIP

PROPERTY ADDRESS:

**APPLICANTS:** 

C&V Lane & High LLC, and University Gateway North, LLC, c/o Michael T. Shannon, Esq. CRABBE, BROWN & JAMES, LLP 500 S. Front Street, Suite 1200 Columbus, Ohio 43215

15 East Lane Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43201

### DATE OF TEXT:

March 30, 2016

The Site consist of two parcels: PID 010-069995 (hereinafter "Parcel A") and PID 010-007581 (hereinafter "Parcel B"). The Site is located on south-east corner at the intersection of East Lane Avenue and North High Street. The Site is currently classified C4 with a Height District of 35 feet. The Site is subject to the University Commercial Overlay, the University Area Commission, and the University/Impact Planning Overlay. Parcel A is currently vacant. Parcel B is currently used as commercial space and provides 40 parking spaces.

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The Site's neighboring parcels are classified C2 across North Pearl Street on the east, C4 across Lane Avenue on the north, LUCRPD across North High Street on the west, and C4 on the south.

Applicant's proposed development is a mix of commercial, residential, and parking uses. The market indicates that Parcel A should support 20,000 square feet of commercial space on the first and second floors. The parking garage will rise two stories behind the existing commercial space on Parcel B and also include the basement of both Parcels A and B. The development will also provide residential uses on the third, fourth, and fifth floors of both Parcels A (above the new commercial space) and B (above the parking garage).

In the event that 20,000 square feet of commercial space is not viable on Parcel A, Applicant alternatively proposes 10,000 square feet of commercial space on the first floor and residential uses on the second floor and above. This alternative with less commercial use and more residential use would reduce the required number of parking spaces under the Columbus City Code. In either case, Parcel A requires a parking variance and applicant will provide 150 parking spaces combined between Parcels A and B, as depicted on the Site Plan.

Applicant requests the following variances (for both Parcels A and B, unless indicated otherwise):

- 1. 3309.14 Height District- The site's Height District is 35 feet. Applicant requests a variance to allow a maximum height of 68 feet, exclusive of decorative cornices and rooftop mechanical screening.
- 3312.51 Loading Space Loading space shall have minimum dimensions of not less than 12 feet in width and 50 feet in length, exclusive of any driveway, aisle, or other circulation area and shall be located on the same lot as the use they are intended to serve. Applicant requests a variance to allow a minimum loading space dimension of 12 feet in width by 18 feet in length and to allow loading space maneuvering across lot lines.
- 3. 3312.29 Parking Space A parking space shall be a rectangular area of not less than nine feet by 18 feet and limited to one vehicle stacked parking. Applicant requests a variance to allow a minimum rectangular parking area of eight feet by 18 feet. Spaces with this dimension shall be for residential uses. Applicant also requests a variance to allow a maximum of seventeen stacked vehicles. Stacked spaces shall be assigned to individual units.
- 4. 3312.25 Maneuvering- Every parking space shall have sufficient access and maneuvering area. Applicant requests a variance to allow parking spaces to have access and maneuvering over and through other parking spaces and lot lines.
- 5. 3312.49 Minimum Numbers of Parking Spaces
  - a. A minimum of two bicycle spaces shall be provided with additional bicycle parking spaces at a rate of one bicycle parking space per 20 vehicle spaces up to a maximum of 20 bicycle spaces. Bicycle parking shall be located in highly visible areas. Applicant requests a variance to allow bicycle parking located within the parking garage.
  - b. The parking requirement for residential uses with four or more dwelling units is 1.5 per unit. The parking requirement for eating/drinking commercial retail uses is 1 per 75 square feet. The parking requirement for mercantile commercial retail use is 1 per 250 square feet. Applicant requests a variance for Parcel A to allow a minimum of 41 parking spaces. As a mitigating factor, Parcel B will provide 109 parking spaces and will serve both parcels. The Site will provide a minimum total of 150 parking spaces.
- 6. 3356.03 C-4 Permitted Uses Ground floor residential uses are not permitted in the C-4 district. Applicant requests a variance for Parcel A to allow ground floor residential accessory uses such as: on onsite leasing office, a workout facility, or a computer station/study for exclusive use by the building residents.
- 3356-05(F)(1) C-4- District Development Limitations- Dwelling units are permitted above parking garages or parking lots only if the parking facilities are adjoining to one or more other commercial uses. Applicant requests a variance for Parcel B to allow residential uses above the proposed parking garage without adjoining commercial use.

Additionally, as it relates to traffic related commitments the Applicant agrees to dedicate two additional ft. so that Pearl Alley will have a total Right-of-Way of 22 ft. The Applicant also agrees to modifications of the intersection of Lane Avenue and Pearl Alley, consistent with the Applicant's revised traffic study, subject to the approval of the Department of Public Service.

The Applicant agrees to the modifications to Pearl Alley to provide a minimum pavement width of 20 ft. in Pearl Alley along the frontage of the subject site.

A hardship exists in that the proposed development cannot confirm to the underlying Commercial zoning district established by the City's Zoning Code. The development will appreciate and enhance the existing neighborhood and, therefore, will not adversely affect the surrounding property or surrounding neighborhood. Rather, the development will alleviate a hardship for difficulty which warrants variances from C-4 Commercial Zoning Classification.

Additionally, a practical difficulty exists because the Applicant cannot meet the underlying development standards required by the City's Zoning Code. Accordingly, the above development standard variances are necessary in order for the Applicant to maintain the intended mix use development project.

The requested variances will not impair an adequate supply of light or air to the adjacent property, unreasonably increase the congestion of public streets, increase the damage of fires, endanger the public safety, unreasonably diminish or impair established property values within the surrounding area, or in any other respect impair the public health, safety, comfort, morals or welfare of the inhabitants of the city.

For the reasons stated above, Applicant respectfully requests approval of the requested variances.

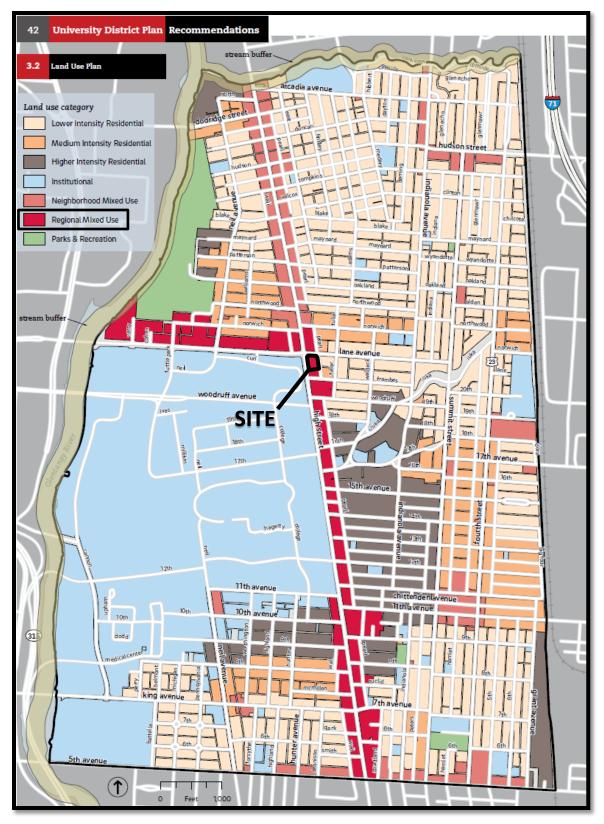
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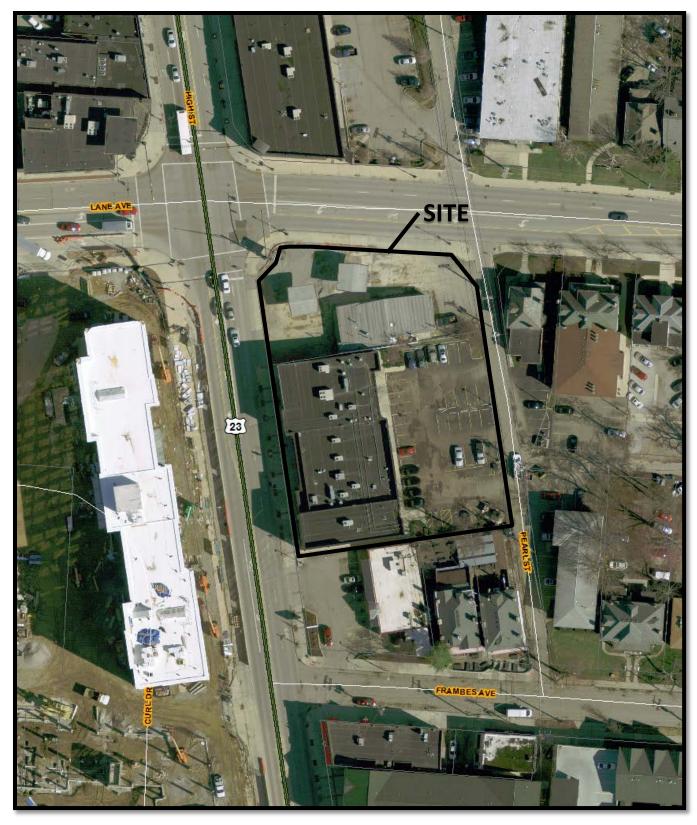
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# **University Area Commission**

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## Serving the University Community for over 30 Years

TO: Shannon Pine 757 Carolyn Ave. Columbus, OH 43224 Ph: 614-645-2208 <u>spine@columbus.gov</u> RE: 15 E. Lane Avenue CV16-006

Dear Shannon:

City of Columbus

Mayor Andrew J. Ginther

This letter amends and supersedes the letter from the University Area Commission dated Feb. 17, 2016. The vote of the Commission was and is still unanimous in support of the variances for the mixed use development proposed for the site located on the SE corner at the intersection of E. Lane Ave. and N. High St. The variances requested are as follows:

- <u>3309.14 Height District</u>: to permit a maximum height of 68 ft., exclusive of decorative cornices & rooftop mechanical screening, in a 35 ft. maximum height\_district.
- <u>3312.51 Loading Space:</u> Loading space shall have minimum dimensions of not less than 12 feet in width and 50 feet in length, exclusive of any driveway, aisle, or other circulation area and shall be located on the same lot as the use they are intended to serve. Applicant requests a variance to allow minimum loading space dimensions of 12 feet in width by 18 feet in length and to allow loading space maneuvering across lot lines.
- <u>3312.29 Parking Space:</u> To permit a min. rectangular parking area of 8 ft. x 18 ft. rather than the code-required minimum parking space of 9 ft. x 18 ft. These spaces shall be for residential uses. And to permit a max. 8 stacked vehicles rather than the code-required minimum of 1 vehicle stacked parking space. Stacked spaces shall be assigned to individuals.
- <u>3312.25 Maneuvering</u>: to permit parking spaces to have access & maneuvering over and through other parking spaces and lot lines.
  - 3312.49 Minimum Numbers of Parking Spaces:
    - To permit bicycle parking to be located within the parking garage rather than in "highly visible areas."
    - To reduce the required parking from 246 to 154 (92space reduction). (The parking requirement for residential uses with four or more dwelling units is 1.5/unit. The parking requirement for eating/drinking commercial retail uses is 1/75 sq. ft. The parking requirement for mercantile commercial retail use is 1/250 sq. ft. Applicant requests a variance for Parcel A to allow a minimum of 39 parking spaces. As a mitigating factor, Parcel B will provide 115 parking spaces (an excess of 38) and will serve both parcels. The Site will provide a minimum total of 154 parking spaces.)
- <u>3356.03 C-4 Permitted Uses:</u> to permit ground floor residential use accessory use in a C-4 District. Such uses include: onsite leasing office, a workout facility, or a computer station/study for exclusive use by the buildings residents.
- <u>3356.05(F)(1) C-4 District Development Limitations:</u> to permit residential dwellings above the
  proposed parking garage in Parcel B without adjoining commercial use. Code allows dwelling units
  above parking garages or parking lots only if the parking facilities are adjoining to one or more other
  commercial uses.

The Commission commended the applicant for spending a great deal of time working out issues within the Zoning Committee. There was compromise and agreement over concerns with parking, overall building height, building step backs, & number of units/bedrooms. In the end, the plan, *dated Feb. 1, 2016*, addressed the conditions of this difficult site by providing a well-thought out parking scheme, *a minimum 0.60 residential parking ratio*, and stepping the building back from the adjacent residential neighborhood to the east of Pearl Street. The University Area Commission expressed overall support for the project and a planning process that helped make the proposed building appropriate for its unique setting.

The vote to approve the above variance request was unanimous: For - 19; Against - 0;

#### Abstentions – 0.

Respectfully Submitted, Susan LM Keeny Susan Keeny UAC Zoning Committee Chair C: 937-479-0201

# **University Area Review Board**

50 West Gay Street, Fourth Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215-9031 (614) 645-6096 (614) 645-6675 fax



DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT

# RECOMENDATION

zoning case no.	CV16-006
property address	15 EAST LANE AVENUE
hearing date	February 18, 2016
applicant	Mike Shannon (Crabbe, Brown & James), Karrick Sherrill (Schremshock Architects)
issue date	March 31, 2016

This is a recommendation to the appropriate regulatory body as identified per City Code. It is not a zoning clearance or a building permit. This document does <u>not</u> relieve the applicant from the responsibility of filing for and obtaining any required zoning clearance and/or building permit from the City of Columbus Department of Building & Zoning Services (645-6090 / 757 Carolyn Avenue) and following all other applicable codes and ordinances of the City of Columbus.

The University Area Review Board hereby certifies that the application for the above referenced property and a copy of this Recommendation are on file with the City of Columbus Planning Division within the Development Department. The Board has reviewed the application and taken the following action(s) in accordance with <u>Columbus City Code 3372.580</u>.

### Variance or Zoning Change Request

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Rezoning Parking Variance Change of Use Lot Split

Graphics
Special permit
Setbacks
Other

TYPE(S) OF ACTION(S) REQUESTED:

In a unanimous (5-0) vote the UARB motioned:

To support the requested variances to advance the project as proposed.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

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SUPPORT REQUESTED VARIANCE OR ZONING CHANGE

DO NOT SUPPORT REQUESTED VARIANCE OR ZONING CHANGE NO ACTION TAKEN

THIS RECOMMENDATION IS FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE DESIGNATED REGULATORY AUTHORITY FOR THE ACTION(S) REQUESTED AS INDICATED.

Daniel Ferdelman University Area Review Board, Staff



**Council Variance Application** 

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING AND ZONING SERVICES 757 Carolyn Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43224 Phone: 614-645-7433 • www.bzs.columbus.gov

### PROJECT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Parties having a 5% or more interest in the project that is the subject of this application.

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APPLICATION # CV16-666

STATE OF OHIO COUNTY OF FRANKLIN

Being first duly cautioned and sworn (NAME) Michael J. Shannow of (COMPLETE ADDRESS) 500 S. Front St. Str., 1200 Calier

of (COMPLETE ADDRESS) <u>500 S</u>, <u>Front St</u>, <u>Stc</u>. 1200 <u>Columbus</u> <u>(Oh 43215</u>) deposes and states that (he/she) is the A<del>FFLICANT</del>, A<del>GENT</del>, 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:

> Name of business or individual Business or individual's address Address of corporate headquarters City, State, Zip Number of Columbus based employees Contact name and number

<sup>1</sup> Universtey Dateway North, hhc 88 W. Main Columbies Ohio 43215	2. CAV Ranet Hegh, M.C. 2015 Braemer Druie Colienteus, DH 43220
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Check here if listing additional property owners on a separate page.

SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT th 5 2016 Sworn to before me and signed in my presence this day of , in the year Notary Seal Here My Commiss GAROLA. STEWART SIGN URE OF NOTARY PUBLIC NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF OHIO MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 06/28/2019 This Project Disclosure expires six (6) months after the date of notarization.

PLEASE NOTE: Incomplete information will result in the rejection of this submittal. Applications must be submitted by appointment. Call 614-645-4522 to schedule. Please make checks payable to the Columbus City Treasurer