

STAFF REPORT DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION ZONING MEETING CITY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO JULY 9, 2020

5. APPLICATION: Z20-029

**Location:** 1400 BETHEL RD. (43220), being 2.66± acres located at the

northeast corner of Bethel Road and Godown Road (010-138788 & 010-132390; Northwest Civic Association).

**Existing Zoning:** C-4, Commercial District.

**Request:** CPD, Commercial Planned Development District (H-35). **Proposed Use**. Fuel sales, convenience store, and eating and drinking

establishment.

**Applicant(s):** SkilkenGold Development; c/o Connie Klema, Atty; PO Box 991;

Pataskala, OH 43062.

Property Owner(s): Bucla, Inc.; 25380 Miles Road; Bedford Heights, OH 44146; and

LAR JO LTD, LLC; 605 South Front Street, Suite 200;

Columbus, OH 43215.

Planner: Hayley Feightner; 614-645-3526; hefeightner@columbus.gov

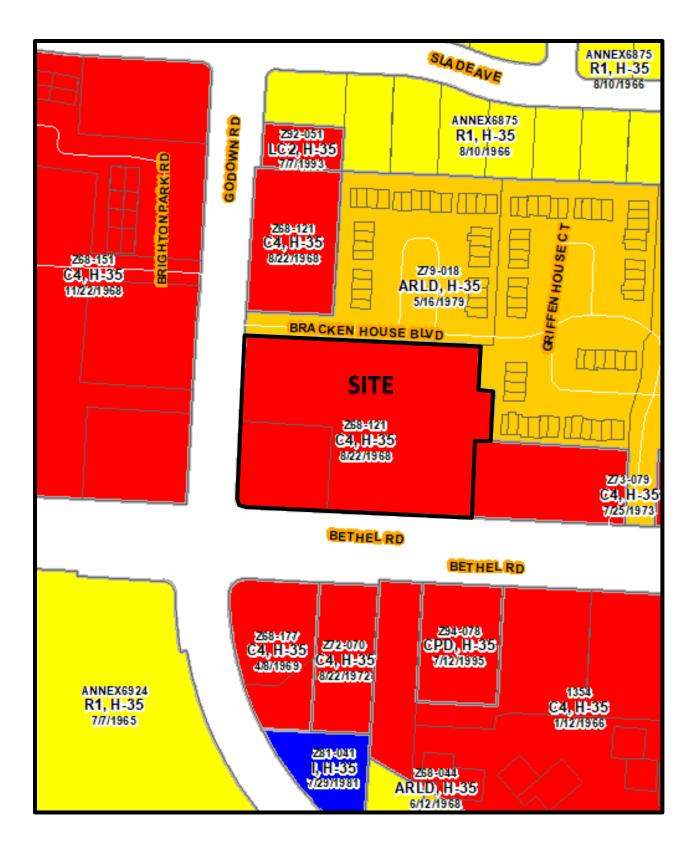
#### **BACKGROUND:**

- The 2.66± acre site consists of two parcels, one developed with a vacant eating and drinking establishment, and one developed with a vehicle rental business, both zoned in the C-4, Commercial District. The requested CPD, Commercial Planned Development District would allow the site to be redeveloped with a fuel sales and convenience store with accessory on-site food and beverage service.
- North and east of the site is a multi-unit residential development in the ARLD, Apartment Residential District. Also located east of the site is a bank in the C-4, Commercial District. South of the site across Bethel Road are several eating and drinking establishments, a fuel sales facility, and a doctor's office in the CPD, Commercial Planned Development and C-4, Commercial districts. West of the site across Godown Road is commercial development and a fuel sales facility in the C-4, Commercial District.
- o The site is within the boundaries of *The Northwest Plan* (2016), which recommends "Mixed Use 1" land uses at this location, which includes commercial classifications and supports residential uses. The site is also within the Bethel Road Regional Commercial Overlay.
- The site is located within the boundaries of the Northwest Civic Association, whose recommendation is for approval, with conditions to discuss options for turning left into Speedway from northbound Godown Road, and that traffic improvements be made to the intersection of Bethel Road and Godown Road prior to the proposed business opening.
- The CPD text establishes use restrictions and supplemental development standards that address building and parking setbacks, traffic access, landscaping and screening, building materials, and commits to developing the site in accordance with the submitted site plan. Additionally, the text includes a variance to locate the dumpster at the northwest corner of the property.

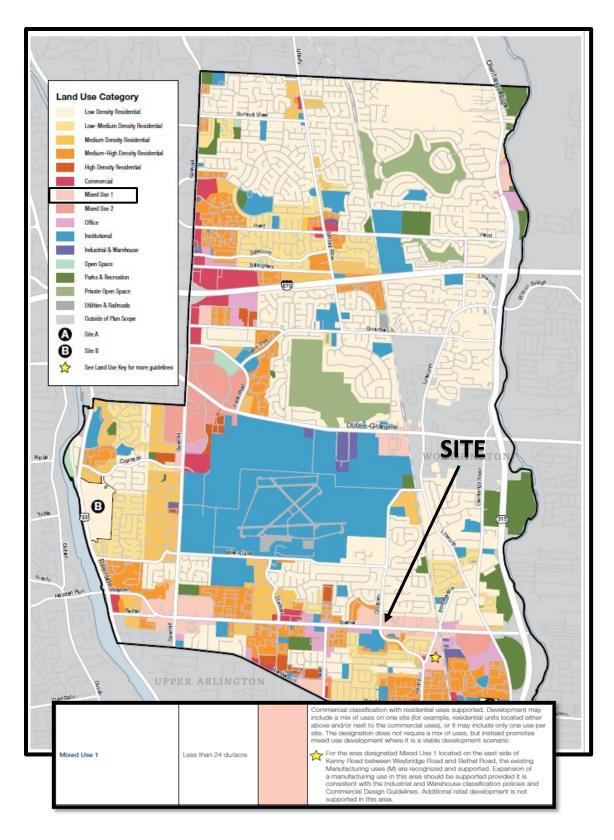
 The Columbus Multimodal Thoroughfare Plan identifies this portion of Bethel Road as a Suburban Commuter Corridor with 160 feet of right-of-way.

### **CITY DEPARTMENTS' RECOMMENDATION:** Approval.

The requested CPD, Commercial Planned Development District will allow the development of a fuel sales facility and convenience store with accessory eating and drinking establishment uses and minimal outdoor display sales. The CPD text establishes appropriate use restrictions and supplemental development standards, and includes commitments to develop the site in accordance with the submitted site plan. Although *The Northwest Plan* recommends buildings be parallel to and facing the street with an entrance door connected to the public sidewalk, the Planning Division recognizes that the environmental studies conducted at the site revealed evidence of contamination from a previous gas station in the southwest quadrant, presenting constraints on site design to limit exposure. The Planning Division acknowledges these constraints and supports the submitted site plan which includes adequate landscaping and fencing to further mitigate the impact of the site design. The proposal is consistent with the Plan's land use recommendation and is compatible with the zoning and development pattern of the surrounding area.



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## **Rezoning Application**

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### PROJECT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

All parties having a 5% or more interest in the project that is the subject of this application should be listed.

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I. SkilkenGold, LLC - Contact: Frank Petruziello / 614-580-9400 / 4270 Morse Road, Columbus, OH 43230 / 28 Columbus based employees	2.	37774
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