Memorandum to the City of Markham Committee of Adjustment

June 16th, 2020

File: B/006/20

Address: 550 Copper Creek Dr, Markham Applicant: Boxgrove Commercial East Inc.

Agent: TACC Developments
Hearing Date: Wednesday July 9th, 2020

The following comments are provided on behalf of the East Team. The applicant is requesting provisional consent for partial discharge of mortgage on portions of the subject property. The subject lands are identified as Parts 1 to 5 of the draft reference plan submitted with this application, as shown in Appendix 'B'

BACKGROUND

Property Description

The subject property is located at the north-west corner of Donald Cousens Parkway (DCP) and Copper Creek Drive, and south side of Highway 407. The subject site is approximately 8 hectares (19.77 acres) in area. The site is developed with three commercial buildings, including a large format retail store (Walmart), a multi-unit commercial building and, a bank (CIBC). The south half of the site has been approved for a 199 unit common element condominium townhouse development, which is currently under construction.

Surrounding land uses include a residential development to the south and southwest, across DCP; and, a Mixed Use townhouse development with commercial uses along Copper Creek to the west. Highway 407 abuts the site to the north, and vacant lands are located to the east across DCP.

Proposal

The applicant is requesting a partial discharge of mortgage on a portion the subject lands as shown in Appendix 'B'. The applicant advises that the north portion of the site containing the commercial buildings, and a portion of the lands being developed as townhouses is subject to an existing mortgage. The applicant is requesting provisional consent to discharge a mortgage on a portion of the subject lands being developed with common element condominium townhouses. This requires approval by the Committee of Adjustment.

Application Processing

This application was submitted on March 25th 2020 however, not scheduled due to the Province of Ontario's decision to suspend *Planning Act* timelines for the consideration of a consent and minor variance application, as well as any appeal of an application to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal.

On June 12, 2020, the Province announced that the emergency regulations relating to *Planning Act* applications will end on June 22, 2020. After June 22, 2020, the procedural requirements (e.g. sending of notices, hearing of applications, eligibility for appeals to LPAT, etc.) of *Planning Act* applications shall proceed as they did prior to the declaration of the emergency. Revisions to the initial memorandum include an update on matters relating to application processing.

Staff have reviewed this proposal and have no objections.

Please see Appendi	ix "B" for conditions to	be attached to any	y approval of this	application.

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APPENDIX "A" CONDITIONS TO BE ATTACHED TO ANY APPROVAL OF B/006/20

- 1. That the corresponding site plan agreement has been registered on title; and
- 2. Fulfillment of all of the above conditions within one (1) year of the date that notice of the decision was given under Section 50(17) or 50(24) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13.

CONDITIONS PREPARED BY:

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