

November 14, 2024

City of Harrisburg Planning and Building Department PO Box 378 Harrisburg, Oregon 97446

RE: OCCU Harrisburg – ITM Sign Height (202228/1.3)

Variance – Cover Letter

Assessor's Map: 15S04W16AA

Tax Lots: 11700

Property Address: Not yet assigned but adjacent to 375 South 3rd Street

Property Owner: Gibson & Gibson, LLC

125 East 6th Street

Junction City, Oregon 97448

541.998.2388

Contact: Kurt Straube kstraube@darimart.com

Applicant: Oregon Community Credit Union

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On behalf of the applicant, Oregon Community Credit Union, enclosed is a Variance Application for two additional illuminated signs that are approximately 15'-3" in height located on the same site as the drive-through coffee kiosk at 375 South 3rd Street on the northeast corner of South 3rd Street and Kesling Street. In accordance with the Type III application submittal requirements, the following attachments are provided for review by the City staff and Planning Commission.

Variance Application Form – 1 Copy

Site Plan (81/2" x 11") - 1 Copy

Attachments – 1 Copy Written Statement City of Harrisburg November 14, 2024 Page 2 of 2

ATTACHMENT A Tax Assessor's Map ATTACHMENT B Property Description

Plan Sets – 1 Copy

T1 Title Sheet

LA.1 Landscape Plan

A1.1 Site Plan

A2.1 Partial Enlarged Site Plan & Exterior Elevations

SL-1 Photometric Plan

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at your convenience. Thank you for your time and consideration of this proposal.

Sincerely,

Zach Galloway, AICP Senior Planner

ZG/KT

cc: Matt Wilson, Vice President, Oregon Community Credit Union Kurt Straube, Gibson & Gibson, LLC Anna Backus, PE, KPFF Consulting Engineers Kelly Sandow, PE, Sandow Engineering David Dougherty, ASLA, Dougherty Landscape Architects

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City of Harrisburg 120 Smith Street Harrisburg, OR 97446 Phone (541) 995-6655 www.ci.harrisburg.or.us/planning

LAND USE APPLICATION

STAFF USE ONLY				
File Number: 462-2024 Date Received: 11.26.24 - Final				
Fee Amount:	\$1,500			
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Annexation*	APPLICAT	TON TYPE Property Line Adjustment		
Annexation				
Comprehensive Plan Amendment*		Partition/Replat* Minor Major		
Conditional Us	e Permit*	Site Plan Review*		
Historic Permit*		Site Plan Review – Parking Only		
Resource Alteration		Subdivision/Replat*		
Resource Demolition		☐ Vacation of street, alley or easement		
Historic Review – District		X Variance*		
Legal Lot Deter	mination	Zone Map Change*		
A Pre-Application Conference with City Staff is Required		Zoning Ordinance Text Amendment		
PLE	ASE PROVIDE A BRIEF S	UMMARY OF THE PROPOSAL		
	for two additional illumina the ITM kiosk unit at 15'-	r a Type III Variance application approval ted signs mounted on the tower element of 3" in height above grade, which exceeds the sign at 10-foot sign height.		
Project Description	375 South 3rd Street and including a drive-through	e same site as the coffee kiosk located at is part of a proposed proposed project ITM kiosk unit with associated parking, e infrastructure submitted under a separate tion.		
Project Name	OCCU Harrisburg - Sign	Variance		

PRIMARY CONTACT AND OWNER INFORMATION	
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Applicant's Signature Matthew W. Wilson]
Date 11/12/2024]
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Owner Signature	
Date	
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owner or legal representative and their signature.	

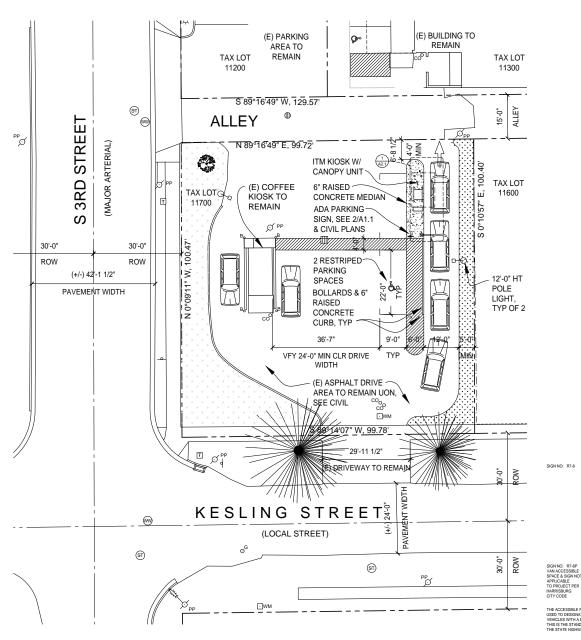
	(general vicin		TY DESCRIPT street, distance	TION e to intersection, etc.)
Street Address	375 South 3r	d Street		
General Location	n Description	northeast o	corner lot at S	South 3rd St and Kesling St
		Related Tax Lot(s)		
Map # 15S04W16AA		Tax Lot(s) # [11700	
The Assessor's Map Number (Township, Section and Range) and the Tax Lot Number (parcel) can be found on your tax statement, at the Linn County Assessor's Office, or online at http://linn-web.co.linn.or.us/propertywebquerypublic/				
Lot Area 0.23	rea 0.23 AC (9,879 SF) [<i>Projet</i>		[Project site a	area applies to 11700 only]

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Street Ac	dress	Not yet assign	ed - same sit	e as the drive-th	arough coffee kiosk at 375 South 3rd St
General	Locatio	n Description	northeast	corner lot at S	South 3rd St and Kesling St
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Lot Area	0.23	3 AC (9,879 S	SF)		

LAND USE AND OVERLAY ZON	ES
Existing Zone(s) C-1 Commercial	
Existing Comprehensive Plan Designation(s) Commercial	
Please select any of the following zone overlays or natural are	as that apply to the subject site:
Historic Overlay Willamette River Greenway	Floodplain
Riparian Corridors Wetlands	
*Please include a discussion in the project narrative indicating proposal. For more information about any of these overlays, p at (541) 995-6655.	
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CHECK THE BOX NEXT TO INCLUDED X Narrative* (address all applicable HMC review criteria)	X Architectural Elevations
X Assessor's Map with Applicable Tax Lots Highlighted	Architectural Floor Plans
X Site Plan [24"x36" (Arch D) sheet]	Utilities Plan
X Survey / ALTA	Geotechnical Report/Site
X Aerial Photograph / Existing Land Use(s) Map	Assessment
Zoning Map (if applicable, show proposed change(s))	X Electronic Versions of Exhibits
Comprehensive Plan Map(s) (if applicable, show proposed changes))	X Application Fee
Subdivision or Partition Plat	Other
*A written narrative is required for all application types. Typica 11"X17", or 8.5"X11". Sizes of required drawings will depend applications involved. Contact the City Planner to verify require the following: property lines, points of access for vehicles, ped courses, any natural features (wetlands, floodplain, etc.), exist driveways, parking areas, utilities, pedestrian and bike paths, a Please note there are additional specific graphic and narrative application type. Refer to the Harrisburg Municipal Code for many contents.	on the type and scope of ements. On your plans, include estrians, and bicycles, water ing and proposed streets and and existing easements. requirements for each
A Pre-application Conference is Required with City Staff papplication. Please contact the City Administrator, or City ministrator to make an appointment. Date of Appointment	Recorder/Assistant City Ad-

	PLEASE TELL US MORE ABOUT THE PROPOSAL AND ITS SITE				
1.	Are there existing structures on the site? Yes No If yes, please explain				
	The site includes an existing drive-through coffee shop of approximately 135 square feet. A new drive-through ITM kiosk is proposed on the east side of the site				
2.	Indicate the uses proposed and describe the intended activities:				
	The Variance will allow a sign that exceeds the 10-feet sign height limit in the C-1 zone. The proposed signs are mounted on the structure of the ITM and is approximately 15'-3" in height. Two additional signs more than allowed are proposed.				
3.	How will open space, common areas and recreational facilities be maintained?				
	The proposed Variance does not affect open space, common areas, or recreational facilities.				
4.	Are there previous land use approvals on the development site? • Yes • No If yes, please include a discussion in the project narrative describing how the prior approvals impact your proposal.				
	The City approved the existing 135-square foot, drive-through coffee shop in 2006.				
5.	Have you reviewed the Oregon Fire Code Applications Guide in relation to your land use request? Yes No Do you have questions about any element of these requirements? If yes, please explain:				
	N/A				
	AUTHORIZATION FOR STAFF & DECISION MAKERS TO ENTER LAND				
pro ma wh	y staff, Planning Commissioners, and City Councilors are encouraged to visit the sites of oposed developments as part of their review of specific land use applications. Decision laker site visits are disclosed through the public hearing process. Please indicate below ether you authorize City staff and decision makers to enter onto the property(-ies) sociated with this application as part of their site visits.				
wit	I authorize City staff and decision makers to enter onto the property(-ies) associated h this application.				
this	X I do not authorize City decision makers to enter onto the property(-ies) associated with this application.				



GENERAL NOTES

- ALL PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AS REQUIRED WILL BE PRIVATELY CONSTRUCTED AND SHALL CONFORM TO THE 2017 OREGON STAND SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION AS ISSUED BY THE OREGON DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

PARKING CALCULATIONS

VEHICLE PARKING

VEHICLE PARKING CALCULATIONS ARE PROVIDED FOR THE DEVELOPMENT SITE VEHICLE PARKING SPACES REQUIRED (HMC TABLE 18.80.0303.1) EXISTING RESTAURANT USE

1: 200 SF GROSS FLOOR AREA 13 S SF/200 SF PROPOSED ITM BANK USE

PROPOSED TIM BANK USE
(COURMENTANT) HABITABLE SPACE BUT PARKING PROVIDED
CONSERVATIVELY FOR MAINTENANCE PROVIDER)
1: 300 SF
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TOTAL VEHICLE PARKING SPACES REQUIRED 1 SPACE 2 SPACES

TOTAL VEHICLE PARKING PROPOSED 2 PARALLEL SPACES TO BE RESTRIPED STANDARD (9-0" X 22-0") ACCESSIBLE (9-0" X 22-0" W/6'-0" ACCESS AISLE) 1 SPACE

BICYCLE PARKING

THE PROPOSED ITM BANK KIOSK IS A VEHICLE CENTERED USE WITHOUT A BUILDING SO BICYCLE PARKING IS NOT REQUIRED.

2 SPACES

VERIFY SIGN LANGUAGE 8 SPACING AS REQUIRED BY STATE & CITY CODE

SCHEDULE 40 GALVANIZED STEEL PIPE, SEE TYP BOLLARD DETAIL 4/A1.2

VEHICLES WITH A DMV PERMIT AS STATED

SITE PLAN

TYP ADA PARKING SIGN

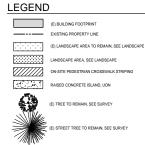
PARKING WITH D.M.V.

DISABLED PERMIT ONLY

VIOLATORS SUBJECT TO

VAN ACCESSIBLE

TOWING UNDER / ORS 811.620



FOR REFERENCE ONLY

FOR ALL UTILITY INFORMATION SEE THE SURVEY, DEMO PLAN, AND CIVIL DRAWINGS



KIOSK TY CREDIT UNION HARRISBURG ITM KIC OREGON COMMUNITY C TYPE II LAND USE APPLICATION SOUTH 3RD STREET & KESLING STREET HARRISBURG, OREGON 9746 SITE PLAN

PROJECT#

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WRITTEN STATEMENT

I. VARIANCE REQUEST SUMMARY

In accordance with the Type III application submittal requirements, this written statement describes a proposed Variance request for the number of illuminated signs and sign height, and it demonstrates that the proposal complies with the approval criteria under Harrisburg Municipal Code (HMC) 19.40.040(2). The proposal is subject to the Type III application review process per HMC 19.10.040.

The subject request is for approval of a Variance application for two additional illuminated signs with sign height to exceed the maximum 10-feet height limit in Commercial zones.

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The proposed two additional illuminated signs are to be mounted at a height of 5'-3" above grade on the north and south facades of the tower element as part of a drive-through ITM (interactive teller machine) use that was submitted under a separate Type II Land Use application. The plan set for the proposed project as part of the required Type II application submitted on November 13, 2024 illustrates the ITM kiosk unit with the ITM enclosure, canopy, tower element, the allowed signs (one illuminated sign on the east side of the ITM enclosure and one non-illuminated sign on the west side of ITM enclosure) as well as the proposed two additional illuminated signs on the tower element. The proposed drive-through ITM is located on the same site adjacent to the existing coffee kiosk at 375 South 3rd Street.

The City sign code includes standards for the Commercial zones at HMC 18.90.030(2), as excerpted below in bold, italicized font.

18.90.030 Allowed signs by zone.

2. Commercial and Industrial Zones.

- a. One illuminated sign not to exceed 32 square feet and not more than 10 feet in height.
- b. One nonilluminated sign not to exceed 64 square feet and not more than 12 feet in height.
- c. All signs must be set back from public right-of-way and neighboring property lines four feet.

As outlined below, the proposed ITM kiosk unit includes 4 signs. There are two proposed, code allowed signs on the ITM enclosure. There are also two additional illuminated signs proposed on the ITM tower element. One sign faces north toward the existing retail store (DariMart) on the adjacent parcel and the other sign faces south toward drivers approaching the ITM kiosk. These two illuminated signs are the subject of the Variance request, as described below. Both of these signs are about 6 square feet mounted at a maximum of 15'-3" height above grade.

Code Compliant Signage

- The ITM enclosure includes one illuminated and one nonilluminated sign.
 - The nonilluminated sign is applied to the west elevation of the ITM enclosure facing South 3rd Street. The sign area is about 36 square feet, which is less than the maximum 64 square feet. The sign height is proposed at about 7 feet above grade, which is less than the allowed 12 feet
 - The illuminated sign is on east elevation of the ITM enclosure facing the drive-through lane.
 The sign area is 8 square feet, which is less than the maximum 32 square feet. The sign height is proposed at about 7 feet above grade, which is less than the allowed 12 feet.
- Both signs comply with HMC 18.90.030(2) and are not subject to the Variance request.



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Sign Variance

- The ITM kiosk includes a tower element south of the ITM enclosure. An illuminated 8 square feet sign is proposed to be placed on each side of the tower about 15'-3" above the adjacent asphalt driveaisle surface grade.
- The Variance request addresses number of signs, height and sign illumination.
 - o The Variance request is for the signs to be placed at 15'-3" above the adjacent grade.
 - o The signs are to be illuminated. The Variance request is for 3 total illuminated signs.
- As noted above, the two additional illuminated signs as part of this Variance request are approximately 8 square feet, which is well below the maximum 32 square feet in area.

Additional details regarding the Variance are provided in the plan, this written statement, and the associated attachments.

II. SITE INFORMATION

Location and Site Context: The proposed project is located at the northeast corner of the intersection of South 3rd Street and Kesling Street. Refer to the attached Site Plan. The site is relatively flat and is currently developed with an asphalt parking lot and an existing drive-through coffee kiosk. There are two existing street trees located in the Kesling Street public right-of-way and one tree in the planting bed located between the coffee kiosk and the public sidewalk on South 3rd Street, which are proposed to remain. The two smaller trees located in the existing planting bed along the east side of the site are proposed to be removed and replaced with new landscaping. This existing landscape bed is proposed to be slightly narrowed with new landscaping to accommodate the ITM drive-through located along the east side of the site. Refer to the Survey and Landscape Plan for more information.

<u>Tax Lot</u>: Public records identify the site as Tax Lot 11700 of Linn County Assessor's Map 15S04W16AA. Refer to the attached Tax Assessor's Map.

Legal Description: Refer to the attached Property Description.

<u>Site Area</u>: The site totals 0.23 acres, or 9,879 square feet according to the County Assessment and Taxation records.

<u>Address</u>: The ITM kiosk does not have an address yet, but it is located adjacent to the coffee kiosk on the same site with the address 375 South 3rd Street, Harrisburg, Oregon 97446.

<u>Ownership</u>: The site is owned by Gibson & Gibson, LLC. OCCU is the applicant developing the drivethrough ITM kiosk on the site.

<u>Plan Land Use Designation</u>: The parcel is designated Commercial in the Harrisburg Comprehensive Plan. The parcel is located within the Harrisburg Urban Growth Boundary (UGB) and City limits.



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Zoning: The parcel is zoned Commercial (C-1). Properties to the west (across South 3rd Street), north, and south are also zoned Commercial (C-1). Property to the east is zoned Medium Density Residential (R-2).

Environmental: Per the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), the site is located in area X, which is determined to be outside of the 500-year flood area. Refer to the attached Flood Insurance Rate Map 41043C1118G.

<u>Surrounding Land Uses/Access</u>: The site is located within the Harrisburg Urban Growth Boundary on the east side of South 3rd Street and north of Kesling Street.

There is a commercial building (Key Bank) located northwest of the site on the west side of South 3rd Street. A single-family dwelling is directly across South 3rd Steet from the site. Although zoned Commercial, there is a residential dwelling on the parcel directly south of the site across Kesling Street. The property to the north is developed with a Dari Mart, which is under the same ownership as the project site.

There is an alley along the north side of the site with access to South 3rd Street and parcels to the east. The site has two existing access connections that are both proposed to remain: a driveway to Kesling Street on the south and an access connection to the alley on the north. The primary entrance to the proposed drive-through will be via the existing driveway on Kesling Street. Drivers exiting the drive-through facility use the alley to reach South 3rd Street.

III. BACKGROUND OF THE SITE

In 2006, the site was developed with an asphalt parking lot and a 135-square foot drive-through coffee kiosk. Per available public records, there are no other applicable land use applications or development permits for the site.

The proposed drive-through ITM kiosk unit was submitted under a separate Type II Land Use Application on November 13, 2024. The Type II Land Use Application is an administrative review that receives staff review and decision.

IV. TYPE III VARIANCE APPROVAL CRITERIA

This section is organized by outlining the applicable land use code standards and the Variance approval criteria in *bold italics*, followed by proposed findings in normal text.

HMC 19.10.040 Type III procedure (quasi-judicial review – public hearing).

Type III decisions are made by the Planning Commission after a public hearing, with an opportunity for appeal to the City Council, except the Planning Commission makes a recommendation to the City Council for quasi-judicial amendments to the zoning map and



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development code, and the City Council decides those requests after conducting their own public hearing.

- 1. Application Requirements.
 - a. Application Forms. Applications requiring quasi-judicial review shall be made on forms provided by the City Administrator.

<u>Finding</u>: A signed Variance application form is included with the submittal materials. This application requirement is met.

- b. Submittal Information. The City Administrator shall advise the applicant on application submittal requirements. At a minimum, the application shall include all of the following information:
 - (1) The information requested on the application form;
 - (2) Plans and exhibits required for the specific approval(s) being sought;
 - (3) A written statement or letter explaining how the application satisfies each and all of the relevant criteria and standards in sufficient detail;
 - (4) Information demonstrating compliance with prior decision(s) and conditions of approval for the subject site, as applicable;
 - (5) The required fee;
 - (6) Evidence of neighborhood contact, as applicable, pursuant to this section.

<u>Finding</u>: The application materials include the evidence necessary to demonstrate compliance with the applicable Variance approval criteria. The evidence includes this written statement, attachments supporting the findings, and relevant drawings and plans that depict the requested Variance for the proposed tower element signs. The application fee is provided at the time of application submittal. There is no applicable requirement to contact a local neighborhood group. The application submittal requirements are met.

HMC 19.40.040 Variances.

 Applicability. A variance is a code adjustment that does not otherwise meet the criteria under HMC 19.40.030. (Permitted uses, as provided in Chapters 18.40 to 18.55 HMC, shall not be adjusted with a variance.)

<u>Finding</u>: The Variance request is for two illuminated signs on the tower element of the ITM kiosk unit located approximately 15'-3" above the drive-through asphalt grade. The tower element is is about 16'-2" in height. Per HMC 18.90.030(2), developments in commercial zones are allowed "one illuminated sign not to exceed 32 square feet and not more than 10 feet in height". The Adjustment process allows "up to a 10 percent increase ... in a quantitative (numerical) standard". The 10 percent increase enabled per HMC 19.40.030(1)(f) is not sufficient to allow the two proposed tower-mounted illuminated signs in addition to the one code allowed illuminated sign on the ITM enclosure (3 total illuminated signs). Similarly, a 10 percent increase in the maximum allowed 10-foot sign height, only allows an 11-foot height. The Applicant requests the Variance because the preferred total number of signs and sign height do not otherwise meet the Adjustment criteria. The Variance application is appliable to the current request.



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- 2. Approval Criteria. The Planning Commission through a Type III procedure may approve a variance upon finding that it meets all of the following criteria:
 - a. The variance is necessary because the subject code provision does not account for special or unique physical or historical circumstances of the subject site, existing development patterns, or adjacent land uses. If an existing lot or development is nonconforming, the City may accept the nonconforming status as sufficient evidence of a hardship for purposes of approving a variance under this section;

Finding: The Applicant – Oregon Community Credit Union (OCCU) – is developing small drive-through ITM kiosk unit to better serve members throughout the state of Oregon. The number of signs and sign height of the OCCU ITM kiosk unit is based on common sign height standards throughout the state. The number of signs and 10-foot height standard is less than that found in many jurisdictions. In addition to the uniquely low height standards, the site location has unique characteristics that warrant the Variance. The site design is intended to retain and coexist with the existing successful drive-through coffee kiosk. The proposed OCCU drive-through ITM kiosk unit is placed to the rear of the site. The additional sign height and illumination improves visibility and allows drivers to clearly see the drive-through lane entrance off of Kesling Street and the drive-through exit on the alley. The proposed sign height is based on clear visibility for drivers and the design of the overall ITM kiosk unit, which includes the ITM enclosure and canopy with structural supports – the tower element is one of the structural elements supporting the canopy. Lastly, the Variance request results in two additional signs that are consistent with the height of other pole-mounted illuminated signs in the area, namely the adjacent Key Bank that has a freestanding illuminated sign that is greater than the codified 10-feet height limit. The Variance request is consistent with existing commercial signs that support adjacent land uses in the immediate vicinity. This criterion is met.

b. The variance is the minimum necessary to address the special or unique physical circumstances related to the subject site;

<u>Finding</u>: As described above, the Variance request will allow the two illuminated signs to be placed at approximately 15'-3" above the adjacent drive-through asphalt grade. The existing drive-through coffee kiosk is proposed to remain on the site and the ITM kiosk unit is ideally placed on the eastern half of the site to efficiently use the site and allow for a shared drive aisle between the drive-throughs. When viewed from South 3rd Street, the ITM kiosk unit is behind both the DariMart parking lot, coffee kiosk, and the drive-through lanes serving the coffee kiosk. The tower element signage does not face South 3rd Street or the adjacent residential property to the east. As stated above, the additional sign height and illumination improves visibility and allows vehicles to clearly see the drive-through lane entrance off of Kesling Street and the drive-through exit on the alley. The additional illumination complements the ITM operating characteristics, which will extend into the evening hours. The ITM kiosk will function as a conventional ATM 24 hours a day and the virtual teller services will be available until 6:30 pm. The proposed height and illuminated signs address the physical circumstances of the site and ITM operations. This criterion is met.



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c. The variance does not conflict with other applicable City policies or other applicable regulations;

<u>Finding</u>: The Variance request is limited to the number of signs, sign height, and illumination. The Applicant is not aware of conflicts with any other City policies or regulations. This criterion is met.

d. The variance will result in no foreseeable harm to adjacent property owners or to the public interest;

<u>Finding</u>: The Variance request allows an illuminated sign height that is consistent with existing, illuminated commercial signs in the immediate vicinity. There is no foreseeable harm to adjacent property owners or to the public interest. The site is zoned C-1, and it abuts to the east a residentially zoned lot. As stated above, the proposed two tower element signs face north and south toward the C-1 zoned lots, not towards the adjacent residential property located to the east. As demonstrated on the attached Photometric Plan, there is no light spillover onto the abutting residential parcel. An existing, sight-obscuring fence provides screening, and the proposed landscaping between the fence and drive-through lane improves the existing screening. These site design elements mitigate potential off-site effects. The Applicant does not identify an element that might cause harm to the public interest. The Variance request allows two additional signs that are consistent with existing illuminated commercial signs in the immediate vicinity. The Photometric Plan demonstrates that there is no light spillover from the proposed project onto the public rights-of-way or adjacent residential property (note that most of the light represented in the Photometric Plan is from the two proposed about 12-foot height pole lights, which are required by code and desired by the applicant for security); although, both of which are illuminated by existing streetlights. This criterion is met.

e. All applicable building code requirements and engineering design standards shall be met;

<u>Finding</u>: The Variance is limited to the number of signs, sign height, and illumination. The proposed signs are mounted on a tower element that is affixed to the drive-through ITM kiosk unit. The proposed project for the ITM kiosk unit was submitted to the City for review under the Type II application process. The proposed project is subject to all applicable building code and engineering design standards. The Applicant understands that building and sign permits are applicable, as are any applicable building code and engineering design standards relevant to the sign. This criterion is met.

f. The variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of the same property rights as possessed by owners of other property in the same zone; and

<u>Finding</u>: The Variance request results in 2 illuminated signs, in addition to the 2 code allowed illuminated sign (east face of ITM) and nonilluminated sign (west face of ITM) on the ITM enclosure, that are consistent with the height and illumination of other pole-mounted signs in the area, namely the adjacent Key Bank that has a freestanding illuminated sign that is greater than the codified 10-feet height limit. The Applicant has also reviewed other signs in the C-1 zone located along South 3rd Street. There are



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numerous illuminated signs, both pole- and wall-mounted, that exceed the number of sign and the maximum 10-foot height limit for illuminated signs. The Variance request results in two illuminated signs that are consistent with existing commercial signs in the immediate vicinity. Based on this contextual review of existing signs in the same C-1 zone, the Variance request allows the Applicant to erect two additional signs similar to those possessed by owners of other property in the same zone. This criterion is met.

g. In granting a variance, the Planning Commission may attach conditions which it finds necessary to protect the best interests of the surrounding property or the community as a whole.

<u>Finding</u>: The Applicant understands that it is within the purview of the Planning Commission to apply conditions to an approval. As described above, the Variance request has addressed all approval criteria; therefore, we request that the Variance application be approved without additional conditions.

V. Conclusion

Based on the information and findings contained in this written statement, associated attachments and drawings, the proposed Variance application meets the approval criteria contained in the Harrisburg Municipal Code. Therefore, the Applicant requests that the Planning Commission approve the proposed Variance to number of signs, sign height and illumination standards as presented. Both the applicant and the applicant's representative are available for questions as necessary.

If you have any questions about the above application, please contact TBG Architects + Planners at 541.687.1010.

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