

PLAT VACATION Lakeside Village No. 5, Rockwall, Texas

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF ROCKWALL

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Executed this _______ day of November, 1992.

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Witness my hand, this day of	, 19
Mayor, City of Rockwall	Date



CITY OF ROCKWALL

"THE NEW HORIZON"
Rockwall, Texas 75087-3628

(214) 771-7700

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Plumbing Permit	01-3607			Water Availability		06-3835		
Mechanical Permit	01-3610			Sewer Availability		07-3836		
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February 22, 1993

Mr. James N. Muns Muns Enterprises 5201 W. Park Blvd. Suite 200, LB-3 Plano, TX 75093

Dear Mr. Muns:

Please be advised that the Rockwall City Council will review your request for plat vacation of Lakeside Village, Phase 5 at their next scheduled meeting which is March 1st at 7:00 p.m. You or your representative will need to attend this meeting to answer any questions the Council may have regarding this case.

Sincerely,

Hilda Crangle City Secretary

cc: Vicki Bridges

MEMORANDUM January 14, 1993

TO:

Bill Eisen, City Manager

FROM:

Julie Couch, Assistant City Manager

RE:

Plat Vacation Request for Lakeside Village

At the last meeting the plat vacation request for Phase 5 of Lakeside Village was denied by the City Council. One of the concerns expressed by several members of the Council was that there had been no notice to the homeowners in the area. There is currently no notice requirement under state law or under the City's ordinances or policies for notice in a plat vacation request.

We have heard from representatives of the applicant and it is my understanding that they want to refile the plat vacation request and go back through the process in February. Unless the City Council directs that notice be provided in these type requests there will again be no notice to the home owners in the area. If the Council does wish to establish notice requirements a determination would need to be made as to who would receive notice. Under the platting statutes there is no provision for any notice outside of the area covered by the plat being considered. Platting is a technical procedure, not a land use determination process, and a land owner has the right to plat property or vacate a plat as long as the plat meets the city's subdivision requirements and conforms to the zoning on the property. When a change in zoning is being considered notice is provided to property owners within 200 feet of the area being proposed for change. If the zone change is within a PD, Council policy is to notify all property owners within the PD.

Pete Eckert, the City Attorney, has reviewed the plat vacation statute and his comments regarding the vacation process are attached for your review. It is recommended that this information be forwarded to the City Council in order to provide them with an opportunity to indicate if they wish to place an item on the agenda to consider establishing some form of notice.

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Julie Couch, City of Rockwall

FROM:

Pete Eckert

RE:

Lakeside Village - Proposed Vacation of Plat

DATE:

January 13, 1993

As you know, a portion of the Lakeside Village Addition Plat is being proposed to be vacated. The vacation was approved by the Planning and Zoning Commission, but was denied by the Council based upon, to my understanding, an unclear presentation by the proponent and some opposition within the subdivision.

The vacation statute, Section 212.013 of the Local Government Code provides that a plat may be vacated at any time before a lot is sold. The same procedure for the approval of the original plat has to be followed in the vacation process.

The salient point is that the vacation process appears to leave little, if any, discretion on the part of the bodies responsible for plat review and approval, as long as the City's rules and regulations for submittal have been met and no appropriation of previously granted easements or rights-of-way has been made by the City or other public utility. However, I can find no Texas authority for that proposition, but a court is likely to apply the statute's plain meaning, which allows a proponent to so vacate.

It is my recommendation that if the plat vacation is resubmitted, it should be favorably considered as long as it is submitted properly. There is no legal requirement for notice to surrounding property owners and I would not advise expanding the statutory notice requirements for zoning, replats, etc., unless there is a specific Council policy direction to do so.

Please call if there are any questions.



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214-867-4984 Plano, Texas

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December 28, 1992

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Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

From: Jordan Properties Company

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SUBJECT:

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As per our conversation today, we respectfully request that this item be postponed from the Rockwall City Council agenda until their meeting of January 4, 1993.

If there is any question, please do not hesitate to call me at 867-3997.

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After an extensive market survey, it was our determination that there was no demand for townhomes.

Although we have done developments before, it is not our primary business. Therefore we think it is to our advantage to abandon this site plan.

Even if there were such a demand for townhomes, there is no source of development funds. Townhomes are built [as are multi-family developments] by developers, as opposed to builder and/or owner construction of single-family detached homes.

The area directly behind the land is single-family detached homes and would offer continuity.

We have been approached by an investor/developer who is interested in a joint development of single-family detached homes.

We are currently negotiating a contract to sell to a developer who desires single-family.

We have not decided on a land plan because of the interest in a joint development or an outright sale, and we feel that no site plan would help us complete one of those proposals.

We respectfully request that the Planning and Zoning commission approve our abandonment of site plan request for this property.

Jordan Properties Company

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MEMORANDUM December 7, 1992

TO:

Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission

FROM:

Julie Couch, Assistant City Manager

RE:

Upcoming December Meeting

Discuss and Consider Recommending Approval of a Plat Vacation for Phase 5, Lakeside Village

Our regular December meeting is this Thursday, December 10. We have had only one case filed for this meeting and that is a request to vacate the final plat for Phase 5 in Lakeside Village. Vacating a plat is removing the approval of the plat as originally approved. The land then goes back to a single tract rather than being divided into individual lots. The site plan was originally approved in 1983 and the plat was filed in 1985. The plat contains 19 acres and is platted for 181 townhouse lots. The lots do not conform to our current townhouse requirements but they do conform to the approved site plan on this site. A copy of the area requirements for this development and the standard townhouse requirements is attached. Before the owner could change the site plan a public hearing would be required under the terms of the PD-2 ordinance. Attached is a copy of the PD-2 ordinance that governs this tract of land.

Generally a plat is vacated when the property owner has development plans that no longer conform to the approved plat. In this case it is my understanding from the current owner that they have a prospective buyer on the property and the buyer does not want to develop the property under the existing plat. The indication that I have received from the owner is that the prospective buyer may want to either submit a request for a change in the land use or reduce the density of the townhouse use. They do know that they do not want to develop the property as currently platted and want to remove the plat. While this item is not a public hearing and there has been no required notice of the proposed vacation, this particular tract of land has been a point of interest and concern in Lakeside Village for a number of years.

The Commission has the ability to approve or disapprove this plat vacation. If the Commission did not want to approve the vacation you would need to state a specific reason related to the plat for denying the vacation. If the plat vacation is approved the City would still require a public hearing and notice to all of the property owners in Lakeside Village if a change in approved site plan is submitted in the future. If the plat is vacated the City would have a greater ability in the future to review this site plan under the PD review process and possibly bring it closer in line with our current townhouse requirements.

Discuss and Consider Proposed Amendment to Ordinances Regarding Cross Access Easements, Underground Service Lines, and Screening of Utilities and Take Any necessary Action

One of the adopted strategies of the City Council is to revise our development ordinances regarding the above items as recommended by the Corridor Planning Task Force. I am in the process of drafting the necessary amendments and will have the drafts ready to discuss at the meeting on Thursday night.



June 4, 1992

Ms. Julie Couch Assistant City Manager City of Rockwall 205 W. Rusk Rockwall, TX 75087

Dear Ms. Couch:

This letter references a telephone conversation between you and John Muns on Thursday, June 4, 1992 regarding PZ92-13-Z "Continuing Public Hearing and consider Approval of a Request from Lakeside Village Homeowners Association for an Amendment to the Area Requirements for PD-2, Planned Development No. 2 on Phases 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 Lakeside Village". Such hearing was held before the Planning & Zoning Commission on May 28th, and it is our understanding that it will continue on June 11, 1992.

As of the date of this letter, we are owners of Phase 5 of the above said property. Our contract has been pending for closing in excess of 45 days. During our due diligence process upon this property, we met with the Lakeside Village Homeowners Association on April 15, 1992 to discuss general concerns that both parties might have. There was nothing in this meeting brought up concerning this proposed changing of area requirements on the various phases of Lakeside Village. While we may not oppose the changes that are proposed, we do not feel at this time that we have had sufficient time to analyze the effects, if any, upon our property. Therefore, we respectfully request it be exempted from such a proposal at this time or that the public hearing be postponed or tabled until we have had sufficient time for discussing the rationale with the Homeowners Association. If there is any question, you can call me or John at the address on the letterhead.

Sincerety,

James N. Muns

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cc: John Muns

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Agenda Date:

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Agenda No: VI. A.

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Action Needed:

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Attachments:

- 1. Letter from James N. Muns of Jordan Properties Company
- 2. Comparison Chart of Area Requirements
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- 4. Plat
- 5. Site Plan

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PHASE 5 LAKESIDE VILLAGE COMPARISON OF AREA REQUIREMENTS

Area Requirement	<u>PD-2</u>	Z o n i n g Ordinance
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Min Lot Depth	80 ft.	100 ft.
Min Lot Width	25 ft.	35 ft.
Max Density	12 u/ac	8 u/ac
Min Front Yard	15 ft.	15 ft. or 20 ft.
Min Rear Yard	10 ft.	7.5 ft.
Garage	2 car	1 car
Max Height	2 story	30 ft.
Max Coverage	50%	60%

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