## CASE NUMBER: V23-10-35 DATE RECEIVED: September 15, 2023 DATE OF MEETING: October 3, 2023 and October 24, 2023

Address: 3022 East Causeway Approach Subdivision: Magnolia Ridge, Square A Lot 73-A-2-1 Zoning District: B-1 Neighborhood Business District Property Owner: Adam LeBlanc

REQUEST: V23-10-35 – Adam LeBlanc requests a variance to CLURO Section 9.2.5.5 Landscape Requirements in Districts Other than Low-Density Residential, Magnolia Ridge, Square A Lot 73-A-2-1, B-1 Neighborhood Business District, 3022 East Causeway Approach

#### CASE SUMMARY:

The applicant owns the property at 3022 East Causeway Approach, located on the south side of East Causeway Approach, west of Magnolia Ridge Drive, and east of Massena Street. The property measures 129.55' x 300' and has a square footage of 38,867 per a survey prepared by Kelly McHugh & Associates dated 4.25.22. A permit for new commercial construction was recently issued (Permit #23-8470).

The applicant is requesting to remove nine (9) of the trees currently listed on the landscaping plan to be preserved in the front greenbelt to allow for better visibility of the building. The trees are a mix of pine and oak trees. Per a landscape plan prepared by Haddad Contractors six (6) 45-gallon Magnolia trees and fourteen (14) 45-gallon Red Maple trees are to be planted in the front greenbelt.

The following statement was provided on the application: "Building will have zero street visibility due to the preserved trees on the front of the lot. Request to remove all preserved trees listed on landscape plan to allow visibility from East Causeway Approach".

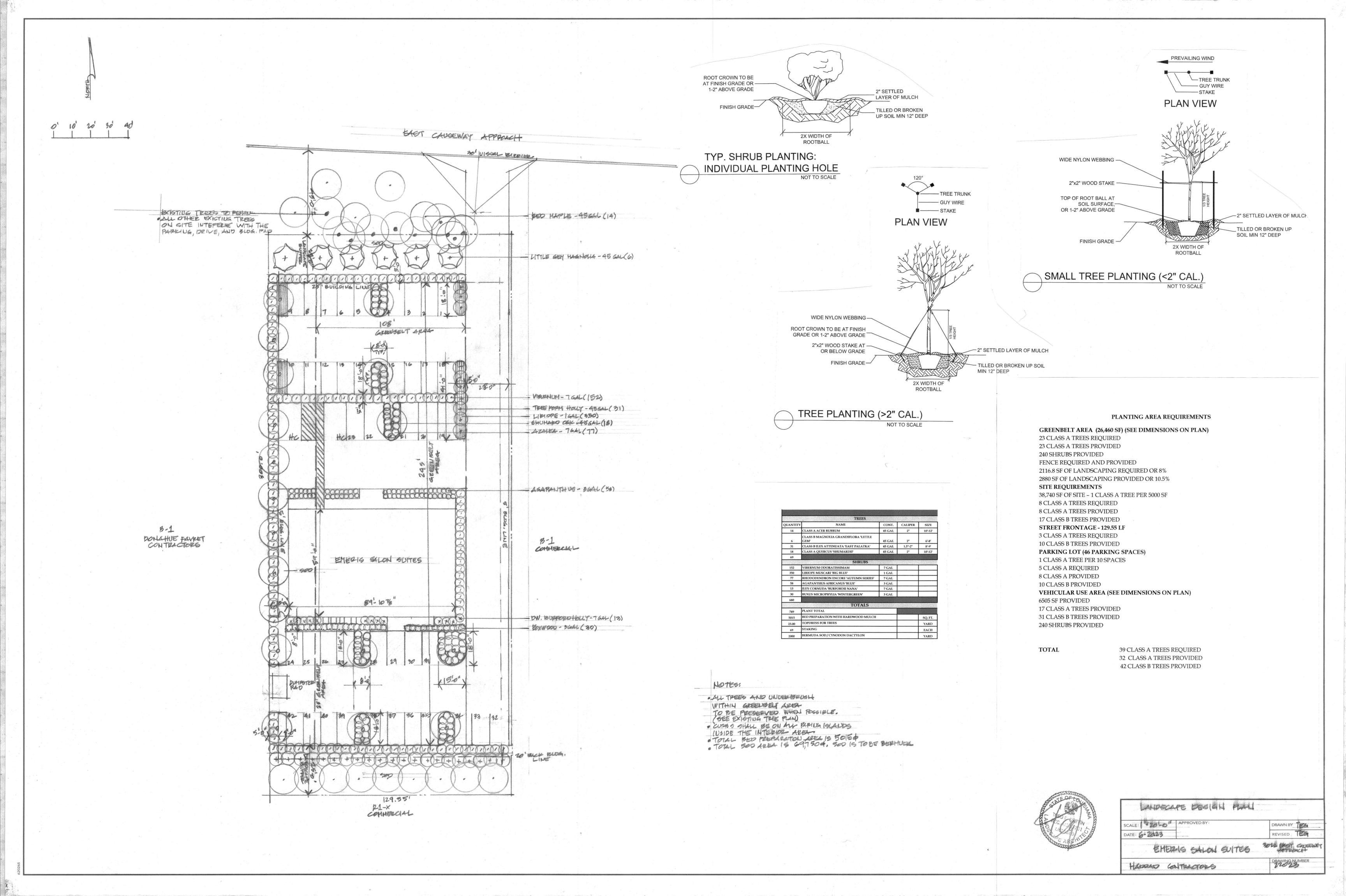
### **CLURO SECTIONS:**

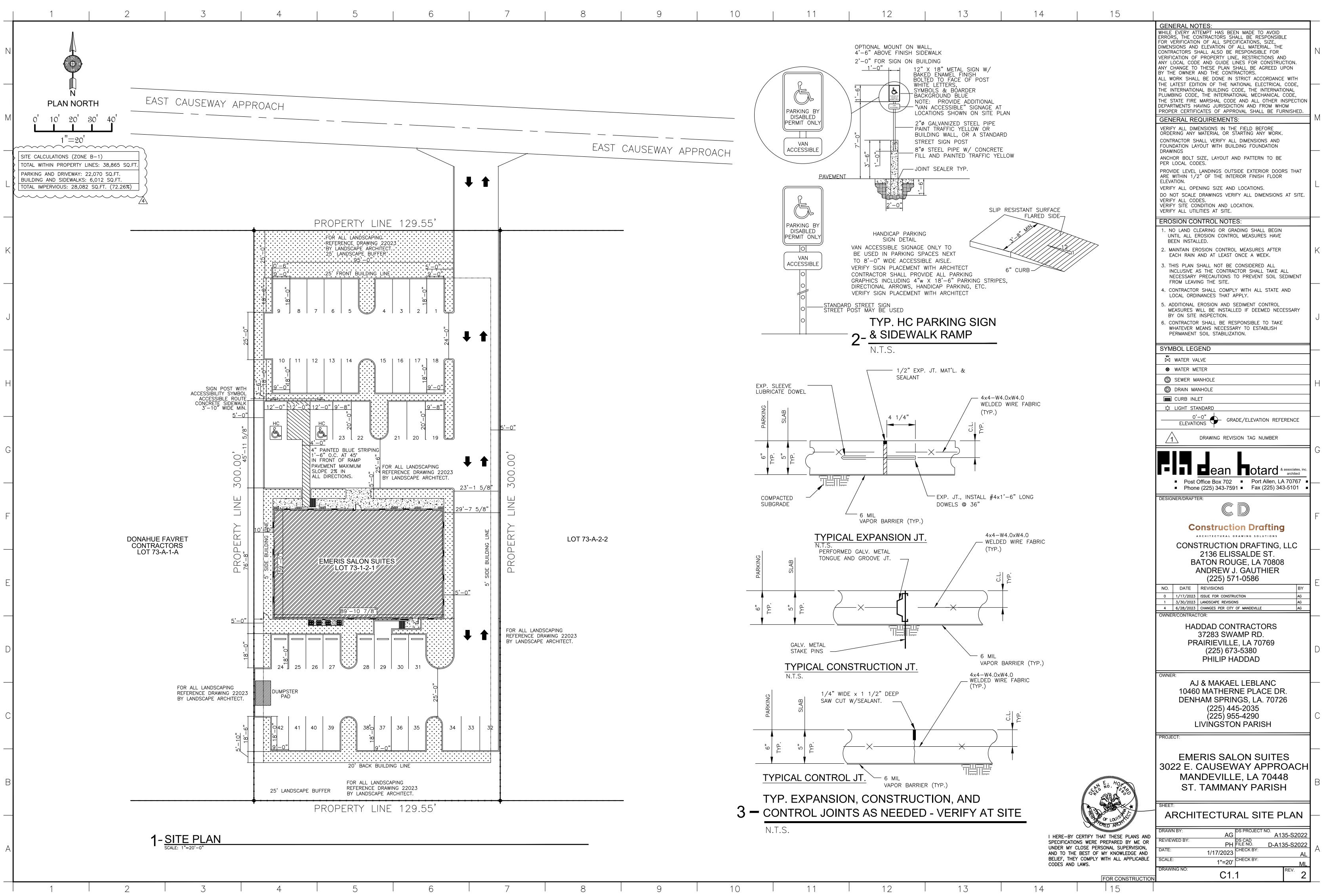
### 9.2.5.5. Landscape Requirements in Districts Other than Low-Density Residential

The requirements of this Article shall apply to all zoning districts other than R-1, R-1X and R-2 residential districts, with the exception of the Live Oak Protection requirements in section 9.2.5.7, which apply in all zoning districts. In all zoning districts other than R-1, R-1X and R-2, development sites shall be required to meet the minimum requirements as specified by this Article for Landscaping within the periphery landscape areas, interior planting areas and buffer areas. All required plant materials shall be installed or preserved in accordance with this Article and the landscape inspector shall inspect the required landscaping to verify adherence to code and the landscape plan approved in conjunction with the permit prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.

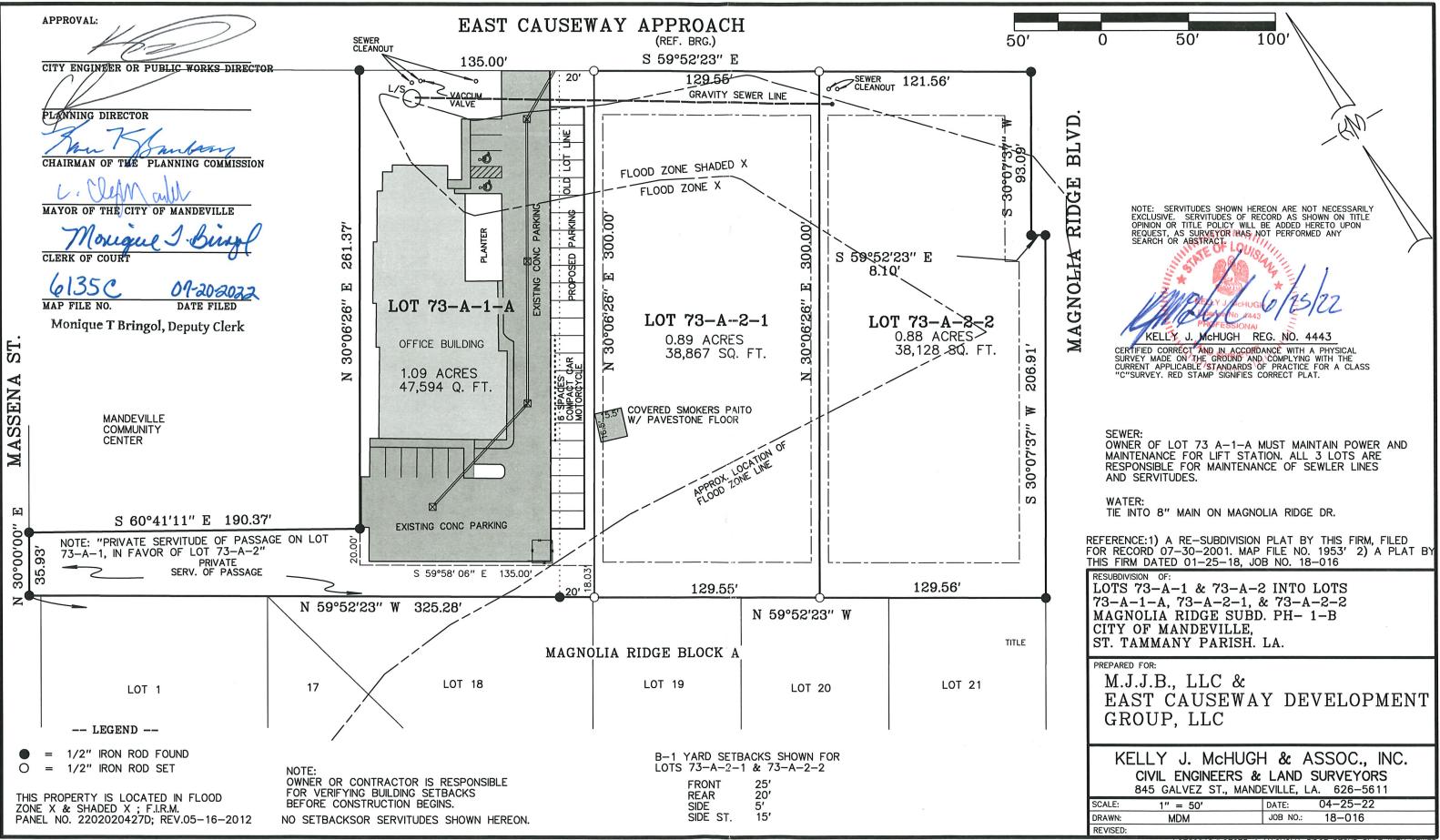
- e. Preservation of Trees in Greenbelts Except in accessways as described above, all trees and shrubs shall be preserved or replaced if diseased or dead. In addition, if the number of trees six (6) inches or more dbh which are in the front periphery do not equal the required number of Class A and Class B trees (one (1) per twenty-five (25) linear feet), then Class A and Class B trees must be planted to the extent necessary to comply with the requirements of this Article. In addition to the above, the following requirements will apply:
  - (1) Dead trees and shrubs may be removed and shall be replaced from the list of native plants that has been approved by the Zoning Commission and is available from the City of Mandeville Department of Planning and Development.
  - (2) Invasive species may be removed subject to the approval from the Landscape Inspector.







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## CASE NUMBER: Z23-10-04 DATE RECEIVED: September 15, 2023 DATE OF MEETING: October 3, 2023 and October 24, 2023

# Address: Square 59 Portion of Lot 1, All of Lots 2 & 3 Subdivision: Old Town of Mandeville, Square 59 Portion of Lot 1, All of Lots 2 & 3 Zoning District: R-1 Single Family Residential District Property Owner: St. Tammany Parish School Board

REQUEST: Z23-10-04 – St. Tammany Parish School Board requests the rezoning of two lots and a portion of a third lot designated R-1 Single Family Residential District to I Institutional District, Old Town of Mandeville, Square 59 Portion of Lot 1, All of Lots 2 & 3, R-1 Single Family Residential District, Square 59 Portion of Lot 1, All of Lots 2 & 3

### CASE SUMMARY:

The applicant owns the property being a portion of Lot 1 and all of Lots 2 and 3 in Square 59, located on the north side of Livingston Street, east of Foy Street, west of Clausel Street, and south of Villere Street. The property is irregular in shape, measuring 187.5' along Livingston St., 255' along the Clausel St. side, 125' along the north property line, then south for 135', west for 62.5', and south for 120' and has a square footage of 39,375 per a survey prepared by Randall Brown & Associates dated 2.17.23. The property is currently unimproved.

The applicant is requesting to rezone the property to Institutional to construct additional school parking for Woodlake Elementary School across the street. The parking requirements for Public and Private Primary and Educational Facilities are 2 per classroom plus 1 per faculty including administrative staff member, or the required kindergarten, elementary, parking spaces for any auditorium or middle & junior high schools gymnasium facility on the site, whichever is greater. A site plan showing the number of spaces has not been submitted. The site will be required to follow all parking and landscaping provisions regulated within the CLURO.

### **CLURO SECTIONS:**

### 7.5.1.1. Purpose of the R-1 District

The R-1 Single-Family Residential Zoning District shall be for the purpose of providing low-density residential neighborhoods where single families occupy single-family detached dwelling units on individual lots in a healthy, safe and peaceful environment in combination with accompanying accessory uses and community oriented recreation and service facilities while being protected from the adverse impacts of incompatible land uses which belong in non-residential areas.

### 7.5.6.1. Purpose of the Institutional District

The purpose of the institutional district shall be to accommodate uses of a civic, religious, educational, institutional or public nature in areas that provide maximum accessibility for the public to utilize the facilities provided in the institutional district.



