

#### **Planning Services**

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# **Petition No: 2023-067**

### **IMPACT UNDER CURRENT ZONING**

Number of housing units allowed under current zoning: the approximately 2.281 acres zoned the MUDD-0 section would allow zero housing units and the N1-A section would allow 2 single-family detached housing units

Number of students potentially generated under current zoning: zero students

# **IMPACT OF THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT**

*Proposed Housing Units:* The RAC(CD) zoning petition seeks to allow up to 425 multi-family housing units

CMS Planning Group: South

Average Student Yield per Unit: 0.3440

This development may add 146 students to the schools in this area.

The following data is as of 20<sup>th</sup> Day of the 2022-23 school year.

Schools Affected	Total Classroom Teachers	Building Classrooms/ Teacher Stations	20 <sup>th</sup> Day Enrollment	Building Classroom/ Adjusted Capacity (Without Mobiles)	20 <sup>th</sup> Day, Building Utilization (Without Mobiles)	Additional Students As a result of this development	Utilization As of result of this development (Without Mobiles)
SHARON ELEMENTARY	40.00	44	721	793	91%	84	100%
ALEXANDER GRAHAM MIDDLE	69	65	1245	1173	106%	31	109%
MYERS PARK HIGH <sup>1</sup>	172.0	140	3593	2925	123%	31	124%

The following projects are included on the CMS 2017 Bond Projects list, as approved by county voters:

**1.** Construction of a new 100 classroom high school; relieves crowding at South Mecklenburg, Ardrey Kell and Myers Park High schools.

\*The total estimated capital costs of providing the additional school capacity for this new development is \$2,511,000, calculated as follow:

Middle School:	<b>31</b> x \$37,000 = \$1,147,000
High School:	<b>31</b> x \$44,000 = \$1,364,000



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## **RECOMMENDATION**

Adequacy of existing school capacity in this area is a significant problem. We are particularly concerned about a rezoning case where school utilization exceeds 100% since the proposed development may exacerbate the situation. Approval of this petition may increase overcrowding and/or reliance upon mobile classrooms at the schools listed above.

Applicants are encouraged to contact us in advance of their project submittals to inform CMS of their prospective impacts and discuss mitigation alternatives.