

MECKLENBURG COUNTY Land Use & Environmental Services Agency

MEMORANDUM

To: Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission

From: LUESA, Mecklenburg County

Date: 8.25.23

Subject: Rezoning Petition Comments

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission 600 East Fourth Street Charlotte, North Carolina 28202

Mecklenburg County has reviewed the City of Charlotte rezoning petition below to identify regulatory requirements of the petitioner; inform the petitioner, planning staff, and other affected parties of such regulatory requirements; and identify potential effects on, and impacts from, nearby properties.

Petitioner Information:	Parcel GIS ID(s):
Christopher Deese	14525315, 14525314, 14525313, 14525321,
Southend Walk, LLC	14525311, 14525310, 14525309, 14525308,
1420 E. 7th Street, Suite 100	14525307, 14525304, 14525305, 14525303 and
Charlotte, NC, 28204	14525306
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2023-064: Southend Walk - Orchard Cir

Air Quality Comments: Demolition or renovation of existing structures may require proper notification and removal of asbestos. A letter of notification and the required forms have been mailed directly to the petitioner.

Ground Water Services Comments: Summary: Contamination sites exist in the vicinity, so there may be restrictions for water supply wells. Water supply wells and fuel oil tanks may exist on these properties.

Groundwater & Wastewater Services records indicate contamination site(s) exist on or within 1,500 feet of the property included in the petition. An established Area of Regulated Groundwater Usage (ARGU) as defined by the Mecklenburg County Groundwater Well Regulations extends 1,500 feet around the contamination sites. In an ARGU where municipally supplied water is available water supply wells for potable water supply, irrigation or open loop geothermal systems may not be permitted or constructed on or within 1,000 feet of contamination sites. Wells may be permitted with special construction and sampling requirements between 1,000 and 1,500 feet of contamination sites.

Information from property records does not indicate the use of oil, wood, or coal as a heating fuel at these properties, but the residential structures were built in the 1950s and 1960s, so the properties may contain an underground or above ground fuel oil storage tank. Any existing tanks and their contents should be removed, following applicable NCDEQ guidance, prior to any demolition or grading activity.

GWS records indicate a water supply well was permitted on PID 14525304. Please note that any wells on these parcels need to be located, flagged and protected prior to development or be permanently abandoned in accordance with the Mecklenburg County Groundwater Well Regulations. A permit from GWS is required for permanent well abandonments. The abandonments must be completed by a North Carolina Certified Well Contractor.

Storm Water Services Comments: No Comments

Solid Waste Comments: No Comments

Department Contacts:

Petitioners seeking to address individual comments and issues may follow up with the following Mecklenburg County staff:

Air Quality Comments: Megan Green - (megan.green@mecklenburgcountync.gov)

Ground Water Services: Shawna Caldwell - (shawna.caldwell@mecklenburgcountync.gov)

Storm Water Services: Myrette Stephen - (myrette.stephen@mecklenburgcountync.gov)

Solid Waste Comments: Joe Hack - (joe.hack@mecklenburgcountync.gov)

Additionally, please CC Erin Stanforth, (erin.stanforth@mecklenburgcountync.gov) on all communications to individual departments.

MCAQ Scope of Review:

Mecklenburg County Air Quality (MCAQ) has reviewed the petitions with regard to air quality regulations for stationary sources and demolition and/or renovation of structures (e.g. National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for asbestos). Comments may also be made regarding incompatible land uses, sources of Toxic Air Pollutants, proximity to Risk Management Plan facilities, and proximity to known nuisance conditions or sensitive populations. MCAQ has conducted the review based on information submitted by the petitioner, review of aerial photographs (as available through the Mecklenburg County Polaris system), review of the "Air Pollution Facility Information Online" database available from the MCAQ website, and review of Mecklenburg County Health Department

records. The review is cursory based on limited information provided within petition applications and site plans.	