



**Town of Smithfield**

**Planning Department**

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**Site Plan Application General Information**

Development Name

Proposed Use

Property Address(es)

Johnston County Property Identification Number(s) and Tax ID Number (s) for each parcel to which these guidelines will apply:

PIN#

TAX ID#

Project type?  Multi-Family  Commercial  Planned Unit Development (PUD)

**OWNER/DEVELOPER INFORMATION**

Company Name

Owner/Developer Name

Address

Phone

Email

Fax

**CONSULTANT/CONTACT PERSON FOR PLANS**

Company Name

Contact Name

Address

Phone

Email

Fax

**DEVELOPMENT TYPE AND SITE DATE TABLE (Applicable to all developments)**

**ZONING INFORMATION**

Zoning District(s)

If more than one district, provide the acreage of each:

Overlay District?  Yes  No

Inside City Limits?  Yes  No

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## Project Narrative

As part of a complete application, a written project narrative that provides detailed information regarding your proposal must be included. On a separate sheet of paper, please address each of the lettered items listed below (answers must be submitted in both hard copy and electronic copy using the Adobe .PDF or MS Word .DOCX file formats):

- a) A listing of contact information including name(s), address(es) and phone number(s) of: the owner of record, authorized agents or representatives, engineer, surveyor, and any other relevant associates;
- b) A listing of the following site data: Address, current zoning, parcel size in acres and square feet, property identification number(s) (PIN), and current legal description(s);
- c) A narrative explaining the intent of the project and/or your original or revised vision for the finished product;
- d) A statement showing the proposed density of the project with the method of calculating said density shown;
- e) Discuss proposed infrastructure improvements and phasing thereof (i.e. proposed roadways, sewer systems, water systems, sidewalks/trails, parking, etc.) necessary to serve the subdivision;
- f) A narrative addressing concerns/issues raised by neighboring properties (discussing your proposal with the neighboring land owners is recommended to get a sense of what issues may arise as your application is processed);
- g) A description of how conflicts with nearby land uses (livability, value, potential future development, etc.) and/or disturbances to wetlands or natural areas are being avoided or mitigated;
- h) Provide justification that the proposal will not place an excessive burden on roads (traffic), sewage, water supply, parks, schools, fire, police, or other public facilities/services (including traffic flows) in the area;
- i) A description of proposed parks and/or open space. Please include a brief statement on the proposed ownership and maintenance of said areas;
- j) A proposed development schedule indicating the approximate date when construction of the project, or stages of the same, can be expected to begin and be completed (including the proposed phasing of construction of public improvements and recreational and common space areas).

### STORMWATER INFORMATION

Existing Impervious Surface	acres/sf	Flood Hazard Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Proposed Impervious Surface	acres/sf	Neuse River Buffer	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Watershed protection Area	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Wetlands	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

If in a Flood Hazard Area, provide the FEMA Map Panel # and Base Flood Elevation

### NUMBER OF LOTS AND DENSITY

Overall Unit(s)/Acre Densities Per Zoning Districts

Acreage in active open space

Acreage in passive open space

### SIGNATURE BLOCK (Applicable to all developments)

In filing this plan as the property owner(s), I/we do hereby agree and firmly bind ourselves, my/our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns jointly and severally to construct all improvements and make all dedications as shown on this proposed subdivision plan as approved by the Town.

I hereby designate \_\_\_\_\_ to serve as my agent regarding this application, to receive and respond to administrative comments, to resubmit plans on my behalf, and to represent me in any public meeting regarding this application.

I/we have read, acknowledge, and affirm that this project is conforming to all application requirements applicable with the proposed development use.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### REVIEW FEES

- Major Subdivision (Submit 7 paper copies & **1 Digital copy on CD**) \$250.00 + \$5.00 a lot \$255.00 minimum
- Minor Subdivision (Submit 4 paper copies & **1 Digital copy on CD**) \$50.00 + \$5.00 a lot \$55.00 minimum
- Recombination Plat (Submit 2 paper copies & **1 Digital copy on CD**) \$50.00
- Commercial Site Plan (Submit 7 paper copies & **1 Digital copy on CD**) \$200.00 + \$50 per acre

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## INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED ON SITE PLAN

The Town of Smithfield Site Plan Requirements is found in Article 5 of the Unified Development Ordinance. Site plans shall contain the following information, if applicable, as determined by the UDO Administrator:

### General Information:

- Preferred sheet size is 24" x 36" for site plans (maximum sheet size of 30" x 42"); if more than one sheet, all sheets should be numbered; should be the same size and scale; and should show match lines, along with an index sheet.
- Submittals should also be made in PDF format.
- The site plan shall be prepared by a professional engineer, registered land surveyor, or licensed architect.
- Engineer's scale – no smaller than 1" = 100' for Site Plans unless approved by staff. Larger scale showing more detail is better. Include both a graphic scale and a numeric scale. The site plan shall be based on the latest tax map information and shall be of a size as required by each individual site plan.
- North arrow or compass rose.
- Date (original and all revisions) should be shown on all sheets.
- A vicinity map of the site with reference to surrounding areas and existing street locations.
- The name and address of the owner and site plan applicant, together with the names of the owners of all contiguous land and of property directly across the street as shown by the most recent tax records.
- Proof of ownership - Deed book and page reference demonstrating ownership of property.
- Parcel Identification Numbers (PIN) for site and adjacent properties.

### Existing Conditions:

- The total area (acreage), and the exterior boundary of all land included in the request for approval (defined by metes and bounds, with the source of all boundary information referenced). All adjoining property lines should also be shown.
- Location of all existing structures, including their outside dimensions and elevations, streets, entrances, and exits on the site, on contiguous property, and on property directly across the street.
- Required setbacks, setback lines, or typical lots.
- Location, width and identification of all existing easements (public and private), defined by centerline bearings, distances and ties to property corners (with standard notes).
- Location of existing watercourses, ponds, flood zones, water supply watershed areas, and riparian buffers.
- Show all existing physical features, including existing trees greater than eight (8) inches in diameter measured four and one-half (4.5) feet above ground level include the tree line of wooded areas and individual trees eight (8) inches in diameter or more, identified by common or scientific name, and significant soil conditions.
- Topography showing existing contours at no greater than ten (10) foot intervals. All reference benchmarks shall be clearly designated.
- Existing zoning of the property, including zoning district lines where applicable.
- Location of existing sanitary waste disposal systems, water mains and appurtenances (including fire hydrants) on or adjacent to the parcel.
- Other utility lines both under- and above-ground, including electric power, telephone, gas, cable television.

- Existing open space and any other common areas.
- Existing parking and loading areas.

**Proposed Conditions:**

- All proposed streets, drives, parking areas, fire lanes and access, loading and unloading areas with dimensions, traffic patterns, access aisles, and curb radii per the requirements of Article 10, Part I. (note: all new driveways, or existing driveways proposed to be used in conjunction with a new use, may require a separate driveway permit from the NCDOT or the Town of Smithfield).
- The total quantity of parking spaces required and the total quantity of parking spaces provided. Indicate uses of buildings.
- Sight distance triangles (minimum 10' by 70' for driveway intersections at ROW lines; or as per NCDOT requirements or Town of Smithfield Code of Ordinance at all other intersections).
- Location of all proposed structures, including their outside dimensions and elevations, streets, entrances and exits on the site.
- Sidewalks, trails and other pedestrian ways with locations, dimensions and surfacing, including handicap curb cuts. Internal sidewalks and/or other proposed means of pedestrian access (note: internal pedestrian access should connect with public ROW sidewalk).
- Location and design of proposed sanitary waste disposal systems, water mains and appurtenances (including fire hydrants) on or adjacent to the parcel.
- Proposed other utility lines both under- and above-ground, including electric power, telephone, gas, cable television.
- Location of all US Clean Water Act Section 404 wetland areas, detention/retention ponds (Best Management Practices), riparian buffers and impervious surface areas with area dimensions, and ratios of impervious surface to the total size of the lot.
- Location of all proposed common areas.
- All parcels of land proposed to be designated, dedicated and/or reserved, for public or private use, shown with total land area and boundary descriptions.
- Distance between buildings and height of buildings.
- Building locations, footprints, entrances area by floor (s.f.), finished floor elevation (first).
- Location, dimensions, and details of signs per the requirements of Article 10, Part III.
- Proposed building elevations, except for single- and two-family homes and townhouses designed under the NC Residential Building Code.
- Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) may be required if estimated traffic generated exceeds 800 trips/day. Check with the UDO Administrator for applicability.
- Grading Plan: proposed contours with a maximum of two foot contour intervals within 100 feet of all buildings and along all driveways, entrances, exits, private streets, parking areas, loading areas, retaining walls and a maximum of ten foot contour intervals for the remainder of the property. Supplement with spot elevations where necessary. All topography should be referred to permanent benchmarks and referenced to accepted datum.
- Grading and Erosion Control Plan (State approval required if over one acre), shall be approved by NCDENR – Land Quality Section.
- Complete storm drainage calculations; pipe sizing and material; topographic mapping delineating the total drainage easements. Label all easements.
- Total impervious surface square footage and percentage calculations for all development. Some sites may

require engineered stormwater control devices, drainage calculations, nitrogen loading calculation, required maintenance agreement and access easements.

- Site lighting plan: The plan should include the height, type of fixture, photometric information (isolux diagrams) and location of all exterior lighting. In addition, parking lot lighting shall be shielded so that it does not cast direct light beyond the property line.
- Dumpster (or any other trash handling facilities) location, proposed screening labeled with height material, dimensions of concrete pad and details of gates, including support. Any dumpster to be used for recycling should be labeled as such.
- Label all storage areas with type and height of items stored. Label any high-piled stock or storage areas (inside or outside).
- Landscape Plan: Include the genus and species, common name, quantity, size and location of all plant material proposed to meet Article 10, Part II requirements. The plan must include a "plant list" (in chart form), which should be coded to the plan. Show all calculations used to determine the quantity of plants required. All proposed planting, should be coordinated with both the utility plan and the grading/storm drainage plan to eliminate conflicts. No landscaping allowed in water or sewer easements.
- Description of all fences, walls and/or berms used to fulfill landscaping or screening requirements with details and cross-sections as needed (all fences over 6 feet must be sealed by a licensed Engineer).
- Tree protection fencing to protect areas of existing vegetation should be located on the plan and detailed along with applicable notes.

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