Minute No. 160
Report – Executive Policy Committee – January 18, 2012

Item 2 **Subdivision and Rezoning – 1280 Notre Dame Avenue**
(Daniel McIntyre Ward)
File DASZ 44/2011

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Executive Policy Committee and adopted the following:

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COUNCIL DECISION (continued):

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by His Worship Mayor Katz,

That the recommendation of the Executive Policy Committee be adopted by consent.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On January 18, 2012, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the City Centre Community Committee and submitted the matter to Council.

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On January 3, 2012, the City Centre Community Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Public Service and, via the Priority Rezoning Process, submitted its recommendation to the Executive Policy Committee.

RE: **Subdivision and Rezoning – 1280 Notre Dame Avenue**
File DASZ 44/2011

For submission to: **Executive Policy Committee**

Prepared by: **Josie Marques, Senior Committee Clerk**
City Centre Community Committee

Report date: **January 4, 2011**

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The City Centre Community Committee provided the following supporting reason(s) for its recommendation:

1. The development is an improvement to the building and worthwhile doing.

PUBLIC HEARING SUMMARY

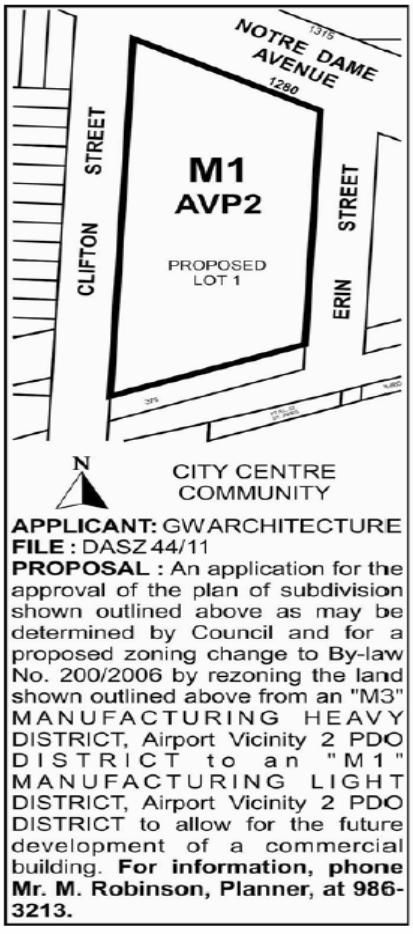
File: DASZ 44/2011

Before: City Centre Community Committee
Councillor Gerbasi, Chairperson
Councillor Orlikow
Councillor Smith

Public Hearing: January 3, 2012
Council Chamber
Council Building, 510 Main Street

Applicant: GW Architecture Inc. (Brian Wall)

Subject:



Premises Affected: 1280 Notre Dame Avenue

Exhibits Filed:

1. Application dated November 23, 2011
2. Notification of Public Hearing dated December 1, 2011
3. Manitoba Status of Title 2521868
4. Surveyor's Building Location Certificate and sketch dated October 12, 2010

5a. Variance Order DAV 531/99C
5b. Conditional Use Order DCU 47/2000C
5b. Variance Order DAV 106/2000C
5c. Variance Order DAV 941/2000C
5d. Variance Order DAV 105/2001C

6. Plans (3 pages)
7. Report from the Planning and Land Use Division dated December 22, 2011
8. Inspection Report
9. Presentation, submitted by Marc Cohoe, with respect to the application

REPRESENTATIONS:

In Support:

Giovanni Geremia

In Opposition

Nil

For Information:

Mark Cohoe

For the City:

Mr. J. Wintrup, Principal Planner, Planning, Property and Development Department

Exhibit "7" referred to in File DASZ 44/2011

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Title: DASZ 44/2011 –1280 Notre Dame Avenue

Issue: Rezoning application from "M3" AVP-2 Manufacturing Heavy District to "M1" AVP-2 Manufacturing Light District for the development of a commercial strip mall and the consolidation of all lots into one lot.

Critical Path: City Centre Community Committee as per the Development Procedures By-law and *The City of Winnipeg Charter.*

AUTHORIZATION

Author	Department Head	CFO	CAO
Patti Regan	n/a	n/a	n/a

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REASON FOR THE REPORT

The Report is being submitted for the Committee's consideration of the development application at the Public Hearing.

IMPLICATIONS OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS

If the recommendations of the Planning and Land Use Division are concurred in, the property will be rezoned.

CONSULTATION

In preparing this Report there was consultation with:
N/A

SUBMITTED BY

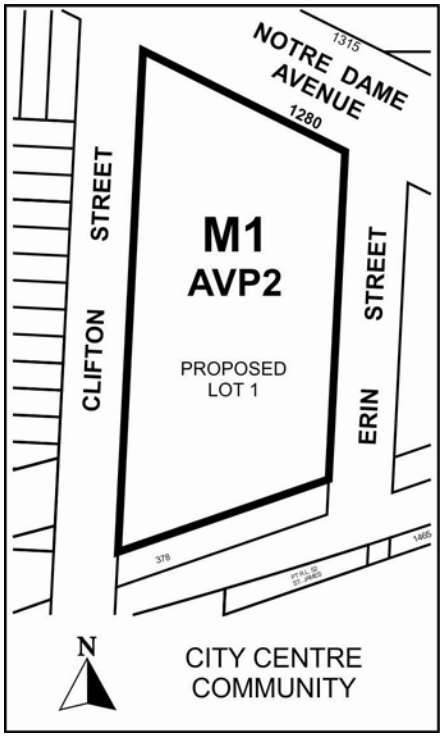
Department	*Planning, Property and Development*
Division	*Planning and Land Use*
Prepared by	Michael Robinson, AICP, MCIP
Date:	December 22, 2011
File No.	DASZ 44/2011

APPENDIX 'A'

DATE: December 22, 2011
FILE: DASZ 44/11
RELATED FILES: N/A
COMMUNITY: City Centre Community
NEIGHBOURHOOD #: 1.118

SUBJECT: Rezoning application from "M3" AVP-2 Manufacturing Heavy District to "M1" AVP-2 Manufacturing Light District for the development of a commercial strip mall and the consolidation of all lots into one lot.

LOCATION: Southwest corner of Erin Street and Notre Dame Avenue
LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Provided with the application



APPLICANT: GW Architecture (Brian Wall)
602 – 44 Princess Street
WINNIPEG MB R3B 1K2

OWNER: Spa Investments

RECOMMENDATION: Approval, with conditions

SITE DESCRIPTION

The subject property is located at the southwest corner of Erin Street and Notre Dame Avenue in the Sargent Park neighbourhood of the Daniel McIntyre ward.

North: Notre Dame Avenue
South: Railroad tracks, then industrial development zoned "M3" Manufacturing Heavy District
East: Erin Street, then a warehouse building zoned "M2" Manufacturing General District
West: Clifton Street, then light manufacturing use zoned "M3" Manufacturing Heavy District

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT
The applicant is proposing to add 12 rental commercial/retail units of approximately 2,500 square feet each. 9 of the rental units will be located on the ground level and three will be located on a second floor portion of the development.

The site has a total area of 74,000 square feet. The main floor portion of the structure will provide a total of 22,200 square feet of space while the upper portion will provide 7,950 square feet of space. The total area will be 30,150 square feet.

The proposal calls for approximately 92 parking stalls. The north part of the lot is already developed as a parking area for Robin's Donuts and it is the intention to retain the paving and landscaping in that area as is. In addition, the drive through lane for the Robin's Donuts will remain in its present location.

Reason for application
Commercial/retail uses are not permitted in the "M3" Manufacting Heavy District. Consequently, a rezoning to the "M1" Manufacturing Light District, which permits retail/commercial uses, with some restrictions, is required.

ANALYSIS AND ISSUES
OurWinnipeg / Complete Communities
The subject property is within a General Manufacturing Area of the urban structure. General Manufacturing areas consist of existing, typically planned industrial areas that contain a mix of light industrial uses at varying intensities. While the City still aims to reserve general manufacturing areas principally for industrial related uses, Complete Communities promotes the idea of more flexibility in the introduction of other, complimentary uses, especially on vacant or obsolete sites and along major mixed use corridors, such as Notre Dame Avenue.

For instance, Direction 1, Strategy 3 of Employment Lands > Manufacturing Specific reads as follows:

Support the introduction of commercial/retail and personal service development that is subordinate to, and supportive of the primary employment uses in business/institutional areas.

Direction 3, Strategy 4 of Employment Lands > All Employment Lands states:

Encourage uses that support the industrial function of the employment cluster while catering to the day-to-day needs of area businesses and employees

Given that the subject site is partially vacant, located along a major corridor, and will provide complimentary commercial/retail uses, the rezoning is consistent with OurWinnipeg/Complete Communities.

Conditions of approval

Plan approval

The site plan submitted to the City shows the general layout of buildings and parking on the site. The Winnipeg Public Service is recommending that final plans be submitted to the Director of Planning, Property, and Development and City Centre Community Committee for approval, prior to the issuance of any permits for the property. Plan approval will ensure that the development of the site is meeting Complete Communities objectives. Items that the City will be looking for at the plan approval stage are as follows:

Accessibility

- Bicycle Parking – both short term (bicycle racks) and long term (bicycle room/bicycle cage) for employees
- Pedestrian access to the site from multiple locations
- Pedestrian crosswalk (raised with a change in colour/texture) internal to the site
- Move portion of building fronting Notre Dame closer to the street, to facilitate pedestrian access to the buildings/site
- Consider pedestrian entrances along street frontages (Erin and Notre Dame)

Site presentation

- Upgrade fencing along Notre Dame Avenue to a black, ornamental style fence
- Install landscaping, per the Winnipeg Zoning By-law, at the perimeter of the site, at building foundations, and within the parking lot
- Require buildings to be four sided – meaning that architectural detailing should be provided on all four sides of the building. This is necessary because the backs of the buildings face onto public streets (Erin and Clifton Streets)
- Install garage enclosure

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Planning and Land Use Division recommend approval for the following reasons:

- The rezoning will result in a general improvement in the appearance of the property
- The rezoning is consistent with OurWinnipeg/Complete Communities

This Report Submitted by:
Planning, Property and Development Department
Planning and Land Use Division

Report Prepared by: Michael Robinson, AICP, MCIP
PPD File # DASZ 37/2011

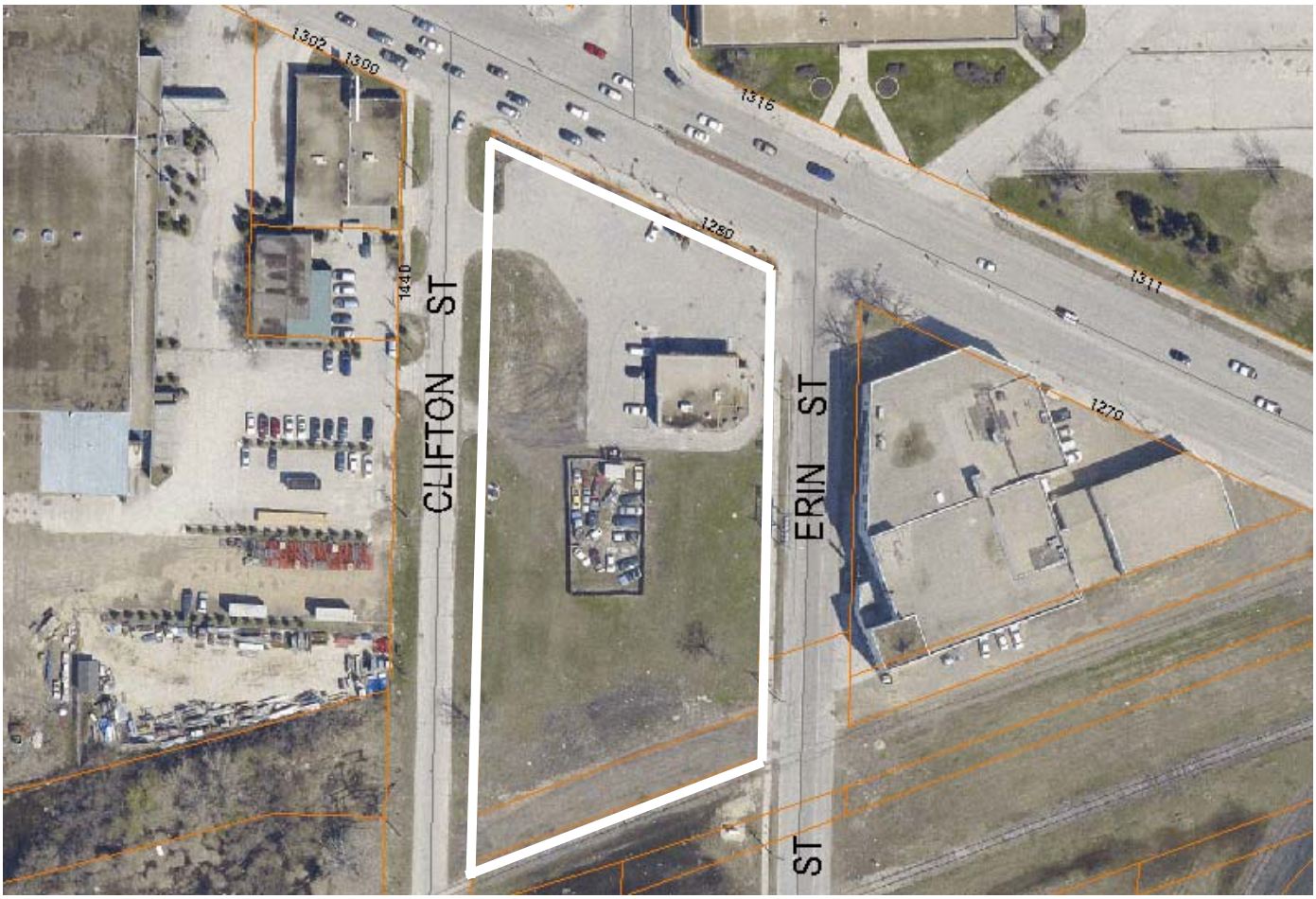


Figure 1: Aerial Photo (Flown in 2009)

Schedule "A"
Schedule "A" for File No. DASZ 44/2011, City Centre Community Committee, dated December 22, 2011

