

Case #S-716-18-20-20-21 Reunion Ridge Filing No. 1, Amendment #4

Location: South of E. 104th Avenue, West of Vaughn

Way, and East of Tucson Street

Applicant: Oakwood Homes

Introduction

 Staff enters into the public record the contents of the case file, the subdivision regulations, and this digital presentation.

 Additionally, the property is located within the City of Commerce City. All required notification and posting requirements have been met.

Case Summary

 Location: South of E. 104th Avenue, West of Vaughn Way, and East of Tucson Street

Request: Approval of Subdivision Plat

Current zoning: Reunion PUD – (Mixed-Use)

Future land use: Mixed-Use



Applicant's Request

 Oakwood Homes is seeking approval of a request for the subdivision of Reunion Ridge Filing No. 1, Amendment No. 4 to plat a 15.12 acre tract into 129 lots and 4 associated tracts.

NOTE: The applicant is also seeking approval for **D-415-20-21 PUD Development Permit** (landscaping, addressing, and civil construction documents) which is reviewed and approved administratively.

 Currently zoned as part of the Reunion PUD Amendment #5. The general purpose of the proposed plat is to create additional lots for residential development.

Public Hearing Summary

- Traditionally, subdivisions are reviewed and approved administratively in accordance with the City's Land Development Code (LDC).
- Public and Council notification is part of the administrative approval – prior to approval.
- §21-3241(4) allows for public hearings by request of public, public entities, the CD Director, or City Council.
- City Council requested this public hearing.

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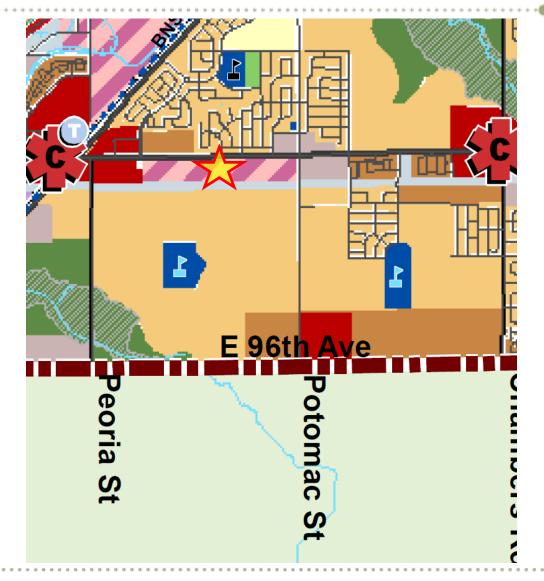
Future Land Use Plan

Future Land Use Residential - Low Residential - Medium Residential - High Mixed-Use - E-470 Mixed-Use (Corridor and Commercial) Commercial Office / Flex DIA Technology Industrial / Distribution General Industrial **DIA Reserve** Utility

Public/State

Open Space

Park





Zoning/Comp Plan

Comp Plan – The FLUP within the Comp Plan is a guiding document for future land use decisions.

Zoning – Reunion PUD Am. 5 is the regulatory document governing the land use.

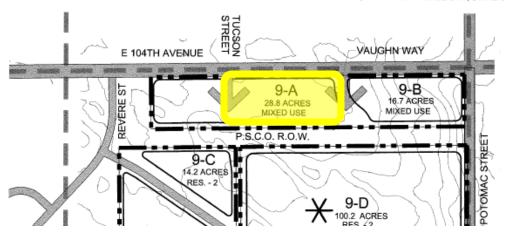
→ The subject subdivision plat does not change or impact the allowed land uses nor change the zoning – it simply creates lots.

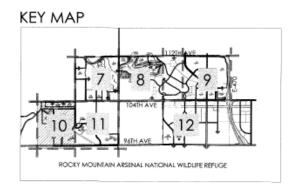
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REUNION PUD ZONE DOCUMENT

AMENDMENT #5 OF THE BUFFALO HILLS RANCH PUD ZONE DOCUMENT

PORTIONS OF SECTIONS 7, 8, 9, 10, 16 AND 18 OF T.2S., R66W OF THE 6TH P.M., AND A PORTION OF SECTION 13, T.2S., R67W., OF THE 6TH P.M., COUNTY OF ADAMS, CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, STATE OF COLORADO



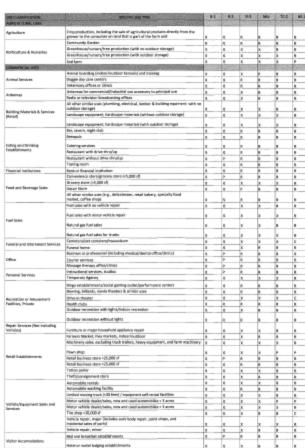


VILLAGE 9

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		GROSS	RANGE (1)
PARCEL	USE	ACRES	(DU/AC) N
9-A	MU	28.8	8-24
9-B	MU	16.7	8-24
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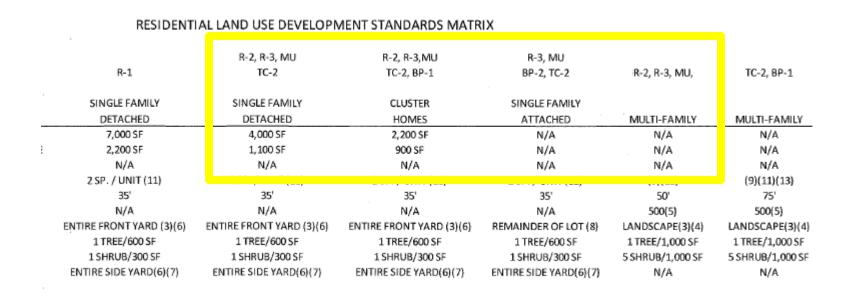


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MU designation allows multiple residential & non-residential land uses.

There is no requirement for a combination of the allowable uses.

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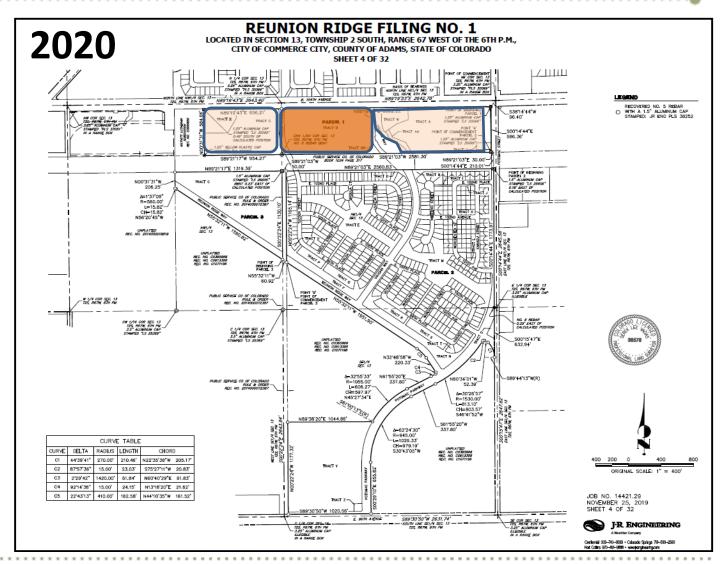
The Reunion PUD Am. 5 allows a variety of land uses (including various residential uses) within the MU designation, but does not require any set combination of uses (no min/max %s)

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Case History

- **2000** Buffalo Hills Ranch PUD Original Zone Doc for ~3,138 Acres
- **2002** Rezoned from Buffalo Hills Ranch PUD to Reunion PUD (Amendment #1)
- 2019 Reunion PUD Amendment #5
 - → Adjusted allowed land uses, lot sizes, and dwelling sizes
- **2020** Reunion Ridge Filing No. 1 Plat
 - → 447 residential lots w/ tracts for future development
- 2021 Reunion Ridge Filing No. 1, Amendment #4

Case History





Case History – PUD

2000 – Buffalo Hills Ranch → MU

		R-1	R-2, R-3, MU BP-2, TC-2	R-2, R-3, MU, TC-2, BP-2	R-3, MU, BP-2, TC-2	R-2, R-3, MU, TC-1 TC-2, BP-1, BP-2
		SINGLE FAMILY	SINGLE FAMILY	CLUSTER	SINGLE FAMILY	
STANDARDS		DETACHED	DETACHED	HOMES	ATTACHED	MULTI-FAMILY
-	MIN. LOT SIZE MIN. DETACHED DWELLING SIZE LOT FRONTAGE	7000 SF 2,200 SF N/A	4000 SF 1,100 SF N/A	2,500 SF 1,100 SF N/A	N/A N/A N/A	N/A N/A N/A
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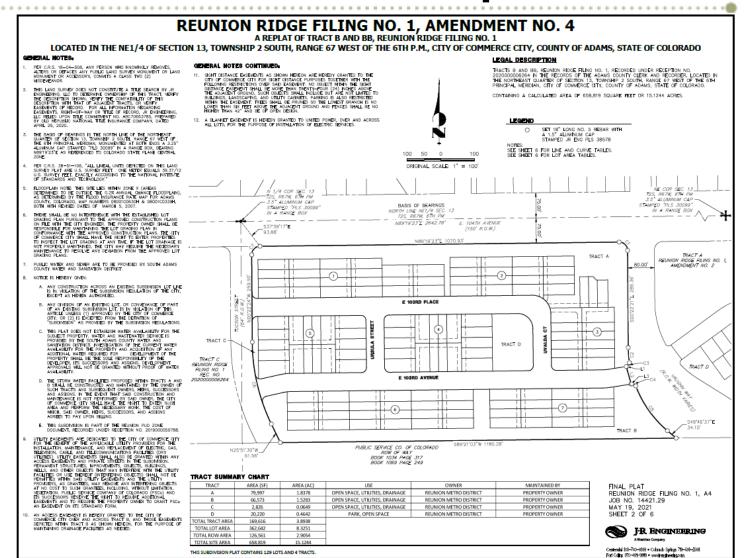
2019 – Reunion, Amendment #5 → MU

RESIDENTIAL LAND USE DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS MATRIX

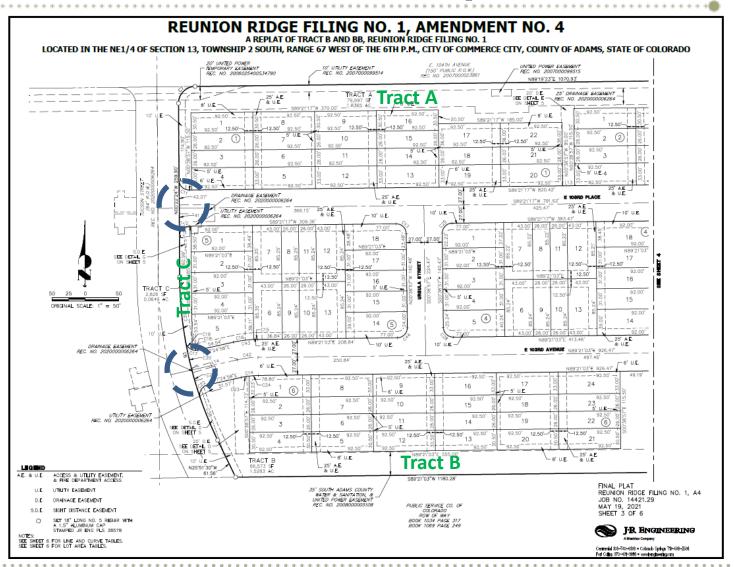
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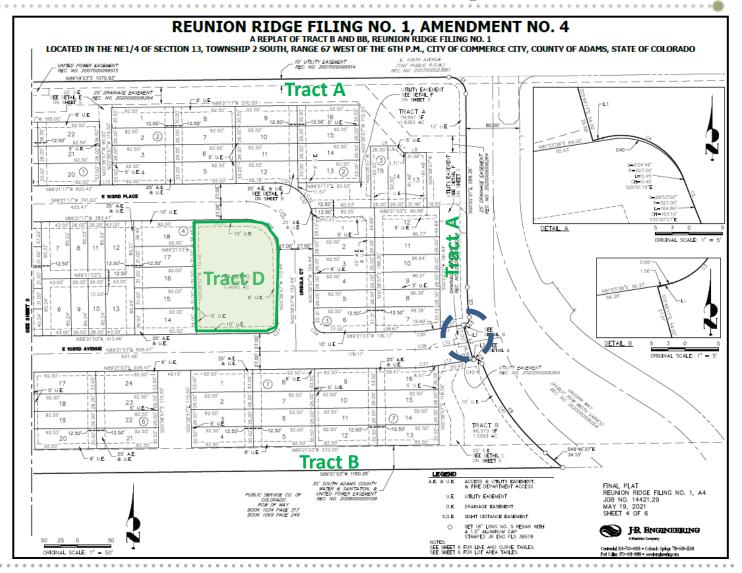
- 129 Lots and 4 Tracts (A, B, C, & D)
- Access from two locations on Tucson Street & one location on Vaughn Way.
- Park dedication of ~0.5 acres (Tract D)
- ROW dedication of 2.9 acres
- Tracts A, B, and C for drainage, utilities, open space. Owned and maintained by the Reunion Metro District







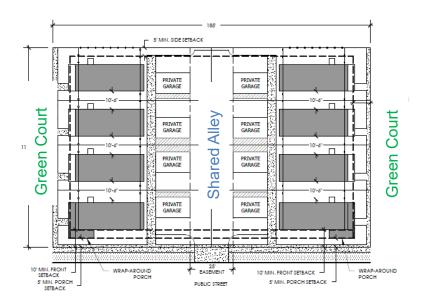


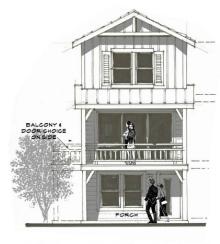




Anticipated Development

- Being reviewed as a part of the PUD Dev. Permit
- Small, single family detached lots
- Arranged in a "cluster" home formation
- Optional detached garages





TRADITIONAL



 The plat was reviewed against the technical requirements of the Reunion PUD Zone Document and the city's subdivision standards.

 The plat was reviewed against the policies of the Comprehensive Plan.

 The plat has been distributed to and reviewed by all relevant referral agencies, including 27J school district, utility companies, SACFD, MHFD, TCHD, and internal City departments.

	Proposed Plat Requirements - F	Residential	
Issue	Proposed	CITY STANDARD	MEETS CITY STANDARD?
Density	8.53 DU/AC (gross) 15.5 DU/AC (net)	8-24 DU/AC (PUD Standard)	Yes
Lot Frontage(s) – Minimum	26 feet min.	N/A Per the PUD	Yes
Lot Size(s) - Minimum	2,216 – 4,148 Sq Ft	2,200 Sq Ft Minimum (PUD Standard)	Yes
Comprehensive Plan	Residential High	Mixed Use	Yes
Public Parks/Open Space Land	Oakwood and the City have identified the necessary public park and open space areas related to this development, which are dedicated when they are platted. The public park for Reunion Ridge is located next to the future Elementary School site, just to the south along Potomac.	Residential developers are required to dedicate land for public parks/open space or pay a fee-in-lieu of land dedication.	Yes
Private Parks/Open Space Land	3.89 Ac. Owned and Maintained by HOA	Residential developers are required to reserve 3% of their usable land for private parks/open space.	Yes
Right-of-Way Dedications	Street ROW 2.90 Ac. total	Required Dedication of Public Collector and Local Streets	Yes
School Impacts	Oakwood has worked with the 27J School District to identify the future school sites in the Reunion development. In accordance with the Developer's Agreement, the master builder has met this requirement for public school dedication lands.	Dedication or Cash-in-Lieu	Yes



Road Network and Traffic Impacts

- Existing roads in Northern Range were studied, designed and constructed to accommodate future development.
- Tucson Street and Vaughn Way constructed as collectors.
 Accommodating access from E. 104th Avenue to the proposed local streets of the proposed development.
- City Development Engineering staff review addressed all concerns.
- No DRT concerns related to the impacts to the road network.



Impacts to School District

- Future School locations planned collaboratively with
 District 27J throughout the Reunion Development –
 via Comprehensive Plan and Future Land Use Map.
- Oakwood Homes has traditionally dedicated land in-lieu-of fees to satisfy the city's school fee requirement.
- Development Agreement established in 2001.
- No school site dedicated through this plat
- Anticipated elementary school site within the
 Village 9 area to the southeast of the site



Impacts to School District

- Students from the proposed plat to attend Second
 Creek (E), Stuart (M), and Prairie View (HS).
- Schools currently have capacity to handle this proposed development.

			NOV	ENROLLMENT PROJECTIONS - 6/23/21									
School	Site Capacity with UF	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30	2030/31
SECOND CREEK ES	839	750	754	815	749	775	800	816	836	853	880	916	943
ES #14 ES	350	0	0	0	314	336	349	394	422	449	487	519	549
STUART MS	825	791	742	780	807	947	1,077	1,200	1,286	1,339	1,401	1,449	1,487
PRAIRIE VIEW HS	1,901	1,771	1,696	1,548	1,545	1,506	1,505	1,606	1,704	1,883	2,035	2,196	2,341



School District Capital Facility Foundation Fee:

- 501(c)(3) organization aimed at addressing the district's capital construction needs.
- Voluntary many of the developers in the district participate in the CFFF.
- City does not collect the fees
- Not required per City code
- City does not withhold permits if developers do not participate.

CFFF fees per unit type

Dwelling Unit Type	Rate per Unit
Single Family Detached	\$865.00
Single Family Attached (Duplex)	\$865.00
Townhome/Condo	\$494.00
Apartment	\$494.00
Mobile Home	\$865.00

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Units	Fees per single family unit	Total CFFF fee
129	\$865/unit	\$111,585



Reunion Community Foundation (RCF) Fee

- 2018 Oakwood Homes created the Reunion Community Foundation.
- 501(c)(3) organization to advance school planning and development efforts within the Reunion Community.
- Oakwood Homes no longer makes contributions to the CFFF.
- Oakwood provided examples of impacts as outlined in the staff report.



Subdivision Plat Approval Criteria

LDC Sec. 21-3241

- Consistent with the approved PUD Zone Document for this property;
- Plat helps to implement the intent of the Reunion PUD zone district;
- No evidence that the plat is violating any law;
- General layout accomplishes the purposes and intent of the LDC;
- Subdivision complies with applicable city standards and does not create lots that make compliance difficult;
- Should not create substantial or undue adverse effects;
- Adequate public services exist to serve this lot;
- A development agreement was executed for public improvements in this filing;
- Phasing criteria is not applicable as none is proposed.

Required Public Notification

(Pursuant to LDC Sec. 21-3285)

Type of Notification	Code Required	Code Required Minimum Met	Notification Provided
Mail/Postcard to Adjacent Property Owners	Mailed Notification to property owners within 300 feet	✓	31 Adjacent Property Owners Notified
Publication/ Newspaper Notice	Notice in local newspaper	✓	Notice in Commerce City Sentinel-Express
Placard/Sign on Property	At least one sign on subject property	✓	Two Signs Posted

As of September 13, 2021, staff received no requests for additional information or objections to these application requests.



PC Recommendation

PC Hearing on Aug 24, 2021

PC voted 5-0 to forward this request to the City Council with a favorable recommendation for approval.





Staff is available to answer any questions.

The applicant also has a presentation to present and speak on behalf of this request and to answer any questions.

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