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AGENDA ITEM E. NEW BUSINESS

2023-096
September 25, 2023
Carol and Wesley Skinner Jr of Anchorage, Alaska
Kenton Bloom / Seabright Survey + Design
Kachemak City
174-451-02
T 6S R 13W SEC 12 Seward Meridian HM 0880048 Deitz Home Estates Sub No
5 Addn NO 1 Amended LOT 6
Residential
Rural Unrestricted
Water: On Site / Sewer: City
None

ITEM #1 - PRELIMINARY PLAT DEITZ HOME ESTATES NO. 5 SKINNER 2023 REPLAT

STAFF REPORT

Specific Request / Scope of Subdivision: The proposed plat will dedicate additional width to Gladys Court.

Location and Legal Access (existing and proposed): This subdivision is located off East End Road at approximately mile marker four in Kachemak City. Gladys Court is a 60-foot-wide dedication ending in a cul-de-sac to the west. This plat is being completed to dedicate additional right-of-way to Gladys Court. Per the letter from the Kachemak City Mayor the dedication is to help facilitate long term improvement of Gladys Court roadway. A copy of the letter can be found in the packet.

Access to the property is along Gladys Court and will continue to be. The sole purpose of this plat is right-of-way dedication. Lot 6 will become Lot 6-A with less land by an amount of 2,305 sq. ft.

Due to Gladys Court ending in a cul-de-sac and Kachemak Bay to the south, the block length is not compliant. **Staff** recommends: the Plat Committee concur an exception for block length is not required.

KPB Roads Dept. comments	Out of Jurisdiction: Yes
	Roads Director: Griebel, Scott Comments: No comments
SOA DOT comments	No comments - Engineering

<u>Site Investigation</u>: There are no classified wetlands within the boundary of the parcel, but within the existing rightof-way there is a Riverine classification to the northeast. As stated in the letter by Kachemak City Mayor this additional width being dedicated will facilitate long term improvements to Gladys Court roadway.

There are gradual slopes running south through the area in the direction of Kachemak Bay. None have been found over 20 percent grade.

The subject parcel does have improvements located on the property and the surveyor submitted an as built survey to confirm to staff there are no encroachment issues.

Per the Floodplain-Planner this is in an area of minimal flooding risk. **Staff recommends:** the flood hazard note be added and include the map panel as shown in the Planner's comment. **Staff also recommends**: place a note on

the final plat indicating any person developing the property is responsible for obtaining all required local, state, and federal permits, including a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers wetland determination if applicable.

KPB River Center review	See attachments
	A. Floodplain Reviewer: Hindman, Julie Floodplain Status: IS in flood hazard area Comments: Flood Zone: X (shaded) Map Panel: 02122C-2120E In Floodway: False Floodway Panel:
	B. Habitat Protection Reviewer: Aldridge, Morgan Habitat Protection District Status: Is NOT within HPD Comments: No comments
	C. State Parks Reviewer: VACANT Comments:
State of Alaska Fish and Game	

<u>Staff Analysis</u> This parcel was created by Deitz Home Estates No 5 HM 84-97 from an aliquot parcel of Section 12, Township 6S, Range 13W SM, Kenai Peninsula Borough, Alaska. Tract A of HM 84-97 was subdivided further by Deitz Home Estates No 5 Addition No 1 HM 88-11 and amended by HM 88-84, to create the lot configuration we have today.

A soil report not will be required and the correct plat note is shown. An installation agreement or documentation one is not required will need to be provided to staff before the plat can be finalized.

Notice of the proposed plat was mailed to the beneficial interest holder on September 9, 2023. The beneficial interest holder will be given 30 days from the date of the mailing of the notification to respond. They are given the opportunity to notify staff if their beneficial interest prohibits or restricts subdivision or requires their signature on the final plat. If no response is received within 30 days, staff will assume they have no requirements regarding the subdivision and it may be finalized.

Kachemak City heard and unanimously passed Resolution 2023-28 accepting the preliminary plat at their regularly scheduled August 9, 2023 meeting. Minutes are available in the packet.

<u>Utility Easements</u> The parent plat, HM 88-48, granted 10-foot utility easements along Glady's Court and a portion of that easement will be within the new dedication. ACS did provide a non-objection, but indicated they may have underground lines. The proposed plat is granting a new 10-foot utility easement if in the future the lines need to be relocated.

The affected utility providers were emailed the subdivision plat public hearing notice as part of the routine notification process. **Staff recommends** to grant utility easements requested by the utility providers or work with the utility providers to obtain approval.

Utility provider review:

HEA	No comments
ENSTAR	No comments or recommendations
ACS	Alaska Communications has no objections. However, Alaska Communications may have buried facilities located in the previous 10' utility easement along Gladys Ct as shown on the plat (HM 88-48) in the area that is now being dedicated as ROW per this plat.
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KPB department / agency review:

Addressing	Reviewer: Leavitt, Rhealyn
Addressing	Affected Addresses:
	41445 GLADYS CT
	Existing Street Names are Correct: Yes
	List of Correct Street Names: GLADYS CT
	Existing Street Name Corrections Needed:
	All New Street Names are Approved: No
	List of Approved Street Names:
	List of Street Names Denied:
	Comments:
	No other comments
Code Compliance	Reviewer: Ogren, Eric
·	Comments: No comments
Planner	Reviewer: Raidmae, Ryan
	There are not any Local Option Zoning District issues with this proposed
	plat.
	Material Site Comments:
	There are not any material site issues with this proposed plat. Review Not Required
Assessing	Reviewer: Windsor, Heather
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The subdivision plat has been reviewed and generally complies with the 2019 Kenai Peninsula Borough Comprehensive plan.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS CORRECTIONS / EDITS

- Update the KPB number to 2023-096

KPB 20.25.070 – Form and contents required

Staff recommendation: final plat submittals must comply with 20.25.070. Additional information, revisions, and/or corrections are required as noted below.

A. Within the Title Block

1. Name of the subdivision which shall not be the same as an existing city, town, tract, or subdivision of land in the borough, of which a plat has been previously recorded, or so nearly the same as to

mislead the public or cause confusion. The parent plat's name shall be the primary name of the preliminary plat.

2. Legal description, location, date, and total area in acres of the proposed subdivision;

3. Name and address of owner(s), as shown on the KPB records and the certificate to plat, and registered land surveyor.

Staff recommendation:

Add Kachemak City to the title block and add Amended before the parent plat number. (refer to certificate to plat)

Remove 'A replat of Gladys Court ROW &' from the legal, as the original right-of-way is not involved

D. A vicinity map, drawn to scale showing location of proposed subdivision, north arrow if different from plat orientation, township and range, section lines, roads, political boundaries, and prominent natural and manmade features, such as shorelines or streams;

Staff recommendation: Please blackout the subdivision to easier identify.

G. The status of adjacent lands within 100 feet of the proposed subdivision boundary or the land status across from any dedicated rights-of-way that adjoin the propose subdivision boundary, including names of subdivisions, lot lines, block numbers, lot numbers, rights-of-way; or an indication that the adjacent land is not subdivided;

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KPB 20.30 – Subdivision Design Requirements

Staff recommendation: final plat submittals must comply with 20.30. Additional information, revisions, and/or corrections are required as noted below.

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Staff recommendation: Remove the building setback note from plat note one and add the following note "All development must comply with the municipal zoning requirements"

20.30.270. Different standards in cities. Where cities have enacted by ordinance different subdivision design standards than those set forth in this chapter, the planning commission shall apply the city standards in lieu of those set forth in this chapter. Any appeal of a city design standard is subject to KPB 21.01.020(E). **Staff recommendation:** The City of Kachemak does not meet the specified requirements for the application and consideration of different standards.

20.30.280. Floodplain requirements.

D. All subdivisions or replats within the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) area or SMFDA, as amended, as defined by KPB 21.06.020, shall contain the following note:

FLOOD HAZARD NOTICE:

Some or all of the property shown on this plat has been designated by FEMA or the Kenai Peninsula Borough Seward Mapped Flood Data Area as a flood hazard area district as of the date this plat is recorded with the district recorder's office. Prior to development, the Kenai Peninsula Borough floodplain administrator should be contacted for current information and regulations. Development must comply with Chapter 21.06 of the Kenai Peninsula Borough Code.

Staff reminds the owner(s), that it is the responsibility of the subdivider to provide all necessary information regarding flood protection measures at the time the preliminary plat is presented for consideration by the planning commission (21.06.050).

Staff recommendation: provide flood hazard note and include map panel as provided by the Floodplain – Planner.

KPB 20.40 – Wastewater Disposal

Staff recommendation: final plat submittals must comply with 20.40. Additional information, revisions, and/or corrections are required as noted below.

20.40.010 Wastewater disposal.

Platting Staff Comments: Sewer will be provided by a connection from the City of Homer and water will be on individually supplied on site.

Staff recommendation: comply with 20.40.

KPB 20.60 – Final Plat

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Staff recommendation: Update Certificate of Acceptance to Kachemak City.

20.60.080. Improvements-Installation agreement required. A final plat of a subdivision located within city limits shall not be recorded with the district recorder prior to compliance with any city ordinances concerning the installation of improvements. Evidence of compliance shall be provided by the subdivider in the form of a written statement from the appropriate city official that improvements required by city ordinance are or will be installed. Evidence of compliance shall be a part of the final plat submission and the time for action required by KPB 20.60.210 shall not commence until evidence of compliance is submitted.

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20.60.180. Plat notes.

B. Revision of, or not carrying forward, an existing plat note from the parent plat will adhere to KPB 20.50.010. Separate advertising of the plat note removal is not required, Notification of the requested change will be sent by regular mail to all owners within the subdivision (parent plat and subsequent replats) as shown on the borough tax rolls. Upon approval by the planning commission, the revision or removal of the record plat note shall be finalized by recording a planning commission resolution or subdivision plat.

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RECOMMENDATION:

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August 10, 2023

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