VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING NOVEMBER 2, 2010 AGENDA

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
Final Plat of Subdivision	✓ Resolution ✓ Ordinance Motion	Tom Dabareiner, AICP
and Rezoning	Discussion Only	Community Development Director

SYNOPSIS

A resolution for the final plat of subdivision has been prepared to consolidate two existing lots into one lot for the property located at 1528 Brook Drive and 1516 Brook Drive / 1515 Centre Circle. An ordinance has been prepared to permit a zoning ordinance map amendment to rezone 1528 Brook Drive, from M2, Restricted Manufacturing to ORM, Office, Research and Manufacturing.

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

The Goals 2014 identified *Strong, Diverse Local Economy*. Supporting this goal is the objective *Maintain, expand and balance local economy and tax base*.

FISCAL IMPACT

N/A

UPDATE & RECOMMENDATION

This item was discussed at the October 19, 2010 Village Council meeting. Staff recommends approval on the November 2, 2010 active agenda.

BACKGROUND

The petitioner is requesting approval of a final plat of subdivision to consolidate two existing lots into one lot and a rezoning of the existing western parcel (1528 Brook Drive) from M2, Restricted Manufacturing to ORM, Office, Research and Manufacturing. The western parcel is currently zoned M2 while the eastern parcel (1516 Brook Drive / 1515 Centre Circle) is currently zoned ORM.

Currently, there is a building on each of the separate parcels and the petitioner is proposing to construct an addition between the two buildings to connect them. Without the plat of subdivision, the petitioner would not be permitted to construct the building link over the property line. Additionally, the rezoning of the western parcel will allow the entire parcel to follow the ORM zoning regulations. The rezoning to ORM is consistent with the proposed production and research and development activities that are proposed for the connected building.

The petitioner has not requested any exceptions from the Subdivision Ordinance. A five-foot wide stormwater and utility easement along the southeast property line will be dedicated so that there are utility easements along each of the property lines. The proposed new lot would be 328 feet wide by 507 feet deep along Centre Circle and 487 feet deep along Brook Drive. The new parcel would meet all subdivision requirements as noted below:

	Required	Proposed
Lot Width (min)	100 ft	328 ft
Lot Area (min)	20,000 sq ft	186,437 sf ft

The Plan Commission considered the petition at their October 4, 2010 meeting and voted unanimously to recommend approval of the Final Plat of Subdivision and Rezoning. Staff concurs with the Plan Commission recommendation.

ATTACHMENTS

Aerial Map Ordinance Staff Report with attachments dated October 4, 2010 Minutes of the Plan Commission Hearing dated October 4, 2010

VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE COUNCIL ACTION SUMMARY

INITIATED:	Petitioner	DATE:	November 2, 2010
	(Name)		
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	(Board or Department)	
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ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE, ILLINOIS, CODIFIED AS CHAPTER 28 OF THE DOWNERS GROVE MUNICIPAL CODE, AS AMENDED TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1528 BROOK DRIVE

WHEREAS, the real estate located at the northeast corner of the intersection of Brook Drive and Centre Circle, approximately 470 feet east of the intersection of Brook Drive and Finley Road, Downers Grove, Illinois, hereinafter described has been classified as "M-2 Restricted Manufacturing District" under the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance of the Village of Downers Grove; and,

WHEREAS, the owner or owners of said real estate have requested that such property be rezoned as hereinafter provided; and

WHEREAS, the Plan Commission of the Village of Downers Grove has given the required public notice, and has conducted a public hearing on October 4, 2010 and respecting said requested rezoning in accordance with applicable law; and

WHEREAS, making due allowance for existing conditions, the conservation of property values, the development of the property in conformance to the official Future Land Use Plan and Map of the Village of Downers Grove, and the current uses of the property affected, the Council has determined that the proposed rezoning is for the public good.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, in DuPage County, Illinois, as follows:

<u>SECTION 1</u>. The Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance of the Village of Downers Grove, Illinois, codified as Chapter 28 of the Downers Grove Municipal Code (which ordinance as heretofore amended, is hereinafter referred to as the "Zoning Ordinance"), is hereby further amended by changing to "ORM, Office Research Manufacturing District" the zoning classification of the following described real estate, to wit:

Lot 33 in Oak Grove Centre of Commerce Unit Two, being a subdivision of part of the East ½ of Section 30, Township 39 North, Range 11 East of the Third Principal Meridian, according to the plat thereof recorded May 4, 1972 as document R72-23285, in DuPage County, Illinois

Commonly known as 1528 Brook Drive, Downers Grove, IL (PIN 06-30-402-001).

<u>SECTION 2</u>. The official zoning map shall be amended to reflect the change in zoning classification effected by Section 1 of this ordinance, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Any changes to the conditions represented by the Petitioner as the basis for this petition, whether those changes occur prior to or after Village approval, shall be promptly reported to the Village. The Village reserves the right to re-open its review process upon receipt of such information; and
- 2. It is the Petitioner's obligation to maintain compliance with all applicable Federal, State, County and Village laws, ordinances, regulations, and policies.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this

ordinance are hereby repealed.

<u>SECTION 4</u>. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

	Mayor
Passed:	
Published:	
Attest:	
Village Clerk	

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1528 Brook Drive and 1516 Brook Drive / 1515 Centre Circle Location Map



VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE REPORT FOR THE PLAN COMMISSION OCTOBER 4, 2010 AGENDA

SUBJECT:	Түре:	SUBMITTED BY:
PC-12-10		
1528 Brook Drive and	Final Plat of Subdivision &	
1516 Brook Drive / 1515 Centre	Rezoning of 1528 Brook Drive from	Stan Popovich, AICP
Circle	M2 to ORM	Planner

REQUEST

The petitioner is requesting approval of a final plat of subdivision to consolidate two lots into one lot and rezone 1528 Brook Drive from M2, Restricted Manufacturing, to ORM, Office Research and Manufacturing.

NOTICE

The application has been filed in conformance with applicable procedural and public notice requirements.

GENERAL INFORMATION

OWNER: Aromark Properties, Inc.

1525 Brook Drive

Downers Grove, IL 60515

APPLICANT: Flavorchem

1525 Brook Drive

Downers Grove, IL 60515

PROPERTY INFORMATION

EXISTING ZONING: M2, Restricted Manufacturing (1528 Brook Drive)

ORM, Office Research Manufacturing (1516 Brook Drive / 1515 Centre Circle)

EXISTING LAND USE: Manufacturing

PROPERTY SIZE: 186,437 square feet (4.28 acres)

PINS: 06-30-402-001, -002

SURROUNDING ZONING AND LAND USES

ZONING FUTURE LAND USE

NORTH: M2, Restricted Manufacturing Office, Research, Manufacturing

SOUTH: M2, Restricted Manufacturing Commercial

ORM, Office, Research, Manufacturing

EAST: M2, Restricted Manufacturing Office, Research, Manufacturing

ORM, Office, Research, Manufacturing

WEST: M2, Restricted Manufacturing Office, Research, Manufacturing

ANALYSIS

SUBMITTALS

This report is based on the following documents, which are on file with the Department of Community Development:

- 1. Application/Petition for Public Hearing
- 2. Project Narrative
- 3. Plats of Survey
- 4. Plat of Subdivision

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The petitioner is requesting approval of a final plat of subdivision to consolidate two existing lots into one lot and a rezoning of the existing western parcel (1528 Brook Drive) from M2, Restricted Manufacturing to ORM, Office, Research and Manufacturing. The western parcel is currently zoned M2 while the eastern parcel (1516 Brook Drive / 1515 Centre Circle) is currently zoned ORM. A building approximately 41,000 square feet in size is located on the western parcel while the eastern parcel contains a building approximately 50,000 square feet in size. The petitioner occupies both buildings.

The petitioner is proposing to consolidate the two parcels into one so that they can construct an addition to link the two existing buildings. Without the plat of subdivision, the petitioner would not be permitted to construct the building link over the property line. Additionally, the rezoning of the western parcel will allow the entire parcel to follow the ORM zoning regulations. If a single parcel has two zoning classifications, the zoning regulations for that particular parcel are the more restrictive of the two zoning classifications. In this instance, the M2 zoning classification is more restrictive. The rezoning to ORM is consistent with the proposed production and research and development activities that are proposed for the buildings.

The proposed new lot would be 328 feet wide by 507 feet deep along Centre Circle and 487 feet deep along Brook Drive. The new parcel would meet all subdivision requirements as noted below:

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COMPLIANCE WITH FUTURE LAND USE PLAN

According to the Future Land Use Plan, both current parcels are designated as Office, Research and Manufacturing. Staff believes the rezoning of the existing M2 parcel to an ORM designation is consistent with the Future Land Use Plan. Additionally, by consolidating the two lots into one lot, the petitioner will be able to construct a link between the two existing building. Staff believes the proposed final plat of subdivision and rezoning is consistent with the Future Land Use Plan and Village planning documents.

COMPLIANCE WITH ZONING ORDINANCE

The proposed zoning for the new single parcel is ORM, Office, Research and Manufacturing. The existing office, production, research and development and warehousing uses within the two existing buildings are permitted uses in the ORM zoning district. If the plat of subdivision is approved, the proposed building link, as shown, would meet all Zoning Ordinance bulk and setback requirements.

COMPLIANCE WITH THE SUBDIVISION ORDINANCE

As shown above, the proposed parcel will meet all minimum lot dimension requirements for lots in the

ORM Office, Research and Manufacturing zoning district. The petitioner has not requested any exceptions from the Subdivision Ordinance.

There are existing utility easements on all but one lot line. The petitioner will be dedicating a five-foot wide stormwater and utility easement on the southeast lot line which will satisfy the requirements for public utility easements.

NEIGHBORHOOD COMMENT

Staff has not received any written neighborhood comment regarding the proposal at this time.

FINDINGS OF FACT

Section 28.1702 Standards for Approval of Amendments to the Zoning Ordinance

Village Council and Plan Commission consideration and approval of any amendment, whether text or map, is a matter of legislative discretion that is not controlled by any one standard. However, in making its decisions and recommendations regarding map amendments, the Village Council and Plan Commission shall consider the following factors:

- (1) The existing uses and zoning of nearby property;
- (2) The extent to which the particular zoning restrictions affect property values;
- (3) The extent to which any determination in property value is offset by an increase in the public health, safety and welfare;
- (4) The suitability of the subject property for the zoned purposes;
- (5) The length of time that the subject property has been vacant as zoned, considering the context of land development in the vicinity;
- (6) The value to the community of the proposed use, and;
- (7) The standard of care with which the community has undertaken to plan its land use development.

Staff believes the proposed Final Plat of Subdivision to consolidate the two existing lots into one new lot is consistent with the Zoning and Subdivision Ordinances and other planning objectives of the Village.

With regard to the standards for approval of the rezoning, the property abuts M2 zoning on all four sides and ORM zoning on both the east and south. Staff does not believe the rezoning from M2 to ORM will affect property values, public health, safety and welfare. The existing uses and the location of the property are compatible with the existing trend of office, research and manufacturing development along Brook Drive and Centre Circle. The property and the proposed addition will add value to the community through the increased investment the petitioner will undertake to construct the proposed building link. The rezoning to ORM will make the property consistent with the Future Land Use Plan. Staff believes all the standards for approval have been met.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The proposed final plat of subdivision is compatible with the surrounding zoning and land use classifications. Additionally, the proposed rezoning from M2, Restricted Manufacturing to ORM, Office Research and Manufacturing is compatible with the standards for approval for a rezoning per Section 28.1702 of the Zoning Ordinance and will make the property consistent with the Future Land Use Plan. Based on the findings listed above, staff recommends that the Plan Commission make a motion recommending approval of a final plat of subdivision and rezoning associated with PC-12-10 to the Village Council subject to the conditions below:

- 1. The final plat of subdivision shall substantially conform to the Flavorchem Resubdivision Plat prepared by Gentile & Associates, Inc. dated March 25, 2010 except as such plans may be modified to conform to the Village Codes and Ordinances.
- 2. A certificate of occupancy for the building link may not be issued until the Flavorchem Resubdivision Plat has been recorded and three copies of the recorded plat have been submitted to the Village.

Staff Report Approved By:

Tom Dabareiner, AICP
Director of Community Development

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HEITMAN ARCHITECTS INCORPORATED

August 25, 2010

Stan Popovich
Village of Downers Grove
801 Burlington Avenue
Downers Grove, Illinois 60515

RE:

Flavorchem

1528 Brooke Drive Downers Grove, Illinois Job Number: 208204

Mr. Popovich

Aromark Properties, Inc. owns the properties located at 1528 Brook Drive and 1516 Brooke Drive/1515 Centre Circle Drive. Aromark would like to combine these two separate properties into one property and then provide a building link connecting the 2 existing buildings. The property located at 1528 Brooke Drive is zoned M-2 and the property located at 1516 Brook Drive/1515 Centre Circle Drive is zoned ORM. Per meetings with Flavorchem and the Village the new combined property is to be zoned ORM. Plans submitted include: existing plat, new plat, and site plan with building layout including new link. This will be a new liquid production facility for Flavorchem.

Thank you.

Sincerely.

HEITMAN ARCHITECTS, INCORPORATED

Dave Tuszynski

555 PIERCE ROAD, SUITE 105 ITASCA, ILLINOIS 60143 FAX: 630.773.3599

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GRAPHIC SCALE

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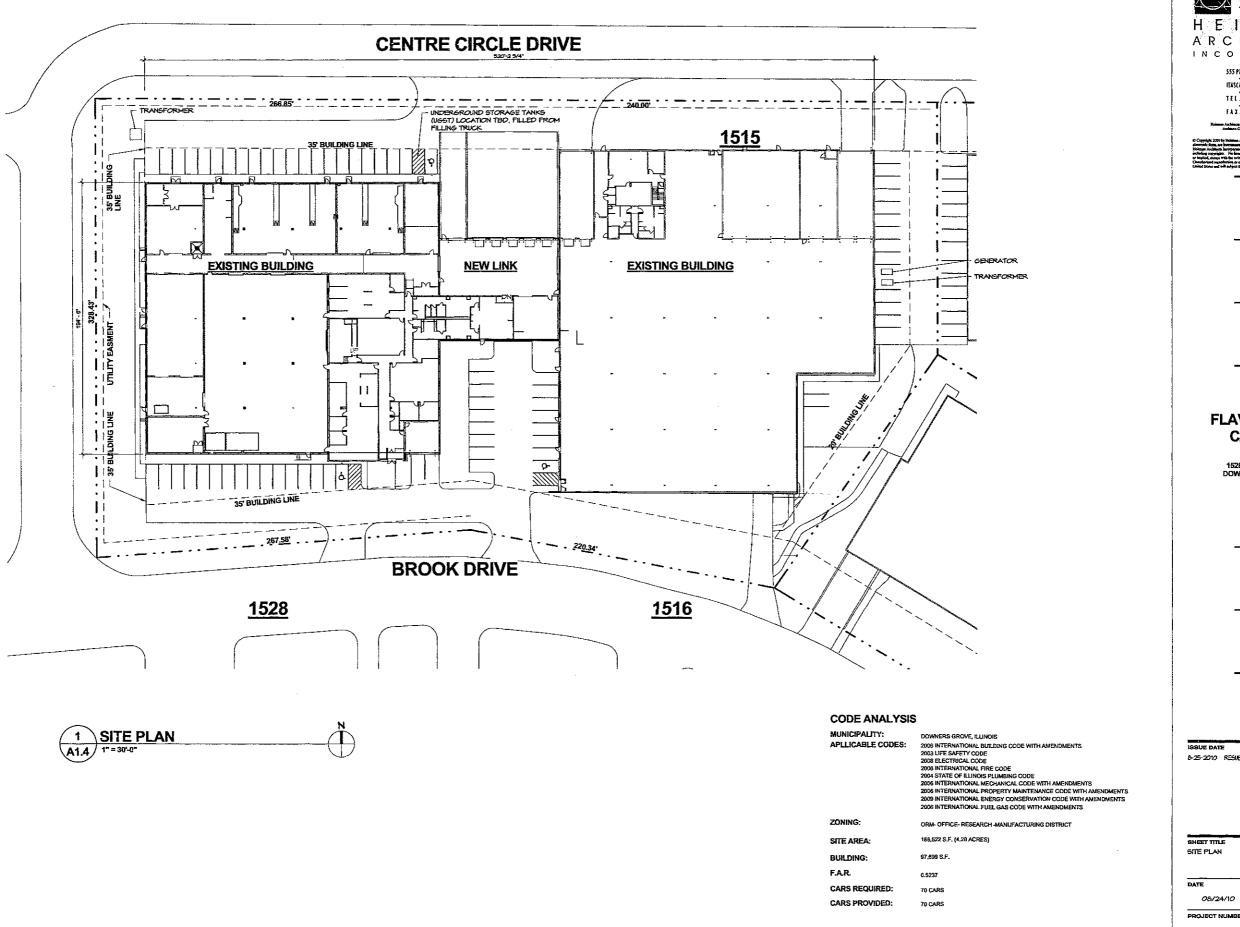
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1528 BROOK DRIVE DOWNERS GROVE, IL

8-25-2010 RESUBDIVISION APPROVAL

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PROJECT NUMBER 208204

VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE PLAN COMMISSION MEETING PUBLIC HEARING

OCTOBER 4, 2010, 7:00 P.M.

PC-12-10 A petition seeking a final plat of subdivision approval to consolidate two lots into one and a rezoning from M-2, Restricted Manufacturing, to ORM, Office Research & Manufacturing for the property located at the northeast corner of Brook Drive and Centre Circle, approximately 470 feet east of the intersection of Brook Drive and Finley Road, commonly known as 1528 Brook Drive and 1516 Brook Drive/1515 Centre Circle, Downers Grove, Illinois (PIN 06-30-402-001, -002); Flavorchem Corporation, Petitioner; Aromark Properties Inc., Owner.

Chairman Jirik swore in those individuals who would be speaking on File PC-12-10.

Village Planner, Mr. Stan Popovich, discussed that the petitioner is requesting approval of a final plat of subdivision to consolidate two existing lots into one lot and a rezoning of an existing 41,000 sq. ft. western parcel (1528 Brook Drive) from M2, Restricted Manufacturing to ORM - Office, Research and Manufacturing in order to construct an addition to connect the building to the eastern 50,000 sq. foot parcel, zoned ORM, at 1516 Brook Drive/1515 Centre Circle. The petitioner occupies both buildings. Without the plat of subdivision, the petitioner would not be permitted to construct the building link over the property line. The rezoning of the western parcel will allow the entire parcel to become ORM zoning and the rezoning to ORM is consistent with the proposed production and research and development activities that are proposed for the buildings.

The new parcel meets all width and depth requirements, subdivision requirements, and complies with the Village's Future Land Use Plan and Zoning Ordinance bulk standards in the ORM District. To date, the petitioner has not requested any exceptions from the Subdivision Ordinance. However, staff has requested that a five-foot stormwater/utility easement be created at the southeast corner of the site. He noted this was requested on the plans after the packets had been sent to the commissioners.

While there was no concerns raised by the neighbors, Mr. Popovich stated that staff did speak to one concerned neighbor regarding the shared parking agreement between the 1515/1516 building, the gymnastics facility and Allied Van Lines facility. Minor details of that agreement followed, but based on the proposed site plan, Mr. Popovich indicated that the petitioner will have to provide 70 parking spaces. That requirement will be met. In speaking with the petitioner, Mr. Popovich stated the petitioner will be running one shift to maintain the shared parking agreement.

Staff believes the plan to consolidate the lot meets the requirements the Subdivision Ordinance, the Future Land Use Plan, and the rezoning requirements and the proposal will not affect property values or affect the general health, safety, and welfare of the neighborhood. The use and location is consistent with the trend of offices, research development, and manufacturing/warehousing. Staff supported the proposal and recommended that the Plan Commission send a favorable recommendation to the Village Council with the conditions listed on page 4 of staff's report.

Clarification followed on the shared parking agreement, noting that the gymnasium uses the facility after-hours and on weekends while the manufacturing facility uses it during typical business hours.

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Clarification also followed on the difference between manufacturing and restricted manufacturing. A question followed if additional retention would be necessary for the site, to which Mr. Popovich did not believe it required it and, therefore, it was not an engineering condition in staff's recommendation because it could be addressed administratively. An explanation followed.

Petitioner, Mr. Dave Tuszynski, with Heitman Architects, 555 Pierce Road, Itasca, Illinois, summarized the proposal again for the commissioners, noting the addition creates a link between the two buildings for a total of 98,000 square feet. An explanation of the Flavorchem manufacturing process followed, with Mr. Tuszynski explaining the connection will be used for the shipping and receiving portion of the manufacturing process. The majority of the site was already paved.

Mr. Ken Malinowski, Flavorchem Corporation, 1525 Brook Drive, Downers Grove, Illinois, discussed the history of Flavorchem Corp. He stated that allowing for the link will allow for a more efficient operation by moving product between the two facilities.

Chairman Jirik opened up the meeting to public participation. None followed. Public participation was closed.

No closing statement followed from the petitioner. Mr. Waechtler stated the proposal was a well-planned addition.

WITH RESPECT TO FILE PC-12-10, MRS. HAMERNICK MADE A MOTION THAT THE PLAN COMMISSION FORWARD A POSITIVE RECOMMENDATION TO THE VILLAGE COUNCIL FOR APPROVAL OF A FINAL PLAT OF SUBDIVISION AND REZONING ASSOCIATED, SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING STAFFF CONDITIONS:

- 1. THE FINAL PLAT OF SUBDIVISION SHALL SUBSTANTIALLY CONFORM TO THE FLAVORCHEM RESUBDIVISION PLAT PREPARED BY GENTILE & ASSOCIATES, INC. DATED SEPTEMBER 16, 2010 EXCEPT AS SUCH PLANS MAY BE MODIFIED TO CONFORM TO THE VILLAGE CODES AND ORDINANCES.
- 2. A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY FOR THE BUILDING LINK MAY NOT BE ISSUED UNTIL THE FLAVORCHEM RESUBDIVISION PLAT HAS BEEN RECORDED AND THREE COPIES OF THE RECORDED PLAT HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE VILLAGE.

SECONDED BY MR. WEBSTER. ROLL CALL:

AYE: MRS. HAMERNICK, MR. WEBSTER, MR. BEGGS, MR. COZZO, MR. QUIRK, MR. MATEJCZYK, MRS. RABATAH, MR. WAECHLER, CHAIRMAN JIRIK

NAY: NONE

MOTION PASSED. VOTE: 9-0