

**ORDINANCE NO. 19-5722**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ZONE CLASSIFICATION ON  
Lot 4, Block 1 of MK Subdivision, a 3.6 acre parcel of land**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BILLINGS,  
MONTANA:

1. RECITALS. *Title 76, Chapter 2, Part 3, MCA, and Sections 27-302 and 27-1502, BMCC,* provide for amendment to the City Zoning Map from time to time. The City Zoning Commission and staff have reviewed the proposed zoning for the real property hereinafter described. The Zoning Commission and staff have considered the ten (10) criteria required by Title 76, Chapter 2, Part 3, MCA. The recommendations of the Zoning Commission and staff have been submitted to the City Council, and the City Council, in due deliberation, has considered the ten (10) criteria required by state law.

2. DESCRIPTION. Lot 4, Block 1 of MK Subdivision, a 3.6 acre parcel of land generally located on the north west corner of the intersection of Hawk Creek Lane and Chy Way and is presently zoned **Neighborhood Commercial (NC)** and is shown on the official zoning map within these zoning districts.

3. ZONE AMENDMENT. The official zoning map is hereby amended and the zoning for Lot 4, Block 1 of MK Subdivision is hereby changed from **Neighborhood Commercial (NC)** to **Planned Development (PD) with underlying zoning of Neighborhood Commercial (NC) and in accordance with the attached Planned Development document Exhibit A** and from the effective date of this ordinance, shall be subject to all the rules and regulations pertaining **Planned Development (PD) zones and in accordance with the attached Exhibit A** as set out in the Billings, Montana City Code.

4. REPEALER. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be effective from and after final passage and as provided by law.

PASSED by the City Council on first reading December 17, 2018.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED on second reading January 14, 2019.

CITY OF BILLINGS:



BY: William A. Cole  
William A. Cole, Mayor

ATTEST:

BY: Denise R. Bohlman  
Denise R. Bohlman, City Clerk

EXHIBIT A

Return to:  
City Clerk  
City of Billings  
PO Box 1178  
Billings, MT 59101

**PLANNED DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT  
LOT 4, BLOCK 1, MK SUBDIVISION IN THE CITY OF  
BILLINGS, MONTANA**

**THIS AGREEMENT** is made and entered into this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2018, by and between **MYK Enterprises, LLC**, whose address for the purpose of this agreement is 218 Brookshire Blvd Unit 2, Billings, MT 59102, hereinafter referred to as "Owner," and **City of Billings, Montana**, hereinafter referred to as "City."

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the Owner owns approximately 3.6 acres of real property in Billings, Montana specifically described as Lot 4, Block 1 of the MK Subdivision. The foregoing property shall be known as "Hawk Creek Planned Development," or a related name that may be assigned later.

**WHEREAS**, the Hawk Creek Planned Development will consist of a mixture of commercial, retail, professional, medical and related uses.

**WHEREAS**, the Owner desires to place certain building and use restrictions on the property, specify certain land uses, and create a pattern of development that promotes community service, economic activity, convenience, and amenity for the Hawk Creek Planned Development and surrounding neighborhoods.

**WHEREAS**, the aforesaid Owner and the County desire to ensure the Hawk Creek Planned Development will be developed and maintained consistent with the standards described in this agreement.

**THEREFORE**, the undersigned hereby establish and declare the following plan for the Hawk Creek Planned Development as set forth herein, which shall apply to all of the real estate described hereinabove, shall bind all of the present and future property owners to such real estate, and shall run with the land.

**AGREEMENT**

**I. PERSONS BOUND BY THE PLANNED DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT**

All persons, corporations, or other entities, who shall hereafter acquire any interest in and to the above described property, in whole, or in part, shall be taken and held to agree, to conform to, and observe the following land uses, restrictions, and other stipulations as to the use thereof, and as the construction of improvements thereon.

## **II. LAND USES AND BUILDING RESTRICTIONS**

Unless expressly designated below, all other standards or requirements of the Zoning Regulations for the City of Billings shall be followed for the type of use within each of the areas described herein.

### **A. Restricted Uses for Underlying City Zone: Neighborhood Commercial – NC**

No land may be used for purposes that include gaming (casinos) or adult entertainment or sexually oriented businesses. No variances or special review approvals may be requested or granted for those businesses.

All allowed land uses as outlined within the City of Billings Zoning regulations for the underlying zone shall be allowed within the Planned Development, with the following exceptions:

#### **Exceptions (uses not allowed):**

##### **Division A: Agriculture, Forestry, and Fishing**

Group 07 – Agricultural Services

- Veterinary services for Animal specialties – Outpatient Only

##### **Division B: Mining**

- Construction sand and gravel mining (1442)

##### **Division D: Manufacturing**

Group 20 – Food and Kindred Products

- All sub-groups except offices

##### **Division E: Transportation, Communications, Electric, Gas and Sanitary Sewer**

Group 46 – Pipelines, except natural gas

Group 48 – Communications

- All uses except offices

Group 48 – Commercial Antenna Support Structures

Group 49 – Electric, Gas, and Sanitary Services

- Transmission and distribution, electric and gas

##### **Division G: Retail Trade**

Group 54 – Food Stores

- Convenience Store with Gas Pump Islands

Group 55 – Automotive Dealers and Gasoline Service Stations

- All uses

**Division I: Services**

Group 70 – Hotels, Rooming Houses, Camps, and Other Lodging Places

- Rooming, boarding houses; organization hotels and lodging houses, on a membership basis (702, 704)

Group 72 – Personal Services

- Coin-operated laundries and dry cleaning (7215)
- Funeral service and crematories (726)

Group 75 – Automotive Repair, Services, & Parking

- Automobile parking (752)

**Division K: Non-Classifiable Establishments**

Dwellings – Modular Homes

**Allowances:**

The subject property shall be allowed use of one (1) cabaret license and one (1) brewing/taproom license. Subsequent subdivision of the subject parcel shall not increase the number of licenses allow for use within the Planned Development.

**III. OPERATIONAL RESTRICTIONS – Alcoholic Beverage Manufacturing and Cabaret License**

The Developer and City recognize the sensitive location of the Hawk Creek Planned Development and the need to include specific operational restrictions and site requirements not normally required for the uses listed above.

**A. Developer Agrees to the Following:**

- a. Any outdoor seating areas associated with the brewing/taproom or cabaret operations shall be located on either the east, west or south elevations of the structures. Under no circumstances shall seating areas with either taproom or cabaret operation be located off of the north elevation of the structure(s).
- b. Any seating area outside of any enclosed building for use by the patrons of the alcoholic beverage manufacturer or cabaret operation shall have a fence installed at least 42-inches in height enclosing the outdoor area. There shall be no entry to the outdoor seating area for patrons except through the operating building.

- c. Any music or entertainment, including any permanent or temporary speakers, outside of an enclosed building shall only be installed/located along the western or southern elevations of the structure.
- d. Any outdoor activities associated with operation of the facilities shall cease by 9 pm.
- e. Operating hours for the taproom and cabaret license shall be dictated by Montana State Law outlined in the MCA 16.3.2 and MCA 16.4.1, respectively.

#### **IV. SIGNAGE AND LIGHTING**

The intent of signage and lighting design regulation is to encourage the use of signage and lighting as a design component to enhance buildings, landscaping, or other site features while not detracting from the aesthetics of adjacent neighborhoods. Developers should encourage night sky's visibility to reduce the general illumination of the sky in the surrounding area. Design elements should reduce horizontal light glare and vertical light trespass from a development site onto adjacent parcels. Developers should encourage the judicious use of lighting in conjunction with other security methods to increase site safety.

##### **A. Signage**

- a. Signage should be provided in accordance with the PDA, with the intent to compliment the pedestrian-oriented environment. The signage requirements included in Article 27-700 of the United Zoning Regulations and any subsequent amendments thereto shall govern the regulation of signage in Hawk Creek Planned Development so far as they are not inconsistent with the Planned Development Agreement and the below standards.
- b. All signs shall comply with the design guidelines below:
  - i. All signs, except for neighborhood identification signs, shall be placed flat against a building or designed as part of an architectural feature thereof.
  - ii. No electronic message displays or signs are allowed.
  - iii. No neon signs are allowed.
  - iv. No balloon signs as defined by the City of Billings Code are allowed.
  - v. No string of pennants, flags, or other similar types of non-informative non-holiday decorations are allowed.
  - vi. One (1) free-standing sign is allowed indicating the name and/or nature of the occupancy for each developed parcel/tenant. Signs may not exceed fifteen (15) feet in height and fifteen (15) feet in width.
  - vii. No rooftop signs are allowed.

## **B. Exterior Lighting**

- a. Developers shall provide adequate lighting levels in all areas used by pedestrians or automobiles, including building entries, walkways, parking areas, and circulations areas.
- b. All exterior lighting must be installed or shielded to minimize light intrusion into residential units in adjacent neighborhoods.
  - i. All outdoor pole lighting shall be fully shielded and mounted at heights no greater than fifteen (15) feet above grade.
  - ii. All outdoor lighting, except street lighting, shall be aimed or shielded so as to minimize stray light trespassing across property boundaries.

## **V. LANDSCAPING REQUIREMENTS**

All landscaping and performance standards as outlined within section 27-1101 of the City of Billings Zoning ordinance shall be followed as required within the underlying City zone. Additionally, all development must comply with the requirements outlined in this Section of the Planned Development.

### **A. General Landscape Area Requirements**

- a. A palette of regionally appropriate drought and climate tolerant plant materials is required to be used.
- b. The use of drip irrigation and/or other irrigation systems is required.
- c. All development should create a pedestrian-friendly environment on the street and connect to adjacent developments as identified in the conceptual master plan.
- d. A variation of elements should be provided along public frontage; no less than two (2) types of trees may be used in a single development lot.
- e. One (1) 2-inch tree is required per 2,000 sf of total landscape area per development lot or parcel.
- f. One (1) large shrub (mature height over three feet) is required for every 500 sf of total landscape area per development lot or parcel.
- g. Trees and shrubs should be grouped for aesthetic and irrigation purposes.
- h. Lawn must have a minimum width of six (6) feet.
- i. Plant materials must be maintained and dead plants must be replaced in a timely manner.

### **B. Landscaped Green Belt Improvements**

- a. A minimum 25-foot landscaped green belt, which may be incorporated into any required building setbacks, shall be landscaped and maintained along the northern property boundary.
- b. Developers shall be responsible for installation and maintenance of the landscaped green belts in accordance with Section V.A of this document.

- c. Landscaped green belts and required setbacks may overlap so that the total area of the two is the greater of either the green belt or the setback.
- d. All improvements shall comply with The City of Billings and Yellowstone County's clear vision standards.

**C. Parking Lot Landscaping**

- a. All parking lot landscaping may be included as part of the landscaped area as calculated in Section V.A of this document.
- b. Trees shall be planted and incorporated into parking lot layouts at a density of one (1) 2-inch tree for every sixteen (16) parking spots.

**VI. SITE LAYOUT AND ORIENTATION**

All development must comply with the site layout and orientation requirements outlined in this Section of the Planned Development.

**A. Building Requirements**

- a. Buildings shall be located in the south two-thirds of the lot allowing for parking or green space on the north third of the lot.
- b. Buildings can be located directly against sidewalk with no front lot setback requirements.
- c. Sidewalks shall be a minimum of 5-feet wide and a minimum of 7-feet wide when directly adjacent to parking areas.
- d. Building height shall be no greater than 34-feet from grade.
- e. No more than fifty (50) percent lot coverage is allowed by the building.
- f. Buildings containing the use of either a brewery/taproom or cabaret license shall be designed with a likeness to traditional agricultural structures in both elevation and profile views.
- g. All dumpsters shall be contained within a privacy fence that aligns the architecture features of the building.
- h. All development shall provide for bike parking and non-motorized accessibility.

**B. Parking Requirements**

- a. Parking shall be provided at a one (1) parking spot for every 200-square-foot of building.
- b. Reciprocal parking access shall be provided for all businesses within the development.
- c. Parking lots must be a minimum of 30-feet from the northern boundary with the landscaped green belt counting towards the setback requirement.
- d. Bike parking shall be provided at a one (1) parking spot for every 2,000-square-foot of building with a minimum of two (2) spaces for each building.





