#### **RESOLUTION R-5230**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND APPROVING THE SUBDIVISION AND FINAL PLAT OF CLEAR CREEK BEING PLANNING AND BUILDING DEPARTMENT FILE NO. SUB15-01332 AND SETTING FORTH CONDITIONS TO WHICH SUCH SUBDIVISION AND FINAL PLAT SHALL BE SUBJECT.

WHEREAS, a subdivision and preliminary plat previously called Firwood Land (19 lots) was approved by the Hearing Examiner on January 11, 2016; and

WHEREAS, thereafter the Planning and Building Department received an application for approval of subdivision and final plat, said application having been made by Moira Haughian of The Blueline Group 8 representing Firwood Land LP, the owner of the real property described in said application, which property is within Residential Single Family 9 RSX 7.2 and RSX 8.5 zones; and 10 11

12 WHEREAS, pursuant to the City of Kirkland's Concurrency 13 Management System, KMC Title 25, a concurrency application has been submitted to the City of Kirkland, reviewed by the responsible Public 14 15 Works official, the concurrency test has been passed, and a concurrency 16 test notice issued; and 17

18 WHEREAS, pursuant to the State Environmental Policy Act, RCW 43.21C and the Administrative Guideline and local ordinance adopted to 19 20 implement it, an environmental checklist has been submitted to the City of Kirkland, reviewed by the responsible official of the City of Kirkland, 21 22 and a negative determination reached; and 23

24 WHEREAS, said environmental checklist and determination have 25 been made available and accompanied the application throughout the 26 entire review process; and 27

WHEREAS, the Director of the Planning and Building Department 28 29 did make certain Findings, Conclusions and Recommendations and did 30 recommend approval of the subdivision and the final plat, subject to 31 specific conditions set forth in said recommendation.

33 WHEREAS, the City Council, in regular meeting, did consider the environmental documents received from the responsible official, 34 35 together with the recommendation of the Planning Director, and 36

37 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows: 38

40 Section 1. The Findings, Conclusions and Recommendations of 41 the Director of the Planning and Building Department of Planning, filed in Planning and Building Department File No. SUB15-01332, are hereby 42 43 adopted by the Kirkland City Council as though fully set forth herein. 44

45 <u>Section 2</u>. Approval of the subdivision and the final plat of Clear Creek is subject to the applicant's compliance with the conditions set 46

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forth in the recommendations hereinabove adopted by the City Council
 and further conditioned upon the following:

(a) A Plat Bond or other approved security performance 50 undertaking in an amount determined by the Director of Public Works in accordance with the requirements therefor in Ordinance No. 2178 shall be deposited with the City of Kirkland and be conditioned upon the completion and acceptance by the City of all conditions of approval, including public improvements, within one year from the date of passage of this Resolution. No City official, including the City Engineer, shall affix his signature to the final plat drawing until such time as the plat bond or other approved performance security undertaking herein required has been deposited with the City and approved by the Director of Public Works as to amount and form.

<u>Section 3</u>. Nothing in this resolution shall be construed as
 excusing the applicant from compliance with all federal, state or local
 statutes, ordinances or regulations applicable to this subdivision, other
 than as expressly set forth herein.

Section 4. A copy of this resolution, along with the Findings,
 Conclusions and Recommendations hereinabove adopted shall be
 delivered to the applicant.

Section 5. A completed copy of this resolution, including Findings,
 Conclusions and Recommendations adopted by reference, shall be
 certified by the City Clerk who shall then forward the certified copy to
 the King County Department of Assessments.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this 3rd day of January, 2017.

Signed in authentication thereof this 3rd day of January, 2017.

MAYOR MAYOR

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CITY OF KIRKLAND Planning and Building Department 123 Fifth Avenue, Kirkland, WA 98033 425.587.3225 www.kirklandwa.gov

# MEMORANDUM ADVISORY REPORT FINDINGS, CONCLUSION, AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- To: Eric R. Shields, AICP, Planning Director
- From: Tony Leavitt, Senior Planner

Date: December 19, 2016

File: Clear Creek Final Subdivision, File No. SUB15-01332

I. <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>

Approve the Final Subdivision application for the Clear Creek Plat (formerly known as Firwood Lane).

- II. <u>BACKGROUND</u>
  - A. The applicant is Moira Haughian of The Blue line Group representing the property owner, Firwood Land LP.
  - B. This is a final subdivision application to approve a 19-lot subdivision on a 3.49-acre site (see Attachment 1). Access to the lots is provided via a new public access road off of NE 124th Street. The subdivision application included utilization of the Low Impact Development Zoning Code provisions to reduce the minimum lot size and increase the allowed density by 1 lot in exchange for increased open space on the site.
  - C. The site is located at 12342 93<sup>RD</sup> Lane NE (see Attachment 2).

#### III. <u>HISTORY</u>

On January 11, 2016; the Kirkland Hearing Examiner approved the Firwood Lane Preliminary Subdivision along with the Low Impact Development and Stream Buffer Modification applications (see Attachment 3). A SEPA Determination of Non-significancewas issued on December 3, 2015.

# IV. <u>ANALYSIS</u>

- A. Approval Criteria
- 1. <u>Facts:</u> Section 22.16.080 of the Kirkland Municipal Code discusses the conditions under which the final plat may be approved by the City Council. These conditions are as follows:
  - a. Consistency with the preliminary plat, except for minor modifications; and

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- b. Consistency with the provisions of the Subdivision Ordinance and RCW 58.17.
- 2. <u>Conclusion</u>: The applicant has complied with all of the conditions that were placed on the preliminary subdivision application (File No. SUB15-01332) by the Hearing Examiner. Prior to recording of the plat, the applicant will submit a security with the City to cover all remaining public improvements and utilities as required by the preliminary subdivision approval.

#### V. <u>CHALLENGE, JUDICIAL REVIEW, AND LAPSE OF APPROVAL</u>

- A. Section 22.16.070 of the Kirkland Municipal Code states that any person who disagrees with the report of the Planning Director may file a written challenge to City Council by delivering it to the City Clerk not later than the close of business of the evening City Council first considers the final plat.
- B. Section 22.16.110 of the Kirkland Municipal Code allows the action of the City in granting or denying this final plat to be reviewed in King County Superior Court. The petition for review must be filed within 21 calendar days of the issuance of the final land use decision by the City.
- C. Section 22.16.130 of the Kirkland Municipal Code states that unless specifically extended in the decision on the plat, the plat must be submitted to the city for recording with King County within <u>six (6) months</u> of the date of approval or the decision becomes void; provided, however, that in the event judicial review is initiated per Section 22.16.110, the running of the <u>six (6) months</u> is tolled for any period of time during which a court order in said judicial review proceeding prohibits the recording of the plat.
- VI. <u>APPENDICES</u>

Attachments 1 through 3 are attached.

- 1. Final Plat Map
- 2. Vicinity Map
- 3. City Council Decision

Review by Planning Director:

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Comments:

December 19, 2017

Eric R. Shields, AICP

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cc: Applicant File: SUB15-01332

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Clear Creek Final Subdivision Attachment 1

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TOGETHER WITH THOSE PORTIONS OF STREETS AND ALLEYS VACATED BY ORDER ENTERED OCTO UNDER KING COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CAUSE NO. 87-2-11593-3, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

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ALSO THE EAST HALF OF 93RD PLACE NORTHEAST (KIRKLAND AVENUE), AND THE WEST HALF OF 94TH AVENUE NORTHEAST (WANCHESTER STREET), AND ALL ALLEYWAYS WITHIN BLOCKS 3 AND 18, WATER FRONT ADDITION TO KIRKLAND, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN VOLUME 6 OF PLATS, PAGES 92 THROUGH 94, INCLUSING, IN KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON, LYING NORTH OF LOTS 20 AND 21, BLOCK 1, JUANITA PARKWAY DIVISION NO. 2,, AND SOUTH OF A LINE LOCATED 30 FEET SOUTH OF AND PARALLEL WITH THE CENTERLINE OF NORTHEAST 124TH STREET.

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- SUBJECT TO A RELEASE OF DAMAGES AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF KIRKLAND, RECORDING UNDER RECORDING NO. 20020815000304.
- SUBJECT TO AN EASEMENT AGREEMENT WITH COMCAST FOR BROADBAND COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, RECORDING UNDER RECORDING NO. 20070405000742.
- SUBJECT TO NOTICE OF CHARGES BY WATER, SEWER, AND/OR STORM AND SURFACE WATER UTILITIES, RECORDING UNDER RECORDING NO. 9207300895.

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#### NOTES:

- UTILITY MAINTENANCE: EACH PROPERTY OWNER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SANITARY SEWER, STORM WATER STUB, RAIN GARDEN, PERMEABLE PAVEMENT, OR ANY INFLITRATION FACILITES (KNOWN AS LOW IMPACT DEVELOPMENT) FROM THE FOINT OF USE ON THEIR OWN PROPERTY TO THE POINT OF CONNECTION IN THE CITY SANITARY SEWER MANN OR STORM WATER MAIN ANY PORTION OF A SANITARY SEWER, SURFACE WATER STUB, RAIN GARDEN, PERMEABLE PAVEMENT, OR ANY INFLITRATION FACILITES, WHICH JOINTY SERVES MORE THAN ONE PROPERTY, SURFACE WATER STUB, RAIN GARDEN, PERMEABLE PAVEMENT, OR ANY INFLITRATION FACILITES, WHICH JOINTY SERVES MORE THAN ONE PROPERTY SURFACE WATER STUB, BAIN GARDEN, PERMEABLE PAVEMENT, OR ANY INFLITRATION FACILITES, WHICH JOINTY SERVES MORE THAN ONE PROPERTY SHALL BE JOINTY MAINTAINED AND REPARED BY THE PROPERTY OWNERS SHARINS SUCH STUB. THE JOINT USE AND MAINTENANCE SHALL "ANY WIT THE LAND'AND WILL BE BINDING ON ALL PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN THIS SUBDIVISION, INCLUDING THEIR HEIRS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS. 1. WITH
- PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY SIDEWALK AND VEGETATION MAINTENANCE: EACH PROPERTY OWNER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR KEEPING THE SIDEWALK ABUTING THE SUBJECT PROPERTY CLEAN AND LITTER FREE. THE PROPERTY OWNER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF VEGETATION WITHIN THE ABUTING LANGSARE STRIP. THE MAINTENANCE SHALL "RUN WITH THE LAND" AND WILL BE BINDING ON ALL PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN THIS SUBDIVISION, INCLUDING THEIR HEIRS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS. 2.
- PARK IMPACT FEES: NEW RESIDENTIAL UNITS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY PARK IMPACT FEES PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A BUILDING PERMIT. PLEASE SEE KMC 27.06 FOR THE CURRENT RATE. EXCEPTIONS AND/OR CREDITS MAY APPLY PURSUANT TO KMC 27.06,060. IF A PROPERTY CONTAINS AN EXISTING UNIT/UNITS TO BE REMOVED, A "CREDIT" FOR THAT UNIT/UNITS SHALL APPLY TO THE BUILDING PERMIT(S) OF THE SUBDIVISION. THERE WERE 31 EXISTING UNITS ON THIS PROPERTY. 3.
- BUILDING PERMITS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS PROPOSED PROJECT WILL BE SUBJECT TO THE <u>IRAFFIC IMPACT</u> FEES PER CHAPTER 27 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE. THE IMPACT FEES SHALL BE PAID PRIOR ISSUANCE OF THE BUILDING PERMIT(S). ANY EXISTING SINGLE FAMILY HOMES WITHIN THIS PROJECT WILL ARE DEMOLSHED WILL RECEIVE A TRAFFIC IMPACT FEE CERDIT. THIS CREDIT WILL BE APPLIED TO THE FIRST BUILDING PERMIT THAT IS APPLIED FOR WITHIN THE SUBDIVISION (AND SUBSEQUENT BUILDING PERMITS). IF MULTIPLE HOUSES ARE DEMOLSHED). THE CREDIT AMOUNT FOR EACH DEMOLSHED SINGLE FAMILY HOME WILL BE EQUAL TO THE MOST CURRENTLY ADOPTED FEE SCHEDULE. THERE WERE 31 EXISTING UNITS ON THIS PROPERTY.
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- A PUBLIC WATER EASEMENT IS HEREBY GRANTED AND CONVEYED TO NORTHSHORE UTILITY DISTRICT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, OVER, UNDER AND ACROSS TRACT A. NORTHSHORE UTILITY DISTRICT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS OF THE WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES. LYNNG WITHIN SAID EASEMENT WITH THE EXCEPTION THAT THE LOT OWNERS SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTAINING THE WATER SERVICE LINES PAST THE WATER METER. 9.
- A PUBLIC SEWER EASEMENT IS HEREBY GRANTED AND CONVEYED TO NORTHSHORE UTILITY DISTRICT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, OVER, UNDER AND ACROSS TRACT A. NORTHSHORE UTILITY DISTRICT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS OF THE SEWER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES LYING WITHIN SAD EASEMENT. 10
- A PUBLIC DRAINAGE EASEMENT OVER, UNDER AND ACROSS TRACT A AS SHOWN HEREON, IS HEREBY GRANTED AND CONVEYED TO THE CITY OF KIRKLAND ALONG WITH MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITY OF ALL PUBLIC DRAINAGE FACILITIES WITHIN SAID EASEMENT. 11
- 12. STREET LIGHTING SHALL BE OWNED AND MAINTAINED BY THE CLEAR CREEK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE CITY OF KIRKLAND TAKES OVER OWNERSHIP OF SAID LIGHTING.
- A PERMANENT OPEN SPACE EASEMENT IS HEREBY GRANTED AND CONVEYED TO THE CLEAR CREEK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OVER THOSE PORTIONS OF LOTS 1-12, AND 19 AS SHOWN HEREON.
- A NATURAL GROWTH PROTECTIVE EASEMENT (NGPE) IS HEREBY GRANTED AND CONVEYED TO THE CLEAR CREEK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OVER THOSE PORTIONS OF LOTS 1-8 AND TRACTS B AND C. SAID EASEMENT IS SUBJECT TO THE NGPE PROVISIONS CONTAINED HEREIN. 14.
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Clear Creek Final Subdivision Attachment 2



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#### Clear Creek Final Subdivision Attachment 3

#### CITY OF KIRKLAND HEARING EXAMINER FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS AND DECISION

### APPLICANT: Moira Haughian on behalf of Firwood Land LP

**FILE NO:** SUB15-01332 and SAR15-01336

#### **APPLICATION:**

1. <u>Site Location</u>: 12342 93<sup>rd</sup> Lane NE

2. <u>Request</u>: To subdivide a 3.49-acre parcel into 19 single-family lots. The applicant also requested approval of a stream buffer modification through enhancement of the buffer, and utilization of Low Impact Development provisions to reduce minimum lot size and increase allowable density in exchange for increased open space on the site.

3. <u>Review Process</u>: Process IIA, the Hearing Examiner conducts a public hearing and makes a final decision on the preliminary subdivision, stream buffer modification, and low impact development applications.

4. <u>Key Issues</u>: Compliance with subdivision criteria, stream buffer modification criteria, and Low Impact Development regulations.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Planning and Building Department Approve with conditions

#### **PUBLIC HEARING:**

The Hearing Examiner held a public hearing on the preliminary subdivision application on January 6, 2016, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 123 Fifth Avenue, Kirkland, Washington. A verbatim recording of the hearing is available at the City Clerk's office. The minutes of the hearing and the exhibits are available for public inspection in the Planning and Building Department. The Examiner reviewed the site on January 9, 2016.

#### **TESTIMONY AND PUBLIC COMMENT:**

No public comments or comment letters were offered at the hearing. Tony Leavitt, Project Planner, testified on behalf of the Planning and Building Department. Ben Rutkowski testified on behalf of the Applicant. Hearing Examiner Decision Files SUB15-01332 & SAR15-01336 Page 2 of 6

#### FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS:

Having considered the evidence in the record and reviewed the site, the Hearing Examiner enters the following:

#### **Findings of Fact:**

#### Site and Vicinity

1. The site consists of 3.49 acres located in the South Juanita neighborhood. It is developed with 31 manufactured homes and associated accessory structures. All structures would be removed.

2. The site is zoned for single family residential use: RSX 7.2, with a minimum lot size of 7,200 square feet; and RSX 8.5, with a minimum lot size of 8,500 square feet.

3. There is a Class A stream on the western portion of the property, which is part of the Juanita Creek Basin. Under the Code, it requires a 75-foot buffer and a 10-foot buffer setback.

4. The site slopes down slightly from north to south, with a more significant slope on the west side due to the stream channel. The center of the site is paved for access, with a paved parking area on both sides, and includes little vegetation. The east and west sides of the site, along the property lines, are vegetated with shrubs and trees, including 74 significant trees.

5. The surrounding areas to the north and west are zoned RSX 7.2, and areas to the south and east are zoned RSX 8.5. Surrounding development is single-family residential.

#### Proposal

6. The applicant proposes to subdivide the parcel into 19 single-family lots using Low Impact Development. The lots vary in size from 3,600 to 10,742 square feet. Forty percent of the site will remain in open space.

7. The applicant seeks to reduce the stream buffer at some points and to enhance the buffer through removal of invasive species and installation of native plants. The buffer will be reduced to 50 feet at some of the building sites on the property. *See* Exhibit A, the Department's Advisory Report ("Staff Report") (Attachment 8) at 109-113.

8. The applicant is using an Integrated Development Plan rather than phased review as part of the application, and has submitted preliminary engineering plans for the project, and a tree retention plan and associated report prepared by a certified arborist. *See* Staff Report, Attachments 2 and 9.

9. In accordance with Code requirements, the proposal would include full half-street frontage improvements along NE 124<sup>th</sup> Street and an associated dedication, and dedication and construction of a new access street. *See* Staff Report (Attachment 3) at 33-34. In addition, 4 lots would be served by an access tract, Tract D. *See* Staff Report (Attachment 2) at 17.

10. The Staff Report includes a detailed analysis of the proposed subdivision's compliance with buffer modification requirements at 6-7, and it is adopted by reference.

11. The Staff Report includes a detailed analysis of the proposed subdivision's compliance with development regulations related to low impact development facilities to manage stormwater, maximum development potential, and general lot layout and site development standards at 8-10, and it is adopted by reference.

12. The Staff Report includes a detailed analysis of the proposed subdivision's compliance with development regulations related to vehicle access easements and bonds and securities at 10-11, and it is adopted by reference.

13. The Staff Report includes a detailed analysis of the proposed subdivision's compliance with development regulations related to the required sensitive area covenant, natural greenbelt protection easement, and stream buffer fence or barrier at 11-12, and it is adopted by reference.

14. The Staff Report includes a detailed analysis of the proposed subdivision's compliance with development regulations related to significant vegetation at 12-13, and it is adopted by reference.

# Comprehensive Plan

15. The Comprehensive Plan designates the subject property for low density residential use, with a density of six and five dwelling units per acre.

#### State Environmental Policy Act and Concurrency

16. Pursuant to the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA), the Department issued a Determination of Nonsignificance for the proposal on December 3, 2015, and the proposal passed traffic concurrency on May 19, 2015. Neither was appealed. The DNS and supporting documentation are included in Attachment 5 to the Staff Report.

#### Public Comment

17. The Department received two written public comments on the proposal during the initial comment period, which ran from August 12, to September 11, 2015. The comments are included as Attachment 4 to the Staff Report. One comment raised issues related to the proposal's impacts on affordable housing. Staff Report (Attachment 5) at 37-44. These issues were fully addressed during the SEPA process. *See* Staff Report

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(Attachment 5) at 50-51 and Exhibit B. The second comment was a letter from the Muckleshoot Tribe seeking additional information on several aspects of the proposal. Staff Report (Attachment 5) at 45. The Department provided the additional information via several e-mail exchanges with the Tribe.

#### Applicable Law

18. KZC 150.65.3 provides that the Hearing Examiner may approve a Process IIA application only if it is "consistent with all applicable development regulations, and to the extent there is no applicable development regulation, the Comprehensive Plan," and is "consistent with the public health, safety and welfare."

19. KMC 22.12.230 provides that the Hearing Examiner may approve a proposed subdivision only if

(1) There are adequate provisions for open spaces, drainage ways, rightsof-way, easements, water supplies, sanitary waste, power service, parks, playgrounds and schools, and

(2) It will serve the public use and interest and is consistent with the public health, safety and welfare. The Hearing Examiner shall be guided by the policy and standards and may exercise the powers and authority set forth in RCW 58.17.

20. In a Process IIA, the applicant bears the burden of convincing the Hearing Examiner that the applicant is entitled to the requested decision. KZC 150.50.

#### **Conclusions:**

1. The proposed subdivision is consistent with the site's zoning, which is consistent with the Comprehensive Plan's designation for the site.

2. SEPA and Traffic Concurrency requirements have been satisfied.

3. As represented in the attachments to the Staff Report, and with the conditions recommended in the Staff Report, the proposal is consistent with the Code requirements for a stream buffer modification.

4. The proposed lots meet minimum lot size requirements, and lots within the low impact development meet the design standards and guidelines and the approval criteria set forth in Chapter 114 of the Zoning Code.

5. As conditioned, the proposed vehicular access, Tract D, complies with the dimensional standards for such tracts found in KZC 105.110.

6. The proposed tree retention plan has been reviewed by the City's Arborist and complies with Code requirements. The proposed Integrated Development Plan should be approved subject to the additional conditions set forth in the Staff Report.

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7. The proposed subdivision complies with KMC 22.12.230 and KZC 150.65. With the conditions recommended in the Staff Report, it would be consistent with zoning and subdivision regulations and makes adequate provision for open spaces, drainage ways, rights-of-way, easements, water supplies, sanitary waste, power service, parks, playgrounds, and schools. The proposed subdivision will serve the public use and interest and is consistent with the public health, safety and welfare.

#### **DECISION:**

Based on the foregoing findings and conclusions, the preliminary subdivision, stream buffer modification, and low impact development applications are <u>approved</u>, subject to the recommended conditions included in the Staff Report, at 2-4.

Entered this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016, pursuant to authority granted by KZC 150.65 and KMC 22.12.230.

Sue A. Tanner Hearing Examiner

#### **EXHIBITS:**

The following exhibits were entered into the record:

Exhibit A Department's Advisory Report, with Attachments 1 through 10Exhibit B Letter to Department from Vicki E. Orrico, attorney-at-law re letter from Northwest Justice Project

### **PARTIES OF RECORD:**

Applicant Public Comment authors Planning and Building Department Department of Public Works

#### **APPEALS AND JUDICIAL REVIEW**

The following is a summary of the deadlines and procedures for appeals. Any person wishing to file or respond to an appeal should contact the Planning Department for further procedural information.

#### APPEALS

Appeal to City Council:

Section 150.80 of the Zoning Code allows the Hearing Examiner's decision to be appealed by the applicant and any person who submitted written or oral testimony or comments to the Hearing Examiner. A party who signed a petition may not

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> appeal unless such party also submitted independent written comments or information. The appeal must be in writing and must be delivered, along with any fees set by ordinance, to the Planning Department by 5:00 p.m., fourteen (14) calendar days following the postmarked date of distribution of the Hearing Examiner's decision on the application.

#### JUDICIAL REVIEW

Section 150.130 of the Zoning Code allows the action of the City in granting or denying this zoning permit to be reviewed in King County Superior Court. The petition for review must be filed within 21 calendar days of the issuance of the final land use decision by the City.

#### LAPSE OF APPROVAL

#### <u>Final Plat</u>

Under Section 22.20.370 of the Subdivision Ordinance, the final plat must be recorded with King County within five (5) years following the date of approval, or the decision becomes void; provided, however, that in the event judicial review is initiated, the running of the five years is tolled for any period of time during which a court order in said judicial review proceeding prohibits the recording of the final plat.

#### Buffer Modification

The applicant must begin construction or submit to the City a complete building permit application for the development activity, use of land or other actions approved under this chapter within five (5) years after the final approval of the City of Kirkland on the matter, or the decision becomes void; provided, however, that in the event judicial review is initiated per KZC 150.130, the running of the five (5) years is tolled for any period of time during which a court order in said judicial review proceeding prohibits the required development activity, use of land, or other actions.

The applicant must substantially complete construction for the development activity, use of land, or other actions approved under this chapter and complete the applicable conditions listed on the notice of decision within nine (9) years after the final approval on the matter, or the decision becomes void.

Link to Hearing Examiner Exhibits A (Department's Advisory Report, with Attachments 1 through 10) and Exhibit B

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