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Building Partnerships - Building Communities

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Notice of Application: February 23, 2023

Application Received: February 2, 2023

Application Complete: February 17, 2023

Project Name: (VA-23-00003) Sparks Park Variance

Applicant: Angadjot Sandhu (Authorized Agent)

Location: The subject property is parcel # 778834 that is located just east of the Sparks Rd. I-90 interchange (Exit 70) in Easton, WA. The property is in Section 02, Township 20, Range 13, W.M. in Kittitas County, bearing Assessor's map number 20-13-02030-0009.

Proposal: Angadjot Sandhu, authorized agent, submitted a Variance application on February 2, 2023 pursuant to Kittitas County Code (KCC) 17.84 on 16.51 acres of land zoned LAMIRD Type 3 General Commercial in a LAMIRD Land Use currently owned by Sparks Park LLC. The variance request is for a truck stop, restaurant, and vehicle repair shop to go above the current limitations of site area, impervious surface and retail square footage on the property. All these uses are permitted outright in General Commercial zoning in a Type 3 LAMIRD.

KCC 17.15.070 limits uses other than manufacturing, outdoor recreation, and natural resources to 30,000 square feet in area and 33% of the lot to be impervious surface. KCC 17.15.070.2(48) limits retail sales to 4,000 square feet. The applicant is proposing a truck stop, restaurant and vehicle repair shop use that would be approximately 672,047 square feet (15.42 acres), include impervious surfaces of 69% of the lot and include 8,325 sq. ft. of retail services. This property had a SEPA done in 2019 (SE-19-00014 Love's) for the same project (Truck Stop, Restaurant, Tire Shop) that resulted in a Mitigated Determination of Non-Significance (MDNS).

Materials Available for Review: The submitted application and related filed documents may be examined on CDS website at <http://www.co.kittitas.wa.us/cds/land-use/default.aspx>, and by navigating to "Setback Variance" & "VA-23-00003 Sparks Park". They can also be examined by the public at the Kittitas County Community Development Services (CDS) office at 411 N. Ruby Street, Suite 2, Ellensburg, Washington, 98926 during regular business hours. Phone: 509-962-7506

Written Comments on this proposal can be submitted to CDS any time prior to **5:00 p.m. on March 13, 2023**. Any person has the right to comment on the application and request a copy of the decision once made.

Under Title 15A.03.080 and 17.84.010, Zoning Variances are processed in an abbreviated administrative format, which does not involve a public hearing. All comments will be considered in the decision-making process, and any person has the right to comment on this application and receive notification of the Community Development Services administrative decision, once made. A Notice of Decision will be published once a decision is made. Appeals to an administrative land use decision must be filed within 10 working days with Community Development Services as outlined in Chapter 15A.07 of the Kittitas County Code. The current appeal fee is \$1670.

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