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Technical Memorandum

*To:* Development Engineer, The City of Coppell, Texas

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Date: February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024

Subject: Roers Active Senior - Coppell Traffic Impact Analysis Determination

Kimley-Horn ("KH") has prepared this memorandum addressing the consideration of a Traffic Impact Analysis ("TIA") per requirements of the City of Coppell Code of Ordinances. Roers Active Senior is a proposed 248-unit active senior development on approximately 9.89-acres ("The Subject Site"), see Exhibit A. The subject site is located at the northwest corner of Coppell Road and Canyon Drive.

## **Background**

#### The Subject Site

The existing zoning for the Subject Site is Highway Commercial (HC). The Subject Site is bordered by Coppell Road to the east & north, Canyon Drive to the south and a drainage swale to the east. According to the City of Coppell Thoroughfare Plan 2030, Coppell Road is labeled as a 60' Avenue Right-Of-Way, Canyon Drive as a 60' Local Street Right-of-Way, see Exhibit B. Adjacent to the Site is the following:

- South of the Subject Site is a corporate park occupying ~15.32-acres under the Highway Commercial zoning.
- East of the site is an apartment complex occupying ~34.93-acres under the PD-160RMF-2 zoning.
- Adjacent to the western property boundary of the site is a ~13.64-acre commercial office building.

### Methodology

Per the City of Coppell Code of Ordinances section 13-8-4 dated September 2015, a TIA is required if any of the following occur as a result of the Project:

- 1. More than 100 AM or PM Peak Hour Trips (PHT) generated
- 2. More than 1,000 vehicle trips per day generated
- 3. Contains a density or floor area ratio (FAR) of 0.75 or greater



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KH investigated the three criteria. Trip generation calculations were determined using the standards set in the 11<sup>th</sup> Edition by the Institute of Transportation Engineers ("ITE"). Assuming land use 252 (Senior Adult Housing) multifamily development consisting of 248 dwelling units in a generally urban/suburban area with the following trip rates.

Daily Rate: 3.24AM Rate: 0.20PM Rate: 0.25

#### Requirement #1: More than 100 AM or PM Peak Hour Trip (PHT) Generation

The Project peak hour trip generation is defined for both AM and PM times. The peak hour for AM generates 50 total trips in and out of the Subject Site. The peak hour for PM generates 62 total trips in and out of the Subject Site. Both AM and PM peak hours fail to reach the 100 PHT generation that triggers a TIA requirement.

#### Requirement #2: More than 1,000 vehicles per day generation

Using the ITE trip generation standards, the project is determined to generate 804 total vehicle trips per day. This generation is below the required 1,000 trips to trigger a TIA. The project does not meet the necessary total trip generation for a TIA requirement.

#### Requirement #3: Contains a density or floor area ratio (FAR) of 0.75 or greater

The Project has a proposed 298,996 square feet of gross area multifamily development. The Subject Site has a total square footage of 430,808. The floor area ratio for the project is 0.69. This does not meet the floor area ratio (or greater) of 0.75 required to warrant a TIA.

#### Conclusion

The Project does not meet the technical requirements set forth in the City of Coppell Code of Ordinances section 13-8-4 dated September 2015. KH does not recommend the preparation of a Traffic Impact Analysis for the Project.

KH used the 11<sup>th</sup> Edition of the ITE, online zoning map, and aerial photography to determine the threshold requirements for a TIA in the City of Coppell.



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If you have any questions or comments, please contact me to discuss.

Sincerely,

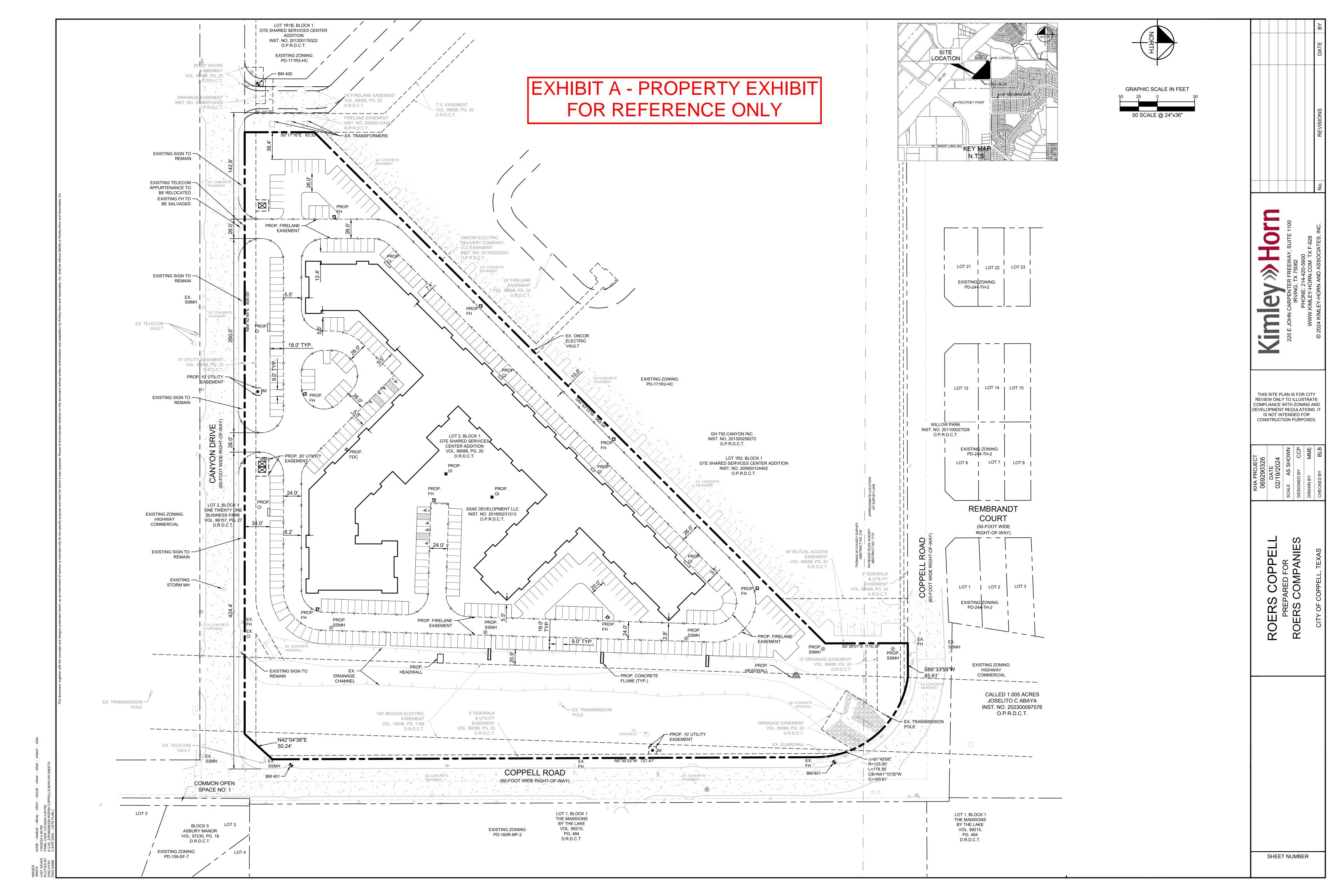
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cc: Roers

#### **Attachments**

Exhibit A – Property Exhibit

Exhibit B – The Coppell Streets & Thoroughfare Plan Exhibit.



# Coppell 2030



# Thoroughfare Plan



