Memorandum to the City of Markham Committee of AdjustmentOctober 22, 2024

File: B/026/24

Address: 9580 McCowan Rd, Markham

Agent: MM Nominee Inc.

Hearing Date: Wednesday, October 30, 2024

The following comments are provided on behalf of the West Team:

The Owner is requesting provisional consent to establish a lease for a period of time exceeding twenty-one (21) years on the property. The subject lands are identified as Part 2 of the Survey Plan submitted with the application.

BACKGROUND

9580 McCowan Road ("The Subject Lands") are located at the southwest corner of McCowan Road and Bur Oak Avenue, within Williamstown Plaza. The Subject Lands are currently being used as a grocery store ("FreshCo") and a commercial fitness centre ("Anytime Fitness"). Williamstown Plaza contains a total of 8 commercial buildings that include retail, personal service and restaurant uses.

Proposal

The Owner is requesting provisional consent to allow for a mortgage/charge on The Subject Lands (refer to Part 2 of the Draft R-plan attached as Appendix B). The established lease would be for a period of time exceeding 21 years on The Subject Property. Approval of an application for Consent by the municipality in which the Subject Lands are located is required under the Planning Act to establish a lease for a period exceeding 21 years.

COMMENTS

Staff note that no development is proposed at this time. The proposal allows the existing use to continue, while at the same time not restricting future planning considerations contemplated under current policy.

Planning Staff have reviewed the application with respect to 51(24) of The Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended, and have no objections to the proposed consent, subject to conditions outlined in Appendix 'A' attached to this report.

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APPENDIX "A" CONDITIONS TO BE ATTACHED TO ANY APPROVAL OF B/026/24

- 1. Payment of all outstanding realty taxes and local improvements charges owing to date against both the subject and retained parcels, and that the Secretary Treasurer receives written confirmation that this condition has been fulfilled.
- 2. Submission to the Secretary-Treasurer of the required lease document to affect the Consent applied for under Files B/026/24, in duplicate, to establish a lease on the subject lands, and issuance by the Secretary Treasurer of the certificate required under subsection 53(42) of the Planning Act.
- 3. Submission to the Secretary-Treasurer of a deposited reference plan showing the subject lands, which conforms substantially to the application as submitted.
- 4. Fulfillment of all of the above conditions within two years of the date that notice of the decision was given under Section 53(17) or 53(24) of the *Planning Act*, *R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13, as amended.*

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