

COMMUNITY MASTER PLAN PLANNED AREA DEVELOPMENT

(Can be used for Amendments)

PROCESS GUIDE & APPLICATION

City of Buckeye Development Services Department

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APPLICATION PROCEDURES

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Important Information:

- The City of Buckeye now accepts all submittals/resubmittals and payments electronically. Please follow process on the Planning and Zoning webpage. Resubmittals can be directed to the submittal contact found on the Planning and Zoning webpage.
- A Community Master Plan overlay district or a Planned Area Development overlay district may be established to provide an alternative to conventional development for land located within any general zoning district or combination of districts.
- The Community Master Plan designation is available only for projects that include a minimum of 640 acres.
- The Planned Area Development designation is available for projects that include a minimum of 10 acres but less than 640 acres.
- Major Amendments will be processed in the same manner as the original application and minor amendments will be administratively process with application, zoning exhibit and narrative as required submittal materials.
- The fees for Community Master Plan / Planned Area Development are listed on the Use Fee Worksheet found on the Planning and Zoning Website at https://www.buckeyeaz.gov/business/development-services/planning-zoning under the 'Updated Process Guides, Applications and Documents' drop-down under the 'Fee Worksheet' section.

The following information is provided to assist in the preparation and submittal of an application for a Community Master Plan overlay or a Planned Area Development overlay for a property within the City of Buckeye. The request will be considered by the Planning and Zoning Commission at a public hearing, and a final decision will be made by the City Council at a public hearing.

1. Pre-Application Conference ("PAC") Process — Prior to filing an application for a CMP or PAD, the applicant must complete the PAC review process. Forms to apply for a PAC review are available through the Development Services

Department or on the City's website (www.buckeyeaz.gov/business/development-services/planning-zoning).

- Application Filing For an application to be accepted, the applicant must provide all of the required information described on the submittal checklist at the time of formal submittal. It shall be the responsibility of the applicant to ensure the accuracy and completeness of the request. Applications received after 4:00 p.m. will be processed the next business day. Incomplete applications will NOT be accepted.
- 3. Staff Review Once a complete application is received and processed, the submitted information will be assigned to a Planner and routed to appropriate City staff and agencies for review/comment. After this review, the comments are then returned to the applicant. Any technical questions should be addressed with the assigned Planner who will facilitate any needed communications or meetings with the appropriate city departments.

The applicant is then responsible for addressing the comments and submitting revised plans. Upon resubmittal, the staff review process will begin again albeit at an expedited pace. In some cases, it is necessary to have several resubmittals before moving the request forward in the process.

4. Public Notification – Upon the scheduling of any public hearing and no later than fifteen (15) days prior to its occurrence, it is the responsibility of the applicant to notify all property owners within three hundred (300) feet of the subject property. Notification shall be in the form of a letter delivered via First Class U.S. Mail, a sign(s) posted adjacent to all public rights-of-way, and publication within a widely circulated newspaper throughout the City (i.e. The Arizona Republic). All notifications should contain, at minimum, the following information; description of the request, owner/applicant contact information, and public hearing time/date/location. Upon completion of the above-mentioned notification requirements, an Affidavit of Mailing, an Affidavit of Posting, and Proof of Publication shall be submitted to the assigned Planner not less than ten (10) days prior to the public hearing. Failure to submit the requested information will result in the postponement of the public hearing item.

The Director may expand the notification area set forth in this section if it is determined that the potential impact of the project extends beyond the required notification boundary.

5. Citizen Participation Report Submittal – The Citizen Participation Report ("CPR") must be submitted to the assigned Planner prior to the first public hearing. This report to give results of the applicant's citizen participation effort which includes a neighborhood meeting. Failure to submit the CPR will result in the continuance of the project to the next available public hearing date. The CPR is a written

report outlining the results of the citizen participation effort. The minimum requirements of the CPR can be found in Section 8.2.3.I of the Development Code.

- 6. Staff Reports Once all staff comments have been addressed and a hearing has been scheduled, the assigned Planner will prepare a report describing and evaluating the proposed project and making a recommendation for action to the Planning and Zoning Commission. Copies of the staff report will be made available to the public and sent to the applicant prior to each hearing.
- 7. Planning and Zoning Commission Public Hearing Regular Planning and Zoning Commission hearings occur on the second (2nd) and fourth (4th) Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. Regular meetings are held at the City Council Chambers, located at 530 E Monroe Avenue. The applicant, owner, or appointed representative must be present at the hearing. The Planning and Zoning Commission, taking into consideration staff presentation, owner/ applicant/project representative presentation, and public testimony, will recommend approval, approval with modifications and/or stipulations, or denial of the request to the City Council. The public also has the option to email comments to planningandzoning@buckeyeaz.gov, complete a comment form to comment by phone on the Planning and Zoning Agendas, Motions and Minutes web page, or can remotely view meetings that are streamed on the City's YouTube channel.
- 8. *City Council Public Hearing* Regular City Council hearings occur on the first (1st) and third (3rd) Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. Regular meetings are held at the City Council Chambers, located at 530 E Monroe Avenue. The applicant, owner, or appointed representative must be present at the hearing. The City Council, taking into consideration staff presentation, owner/applicant/project representative presentation, and public testimony, will approve, approve with modifications and/or stipulations, continue, or deny the request. The public also has the option to complete a public comment form for comment by email or phone on the City Council Meetings, Agenda & Minutes web page or can remotely view meetings that are streamed on the City's YouTube channel.
- 9. Inactive Cases All applications need to be actively pursued to a decision. If the City has completed any and all appropriate reviews and no activity has occurred for the continued processing of the application on behalf of the applicant for at least for one hundred eighty (180) days, the application will be considered inactive, deemed to be withdrawn, and the file will be closed. Thirty (30) days prior to the inactive date, staff will notify the applicant in writing of the impending action. The applicant may submit a written request for the application to remain active along with an explanation for the inactivity. The

CMP/PAD

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Director may grant an extension for up to one hundred eighty (180) days for good cause if there is reasonable belief that the application will be actively pursued during the extension period.

CMP/PAD SUBMITTAL CONTENT REQUIREMENTS (PDF FORMAT)

- 1. **Application** (8.5" x 11" PDF, completed and signed). If the applicant is not the property owner, the applicant must provide authorization from the property owner that the application is being filed with their permission.
- 2. **Fee Worksheet** (8.5" x 11" PDF, completed and signed)
- 3. **Project Narrative** (8.5" x 11" PDF), Addressing, at minimum, the following:
 - Current site conditions;
 - Current general plan designation;
 - Current zoning;
 - Vicinity information;
 - Description of the request;
 - Source of water;
 - Wastewater management;
 - Roadway circulation;
 - Fire protection;
 - Police protection;
 - Impact to local schools;
 - Proposed percentage/acreage of parks and open space;
 - Proposed trails;
 - Proposed development standards;
 - Phasing; and
 - Additional or prohibited uses.

Include the following maps and exhibits where necessary and appropriate.

- Vicinity map;
- Legal Description;
- Current General Plan designation;
- Proposed General Plan designation;
- Current zoning designation;
- Area Plan illustrating proposed density/intensity range;
- Scale, north arrow, and dimensions;
- Adjacent General Plan designations on adjoining lots within three hundred (300) feet:
- Land uses within three hundred (300) feet; and
- Project data table:
 - Gross and net acreage;
 - Parcel number(s); and
 - Subject property address.
- 4. **Community Master Plan / Planned Area Development Exhibit** (this exhibit can be included an exhibit within the project narrative PDF)

- 5. **PAC Meeting Comments** (8.5" x 11" PDF)
- 6. **Citizen Participation Plan** (PDF format; see Section 8.2.3.H of the 2010 Development Code)
- 7. **Supporting Engineering Documents** (24" x 36" flattened PDFs, combined as appropriate): Conceptual Grading and Drainage Plan, Conceptual Drainage Report, Traffic Impact Analysis, Environmental Study (Phase 1 environmental study. Additional studies may be requested subject to the results of the Phase 1 study), Water letter, Wastewater letter and conceptual Street Naming Plans, Water Plans, Sewer Plans, Paving Plans as requested by the City at PAC).
- 8. **Additional Material** The Development Services Department may request additional submittal items.

Note:

1) If the development will increase the projected number of students for a school district(s) within the boundaries of the development, then a Certification of Adequate School Facilities will be required per Section 8.15 of the Development Code.

CMP/PAD 1st Submittal Checklist (PDF Format)

(Please provide original list with formal submittal)

REQUIRED MATERIALS (IN PDF FORMAT)	Applicant Checklist	Staff Verification	
Application (8.5" x 11" PDF, completed and signed)			
Fee Worksheet (8.5" x 11" PDF, completed and signed)			
Project Narrative (8.5" x 11" PDF)			
PAC Meeting Comments (8.5" x 11" PDF)			
CMP/PAD Exhibit (PDF format)			
Supporting Engineering Documents (flattened PDF			
format, combined as appropriate)			
Conceptual Grading and Drainage Plan			
Water Plans			
Sewer Plans			
Paving Plans			
Conceptual Drainage Report			
Traffic Impact Analysis			
• Environmental Study (Phase 1)			
Water Letter			
Wastewater Letter			
Conceptual Street Naming Plans			
Citizen Participation Plan (8.5" x 11" PDF)			
Additional Materials if requested at PAC			

Amendments:

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City of Buckeye Planning and Zoning Project Application

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS AREA-OFFICIAL USE ONLY		
Date:	Planner:	Case No:
PROPERTY INFORMAT	ION:	
Project Name:		Associated Cases:
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Current Zoning District:	Parcel Number(s):	Quarter Section:
Request:		
CASE TYPE:		
☐ Community Master Plan	n □ Planned Area Devel	opment Other:
☐ CMP Major Amendment	□ PAD Major Amendm	nent
☐ CMP Minor Amendment		
IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT PROJECT CONTACT(S):	ABOUT PROJECT comments and decision letters and will communicate all case information to other parties as required. All contact for this project	
APPLICANT/OWNER A	UTHORIZED AGENT INFORMATION:	SECONDARY APPLICANT CONTACT INFORMATION:
Name:		Name:
Company:		Company:
		E-mail:
	Home Phone:	Business Phone: Home Phone:
Mobile Phone:	Other Phone:	Mobile Phone: Other Phone:
Fax:		Fax:
	City:	Address:City:
•	Address Type: Physical Mailing	State: Zip: Address Type: □ Physical □ Mailing
	nail □ Business Phone □ Home Phone	Contact Preference: ☐ Email ☐ Business Phone ☐ Home Phone
□ Mo	obile Phone □ Other Phone □ Address	☐ Mobile Phone ☐ Other Phone ☐ Address
OWNER CONTACT INFORMATION:		DEVELOPER CONTACT INFORMATION:
		Name:
		Company:
		E-mail:
	Home Phone:	Business Phone: Home Phone: Other Phone:
	Other Phone:	
Fax:Address:	 City:	Fax:Address: City:
	Address Type: Physical Mailing	State: Zip: Address Type: Physical Mailing
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ARCHITECT CONTACT	INFORMATION:	ENGINEER CONTACT INFORMATION:
	THI OKI-ATION:	Name:
		Company:
		E-mail:
	Home Phone:	Business Phone: Home Phone:
	Other Phone:	Mobile Phone: Other Phone:
Fax:		Fax:
	 City:	Address: City:
	Address Type: Physical Mailing	State: Zip: Address Type: □ Physical □ Mailing
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□Мо	obile Phone □ Other Phone □ Address	☐ Mobile Phone ☐ Other Phone ☐ Address

PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION	
I (property owner)	authorize (owner's Agent)
To file this application on matters related to this requ	uest with the City of Buckeye. By signing this form as the property owner, I hereby agree to abide by any
and all stipulations that may be assigned by the City	of Buckeye as part of any approval of this request.
Owner Signature	Date
the private property that is the subject of this applications sought by the filing of this application. Therefore, pu	being sought by this application may cause a reduction in the existing rights to use, divide, sell or possess ation. The property owner further acknowledges that it is the property owner who has requested the action insuant to A.R.S.§12-1132 through 1138, the property owner does hereby waive any and all claims for my action taken by City of Buckeye as result of the filing of this application.
Owner Signature	Date
	evelopment Services Department



City of Buckeye Planning and Zoning Project Application

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS AREA-OFFICIAL USE ONLY				
Date:	Planner:	Case No:		
Project Location:				
Proposed Property Detai ☐ Single-Family Residential ☐ Other:		□ Commercial □ Industrial		
Current Zoning:		_ Setbacks:		
Proposed Zoning:		Front	_	
Number of Buildings:		Rear	_	
Parcel Size:		Side	_	
Gross Floor Area/Total Units	5:	Side	_	
Floor Area Ratio/Density:		Historical Site: □ Yes □ No		
Parking Required:		Lot Coverage (%)	_	
Parking Provided:		Landscaping (%)	_	
		Open Space (%)	_	
Existing Condition:				
General Plan Designation:				
Description of Request:				
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	Development S	ervices Department		
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Date:		NOT WRITE IN THIS ARE	Case No		
	i			Date:	
Proposed Use:				Zoning District:	
COMMERCIAL	RESIDENTIAL	CALCULAT	TIONS	TO BE COM	IPLETED BY CITY
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		Gross Lot	Area		
		Gross Floor Are	ea Allowed		
		Gross Floor Are			
		Building Volum			
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		Minimum Lot Si			
		Minimum Lot Siz	ze Provided		
		Building Heigh	it Allowed		
		Building Heigh	t Provided		
		Net Floor	Area		
		Parking Spaces Required			
		Parking Provided On-Site			
		Parking Provided Off-Site			
		Total Parking Provided			
		Open Space Required			
		Open Space Provided			
		Front Open Space Required			
		Front Open Space Provided			
		Parking Lot Landscaping Required			
		Parking Lot Landscaping Provided			
SET BACKS AND PARK	_				
REQUIRED	PROVIDED	CALCULATIONS	N, S, E, W	REQUIRED	PROVIDED
		Front			
		Rear			
		Left Side			
		Right Side			
		Parking			
	Dev	velopment Servi	ces Departme	ent	
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PUBLIC HEARING NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

The City of Buckeye Development Code requires that a public hearing notice be published and mailed to adjacent property owners prior to a public hearing.

Prior to the public hearing the applicant shall be responsible for completing a minimum 15 day notification of the public hearing including:

- 1. A public hearing notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Buckeye;
- 2. A public hearing notice to be sent to all property owners within 300 feet of all property lines of the subject property; and

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3.	A public hearing notice to be posted on the property.
	The applicant shall secure a public hearing date from the Development Services Department and shall complete the notice of public hearing by filling in the blanks of a standard Development Services Department form and delivering the public hearing notice to the newspaper within their time frame so that the public hearing notice is published at least 15 days prior to the public hearing date.
	Proof of publication shall be supplied by the applicant to the Development Services Department prior to the public hearing date.
	The applicant shall secure the names and addresses of all property owners within 300 feet of all property lines of the subject application property either through a title company or the Maricopa County Assessor's web site and shall send the public hearing notice to each said owner no less than 15 days prior to the public hearing date.
	The applicant shall provide a notarized Affidavit of the mailing list and said mailing to the Development Services Department prior to the public hearing date.
	The applicant shall post the property per the City of Buckeye Development Services Site Posting Requirements.
	The applicant shall submit a notarized Affidavit of Posting and photographs of the posting (see next page) to the Development Services Department prior to or on the fifteenth day prior to the public hearing date. Failure to provide such documentation in a timely manner will result in continuance of the case to the next available public hearing date.
	The signs must be maintained and updated with amended information until after the final public hearing.
	The signs must be removed and disposed of within 10 days after the final public hearing.
П	You may use a sign vendor of your choice

Public Hearing Notice Sign Specifications

- The sign shall be a minimum of 3ft x 3ft in size.
- The sign shall be constructed of laminated coroplast, laminated plywood, or other suitable construction material.
- The sign shall have a white background with black lettering. The least expensive process is laminated direct printing.
- The minimum lettering size shall be 1/2 inch for lowercase and 1 inch for upper case.
- The words "Public Hearing" shall be a minimum of 2 inches in size. (Sign lettering should be formatted to match the example below).
- The content of the sign shall match the example below and include specific case details.
- The sign shall be securely fastened to wooden or metal stakes.
- The applicant is responsible for maintaining the integrity and accuracy of the sign.
- The height of the sign shall be at least 4 ft from finished grade to top of sign and shall not be obstructed from view.

City of Buckeye

PUBLIC HEARING

Planning and Zoning Commission: [Date and Time]
City Council: [Date and Time]

LOCATION OF HEARINGS:
REQUEST:
PROPOSAL:
GENERAL LOCATION:

SIZE:

CASE #:

APPLICANT/CONTACT: PHONE #:

Development Services Department: 623-349-6211

Posting Date:

Format for Publication

City of Buckeye

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Buckeye (<i>Planning and Zoning Commission</i> or <i>City Council</i> , whichever is appropriate) will hold a public hearing on (day of week), (month) (date), 20 to be held at the City Council Chambers, located at 530 E Monroe Avenue at 6:00 p.m., for the purpose of hearing all persons for or against the following request:
Case No. (insert case number): Request by (name of applicant) for the approval of a (name of application type and general description) located at (general location of subject property by street location and brief township/rage/section legal description).
For additional information, please contact the Development Services Department at (623) 349-6211

Affidavit of Sign Posting

Case Number:	
Project Name:	
Applicant Name:	
Location:	
In order to assist in providing adequate notice to interested parties and to meet Arizon State Statue, the applicant for public hearings in the City of Buckeye shall post sign as prescribed by the "City of Buckeye Site Posting Requirements." It shall be the responsibility of the applicant to erect and to maintain the sign on the subject property and to update the hearing information on the sign until the final disposition of the case. It shall also be the responsibility of the applicant to remove the sign within ten (10) days after the final disposition of the case.	e e e
I confirm that the site has been posted as detailed by the City of Buckeye Site Postin Requirements for the case above and the site was posted at least fifteen (15) days pric to the public hearing.	_
See attached date stamped photo exhibit of posted signs.	
Applicant's / Representative's signature:	_
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN before me this day of, 20, by:	1
Notary Public	
My Commission Expires:	

Affidavit of Mailing Notice

Case Number:
Project Name:
Applicant Name:
Location:
In order to assist in providing adequate notice to interested parties and to meet Arizon State Statue, the applicant for public hearings in the City of Buckeye shall secure the names and addresses of all property owners within feet of all property lines of the subject application property either through a title company or the Maricopa Count Assessor's web site and shall send the public hearing notice to each said owner no less than fifteen (15) days prior to the public hearing date.
I confirm that I secured the names and addresses of all property owners within feet of all property lines of the subject application property either through a titl company or the Maricopa County Assessor's web site and did send the public hearing notice to each said owner no less than fifteen (15) days prior to the public hearing.
See attached copies of all sent letters and address lists.
Applicant's / Representative's signature:
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN before me this day of, 20, by:
Notary Public
My Commission Expires:



CERTIFICATE OF ADEQUATE SCHOOL FACILITIES

An application for	has been submitted to the City of
	iew. This application will increase the projected number of
	ndaries of the development. The school district/s applicable
to this	development are:
Case No:	Planner:
Request:	Planner: Acreage/Parcel Size:
Current Density Allowed:	Density Proposed:
Total number of residential units proposed:	
As an authorized representative of the District, p	lease complete the questionnaire below.
	ties existing, or planned to be constructed in time, to
accommodate the projected number of studer	us from the proposed development:
Yes	
If answered no to the previous question, plea students generated by the proposed developm	se summarize the needs of the district as they relate to serving the ent.
Is a school site within the proposed developm If answered yes, how many acres is needed for Is the district currently working with the developm an agreement? Yes No	
If answered yes, please explain below:	
If additional writing one	ce is needed, please attach pages to this form
·· II additional writing spa	ce is needed, please attach pages to this form
Date Reviewed:	
School District:	
District Superintendent:	
Phone #:	
E-mail:	
Signature:	

Per Section 8.15 of the City of Buckeye Development Code, prior to or within 15 days of application, the applicant must provide a request letter to the superintendents of all applicable school districts to discuss the school district's required certification. This form can be utilized to assist with this requirement.