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RE:	H Street Housing NW Georgetown University
SUBJECT:	Comprehensive Transportation Review
DATE:	October 28, 2019



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Introduction

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide a Transportation Statement, in accordance with the Comprehensive Transportation Review guidelines, for the proposed development of 55 H Street NW through the Voluntary Design Review process. Flexibility from the parking requirements in the Zoning Regulations, as described within this document, is being requested.

55 H Street NW is in a transportation rich area of Washington, D.C. with abundant multi-modal options for residents of the site and adjacent properties. H Street runs along the site's southern frontage; east of the site is an office building, west of the site is an apartment building, and to the north are Gonzaga College High School's athletic fields, as shown on Figure 1. The site is currently zoned MU-9 in Ward 6 on Lot 93, Square 622. The subject property is currently occupied by a surface parking lot with approximately 100 spaces that is not often in use.

Georgetown University, the "Applicant", on behalf of Gonzaga College High School, proposes to develop the site with an 11-story building containing student housing, approximately 1,980 square feet of ground floor retail, an at-grade bike room, and a shared loading and parking area. Access to the parking garage and loading area will be provided via a private alley off H Street. The building will contain approximately 158 dwelling units (a combination of 1, 2, 3 and 4 bedrooms, and studio apartments), with a total of 476 beds. A reduced version of the concept plan is shown on Figure 2.

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This Transportation Statement includes a multimodal assessment and trip generation analysis as scoped with DDOT and confirmed to be appropriate for the subject site. The scoping documents are included as Attachment 1.

Site Access

As shown on the concept plan, Figure 2, the main lobby for the residents will be in the south eastern area of the building. Direct access to a bike room will be gained from a private alley on the west side of the building.

Vehicular access to the private, gated alley will be provided via the existing curb cut on H Street NW. The gate will be located so that at least one (1) vehicle can queue in the alley entirely within private property. A second gate, at the northern part of the site will separate 55 H Street from Gonzaga College High School. An agreement between Gonzaga and Georgetown University will provide authorized users access to the gate and the alley. Delivery trucks and vans, and garbage trucks will gain access via scheduled delivery and pick-ups times that are coordinated with the loading dock manager, or by contacting the loading dock manager via the gate security intercom access system. For additional information on the loading dock process, please see Loading Management Plan (LMP), detailed later in this document.

Exhibits depicting a truck's maneuverability in the alley and loading area and gate location are shown on Figure 2. As shown, an SU-30 truck can pull head in and turn around on-site and pull head out.

Curbside Management

The existing and future curbside use within two blocks of the site was reviewed. The existing curbside designations is shown on Figure 3. No change to the curbside use is proposed as part of this application.

As shown on Figure 3, the curb space along site's frontage is designated as 2-hour, metered parking between 9:30 AM and 4:00 PM Monday through Friday, and between 7:00 AM and 6:30 PM on Saturdays. On street parking, along north side of H Street is prohibited between 7:00 AM and 9:30 AM and 4:00 PM and 6:30 PM Mondays through Friday.

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Pick up and drop off activity for residents will occur along the H Street by utilizing on-street parking spaces, or quick exchanges with ride hailing services such as taxis, Lyft and Uber will drop-off and pick-up along the curb, in the alley intersection area, or adjacent to parked cars.

Pedestrian Facilities

The area surrounding the 55 H Street provides a connected network of sidewalks for safe and efficient movement of pedestrians between residences, places of employment, retail shops, open space, transit facilities and other destinations within the area.

The likely walking route to/from nearby transit, Walmart, Union Station, and Georgetown University Law Center is shown on Figure 4. Each route was reviewed and confirmed to provide ADA accessible facilities including curb ramps, truncated domes and marked crosswalks. A review of the existing signalized intersections nearby the site confirms that crosswalks are provided across each leg. Crosswalks are also provided at stop sign controlled intersections as shown on Figure 3. Every crosswalk provides pedestrian ramps connecting the sidewalks on either side. Pedestrians ramps with truncated domes are noted on Figure 4.

The District of Columbia Pedestrian Master Plan (the Pedestrian Plan) strives to make Washington, D.C. safer and more walkable by improving sidewalks, roadway crossings, and the quality of the pedestrian environment as well as by ensuring that the District's policies and procedures support walking. The Pedestrian Plan provides an overview of existing pedestrian conditions, recommends new pedestrian projects and programs, establishes performance measures, and provides a plan for implementation. As part of the Pedestrian Plan, eight priority corridors (one in each Ward) were identified based on areas of heavy pedestrian traffic and deficient walking conditions. In Ward 6, M Street is identified as the priority corridor.

With the development of 55 H Street, Georgetown University will provide a sidewalk and street scape consistent with DDOT streetscape policies. The applicant is proposing the paving material pattern in front of the building as shown on Figure 2.

Public Transit Service

The subject site is well served by transit as shown on Figure 5. This includes Metrobus, Metrorail, Capital Bikeshare, regional rail, and pedestrian facilities.

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<u>Metrorail Service</u>. Union Station is located approximately two blocks to the south and east of the subject site. This station is served by the Red Line. The Red Line operates on 4 minute headways during the AM and PM peak hours and up to 15 minute headways during off-peak periods. The Metro provides service during both weekdays and weekends.

<u>Metrobus Service</u>. Metrobus service is provided by lines 80, 96, D3, D8, X1, X2, and X9. Stops for the majority of bus lines are located to the east on North Capitol Street. Lines X2 and X9 run along H Street NW with stops at the intersections to the east and west of the site. The adjacent bus service provides residents weekday and weekend services.

<u>DC Circulator Service.</u> DC Circulator service is provided by the Georgetown – Union Station line operating between Union Station and Wisconsin Avenue NW. Stops near 55 H Street are located on Massachusetts Avenue NW west of New Jersey Avenue NW (both eastbound and westbound), and at North Capitol Street and H Street NE (eastbound) and North Capitol Street and Massachusetts Avenue NW (westbound). The bus operates on 10-minute headways between 6:00 am and midnight Mondays through Thursdays, 6:00 am and 3:00 am on Fridays, 7:00 am and 3:00 am on Saturdays and 7:00 am and midnight on Sundays.

<u>Georgetown University Transportation Shuttle (GUTS) Service.</u> GUTS is a free shuttle bus for faculty, staff, students, and others affiliated with Georgetown University. GUTS buses connect the Main Campus with two Metro stations, the Georgetown University Law Center, Capitol Hill, and Arlington, Virginia.

The Law Center route connects the Main Campus with the Georgetown University Law Center and the U.S. House of Representatives. The Law Center route operates Monday through Friday from 7:55am to 10:10pm. A stop is located on 2nd Street NW behind McDonough Hall (600 New Jersey Avenue NW). At the time of this application there are no definitive plans for a stop along H Street NW. Residents of the building would use the existing stop on 2nd Street, approximately 1,900 feet walking distance from the front lobby of 55 H Street. However, as listed in the proposed Transportation Management Plan, Georgetown University will continue to evaluate extending the shuttle service to add a stop at 55 H Street.

Bicycle Network

The District of Columbia Bicycle Master Plan (the Bicycle Plan) seeks to create a more bicyclefriendly city by establishing high-quality bicycle facilities and programs that are safe and convenient.

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The Bicycle Plan provides bicycle levels of service (BLOS) for roadways in the District where bicycles share the road with vehicles. The Bicycle Plan also reports the number of bicycle crashes that occurred between 2000 and 2002. Finally, the Bicycle Plan identifies areas and corridors that are barriers to cyclists. These barriers include "freeways, railroad and highway grade separations, neighborhoods with heavy traffic, and other impediments to bicycle travel." The Union Station circle is identified as a barrier area and is recommended for future bicycle improvements.

Bicycle facilities and biking conditions within ½ mile of the site are shown on Figure 5. The Metropolitan Branch Trail is located on the east side of First Street NE. G Place NE, between North Capitol and First Street has sharrows denoted two-way bike traffic. Per the Bicycle Plan, bike lanes are note planned for H Street between North Capitol Street and First Street NW.

Two Capital Bikeshare stations are located near 55 H Street. One is located a half block to the west on First Street NW along the Walmart frontage. The other station is located on the east side of North Capitol Street between H Street NE and G Place NE.

As noted below, however, Georgetown University is committed to the District's goal of establishing high-quality bicycle facilities and programs. A bike room for up to 104 bicycles will be provided in the northwest area of the building on the ground floor. Bike racks for short term bike parking, 12 spaces, will be provide on H Street adjacent to the residential lobby.

Bicycle Parking

Bicycle parking is shown on Figure 2. Table 1 summarizes the required and provided bicycle facilities.

Long-term Bicycle	Parking	Short-term Bicycle Parking			
Required (per §802.1)	Provided	Required (per §802.1)	Provided		
Residential (158 DU) =		Residential (158 DU) =			
1 per 3 DU	104 spaces	1 per 20 DU	12 spaces		
158/3 = 53 spaces		158/20 = 8 spaces			
Retail (1,980 SF) =	0 chacae	Retail (1,980 SF) =	0 spaces		
1 for each 10,000 SF	0 spaces	netali (1,960 SF) –	0 spaces		

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	1,980 / 10,000 = 0 spaces		1 space for each 3,500	
			SF	
			1,980 / 3,500 = 1 space	
Totals	53 spaces	104 spaces	9 spaces	12 spaces

With 104 proposed long-term bicycle spaces, the Applicant exceeds the zoning requirement. The 12 short-term bicycle spaces, located near the lobby on H Street, exceed the 9 required spaces.

Capital Bikeshare

Capital Bikeshare is an automated bicycle rental or bicycle sharing program that provides approximately 3,400 bicycles at 440 stations across Washington, DC, Arlington, VA, Alexandria, VA, Fairfax County, VA, and Montgomery County, MD.

Membership, which is required to use Capital Bikeshare, includes six options for joining: single trip (\$2), 24 hours (\$8), three days (\$17), 30 days (\$28), one year (\$85), or one year with monthly installments (\$96, \$8/month for 12 months). The first 30 minutes of use are free; users then are charged a usage fee for each additional 30-minute period. Bicycles can be returned to any station with an available dock.

Georgetown University offers discounts on Capital Bikeshare annual memberships to students, faculty, and staff. The annual membership allows for unlimited rides under thirty minutes for one upfront cost paid once a year.

As part of the Capital Bikeshare for Universities program, students are able to obtain an annual membership at a discounted rate of \$25. Through the Capital Bikeshare Corporate Program, employees and faculty can get an annual membership for \$37.50.

As shown on Figure 5, the closest Bikeshare station is located at the intersection of First Street NW and H Street NW, which provides 13 bike docks. Another station with 19 docks is located on the east side of North Capitol Street between H Street NE and G Place NE.

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Car Sharing Services

Two car-sharing providers currently operate in the District. Zipcar requires a \$25 application fee and members can choose from four plans: occasional driving plan - \$70 per year (pay as you go based on the standard hourly or daily rate), monthly plan - \$7 per month (pay as you go based on the standard hourly or daily rate), and extra value plan - \$50 per month and receive 10 percent discount on driving (after the \$50 is used, you pay as you go based on a discounted hourly or daily rate). Cars must be returned to the same designated parking spaces from which they were picked up. Georgetown University has a partnership with Zipcar. Students, faculty, staff, and alumni pay no application fee and the annual fee is reduced to \$15.

Car2Go requires a one-time \$5 application fee. Once registered, a member card is issued, which enables members to access an available car. Car2Go members can choose from two plans: smart fortwo – \$0.32 per minute/\$15 per hour/\$59 per day, and Mercedes-Benz CLA & GLA – \$0.45 per minute/\$19 per hour/\$79 per day. No reservation is required, and car usage is charged by the minute, with hourly and daily maximum fees. A Car2Go vehicle does not have to be returned to its original location; a Car2Go vehicle can be parked in any unrestricted curbside parking space, in any metered/paystation curbside parking space (without paying meter/paystation fees), or in any residential permit parking space. Car2Go currently has 500 vehicles in the District.

Trip Generation

The trip generation analysis prepared for the proposed H Street NW Housing project is based on the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) <u>Trip Generation Manual</u>, 10th Edition. Vehicle access is proposed via the existing curb cut on H Street NW.

The trip generation analysis for the proposed student housing is summarized in Table 2. These calculations are based on ITE trip generation rates/equations for ITE land uses code 225 (off Campus Student Housing). Mode splits were derived based on the TripsDC tool for residential uses. Person trips were developed based on an assumed vehicle occupancy of 1.96 persons/vehicle. The TripsDC report for the mode split is included as part of the scoping document, included as Attachment 1.

As shown in Table 2, the proposed student housing project would generate 16 additional weekday AM peak hour trips and 21 additional weekday PM peak hour trips. Based on the trip generation analysis contained herein the proposal would not meet the 25 peak hour, peak direction trip threshold requiring a Comprehensive Transportation Review (CTR).

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Parking Assessment

The Applicant proposes to provide three (5) on-site parking spaces. Based on the calculations shown in Table 3, ZR16 requires 26 parking spaces. Although the plan shows three (3) on-site parking spaces, these spaces are non-compliant from a zoning perspective because they are accessed through and across the loading berth and delivery space. Accordingly, the project technically provides zero compliant parking spaces, and the Applicant is seeking flexibility from the parking requirement.

Table 3

	Required (per §701.5)	Provided
	Residential (158 DU) = 1 per 3 DU in excess of 4 DU (158 -4)/3 = 51 spaces	0 spaces
	Retail (1,980 SF) = 1.33 per 1,000 SF in excess of 3,000 SF 0/1,000 = 0 spaces	0 spaces
Total	51/2 = 26 spaces*	0 spaces

On-Street Parking Occupancy

On-street parking occupancy counts were collected on several block faces in the site vicinity. The locations are shown on Figure 6 and the results are shown in Table 2.

Along H Street, between North Capitol Street and First Street NW, Segments Y and AA, respectively permit on-street parking during certain hours of the day. Parking along the north side of H Street across the site's frontage is restricted during AM and PM peak periods (7:00 am to 9:30 am, and 4:00 pm to 6:30 pm). As shown in Table 2, cars continued to park on the north side during the AM restriction. During the PM period, a peak of 67% of the spaces were occupied, both at 8:00 pm and at 9:00 pm. On the south side of H Street 100% of the spaces were occupied at 7:00 am. In the evening, a peak of 59 % were occupied at the 10:00 pm hour.

As show in Table 2, on street parking is available on several streets adjacent to the site, during both the morning and evening hours.

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Street Tree Inventory

An inventory of existing and missing street trees within a 3-block radius of the site was conducted. Figure 7 indicates the blocks with trees and where trees are missing. Further, as confirmed during the scoping process with DDOT staff, there are no heritage trees on-site.

Transportation Management Plan (TMP)

The Applicant proposes a comprehensive TMP to accommodate the future student housing including the following:

- Identifying Transportation Coordinators for the planning, construction, and operations phases of development. The Transportation Coordinators will act as points of contact with DDOT, goDCgo, and Zoning Enforcement.

- Employees and students will be included in the University's annual commute survey. This survey data and a report of other TDM activities is included in the Annual Transportation Monitoring Report presented to DDOT.

- Transportation Coordinators will develop and distribute marketing materials promoting various transportation options and encouraging participating in transportation events (i.e., Bike to Work Day, National Walking Day, Car Free Day). This will be done through the use of internal building communications or as a larger campus-wide communication effort to the Georgetown University community through email notices, newsletters, or website announcements.

- Transportation Coordinators will receive TDM training from goDCgo to learn about the TDM conditions for this project and available options for implementing the TDM Plan.

- New residents will be provided welcome packets that include information about Metrorail, local bus lines (Circulator and Metrobus), Capital Bikeshare, and the most recent DC Bike Map. Brochures for all nearby transportation options will be available onsite. This information is also highlighted on the University's transportation webpage.

- Employees will receive information about carpool matching services sponsored by the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWCOG) or other comparable service if MWCOG does not offer this in the future.

- The Transportation Coordinator will subscribe to goDCgo's residential newsletter.

- Provide a long-term bicycle storage room on the ground level of the building.

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- The Capital Bikeshare for Universities discount for students and the Capital Bikeshare Corporate Program discount for employees will be promoted and administered.

- Provide one (1) collapsible shopping cart (utility cart) for every 10 students, for a total of 10 for students/residents use to walk to the grocery shopping and run errands.

- A transportation event for residents and employees will be held once per year. Examples include resident social, walking tour of local transportation options, goDCgo lobby event, transportation fair, WABA Everyday Bicycling seminar, bicycle safety/information class, bicycle repair event, etc.

- Additional short- and long-term bicycle parking spaces above ZR16 requirements will be provided. Currently, the Applicant proposes 104 long-term bicycle parking spaces and 12 short-term bicycle parking spaces.

- The University will continue to evaluate possibly extending shuttle service directly to the 55 H Street site. This will include evaluating the student population residing in the building and deciding if a shuttle route would be appropriate in consideration of the other transportation options in immediate vicinity.

- Consider installing a Transportation Information Center Display (electronic screen) within the lobby containing information related to local transportation alternatives. The display would include information about nearby Metrorail stations and schedules, Metrobus stops and schedules, carsharing locations, and nearby Capital Bikeshare locations indicating the availability of bicycles.

Loading Management Plan (LMP)

Two loading spaces will be provided at 55 H Street. One (1) proposed loading berth will accommodate a 30-foot truck (SU30) and the other is for a delivery space. The loading area is designed so that vehicles are able to pull into the alley front first then back into the loading area and drive out of the private alley front first.

Student move-in, move-out operations are anticipated to occur during a short time period. All service and delivery loading activity will occur within the loading area off of the private alley. During move-in and move-out periods, it is anticipated that the alley and loading facility will be used for loading and unloading of vehicles. Each student residence will be furnished and, therefore, will not require the moving activities typical of a multifamily residential unit. Georgetown University will apply for "emergency no parking" signs, restricted to hours outside of the weekday commuter rush hours should it be determined that curbside space will be necessary during the move-in and move-out periods.

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In order to ensure that the loading and service for the project does not adversely impact the surrounding roadway network, a loading management plan will be implemented for the development. The goals of the plan are to maintain a safe environment for all users of the site, loading dock, street, and nearby intersections; minimize undesirable impacts to pedestrians and to building tenants; reduce conflicts between truck traffic using the loading facilities and other street users; and ensure smooth operation of the loading facilities through appropriate levels of management and scheduled operations. The following are the components of the loading management plan:

- 1) A member of the building maintenance team will coordinate with vendors and tenants to schedule deliveries and will coordinate with the community and neighbors to resolve any conflicts should they arise.
- 2) All tenants will be required to schedule deliveries that utilize the loading dock (any loading operation conducted using a truck 20' in length or larger) and all loading activities are required to occur at the loading docks.
- 3) The maintenance team will schedule deliveries such that the dock's capacity is not exceeded. In the event that an unscheduled delivery vehicle arrives while the dock is full, that driver will be directed to return at a later time when a berth will be available so as not to compromise safety or impede street or intersection function.
- 4) The maintenance team will monitor inbound and outbound truck maneuvers and will ensure that trucks accessing the loading dock do not block vehicular, bike, or pedestrian traffic along the alley (except during those times when a truck is actively entering or exiting a loading berth).
- 5) Trucks larger than a SU30 will not be permitted to make deliveries to the loading docks.
- 6) Trucks using the loading docks will not be allowed to idle and must follow all District guidelines for heavy vehicle operation including but not limited to DCMR 20 Chapter 9, Section 900 (Engine Idling), the regulations set forth in DDOT's Freight Management and Commercial Vehicle Operations document, and the primary access routes listed in the DDOT Truck and Bus Route Map (godcgo.com/truckandbusmap).
- 7) The maintenance team will be responsible for disseminating suggested truck routing maps to the building's tenants as needed, and to drivers from delivery services that frequently utilize the development's loading dock as well as notifying all drivers of any access or egress restrictions. The maintenance team will also distribute materials as DDOT's Freight Management and Commercial Vehicle Operations document to drivers as needed to encourage compliance with idling laws. The on-site maintenance team will also post these documents and notices in a prominent location within the service areas.

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Conclusion

As outlined herein, a CTR for the subject site is not required. The multimodal transportation and trip generation assessment of the proposed development provide a comprehensive summary of the transportation impacts of the proposed development.

Please feel free to contact Chris Kabatt or Grady Vaughan at (703) 917-6620.

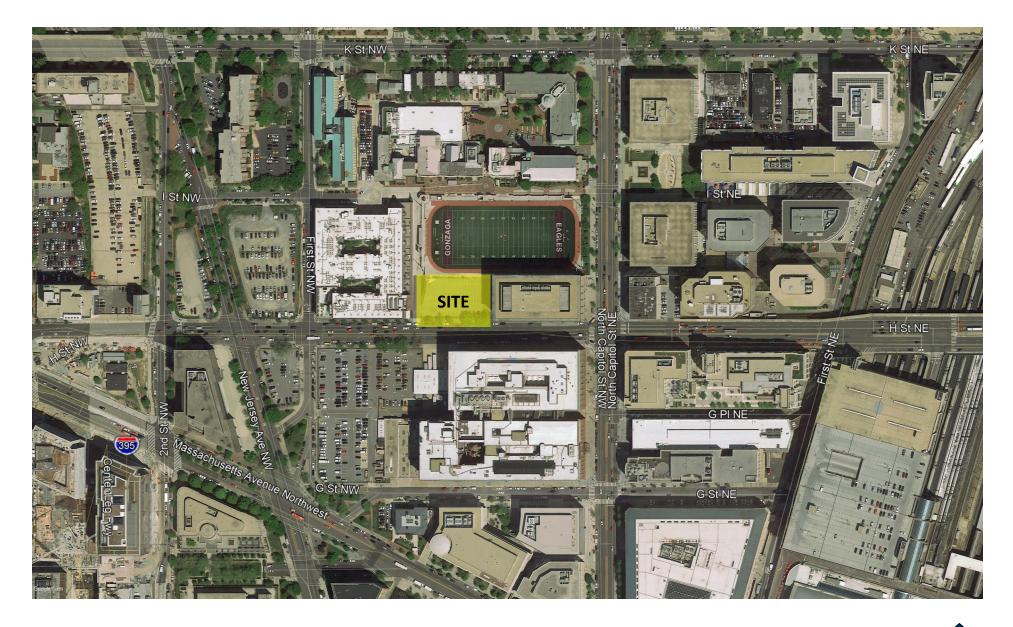


Figure 1 Project Location



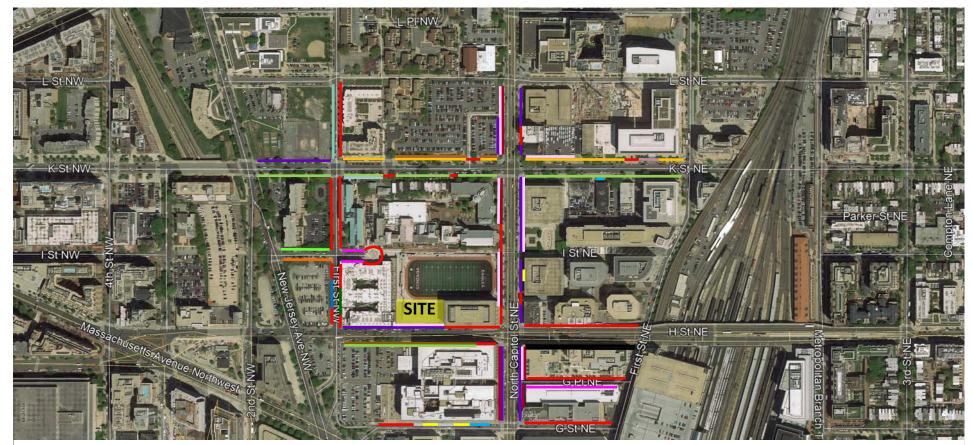












2 HOUR PARKING (7AM-4PM Mon-Fri) - ----NO PARKING (4PM-6:30PM Mon-Fri) - ----3.5 HOUR PARKING (6:30PM-10PM Mon-Sat) - - 2 HOUR PARKING (7AM-6:30PM Mon-Fri) - ----NO PARKING (7AM-9:30AM Mon-Fri) - ----CARSHARE ONLY -

Figure 3 **Existing Curbside** Designations

- NO PARKING (7AM-9:30AM & 4PM-6:30PM Mon-Fri) ----
- 2 HOUR PARKING (9:30AM-4PM Mon-Fri) (7AM-6:30PM Sat) -
- 4 HOUR PARKING (8:30AM-4PM Mon-Fri) -
- NO PARKING (12:30PM-2:30PM Wed) ----
- NO PARKING (12:30PM-2:30PM Thurs) ----
- NO PARKING EXCEPT OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT
- VEHICLES (7AM-6:30PM Mon-Fri) ----

NO PARKING -NO PARKING (9:30AM-4PM Mon-Fri) - ----NO PARKING VA BUS STAND (9:30AM-6PM Mon-Fri) - -NO PARKING EXCEPT HANDICAP VISITORS (8AM-4PM) -LOADING ZONE (2 HOUR DAILY) - ____ 2 HOUR PARKING (9:30AM-6:30PM Mon-Sat) - -

> NORTH **H Street Housing NW** Washington, DC

NO RESTRICTION -



- Metrorail Station 📃 Bus Stop
- Likely walk route to/from transit stops
- Intersections with Marked Crosswalks and ADA Ramps * with Truncated Domes

Figure 4 Pedestrian Study Area

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 - Intersections with Marked Crosswalks and ADA Ramps







Figure 5 Bicycle and Transit Study Area

Capital Bikeshare Locations (Number of Docks) 🚺 Metrorail Station

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📄 Bus Stop

Group Likely bike route to/from transit stops



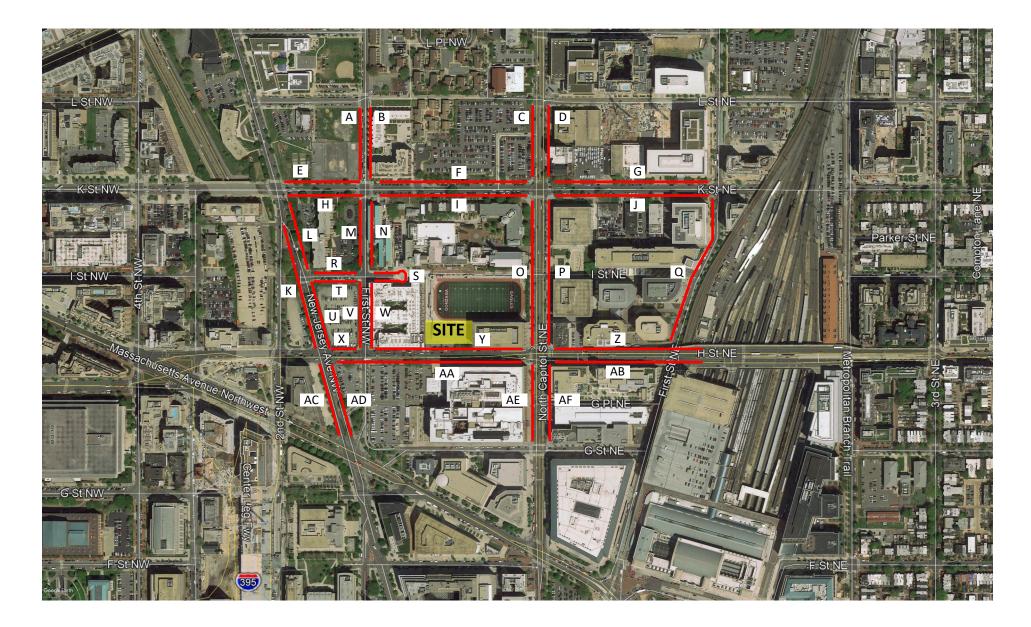


Figure 6 On-Street Parking Occupancy Study Locations NORTH H Street Housing NW Washington, DC





Figure 7 Street Tree Inventory Study Area

Existing Trees

Missing Trees

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Table 1 Trip Generation 55 H Street - Student Housing Georgetown University

	Land Use			AN	1 Peak Hou	r	Р	M Peak Hou	ır
Decription	Code	Size	Units	In	Out	Total	In	Out	Total
Off Campus Student Housing ^{1,2}	225	476	Beds	22	31	53	59	58	117
Person Trips	AVO	1.96		43	61	104	116	114	229
Mode Splits ³		AM	PM						
Auto		31%	18%	13	19	32	21	20	41
Transit		19%	13%	8	12	20	15	15	30
Bike		5%	6%	2	3	5	7	7	14
Walk		45% 100%	63% 100%	19	27	47	73	71	144
Auto Vehicle Trips				7	9	16	11	10	21

Notes: 1. Trips were not generated for the ground floor retail spaces since the use is ancillary to the residential and no parking is provided.

2. Trip generation based on Trip Generation, 10th Edition, Institute of Transportation Engineers.

3. The mode splits were calculated using TripsDC, 158 dwelling units, 1,980 SF retail and 5 parking spaces.

Table 2 H Street Housing NW Observed On-Street Parking Oci

	Segi	nent A	Segn	nent B	Segn	nent C		ient D		nent E	Segr	nent F	Segn	nent G	Segn	nent H
First Street (West Side)		First Street (West Side) First Street (Fast Side) North Capitol Street		th Capitol Street NE K Street NE K Street NE				K Str	reet NE	K Str	eet NE	K Street NE				
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8:00 AM	13	81%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	8	80%
9:00 AM	11	69%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	7	70%
6:00 PM	16	100%	0	0%	8	80%	0	0%	0	0%	16	70%	9	45%	2	20%
7:00 PM	13	81%	0	0%	7	70%	0	0%	0	0%	14	61%	9	45%	2	20%
8:00 PM	15	94%	0	0%	3	30%	4	50%	0	0%	4	17%	9	45%	5	50%
9:00 PM	13	81%	0	0%	4	40%	4	50%	0	0%	4	17%	4	20%	6	60%
10:00 PM	13	81%	0	0%	2	20%	4	50%	0	0%	5	22%	1	5%	7	70%
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6:00 PM	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	7	35%	5	23%
7:00 PM	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	7	35%	4	18%
8:00 PM	6	24%	1	3%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	6	30%	13	59%
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District Department of Transportation (DDOT) Comprehensive Transportation Review (CTR) Scoping Form



The purpose of the Comprehensive Transportation Review (CTR) study is to evaluate potential impacts to the transportation network that can be expected to result from an approved action by the Zoning Commission (ZC), Board of Zoning Adjustment (BZA), Public Space Committee (PSC), a Federal or District agency, or an operational change to the transportation network. The Scoping Form accompanies the *Guidance for Comprehensive Transportation Review* and provides the Applicant an opportunity to propose a scope of work to evaluate the potential transportation impacts of the project.

Directions: The CTR Scoping Form contains study elements that an Applicant is expected to complete in order to determine the scope of the analysis. An Applicant should fill out this *Scoping Form* with a proposed scope of analysis commensurate with the requested action and submit to DDOT for review and concurrence. Accordingly, not all elements and figures identified in the *Scoping Form* are required for every action, and there may be situations where additional analyses and figures may be necessary. Once a completed Scoping Form is submitted, DDOT will provide feedback on the initial parameters of an appropriate analysis scope. DDOT's turnaround times are four (4) weeks for CTRs with a Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) and three (3) weeks for all other lower tier studies. After the *Scoping Form* has been finalized and agreed to by DDOT, the Applicant is required to expand upon the elements outlined in this Form within the study.

Scoping Information	
Date(s) Scoping Form Submitted to DDOT: 10/1/19	
DDOT Case Manager: Aaron Zimmerman/Kelsey Bridges	
Date(s) Scoping Form Comments Returned to Applicant: 10/10/19	
Date Scoping Form Finalized: 10/15/19	

Project Overview	Proposed Development Program
Project Name: H Street NW Housing	Use(s)
Case Type & No. (ZC, BZA, PSC, etc.): Voluntary Design Review, 19-20	Residential (dwelling units): 158 Units (476 beds)
ANC/SMD: ANC 6E / SMD 6E07	Retail (square feet): 1,980 SF ground floor retail
Applicant/Developer Name: Georgetown University	Office (square feet):
Transportation Consultant and Contact Info: Chris Kabatt, Wells + Associates (301-971-3416)	Hotel (rooms):
Land Use Counsel and Contact Info: David Avitabile, Goulston & Storrs (202-721-1137)	Other:
Site Street Address: 55 H Street NW, Washington, DC	# of Vehicle Parking Spaces: 5 spaces
Site Square & Block: Lot 93, Square 622	# of Carshare spaces: 0
Current Zoning and/or Overlay District: MU – 9	# of Electric Vehicle Stations: 0
Estimated Date of Hearing: December 12, 2019	# of Bicycle Parking Spaces (long- and short-term)
Small Area Plan (if applicable):	Long-term: ~104
Livability Study (if applicable): Central Washington (no study, currently planned for 2026)	Short-term: 12
Within ½ Mile of Metrorail or ¼ mile of Streetcar/Circulator/Priority Bus?: Yes	Loading Berths/Spaces: 2

Documents to be Submitted to DDOT: Any action requiring a CTR or some other evaluation of on-site or off-site transportation facilities must submit one of the following documents to DDOT. It must be appropriately scoped for the specific action proposed and document all relevant site operations and transportation analyses.

CTR Study (100 or person total person trips, or 25 or more peak hour vehicle trips in peak direction, or as deemed necessary by DDOT)

🛛 Transportation Statement (limited scope based on specifics of project or if Low Impact Development Exemption from CTR and TIA is requested)

Standalone TIA (project proposes a change to roadway capacity, operations, or directionality, has a site access challenge, or as deemed necessary by DDOT)

Other, specify: _

Include one (1) hard copy of final report, PDF of report w/appendices, traffic analysis files, and traffic counts in DDOT-required spreadsheet format (total size of all digital files under 15 MB, if possible)

Existing Site and Description of Action: Describe the type(s) of regulatory approval(s) being requested and any background information on the project relevant to the requested action such as the existing uses, amount of vehicle parking, and other notable proposed changes on-site.

The site is located at 55 H Street, NW in Ward 6, on Lot 93 in Square 622. The site is currently zoned MU-9. The site is improved with a surface parking lot with approximately 100 spaces that is not often in use. H Street runs along the site's southern frontage; east of the site is an office building, west of the site is an apartment building, and to the north are Gonzaga High School's athletic fields. The site is approximately $\frac{1}{3}$ of a mile from the Union Station Metro Station, approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ a block from an X2 and X9 Metro bus stop and a GT-US DC Circulator bus stop, and about $\frac{1}{2}$ blocks from the Georgetown University Law Center. Georgetown University Transportation Shuttle (GUTS) connects the main campus with the Georgetown University Law Center (600 New Jersey Avenue NW) with service provided Monday through Friday.

Georgetown University, the "Applicant", on behalf of Gonzaga College High School, proposes to redevelop the site with an 11-story building containing student housing, approximately 1,980 square feet of ground floor retail, and 5 vehicle parking spaces in an at grade parking garage. Access to the parking garage and loading area will be provided via a private alley off H Street. The building will contain approximately 158 dwelling units (a mixture of 1, 2, 3 and 4 bedrooms, and studio apartments), with a total of 476 beds. Georgetown University is evaluating extending the Law Center GUTS route to add a stop at 55 H Street, NW. Georgetown University is seeking flexibility from the parking requirements in the Zoning Regulations.

Prior Related Action(s), Conditions, and Commitments: Note any prior approvals by ZC, BZA, or PSC (Campus Master Plan, First Stage PUD, student/faculty cap, etc.) for the site and list all relevant conditions and proffers still in effect from the previous approval and status of completion. Attach a copy of the Decision section from the previous Zoning Order if still in effect.

Board of Zoning Adjustment Case Number 19293 (Case Name Gonzaga College High School):

Application of Gonzaga College High School, pursuant to 11 DCMR §§ 3103.2 and 3104.1, for variances from the limitation on number of stories requirements under § 400.1, and the height requirements under § 770.1, and a special exception from the private school requirements under § 206.1, to permit the installation of four monopole light arrays to serve existing athletic fields on the campus of a private school in the R-4/C-2-A District at premises 19 I Street N.W. (Square 622, Lots 93, 844-845).

Section 1: SITE DESIGN

DDOT reviews the site plan to evaluate consistency with DDOT's standards, policies, and approach to access as documented in the most recent Design and Engineering Manual (DEM). If the proposal for use of public space is found to be inconsistent with the agency approach, DDOT will note this regardless of its relevance to the action. It is DDOT's position that issues regarding public space be addressed at the earliest possible opportunity to ensure the highest quality project design and to minimize project delays and the need to re-design a site in the future.

CATEGORY & GUIDELINES	CONS	ULTANT PROI	POSAL	DDOT COMMENTS
Site Access Show site access points for all modes. Include proposed curb cut locations, curb cuts to be closed, access controls (e.g., right-in/out, signalized), sight distances and sight triangles from access points and new intersections, driveway widths and spacing, on- and off-site parking locations, inter-parcel connections, public/private status of driveways, alleys, and streets, and whether easements, dedications, or closures are proposed. Access must be located off an adjacent existing or "paper" alley, otherwise off the lower volume street. Note any deviations from curb cut policies (DEM 31.5) w/justification and if Conceptual Approval by the Public Space Committee (PSC) has/is being sought. Subtitle I § 600-603 of ZR16 further restricts where curb cuts can be located. DDOT will not support curb cut design relief unless there is a clear hardship preventing a project from meeting all DDOT standards and other alternatives have been explored. All proposed private streets connecting to a public street must be built to DDOT standards and have a public access easement. Design of driveways and drive aisles on private property must comply with Subtitle C § 711 of ZR16.	The project site is located on the north side NW. The project location is shown Figure 1. a gated private alley on the western portion A preliminary site plan is shown in Figure 2. No additional curb cuts are proposed with t No additional curb cuts are proposed with t Scoping Graphic: Project Location Map Scoping Graphic: Site Circulation Plan Scoping Graphic: Plat for Site's Square of provide plans from SURDOCs)	. Access to the parking n of the site. this site.	garage and loading facilities is provided via	DDOT 10/10/19: What are the operations and planned used of the gate? Who can get through or not get through? Ensure that the gate is at least 1 vehicle length behind the sidewalk so that queueing does not block the sidewalk. DDOT 10/10/19: What agreement is in effect with the other property owners surrounding the private alley to gate it off? Wells 10/14/19: The gate will be located so that at least 1 vehicle can queue in the alley entirely within private property. The transportation memo will discuss the operations and planned use of the gate, provide a plan documenting the distance between the sidewalk and the gate, and address agreements between the University and Gonzaga regarding use of the private alley. DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT concurs.
Loading Discuss and show the quantity and sizes of loading berths/delivery spaces, trash storage locations, on- and off-site loading locations, turnaround design, nearby commercial loading zones, and anticipated demand, operations, and routing of delivery and trash vehicles. Identify the sizes of trucks anticipated to serve the site and design vehicles to be used in truck turning diagrams. Provide truck turning diagrams in the body of the report not the appendix.	As shown on Figure 3, there is one (1) proprexpected that a 30-foot truck (SU30) will be designed so that vehicles are able to pull in out of the private alley front first. As shown and 1 Service/Delivery Space and will be prifrom the location, access, and/or design propricant will develop a Loading Manageme will be provided in the Applicant's Transporprovided on Figure 3. Table 1	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs with the inclusion of an LMP in the transportation memo. In the memo be sure to include a clearer truck turning diagram. The one with this scoping form is blurry. DDOT 10/10/19: In transportation memo, discuss anticipated move-in/move-out operations for students. They should be done from the alley, loading bay, and parking		
DDOT requires head-in and head-out truck movements through public space (DEM 31.5) and that direct internal pedestrian connections be provided between retail bays and loading facilities. Note any proposed deviations or requested relief from ZR16 or DDOT standards with justification. If any relief is being sought then a Loading Management Plan (LMP) is required. A template LMP is	Use Residential (158 DU) Retail (1,980 SF) Proposed	Minimum Loading Berths 1 None 1	Minimum Service/Delivery Spaces 1 None 1	from the alley, loading bay, and parking spaces. LMP should include restrictions on the size of moving trucks and locations of loading/unloading moving trucks. If any move-ins/outs were to occur curbside with "emergency no parking" signs they will have to be restricted to outside of the weekday commuter rush hours.

provided in Appendix E.	Scoping	Graphic: Location of load					
	Scoping	Graphic: Truck Turning Di	Wells 10/14/19: Comment acknowledged. A clearer exhibit showing truck maneuvers will be provided in the memo as will a discussion regarding move-in/move-out operations.				
							DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT concurs.
Vehicle Parking Identify all off-street parking locations (on- and off-site) and justify the amount of on-site vehicle parking, including a comparison to the number of spaces required by ZR16 and any previous approvals. Provide parking calculations and parking ratios by land use, including any eligible ZR16 vehicle parking reductions (i.e., within ¼ mile of Priority	requires 26 p noncompliar and delivery	ws the location of the 5 or parking spaces. Note that nt from a zoning perspecti space. Accordingly, the p Il be seeking flexibility from	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs.				
Bus Route, within ½ mile of Metrorail Station, providing carshare spaces, located within a D zone, etc.).		Required (per	§701.5)	Prov	ided		
Review the DDOT Preferred Parking Rates (Table 2). If the total parking provision proposed exceeds the amount calculated using ratios in that table then the number of		Residential (158 DU) excess of 4 (158 -4)/3 = 5:	4 DU	in O spa	aces		
spaces should be reduced or substantial TDM / non-auto improvements be provided. If parking provision is significantly out of line with appropriate parking ratios, one way or the other, then mode split and trip generations estimates will be adjusted.		Retail (1,980 SF) = 1.3 in excess of 3 0/1,000 = 0 9	,000 SF spaces	SF 0 spa		-	
Confirm whether ZR16 TDM Mitigations will be required, per Subtitle C § 707.3, for providing more than double the amount of required vehicle parking. Coordinate with the Zoning Administrator as early in the process as possible for an official determination.	identified s half mile (0	51/2 = 26 sp (§702.1) indicates that th shall be reduced by fifty pr 0.5) of a Metrorail station. ion Metro Station.					
A TDM Plan is required for BZA parking reduction cases, per Subtitle C § 703.4. If relief is being requested from 5 or more spaces, then a Parking Occupancy Study is required (see Multi-Modal section).	(Table 2)	Table: Parking Calculation Graphic: Off-Street Parkir			DT's Preferred \	/ehicle Parking	
Bicycle Parking Identify the locations of proposed bicycle parking and justify the amount of long- and short-term spaces proposed. Provide a calculation of the number of spaces required by ZR16. Long-term bicycle parking spaces must be easily accessible	Figure 2 shore term bicycle area of the s southeast co preliminary a Regulations;	ws the location of the long room is provided via the a ite. Short term bicycle par prner of the site. Table 3 o amount of bike parking is as the Applicant further c align with anticipated dem	DDOT 10/10/19: Provide the amount of bike parking required by zoning. If there is confusion as to which zoning category applies, go with the higher amount. 104 long-term spaces for 475 students does not seem like nearly enough.				
from building lobby or located in the parking garage level closest to the ground floor. Lockers and showers must be included with non-residential long-term bicycle storage rooms, per Subtitle C § 806. Provide calculations for	Table 3	Long-term Bicycl	Wells/Goulston 10/14/19: Under the Zoning Regulations, the parking requirements are based per "dwelling unit." A dwelling unit is defined as "one or more				
required lockers and showers. Short-term bicycle parking must be accommodated by installing inverted U-racks along the perimeter of the site in the 'furniture zone' of public space, near the site entrance(s).		Required (per §802.1) Residential (158 DU) = 1 per 3 DU	Provided 104space	Required (per §802.1) Residential (158 DU) = 1 per 20 DU	Provided 12 spaces		habitable rooms comprising complete independent living facilities for one or more persons, and including within those rooms permanent provisions for living, sleeping, eating, cooking, and sanitation." Here, the residence hall is set up as 158 dwelling units
		158/3 = 53	-	158/20 = 8	-1		(i.e. separate living facilities where one or

		spaces⁺		spaces			more rooms share living spaces, kitchen, and bathrooms). Accordingly, the correct long-
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1			104		12]	Remaining 326 beds = 54 spaces (1 per 6) Total requirement = 104 beds.
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1		L		L	1000		application meets that requirement.
1	Sconing C	Graphic: Locations of inter	nal bicycle nark	ing spaces routing to) these snaces	and related	
1		ties including locker room	, ,				DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT appreciates the
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	The Applicant	t is evaluating the current	nublic space st	andards for the Bross	erty and may a	eek flevibility to	we move through Voluntary Design Review.
Streetscape and Public Realm		tscape design that is more					DDOT 10/10/19: Take a look at the design of
Provide a conceptual layout of the streetscape and public		included in Attachment 1		,	y		the H Street façade and confirm it meets
realm including at minimum: curb cuts, vaults, sidewalk widths, street trees, grade changes, building projections,							public space/building code requirements for
short-term bicycle parking, and any existing bus stops.	ļ						projection design. Depending on where the
Also provide the permit tracking numbers and PSC hearing	ļ						property line is located, the projections may
date, if known, for any approved public space designs.	ł						have to be broken up into multiple projections. There are also regulations for
DDOT expects new developments to rehabilitate the	ļ						how far projections should be from the curb.
streetscape between the curb and property line and meet	ļ						
all public space design standards. Streetscape must meet	ļ						Wells / Goulston 10/14/19:
ADA requirements and ensure nothing impedes accessible	ļ						The design team will review and confirm
curb access or pedestrian circulation.	ł						public space/building code requirements are
Note any non-compliant public space elements requiring a	ļ						met. The façade is entirely within the property line, and there is no intent to project
DCRA code modification or PSC approval.	ļ						the primary façade as a bay or other element.
A summary of public space best practices is provided in	ļ						The proposed projections are cornices,
Section 1.5. DDOT standards are documented in the DEM,	Sconing G	Graphic: Preliminary Publi	ic Space Concen	t			canopies, and sunshades, all of which are
Public Realm Design Manual, and corridor Streetscape	coping C			-			permitted projections.
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1	ļ						like to confirm that it is the appropriate
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1	ļ						DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT appreciates the
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ļ						response. We will discuss the paving materials
1	ļ						and public space design as we move through
i	l						Voluntary Design Review.
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Sustainable Transportation Elements Identify all sustainable transportation elements, such as electric vehicle (EV) charging stations and carshare spaces proposed to be included in the project. Electrical conduit should be installed in parking garage so that additional EV stations can be provided later. DDOT recommends 1 per 50 vehicle spaces be served by an EV station. DDOT encourages providing car share spaces on-site to reduce the ZR16 parking requirement and support non-car ownership lifestyles.	No EV stations are proposed with the development.	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT does not object given the minimal amount of on-site parking. Wells 10/14/19: Acknowledged. DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT concurs.
Heritage, Special, and Street Trees Note whether there are existing Heritage Trees on-site or in adjacent public space. The presence of Heritage Trees will impact site design since they may not be cut down. Work w/the UFD Ward Arborist to determine if there are Heritage or Special Trees on-site that must be preserved and if Tree Preservation or Relocation Plans are required. Conduct an inventory of existing and missing street trees within a 3-block radius of the site (design standards are in DEM 37.5). Identify any opportunities for UFD or the Applicant (as part of the mitigations package) to install missing treeboxes and street trees.	There are no Heritage Trees on-site. Figure 4 shows the study area of the street tree inventory. Image: Scoping Graphic: Street Tree Inventory Study Area	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs.

Section 2: TRAVEL ASSUMPTIONS

CATEGORY & GUIDELINES	CONSULTANT PROPOSAL	DDOT COMMENTS
Mode Split Provide mode split assumptions with sources and justification. Sources of data could include the most recent <i>Census Transportation Planning Products (CTPP)</i> the 2005 <i>WMATA Development-Related Ridership Survey,</i> or previous planning studies and CTRs. Note that the walking mode share will account for internal trip synergies for mixed use developments. <i>Adjustments to mode split assumptions may be made, as appropriate, if the number of vehicle parking spaces proposed is significantly lower or higher than expected for the context of the neighborhood.</i> <i>The agreed upon mode split assumptions may not be revised between scoping and CTR submission without</i>	Scoping Table: Mode Split Assumptions	DDOT 10/10/19: It is noted that mode split assumptions are provided in Attachment 2 of this form. DDOT concurs with the proposed assumptions. Wells 10/14/19: Acknowledged DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT concurs.

Trip Generation	A trip generation summary including TripsDC results are provided in Attachment 2.	
Provide site-generated person trip generation estimates,		DDOT 10/10/19: Do not use the TripsDC
utilizing the most recent version of ITE Trip Generation		calculations in the transportation memo. Instead base the calculations on the
Manual or another agreed upon methodology such as		traditional multi-modal trip generation
manual doorway or driveway counts at similar facilities.		methodology also provided. TripsDC is
Estimates must be provided by mode, type of trip, land		intended for multi-family housing over
use, and development phase during weekday AM and PM		external facing retail with parking ratios
commuter peaks, Saturday mid-day peak, and daily totals.		between 0.3 and 0.7 spaces/unit.
CTR must also include existing site trip generation based		
on observed counts. Modes include transit, bicycle, walk,		Wells 10/14/19:
and automobile.		TripsDC was used to calculate mode splits.
DDOT TripsDC tool will be used to determine trip		The number of vehicle and person trips was
generation estimates for residential-over-retail projects		calculated based on ITE (Off Campus Student
(see Section 2.2.4 for parameters).		Housing). The notes in the Trip Generation
Auto occupancy rates by travel purpose published in the		table in Attachment 2 have been revised to
2017 National Household Travel Survey should be used		provide clarity.
when calculating person trips based on suburban vehicle		
trip data in Trip Generation Manual (see Table 3).		DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT appreciates the
		clarification and finds the proposed modesplit and trip generation assumptions to be
Adjustments to trip generation may be made, as		reasonable.
appropriate, if the number of vehicle parking spaces		
proposed is significantly lower or higher than expected for		
the context of the neighborhood.		
Pass-by rates in the District are minimal and should only		
apply to major retail-dominant destinations, grocery	Scoping Table: Multi-Modal Trip Gen Summary (w/mode split and applicable reductions, as appropriate)	
stores, and gas stations. An adjusted pass-by/diverted trips		
methodology should be developed if development is not		
located on a road classified as arterial or higher.		
The agreed upon trip generation methodology may not be		
revised between scoping and CTR submission without		
DDOT concurrence. Consult the DDOT Case Manager if site		
plan, development program, land uses, or density changes		
significantly.		

A trip generation summary including TripsDC results are provided in Attachment 2

Section 3: MULTI-MODAL NETWORK EVALUATION

A CTR study is required if the project generates at least 100 peak hour person trips or 25 vehicle trips in the peak direction (highest of inbound or outbound) in any study period. Existing site traffic, pass-by, TDM, internal capture or other reductions may not be taken in the calculation to determine if the project meets these thresholds. However, they may be taken in the TIA, as appropriate, if a study is triggered. Analyses in the Multi-Modal Network Evaluation section are required in all CTRs, unless otherwise specified. A Transportation Statement may only require some of the following sections depending on the specifics of the project and zoning action.

The requirement for a CTR may be waived if site is within ½ mile from Metrorail or ¼ mile from Priority Transit, the total vehicle parking supply below level expected within ¼ mile of Metrorail Station (see Table 2), maximum 100 parking spaces, an Enhanced TDM Plan is implemented, site access and loading design are acceptable, there is a complete pedestrian network in the vicinity of the site, and meets all ZR16 bike parking and locker/shower requirements. Additional criteria may be found in the Low Impact Development Exemption section of *Guidance for CTR*.

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Strategic Planning Elements Identify relevant planning efforts and demonstrate how the proposed action is consistent with District-wide planning documents, as well as localized studies. Note in scoping form any recommendations from these documents relevant to the development proposal.	 The following relevant studies will be utilized throughout the creation of the Traffic Statement: DDOT Design and Engineering Manual District of Columbia Zoning Regulations of 2016 District of Columbia Pedestrian Master Plan District of Columbia Bicycle Master Plan DDOT Public Realm Design Guide MoveDC Plan 	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs.
The evaluation will consider at least the following high level/District-wide documents:	 SustainableDC Plan Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Washington Metropolitan Region (prepared 	
 MoveDC and its relevant modal elements 	by the National Capitol Region Transportation Research Board)	
 DDOT Livability Study (relevant to the project) 		
 OP Small Area Plans (relevant to the project) 		
 DC Highway Plan (shown on official plat) 		
 District of Columbia Comprehensive Plan 		
 Vision Zero Action Plan 		
 Capital Bikeshare Development Plan 		
 Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority's (WMATA) Metrorail and Metrobus Plans 		
 DDOT Corridor studies (e.g., Transit Development Plan, Streetscape Design Plans and Guidelines) 		
Details on additional relevant plans and studies may be provided by the DDOT Case Manager.		
Pedestrian Network Evaluate the condition of the existing pedestrian network and forecast the project's impact. Evaluation must include, at a minimum, critical walking routes, sidewalk widths, network completeness, whether facilities meet DDOT and ADA standards, and whether pedestrian signal timings are adequate (within vehicle study area). <i>Study area will include, at a minimum, all roadway</i>	A discussion of the existing and proposed pedestrian facilities within a quarter mile radius of the proposed development will be provided. Additionally, relevant information from the Pedestrian Master Plan will be included. Figure 5 shows the Pedestrian Study Area.	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs and notes that in the transportation memo be sure to confirm sidewalks are ADA accessible and in place between the site and transit stops. Wells 10/14/19: The pedestrian network section of the memo will document ADA accessible sidewalks and facilities between the site and transit stops.
segments and multi-use trails within a ¼ mile radius from the site, with a focus on connectivity to Metrorail, transit stops, schools, and major activity centers.		DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT concurs.
Bicycle Network Evaluate the condition of the existing bicycle network and forecast the project's impact, including to Capital Bikeshare (CaBi). Evaluation must include, at a minimum, bicycle network completeness, types of facilities, and adequacy of CaBi locations and availability. Bikeshare station demand data can be obtained from the <i>CaBi</i> <i>Tracker</i> website.	A discussion of the existing and proposed bicycle facilities within ½ mile of the proposed development will be provided. Figure 6 shows the Bicycle Study Area.	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs.
Study area will include, at a minimum, all roadway segments and multi-use trails within a ½ mile radius from the site, with a focus on connectivity to Metrorail, transit stops, schools, major activity centers, and other bicycle trails or facilities.		
Note where bike lanes conflict with access to the site or		

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on-street loading movements associated with the project. If a CaBi station is currently located along the site frontage, the Applicant must assume the station will stay in place after the development has been constructed and must be designed in the public space plans. If it is not physically possible to stay in place, then DDOT expects the Applicant to demonstrate this hardship, propose a viable alternative location, and fund the station relocation. The minimum size of a new CaBi station is 19 docks with 12 bikes.	Scoping Graphic: Bicycle Study Area w/Bicycling Routes to Transit, Schools, Activity Centers	
Transit NetworkEvaluate, at a minimum, existing transit stop locations, adjacent bus routes and Metro headways, planned transit improvements, and an assessment of existing transit stop conditions (e.g., ADA compliance, bus shelters, benches, wayfinding, etc.). For Metrorail stations, refer to the 2009 WMATA Station Site and Access Planning Manual, as well as various station capacity studies.Study area is 1.0 mile for Metrorail stations and ½ mile for Streetcar, Circulator, and WMATA buses.All existing bus stops and shelters must be accommodated during construction, assumed to be returned to the original location after construction, and designed into the public space plans. If a bus stop and/or shelter must be moved then the Applicant will fund the relocation and obtain approval from DDOT and WMATA for the new location. Applicant must fund the electrification of all new or relocated shelters.	The preliminary transit study area is included on Figure 6. Screenshots of DDOT transit maps showing site location are included in Attachment 3. Scoping Graphic: Transit Study Area with Adjacent Routes and Stations Scoping Graphic: Scoping Transit	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs. In the transportation memo discuss the Georgetown University shuttle operations, existing and proposed routes, timeframe and how this site fits into its operations (if at all). It is noted that the shuttle stop may not be on H Street or N. Capitol Street due to rush hour parking restrictions. Wells 10/14/19: Comment acknowledged. A discussion regarding Georgetown University shuttle operations will be provided in the memo. DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT concurs.
Safety Analysis Qualitatively evaluate safety conditions at intersections and along blocks within the vehicle study area. Perform a review of DDOT Vision Action Plan. Note whether any study intersections have been identified by DDOT as high crash locations, if any safety studies have been previously conducted, and discuss the recommendations. Depending on the results of the TIA, DDOT may require improvements to nearby intersections previously identified as having known safety issues.	A safety analysis will be conducted on intersections in the vicinity of the site.	DDOT 10/10/19: DDOT concurs and notes that only a qualitative review of ped/bike/road safety based on observations and professional engineering judgement at intersections and mid-blocks surrounding the site is required. No need to obtain crash data from DDOT. Comment acknowledged. DDOT 10/15/19: DDOT concurs.
Curbside Management Propose a curbside management plan that is consistent with current DDOT policies and practices. The curbside management plan must delineate existing and proposed on-street parking designations/restrictions, including but not limited to pick-up/drop-off zones, commercial loading zones, multi-space meters, RPP, and net change in number of on-street spaces as a result of the proposal. Note that the preliminary curbside management plan will not be approved by DDOT during the zoning process. Applicant must submit a more detailed signage and	A preliminary map of curbside designations within a 2 block radius is shown on Figure 7.	DDOT 10/10/19: Be sure to include both Existing and Future Proposed conditions in the transportation memo. Let's continue to discuss the peak hour restrictions and their implications as we go through the Design Review process. Wells 10/14/19: The memo will include both existing and proposed conditions and a discussion on any potential impact.