

# PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

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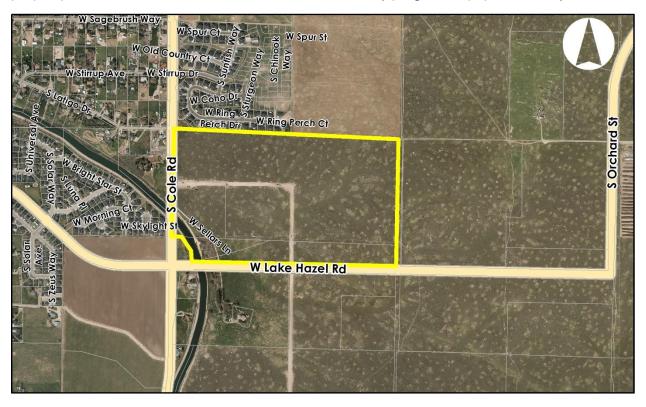
**FROM:** Cody Riddle, Deputy Planning Director

PREPARED BY: Karla Nelson, Associate Planner

**DATE:** October 29, 2019

**RE:** SUB15-00055 / Kirsten Subdivision / 6298 S. Cole Road / Time Extension

Taunton Group, LLC requests a one-year time extension for approval of the Final Plat for a residential subdivision comprised of 453 buildable lots and 41 common lots on 100.9 acres. The property is located at 6298 S. Cole Road, within the SP-03 (Syringa Valley Specific Plan) zone.



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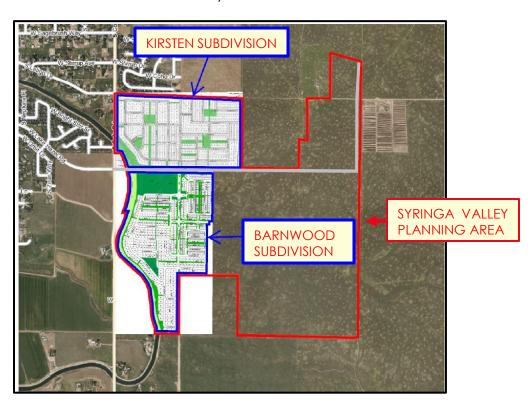
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## Request:

The applicant requests a one-year time extension to October 29, 2020, to submit the Final Plat for the Kirsten Subdivision.

#### **Analysis:**

The Preliminary Plat for the Kirsten Subdivision (SUB15-00055) was approved on November 29, 2016, by the City Council with an expiration date of November 29, 2018. On November 27, 2018, the Boise City Council approved a one-year time extension. The applicant now requests an additional one-year time extension to extend the expiration date to October 29, 2020. The applicant has focused Syringa Valley's initial development in the Barnwood Subdivision south of Lake Hazel Road. Development of Barnwood Subdivision first allows for the installation of necessary community infrastructure including a community center and park. The Planning Team finds the originally proposed subdivision continues to comply with the standards of the Boise City Code.



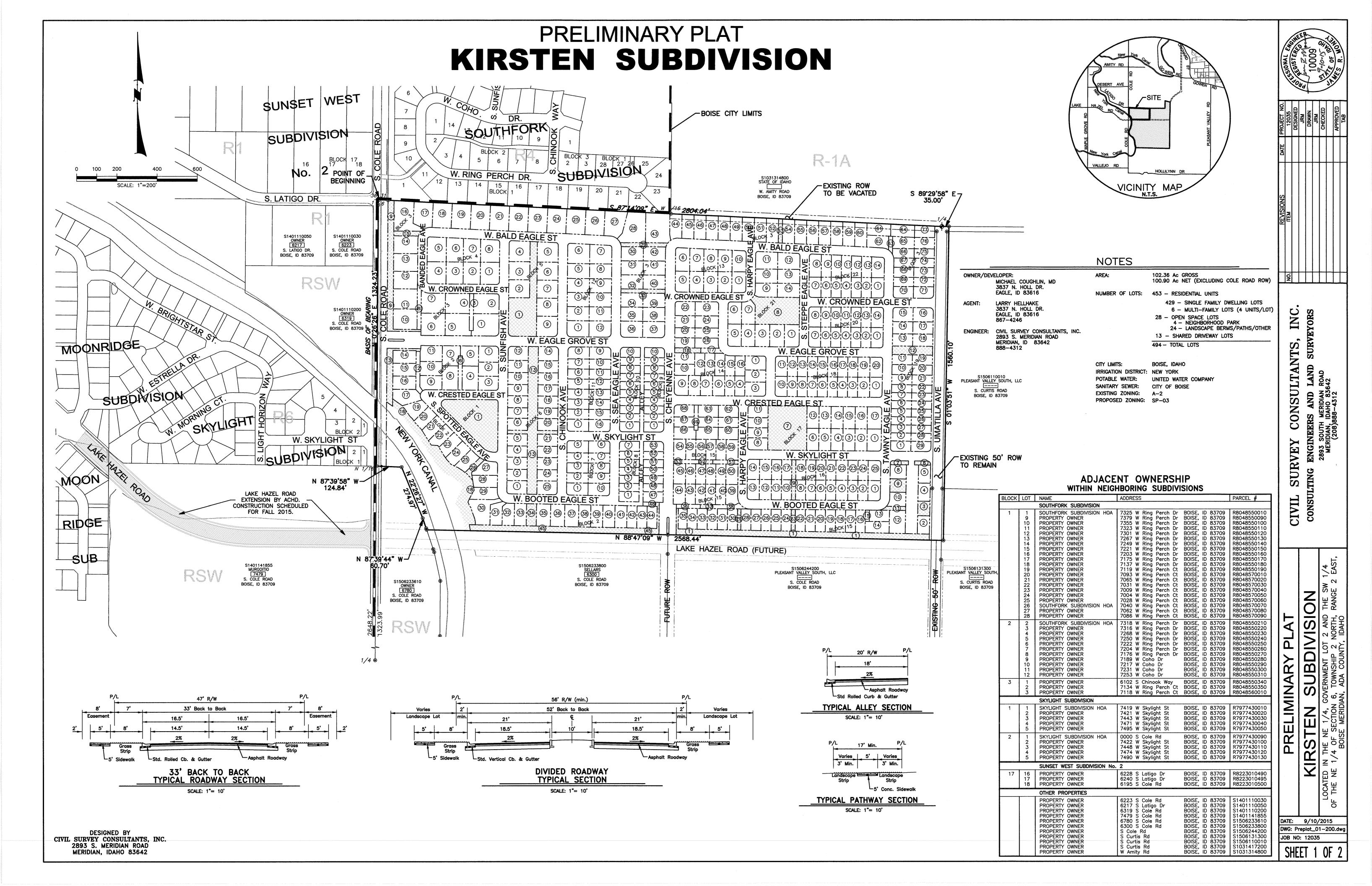
#### **Recommendation:**

The Planning Team recommends <u>approval</u> of a one-year time extension to **October 29**, **2020**, for submittal of the final plat for the Kirsten Subdivision per the approved Conditions of Approval.

### **Recommended Conditions of Approval:**

- 1. The final plat for Kirsten Subdivision shall be submitted by **October 29, 2020** unless another time extension is granted.
- 2. Compliance with applicable Conditions of Approval for SUB15-00055.







# **Taunton Group**

Community Development

October 4, 2019
Brent Moore
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Re: Kirsten Preliminary Plat Extension Request: SUB15-00055, 6298 S. Cole Rd.

Dear Brent,

On November 27, 2018, the Boise City Council approved a 12-month extension of the Kirsten Preliminary Plat. In the request letter, I explained that the initial development focus in the Syringa Valley Planned Community would be the Barnwood Preliminary Plat across Lake Hazel Rd. from the Kirsten subdivision. The Barnwood Phase 1 development includes the 10-acre Community Center, the major amenity in the planned community, and essential infrastructure, particularly the lift station to transport wastewater across the New York Canal from both the Barnwood and Kirsten subdivisions.

Unfortunately, the Barnwood Phase 1 subdivision construction progress has been disappointing in 2019. The contractors faced delays from unusually wet weather in the Spring and then challenges from extremely hard subsurface rock conditions on the site. The owner/developer (Corey Barton Homes) also experienced an unanticipated 4-month approval process with the Bureau of Reclamation to allow blasting of rock in the vicinity of the NY Canal.

Given that the construction schedule for the Barnwood subdivision has slipped significantly, CBH is requesting an additional 12-month extension of the Kirsten Preliminary Plat.

Thank you, Brent, for your assistance with this extension request. Please contact me if you have any questions. I have paid the required fee separately.

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