Hem#70

City of Carson City Agenda Report

Date Submitted: January 27, 2009

Agenda Date Requested: February 5, 2009

Time Requested: 10 minutes

To: Mayor and Board of Supervisors

From: Development Services - Planning Division

Subject Title: Action to approve a Final Map for Division of Land into Large Parcels application from Resource Concepts Inc. (property owner: William Michael Fagen, Trustee) to subdivide approximately 201 acres into a total of three parcels, resulting in two parcels of approximately 40 acres each and one parcel of approximately 121 acres, on property zoned Conservation Reserve (CR), located on Kings Canyon, APN 007-051-78. (LDM-08-101)

Staff Summary: State law (NRS 278.471-4725) provides that the Planning Commission reviews tentative maps and the Board of Supervisors reviews final maps where the resulting parcels are 40 acres or larger.

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() Resolution	() Ordinance
(X) Formal Action/Motion	() Other (Specify)

Does This Action Require A Business Impact Statement:

() Yes (X) No

Planning Commission Action: Recommended approval on November 19, 2008 with a vote of 6 ayes, 0 nays and 1 absent.

Recommended Board Action: I move to approve a Final Map for Division of Land into Large Parcels to subdivide approximately 201 acres into a total of three parcels, resulting in two parcels of approximately 40 acres each and one parcel of approximately 121 acres, on property zoned Conservation Reserve, located on Kings Canyon, APN 007-051-78.

Explanation for Recommended Board Action: The applicant has met all the conditions of approval for the tentative map and the requirements of the Carson City Municipal Code and NRS for Division of Land into Large Parcels. See the attached staff report to the Planning Commission for more information and explanation.

Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation: CCMC 17.04 (Land Division Maps); NRS 278.471-278.4725.

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Explanation of Impact: N/A

Funding Source: N/A						
Alternatives: 1) If foun	d to not be in complianc	e with applica	able codes, deny	the final map.		
Supporting Material:	Tentative Map Notice of Decision Planning Commission Case record Staff Report to the Planning Commission Maps					
Prepared By: Janice Br	od, Management Assista	nt V				
(City Manag	er)		Date: $\frac{1/27}{27}$ Date: $\frac{1}{27}$ Date: $\frac{1}{27}$	2/09 27-09 09		
Board Action Taken:						
Motion:		1)		Aye/Nay		
(Vote Recorded By)						



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PLANNING COMMISSION NOVEMBER 19, 2008

NOTICE OF DECISION

A request for a tentative map for Division of Land into Large Parcels, LDM-08-101, was received from Resource Concepts Inc. (property owner: William Michael Fagen, Trustee) to subdivide approximately 201 acres into a total of three parcels, resulting in two parcels of approximately 40 acres each and one parcel of approximately 121 acres, on property zoned Conservation Reserve (CR), located on Kings Canyon. APN 007-051-78.

The Planning Commission conducted a public hearing on November 19, 2008, in conformance with City and State legal requirements, and approved LDM-08-101, based on the conditions of approval contained in the staff report.

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

- 1. The applicant must sign and return the Tentative Land Division Map Notice of Decision within 10 days of receipt of the Notice.
- A final land division map application meeting all the conditions of approval of the tentative map must be filed with the Planning Division for Board of Supervisors review within one year of the date of approval of the tentative map by the Planning Commission. It is the responsibility of the applicant to file the final map application with the Planning Division at least 45 days prior to expiration in order to be placed on the appropriate Board of Supervisors meeting agenda. Should the applicant fail to submit a final map within the required time, this tentative approval shall expire.

The following must be submitted with a Final Land Division Map application:

3. A copy of the final land division map in digital format must be submitted on disc with the final map application.

The following are considered general conditions:

- 4. The applicant shall meet all requirements of Nevada Revised Statues 278 and of Title 18, specifically zoning requirements.
- 5. This project is in the Wildland Urban Interface area of Carson City. Therefore it shall meet all codes and ordinances within Title 14.04 and other applicable codes and ordinances.

This decision was made on a vote of 6 ayes, 0 nays, and 1 absent.

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CARSON CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

CASE RECORD

MEETING DATE:

November 19, 2008

AGENDA ITEM NO.: H-2

APPLICANT(s) NAME: Resource Concepts Inc.

FILE NO. LDM-08-101

PROPERTY OWNER(s): William Michael Fagen, Trustee

ASSESSOR PARCEL NO(s): 007-051-78 ADDRESS: 281 acres in Kings Canyon

Action to consider a tentative map for Division of Land into Large Parcels APPLICANT'S REQUEST: application from Resource Concepts Inc. (property owner: William Michael Fagen, Trustee) to subdivide approximately 201 acres into a total of three parcels, resulting in two parcels of approximately 40 acres each and one parcel of approximately 121 acres on property zoned Conservation Reserve (CR).

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

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IX1 KIMBROUGH

[X] BISBEE

[X] MULLET

[X] REYNOLDS

[X] VANCE

[X] WENDELL

STAFF REPORT PRESENTED BY:

Jennifer Pruitt

[] REPORT ATTACHED

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

[X] APPROVAL

APPLICANT REPRESENTED BY: William Fagen, Darryl Harris, Resource Concepts

APPLICANT/AGENT WAS PRESENT AND SPOKE

APPLICANT/AGENT INDICATED THAT HE HAS READ THE STAFF REPORT, AGREES AND UNDERSTANDS THE FINDINGS, RECOMMENDATIONS, AND CONDITIONS, AND AGREES TO CONFORM TO THE REQUIREMENTS THEREOF.

No persons spoke in favor or in opposition of the proposal.

DISCUSSION, NOTES, COMMENTS FOR THE RECORD:

N/A

MOTION WAS MADE TO APPROVE WITH THE FINDINGS AND CONDITIONS AS ENUMERATED ON THE STAFF REPORT

MOVED: George Wendell SECOND: Bill Vance PASSED: 6/AYE 0/NO 0/ABSTAIN 1/ABSENT

STAFF REPORT FOR PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING OF NOVEMBER 19, 2008

FILE NO: LDM-08-101 AGENDA ITEM: H-2

STAFF AUTHOR: Jennifer Pruitt, Principal Planner

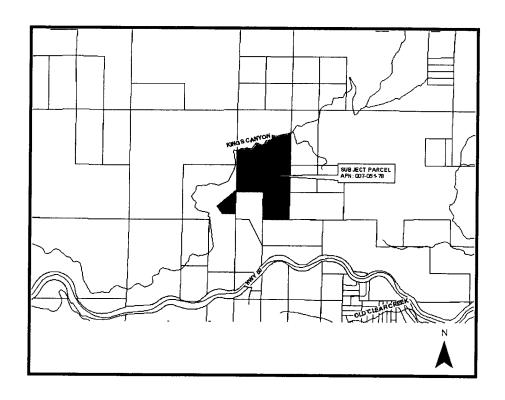
REQUEST: A tentative map for Division of Land into Large Parcels (40-plus acres) to subdivide approximately 201 acres into a total of three parcels, resulting in two parcels of approximately 40 acres each and one parcel of approximately 121 acres.

APPLICANT/OWNER: William Michael Fagen/William Michael Fagen 2005 Trust

LOCATION: Kings Canyon Road

APN: 007-051-78

RECOMMENDED MOTION: "I move to approve application LDM-08-101, a tentative map for Division of Land into Large Parcels to subdivide a parcel of approximately 201 acres into three parcels, resulting in two parcels of approximately 40 acres each and one parcel of approximately 121 acres, APN 007-051-78, subject to the conditions contained in the staff report."



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LEGAL REQUIREMENTS: CCMC 18.04 (Land Division Maps); NRS 278.471 - 278.4725.

CURRENT MASTER PLAN DESIGNATION: Conservation Reserve, Private (20-plus ac/du)

CURRENT ZONING: Conservation Reserve (minimum 20 acres per parcel)

SURROUNDING LAND USE AND ZONING:

North: Carson City Lands Open Space/ Conservation Reserve West: Carson City Lands Open Space/ Conservation Reserve

South: Schulz Family LLC/Conservation Reserve

East: US Forest Service Land/ Conservation Reserve

PREVIOUS REVIEWS:

On September 19, 2006, the Major Project Review (MPR) Committee reviewed proposal for the Horse Creek Nature Retreat Center. City Staff provided the applicant with comments related to the proposed retreat development at the MPR meeting.

On October 20, 2008, the Open Space Advisory Committee reviewed LDM-08-101 calling for the division of Horse Creek Ranch into three parcels, all within APN 07-051-78. The Open Space Advisory Committee recommends to the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors approval

of the land division map as submitted.

BACKGROUND:

Division of Land into Large Parcels, or a Land Division Map, is defined in NRS 278.471 as the creation of lots that are at least "one-sixteenth of a section as described by a government land office survey" (sometimes slightly less than 40 acres) or at least 40 acres in area. <u>Unlike with parcel maps or subdivision maps, the provisions of NRS for Land Division Maps are structured to allow such divisions of land with minimal improvement requirements (e.g. water, sewer, streets, etc.) and procedural steps.</u>

Discretionary review of Land Division Maps is generally limited to:

- 1) "Any roads or easements of access which are shown on the applicable master plan and any roads or easements of access which are specifically required by the planning commission or governing body..." (NRS 278.472[4]b)
- 2) The requirement that each lot contains an access road that is suitable for use by emergency vehicles. (NRS 278.4725[5])
- 3) Other technical map requirements for recording the final map.

The Planning Commission or Board of Supervisors cannot place conditions upon the map beyond the scope of what the provisions of NRS allow for Land Division Maps.

Tentative Land Division Maps are reviewed by the Planning Commission. Upon meeting the requirements of the Tentative Land Division Map conditions of approval, the Final Land Division Map is reviewed by the Board of Supervisors, after which time the map is recorded.

DISCUSSION:

The subject site is located approximately 2.5 miles west of the paved terminus of Kings Canyon Road. The property is located in an area know as Horse Creek Ranch and is approximately 201 acres. The purpose of this tentative map for Division of Land into Large Parcels (40-plus acres) is to subdivide approximately 201 acres into a total of three parcels, with two parcels of approximately 40 acres each and one parcel of approximately 121 acres The parcels are surrounded predominantly by US Forest Service Land, private properties owned by Schulz Family LLC to the south and land owned by Carson City to the north and to the west.

The subject parcel appears to partly be within Flood Zone "C" and partly outside the study area. If applications are submitted for land development, a geotechnical study may be a requirement placed on the project; the existing topography will require compliance of the Carson City Hillside Ordinance.

Since the discretionary aspects of a Land Division Map are limited by NRS. The map provide clearly identifies two existing points of access for the subject parcel and the proposed three parcels that would result from the recordation of the Land Division Map. The primary access is from Kings Canyon Road from the north and a secondary access is identified as an access easement previously created by document #356895 and is from the south of the subject parcel, which originates from US Highway 50.

Public access through the area, for both motorized and non-motorized trails, is identified through the area on the Unified Pathways Master Plan as an existing off-street unpaved single-track pathway for connecting existing recreational pathways within the southwest portion of Carson City.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: As of November 07, 2008, no written comments have been received in either support or opposition of this application. Any comments that are received after this report is completed will be submitted prior to or at the Planning Commission meeting, depending on their submittal date to the Planning Division.

OTHER CITY DEPARTMENT OR OUTSIDE AGENCY COMMENTS:

ENGINEERING DIVISION COMMENTS:

The Engineering Division has reviewed the above referenced land use application and has no preference or objection to the request, and no recommended conditions of approval.

FIRE DEPARTMENT COMMENTS

This project is in the Wildland Urban Interface area of Carson City. Therefore it shall meet all codes and ordinances within Title 14.04 and other applicable codes and ordinances.

BUILDING DIVISION COMMENTS:

The Carson City Building Division does not have any comments at this stage of development.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT COMMENTS:

Carson City Health and Human Services has no comments regarding the project as described in the packet received. The applicant must meet all applicable codes and ordinances as they apply to this request.

OPEN SPACE AND PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT COMMENTS:

The Open Space Advisory Committee and Parks and Recreation Department staff have been working with Mr. Michael Fagen for approximately six years towards the development of a conservation easement on Horse Creek Ranch. The land division map, as presented, reflects the division of the land necessary to implement the conservation easement. The two proposed 40-acre parcels are to be left out of the conservation easement, while the remaining parcel will be entirely the subject of the conservation easement parcel.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this project. Parks and Recreation Department staff will be available at the Planning Commission meeting on Wednesday, November 19, 2008, to answer any questions.

CONCLUSION:

With the proposed conditions of approval to protect the public safety and to meet the requirements of NRS for Land Division Maps and the criteria noted in the Carson City Municipal Code Chapter 17.04 Land Division Maps 17.04.005 Application Review, staff believes that the proposed tentative map complies with the applicable provisions of NRS and the Carson City Municipal Code and recommends approval of the Tentative Land Division Map, LDM-08-101.

Respectfully submitted,

PLANNING DIVISION

Jennifer Pruitt

Jennifer Pruitt, AICP, LEED AP Principal Planner

Attachments
Application (LDM-08-101)
Building comments
Fire Comments
Engineering comments
Open Space and Parks and Recreation comments

