

DIVISION OF CITY PLANNING

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Application for Minor Site Plan Approval 483 MLK Drive Block 19501, Lot 26 Jersey City, NJ

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If there are any questions in this regard, please direct them to the following personnel:

Planning Board: Matt Ward, 201-547-5010

Zoning Board of Adjustment, Tanya Marione, 201-547-5488

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March 8, 2021

#### VIA FEDEX AND EMAIL

Attn: Tanya Marione, Director Jersey City Division of Planning City of Jersey City, City Hall Annex 1 Jackson Square a/k/a 360 MLK Drive Jersey City, NJ 07305-3717

Re: 483 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive

Block 19501, Lot 26 Jersey City, New Jersey Tovaste Management LLC

Application for Minor Site Plan Approval

Dear Ms. Marione:

Please be advised this office represents Tovaste Management LLC (the "Applicant"). Applicant is currently the owner of 483 Dr. Martin Luther King Junior Drive, also known as Block 19501, Lot 26 on the Official Tax Map of the City of Jersey City (the "Property"). The Property is located within the Neighborhood Mixed-Use (1) district of the Jackson Hill Redevelopment Plan (the "Redevelopment Plan") and is subject to the requirements of the Redevelopment Plan and the Jersey City Land Development Ordinance (the "JC LDO").

The Property is an undersized parcel of approximately 786 square feet that is currently vacant. Applicant proposes to develop a new four (4) story mixed-use building with three (3) residential units and ground floor commercial (the "Project").

The Project is a minor site plan because, although the gross floor area of the Project is less than 5,000 sf, Redevelopment Plan § IV.B. provides that all projects within the Redevelopment Plan are subject to site plan approval. This Project does not meet the threshold for Major Site Plan Review, so it is a Minor Site Plan application.

Please allow this letter to serve as Applicant's request for Minor Site Plan approval. In connection with the Project, Applicant requests that the Planning Board grant any additional approvals, permits, deviations, interpretations, waivers or exceptions reflected in the plans and materials filed (as same may be amended or revised from time to time

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without further notice) or determined to be necessary during the review and processing of this application.

Please find attached the following as a supplement to the above-referenced requests:

- 1. Two (2) General Development receipts;
- 2. One (1) original completed and executed General Development Application (the "Application");
- 3. One (1) set of architectural and civil site plans prepared by Hampton Hill Architecture (Min W. Kil, RA) dated August 19, 2020 containing 9 pages including Property pictures for your review;
- 4. One (1) copy of a draft notice to be distributed by mail and posted within the Jersey Journal pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:55D-12;
- 5. Check in the amount of \$150 made payable to City of Jersey City, representing the initial application fee; and
- 6. Check in the amount of \$250 made payable to Precision Reporting, representing the fee for the court reporter.

Please note that the following will be submitted under separate cover: additional Site Plans to comply with the requirements of the General Development Application Checklist; letter of rejection from the City Zoning Officer; Certificate of Taxes Paid; an affidavit pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:55D-12; affidavits of ownership and performance; a Statement of Principal Points and the remaining application balance will be submitted under separate cover. Applicant requests waivers from the Checklist Requirement to provide a Certificate of Water Bills Paid. If you have any questions regarding this application, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours

Patrick T. Conlon

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Enclosures



### CITY OF JERSEY CITY GENERAL DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION ("GDA")



1 Jack	son Square, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor, Jersey City NJ 07	7305   P:201.547.5010	)   cityplanning@icni org	
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Intake Date:	THIS SECTION TO BE COM	Application No.	-F ONLY	
Date Validated as a	n Application for Development:			
Date Deemed Com	plete:			
1. SUBJECT PROPERTY	Address: Ward:  483 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.	Dr. Block & Lots:	19501/26	
2. BOARD DESIGNATION	■ Planning Board	z	oning Board of Adjustment	
3.	Conceptual Plan/Informal Review	☐"c" variance(s)/Devia		
APPROVALS BEING SOUGHT	Minor Site Plan	☐(d) variance(s): use, density, etc.	☐ Waiver of Site Plants	an
	☐ Preliminary Major Site Plan	☐ Minor Subdivision	☐ Interpretation ("B	" appeal)
	Final Major Site Plan	☐ Prelim. Major Subdiv	vision Site Plan Amendr	
4	Conditional Use	☐ Final Major Subdivis	sion Other (fill in)	
4. PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT				
5. VARIANCE/ DEVIATION NOTES	Sections of the Land Development Ordin Variances/Deviations): N/A	nance or Redevelopment	t Plan from which relief is requ	uested (List
	Applicant's reasons for the Planning Boa	ard or Board of Adjustme	ent to grant relief:	
6. APPLICANT	Tovaste Managemen	t LLC 555 Street Add		<u></u>
	Approvince traine		aucus NJ	07094
	Phone Fax	City	State	Zip
		Pauri	nani@gmail.co	m

e-Mail address

/.	Tovaste Management LLC	555 Secaucus Road	į.
OWNER	Owner's Name	Street Address Secaucus NJ	07094
	Phone Fax	Pgurnani@gmail.com	Zip ]
8.	Patrick T. Conlon, Esq.	185 Hudson Street, Suite 2510, Harborside Fir	nancial Center
APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY	Connell Foley, LLP	Street Address  Jersey City NJ	07311
•	Firm's Name 201-521-1000 201-521-0100	PConlon@Connellfole	y.com
	Phone Fax	e-mail address	
9. PLAN PREPARERS	Engineer's Name & License Number	Street Address	
	Firm's Name	City State Z	ip
	Phone Fax	e-mail address	
	Surveyor's Name & License Number	Street Address	
	Firm's Name	City State	Zip
	Phone Fax	e-mail address	
	N/A		
	Planner's Name & License Number	Street Address	
	Firm's Name	City State Zi	p
	Phone Fax	e-mail address	· · · ·
	Min W. Kil, 21 Al 01985300  Architect's Name & License Number	87 Williams Ave Street Address	
	Hampton Hill Architecture		7304
	Firm's Name	City State Zip	
	201-918-6842  Phone Fax	mnaval2@comcast.r	net

10. SUBJECT PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

Site Acreage (square $^{786}$		$52.75_{(dime}$		Zone Dis	trict(s):	Ne	ighborhood Mix	ed Use (1)
	ant			Redevelo	pment A	rea:		
		<u></u>	_	Historic [			kson Hill Redevelo	opment Plan
Check all that upply for present conditions:		rming Use rming Structur It Lot	e		Conformir Conformir	ng Use ng Structu	ire	"
Vhat is your FEMA flo	ood zone a	and base flood	elevation (	BFE)?: Zo	ne X			
Check all that Apply:								
Application for a undeveloped tract	a new buik		☐ Applicatexisting bu	tion for new ilding	use of		Application for us rtion of a building	e of a
the subject building yes Ino demolition propose							Register?	_ ■no
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			<b>-</b>					
Height table:		<del></del>	Existing		<u>`</u> _	Proposed		
		Stories		-eet		ries	Feet	
Building		N/A	1	V/A	I/A 4		45' - 4"	
Addition/Extension								
Rooftop Appurter								
Accessory Structi	ures					<del></del> -		
Square Footage of this project by use		ble building(	s) for	Numbe	er of dwe	elling uni	ts (if applicable)	:
Residential	1,905		sf	Studio		0	units	
Retail	375		sf	1 bedro	oom	3	units	
Office			sf	2 bedro			units	·····
Industrial	1		sf	3 bedro			units	
Parking Garage			sf	4+ bed	room		units	
Other			sf	TOTAL	<del>:</del>	3	units	
TOTAL:	2,280		sf		***			
Number of lots be	fore sub	division:	N/A					
Number of lots af	ter subdi	vision:						
			100 5		<u> </u>	1		
% of lot to be cov			90.5		%			
% of lot to be cover pavement:	ered by b	ouildings &	100		%			
Gross floor area (	GFA):		2,280		sf			
Floor Area Ratio (FAR):		1	2 9.1		1			

11.	
PARKING	&
SIGNAGE	

Number of parking spaces & dimensions. Number of loading spaces & dimensions:		/ Dimensions: / Dimensions:
Number of Signs: 0 Height of monument and/or pylon signs:	0	

#### 12. INFRA-STRUCTURE

WATER		ТВР
Is public water being extended to the tract and/or reused? If yes, specify size and material.	□Yes	□No
Size		
Material Page the spirition of the spiri		
Does the existing water service have a curb stop?	☐Yes	□No
Is there existing combined fire/domestic service?	Yes	□No
Is there existing domestic service only?	∐Yes	□No
Is new water service being proposed?	∐Yes	□No
Is there new combined fire/domestic service?	□Yes	□No
Is there new domestic service only?	□Yes	□No
SEWER		
Is existing sewer service proposed to be reused? If yes,	∐Yes	□No
specify size and material.		
Size Material		
Will there be sewer curb cleanout?	□Yes	T Na
Are minimum slope requirements satisfied as per National	res	□No
Standard Plumbing Code?	□Yes	□No
Is new sewer service proposed?	□Yes	□No
Are storm drains proposed?	∐Yes	□No
Are any new streets or utility extensions proposed?	□Yes	□No
MISC		
Are existing streets being widened	□Yes	□No
Are utilities underground	□Yes	□No
Is site in a flood plain?	□Yes	□No
Is soil removal or fill proposed? If yes, specify total in cubic yards.	□Yes	□No
Are any structures being removed?	□Yes	□No
Is the application for additional buildings and/or improvements to a tract having existing buildings and/or improvements?	□Yes	□No
Is the property within 200 feet of an adjacent municipality? If yes, which?	□Yes	□No
Municipalities:		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Is the property on a County Road?	□Yes	□No
Are there deed restrictions, covenants, and/or easements		
affecting the tract? If yes, attach 2 copies.	□Yes	□No
Are there any performance guarantees and/or maintenance agreements with the City Council? If yes, attach 2 copies.	□Yes	□No

#### 13. TYPE OF DEVELOPMENT

REQUIRED FOR ALL DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS	Total number of new residential units created	Total number of affordable housing units* created	Total number of residential units demolished
New structure containing residential units	3	0	0
Conversion from a non-residential structure to a structure containing residential units	0	0	0
Conversion from market rate housing units to NJ COAH defined affordable housing units	0	0	0

\*According to NJ COAH definitions at N.J.A.C. 5:94 et seq.

	Moderate Income	Low Income	Very Low Income	Age Restricted	Rental Units
Number of affordable housing units created*	0	0	0	0	0

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Use Group Description		
(These descriptions are pursuant to NJ Council on Affordable Housing	Gross Floor	Gross Floor
N.J.A.C. 5:94 Appendix E, and are for the sole purpose of calculating	Area of New	Area of
affordable housing obligation.)	Construction	Demolition
B: Office buildings. Places where business transactions of all kinds occur.	$\cap$	$\cap$
Includes banks, corporate offices, government offices, professional offices, car showrooms and outpatient clinics.	U	U
M: Mercantile uses. Buildings used to display and sell products. Includes retail	000 (	
stores, strip malls, shops and gas stations.	668sf	1
F: Factories where people make, process, or assemble products. F use group		
includes F1 and F2.	U	0
S: Storage uses. Includes warehouses, parking garages, and lumberyards. S	Λ	0
group includes S1 and S2.	U	U
H: High Hazard manufacturing, processing, generation and storage uses. H	$\cap$	$\cap$
group includes H1, H2, H3, H4 and H5.	U	
A1: Assembly uses including concert halls and TV studios.	n	0
	U	U
A2: Assembly uses including casinos, night clubs, restaurants and taverns.	0	0
A3: Assembly uses including libraries, lecture halls, arcades, galleries, bowling		
alleys, funeral parlors, gymnasiums and museums, but excluding houses of	U	U
worship		
A4: Assembly uses including arenas, skating rinks and pools.	0	0
A5: Assembly uses including bleachers, grandstands, amusement park	$\cap$	0
structures and stadiums	<u> </u>	U
E: Schools K – 12	0	0
1: Institutional uses such as hospitals, nursing homes, assisted living facilities		
and jails. I group includes 11, 12, 13 and 14.	0	0
R1: Hotels, motels and dormitories	U	U
U: Miscellaneous uses. Fences, tanks, sheds, greenhouses, etc.	0	0

#### 14. APPROVAL HISTORY

List all past approvals, denials, appeals, or other activity for the subject property. 

Check here if none lf there are previous approvals, attach 2 copies of the approving resolution.

	CITY JOB/CASE NUMBER	APPROVED	DENIED	DATE
Subdivision				
Site Plan				
Variance(s)				
Building Permit				

#### 15. FEES (see attached fee schedule)

STAFF CALCULATIONS ONLY				
Subdivision	\$			
Site Plan	\$			
Variance(s)	\$			
TOTAL DUE	\$			
Amount Paid	\$			
BALANCE DUE	\$			

## 16. ATTACHMENTS

Please Attach the required additional forms and information, if applicable (see attached FORMS and CHECKLISTS)

### 17. CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing statements and the attached materials submitted are true. I further certify that I am the individual applicant or that I am an Officer of the Corporate Applicant and that I am authorized to sign the application for the Corporation or that I am a General Partner of the Partnership Applicant. I hereby permit authorized City official to inspect my property in conjunction with this application.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this date

March 8, 2001

Signature of Applicant Ally for applic

Property Owner Authorizing Application if other than Applicant

Notary Public

18. CONTACT

Jersey City Division of City Planning

1 Jackson Square, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Jersey City NJ 07305 P:201-547-5010 cityplanning@jcnj.org GLORIA ALICEA NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF NEW JERSEY MY COMMISSION EXPIRES DEC. 20, 2025

#### NOTICE OF HEARING PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40:55D-12 FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT

## 483 DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DRIVE, JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY ALSO IDENTIFIED AS BLOCK 19501, LOT 26

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by Tovaste Management LLC (the "Applicant") for minor site plan approval for the property located at 483 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Jersey City, New Jersey also known as Block 19501, Lot 26 on the Official Tax Map of the City of Jersey City (the "Property"). Neighborhood Mixed-Use (1) district of the Jackson Hill Redevelopment Plan (the "Redevelopment Plan") and is subject to the requirements of the Redevelopment Plan and the Jersey City Land Development Ordinance (the "JC LDO").

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Any person interested in this application will have the opportunity to address the Planning Board at its Virtual Zoom meeting on Tuesday, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2021 at 5:30 P.M. via Zoom, a web-based video conference application, or by telephone using the following:

Zoom link to join meeting:	
Call-in Number and Webinar ID#:	+1 929 205 6099 or +1 312 626 6799
	Webinar ID:

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that application materials, including digital plans, are available on the Jersey City Data Portal by searching for the address or case number at data.jerseycitynj.gov. The City of Jersey City is utilizing the Zoom service to conduct virtual meetings in compliance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act.

MORE INFORMATION on how to access virtual meetings, participate, provide public comment, and review agendas and digital plans and applications materials can be can be found on the Jersey City, Division of City Planning website at <u>jerseycitynj.gov/planning</u>. Any person who requires technical assistance for accessing the meeting or the Applicant's plans should contact the Zoning Board of Adjustment Secretary for assistance at the phone number or e-mail listed below.

ANY QUESTIONS can be directed to the City Planning main line during business hours at 201-547-5010 or via email at <a href="mailto:cityplanning@jcnj.org">cityplanning@jcnj.org</a>.

By: <u>Charles J. Harrington, III</u> Connell Foley LLP Attorney for the Applicant Tovaste Management, LLC 201-521-1000