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### 5740 Burgess Road Traffic Assessment Letter

El Paso County, Colorado

Traffic Engineer's Statement

The attached traffic report and supporting information were prepared under my responsible charge and they comport with the standard of care. So far as is consistent with the standard of care, said report was prepared in general conformance with the criteria established by the County for traffic reports.



Jeffrey R. Planck, P.E., PE #53006

<u>January 19, 2023</u>\_\_\_\_\_ Date

Developer's Statement

I, the Developer, have read and will comply with all commitments made on my behalf within this report.

Jeffrey Renehan
604 Southpoint Drive, Suite 150
Colorado Springs, CO 80903

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January 19, 2023

Jeffrey Renehan 604 Southpoint Drive, Suite 150 Colorado Springs, Colorado 80903

Re: Trip Generation Traffic Assessment Letter 5740 Burgess Road El Paso County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Renehan:

#### Introduction

This Traffic Assessment Letter presents trip generation for the proposed 5740 Burgess Road residential project to be located at 5740 Burgess Road in El Paso County, Colorado. The site is proposed to include three (3) single-family residential homes (site plan attached).

#### **Trip Generation**

Site-generated traffic estimates are determined through a process known as trip generation. Rates and equations are applied to the proposed land use to estimate traffic generated by the development during a specific time interval. The acknowledged source for trip generation rates is the *Trip Generation Manual*<sup>1</sup> published by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE). ITE has established trip rates in nationwide studies of similar land uses. For this study, Kimley-Horn used the ITE Trip Generation Report average rates that apply to Single-Family Detached Housing (ITE Code 210) for traffic associated with this development. The following **Table 1** summarizes the estimated trip generation for the project (calculations attached).

		Weekday Vehicles Trips						
	Size		AM Peak Hour		PM Peak Hour			
Use	(Units/SF)	Daily	In	Out	Total	In	Out	Total
Single Family Detached Housing - (ITE 210)	3 Units	30	1	1	2	2	1	3

Table 1 –	5740 Burgess	<b>Road Project</b>	Traffic	Generation
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As shown in the table and based on ITE Trip Generation calculations, 5740 Burgess Road is anticipated to generate approximately 30 weekday daily trips, in which two (2) of these trips would occur during the morning peak hour and three (3) trips would occur during the afternoon peak hour.

It is important to note that "EI Paso County Engineering Criteria Manual: Transportation Impact Study Guidelines Appendix B.1.2.D" states that a traffic impact study is not required for a development if daily vehicle trip-end generation is less than 100 trips or the peak hour trip generation is less than 10 trips. Therefore, it is anticipated that a traffic impact study will not be required for this development due to peak hour project traffic trips being less than 10 trips and the daily trips being under 100 trips.

#### Criteria for Waiver of Traffic Impact Study

Additionally, a traffic impact study is not required if all of the El Paso County ECM criteria below are satisfied: (2) there are no additional proposed minor or major roadway intersections on major collectors, arterials, or State Highways; (3) the increase in the number of vehicular trips does not

<sup>1</sup> Institute of Transportation Engineers, Trip Generation Manual, Tenth Edition, Washington DC, 2017.



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exceed the existing trip generation by more than 10 peak hour trips or 100 daily trip ends; (4) the change in the type of traffic to be generated (i.e., the addition of truck traffic) does not adversely affect the traffic currently planned for and accommodated within, and adjacent to, the property; (5) acceptable LOS on the adjacent public roadways, accesses, and intersections will be maintained; (6) no roadway or intersection in the immediate vicinity has a history of safety or accident problems; and (7) there is no change of land use with access to a State Highway.

Based on the traffic impact study waiver criteria listed above, the access along Burgess Road exists today. Therefore, no new major street intersections are proposed, and the project is not anticipated to adversely impact the roadway network adjacent to the property. The project is anticipated to generate fewer than 100 daily trips and 10 trips during the peak hour. The proposed site is not anticipated to change type of traffic currently being generated in the project area. There is expected to be less than 10 trips (3 trips) during the peak hour from the project access while Burgess Road is not approaching vehicular capacity; therefore, it is believed that this intersection will operate well within County intersection level of service standards. Further, there is not believed to be a pattern of accidents at the Burgess Road access. Finally, Burgess Road is not a state highway and the use within the site is remaining the same as existing. Based on all of these criteria being met, it is anticipated that a traffic impact study will not be required for the proposed residential development.

#### Conclusions

It is believed that the 5740 Burgess Road development will be accommodated successfully on the surrounding street network. Please let us know if El Paso County would like any additional traffic information or analysis. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (720) 943-9962.

Sincerely,

KIMLEY-HORN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.

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Jeffrey R. Planck, P.E. Project Manager



Trip Generation Calculations

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Conceptual Site Plan

