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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
August 4, 2021
Date

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


Ms. Kelly Nelson
Pikes Peak Investments LLC coo The Equity Group 90 South Cascade Avenue Suite 1500
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80903


Date

Review 1 comment: Please identify whether any escrow will be required/provided for off-site CDOT improvements such as the 3 through lanes on all four approaches at Hwy 24/Marksheffel shown in the Master TIS table 16. Please provide this on a separate letter.

Review 2: Unresolved. Please coordinate with CDOT and address the above. Also identify if a CDOT access permit will be required for this development

Review 3: Unresolved.

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Ms. Kelly Nelson
Pikes Peak Investments LLC
c/o The Equity Group
90 South Cascade Avenue
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Re: Meadowbrook Park Traffic Study Letter El Paso County, Colorado

Dear Ms. Nelson:
This traffic study letter has been prepared for a proposed residential development, Meadowbrook Park, to be located north of Newt Drive between Meadowbrook Parkway and US-24 in EI Paso County, Colorado. This letter is an addendum to the Crossroads-Meadowbrook-Reagan Ranch Master Traffic Impact Study (MTIS) completed by Kimley-Horn and Associates in April 2021. This supplement to the MTIS is to provide a site-specific analysis addressing comments from master traffic impact study for the Meadowbrook Park. For the purposes of this analysis, full buildout of Meadowbrook Park is expected to include 67 single family residences using private internal roads. A conceptual site plan of the project is attached.

A vicinity map illustrating the location of the property is attached as Figure 1. The surrounding area primarily consists of vacant land, industrial uses, and residential use. The existing site is comprised of undeveloped land while residential and industrial uses are located north and northeast of the project site, respectively. The site area is shown in the aerial of attached Figure 2.

The purpose of this study is to identify project traffic generation characteristics and to develop an internal roadway circulation plan for the project based on daily traffic volumes projections, as well as to address comments specific to Meadowbrook Park from the MTIS. The proposed private access intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway was evaluated. The project proposes a shared access with the existing access along Meadowbrook Parkway to Circle K; however, the connection to the project will be gated and will only allow access for emergency vehicles. Therefore, the emergency access to the project was not evaluated.

As requested by El Paso County, it should be noted that all known development traffic studies have been included in this study in the last five years and this includes the Crossroads-MeadowbrookReagan Ranch Master Traffic Impact Study (MTIS) completed by Kimley-Horn and Associates in April 2021. Applicable documents from this master traffic impact study are attached.

## Existing Roadway Network

Regional access to the project is provided by Interstate 25 (I-25) and US-24 while primary access to the project will be provided by Meadowbrook Parkway, State Highway 94 (SH-94), and Newt Drive. Direct access will be provided by one private street access, Spatium View, located along the south side of Meadowbrook Parkway.

Meadowbrook Parkway is an El Paso County Urban Non-Residential Collector roadway that provides one lane of travel in each direction with a 35 mile per hour speed limit through the study area. Newt Drive extends northwest and southeast with one through lane of travel in each direction.

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## 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' published by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE). ITE has established trip rates in nationwide studies of similar land uses. Project generated traffic volumes are identified on a weekday daily as well as on a morning peak hour and afternoon peak hour basis. The morning peak hour is the highest one-hour time period of adjacent street traffic during four consecutive 15minute intervals during the morning peak hour, between 7:00 am and 9:00 am. The afternoon peak hour is the highest one-hour time period of four consecutive 15-minute intervals between the hours of 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm representing the afternoon peak hour.

For this study, Kimley-Horn used the ITE Trip Generation Manual fitted curve equations that apply to Single-Family Detached Housing (ITE 210) for traffic associated with the Meadowbrook Park development.

Meadowbrook Park is expected to generate approximately 720 daily weekday trips with 52 of these trips occurring during the morning peak hour and 69 trips occurring during the afternoon peak hour. Calculations were based on the procedure and information provided in the ITE Trip Generation Manual, 10th Edition - Volume 1: User's Guide and Handbook, 2017. Table 1 provides the estimated trip generation for the project with calculation worksheets attached.

Table 1 - Meadowbrook Parkway Project Traffic Generation

| Use | Quantity | Daily | Weekday Vehicle Trips |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | AM Peak Hour |  |  | PM Peak Hour |  |  |
|  |  |  | In | Out | Total | In | Out | Total |
| Meadowbrook Park |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Single Family Housing (ITE 210) | 67 Units | 720 | 13 | 39 | 52 | 43 | 26 | 69 |

## Project Access Spacing Requirements and Internal Roadway Classifications

The proposed access intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway is proposed to align with Preble Drive and is located approximately 750 feet northeast of Newt Drive and 480 feet south of the Cole View and Meadowbrook Parkway intersection (measured centerline to centerline).

The intersection offsets surrounding the proposed access intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway meets the EI Paso County spacing standards of 330 feet along collector roadways with access to local streets.

As the project is only anticipated to generate 720 daily vehicle trips and the internal streets to the project will not have any cut through traffic, all internal streets to the project meet El Paso County average daily traffic threshold standard of 300 vehicles per day for an Urban Local Low Volume street except for Spatium View and the segment of Nova View between Spatium View and Tenebris Point which are classified as an Urban Local street. Specifically, all the internal streets are expected to have daily traffic volumes less than 750 vehicles per day. Attached Figure 3 illustrates the circulation plan and street classification map for roadways internal to Meadowbrook Park.


#### Abstract

Project Access: Lane Configurations, Operational Analysis, and Turn Lane Requirements The future access intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway will align with Preble Drive. Left turn movements entering this project access will be provided from an existing two-way left turn lane along Meadowbrook Parkway. The westbound exiting approach of Spatium View should provide stop control with installation of a R1-1 "STOP" sign. Based on the original master traffic impact study, all movements at the intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway are expected to operate acceptably during the peak hours throughout the 2040 horizon. Applicable documents from the master traffic impact study including intersection operational outputs, traffic volume projections, and recommended lane configurations and control are attached.


A vehicle queuing analysis was conducted for the Spatium View/Meadowbrook Parkway intersection. The queuing analysis was performed using Synchro presenting the results of the 95th percentile queue lengths. Results are shown in the following Table $\mathbf{2}$ with calculations provided within the level of service operational sheets.

Table 2 - Turn Lane Queuing Analysis Results

| Intersection Turn Lane | Existing <br> (feet) | 2026 <br> Calculate <br> d Queue <br> (feet) | 2026 <br> Recommended <br> Length (feet) | 2040 <br> Calculated <br> Queue <br> (feet) | 2040 <br> Recommended <br> Length (feet) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  <br> Meadowbrook Pkwy <br> Southbound Left |  |  |  |  |  |

As shown in the above table, the vehicle queues for the southbound left turn movements along Meadowbrook Parkway is calculated as 25 feet (one vehicle). Therefore, it is believed that the southbound left turn queue at the intersection of Preble Drive/Spatium View will be accommodated in the existing two-way left turn lane.

The El Paso County ECM was used to determine if a right turn lane is warranted along Meadowbrook Parkway at the project access. El Paso County classifies Meadowbrook Parkway as an Urban NonResidential Collector. According to EI Paso County ECM guidelines for Minor Arterials and Lower Classifications, a right turn lane is required for any access with a projected peak hour right turning volume of 50 vehicles per hour or greater.

Based on 2040 traffic volume projections, right turn lane requirements at the intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway are as follows:

- A northeastbound right turn lane is not warranted for the intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway based on projected 2040 total traffic volumes being 30 northbound right turns during the peak hour and the threshold being 50 vehicles per hour.


## Sight Distance Evaluation

It is recommended that appropriate sight distance triangles be provided at the future access intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway to give drivers exiting the development areas a clear view of oncoming traffic. Landscaping and objects within sight triangles must not obstruct drivers' views of the adjacent travel lanes. Intersection sight distances for left turn from stop and right turn from stop were analyzed for the proposed project access along Meadowbrook Parkway.

With El Paso County standards and a design speed of 40 miles per hour along Meadowbrook Parkway, the intersection sight distance for a vehicle turning from stop is 445 feet. Therefore, all

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obstructions for turning vehicles from stop should be clear to the right and left within the triangle created with a vertex point located 13 feet ( 10 feet from local roads) from the edge of the major road traveled way (typical position of the minor road driver's eye when stopped) and a line of sight distance of 445 feet located in the middle of the northeastbound and southwestbound through lanes along Meadowbrook Parkway. It is believed that the project access is appropriately located to provide the necessary sight distance needed but verification should be provided with sight distance triangles incorporated within the design plans.

## Road Impact Fee

Road impact fees were evaluated based on the El Paso County Road Impact Fee Schedule. Based on these fee schedule guidelines, the fee per single-family dwelling unit is $\$ 3,830$. Therefore, the road impact fee for the proposed 67 single family residences is expected to be $\$ 256,610$. Road impact fee calculations are shown in Table 3. During the final plat process, the project team will determine if the impact fees are paid up front or if the property will be included in one of the available public improvement districts with reduced upfront costs. The project team will determine payment methods with the final plat.

Table 3 - Road Impact Fees

| Use | Units | Fee / <br> Unit | Total Fee |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| Single Family Housing (ITE 210) | 67 | $\$ 3,830.00$ | $\$ 256,610.00$ |

## Conclusions and Recommendations

In summary, this traffic study provides project traffic generation estimates to identify potential project traffic related impacts on the local street system with the proposed Meadowbrook Park project. Based on the analysis presented in this study, Kimley-Horn believes the proposed Meadowbrook Park development will be successfully incorporated into the existing and future roadway network. A deviation request has been submitted to El Paso County to propose the use of private roads within a 50 -foot private road easement and tract. The easement includes drainage, public improvement, public utility, landscaping, sidewalks, and pedestrian easement as identified on the planned unit development subdivision preliminary. Ownership and maintenance of the private road facilities will be the responsibility of the Meadowbrook Crossing Metropolitan District No. 1.

The intersection offsets surrounding the proposed access intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway meets the EI Paso County spacing standards of 330 feet along collector roadways with access to local streets. It is believed that the Meadowbrook Parkway and Spatium View intersection is appropriately located to provide the necessary intersection sight distance set forth by El Paso County.

The future access intersection of Spatium View and Meadowbrook Parkway will align with Preble Drive. Left turn movements for entering this project access will be provided from an existing two-way left turn lane along Meadowbrook Parkway. The westbound exiting approach of this driveway should provide stop control with installation of a R1-1 "STOP" sign.

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The development of Meadowbrook Park is not expected to trigger any of the offsite improvements identified in the Crossroads-Meadowbrook-Reagan Ranch Master MTIS. The project is anticipated to be accommodated by the existing street network. If you have any questions or require anything further, please feel free to call me at (720) 943-9962.

Sincerely,
KIMLEY-HORN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.
Ceffrey R. Planck
Jeffrey R. Planck, P.E.
Project Manager


Figures



FIGURE 2
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LEGEND
URBAN MINOR ARTERIAL
U URBAN NON-RESIDENTIAL COLLECTOR
URBAN LOCAL
URBAN LOCAL LOW VOLUME
PRIVATE ACCESS
ESTIMATED 2040 DAILY TRAFFIC VOLUME

MEADOWBROOK PARK CIRCULATION PLAN

FIGURE 3
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## Trip Generation Worksheets

Meadowbrook Park Trip Generation Summary

| Use | Quantity | Daily | Weekday Vehicle Trips |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | AM Peak Hour |  |  | PM Peak Hour |  |  |
|  |  |  | In | Out | Total | In | Out | Total |
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Project Crossroads-Meadwobrook-Reagan Ranch (Meadowbrook Park) Subject Trip Generation for Single-Family Detached Housing

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## TRIP GENERATION MANUAL TECHNIQUES

ITE Trip Generation Manual 10th Edition, Fitted Curve Equations
Land Use Code - Single-Family Detached Housing (210)
Independant Variable - Dwelling Units (X)
$X=67$
T = Average Vehicle Trip Ends

## Peak Hour of Adjacent Street Traffic, One Hour Between 7 and 9 a.m. (200 Series Page 3)

Average Weekday
$(T)=0.71(X)+4.80$
$(T)=0.71$ *
(67) +4.80

Directional Distribution: $25 \%$ ent. $75 \%$ exit.
$\mathrm{T}=52 \quad$ Average Vehicle Trip Ends
13 entering 39 exiting
$13+39=52$

## Peak Hour of Adjacent Street Traffic, One Hour Between 4 and 6 p.m. (200 Series Page 4)



## Peak Hour of Generator, Saturday (200 Series Page 8)

Average Saturday Directional Distribution: 54\% ent. 46\% exit.
$(T)=0.84(X)+17.99$
$(T)=0.84$ * (67) +17.99

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$\mathrm{T}=74 \quad$ Average Vehicle Trip Ends
40 entering 34 exiting
$40+34=74$

## Weekday (200 Series Page 2)



## Original Traffic Study Documents

| Intersection |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Int Delay, s/veh | 1.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movement E | EBL | EBT | EBR | WBL | WBT | WBR | NBL | NBT | NBR | SBL | SBT | SBR |  |
| Lane Configurations |  | ¢ |  |  | ¢ |  | \% | $\hat{\dagger}$ |  | \% | F |  |  |
| Traffic Vol, veh/h | 5 | 0 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 210 | 30 | 15 | 405 | 5 |  |
| Future Vol, veh/h | 5 | 0 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 210 | 30 | 15 | 405 | 5 |  |
| Conflicting Peds, \#/hr | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Sign Control S | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Free | Free | Free | Free | Free | Free |  |
| RT Channelized | - | - | None | - | - | None | - | - | None | - | - | None |  |
| Storage Length | - | - | - | - | - |  | 100 | - | - | 100 | - | - |  |
| Veh in Median Storage, \# |  | 1 | - |  | 1 |  | - | 0 | - | - | 0 |  |  |
| Grade, \% |  | 0 | - |  | 0 |  |  | 0 | - |  | 0 | - |  |
| Peak Hour Factor | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 |  |
| Heavy Vehicles, \% | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |  |
| Mumt Flow | 5 | 0 | 11 | 22 | 0 | 11 | 11 | 228 | 33 | 16 | 440 | 5 |  |



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| Int Delay, s/veh | 1.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movement | EBL | EBT | EBR | WBL | WBT | WBR | NBL | NBT | NBR | SBL | SBT | SBR |
| Lane Configurations |  | * |  |  | * |  | ${ }^{7}$ | 个 |  | ${ }^{*}$ | $\uparrow$ |  |
| Traffic Vol, veh/h | 5 | 0 | 10 | 30 | 0 | 15 | 5 | 315 | 10 | 5 | 420 | 5 |
| Future Vol, veh/h | 5 | 0 | 10 | 30 | 0 | 15 | 5 | 315 | 10 | 5 | 420 | 5 |
| Conflicting Peds, \#/hr | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sign Control S | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Free | Free | Free | Free | Free | Free |
| RT Channelized | - | - | None | - | - | None | - | - | None | - | - | None |
| Storage Length | - | - | - | - | - | - | 100 | - | - | 100 | - | - |
| Veh in Median Storage, \# |  | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | 0 | - | - | 0 | - |
| Grade, \% | - | 0 | - | - | 0 | - | - | 0 | - | - | 0 | - |
| Peak Hour Factor | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 |
| Heavy Vehicles, \% | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 2 |
| Mvmt Flow | 5 | 0 | 11 | 33 | 0 | 16 | 5 | 342 | 11 | 5 | 457 | 5 |



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| Int Delay, s/veh | 0.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movement E | EBL | EBT | EBR | WBL | WBT | WBR | NBL | NBT | NBR | SBL | SBT | SBR |
| Lane Configurations |  | * |  |  | \$ |  | ${ }^{*}$ | F |  | ${ }^{1}$ | $\uparrow$ |  |
| Traffic Vol, veh/h | 5 | 0 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 255 | 30 | 15 | 480 | 5 |
| Future Vol, veh/h | 5 | 0 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 255 | 30 | 15 | 480 | 5 |
| Conflicting Peds, \#/hr | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sign Control Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Stop | Free | Free | Free | Free | Free | Free |
| RT Channelized | - | - | None | - |  | None | - | - | None | - | - | None |
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| Grade, \% | - | 0 | - | - | 0 | - | - | 0 | - | - | 0 | - |
| Peak Hour Factor | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 |
| Heavy Vehicles, \% | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Mvmt Flow | 5 | 0 | 11 | 22 | 0 | 11 | 11 | 277 | 33 | 16 | 522 | 5 |



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## Conceptual Site Plans




