DAWSON COUNTY VARIANCE APPLICATION

9	**This portion to be completed by Zoning Administrator**				
VR 19.03 Tax Map & Parcel # (TMP): 113.085					
Current Zoning: Commission District #: Submittal Date: Paid: NCO Received by: (staff initials)					
Planning Commission Mee	Manara 10 MIC				
APPLICANT INFOR	MATION (or Authorized Representative)				
Printed Name: Land	bridge Development, LLC				
Address:	V 8				
Phone: Listed X Unlisted	Email: Business Personal				
	Authorized Agent [] Lessee [x] Option to purchase rethan owner, enclosed Property Owner Authorization form must be completed.				
I have X /have not _	participated in a Pre-application meeting with Planning Staff.				
If not, I agree/dis	agree to schedule a meeting the week following the submittal deadline.				
Meeting Date: February 5, 2019 Applicant Signature:					
PROPERTY INFORM	MATION				
Street Address of Property:	65 North 400 Center Lane, Dawsonville, GA 30534				
Land Lot(s): <u>LL 283-282</u>]	Fract 1 District: LD 13 Section: S-1				
Subdivision/Lot:	Building Permit #: (if applicable)				
Directions to the Property:	From the intersection of GA-53 & US-19, travel northwesterly for 0.1 mile, turn right on				
	North 400 Center Lane, continue for 0.1 mile, the property is on the left.				

REQUESTED ACTION

A Variance is requested from the requirements of Article # III Section # 306 RMF of the Land Use Resolution/Sign Ordinance/Subdivision Regulations/Other (circle one).
If other, please describe:
Type of Variance requested:
[] Front Yard [] Side Yard [] Rear Yard variance of feet to allow the structure to:
[] be constructed; [] remain a distance of feet from the:
[] property line, [] road right of way, or [] other (explain below):
instead of the required distance of required by the regulations.
[] Lot Size Request for a reduction in the minimum lot size from to
[] Sign Variance for:
[] Home Occupation Variance to operate:business
[X] Other (explain request): F.7. Allow up to 16 units per building.
If there are other variance requests for this site in past, please list case # and nature of variance:
Variances to standards and requirements of the Regulations, with respect to open area, setbacks, yard area, lot coverage, height, and other quantitative requirements may be granted if, on the basis of the application, investigation, and other evidence submitted by the applicant, all four (4) expressly written findings below are made:
1. Describe why a strict and literal enforcement of the standards would result in a practical difficulty or unnecessary hardship: Efficient apartment buildings (industry standard) are 8 units per floor, which
results in fewer buildings and less impact to site.

 Describe the exceptional and extraordinary conditions applicable to this property which do not apply to other properties in the same district: <u>Allowing 16 unit buildings will permit less impact to greenspace and</u>
allow construction monies to be spent on amenities and building components.
3. Describe why granting a variance would not be detrimental to the public health, safety, morals or welfare and not be materially injurious to properties in the near vicinity:
16 unit buildings as proposed are industry standard and conform to all local, state, and national codes.
4. Describe why granting this variance would support the general objectives within this Resolution:
The request is in keeping with local and regional trends for apartment buildings.

(Variances should not be granted if the need arises as a result of action by the applicant or previous owner.)

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners agenda(s) for a public hearing.

I understand that the Planning & Development staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I will seek the advice of an attorney if I am not familiar with the zoning and land use requirements.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioner hearings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts. I understand that failure to appear at a public hearing may result in the postponement or denial of my special use or rezoning application. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant public hearing dates and times regardless of notification from Dawson County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information as well as the attached information is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant or Agent:		Date: _	2/6/2019				
Signature of Witness: When I was a signature of Witness:	7	Date: _	2/6/2019				

Notice: This section only to be completed if application is							
I hereby withdraw application #:	_						
Signature:	Date:						

Withdrawal of Application:

Withdrawals of any application may be accommodated within the Planning & Development office if requested before the Planning Commission agenda is set. Therefore, withdrawals may not be made after ten (10) days prior to the scheduled Planning Commission meeting hearing, unless accompanied by written request stating specific reasons for withdrawal. This withdrawal request is to be published in the legal organ prior to the meeting. Following that written request and publication the Commission will vote to remove the item from the agenda at the scheduled hearing. Please note that should the withdrawal be denied, the item will receive deliberation and public hearing with a decision by the Commission. Further the applicant is encouraged to be present at the hearing to substantiate reasons for withdrawal. Please note that no refund of application fee may be made unless directed by the Board of Commissioners.

PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION

I / weWJS DAWSON LLC	hereby s	wear that I / we
own the property located at (fill in address and / or tax map & parcel #):		
65 NORTH 400 CENTER LANE, DAWSONVILLE, GA 30534		
TAX DISTRICT 1 (UNINCORPORATED), PARCEL NUMBER 113 085		1
as shown in the tax maps and / or deed records of Dawson County, Georgia, and who by this request.	iich parce	el will be affected
I hereby authorize the person named below to act as the applicant or agent in purson this property. I understand that any variance granted, and / or conditions plabinding upon the property regardless of ownership. The under signer below application. The under signer is aware that no application or reapplication affect acted upon within 6 months from the date of the last action by the Board of Commission.	is authorities authoriting the	he property will be rized to make this
Printed name of applicant or agent: _LANDBRIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC		
Signature of applicant or agent:	Date:	2/5/19
Printed Name of Owner(s): WJS DAWSON, LLC		****
Signature of Owner(s):	Date _	2/5/2019
Sworn and subscribed before me this		
My Commission Expires: 3/9/2020		
CHARLOTTE B. BENNETT NOTARY PUBLIC (Seal) GLYNN COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA My Commission Expires March 09, 2020		

(The complete names of all owners must be listed, if the owner is a partnership, the names of all partners must be listed, if a joint venture, the names of all members must be listed. If a separate sheet is needed to list all names, please identify as applicant or owner and have the additional sheet notarized also.)

TMP#:	
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List of Adjacent Property Owners

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners. This list must include the name and mailing address of anyone who has property touching your property or who has property directly across the street from your property.

**Please note this information should be obtained using the Tax Map & Parcel (TMP) listing for any parcel(s) adjoining or adjacent to the parcel where a variance or rezone is being requested.

		<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
TMP_	113 092	1. D53 LLC	355 Brogdon Road, Suite 211, Suwanee, GA 30024
TMP_	113 179	Northeast Georgia Primary Care Inc 2. Neighborhood Health Care	743 Spring Street NE, Gainsville, GA 30501
TMP_	113 180	Nanrob Properties LP & 657 Mission 3. C/O Brenda Bernheim	4984 Vistazo West, Belvedere Tiburon, CA 94920
TMP_	113 040	4. Howe H Clay & Kathleen	1 CVS Drive Occ. Exp. Dept., Woonsocket, RI 02895
TMP_	113 085 003	5. Cutchin Company LLC	PO Box 978, Gainsville, GA 30503
TMP_	113 085 009	6Colvis Investments LLC	647 Gardinia Glen, Escondido, CA 92025
TMP_	113 114	7. Colvis Investments LLC	647 Gardinia Glen, Escondido, CA 92025
TMP_	113 121	8. Waffle House Inc	PO Box 6450, Norcross, GA 30091
TMP_	113 122	9Fuentes Daniel	412 Pine Ridge Court, Woodstock, GA 30188
TMP_	113 087	10. PAR Dawson LLC	50 Cinema Lane, St. Simons Island, GA 31522
TMP_	113 085 004	11. Autozone Inc	123 South Front Street (Dept. 8088), Memphis, TN 38101
TMP_	113 085 005	12. Armando Castillo LLC	6429 Grand Marina Circle, Gainsville, GA 30506
TMP_	113 085 002	13. Mahadev Inc	5133 Aurelia Trail, Suwanee, GA 30024
TMP_	113 085 006	14WJS Dawson LLC	50 Cinema Lane, St. Simons Island, GA 31522
TMP_	113 042	Spirit Master Funding IX LLC 15C/O Spirit SPE Manager LLC	2727 North Hardwood Street, Suite 300 Dallas, TX 75201

Use additional sheets if necessary.



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February 6, 2019

Dawson County Planning and Development 25 Justice Way, Suite 2322 Dawsonville, GA 30534

RE:

Peaks of Dawsonville

65 North 400 Center Lane Dawsonville, GA 30534

Tax Parcels # 113 085

Rezoning/Variance Applications

To Whom It May Concern:

Landbridge Development, LLC, seeks support for the rezoning of the above listed property from Dawson County C-HB to RMF. This proposed change would allow for the construction of the Peaks of Dawsonville, a Multi-Family Development of 80 units. This development will help to address issues and opportunities identified within the Dawson County Comprehensive Plan. Under Housing specifically they state, "The new housing market currently provides few options beyond single-family homes on large lots and limits options that would meet residents' needs at all stages of life", and "Zoning regulations that segregate housing types and do not provide for mixed use development". The Plan lists that "Multi-family housing near Georgia 400, between Georgia 53 and Dawson Forest Road, can provide housing for people working in the retail center."

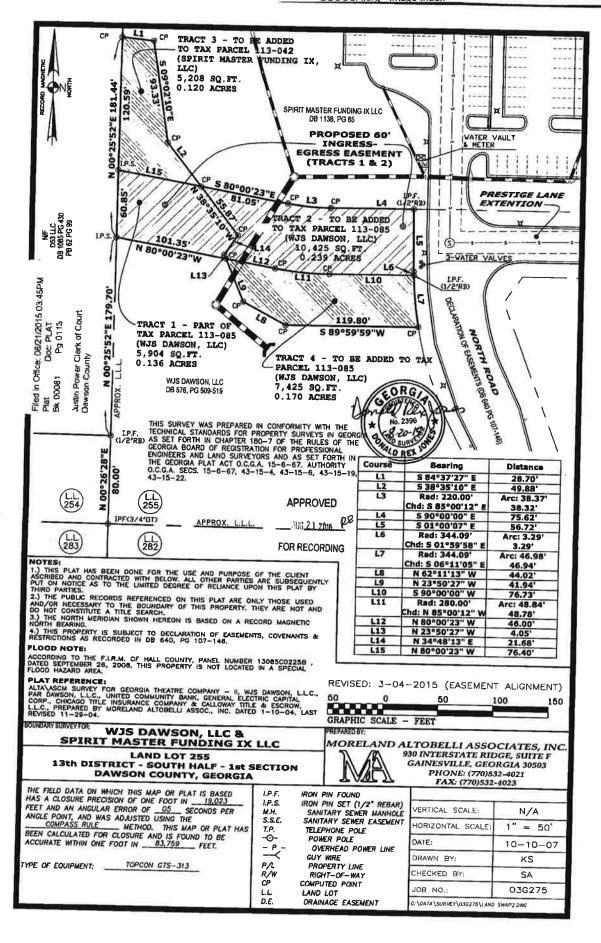
The property is owned by WJS Dawson, LLC, and is a ±14.28 acre tract of vacant land. The proposed development will include new construction of 80 one, two, and three-bedroom garden style apartment homes (or 5.6 units/per acre) and a community building that will house the onsite management office along with additional resident amenities.

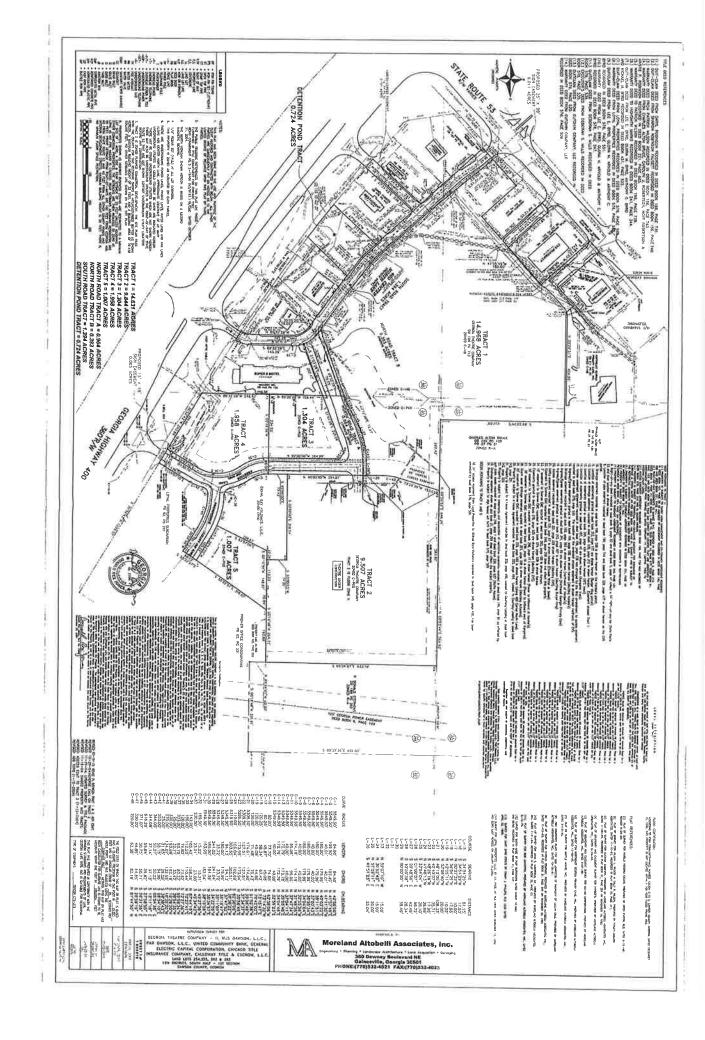
The Development of the proposed apartment community is anticipated to commence summer 2020 with a proposed completion of summer 2021.

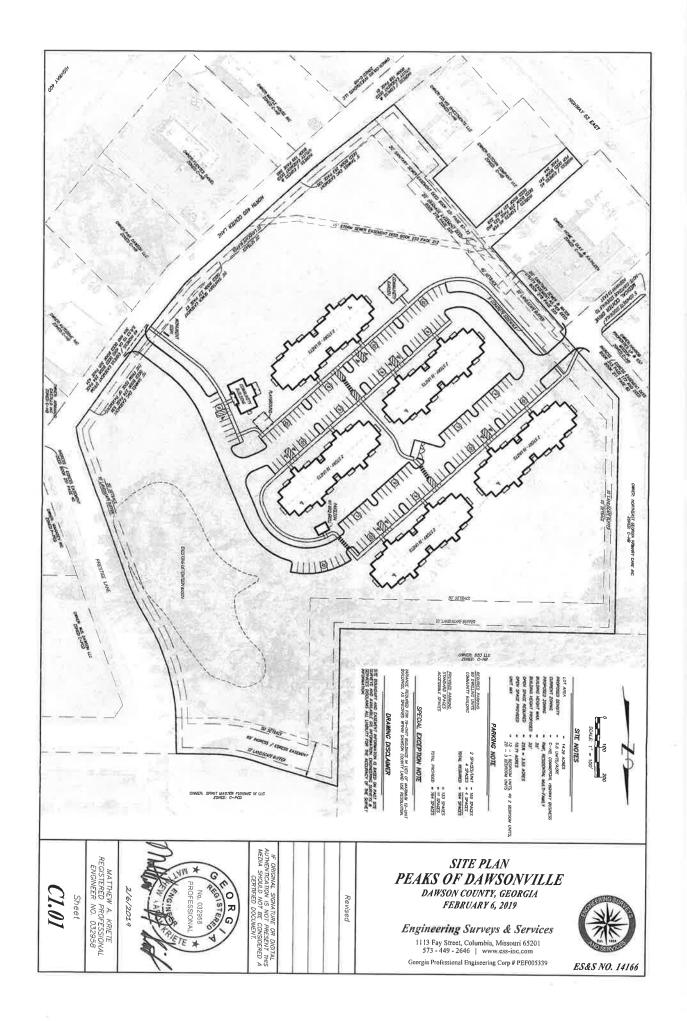
The proposed Peaks of Dawsonville will be developed through the Georgia Department of Community Affairs LIHTC Program and will be subject to a Declaration of Land Use Restricted Covenant ("LURC") that will be recorded at closing. This LURC defines the number and type of units that will be constructed/operated on the property; dictates the owner's representations, covenants, and warranties such as performance agreements and maintenance of site amenities. Additionally the LURC lists out all additional site, use, occupancy restrictions, with a detailed amenity and supportive services list. The Georgia Department of Community Affairs requires Annual Owner Certifications and conducts physical inspections and compliance audits every two to three years to make sure properties are well maintained and managed per their program requirements. The community will also have an executed Management Plan to provide onsite Management to include management and maintenance staff to operate and maintain the property. Third party contractors may be used for landscaping and other maintenance items that fall outside of their typical maintenance activities.

Sincerely,

Gary R. Hammond, J







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Official Tax Receipt Dawson County 25 Justice Way, Suite 1222 Dawsonville, GA 30534 --Online Receipt--

Phone: (706) 344-3520 Fax: (706) 344-3522

Trans No	Property ID / District Description	Original Due	Interest & Penalty	Amount Due	Amount Paid
2018 - 15006	113 085 / 1 LL 283-282 TRACT 1 LD 13 S-1 FMV: 2570400	\$20901.05	\$0.00 Fees: \$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00	\$20901.05
	Totals:	\$20901.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20901.05

Transactior Balance	١
\$0.00	
\$0.00	

Paid Date: 12/3/2018

Charge Amount: \$20901.05

WJS DAWSON LLC 50 CINEMA LANE

ST SIMONS ISLAND, GA 31522



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Aerial Location Map



Dawson County, Georgia Board of Commissioners

Affidavit for Issuance of a Public Benefit

As Required by the Georgia Illegal Immigration Reform and Enforcement Act of 2011

By executing this affidavit under oath, as an applicant for a Dawson County Business License, Out of County Business Registration, Alcohol License, or other public benefit as referenced in the Georgia Illegal Immigration Reform and Enforcement Act of 2011 [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-1(e)(2)], I am stating the following with respect to my application for such Dawson County public benefit.

	I am a United States citizen.				
	I am a legal permanent resident of the United States. (FOR NON-CITIZENS)				
2	I am a qualified alien or non-immigrant under the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act with an alien number issued by the Department of Homeland Security or other federal immigration agency. (FOR NON CITIZENS)				
My alien num	nber issued by the Department of Homeland Sec	curity or other federal immig	ration agency is:		
secure and v	gned applicant also hereby verifies that he or verifiable document, as required by O.C.G.z. list of secure and verifiable documents.)				
The secure an	nd verifiable document provided with this affi	davit can best be classified a	as:		
600	orgia Drivers License	e			
fictitious, or f	ne above representation under oath, I understar fraudulent statement or representation in an ininal penalties as allowed by such criminal sta	affidavit shall be guilty of			
Executed in_	Atlauta (city),	Scorgia (stat	e)		
Signature of A	70	2/6 2019	•		
Gary P Printed Name	2. Hammond, Er.	landbridge De ame of Business	evelopment, LC		
	S	UBSCRIBED AND SWOR	N BEFORE ME ON		
		HIS 6th DAY OF TO	Notary Public		
	M	ly Commission Expires:	10/20/19		

