

## **Report of Staff Recommendation**

File No.: 8-B-21-TOB

Applicant: STOWERS MACHINERY CORPORATION

Request: BUILDING PERMIT

Meeting Date: 8/9/2021

Address: 10752 Dutchtown Rd.

Map/Parcel Number: 131 06201

**Location:** Southeast corner of Dutchtown Rd and Lexington Drive

**Existing Zoning:** I-G (General Industrial) / TO (Technology Overlay)

Proposed Zoning: N/A

**Existing Land Use:** Equipment and material storage for Stowers Machinery Corp. **Proposed Land Use:** Equipment and material storage for Stowers Machinery Corp.

**Appx. Size of Tract:** 3.43 acres

**Accessibility:** The site is accessed from Dutchtown Road, which is classified as a local road at this location.

Dutchtown Road has a pavement width of 26 ft inside a 70-ft right-of-way.

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses:

North: CB (Business and Manufacturing) / TO (Technology Overlay) - Office-warehouse

South: CB (Business and Manufacturing) / TO (Technology Overlay) and C-G-1 (General

Business) / TO (Technology Overlay) - A hotel and a church

East: CB (Business and Manufacturing) / TO (Technology Overlay) and I-G (General Industrial)

/ TO (Technology Overlay) - Commercial strip center and Stowers Machinery facility

West: CB (Business and Manufacturing) - Subway restaurant

#### **Comments:**

- 1) This is a request for a 337 square foot mechanical building to replace the existing mobile office building on the site. The proposed building is smaller than the existing 951 square foot mobile building.
- 2) The building would feature concrete masonry walls with a standing seam metal roof. While concrete masonry is a discouraged material within TTCDA, it is acceptable for a small mechanical building. Landscaping with small ornamental trees and plants is proposed along the front façade that faces inward and the side façade that faces the right-of-way. The plantings would limit visibility of the concrete block from the right-of-way.
- 3) Due to the building's small size, it is not necessary to apply requirements regarding variation of material or building plane.
- 4) The proposed structure is just under 13 ft tall, which meets TTCDA Guidelines.
- 5) The site meets the ground area coverage, floor area ratio, and impervious area ratio requirements.
- 6) The landscaping plan is in compliance with TTCDA Guidelines.
- 7) No lighting is currently proposed for the site, but the applicant is likely to propose lighting in the near future. Any proposed lighting would require a lighting plan in compliance with TTCDA Guidelines and TTCDA approval. This may be an administrative review depending on the complexity of the lighting plans.
- 8) The existing access point is to be retained and meets the County's access requirements. (Dutchtown Road and Lexington Drive are County roads, while the property is located in the City of Knoxville.)
- 9) The property is zoned I-G (General Industrial) / TO (Technology Overlay), which allows

outdoor storage of machinery and equipment as a permitted use. The Northwest County Sector Plan shows this property as GC, which does not support the I-G zoning. However, since the use is permissible by right and not as a use on review, a plan amendment is not needed for this project to continue.

- 10) The grading plan and a general site plan proposing to regrade and resurface the lot while retaining a mobile office building were approved administratively by staff in April 2021 (4-A-21-TOA). The graded and graveled area has not changed since that approval. The approval also included a review of the existing detention basin by the City of Knoxville Engineering Department.
- 11) For the administrative approval in April 2021, the City's Plans Review and Inspections Department determined that the use "outdoor storage of machinery and equipment " did not require parking spaces. Since the new building would not be staffed by employees but would house mechanical equipment for the site, the use remains the same and no formal parking spaces would be required.
- 12) There is no signage proposed with this submittal. Any signage would require TTCDA approval as a separate application.

## Design Guideline Conformity:

The proposed development conforms to the Design Guidelines.

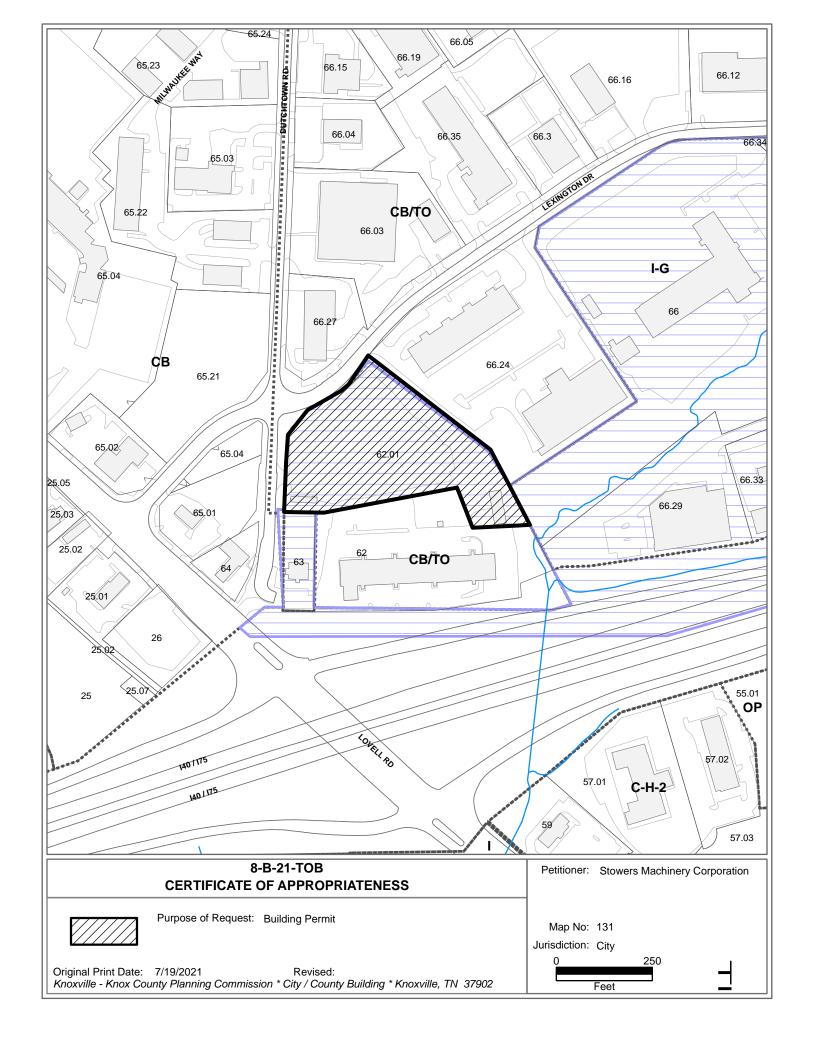
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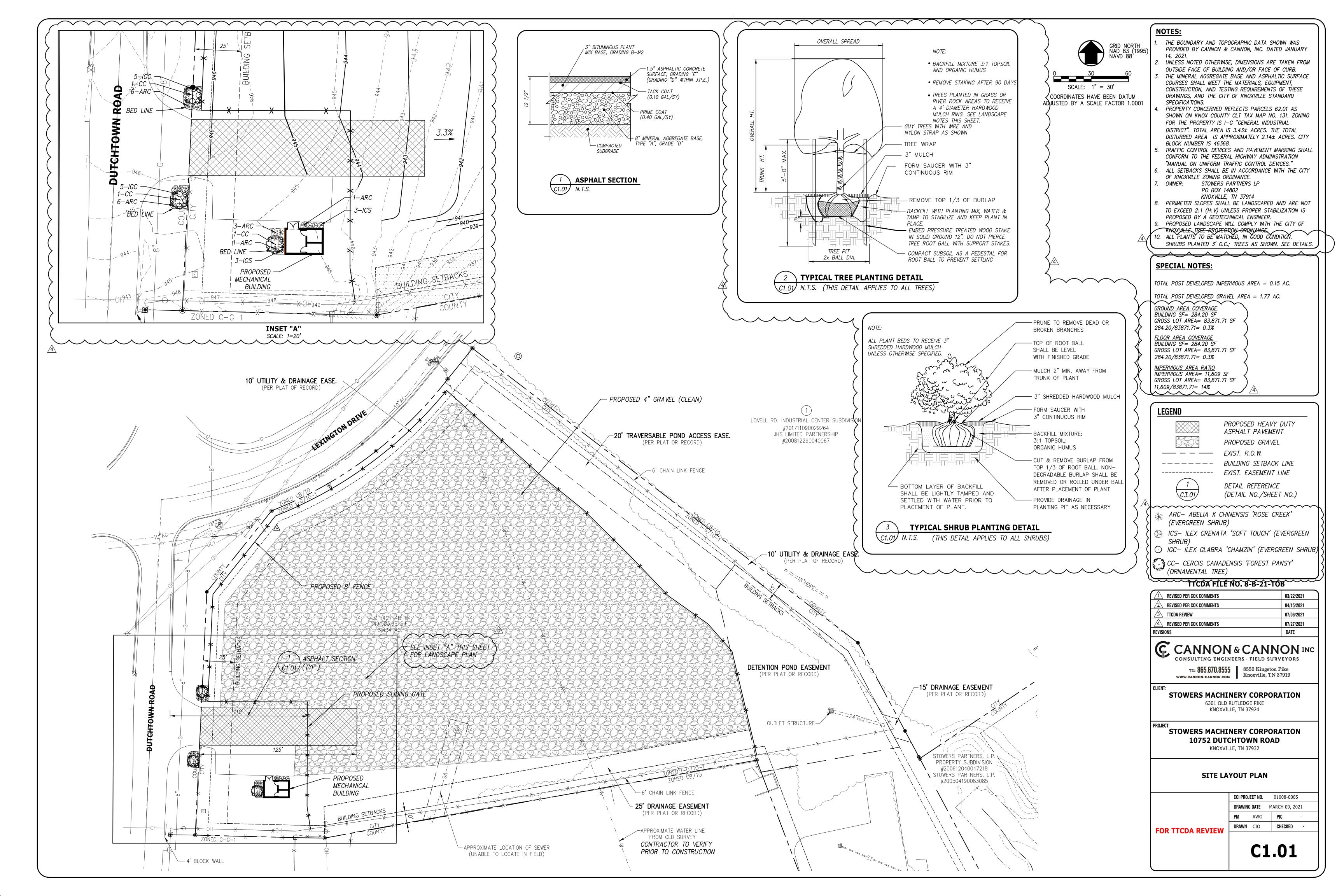
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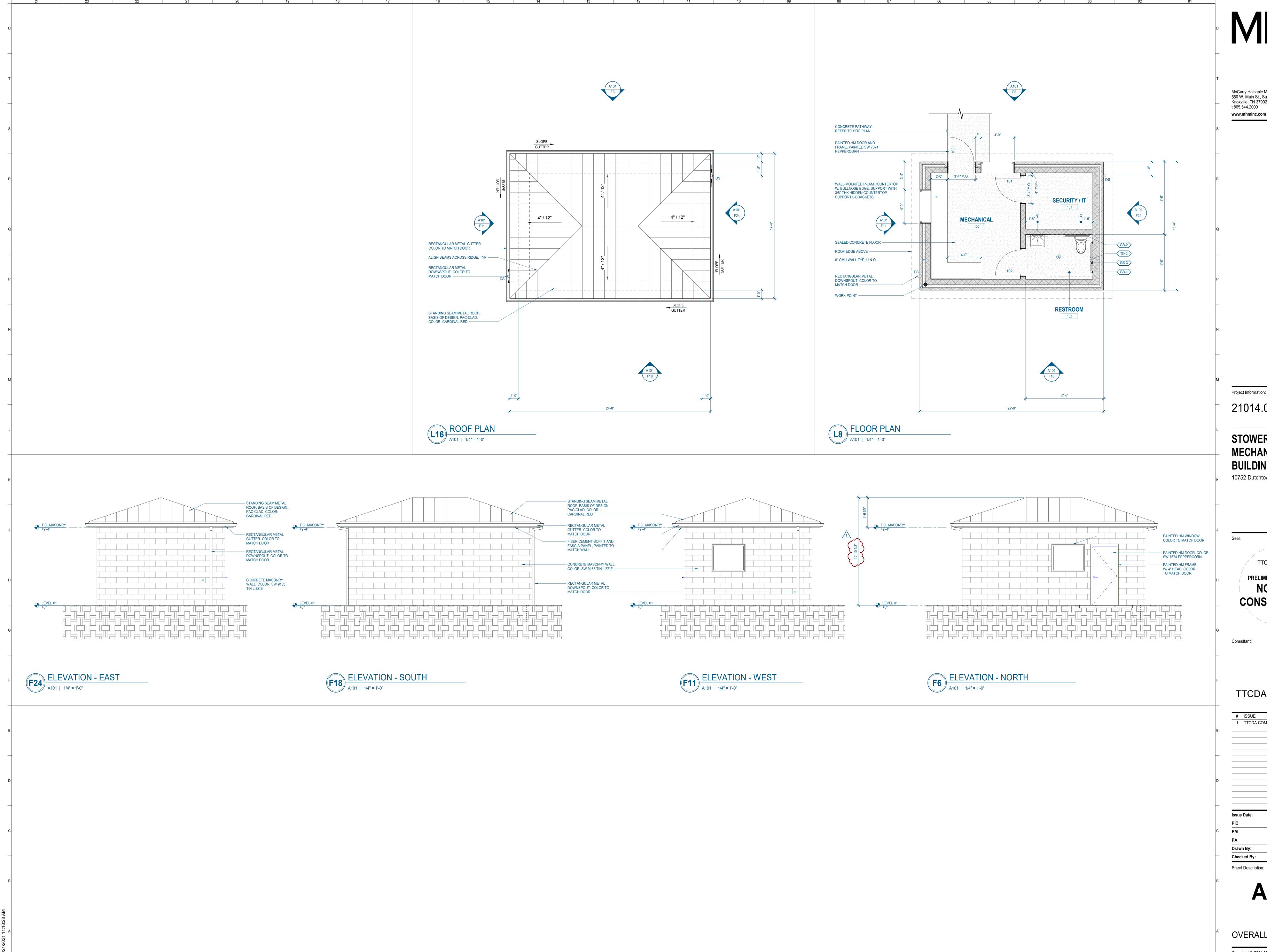
#### **Staff Recommendation:**

Based on the application and plans as submitted and revised, staff recommends APPROVAL of this request for a Certificate of Appropriateness for a building permit, subject to the following conditions:

- 1) Installing all landscaping as identified on the approved landscape plan within six months of the issuance of an occupancy permit for this project, or posting a bond with the City of Knoxville Department of Engineering to guarantee such installation.
- 2) Meeting all applicable requirements of the City of Knoxville Department of Engineering .
- 3) Meeting all applicable requirements of the City of Knoxville Zoning Ordinance.
- 4) Any proposed signage or lighting would require a separate TTCDA application and approval.







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Project Information:

21014.05

**STOWERS MECHANICAL BUILDING** 

10752 Dutchtown Rd. Knoxville, TN



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1 TTCDA COMMENTS

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OVERALL PLAN

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# **CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS**

Name of Applicant: 570 w	Fee Paid 400,00 File Number: 8-B-21-TOB	
Tennessee Technology Corridor  Date Filed: 7/6/202	Fee Paid 400.00 File Number: 8-B-21-TOB	
	Zoning District: 16/70	
Jurisdiction:   City   Country	ncilmanic District	
PROPERTY INFORMATION		
ADDRESS: 10752 DUTCHTOWN PC	HD KNOXUILLE TN 37932	
GENERAL LOCATION: SOUTHEAST CORNERS	ABER AND NAME	
PARCEL NUMBER(S): [31 06201 PL	_ANNING SECTOR: Northwest County	
SIZE OF TRACT: 3,43 ACI	ACRES ☐ SQUARE FEET	
PURPOSE OF REQUEST  BUILDING PERMIT — New Construction	NOTE: Four (4) copies of all plan materials are required to process the application. Please check all that apply:	
☐ BUILDING PERMIT — Expansion or Renovation	☐ DEVELOPMENT PLAN	
□ BUILDING PERMIT — Grading Plan	<b>⊠</b> BUILDING ELEVATIONS	
☐ REZONING	□ FLOOR PLAN	
From:	☐ LANDSCAPE PLAN WITH SCHEDULE	
То:	☐ SIGNAGE PLAN	
□ SIGNAGE	☐ OFF-STREET PARKING PLAN	
$\square$ ZONING VARIANCE $-$ (Describe and give reason)	☐ OTHER:	
APPLICATION CORRESPONDENCE — All correspon	dence relating to this application should be sent to:	
PLEASE PRINT		
Name: ACAN GRESOM Mailing Address: 8550 KINESTON PIKE	Frone: CAS / Fax: Fax: Fax: Fax: Fax: Fax: Fax: Fax:	
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owners involved in this request or holders of option on same, w	_ //	
Signature:		
Name: AZAN GRISSOM  Phone: 865,770,4009 Fax:  Mailing Address: 8550 K(NGSTON PIKE KNDXU(LIE TN 37919		
APPLICATION ACCEPTANCE — Staff Member who accepted this application: Wichelle Porter swm		

### SIGNATURES OF ALL PROPERTY OWNERS INVOLVED OR HOLDERS OF OPTION ON SAME MUST BE LISTED BELOW:

(Please sign in black or blue ink)

Complete Mailing Address	Owner	Option
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