

LARAMIE COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Laramie County Planning Commission

FROM: Logan Graves, Planner

DATE: April 8, 2021

TITLE: Review and action for a Subdivision Permit and Plat for Archer Estates, 9th

Filing, a replat of Tract 45 and Tract 46, Archer Estates, 4th Filing, located in a portion of the S1/2 of the E1/2 of Section 15, T.14N., R.65W., of the 6th PM,

Laramie County, WY.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

AVI, PC, on behalf of Mark Nelson, has submitted a Subdivision Permit and Plat application for Archer Estates, 9th Filing, located at 6503 Patricia Court, Cheyenne, WY 82009. The application has been submitted for the purpose of subdividing the two existing tracts that are 19.42 acres when combined into three separate tracts of 5.26 acres, 8.86 acres, and 5.3 acres respectively.

BACKGROUND

The subject property has a residence and associated structure located in the northern portion of the property, which will remain on Tract 1 of the new subdivision. The surrounding area consists of rural residential properties that average approximately 10 acres each. As the proposed parcel is over 1-mile from City Limits, no review with the City is required.

Pertinent Regulations

Section 2-1-101 (a-e) of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations governing the criteria for a subdivision permit and plat.

Section 2-1-104 of the Laramie County Land Uses Regulations for Subdivision Development Design Standards.

DISCUSSION

A Preliminary Development Plan (PDP) was not required as the proposed subdivision and plat meets the criteria for exemption outlined in 2-1-100(b) as follows:

The Planning and Development Director may waive the requirement for the preliminary development plan if:

- i. the purpose of the subsequent development is to bring a property that is in violation of statutory subdivision requirements into conformance with Wyoming statutes and there are no plans to alter existing land use and/or site conditions.
- ii. the proposed development will not require DEQ/Conservation District review.
- iii. the proposed development will create five (5) or fewer lots, will require no new public right of way, is in conformance with all requirements of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations and is consistent with the Laramie County Comprehensive Plan.

The Laramie County Comprehensive Plan identifies the area as Rural Ag Interface (RAI), which is intended for rural residential uses and limited service commercial and retail uses at major intersections. Generally, the density of uses is based on availability and access to water. The property is unzoned and located outside the PlanCheyenne boundary and therefore cannot be impacted by these regulations.

No new Right-of-Way is being proposed with this application. Access to the existing house on the proposed Tract 1 will likely continue to be via Denise Road, along with the proposed Tract 3. Access to the proposed Tract 2 will be from Patricia Court.

A letter requesting waiver of traffic and drainage studies was submitted by the applicant, a copy of which is attached. The requests were granted as the subdivision and anticipated uses are very unlikely to impact either the traffic or drainage in the area.

Agency review comments were received regarding addressing and corrections to the plat.

In accordance with Section 1-2-104 of the Land Use Regulations, certified mailings were forwarded to the adjacent landowners on March 5th, 2021. Public comment in the form of several phone calls, and a comment letter were received regarding the covenants for Archer Estates, 4th Filing filed at Book 1132, Page 724; item number 8. While not enforced by the County, the covenants states that no tract may be divided into 2 tracts, but does not clarify if 2 tracts can be divided into 3. The comment letter is included in this report.

Staff finds this application is in conformance with the plans and policies of Laramie County. The attached resolution shall serve as the subdivision permit upon approval by the Board.

RECOMMENDATION and FINDINGS

Based on evidence provided, staff recommends the Planning Commission find that:

- **a.** This application meets the criteria for a subdivision permit and plat pursuant to Section 2-1-101 (a-e) of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations.
- **b.** This application meets the criteria for the Subdivision development Design Standards pursuant to Section 2-1-104 of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations.

and that the Planning Commission recommend approval of the Subdivision Permit and Plat for Archer Estates, 9th Filing to the Laramie County Board of Commissioners with the following conditions:

1. All minor plat corrections including grammatical errors shall be resolved prior to recordation of the final plat.

PROPOSED MOTION

I move to recommend approval of the Subdivision Permit and Plat for Archer Estates, 9th Filing to the Laramie County Board of Commissioners with one condition, and adopt the findings of facts of the staff report.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Location Map
Attachment 2: Aerial Map

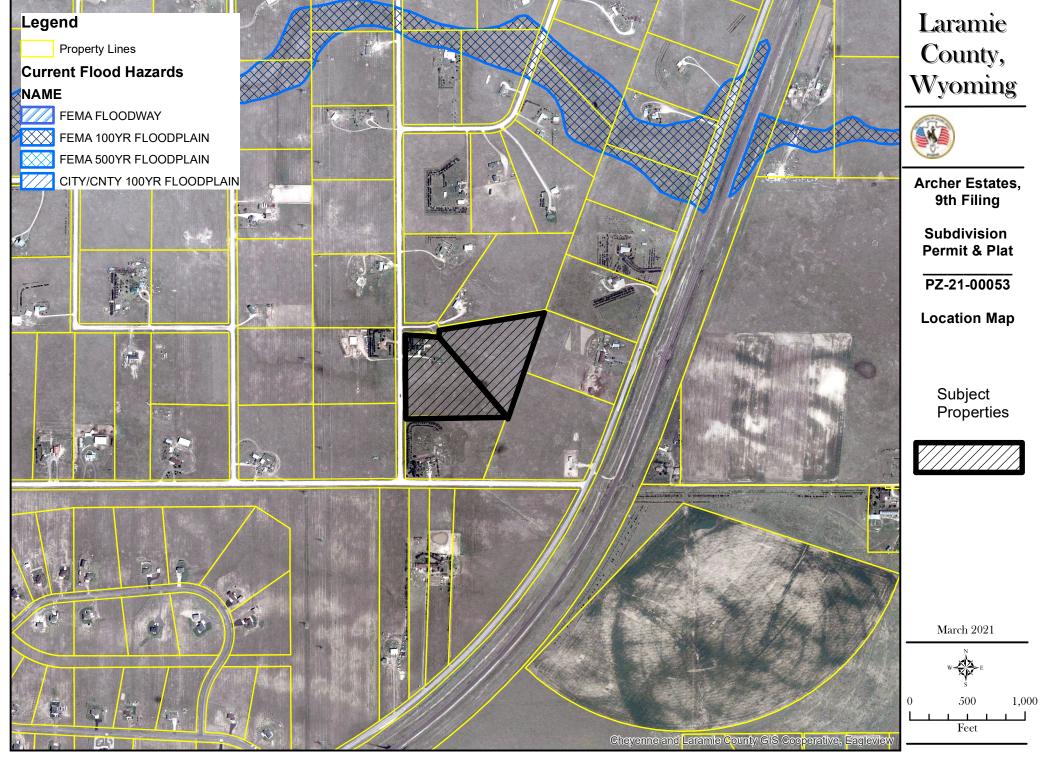
Attachment 3: Comprehensive Plan Map

Attachment 6: Applicant Traffic/Drainage Study Waiver Request

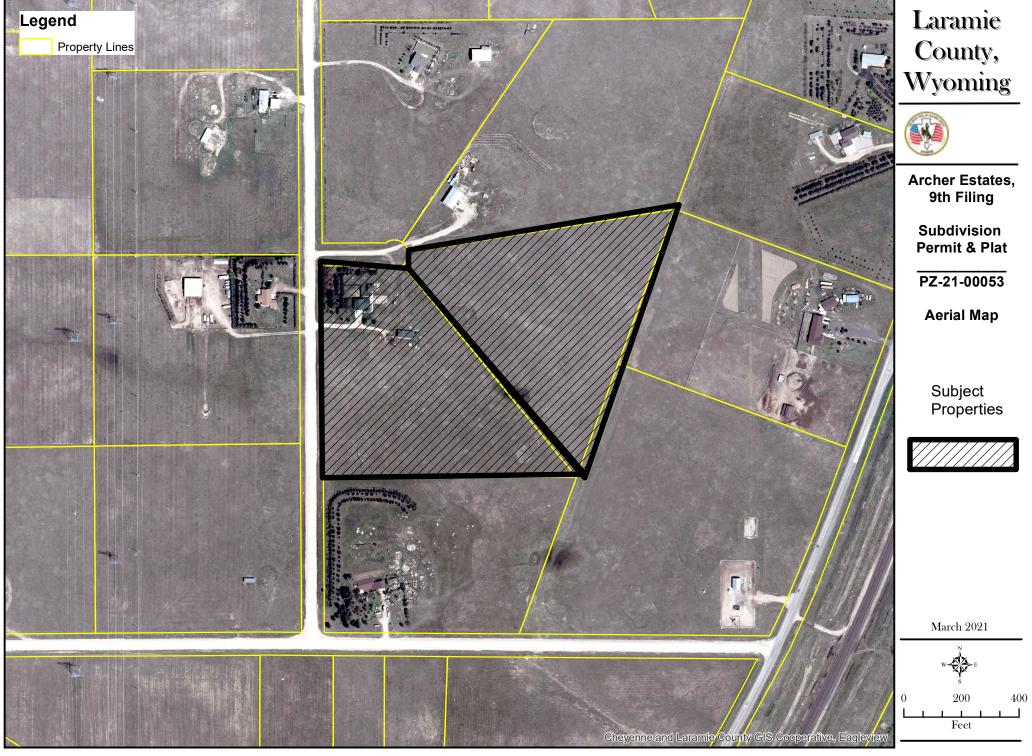
Attachment 7: Agency Comments Report
Attachment 8: Neighbor Comment Letter

Attachment 9: Draft Resolution

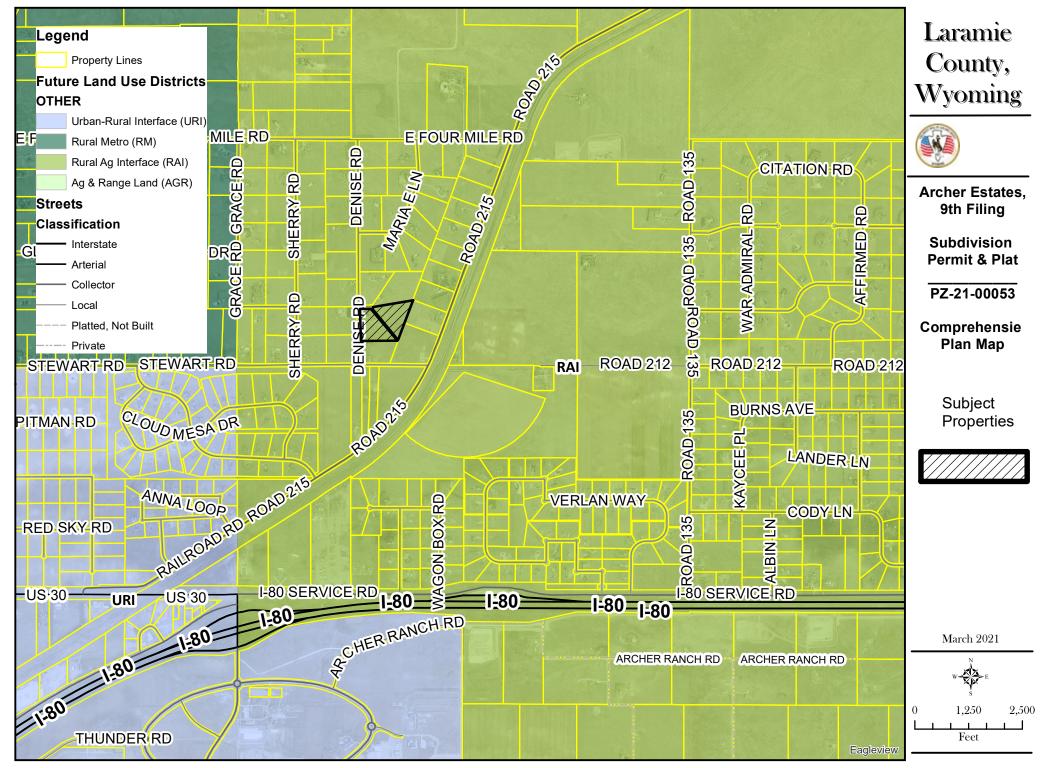
Attachment 10: Plat



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Archer Estates 9th Filing Wednesday, March 10, 2021



2-4477.21

Laramie County Planning & Development March 10th, 2021 3931 Archer Parkway Cheyenne, WY 82009

Project Narrative & Waiver Requests – Archer Estates 9th Filing

Owner: Mark Nelson

Applicant: AVI Engineering

The owner Mark Nelson wishes to take the area that makes up 2 existing tracts and split them into a total of 3 tracts. More specifically, the area he wants to split is existing Archer Estates 4th Filing Tract 45 and Tract 46, located at 6503 Patricia Court Cheyenne, Wyoming 82009. The current land use is for residential purposes and is unzoned.

AVI requests a waiver for the traffic study and drainage study at this time. The project will have minimal impact on these two areas as it will be only adding 8 trips per day and not include any grading or road improvements.

Respectfully Submitted **AVI Engineering**

Daniel Bebo, EIT

PZ-21-00053 Subdivision Permit

Black Hills Energy: Black Hills Energy, Eric Underhill No Response 03/29/2021

No Comments

<u>Building Dept.</u>: Building Dept., Antony Pomerleau No Comments 03/25/2021 No Comments

<u>CenturyLink:</u> CenturyLink, Darrin Klawon No Response 03/29/2021 No Comments

<u>Cheyenne Development Services:</u> Cheyenne Development Services, Seth Lloyd Comments Attached 03/19/2021

- 1. Project is not within 1 mile of City limits no official City comment letter is required.
- 2. Note: While likely not enforced by the County, I wonder if the applicant is aware of the covenants for Archer Estates, 4th Filing filed at Book 1132, Page 724; item number 8. This states that no tract may be divided into 2 tracts, but does not clarify if 2 tracts can be divided into 3.
- 3. Note: Tracts in this subdivision currently average about 10 acres each.

<u>Cheyenne MPO:</u> Cheyenne MPO, Christopher Yaney No Comments 03/25/2021 No Comments

<u>Combined Communications Center:</u> Combined Communications Center, Chuck Trimble No Comments 03/19/2021

No Comments

<u>County Assessor:</u> County Assessor, Kaycee Eisele Comments Attached 03/22/2021 In the title block, please update that this is coming from Archer Estates, 4th Filing. I show that the last recorded deed (2645/2290) was to Mark Nelson by himself, not as a representing member of any company. Please update that in the signature area. Also the notary block would need to match how Mark Nelson signs the dedication (Not Doug Samuelson)

County Attorney: County Attorney, Mark Voss No Response 03/29/2021

No Comments

<u>County Conservation District:</u> County Conservation District, Shaun Kirkwood No Response 03/29/2021

No Comments

<u>County Engineer:</u> County Engineer, Scott Larson Comments Attached 03/29/2021 Engineer Review

- 1. I concur with the request for a waiver of a detailed Traffic Study and Drainage Study since the proposed action will have an insignificant impact on both.
- 2. In the Dedication signature line, it lists Mark Nelson but in the Acknowledgements it lists Doug Samuelson and West Slope Development, LLC.
- 3. In the Note section, it states there are no Flood Hazard areas within the Tracts, but reference needs to be made to the correct FEMA Panel and date that is associated with this area.
- 4. The total "Measured" distance shown for the west boundaries of Tract 1 and 3 is 729.53' but the total of the two individual measurements for each tract adds up for a total of 747.53' (497.53' + 250').
- 5. Changes in the dimensions shown for the east boundary lines for Tract 2 and 3 need to be made. The 569.47' dimension is for the west boundary line of Tract 65. The dimension should be taken to point where Tract 2 and Tract 3 meet. The same goes for the 419.97' dimension shown. This dimension should be the east boundary line of Tract 3, to where it ties into the corner with Tract 3, which is less than 419.97'.
- 6. The Curve Table includes information for curve C3M which is not shown or identified on the plat drawing.
- 7. The Notes section clearly identifies the 16' easements shown on the plat. However, there is are smaller easements (I assume 8' wide?) that are shown along the west boundary lines of Tracts 1, 2, and 3 and the norther boundary line of Tract 1 that are not identified (i.e., width and type).

Surveyor Review

- 1. A portion of the title block in the lower right hand corner of the plat should read "TRACTS 45 & 46 OF ARCHER ESTATES FOURTH FILING" as it is described in the LEGAL DESCRIPTION.
- 2. There are no Wyoming State Plane field observation coordinates shown on the plat.

<u>County Public Works Department:</u> County Public Works Department, David Bumann No Comments 03/29/2021

No Comments

County Real Estate Office: County Real Estate Office, Laura Pate Comments

Attached 03/22/2021

In the Title Block, this is coming out of Archer Estates 4th Filing (please add 4th filing)

The Deed (bk2645/pg2290) is to Mark Nelson personally. Either Mark needs to record a Deed from his personal name to the company name or the Plat needs to be in Mark's personal name

Emergency Management: Emergency Management, Matt Butler No Response 03/29/2021

No Comments

Environmental Health: Environmental Health Department, Roy Kroeger Comments Attached 03/29/2021 Regulations:

LARAMIE COUNTY SMALL WASTEWATER SYSTEMS REGULATIONS

Comments:

Small wastewater permit is required for lot. Small wastewater system must have 50' setback from property lines and intermittent bodies of water i.e. drainages. A signed final plat must be submitted prior to application for any permits.

<u>High West Energy:</u> High West Energy, David Golden No Comments 03/18/2021 No Comments

Intraoffice: Planners, Cambia McCollom Comments Attached 03/19/2021
The structure currently on Tract 45 of Archer Estates 4th filing is currently addressed as 6503 Patricia CT. Reviewing the Aerial Photography, it is clear that the residence's main access point is off of Denise RD. It could be a benefit to property owner at this time to change the address of the structure to reflect a Denise RD and reduce any confusion that currently exists about the location and access of this structure.

<u>Laramie Co School Dist No 1:</u> Laramie Co School Dist. No. 1, Chris Hout No Response 03/29/2021

No Comments

Laramie County Weed & Pest: Laramie County Weed & Pest, Brett Nelson No

Response 03/29/2021 No Comments

<u>Planners:</u> Planners, Logan Graves No Response 03/29/2021 No Comments

<u>Sheriff's Office:</u> Sheriff's Office, Rae Morgan No Response 03/29/2021 No Comments

<u>US Post Office:</u> US Post Office, Denise Null No Response 03/29/2021 No Comments

WY State Engineer's Office: Wyoming State Engineer's Office, Lisa Lindemann No Response 03/29/2021

No Comments

<u>WYDOT:</u> WYDOT, Michael Ginther No Response 03/29/2021 No Comments

Wyoming DEQ: Wyoming DEQ, Colin McKee No Response 03/29/2021 No Comments

Wyoming Game & Fish Dept: Wyoming Game & Fish, Wyoming Game and Fish Dept Comments Attached 03/22/2021

No Comments

<u>Fire District No 2:</u> Fire District No. 2, Cooper McCullar No Comments 03/22/2021 No Comments

PZ-21-00053 Public Comment – Peter Nadeau 3/11/21

PZ 21-00053

Gifted Housing LLC [giftedhousingllc@gmail.com]

To: Planning

Actions

Thursday, March 11, 2021 2:22 PM

- Retention Policy: 2 Year Delete Inbox (2 Years) Expires: 3/11/2023

I would like to submit the following comments on the proposed lots split of tracts 45 and 46.

The original covenants Archer Estates 4th Filing expressly prohibits the splitting of lots any further. See #8. Also any change to the original covenants requires a majority vote from all land owners in #9. To my knowledge this vote has never occurred and was not published.

Peter J Nadeau, Realtor CMO Gifted Housing LLC President 4-Ever Homes Inc HomeSmart Realty Group 307-414-0220 508-496-8908

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE A SUBDIVISION PERMIT AND PLAT FOR TRACTS 45 AND 46, ARCHER ESTATES, 4TH FILING, LARAMIE COUNTY, WY, TO BE PLATTED AND KNOWN AS "ARCHER ESTATES, 9TH FILING".

WHEREAS, Wyoming State Statutes §18-5-201 to 18-5-208; §18-5-301 to 18-5-315 authorize Laramie County, in promoting the public health, safety, morals and general welfare of the county, to regulate the use of land through zoning in unincorporated Laramie County; and

WHEREAS, the Laramie County Board of Commissioners adopted the Laramie County Land Use Regulations; and

WHEREAS, the proposed subdivision and plat is in accordance with section 2-1-101 (a-e) of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations; and

WHEREAS, the application meets the criteria for the Subdivision Development Design Standards pursuant to section 2-1-104 of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations; and

WHEREAS, this resolution is the subdivision permit for Archer Estates, Ninth Filing Subdivision.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF LARAMIE COUNTY, WYOMING, as follows:

The Laramie County Board of Commissioners finds that:

- **a.** This application is in conformance with section 2-1-101 (a-e) of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations.
- **b.** This application is in conformance with section 2-1-104 of the Laramie County Land Use Regulations.

And the Board approves the Subdivision Permit and Plat for Archer Estates, Ninth Filing Subdivision with the following condition:

1. All minor plat corrections including grammatical errors shall be resolved prior to recordation of the final plat.

PRESENTED, READ AND ADOPT	ED THIS	DAY OF
, 2021.	LARAMIE CO	OUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
	Gunnar Malm	n, Chairman
ATTEST:		
Debra K. Lee, Laramie County Clerk	<u> </u>	
Reviewed and approved as to form:		
Laramie County Attorney's Office		

