

## COLERAIN TOWNSHIP ZONING COMMISSION

## Regular Meeting Tuesday, February 16, 2016 - 6:00 p.m.

Colerain Township Government Complex 4200 Springdale Road - Cincinnati, OH 45251

- Meeting called to order.
   Pledge of Allegiance.
   Roll Call.
   Oath of Office.
- 2. Approval of Minutes: January 19, 2016 meeting.
- 3. Public Address: None.
- Final Development Plan:
   A. 8-88 Dick's Sporting Goods, 10180 Colerain Ave Minor Modification to FDP.
- Public Hearings:
   A. ZA2016-01 Text Amendment to add language to Waste Receptacles 12.5.2
- 6. Informal Concept Review: None.
- 7. Old Business: None.
- New Business:A. Initiation of Text Amendment Signage
- 9. Administration: None.
- 10. Announcements: None.
- 11. Next Meeting: March 15, 2016.
- 12. Adjournment.



STAFF REPORT:

FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN MINOR AMENDMENT

CASE #: ZA1998-08-03

COLERAIN TOWNE CENTER 10180 COLERAIN AVENUE

FEBRUARY 16, 2016

PREPARED BY:

JENNA M. LECOUNT, AICP DIRECTOR OF BUILDING.

PLANNING & ZONING

PROJECT SUMMARY:

The applicant proposes a Minor Amendment to the Colerain Towne Center Final Development Plan to add wall signage to the exterior of the former Hobby Lobby to accommodate

a relocation of the Dick's Sporting Goods within the retail center.

PROJECT HISTORY:

The multi-tenant retail strip center was originally approved in 1988 and has been modified several time since the initial construction. The space for the proposed new Dick's Sporting Goods was constructed as a Thriftway grocery and converted to Hobby Lobby in 2004. Hobby Lobby relocated to a different shopping center and Dick's is proposing to relocate within the same shopping center to occupy the larger space vacated by Hobby Lobby. The site is zoned PD-B (Planned Development-Business)

The current proposal seeks to completely renovate the façade of the Hobby Lobby and replace it with the Dick's Sporting Goods prototype façade. This involves the removal of the canopy structure attached to the front of the building and construction of a vertical extension to the front wall of the building to accommodate a sign and accent the entrance to the store. Other decorative vertical elements are proposed to be added to the façade.

#### **CONFORMANCE WITH**

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN: The site is located at the southern tip of the Comprehensive Plan's Banklick Creek Character Area. While the landfill consumes a majority of this area, the land use policy encourages the expansion of retail commercial development. Specifically, the Land Use Guidelines for the Banklick Creek Character Area detail that "Retail commercial uses are appropriate provided they are located along Colerain Avenue south of the Struble Road intersection."

## **CONFORMANCE WITH**

- **ZONING RESOLUTION**: 1. The allowable size of a wall sign in the PD-B zone is based on the width of building frontage at a ratio of one square foot of sign area for every foot of building width with a maximum of 100 square feet. This strip center does not face a public street, so a variance would be needed to allow for a sign on a non-street front façade. The width of the proposed Dick's tenant space is 234 feet, therefore the allowable sign area is capped at 100 square feet. The proposed sign is 282 square feet. The applicant is requesting flexibility regarding the standards to allow for an additional 182 square feet.
  - 2. The allowable maximum height of lettering on a wall sign is four feet. The proposed "Dick's" letters are eight feet in height. The existing "Dick's" letters are about eight feet in height and the applicant is requesting flexibility from the standards to allow for the additional four feet of letter height.

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APPLICATION FOR MINOR AMENDMENT TO FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN COLERAIN TOWNSHIP ZONING COMMISSION 4200 SPRINGDALE ROAD CINCINNATI, OH 45251 (513) 385-7505 COLERAIN ZONING

Case No.: ZA 8-88 Date Filed: 12 28 15
Location of property in accordance with County Auditor's Records:
Township: Colerain Book: 510 Page: Parcels: 510-0114-0103-00
Name of Owner: TKG ColeRATIN TOWNE Conta, L. K. C.
Address: 211 Worth Stadium Blvd, Suite 201
City: Columbia State: MD zip: 65203
Name of Project Site: Colerain tour Contes
Brief description of change: See attached
mac Achitecture
Name of Applicant: TKG Coloran Towne Center, LLC &
Telephone No.: 216.520.1551 Email Address: Theorese @ mcs Archite hare. com
Address: 7100 BAST Valley Road St8 320 Cleve and State: Off Zip: 4413/
Name of Applicant: TKG Coloron Towne Center, LLC & MCG Architecture  Telephone No.: 216.520.1551 Email Address: TGeorge @ MCG Architecture  Address: 7100 BAST Valley Road STB 320  City: Cleve and State: Off Zip: 4413/  Signature: Valley Read State: Off Zip: 4413/
Date:
Please check one:
Filing fee shall accompany the application. Make check payable to: Colerain Township Board of Trustees. THERE SHALL BE NO REFUND OR PART THEREOF ONCE PUBLIC NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN.

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DEC 222915

COLERAIN ZONING

# The Kroenke Group

Commercial Real Estate Development & Investment

Colerain Township Planning and Zoning Department Colerain, OH

Date: November 25, 2015

RE:

Dick's Sporting Goods Signage

Colerain Towne Center

Dear Sir/Madam,

Dick's Sporting Goods will be relocating their existing store from their current position adjacent to Wal Mart to the left side anchor position once occupied by Hobby Lobby. This move represents a newer, more modern store with increased square footage and entrance presence in the Colerain Town Center. This is a re-commitment by Dick's to Colerain and the surrounding municipalities to remain a long term resident and contributor to the community.

As part of the move, the existing Hobby Lobby store will be completely rebuilt including all exterior elements to bring the new store up to the 2016 Dick's Sporting Goods Prototype Standards. This will include a new entrance feature that is 42 feet in height by 48 feet in width as opposed to the old style store that was 32 feet high by 41 feet wide. Hence, this is the reason for this application seeking a Minor Adjustment to the Development Plan.

This newer entrance feature will promote a more welcome feeling to those approaching the store, with greater open feelings due to additional glass, and the addition of the entrance canopy. The intention at this time is to maintain the existing letters set, through a thorough overhaul of their construction along with the addition of LED illumination and much lower energy usage.

The complete renovations will bring a revised freshness to the Town Center along with an air of newness, increased growth, and a solid future.

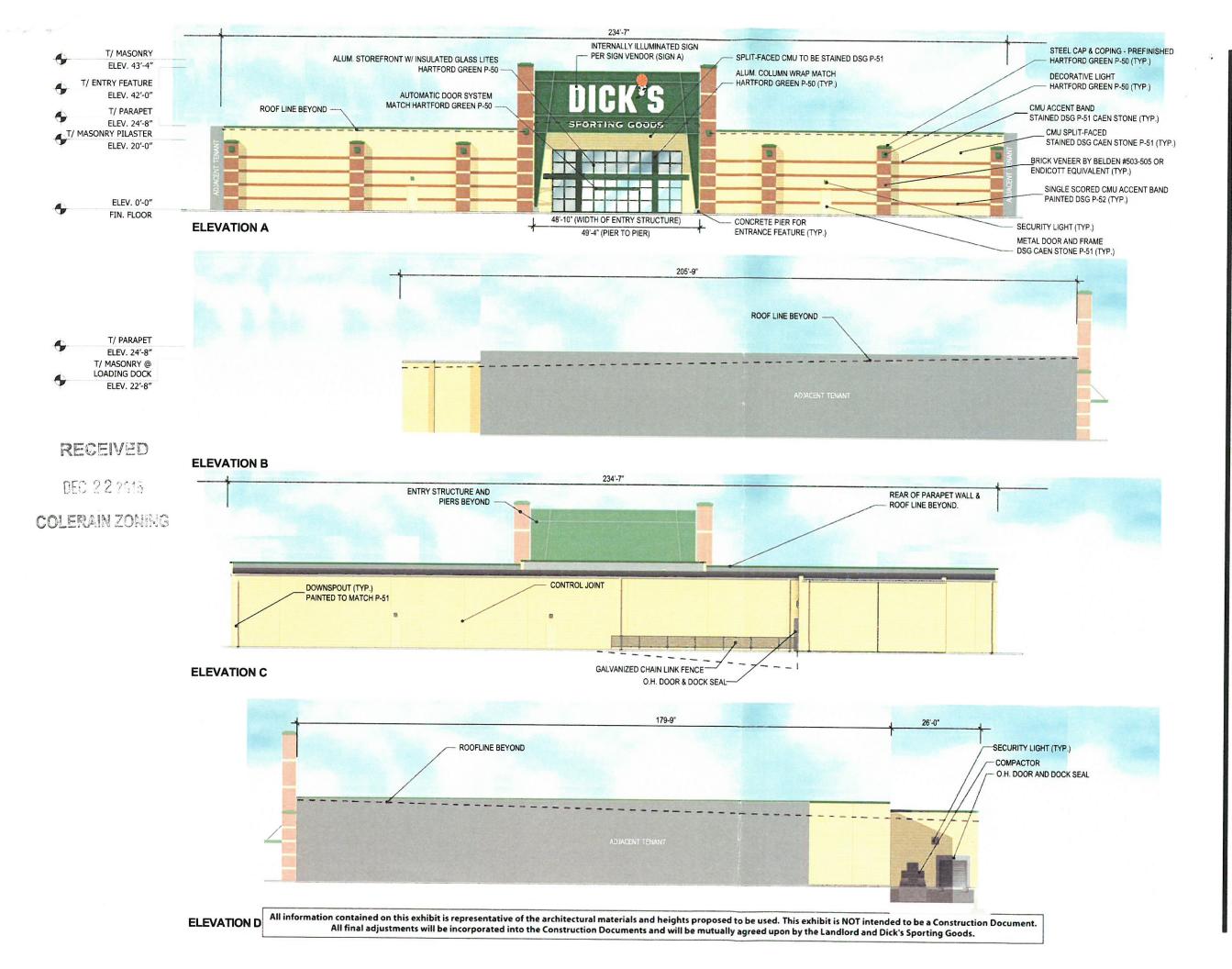
Thank you in advance for considering our request for a Minor Amendment. We look forward to a continued strong partnership with Colerain.

TKG Colerain Towne Center, L.L.C.

Sincerely.

Robert Green, Designated and Authorized Agent

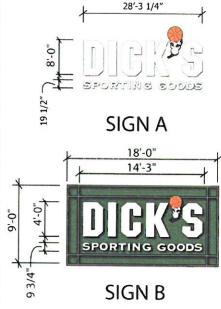
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# COLERAIN TOWN CENTER CINCINNATI, OH EXHIBIT K

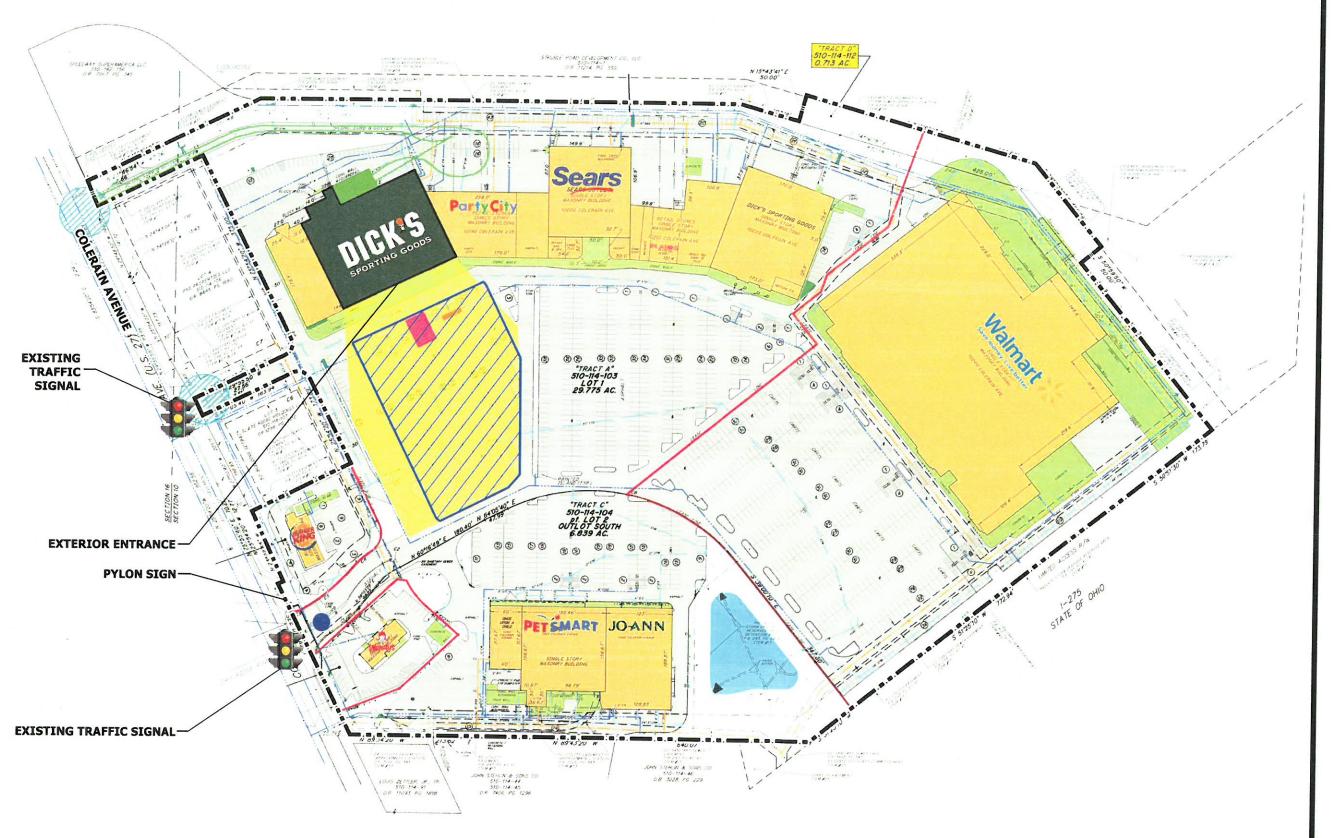
Store #1260





Key Plan

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#### COLERAIN TOWN CENTER CINCINNATI, OH EXHIBIT A

STORE #1260



#### LEGEND

---- SHOPPING CENTER BOUNDARY

DSG PREMISES 43,907 SF (234'-7"x179'-9")

PYLON SIGN

TENANT'S PREFERRED AREA

NO BUILD AREA

TENANT'S SERVICE AREA AND SERVICE DRIVE

CRITICAL ACCESS WAYS

PROTECTED PARKING 194 PARKING SPACES 4.31/1,000 SF

EXPECTANT MOTHER PARKING SPACES

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REV 2	2.18.15
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DRAWINGS PREPARED FOR:

SPORTING GOO

STORE #1260 COLERAIN TOWN CENTER 10180 COLERAIN AVE COLERAIN, OH 45251

DRAWINGS PREPARED BY



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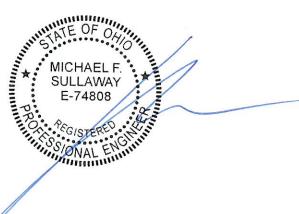
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1	ENTRANCE STRUCTURE	12834-2.0
SET	CANOPY BANDING W/SOFFIT PANELS	12834-3.0

## U.L. NOTE

THIS SIGN IS INTENDED TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 600 OF THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE AND/OR OTHER APPLICABLE LOCAL CODES. THIS INCLUDES PROPER GROUNDING AND BONDING OF THE SIGN.



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12834-1.0	EXTERIOR ELEVATION	0
12834-1.1	EXTERIOR SIGNAGE STEEL REQUIREMENTS # MTG DETAILS	0
12834-2.0	ENTRANCE SIGNAGE ELEVATION AND DETAILS	0
12834-2.1	STEEL SUPPORT TRUSS SECTIONS AND DETAILS	0
12834-2.2	TAGLINE BEAM SECTIONS AND DETAILS	0
12834-2.3	TOP BEAM SECTIONS AND DETAILS	0
12834-2.4	LEG FRAMING, SECTIONS AND DETAILS	0
12834-3.0	CANOPY BANDING W/ SOFFIT PANEL DETAILS	0

DESCRIPTION

I. STRUCTURAL FRAMING DEPICTED ON THESE DRAWINGS IS DESIGNED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE 2011 Ohio Building Code (BASED ON THE 2009 IBC)

DESIGN LOADS: WIND LOAD

BASIC WIND SPEED (3 SEC GUST) WIND IMPORTANCE FACTOR IW OCCUPANCY CATEGORY WIND EXPOSURE =90 MPH

MAIN WIND FORCE RESISTING SYSTEM

INTERIOR ZONE END ZONE 12.83 PSF

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(SQ. FT.)	INTERIOR			EXTERIOR				
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35	16.6	15.9	15.0	14.3	20.5	19.1	17.3	15.9
40	17.2	16.5	15.6	14.8	21.3	19.8	18.0	16.5
45	17.7	16.9	16.0	15.2	21.8	20.4	18.5	16.9

Components and cladding: use the most stringent wind load obtained from code, underwriter criteria (Factory Mutual etc.), and the project specifications. Cladding manufacturer shall consider increased pressure coeffecients at building perimeter, corners, eaves and rakes. Loads noted in general notes are obtained from code.

5s = 0.174g $5_1 = 0.074g$  $S_{05} = 0.185g$   $S_{01} = 0.119g$ 

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Seismic design category
Seismic design category
Seismic site class
Response Modification factor (R)
Seismic Response Coefficient (Cs)
Basic seismic force resistance system 0.0925

Ordinary reinforced masonary shear walls Analysis procedures Equivalent lateral force method

Design base shear (v)

#### STRUCTURAL STEEL

I. ALL STEEL SHALL BE FABRICATED AND ERECTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LATEST AISC "SPECIFICATION FOR THE DESIGN, FABRICATION AND ERECTION OF STRUCTURAL STEEL

#### 2. MATERIALS:

STRUCTURAL: UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED HSS MEMBERS - ASTM A 500, GRADE B TUBE STEEL - ASTM A500 GRADE B,

W-SHAPES - ASTM A992

CHANNELS, ANGLES, PLATES - ASTM A36 ROUND PIPE - ASTM A53 GRADE B

ALUMINUM - ASTM 6061-T6

REBAR, REINFORCEMENT - ASTM AG15 GRADE 60

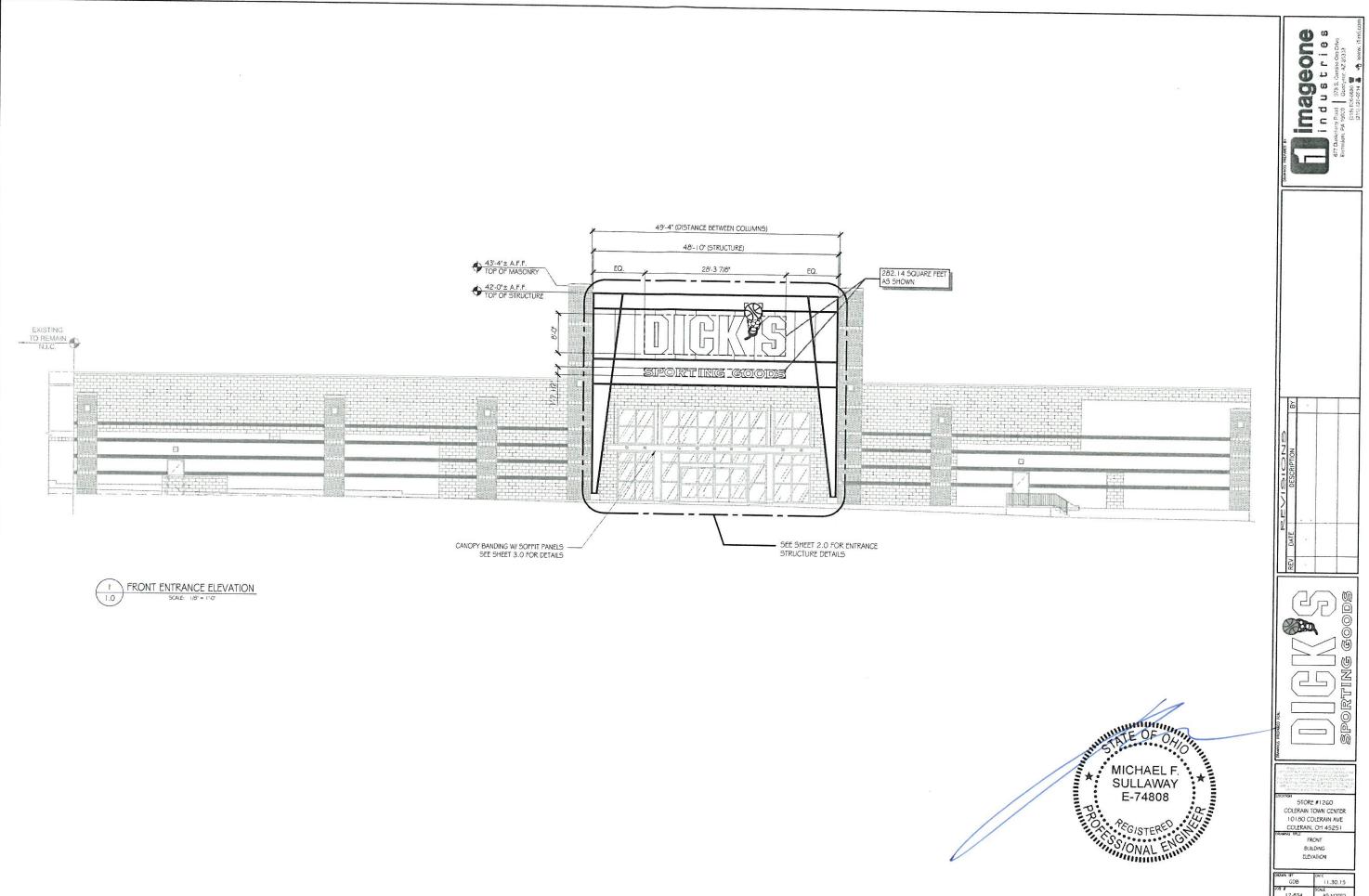
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SOIL BEARING CAPACITY - 2500psi

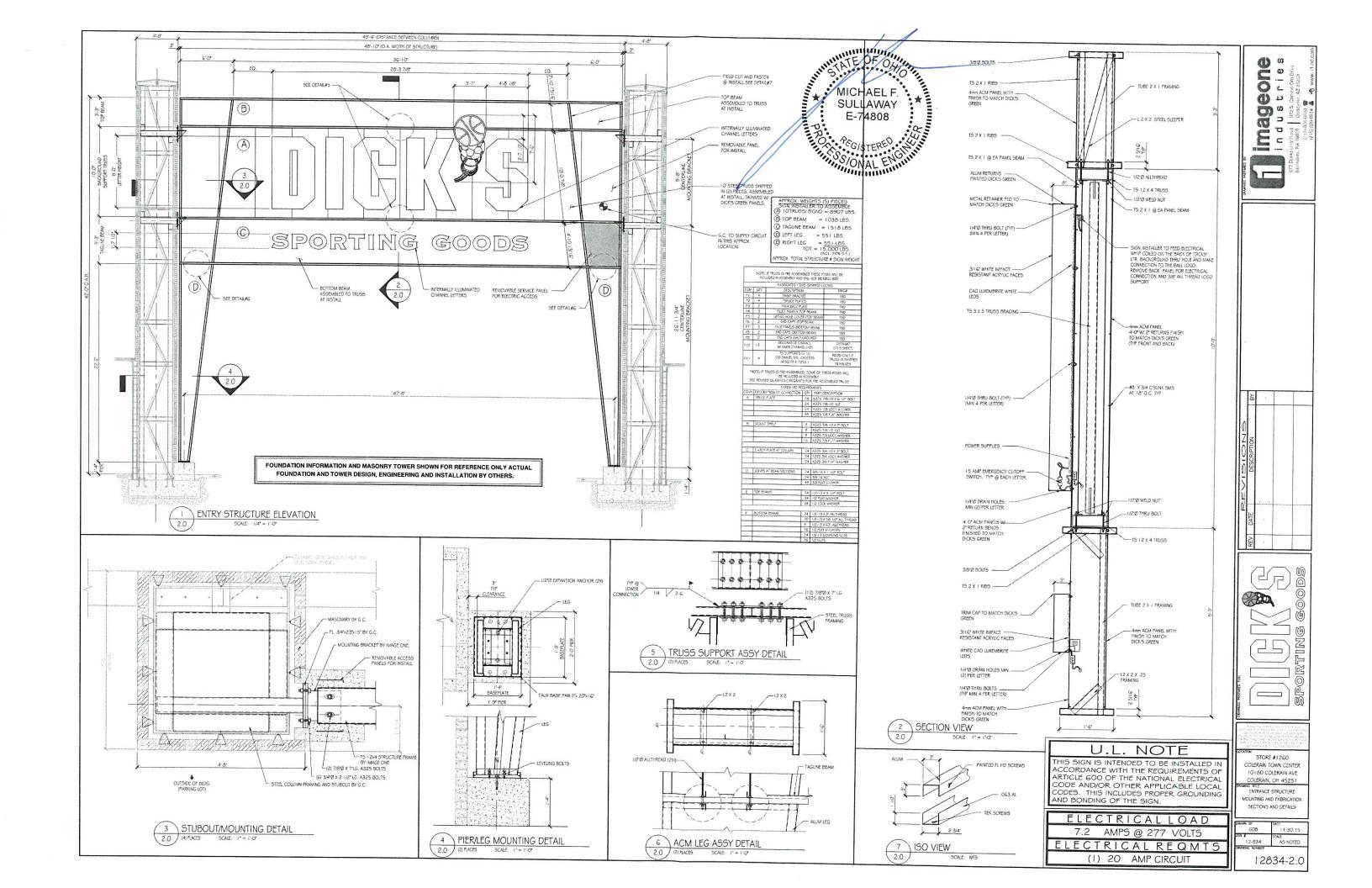
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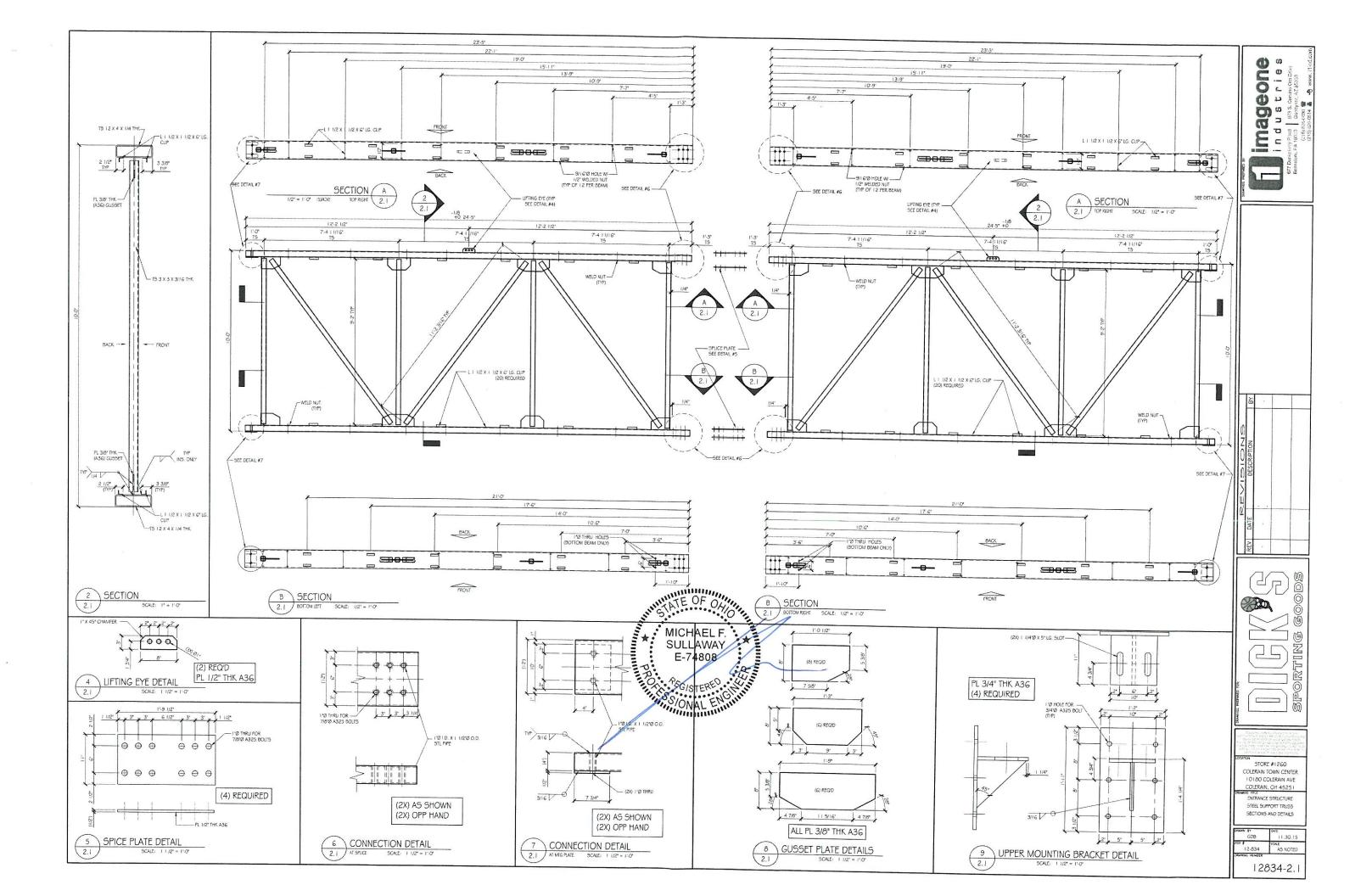
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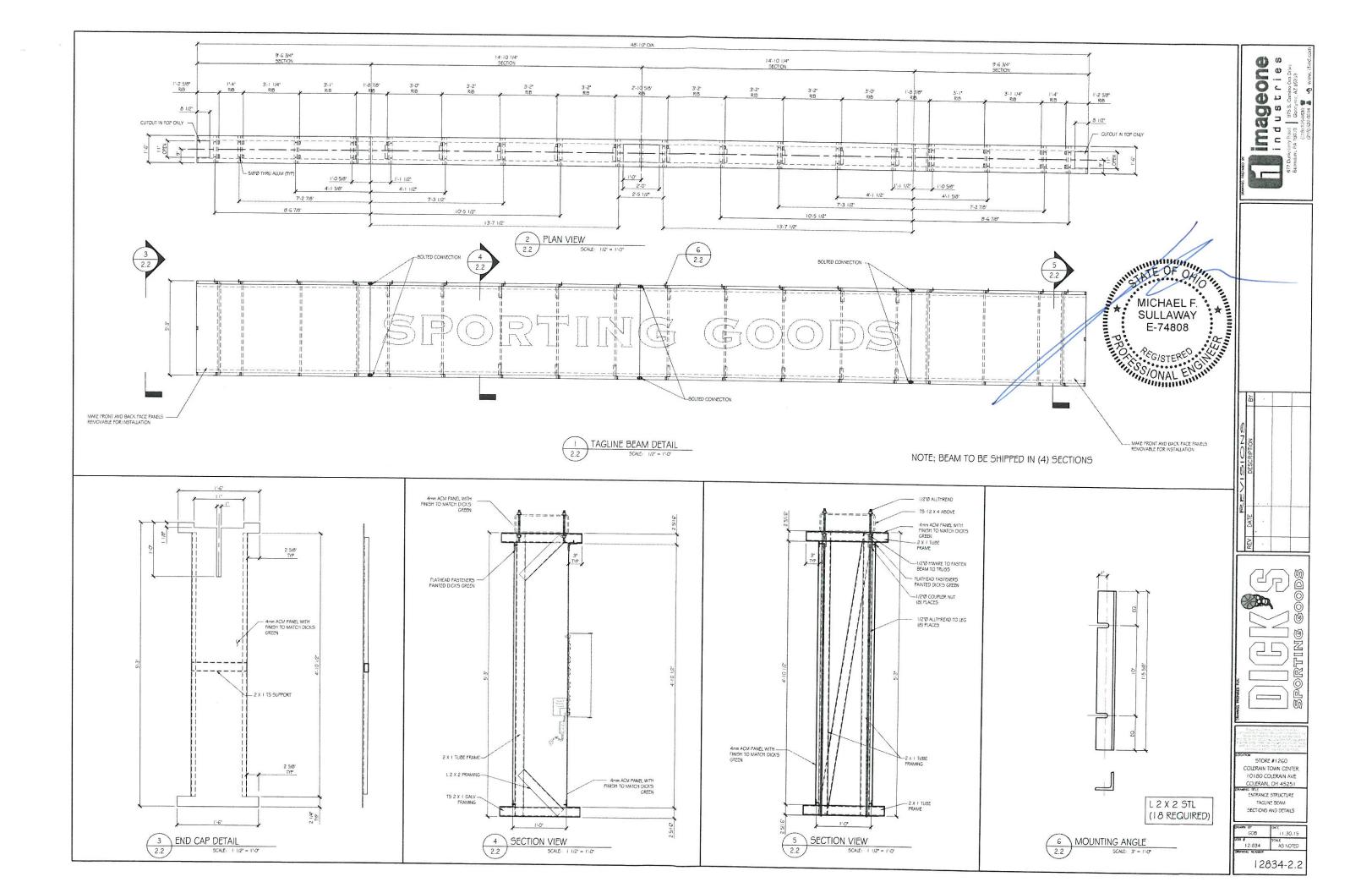
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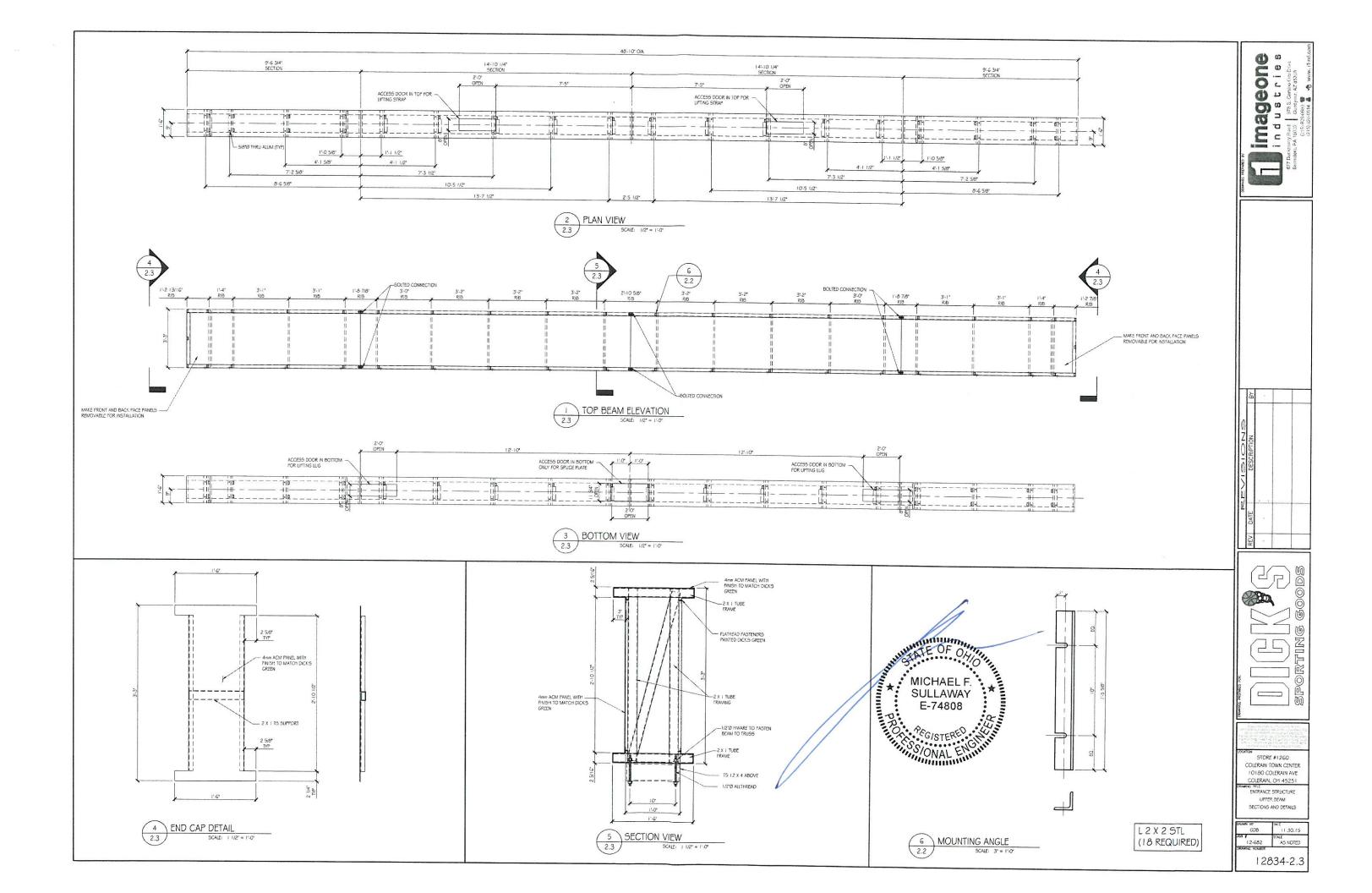


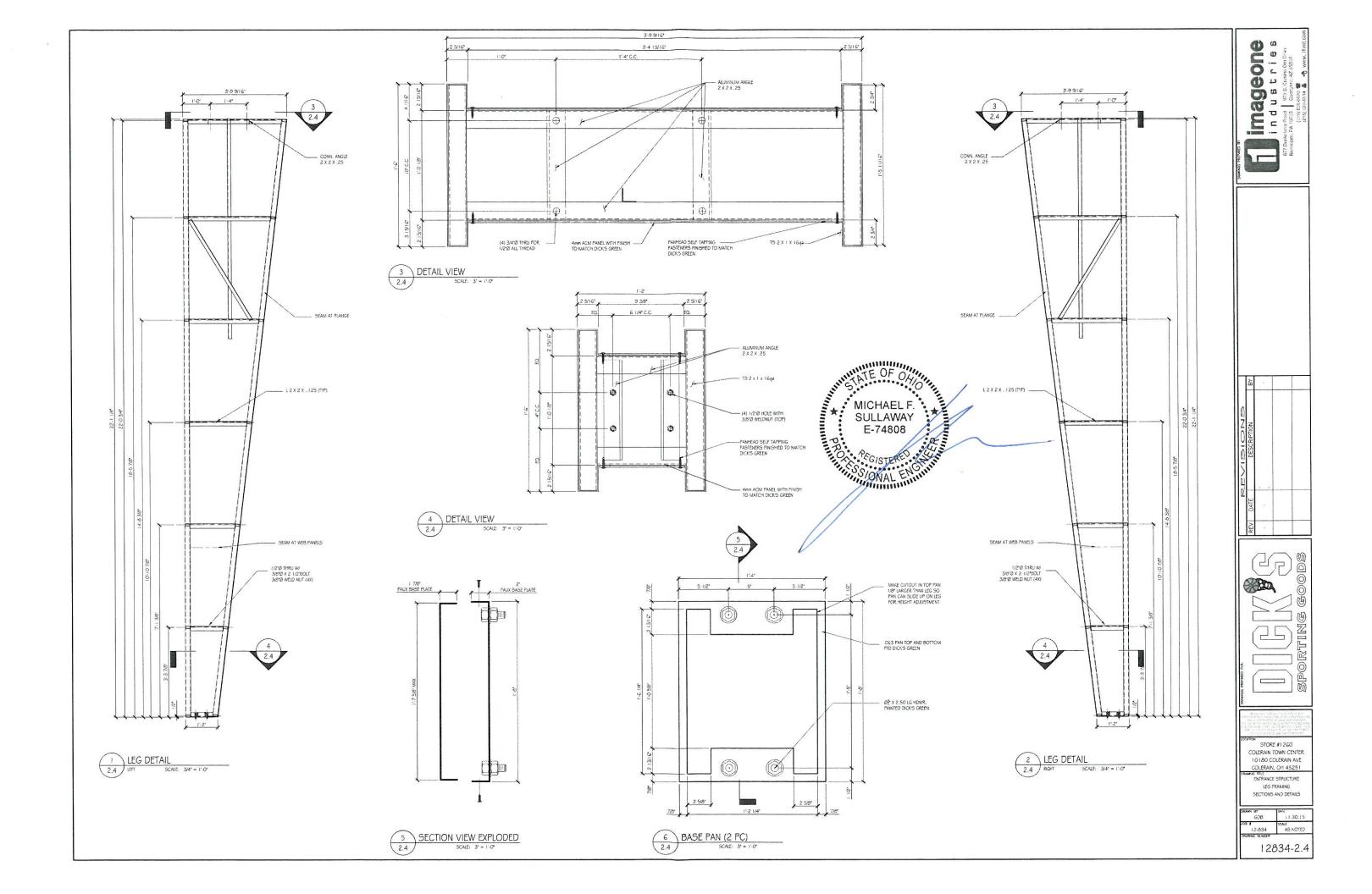
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STAFF REPORT:

TEXT AMENDMENT CASE #: ZA 2016-01 WASTE RECEPTACLE

PLACEMENT

FEBRUARY 16, 2016

PREPARED BY:

JENNA M. LECOUNT, AICP DIRECTOR OF BUILDING. PLANNING & ZONING

PROJECT SUMMARY: This amendment to Chapter 12.5.2 of the Zoning Resolution is to allow for the placement of waste receptacles that are 32 gallons or larger in the front driveway if stored against the house where such placement is currently prohibited. This amendment was initiated by the Colerain Zoning Commission on December 15, 2015.

ZONING SUMMARY: Chapter 12.5 of the zoning resolution governs the placement of trash containers on agricultural or residential properties. The intent is to screen unsightly trash containers from public view on days on which trash is not being collected. Since the adoption of this standard, there has been instances where it is not feasible for residents to store waste receptacles in the side yard due to physical barriers or the nature of the housing type. This amendment is intended to address situations where the requirement as currently written causes an undue hardship to Colerain residents. The specific text amendment allows for the placement of waste receptacles against the front wall of a house in the front driveway.

The proposed language is as follows:

12.5 Waste Receptacles

Trash receptacles, dumpster, or other containers intended for the temporary holding of trash, refuse, garbage or other discarded materials until it is hauled away, shall be set back from agricultural or residential properties as follows:

12.5.1 Waste receptacles smaller than 32 gallons in size shall not have to meet any setback requirements in any zoning district.

12.5.2 Waste receptacles that are 32 gallons or larger in size shall only be permitted in the side or rear yard or in the front driveway if stored against the house.

12.5.3 Waste receptacles or dumpsters in excess of 2 yards in volume capacity (including a combination of individual receptacles with a total of more than 2 yards of capacity) shall be screened from view. (Amended 8/12/08)

**OTHER AGENCY REVIEW:**  Hamilton County Regional Planning Commission (HCRPC)

Regional Planning Commission moved to recommend approval of the proposed text amendment at the February 4th, 2015, meeting. Please see the attached staff report for additional detail on staff findings. RPC staff commented that further flexibility be added to allow the containers to be placed on any paved surface against the front wall of the house in case the driveway leads to a rear detached garage or is not in front of the house.

**CONCLUSIONS:** 

Colerain Township has recently entered into a waste contract agreement with Rumpke and this will provide 96 gallon trash cans to all residents. Concerns have been expressed about moving and storing these larger receptacles into the side and rear yards of some residents. This text amendment would eliminate this hardship for some.

RECOMMENDATION: <u>APPROVAL</u> of the text amendment as requested. The recommendation made at this meeting will be forwarded to the Colerain Township Trustees for an additional public hearing and final action.

## MEMORANDUM

DATE: FEBRUARY 16, 2016

TO: COLERAIN TOWNSHIP ZONING COMMISSION

FROM: JENNA M. LECOUNT, AICP, DIRECTOR OF BUILDING, PLANNING & ZONING

SUBJECT: INITIATION OF TEXT AMENDMENT MODIFYING LANGUAGE TO ADDRESS WALL SIGNAGE IN

COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS

#### **SUMMARY**

Per the recent request of this Board, Staff has drafted a text amendment to the zoning code to specifically address wall signs in some commercial zones. The draft text amendment would amend Article 15 Section 8 of the zoning resolution to allow for additional wall signage on properties which immediately abut primary access drives in commercial centers. Staff is requesting that the Zoning Commission consider the modified language of this text amendment.

#### **SUGGESTED CHANGES**

#### 15.8.3 Signs Permitted in any "B-2", "B-3", "I-1", "SWD", "ME", "PD-B", "PD-I", or "PD-M" District

The following on-premises signs may be permitted in any "B-2", "B-3", "I-1", "SWD", "ME", "PD-B", "PD-I", or "PD-M" District.

- (G) Wall Signs
  - (1) Wall signs may be permitted at a ratio of 1.0 square foot for each lineal foot of building frontage.
  - (2) The maximum height of any wall sign, measured from the bottom of the sign to the top of the sign, shall be 4 feet in height.
  - (3) The total sign area of all wall signs on a single building frontage shall not exceed 150 square feet.
  - (4) Buildings located on a corner lot may be permitted to have wall signs on each frontage provided that they meet the requirements of this section.
  - (5) Buildings located within a commercial center or complex which has an elevation immediately adjacent to and facing a primary access drive may be permitted to have a wall sign per business on that frontage in addition to or in lieu of a sign facing a public street provided that they meet the requirements of this section and would be permitted at a ratio of 0.5 square foot for each lineal foot of the building elevation or tenant space facing such primary access drive, whichever is smaller. The total sign area of a wall sign on this single building elevation facing such primary access drive shall not exceed 100 square feet.

#### **PROCESS**

Once the Zoning Commission initiates the text amendment, specific changes to zoning code text are sent to Hamilton County Regional Planning Commission for review and comment. With the County Regional Planning Commission's comments and recommendations, the text amendment will then come back to the Zoning Commission for review and recommendation to the Trustees. The Trustees will then vote on the proposed amendment.

#### REQUESTED MOTION

Move to initiate a text amendment to modify language to address wall signage in commercial districts.