SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION

5. REZONING: 2999 Grandview Highway (The Brick)

Summary: To rezone from I-2 Industrial District to CD-1 Comprehensive Development District to permit an existing highway oriented retail use and some I-2 uses in an existing building.

Applicant: Chris Franiek, Xamax Industrial Investments

Recommended Approval: By the Director of Current Planning

A. THAT the application, by Xamax Industrial Investments Ltd. to rezone 2999 Grandview Highway (Lot 3, Block A, Sec. 36 SW Qtr. and SE Qtr., THSL Plan 8292) from I-2 to CD-1 to permit Highway-Oriented Retail use in an existing building, generally as presented in Appendix A to Policy Report "CD-1 Rezoning: 2999 Grandview Highway (The Brick)" dated June 13, 2006, be approved, subject to the following conditions:

FORM OF DEVELOPMENT

(a) THAT the proposed form of development be approved by Council in principle, generally as represented by plans approved for development permit no. 207692, issued January 17, 1989.

DEVELOPMENT APPROVAL

(b) THAT, prior to enactment of the CD-1 By-law and prior to final approval by Council of the form of development, the registered owner shall obtain approval of a development application by the Director of Planning who shall have particular regard to, among other things, the following:

Drawing Requirements

(i) The applicant shall provide up-to-date drawings of the existing building indicating interior partitions and assigning principal and accessory uses, and showing the parking and loading layout; and

Landscape

- (ii) Provide a planted landscape strip in the 3.0 m wide setback at the front property line (except at access driveways). The landscape strip shall contain one high-branched tree (minimum 8 cm caliper) for every 6 m of property line and an underplanting of low mixed and deciduous shrubs with ground cover underneath. (Note to applicant: There should be approximately eight trees).
- (iii) Provide a full Landscape Plan illustrating proposed plant materials (common and botanical names), sizes and quantities; notation of existing trees and major plantings to be retained; paving, walls, fences, light fixtures and other landscape elements; and site grading. Proposed plant material should be clearly illustrated on the Landscape Plan. The landscape plan should be at 1:100 (1/8" = 1'-0") minimum scale.

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- (iv) Parking, loading and bicycle parking are to be provided as per Section 4.2.5.1, Section 5.2.5 and Section 6.2.5.1 of the Vancouver Parking By-law, except that for up to 3 300 m² of a "Furniture or Appliance Store", a minimum of 50 parking spaces, 1 Class C (14 m, existing) loading space and 1 Class B loading space shall be provided, the relaxation and exemption provisions of the Vancouver Parking By-law are to be available for this site.
- (v) Clarification of access and manoeuvering to the loading bays, identifying any parking spaces which obstruct the loading manoeuvering aisle. If necessary, provide a management plan for loading times and for control of parking in the vicinity of the loading bays.

AGREEMENTS

- (c) THAT, prior to enactment of the CD-1 By-law, the registered owner shall make arrangements for the following to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning, on terms and conditions satisfactory to the Director of Legal Services:
 - (i) modify or release charge 122990M, a restrictive covenant which applies to the southerly 40 feet of the property, to eliminate a conflict between the covenant and the landscape setback provision of the CD-1 By-law which allows a parking encroachment for the existing building.
- B. THAT a consequential amendment to the Sign By-law, to establish regulations for the CD-1 in accordance with Schedule "B" (I-2), be approved.
- C. THAT, subject to approval of the rezoning at the Public Hearing, the Noise Control By-law be amended to add the CD-1 to Schedule "A" (Activity Zone).

(RZ - 2999 Grandview Highway)