

### Request for Decision Development Variance Permit Application

File No: P 722 612 Reference: DVP 15-22 Date: May 2, 2022

**Subject:** DVP No. 15-22 (Spillimacheen / More)

**Applicant:** Elizabeth More

**Location:** Beaverfoot Street, Spillimacheen

**Legal:** Lot 15, Block 5, District Lot 2566, Kootenay District, Plan 1139

Proposal: To permit construction of an accessory structure prior to the principal

building being constructed on the subject property.

Options: 1. THAT Development Variance Permit No. 15-22 (Spillimacheen /

More) be granted.

2. THAT Development Variance Permit No. 15-22 (Spillimacheen /

More) be refused.

Recommendation: Option #1

Seasonal use of parcels in the Spillimacheen area is not un-common, the proposed shed has a very small footprint (216 ft²) and is located in an

existing development node. Negative impacts are not anticipated.

Property Information:

**OCP Designation:** R-SF, Residential Low Density which supports single family and multi-family residential development.

#### **OCP Objectives & Policies:**

- Support residential development that provides a variety of housing needs without compromising the rural character, agricultural nature, environmental sensitivities and heritage of the plan area.
- In order to maintain a compact footprint new development is directed to the existing development nodes of Wilmer, Dry Gulch, Edgewater, Radium Resort, Brisco, Spur Valley and Spillimacheen
- Development is to be contained within the existing community footprint and compatible with surrounding parcel size and density.

Zoning Bylaw Designation: R-1, Single Family Residential

**Parcel Area:** 0.03 ha (0.07 ac)

**Density:** One single family dwelling is permitted per parcel

ALR Status: Within the ALR

**BC Assessment:** Residential Vacant

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**Flood Hazard Rating:** The subject property is not identified as being within a flood hazard rating area.

Water / Sewer Services: Onsite

**Interface Fire Hazard Rating:** High; not within a fire protection area.

## Additional Information:

- The application states that the intention is to build a shed for seasonal storage/use.
- The parcel is currently used as a recreational property for personal and seasonal use.
- The applicant is the legal owner of the two adjacent parcels southwest of the Subject Property (Lots 26 & 27).

#### **New Information**

Following the April 20<sup>th</sup> APC meeting, the applicant has revised their building plans to allow the proposed accessory structure to be built on a skid type foundation, addressing the APC's concerns about the permanent nature of the structure.

#### **Consultation:** Advisory Commissions:

**APC Area A:** Not supported, concerns with the structure being permanent.

**Response(s) to Notice:** 11 notices were mailed on April 6, 2022 to all property owners within 100 m. No notices were returned and no responses have been received.

## Documents Attached:

- Permit
- Location Map
- Land Use Map
- Proposal
- Letter New Information regarding revised plans

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