

Memorandum

То:	Norine Allerdice	Date:	June 16, 2022
From:	April Ng	'	
Project:	Buttenwieser/Wiley Residence 6838 96 th Ave SE	File No:	2205-199-INTAKE1
	Mercer Island, WA 98040		
	King County APN 302405-9010		
Subject:	Building Permit Intake Response		

This memorandum responds to intake comments received from the City of Mercer Island's Community Planning & Development Department dated June 1, 2022 for file number 2205-199 Intake Submittal 1 – Buttenwieser/Wiley Residence.

The comments are restated below, followed by responses.

Fire						
Comment	Response	Document Ref.				
Fire Code Alternative Letter Required to	Fire code alternate letter has been included with	6838 96 th Ave				
process plans. Deficiencies noted:	Intake 2 submission.	SE_14_Fire Code				
Width of Driveway		Alternate				
No Turn Around						
Distance to Fire Hydrant						
Hydrant Flow						
Proposed Code Alternative can include:	Proposed fire mitigation has been included with					
NFPA 13R Fire Sprinkler System- include	Fire Code Alternate letter.					
cover decks, walkways, garage if connected						
by walkway and mechanical rooms/attics						
FDC from garage to lakeside- dry standpipe						
for firefighting capabilities						
Monitored NFPA 72 "Chapter 29" Fire Alarm						
System						
Solid Core Doors and Type X drywall						
throughout						

Planning		
Comment	Response	Document Ref.
The floor plans indicate that there is a	Owners signed Not-an-ADU affidavit and sent it	6838 96 th Ave
kitchenette in the lower level of the house.	directly to the City. A second version that has been	SE_16_Not an ADU
Please confirm whether the lower level is	notarized and scanned has been included with the	Affidavit
proposed to be used as an accessory	building permit resubmission.	
dwelling unit. If so, please submit an		

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application for an accessory dwelling unit permit. If not, please submit an affidavit stating that the proposed house will not contain an accessory dwelling unit. Please show the width and length of the driveway on the site plan. Also, please note that MICC 19.09.040(G) states that no access road or driveway shall have a gradient of greater than 20%. It appears that the driveway for the proposed house may exceed the 20% limit. Please verify that the driveway complies with MICC 19.09.040(G).	Driveway width and length has been included on site plan. Existing driveway is legally nonconforming. Additional documentation has been provided.	2/G101, 6838 96 th Ave SE_15_Driveway History
Please show the amount that the PV array	Max appurtenances height and height of PV array	2/A202, 1/A203
on the roof exceeds the building height limit on the elevations.	has been indicated on building elevations.	

Updated drawings have been revised and additional documentation has been included with the building permit resubmission.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

April Ng, AIA, Associate