

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-25

VILLAGE OF YORKVILLE  
RACINE COUNTY, WISCONSIN

A RESOLUTION APPROVING A SITE PLAN AMENDMENT REQUEST FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF THE EXISTING 20-FOOT "MOBIL" POLE SIGN LOCATED AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE PARCEL LOCATED AT 820 SOUTH SYLVANIA AVENUE (WEST FRONTAGE ROAD) WITH A NEW 24-FOOT "MOBIL" POLE SIGN ASSOCIATED WITH AN EXISTING TRAVEL CENTER KNOWN AS "WILLKOMM'S RACINE PETRO" AT 820 SOUTH SYLVANIA AVENUE (WEST FRONTAGE ROAD), SEC. 13, T3N, R21E, VILLAGE OF YORKVILLE, RACINE COUNTY, WISCONSIN (PARCEL ID # 194-03-21-13-011-000); WILLKOMM DEVELOPMENT, LLP, OWNER; ROSIE OLLE/MICHAELS SIGNS, INC., APPLICANT/AGENT

THE VILLAGE BOARD OF THE VILLAGE OF YORKVILLE, RACINE COUNTY, WISCONSIN, RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

**WHEREAS**, Applicant/Agent requested site plan amendment approval for the replacement of the existing 20-foot "Mobil" pole sign located at the northwest corner of the parcel located at 820 South Sylvania Avenue (West Frontage Road) with a new 24-foot "Mobil" pole sign associated with an existing travel center known as "Willkomm's Racine PETRO" at 820 South Sylvania Avenue (West Frontage Road), Sec. 13, T3N, R21E, Village of Yorkville, Racine County, Wisconsin (Parcel ID # 194-03-21-13-011-000), and

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Yorkville Plan Commission recommended approval of the request, subject to the conditions attached hereto as Exhibit A and the performance standards attached hereto as Exhibit B, for the following reasons:

1. The proposed amendment to the master sign plan is allowed through the conditional use process;
2. Based on the use of the property, surrounding uses, and proximity to I-94, the proposed 24-foot-tall pole sign appears to fit with uses in the immediate area.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Village Board of the Village of Yorkville, that the requested site plan review set forth above is hereby approved for the same reasons set forth above and subject to the same conditions and contingency imposed by the Village of Yorkville Plan Commission.

This Resolution was adopted by the Yorkville Village Board on September 11, 2023.

VILLAGE OF YORKVILLE

Ayes: 5

Nays: Ø

Abstentions: Ø

Absences: Ø

By:   
Douglas Nelson, President

Attest:   
Michael McKinney, Administrator/Clerk

## EXHIBIT A - CONDITIONS

Willkomm Development, LLP, Owner  
Rosie Olle/Michaels Signs, Inc., Applicant/Agent

1. **Zoning Permit.** The applicant must obtain a zoning permit from the Racine County Development Services Office after paying a zoning permit fee of \$150.00. This card must be displayed in a prominent location at the project site, and a copy of these conditions must be kept at the project site at all times until the project has been completed.
2. **Compliance.** Failure to comply with the terms and conditions stated herein could result in the issuance of citation(s) and/or revocation of this permit.
3. **Binding Effect.** These conditions bind and are applicable to the Property Owner, Applicant, and agents of the Property Owner (collectively referred to herein as "Applicant" or "Property Owner") with respect to the uses on the Property.
4. **Expiration.** This approval will expire nine (9) months from the date of the Village of Yorkville's final approval unless substantial work has commenced following such grant. If this office determines that no substantial work has commenced, the project may not occur unless the Village of Yorkville grants a written extension. Written extension requests must be submitted to the Racine County Development Services Office thirty (30) days before permit/approval expiration.
5. **Previous Conditions of Approval.** All applicable conditions from previous approvals shall remain in effect, unless otherwise amended herein.
6. **Plans.** The proposed project shall be located, constructed, and utilized in accordance with the plans and documents received by the Racine County Development Services Office on August 25, 2023, unless otherwise amended herein.
7. **Performance Standards.** The applicant must comply with the provisions of Article VII, Division 4, Performance Standards of Chapter 20, Zoning, Racine County Code of Ordinances, as applicable to the Village of Yorkville (copy attached).
8. **Exterior Lighting.** Any changes to the existing exterior lighting on the property shall meet the provisions of Section 20-1065 of Chapter 20, Zoning, Racine County Code of Ordinances, as applicable to the Village of Yorkville. Any exterior lighting installed prior to December 15, 2022, must remain in conformance with the approved exterior lighting plan on record. If any exterior lighting installed prior to December 15, 2022, was not part of an approved exterior lighting plan, the exterior lighting must continue to be arranged, oriented, or shielded in a manner that direct radiation or glare from such source does not penetrate adjacent or nearby parcels or the public right-of-way, and will not endanger the safety of pedestrian or vehicular traffic.
9. **Signs.** Any advertising sign on this property must conform to Racine County Ordinance standards as applicable to the Village of Yorkville and will require a separate zoning permit(s) prior to installation. In addition, no additional signs shall be erected, placed, altered, moved, painted, or maintained, except in conformance with the master sign plan, and such plan may be enforced in the same way as any provision of Racine County Ordinance Standards as applicable to the Village of Yorkville. Contact the Racine County Development Services Office at 262-886-8440 for further information regarding sign permits.

10. **Fire Alarm and/or Sprinkler Plan Review.** If this approval is for an activity that requires fire alarm and/or sprinkler system plan review, written confirmation shall be provided to the Village Administrator/Clerk by Fire Safety Consultants, Inc. stating that the applicant and/or agent has submitted acceptable fire alarm and/or sprinkler system plans to Fire Safety Consultants, Inc. for review pursuant to Chapter 26 of the Village of Yorkville Municipal Code. No building or zoning permit shall be issued for this activity until such time as said confirmation is provided. For the purposes of this condition, the term "building permit" shall mean any permit including, but not limited to, site preparation, building, electrical, plumbing, HVAC, and erosion permits. The applicant must first obtain Fire Safety Consultants, Inc. fire alarm and/or sprinkler system plan approval prior to submitting those plans to the State of Wisconsin for state review. Failure to abide by any part of this condition shall not constitute a basis for an appeal to the Village Board of any sprinkler system and/or fire alarm requirements contained within Chapter 26 of the Village of Yorkville Municipal Code. The building inspector may issue a stop work order if, in his/her opinion, construction cannot proceed any further without impeding the installation of the required fire alarm and/or sprinkler systems.
11. **Drain Tiles.** Do not break or damage any underground tile. If encountered, any underground agricultural tile line must be rerouted or fixed. If any underground tile is encountered that has anything but clean water flowing through it, contact Racine County Development Services at (262) 886-8440 to investigate.
12. **Erosion Control.** To help prevent sediment from entering onto an abutting property, drainage way, or road ditch, prior to any earth disturbance activities, temporary diversions must be installed as directed by the Village Engineer.
13. **Access.** The applicant must allow any Racine County or Village employee full and unlimited access to the project site at a reasonable time to investigate the project's construction, operation, or maintenance.
14. **Compliance with Law.** The applicant is responsible for obtaining all necessary federal, state, and local permits, approvals, and licenses. The applicant is required to comply with all applicable local, state, and federal regulations.
15. **Amendments to Conditional Use Permit.** No additions, deletions, or changes may be made to the project, site plan, or these conditions without the Village of Yorkville's prior approval. All addition, deletion, and/or change requests must be submitted to the Village of Yorkville or the Racine County Development Services office in writing. A minor change to the conditions of this permit, as deemed by the Zoning Administrator, may be made at a staff level, if authorized by the Zoning Administrator.
16. **Reimburse Village Costs.** Applicant shall reimbursement to the Village all costs incurred by the Village for review of this conditional use including but not limited to engineering, legal and planning review that occurred prior to permit issuance and during the implementation of the plans and construction of the improvements.
17. **Agreement.** Your accepting the conditional use approval/zoning permit and beginning the project means that you have read, understand, and agree to follow all conditions of this approval. Therefore, Willkomm Development, LLP, Michaels Signs, Inc, their heirs, successors, and assigns are responsible for full compliance with the above conditions.

18. **Subsequent Owners.** It is the property owner's responsibility to inform any subsequent owner or operator of these conditions.
19. **Recording.** The Village shall have the resolution approving this request recorded with the Racine County Register of Deeds at the applicant's expense.

## **EXHIBIT B - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS**

Willkomm Development, LLP, Owner  
Rosie Olle/Michaels Signs, Inc., Applicant/Agent

### **DIVISION 4. - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS [15]**

Footnotes:

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**Cross reference** - Schedule of deposits for violation of the provisions in this division, § 5-3.

#### **Sec. 20-1061. - Compliance.**

This chapter permits specific uses in specific districts; and these performance standards are designed to limit, restrict, and prohibit the effects of those uses outside their premises or district. All structures, lands, air and waters shall hereafter, in addition to their use, site and sanitary, floodland and shoreland regulations, comply with the following performance standards.

(Code 1975, § 7.091)

#### **Sec. 20-1062. - Water quality protection.**

No residential, commercial, industrial, institutional or recreational use shall locate, store, discharge or permit the discharge of any treated, untreated or inadequately treated liquid, gaseous or solid materials of such nature, quantity, obnoxiousness, toxicity or temperature that might run off, seep, percolate or wash or be harmful to human, animal, plant or aquatic life. This section shall not apply to uses other than those enumerated in it.

(Code 1975, § 7.092)

#### **Sec. 20-1063. - Noise.**

All noise shall be so muffled or otherwise controlled as not to become objectionable due to intermittence, duration, beat frequency, impulse character, periodic character or shrillness.

(Code 1975, § 7.093)

#### **Sec. 20-1064. - Radioactivity and electrical disturbances.**

No activity shall emit radioactivity or electrical disturbances so as to endanger the use of neighboring premises.

(Code 1975, § 7.094)

#### **Sec. 20-1065. - Exterior lighting.**

Any lighting source on any use, lot or parcel which is for the purpose of illuminating any structure exterior, sign, parking lot or outdoor area shall be established in a manner which satisfies the following conditions:

- (1) Such lighting shall be arranged, oriented or shielded in such a manner that direct radiation or glare from such source does not penetrate adjacent or nearby parcels or the public right-of-way.
- (2) The source of such illumination shall be arranged, oriented or shielded in a manner which will not endanger the safety of pedestrian or vehicular traffic.

(Ord. No. 86-86, § 7.095, 8-26-86)

**Sec. 20-1066. - Maintenance.**

Any fence, wall, hedge, yard space or landscaped area required by this chapter or grant of variance or conditional use shall be kept free of an accumulation of refuse or debris. Plant materials must be well kept in a healthy, growing condition; and structures, such as walls and fences, shall be maintained in sound conditions, good repair and appearance at all times. (Ord. No. 86-86, § 7.096, 8-26-86)

**Sec. 20-1067. - Odors.**

No residential, commercial, industrial, institutional or recreational use shall emit an odor of such nature or quantity as to be offensive or unhealthful which is detectable at the lot line. The guide for determining odor measurement and control shall be Chapter NR 429 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code and amendments thereto.

(Ord. No. 93-3, 5-11-93)

**Cross reference** - Outdoor burning, § 13-51 et seq.

**Sec. 20-1068. - Reserved.**

**Editor's note** - Ord. No. 2011-131S, adopted April 10, 2012, repealed § 20-1068 which pertained to floodproofing and derived from Ord. No. 94-155, § 11, adopted Nov. 10, 1994.

**Secs. 20-1069 - 20-1085. - Reserved.**