



Loudoun County Public Schools

Division of Planning Services

Project Assessment

Project Name: ZMAP-2020-0013, SPEX-2020-0009, ZMOD-2020-0030 & ZMOD-2020-0031 Commonwealth Center Residential (Revised 4/5/2022)

Loudoun County Public Schools Ashburn Planning District Student Generation Factors, 2021		Housing Units	Elementary School Student Generation	Middle School Student Generation	High School Student Generation	Student Generation Total
			0.43	0.24	0.33	
Single Family Detached (SFD)	0.75		0	0	0	0
Single Family Attached (SFA)	0.55		0	0	0	0
Multifamily (MF)	0.28	507	61	34	47	142
Total Students			61	34	47	142
Capital Costs			Elementary School Cost (FY 2023 CIP)	Middle School Cost (FY 2023 CIP)	High School Cost (FY 2023 CIP)	Total Capital Expenditure
School Cost			\$57,460,000	\$115,990,000	\$164,165,000	
Capacity			960	1445	2100	
Per Pupil Cost			\$59,854	\$80,270	\$78,174	
Project's Capital Costs			\$3,653,666	\$2,734,827	\$3,662,193	\$10,050,686
Annual Operational Costs			FY 2022 Adopted Per Pupil Cost	Student Generation Total	Annual Operational Costs	
			\$17,120	142	\$2,430,355	
School Facility Information			Elementary School (Grades K-5)	Middle School (Grades 6-8)	High School (Grades 9-12)	
2021-2022 School Attendance Zone			Steuart W. Weller	Belmont Ridge	Riverside	
September 30, 2021 Student Enrollment			649	1055	1822	
2021-22 Base Building Capacity			904	1227	1861	

ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY SCHOOL SUMMARY: ASHBURN

General Planning District Description

North of Route 267 (Dulles Greenway), East of Goose Creek, South of the Potomac River, West of Route 28 (Sully Road)

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ASHBURN ES	697	521	509	188	73%	466	231	67%	447	250	64%	431	266	62%	421	276	60%	411	286	59%
BELMONT STATION ES	812	721	723	89	89%	703	109	87%	725	87	89%	689	123	85%	690	122	85%	680	132	84%
CEDAR LANE ES	812	736	706	106	87%	675	137	83%	678	134	83%	637	175	78%	640	172	79%	633	179	78%
DISCOVERY ES	983	679	665	318	68%	645	338	66%	628	355	64%	623	360	63%	611	372	62%	613	370	62%
DOMINION TRAIL ES	697	597	556	141	80%	538	159	77%	520	177	75%	491	206	70%	481	216	69%	491	206	70%
NEWTON-LEE ES	904	631	622	282	69%	596	308	66%	599	305	66%	577	327	64%	568	336	63%	555	349	61%
SANDERS CORNER ES	697	461	446	251	64%	444	253	64%	465	232	67%	472	225	68%	471	226	68%	463	234	66%
SELDENS LANDING ES	904	580	555	349	61%	556	348	62%	578	326	64%	580	324	64%	590	314	65%	575	329	64%
STEUART W WELLER ES	904	649	602	302	67%	594	310	66%	588	316	65%	581	323	64%	588	316	65%	582	322	64%
	7410	5575	5384	2026		5217	2193		5228	2182		5081	2329		5060	2350		5003	2407	

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BELMONT RIDGE MS	1227	1055	1073	154	87%	1070	157	87%	1022	205	83%	936	291	76%	884	343	72%	922	305	75%
FARMWELL STATION MS ^A	1246	1117	1076	170	86%	1067	179	86%	1037	209	83%	993	253	80%	926	320	74%	849	397	68%
TRAILSIDE MS	1265	1141	1129	136	89%	1126	139	89%	1070	195	85%	1065	200	84%	1013	252	80%	1046	219	83%
	3738	3313	3278	460		3263	475		3129	609		2994	744		2823	915		2817	921	

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BROAD RUN HS	1856	1575	1581	275	85%	1601	255	86%	1598	258	86%	1581	275	85%	1558	298	84%	1521	335	82%
RIVERSIDE HS	1861	1822	1803	58	97%	1725	136	93%	1701	160	91%	1713	148	92%	1664	197	89%	1604	257	86%
STONE BRIDGE HS	1731	1739	1793	(62)	104%	1855	(124)	107%	1849	(118)	107%	1853	(122)	107%	1833	(102)	106%	1751	(20)	101%
	5448	5136	5177	271		5181	267		5148	300		5147	301		5055	393		4876	572	

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Residential development detail is provided for approved, but not yet completed, residential projects in LCPS geographic planning districts. Complete, proposed, inactive, and/or age-restricted residential applications are excluded from the below provided information. Utilizing 2021 student generation factors, the number of potential LCPS students has been calculated based on the remaining number of residential units to be constructed.

**Ashburn Planning District
Approved, Unbuilt Residential Development
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Residential Development	Approved Residential Units				Potential LCPS Students			% Complete, as of 9/2021
	SFD	SFA	MF	Total	Elementary School	Middle School	High School	
ASHBROOK RESIDENTIAL	0	0	152	152	18	10	14	0%
ASHBURN STATION/REGENCY	0	0	224	224	27	15	21	0%
GOOSE CREEK VILLAGE EAST	0	0	282	282	34	19	26	0%
LOUDOUN STATION	0	0	924	924	30	17	23	73%
ONE LOUDOUN CENTER	265	397	605	1267	42	24	32	81%
TRAIL VIEW ASHBURN	18	0	0	18	6	3	4	0%
WAXPOOL CROSSING	0	0	400	400	48	27	37	0%
WELLERS CORNER	11	13	0	24	7	4	5	0%
Planning District Total, as of September 2021	294	410	2587	3291	212	118	162	



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October 1, 2021

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RE: ZMAP-2020-0013, SPEX-2020-0009, ZMOD-2020-0030 & 0031 and ZMOD-2021-0019,
Commonwealth Center Residential

Dear Mr. Wackrow:

School Board staff has reviewed the fourth submission materials for the Commonwealth Center Residential application. As there has been no change in the proposed number of residential units, staff offers no further comments from those conveyed on May 6, 2021 and July 28, 2021.

Thank you for the additional opportunity to comment on the Commonwealth Center Residential application. Should you require further information, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Beverly I. Tate, Director

c: Scott Ziegler, Superintendent
Kevin Lewis, Chief Operations Officer

Election District: Broad Run



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July 28, 2021

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Dear Mr. Wackrow:

School Board staff has reviewed the third submission materials for the Commonwealth Center Residential application.

With the exception of providing the attached updated assessment based on the revised residential unit count, staff offers no further comments from those originally conveyed on May 6, 2021.

Thank you for the additional opportunity to comment on the Commonwealth Center Residential application. Should you require further information, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Beverly I. Tate, Director

Attachments (3)

c: Scott Ziegler, Superintendent
Kevin Lewis, Assistant Superintendent of Support Services

Election District: Broad Run



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Project Assessment

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Single Family Detached (SFD)	0.86		0	0	0	0
Single Family Attached (SFA)	0.59		0	0	0	0
Multifamily (MF)	0.30	507	67	37	49	153
Total Students			67	37	49	153
Capital Costs			Elementary School Cost (FY 2022 CIP)	Middle School Cost (FY 2022 CIP)	High School Cost (FY 2022 CIP)	Total Capital Expenditure
School Cost			\$54,880,000	\$90,775,000	\$155,605,000	
Capacity			960	1445	2100	
Per Pupil Cost			\$57,167	\$62,820	\$74,098	
Project's Capital Costs			\$3,825,822	\$2,293,184	\$3,606,479	\$9,725,485
Annual Operational Costs			FY 2022 Adopted Per Pupil Cost	Student Generation Total	Annual Operational Costs	
			\$16,709	153	\$2,556,477	
School Facility Information			Elementary School (Grades K-5)	Middle School (Grades 6-8)	High School (Grades 9-12)	
2021-22 School Attendance Zone			Steuart W. Weller	Belmont Ridge	Riverside	
September 30, 2020 Student Enrollment			700	1124	1849	
2020-21 Base Building Capacity			904	1227	1861	

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CEDAR LANE ES	812	770	867	(55)	107%	836	(24)	103%	811	1	100%	821	(9)	101%	808	4	100%	786	26	97%
DISCOVERY ES	983	734	752	231	77%	736	247	75%	702	281	71%	696	287	71%	691	292	70%	681	302	69%
DOMINION TRAIL ES	697	643	670	27	96%	661	36	95%	660	37	95%	657	40	94%	636	61	91%	631	66	91%
NEWTON-LEE ES	904	607	650	254	72%	629	275	70%	584	320	65%	593	311	66%	574	330	63%	565	339	63%
SANDERS CORNER ES	697	449	473	224	68%	453	244	65%	438	259	63%	430	267	62%	420	277	60%	412	285	59%
SELDENS LANDING ES	904	591	616	288	68%	554	350	61%	527	377	58%	528	376	58%	512	392	57%	498	406	55%
STEUART W WELLER ES	904	700	798	106	88%	767	137	85%	755	149	84%	739	165	82%	724	180	80%	713	191	79%
	7410	5764	6216	1194		6026	1384		5826	1584		5808	1602		5668	1742		5559	1851	

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BELMONT RIDGE MS	1227	1124	1132	95	92%	1099	128	90%	1090	137	89%	1047	180	85%	1010	217	82%	981	246	80%
FARMWELL STATION MS ^{A,B}	1246	1149	1142	104	92%	1071	175	86%	1059	187	85%	1016	362	82%	1024	354	74%	1003	375	73%
TRAILSIDE MS	1265	1234	1220	45	96%	1232	33	97%	1261	4	100%	1251	14	99%	1288	(23)	102%	1298	(33)	103%
	3738	3507	3494	244		3402	336		3410	328		3314	556		3322	548		3282	588	

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B - A NINE (9) CLASSROOM ADDITION IS PROPOSED AT FARMWELL STATION MS, TO BE COMPLETE BY THE START OF 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR. THE PROPOSED ADDITION WILL REMOVE THE TWO (2) MODULAR CLASSROOMS; ANTICIPATED CAPACITY FOR FARMWELL STATION MS IN FALL 2024 IS 1378.

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STONE BRIDGE HS	1731	1778	1833	(102)	106%	1851	(120)	107%	1853	(122)	107%	1835	(104)	106%	1820	(89)	105%	1844	(113)	107%
	5448	5211	5299	149		5330	118		5285	163		5211	237		5106	342		5026	422	

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ASHBURN CHASE (Regency @ Belmont)	0	0	96	96	13	7	9	0%
ASHBURN STATION/REGENCY	0	0	224	224	30	16	22	0%
ASHBURN OVERLOOK	0	71	0	71	5	3	4	73%
GOOSE CREEK VILLAGE EAST	0	0	282	282	37	20	27	0%
LOUDOUN STATION	0	0	924	924	33	18	24	73%
ONE LOUDOUN CENTER	265	376	446	1067	31	17	22	67%
TRAIL VIEW ASHBURN	0	0	46	46	6	3	4	0%
WELLERS CORNER	11	8	0	19	6	3	5	0%
Planning District Total, as of September 2020	276	455	2170	2881	180	98	131	



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RE: ZMAP-2020-0013, SPEX-2020-0009 & ZMOD-2020-0030 & 0031
Commonwealth Center Residential

Dear Mr. Wackrow:

School Board staff has reviewed the second referral of the referenced application for Commonwealth Center Residential; comments are provided specific to the zoning map amendment (ZMAP-2020-0013). Based on 2019 Loudoun County Public Schools (LCPS) Ashburn planning district student generation factors, the proposed 494 multifamily residential units will generate a total of 148 school-age children upon build-out: 65 elementary school-age children (grades K-5), 36 middle school-age children (grades 6-8), and 47 high school-age children (grades 9-12). The attached assessment outlines the operational and capital impact of the project on LCPS.

Staff has also included a six-year student enrollment overview of LCPS Ashburn planning district schools, as well as details on approved, unbuilt residential development within the same area, for County staff and policy makers to assess regarding the overall impact of the project on area elementary and secondary schools. The information detail is an excerpt from the *School Board Adopted FY 2022-FY 2027 Capital Improvement Program*, dated December 15, 2020.

A review of Loudoun's approved residential development suggests that LCPS can anticipate an additional 10,000 students over the next six years. This calculation does not embody children who are currently being served by LCPS nor does it include future potential students from additional proposed rezonings and/or by-right developments. Not only do student demographics within existing subdivisions change annually and over time, but additional residential projects will also impact the future enrollments and capacity of area schools.

As calculations indicate that public schools account for a significant portion of Loudoun's capital expenditure costs, School Board staff requests that a proportionate share of the applicant's capital facility contribution be set aside specifically for public school capital projects. This designation should be noted in the proffer statement for Commonwealth Center Residential. In the LCPS Ashburn planning district, major renovations and rehabilitation projects at existing school facilities are being reviewed and initiated by the School Board. The associated costs are significant, and the proffer dollars would help offset such expenditures.

Mr. Paul Wackrow

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May 6, 2021

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And finally, safe walking paths remain an important concern for the School Board, staff, and parents of children who attend our schools. The provided Vehicular & Pedestrian Circulation Map (sheet 8), dated March 2021, illustrates construction of sidewalks and trails throughout the development; this is noted and appreciated.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the second referral of Commonwealth Center Residential application. The School Board is concerned about all land development applications. Capital facility expenditures and operational costs are significantly impacted by each approved residential project, and both can be anticipated to increase with each additional school-age child that resides in Loudoun County.

Should you require further information, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Tate", with a horizontal line extending to the right.

Beverly I. Tate, Director

Attachments (3)

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Kevin Lewis, Assistant Superintendent

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December 29, 2020

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Leesburg, Virginia 20175

RE: ZMAP-2020-0013, SPEX-2020-0009 & ZMOD-2020-0030 & 0031
Commonwealth Center Residential

Dear Ms. Marsh:

School Board staff has reviewed the referenced application for Commonwealth Center Residential; comments are provided specific to the zoning map amendment (ZMAP-2020-0013). Based on 2019 Loudoun County Public Schools (LCPS) Ashburn planning district student generation factors, the proposed 526 multifamily residential units will generate a total of 157 school-age children upon build-out: 69 elementary school-age children (grades K-5), 38 middle school-age children (grades 6-8), and 50 high school-age children (grades 9-12). The attached assessment outlines the operational and capital impact of the project on LCPS.

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A review of Loudoun's approved residential development suggests that LCPS can anticipate an additional 10,000 students over the next six years. This calculation does not embody children who are currently being served by LCPS nor does it include future potential students from additional proposed rezonings and/or by-right developments. Not only do student demographics within existing subdivisions change annually and over time, but additional residential projects will also impact the future enrollments and capacity of area schools.

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And finally, safe walking paths remain an important concern for the School Board, staff, and parents of children who attend our schools. The provided Vehicular & Pedestrian Circulation Map (sheet 8), dated November 2020, illustrates construction of sidewalks and trails throughout the development; this is noted and appreciated.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on Commonwealth Center Residential application. The School Board is concerned about all land development applications. Capital facility expenditures and operational costs are significantly impacted by each approved residential project, and both can be anticipated to increase with each additional school-age child that resides in Loudoun County.

Should you require further information, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "B. Tate", with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Beverly I. Tate, Director

Attachments (3)

c: Eric Williams, Superintendent
Kevin Lewis, Assistant Superintendent

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Project Assessment

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Loudoun County Public Schools Ashburn Planning District Student Generation Factors, 2019		Housing Units	Elementary School Student Generation	Middle School Student Generation	High School Student Generation	Student Generation Total
			0.44	0.24	0.32	
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