

June 14, 2018

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Re: Kiley Ranch North - Village 9

Dear Jon:

Per your request we are providing this traffic queuing analysis for the gated entries serving the above mentioned project. The project will contain 316 single family detached homes with access provided from Kiley Parkway via Dappled Way and Granary Park Avenue and Wingfield Hills Road via Hoot Owl Avenue. A fourth access is provided on Windmill Farms Parkway but it will be a gated emergency access only.

Trip generation for the project was calculated based on rates obtained from the Ninth Edition of *ITE Trip Generation* (2012). The project is anticipated to generate 199 entering trips during the critical PM peak hour. The trip generation printout is attached. Distribution of the entering PM peak hour trips was estimated based on existing and future peak hour traffic patterns and travel times associated with the internal street layout. It is estimated that 45% of the project trips will use Granary Park Avenue, 35% will use Dappled Way, and 20% will use Hoot Owl Way. Applying these percentages to the 199 entering trips results in 89 entering trips using Granary Park Avenue, 70 entering trips using Dappled Way, and 40 entering trips using Hoot Owl Way.

Per your request the entering trips were adjusted to account for the highest five-minute interval occurring within the peak hour. The highest five-minute period was established by performing manual counts at an existing nearby subdivision access. This access was the west approach of the Sparks Boulevard/Tioga Pass Drive intersection. A peak hour factor of 0.53 was calculated based on the five-minute count tabulations at the existing neighborhood access. The hourly trips at the accesses were subsequently adjusted to account for the highest five-minute interval occurring within the peak hour. Table 1 shows a summary of the distribution, unadjusted PM peak hour trip assignment, and adjusted PM peak hour trip assignment at the three accesses.

	TABLE 1	PRAFFIC VOLUMES	
	HOURLY PM PEAK HOUR T		ADJUSTED
GATED ACCESS	DISTRIBUTION	UNADJUSTED ENTERING TRIPS	ENTERING TRIPS
Granary Park Avenue	45%	89	168
Dappled Way	35%	70	132
Hoot Owl Avenue	20%	40	75

Queuing was subsequently reviewed for the gated entries based on information obtained from the ITE Publication Transportation and Land Development. Figure 8-9 from this publication calculates average queue length based on a utilization factor that is calculated by dividing the peak hour demand by the anticipated service capacity. As shown in Table 1, the peak hour demand is the 168 vehicles per hour at Granary Park Avenue, 132 vehicles per hour at Dappled Way, and 75 vehicles per hour at Hoot Owl Avenue. A standard gate service time of 30 seconds per vehicle results in a maximum service capacity of 120 vehicles per hour. The peak hour demand divided by the service capacity yields utilization factors of 1.4 at Granary Park Avenue, 1.1 at Dappled Way, and 0.625 at Hoot Owl Avenue. Per the attached Figure 8-9, these utilization factors correspond to a maximum queue length of 14 vehicles (350 feet based on a 25 foot vehicle length) at Granary Park Avenue and Dappled Way and an average queue length of 5 vehicles (125 feet) at Hoot Owl Avenue. The site plan indicates that the distance between the on-site median nose and the visitor call box is ± 55 feet at Granary Park Avenue, ±35 feet at Dappled Way, and ±50 feet at Hoot Owl Avenue. These distances will not accommodate the calculated queue lengths. Queuing was subsequently reviewed for faster gate service times of 10 and 20 seconds per vehicle. Table 2 shows the average queue lengths for the various gate service times.

TABLE 2 AVERAGE QUEUE LENGTHS					
	AVAILABLE	AVERAGE GATE SERVICE TIME			
GATED ACCESS	ATED ACCESS QUEUE LENGTH	30 SECONDS	20 SECONDS	10 SECONDS	
Granary Park Avenue	±55'	350'	350	50'	
Dappled Way	±35'	350'	200'	25'	
Hoot Owl Avenue	±50°	125'	50'	25'	

As shown in Table 2, average gate service times of 10 seconds per vehicle are required at Granary Park Avenue and Dappled Way and 20 seconds per vehicle is required at Hoot Owl Avenue. It should be noted that the queuing calculations are based on only one vehicle entering per gate opening. It is suggested that initially the entry gates be designed with sensing devices that keep them from closing if a successive vehicles are in the queue. The entry gates may ultimately need to remain open during the 4:00 to 6:00 PM period or other peak arrival times if queuing problems are observed after project buildout.

We trust that this information will meet your requirements. Please contact us if you have any questions or comments.

Enclosures
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Trip Generation Summary - Alternative 1

Project: New Project Alternative: Alternative 1

Open Date: 6/4/2018 Analysis Date: 6/4/2018

	Average Daily Trips		AM Peak Hour of Adjacent Street Traffic		PM Peak Hour of Adjacent Street Traffic				
ITE Land Use	Enter_	_Exit	<u>Total</u>	Enter	Exit	Total	Enter	_Exit_	Total
210 SFHOUSE 1	1504	1504	3008	59	178	237	199	117	316
316 Dwelling Units									
Unadjusted Volume	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Internal Capture Trips	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pass-By Trips	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Volume Added to Adjacent Streets	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Total AM Peak Hour Internal Capture = 0 Percent
Total PM Peak Hour Internal Capture = 0 Percent

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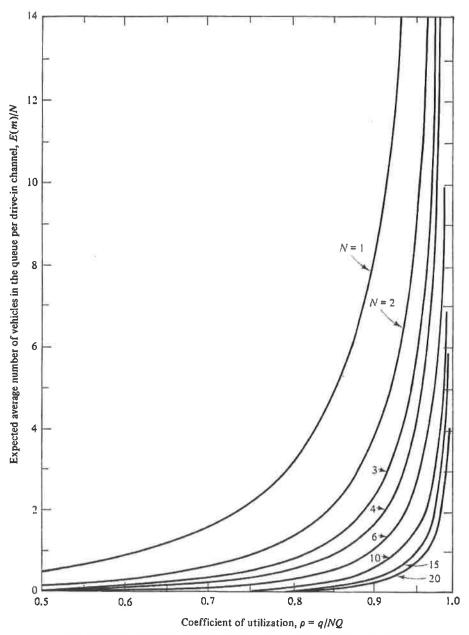


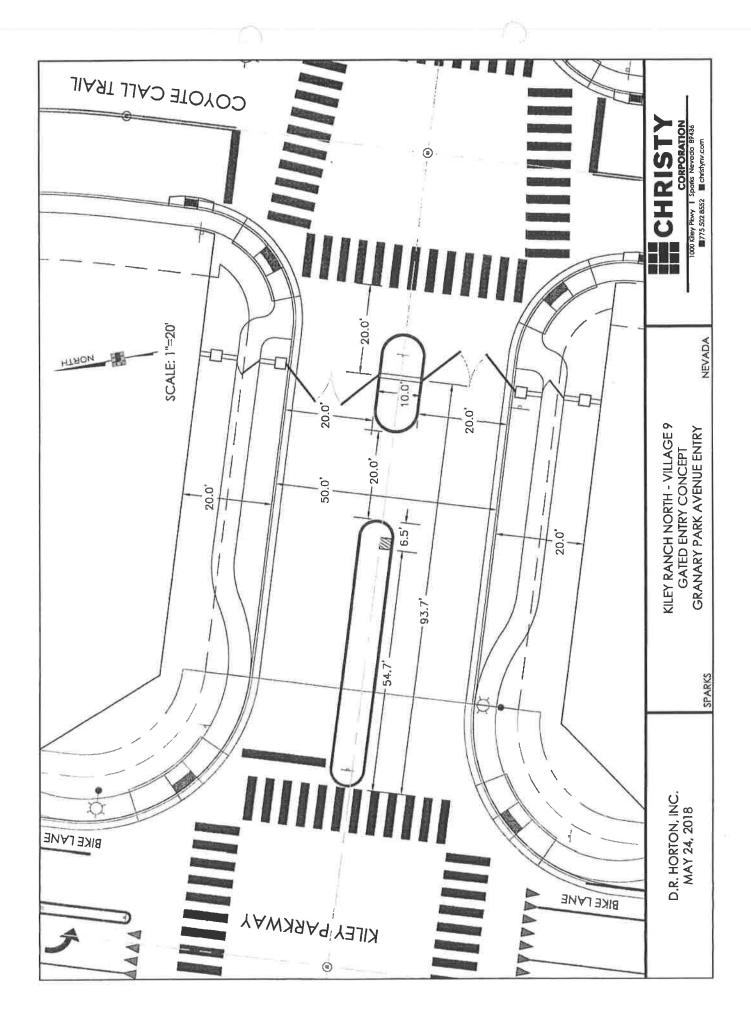
Figure 8-9 Average queue length per service position [E(m)/N] values]. SOURCE: Jones, Woods, and Thurgood [4].

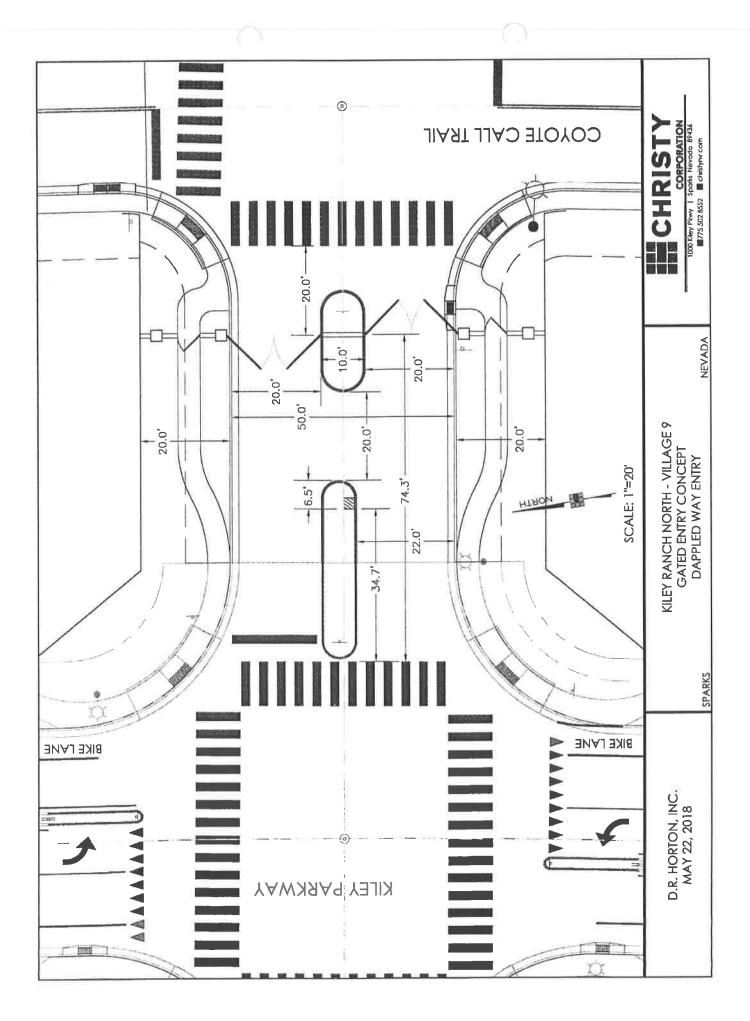
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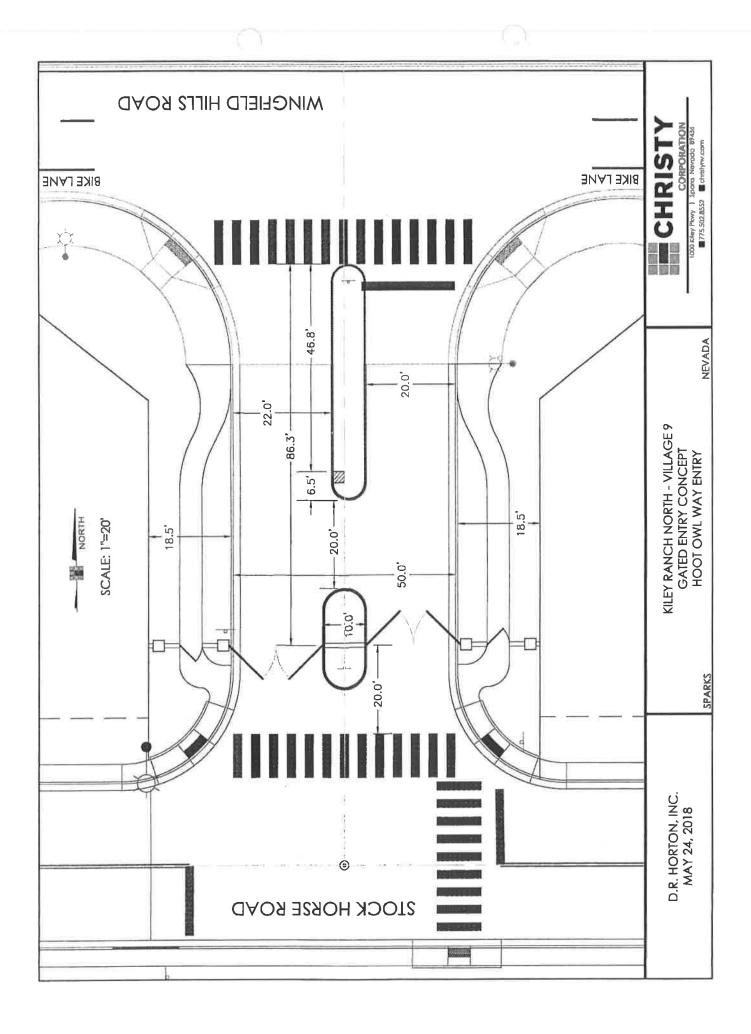
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P(0)	0.05			
E(m)	3	2.97		
E(w)	2.5	2.55		

Example and Case Studies of Required Storage at a Drive-In Bank

Consider the following example of a drive-in bank facility as a demonstration of the use of queueing analysis. Review of a site plan for a proposed bank shows there are six drive-in window positions plus space to store 18 vehicles waiting to be served. In view of its







KILEY RANCH NORTH - VILLAGE 9 PHASING PLAN

