

## GROWTH MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT STAFF REPORT

### PONTE VEDRA OVERLAY DISTRICT

January 25, 2023 Public Meeting ARC 2022-12 Our Lady Star Of The Sea Catholic Church

**To:** Architectural Review Committee

**Staff:** Sloane Stephens, Planner

**Date:** January 18, 2023

**Applicant:** Ken Bringle

CNS Signs

3539 W. Beaver St. Jacksonville, FL 32254

**Location:** 545 A1A N.

**FLUM:** Res-C **Zoning:** PUD

#### **Applicable Ponte Vedra Zoning District Regulations:**

Ordinance 2018-58 – Our Lady Star of the Sea PUD MDP Text

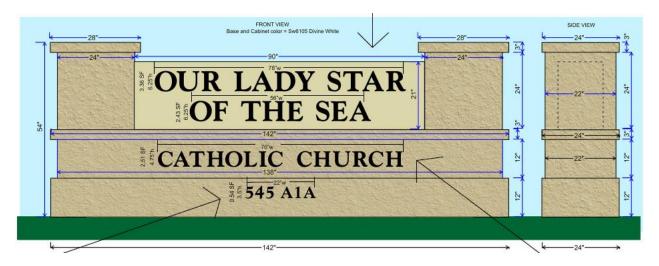
Section VIII.Q – Ponte Vedra Overlay District

The ARC shall be charged with determining compliance with the Development Standards and Criteria of Section Q.5.d Architectural Design Standards and Section Q.5.e, Design Elements and Materials.

**Summary of Request:** Applicant is requesting design approval for a new monument sign for Our Lady Star Of The Sea Catholic Church. Monument sign is to be double-sided and be positioned perpendicular to A1A North. The color of the sign base appears to be tan-beige, with black lettering. Please see attached documents for site plan displaying proposed sign location.

#### **Staff Review**

**Planning Division:** The proposed signage complies with size requirements per Ord. 2018-56. The top portion "OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA" sign face is 13 sf, the middle portion "CATHOLIC CHURCH" is 3 sf, and the bottom portion "545 A1A" is 1 sf. The total copy area is 17 square feet per each side of the sign, which does not exceed the allowed 32 square feet per sign face.



#### Ordinance 2018-58 – Our Lady Star of the Sea PUD MDP Text (provided in part)

Section II.G6: Site Development Criteria

b. Two (2) ground signs, in addition to a wall sign, may be installed in painted or molded letters and shall be on-site. The first sign will be a double face ground sign with each sign face not to exceed 32 square feet. The second ground sign may be double face and each sign face will not exceed 16 square feet. The second ground sign is to serve as a sign for the school.

c. Exempt signs as allowed by Section X.E, PVZDR.

#### <u>PVZDR Section VIII.Q.5</u> – Development Standards and Criteria (provided in part)

#### d. Architectural Design Standards

The pleasing and compatible relationship of architecture along Roads in the Overlay District is of important public concern. The architectural design of Structures and their materials and colors must be visually harmonious with the overall appearance, history, and cultural heritage of Ponte Vedra, and also with natural Land forms and existing vegetation. Compatibility with existing adjacent Structures and other approved development plans must also be considered. The intent of these standards is not to restrain diversity or innovative architecture, but to reduce incompatible and adverse impacts, and to insure an aesthetically pleasing environment. To accomplish this, the following standards shall apply to the review of proposed Buildings, renovations and related site improvements.

- (5) The color and materials of Signs shall be compatible with the architectural style, color and materials of the related commercial or multi-Family Building.
- (6) New ground signs and alterations to existing ground signs requiring an ARC review shall be externally illuminated.

Staff review shows there are no open comments on this application. A Pre-application Meeting was not held with the Planning Division. Attached for consideration are:

Application Site Plan Drawings

#### **CORRESPONDENCE**

No correspondence has been received since the writing of this report.

#### SUGGESTED ACTION TO APPROVE

The Design Review Board may consider a motion to approve ARC 2022-12 Our Lady Star of the Sea, as described within the application, provided:

1. The request complies with the Ponte Vedra Zoning District Regulations relating to design standards and is consistent with the intent and purpose of the Ponte Vedra Zoning and Overlay Regulations.

#### SUGGESTED ACTION TO DENY

The Design Review Board may consider a motion to deny ARC 2022-12 Our Lady Star of the Sea, provided:

1. The request does not comply with the Ponte Vedra Zoning District Regulations; the proposed design standards are not compatible with the purpose and intent of the Ponte Vedra Zoning and Overlay Regulations.



# Application for Overlay District Review Growth Management Department Planning and Zoning Section

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Date 11-16-22		Overlay District Ponte Vedra	Property ID No (Strap) 0614450000	
Applicant	CNS Signs		Phone Numb	per 904 425-3363
Address	3539 W. Beaver St.		Fax Number	
City	Jacksonville	State FL Zip Code 32254	E-mail cnss	gns100@gmail.com
Project Name OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC CHURCH				
Project Address & Location 545 A1A N. PONTE VEDRA BEACH, FL 32082				
Type of Review X Commercial Use Multi-family Use Other:				
The Project Involves Check all that apply  Unified Sign Plan Fences / Walls Parking / Lighting Landscaping / Buffers  Other:  Describe Project and work proposed to be done (Provide additional information by attachment as needed)				
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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ALL INFORMATION IS CORRECT: Signature of owner or person authorized to represent this application: Signed By				
Printed or typed name(s) KEN BRINGLE				
Contact Information of person to receive all correspondence if different than applicant:				
Phone Nu	ımber	Fax Number	E-mail	
Postal Ad	dress		Name	
City		State Zip Code		
Please notify the Planning and Zoning Section at 904.209.0675 if you need any special assistance or accommodations to attend the meeting or if you have any questions concerning this application.				
Please list any applications currently under review or recently approved which may assist in the review of this application including the name of the PUD/PRD:				

