

cityofnovi.org

**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
CITY OF NOVI
Community Development Department
(248) 347-0415**

Case No. 12-007 WALMART 26090 INGERSOL DR

Location: 26090 INGERSOL DR

Zoning District: TC, Town Center District

The applicant is requesting a variance from Section 28-5(2)b.1.(a)(i)a of the City of Novi Sign Code to allow a 298 square foot oversize wall sign and 28-5 (3) to allow 4 additional wall signs beyond the sign wall sign permitted for new retail use. The property is located east of Novi Road and south of Crescent Blvd.

Ordinance Sections:

CITY OF NOVI, CODE OF ORDINANCES, Sign Code Section 28-5(2)b.1.(a)(i)a allows 1.25 square feet of signage per linear foot of continuous public or private street frontage up to a maximum of 65 square feet.

CITY OF NOVI, CODE OF ORDINANCES, Sign Code Section 28-5(3) permits only one sign for this business.

Allowable sign area:	65 square feet
Proposed sign area:	298 square feet
Variance required:	233 square feet

Maximum allowable number of signs:	1
Proposed number of signs:	5
Variance required:	allowance of 4 additional signs (129 square feet)

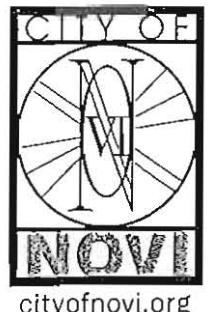
City of Novi Staff Comments:

The petitioner is requesting the oversize and additional signage for a new 149,000 square foot retail facility. The footprint of the space is certainly recognized as larger than most of the individual retail stores in the area, but must be balanced with the intent of the scale and place intended to be created by the Town Center District. Staff does not support the request as the failure to grant relief will not unreasonably prevent or limit the use of the property and will not result in substantially more than mere inconvenience or inability to attain a higher economic or financial return.

Standards for Granting a Sign Variance

- The request is based upon circumstances or features that are exceptional and unique to the property and do not result from conditions that exist generally in the City or that are self-created.

- The failure to grant relief will unreasonably prevent or limit the use of the property and will result in substantially more than mere inconvenience or inability to attain a higher economic or financial return.
- The grant of relief will not result in a use of structure that is incompatible with or unreasonably interferes with adjacent or surrounding properties, will result in substantial justice being done to both the applicant and adjacent or surrounding properties, and is not inconsistent with the spirit of the ordinance.



January 23, 2012

Jacki Cook -Haxby
SAIC Energy, Environmental & Infrastructure LLC
60 East Plato Boulevard
Suite 300
St. Paul, Minnesota 55107

RE: WAL-MART STORE #5893-00 – 26090 INGERSOL DR

The sign permits for the above location have been reviewed and DENIED.

Sign Code Section 28-5(2)b.1.(a)(i)a. permits 1-1/4 square foot of signage for each lineal foot of frontage of the business up to a maximum of 65 square feet. The proposed "Wal-Mart" sign is 298 square feet.

Sign Code Section 28-5 (3) permits only one sign for this business, therefore the "Home & Pharmacy", "Outdoor Living", "Market" and "Recycle" signs are not permitted.

Your application for the Zoning Board of Appeals has been received. Should you have any questions regarding the Zoning Board of Appeals hearing please contact the board secretary, Angie Pawlowski , at 248-347-0459.

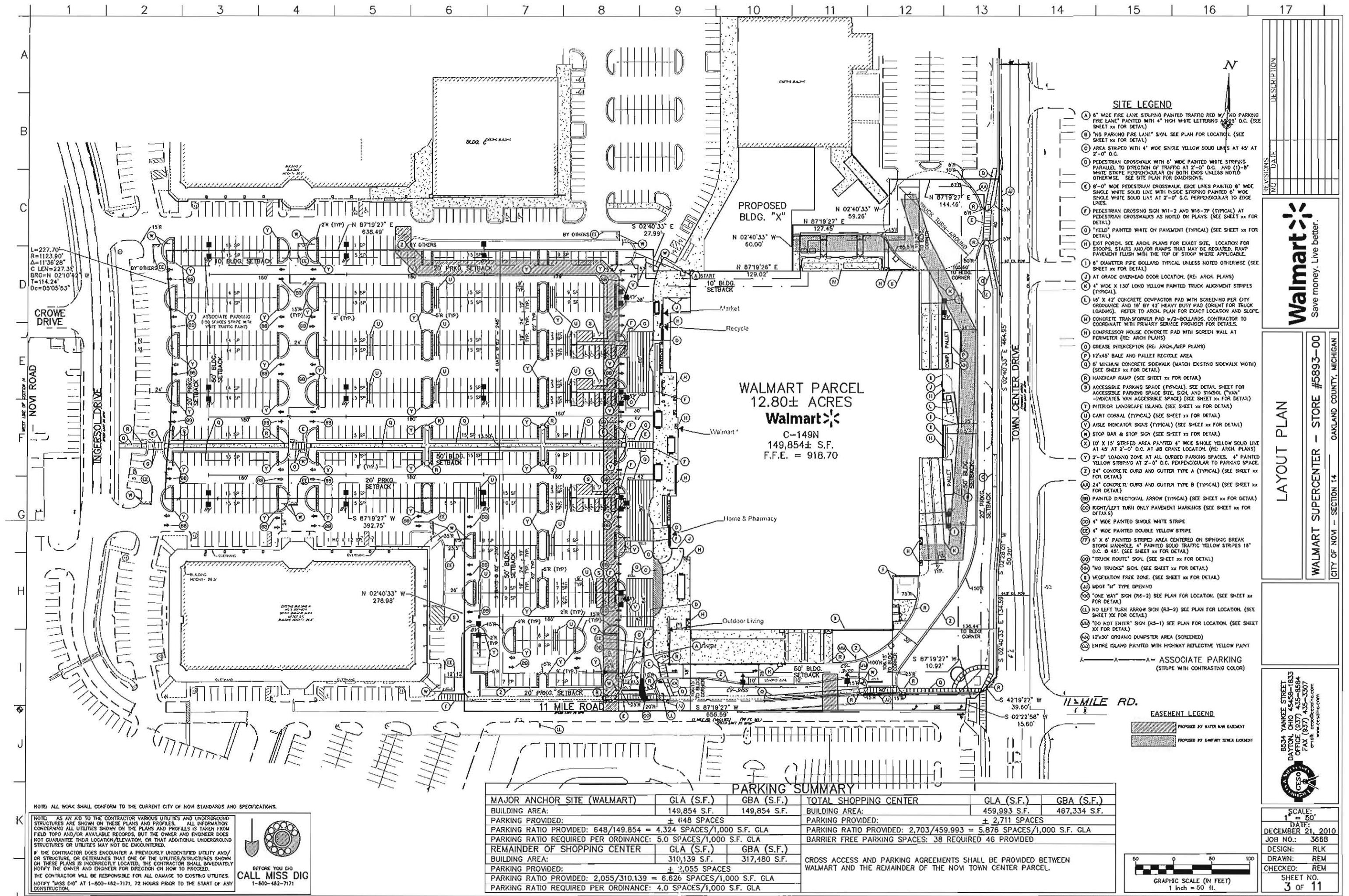
If you have any questions please contact me at 248-347-0438.

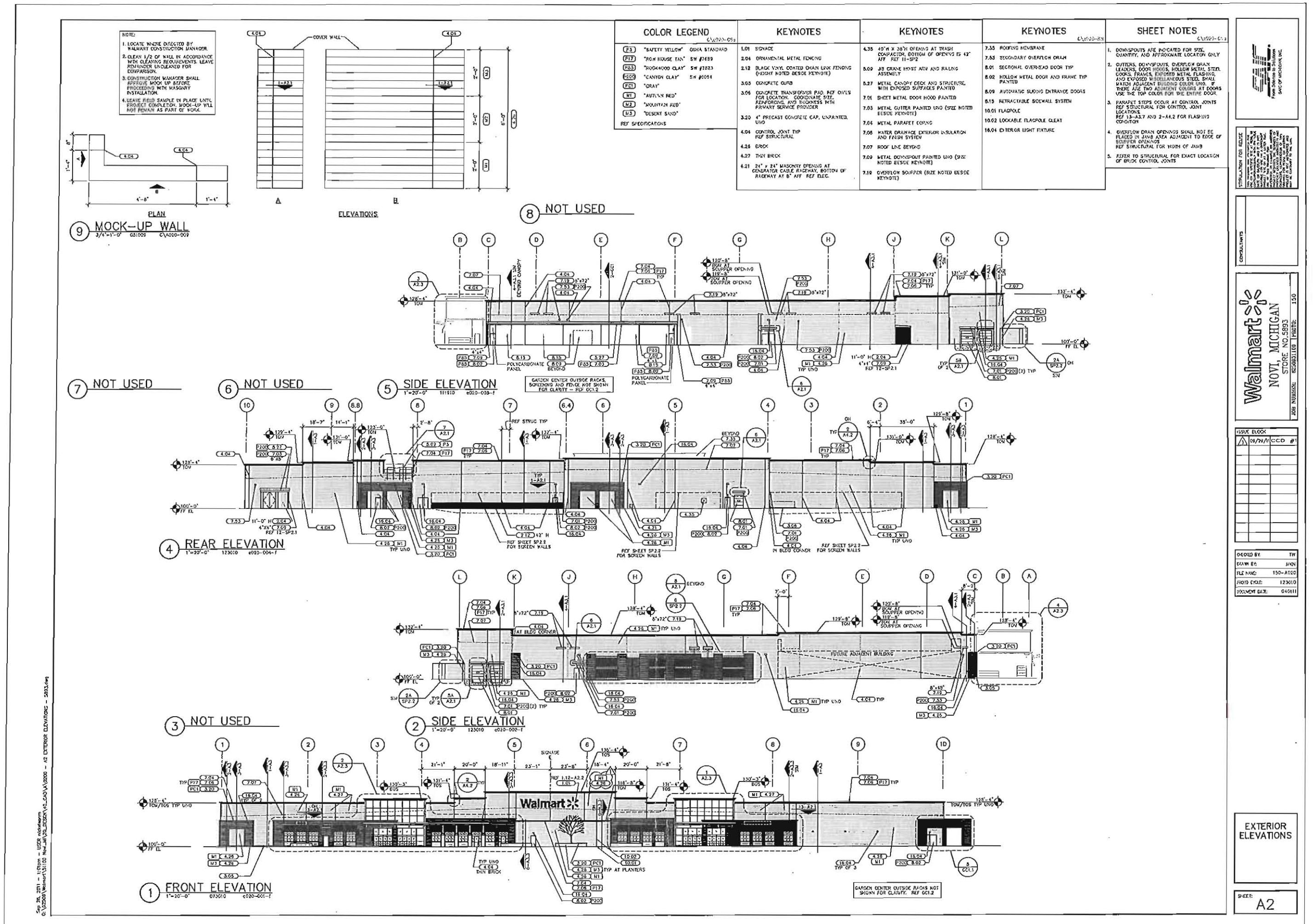
Sincerely,

CITY OF NOVI

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeannie Niland".

Jeannie Niland
Ordinance Enforcement Officer





SITE SIGNAGE SCHEDULE				2022 SITE 043010	BUILDING SIGNAGE SCHEDULE					CAVA02-SEN 123010
SIGNAGE	CITY	COLOR	INDIVIDUAL AREA	TOTAL AREA	FRONT SIGNAGE		QTY	COLOR	INDIVIDUAL AREA	TOTAL AREA
Horizontal E-Form (INTERNALLY ILLUMINATED)	1	WHITE LETTERING, YELLOW SPARKS	8,000 SF	8,000 SF	Hyattel F (sparks)		1	WHITE	238.00 SF	238.00 SF
					MAIL		1	WHITE	10,13 SF	10,13 SF
					Hort & Pharmacy		1	WHITE	35,13 SF	35,13 SF
					Outdoor Living		1	WHITE	77,17 SF	77,17 SF
					Recycles		1	WHITE	6,13 SF	6,13 SF
TOTAL SITE SIGNAGE				\$3,00 SF	TOTAL FRONT SIGNAGE					426.56 SF
					TOTAL BUILDING SIGNAGE					426.56 SF

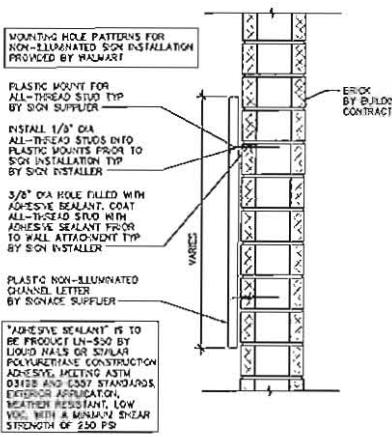


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Wallnight's
NOVI, MICHIGAN
STORE NO. 5693

BLOCK

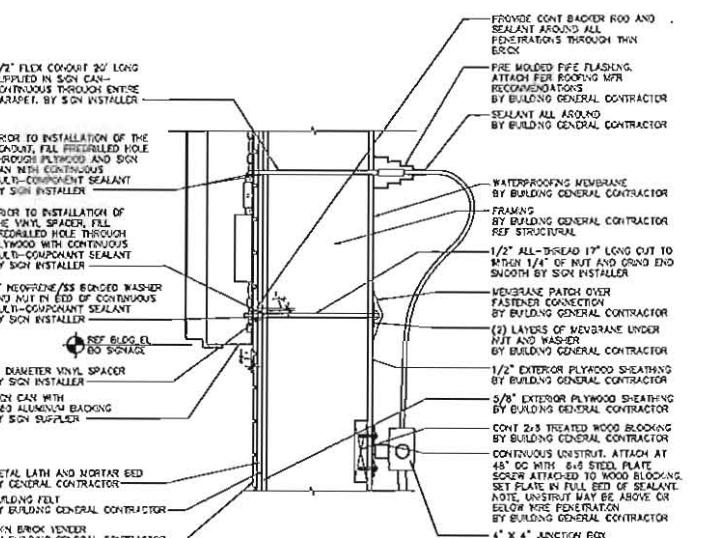
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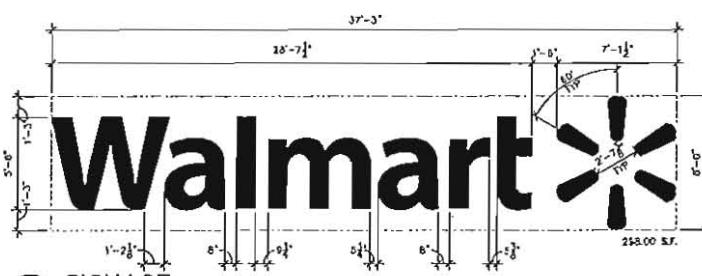
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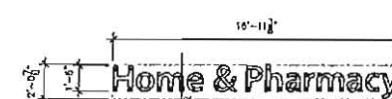
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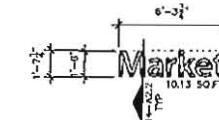
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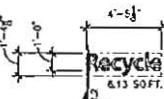
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4 18" HOME & PHARMACY SIGNAGE



3) 18" MARKET SIGNAGE



2 12" RECYCLE SIGNAGE

City of Novi
WalMart

Wal-Mart

