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July 21, 2017
John K. Adler
Director, Community Development Department
Village of Wilmette
1200 Wilmette Avenue
Wilmette, IL 60091
Re: Artis Senior Living Planned Unit Development 333-357 Ridge Road Pre-Application Meeting Documents

Dear Mr. Adler,
Artis Senior Living is pleased to present the enclosed materials in compliance with the Village of Wilmette Planned Unit Development pre-application meeting requirements.

Enclosed with this correspondence please find the following:

- Plat of survey for the subject property;
- Written description of the proposed planned unit development;
- Concept plans, including site plan and floor plans;
- List of proposed modifications sought pursuant to Section 20-6.5 of the Village Zoning Ordinance;
- Information concerning Artis Senior Living and list of similar projects.

Please let me know if you need additional information for the pre-application meeting. We look forward to working with you and the Village of Wilmette on this project.


## cc: Jay Hicks

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Artis Senior Living Planned Unit Development<br>333-357 Ridge Road<br>Wilmette, IL

## Written Description of Proposed Planned Unit Development

Artis Senior Living proposes to redevelop the existing Will-Ridge Plaza located at 333357 Ridge Road into a 64 -unit assisted living memory care facility. Artis will demolish the existing shopping center and build a new facility.

The subject parcel is currently zoned NR (Neighborhood Retail) and contains 52,261 square feet.

The assisted living memory care facility is defined as a "Residential Care Facility" under the Village's Zoning Ordinance. Residential Care Facilities are permitted as a special use in the NR zoning district.

The proposed development is a single three-story building, which will be approximately 49 feet in height. The building will contain approximately 45,537 square feet of climatecontrolled area, and will have an indoor first floor parking area of 19,221 square feet.

The vehicular and pedestrian entrances to the facility will be located on Ridge Road. There will be no access or entrance to the facility from Wilmette Avenue.

The first floor of the building will contain the lobby, offices, storage and other ancillary or supportive uses. There will be 45 parking spaces located at the ground level in the rear of the facility, and 10 spaces in the front of the facility, for a total of 55 parking spaces. Residents in the facility are unable to drive and are not permitted to leave the facility unescorted.

The second floor of the building will contain 32 residential units, with a common area lounge and other facilities, and a raised landscaped courtyard which will be directly accessible from the second floor.

The third floor of the building will contain another 32 memory care units, with a common area lounge and other resident facilities.

The residents of the units will be individuals suffering from Alzheimer's disease or related dementias who are unable to live on their own.

There is demand for assisted living and memory care facilities within the Village of Wilmette and surrounding areas, especially in areas located east of I-94.

Artis Senior Living previously held a community meeting on June 28, 2017. Artis publicized the meeting by mailing notice to property owners within 250 feet of the subject property. Approximately 20 nearby residents attended the community meeting, and reaction to the proposed development appeared positive.

## Artis Senior Living Background Information and Similar Projects

Artis Senior Living, LLC, is a premier developer-owner-operator of assisted living residences.

Artis is a Bainum family-owned company. The Bainums have successfully started, grown and invested in businesses in health care, hospitality, storage, real estate development, multi-family housing, pharmacy, acute care hospitals, and sub-acute rehabilitation, and construction since 1944. Stewart Bainum, Sr. made initial investments in nursing home development and ownership in the late 1950's and early 1960's, which led to the formation of Manor Care, Inc. He also founded Choice Hotels International (NYSE: CHH). In 1998, after almost 40 years of control, the Bainum family sold their interest in Manor Care to HCR of Toledo, OH.

The Artis portfolio includes nine operating residences, located throughout the country: Great Falls, Virginia, Reading, Massachusetts, Huntingdon Valley, Pennsylvania, Boca Raton, Florida, Olney, Maryland, Evesham Township, New Jersey, Branford, Connecticut and Mason and Bridgetown, Ohio.

Artis has nine additional projects under construction, and more than 20 sites under contract and in various stages of planning and development.

Artis' portfolio includes projects currently under construction in Chicago (136 units), Bartlett ( 64 units) and Elmhurst (72 units).

Almost every Artis residence has a memory care focus and are dedicated entirely to serving seniors affected by Alzheimer's and other forms of dementia.

Jay Hicks, Senior Vice-President of Development, is the contact person for Artis' Wilmette project. Jay has over 25 years of experience in real estate development and planning in both the private and public sectors. His experience in senior health care and housing includes positions as Director of Development at Manor Care, Inc. and the Vice President of Development at Somerford Corp. Prior to Artis, Jay served as the Managing Director of Planning and Real Estate in the Bureau of Overseas Building Operations at the US Department of State. The remainder of his experience includes positions in real estate development in the Washington, D.C. area and as a municipal planner in Michigan and Virginia.

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## MODIFICATIONS REQUESTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 20-6.5

The proposed Planned Unit Development requires approval of the following modifications from the NR Zoning District Regulations:

1. Height: Height of the building is 49 feet and 3 stories (NR Zoning District maximum height is 30 feet / 2.5 stories); and
2. FAR: FAR of the building is 1.35 (NR Zoning District maximum FAR is 1.0 ).

Zoning | Wilmette, IL Pre-Application Requirements
(F) A list of similar projects by the applicant including:
i. Project Name and Location
ii. Brief Description of Overall Size
iii. Square Footage of Each Use
iv. Number of Residential Units

## Residences in Operation

| (i) | (ii) | (iii) | (iv) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Mason, OH | 1-story | 30,187 | 64 |
| Evesham, NJ | 1-story | 33,368 | 64 |
| Boca Raton, FL | 2-story | 37,531 | 64 |
| Branford, CT | 1-story | 33,368 | 64 |
| Reading, MA | 2-story | 36,125 | 64 |
|  | 1-story |  |  |
| Huntingdon Valley, PA |  | 33,556 | 72 |
| Bridgetown, OH | 1-story | 30,543 | 64 |
| Olney, MD | 1-story | 30,221 | 64 |
| Great Falls, VA | 1-story | 32,000 | 60 |
| Residences Under Construction |  |  |  |
| Chicago, IL | 5-story | 96,056 | 140 |
| Davie, FL | 1-story | 34,710 | 72 |
| Bethel Park, PA | 1-story | 33,736 | 72 |
| Lemoyne, PA | 1-story | 30,543 | 64 |
| Elmhurst, IL | 1-story | 33,735 | 72 |
| Bartlett, IL | 2-story | 37,081 | 64 |
| Princeton Junction, PA | 1-story | 33,552 | 72 |
| Lower Makefield, PA | 1-story | 35,000 | 72 |
| Brick, NJ |  |  |  |
| Residences in Development | TBD | TBD | 72 |
| Eatontown, NJ | TBD | TBD | 72 |
| Tarrytown, NY | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Mayfield Village, OH | TBD | TBD | 72 |
| Stamford, CT | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Louisville, KY | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Wilmette, IL | TBD | TBD | 72 |
| Florham Park, NJ | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Woodbury, MN |  |  |  |


| Somers, NY | TBD | TBD | 72 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Cold Spring Harbor, NY | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Commack, NY | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Potomac, MD | TBD | TBD | 72 |
| Metuchen, NJ | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Lexington, MA | TBD | TBD | 72 |
| Lorton, VA | TBD | TBD | 80 |
| Briarcliff, NY | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Chestnut Ridge, NY | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Hastings, NY | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| Agoura Hills, CA | TBD | TBD | 64 |
| San Marcos, CA | TBD | TBD | 64 |

## v. Financing

Artis is a well-financed company. For each project, we use a combination of equity and debt (from a variety of sources) to finance our residences.
vi. Project Costs

Project costs vary widely based on the region of the county, the amount of site work, and the type of building.

## vii. Project Construction Duration

For our completed projects, average construction duration is 12 months.

## viii. Project Completion Dates

Mason, OH
Evesham, NJ
Boca Raton, FL
Branford, CT
Reading, MA
Huntingdon
Valley, PA
Bridgetown, OH
Olney, MD
Great Falls, VA November 1, 2010
ix. Photographs or Renderings

See Exhibit I for photos of completed buildings
x. Marketing Materials

See Exhibit II for a sample of our marketing brochure, which is recreated using this template for each residence.



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## 3. Second \& Third Floor Plan



East Elevation

4. Elevations

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South Elevation

5. Elevations


6. View at Ridge Road

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7. View at Ridge Road/Southwest Corner

8. View at Wilmette Ave./Northwest Corner

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