

BROKEN ARROW CHAMBER

City of Broken Arrow

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City Manager's Office

Mr. Michael Spurgeon
City Manager
City of Broken Arrow

Re: Downtown Residential Overlay District

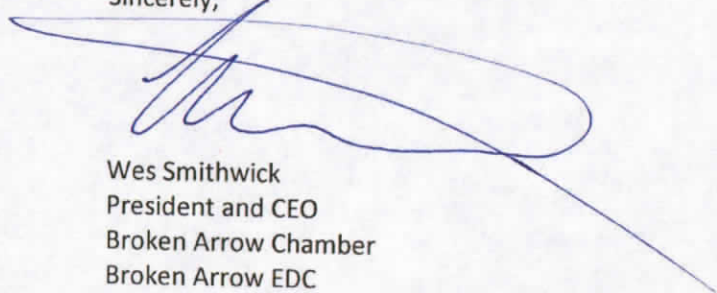
Dear Michael:

In 2015 the Broken Arrow Economic Development Corporation, in conjunction with our work with Rose District development, issued a white paper entitled Rose District 2.0. The EDC board endorsed and recommended that the city implement those items covered in the plan. One of those items was the recommendation that the city commission and implement a residential overlay district that increased density and laid out clear design standards.

Over the past year the EDC team has worked with city staff on this project. Our input and that of residents has been heard and incorporated in the proposed design standards.

I am pleased to say that the EDC board has voted to support the proposed final design standards and encourages the city council and all other relevant city commissions, boards, and authorities to approve.

Sincerely,



Wes Smithwick
President and CEO
Broken Arrow Chamber
Broken Arrow EDC