



August 24, 2025

Memo

To: Redevelopment Authority

From: Jason Gilman, AICP, Project Manager River Point District

RE: August RDA PM Report

The following are some highlights for consideration at the August 28 RDA meeting:

- 1. Coordination with existing developers including:
 - a. Roush who intends to submit his TIF application for lot 12 in September and has updated plans and estimates for the RDA to consider at the September meeting
 - b. RyKey who is progressing on plans for the Gateway project on Lot 9 and the construction progress on lot 8.
 - c. 360 who is in the process of attracting a commercial end cap tenant to the first phase commercial building and who plans a fall or spring construction start.
- 2. Coordination with potential developers on the RFEI issued in July for Lot 6, the Marsh Lane assembly and the outlot 1 opportunity. We have two proposals submitted and a few in conversation. The RDA may consider taking up the review of these proposals at their September 25 meeting.
- 3. We issued an addendum to the landscape contract which includes the maintenance of right of ways and prairie areas.
- 4. We attended a meeting with the Army Corp of Engineers on the marina planning and progress
- 5. We attended a pre-application meeting for a grant from the La Cross Community Foundation to hire a consulting team to put together the details of the **renter equity program** (see the attached draft proposal which is subject to your approval), which could include your consideration of up to \$5,000 in RDA funds matching up to \$20,000 from the Foundation.
- 6. We'll be touching up the cover seed at River Point District this fall or depending on conditions, Spring of 2026.
- 7. We presented the economic development story of River Point District at the La Crosse Area Chamber Leadership event at First Supply in West Salem.
- 8. We met with the La Crosse Area Builders Association (Andrea, Tim and I) to discuss challenges and opportunities in delivering missing middle housing and established a plan to reverse engineer a redevelopment site using a LABA study group.
- 9. We submitted an abstract and have been coordinating the tour and presentation at the Statewide APA-WI conference in La Crosse September 11-12 at River Point District.

Thank you.