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Special Use

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Re: Proposed Gloss Nail Bar
Deerbrook Shopping Center
92 S Waukegan Rd, Deerfield, IL 60015
Project Description

Dear Mr. Nakahara

Gloss Nail Bar is proposing to build our salon in the vacant retail space at 92 S Waukegan Ra, Deerfield, IL 60015. Gloss Nail Bar would provide the community with a luxury nail and spa for the local residents and will bring customers into Deerfield within 30 miles radius into Deerbrook shopping center.

We will take over the space and do a total renovation into a luxury nail salon. No modifications will be made to the exterior façade. The proposed new sinage will meet all local and Deerbrook signage requirements. The existing lighting, landscaping, and parking will remain the same. No new site improvements are proposed.

Gloss Nail Bar will bring a more customer based customers service to cater to clients coming into Deerbrook shopping center. While Deerfield is out 5th locations in the Illinois, we are associated with big brand like Milano Nail Spa and Nail of America (100 locations and counting, Coco Nail Bar (9 Locations), Venezia Nail Spa (10 locations), and much more. Our companies have build a lots of luxury Nail Salon in the Illinois region. Please see below for Gloss Nail Bar Founder and as a builder:

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BUSINESS OWNER & BUILDER



SUMMARY

Business Owner with over 17 years experience in marketing, planning, construction, operation, and purchasing. Build and operated 27 nail salon, restaurant, and Café in the past 16 years. Possesses Bachelor in Computer Science and Certified in Business Management.

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EXPERIENCE

Business Owner & Builder

Salon Locations Build and Owner

- Gloss Nail Bar (Rockford)
- Blush Nail Lounge (Loves Park)
- Lush Nail Bar (Rockford)
- Blush Nail Bar (Roscoe)
- Coco Nails and Beauty (Loves Park)
- Essence Nail & Spa (Rockford)
- Milano Nail Spa (Broadview)
- Venezia Nail Spa (9 locations)
- Gloss Nail Bar – Coming Soon
 - *Machesney Park*
 - *Geneva Commons*
 - *Schaumburg*
 - *Deerfield*
 - *Cherry Valley*

Salon Locations as Builder

- Coco Nail Bar (9 locations)
- Ava Nail Bar (2 locations)
- L.A Nails (Loves Park)
- Happy Nails (Loves Park)
- Beauty Nails & Spa (Beloit, WI)
- Milano Nail Spa (Mount Prospect) – Coming Soon
- Lavish Nail Bar (Machesney Park)
- Royal Nails and Spa (Machesney Park)

SKILLS

- Salon Builder
- Marketing
- Business Operations
- Networking
- Leadership
- Team Building Skilled
- Delegation and Time Management

The proposed operations within our salon are designed to cater to a wide range of age ranges. We offer affordable services and also high end services to cater to everyone in the community. Our services would include pedicure, manicure, and nail related services. We have rooms to cater to appointments clients, walk-ins clients, and also private rooms for birthdays, parties, events. Our goals and dedication is to provide utmost satisfactory services with no clients leave the salon unhappy. We often donate to local events and charity to stay engaged and close to the community.

The typical hours of operations is Monday – Friday: 9AM-7PM, Saturday: 9AM-6PM, Sunday: 10AM-5PM. We do closed on all the National Holidays for our staff to enjoy time with their families.

The estimated numbers of client going into our salon is difficult to determine as nice weather season will bring more clients while bad weather will be much slower. During such the colder season, the Holidays will bring more clients into our salon.

Please see the break down below for the area of the facility. On the average during weekdays, 8-12 staff would work at one time. During the Weekend and Holidays, we would have 12-16 staff to work at one time. The proposed facility's gross square footage is 6,858.

Reception and Polish Station	680 SF (Approximate)
Manicure Area	1,200 SF (Approximate)
Pedicure Area	2,421 SF (Approximate)
Customer Lounge	480 SF (Approximate)
Bathrooms	400 SF (Approximate)
Utility	450 SF (Approximate)
Waxing Room	224 SF (Approximate)
Hallway	1,003 SF (Approximate)

Gloss Nail Bar does not receive many deliveries. We will only have one anticipated deliveries every 2 weeks for our supplies to be brought to our salon.

The following list of items is excluded from this submittal as they are not applicable to the proposed buildout and are to be remains as is.

- Gloss Nail Bar does not propose to put any window signs at this location
- All services is to be done inside our salon
- The exterior landscaping on the property is to remain as is
- The existing rooftop mechanical equipment is to remain as is and is currently screened from view
- The trash area is to remain as is
- The parking lot lighting is to remain as is
- At this time, no proposed sustainable green design elements are being incorporated into this project, as the majority of the work is a Tenant build out
- There is no need for a bike rack for this proposed use.

SPECIAL USE CRITERIA

Does it meet the standards for a Special Use? A Special Use shall be authorized only when the Plan Commission finds all of the following:

1. Compatible with Existing Development

The nature and intensity of the activities involved and the size, placement and design of any structures proposed will be so planned that the Special Use will be compatible with the existing development and will not impede the normal and orderly development and improvement of surrounding property.

The facility will be located at 92 S Waukegan Rd, between Jewel and Marshall.

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2. Lot of Sufficient Size

The current lot will be plenty for Gloss Nail Bar clients and staff in the Deerbrook Shopping center.

3. Traffic

The location of the Special Use within the Village will be such that adverse effects on surrounding properties will be minimal, particularly regarding the traffic generated by the Special Use. This projected increase in daily and peak hour traffic is low and not anticipated to significantly impact operations and capacity along Lake Cook Road and Waukegan Road.

4. Parking and Access

Parking areas will be of adequate size for the particular use and properly. During our slow time, we anticipated to use 20 parking space and a maximum of 40 parking space at peak Summer time and during Holidays.

5. Effect on Neighborhood

In all respects the Special Use will not be significantly or materially detrimental to the health, safety and welfare of the public or injurious to the other property or improvements in the neighborhood, our salon will bring more values property values in the surrounding area.

6. Adequate Facilities

That adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and/or other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

The Deerbrook Shopping Center is serviced by signalized access to Waukegan Road, which provides more than sufficient access. Existing utilities, drainage, and other necessary facilities that already service other uses in the center have been provided.

7. Adequate Buffering

Our operation is on inside the salon. We will not have excessive noise during our relaxation services. Our neighbors in Deerbrook shopping center will not be effected in any ways.

8. If in C-1 Village Center District: That the establishment of the Special Use will not be injurious to the character of the C-1 Village Center D

















