

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Industrial Authority

Urban County Council Work Session June 10, 2025





Background

- Created by Ordinance 87-2017 (Nov. 1, 2018)
 - Sec. 2-515(4) requires the Authority to "submit its proposed budget to the Urban County Council for review and approval" annually
- Eight-member Board appointed by the Mayor, which meets at least quarterly
 - Kevin Atkins, Chief Development Officer, LFUCG
 - Ryan Holmes, Principal/Planner, EHI Consultants
 - Mason Miller, Managing Partner, Miller Edwards Rambicure PLLC
 - Anne-Tyler Morgan, Attorney/Member, McBrayer PLLC
 - Derek Paulsen, Dean, College of Justice, Safety and Military Science, EKU
 - Whitney Baxter, 9th District Councilmember
 - Daryl Smith, Economic Development Manager, LG&E/Kentucky Utilities
 - Mary-Alicha Weldon, City President & Commercial Banking Team Lead, Fifth Third Bank





Memorandum of Understanding – UK & LFUCG

- Resolution 462-2018:
 - Executed an MOU transferring approximately 250 acres of land in or adjacent to the Coldstream Research Campus owned by the University of Kentucky to the LFUCG
 - Transferred certain campus area streets and alleys owned by the LFUCG to the University of Kentucky
 - LFUCG to provide \$100,000 annually for 10 years to fund improvements related to "pedestrian, bicycle, and vehicular safety in and around campus"
- 50 Acre Site: Proceeds of land sales to be used for improvement of the 200 acre site and by UK for other improvements (50/50)
- 200 Acre Site (Legacy Business Park): Transferred in July 2022





Coldstream - 50 Acre Site

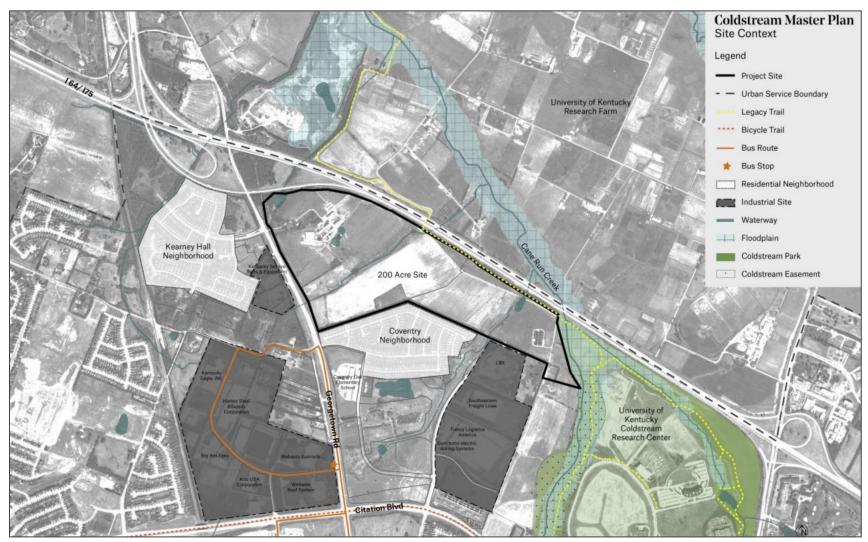
- 50.54 acres total
- 17.07 acres (4 lots) sold
- 33.47 acres (4 lots) remain available
- Zoning: P-2 (University Research Campus)
- 4 lots sold for credit union, corporate office, medical office, and veterinarian office uses







Legacy Business Park







Legacy Business Park

- 200 acres
 - Lots: 147.24 ac.
 - Right-of-Way: 13.42 ac.
 - Greenway Lots: 39.34 ac.
- Legacy Trail extension and community connections
- Flexible lot configuration: can be combined, etc.







Legacy Business Park – Funding

- Project Cost: \$22.6 million
- Project Funding: \$22.6 million
 - \$10 million: HUD Community Project Funding grant
 - \$7,451,790: General fund construction dollars (originally part of \$9.5 million ARPA)
 - \$2,548,210: ARPA funds (design and construction admin.)
 - \$2 million: Kentucky Product Development Initiative (KPDI)
 - \$200,000: LG&E/KU
 - Balance: Land sale proceeds
- Groundbreaking scheduled for June 18th





Industrial Authority Budget

Coldstream Development Project			
BUDGETED REVENUE		LTD	
Sales of Real Property			
Anticipated Open Revenues - Fund 1144	\$	(1,457,897.00)	
Outside Funding			
ARPA - Design Funds	\$	(2,548,210.00)	
General Fund - Capital Project	\$	(7,451,790.00)	
Grant - State - KPDI	\$	(2,000,000.00)	
Grant - Private - LG&E/KU	\$	(200,000.00)	
Anticipated Grant Funding - Committed, Not Received			
Grant - Federal - HUD Community Project Funding	\$	(10,000,000.00)	
TOTAL REVENUE	\$	(23,657,897.00)	
COMMITTED/AUTHORIZED EXPENSE		LTD	
Gresham Smith Pre-Construction/Engineering Contract	\$	3,340,305.00	
BUDGETED EXPENSE			
Legacy Business Park Construction	\$	19,248,000.00	
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$	22,588,305.00	
RESTRICTED FOR			
FUTURE DEVELOPMENT COSTS	\$	(1,069,592.00)	

FY2026 Coldstream Operating Budget			
BUDGETED REVENUE	FY2026		
Use of 1135 - IRB Fund Transfer	\$	-	
FY24 LFUCG General Fund	\$	(146,000.00)	
TOTAL REVENUE/TRANSFER IN	\$	(146,000.00)	
BUDGETED EXPENSE		FY2026	
Professional Services - Legal	\$	50,000.00	
Professional Services - Mowing	\$	72,000.00	
Professional Services - Insurance	\$	5,000.00	
Professional Services - Security	\$	6,000.00	
Professional Services - Other	\$	8,000.00	
Repairs and Maintenance	\$	5,000.00	
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$	146,000.00	
AVAILABLE TO ALLOCATE	\$	-	



Questions?



