APPROVAL STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY WITH COMPREHENSIVE PLAN W-3366 (DOMINION BUILDING, LLC)

The proposed zoning map amendment from MU-S (Mixed Use – Special Use – Two Phase) to RM12-S (Residential, Multifamily – 12 dwelling units per acre maximum density – Special Use) is generally consistent with the recommendations of the *Legacy Comprehensive Plan* to facilitate land patterns that offer a variety of housing choices, and in that activity centers have the potential to accommodate denser mixed-use development, and a good mixed-use design for activity center development or redevelopment ensures attractive, useable, durable and adaptable places, as well as the recommendation of the *South Suburban Area Plan Update (2017)* in that the property is located within the Peters Creek Activity Center which allows for a housing component, especially in suburban areas where new activity centers are being proposed; therefore approval of the request is reasonable and in the public interest because:

- 1. The request is compatible with the surrounding development pattern.
- 2. The estimated traffic generation is significantly less than what could be anticipated under the current zoning.
- 3. The site is located within an activity center.
- 4. The site is a convenient location for apartments within walking distance to a variety of retail and commercial services including two grocery stores.
- 5. The site is served with sidewalks.
- 6. The site is within walking distance to transit service.