The Community Planning Association of Southwest Idaho (COMPASS) is the metropolitan planning organization (MPO) for Ada and Canyon Counties. COMPASS has developed this review as a tool for local governments to evaluate whether land developments are consistent with the goals of Communities in Motion 2050 (CIM 2050), the regional long-range transportation plan for Ada and Canyon Counties. This checklist is not intended to be prescriptive, but rather a guidance document based on CIM 2050 goals.

**Development Name:** Hill Road Apartments  
**CIM Vision Category:** Existing Neighborhood  
**New Jobs:** 0  
**CIM Corridor:** None  
**New Households:** 96

**Safety**
Level of Stress measures how safe and comfortable a bicyclist or pedestrian would feel on a corridor and considers multimodal infrastructure number of vehicle lanes and travel speeds.

- Pedestrian level of stress  
- Bicycle level of stress

**Economic Vitality**
These tools evaluate whether the location of the proposal supports economic vitality by growing near existing public services.

- Activity Center Access  
- Farmland Preservation  
- Net Fiscal Impact  
- Within CIM Forecast

**Convenience**
Residents who live or work less than 1/2 mile from critical services have more transportation choices, especially for vulnerable populations

- Nearest bus stop  
- Nearest public school  
- Nearest public park

**Quality of Life**
Checked boxes indicate that additional information is attached.

- Active Transportation
- Automobile Transportation
- Public Transportation
- Roadway Capacity

**Comments:**
The site is less than 1-mile from State Street/State Highway 44, a planned premium transit corridor. Starting in FY2023, additional transit, pedestrian, and bicycle facilities will be constructed on State Street from Bogart Lane to Downtown Boise (Key # 23179). The project should consider working with Valley Regional Transit on strategies to encourage transit use such as joining the group pass program and for guidance on creating sidewalk connections that can be easily adapted for future transit stops.

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Public Transportation Infrastructure

Providing safe and comfortable transit stops and appropriate amenities can make public transportation a more convenient and competitive option, reduce the overall cost of housing + transportation, and expand the potential customer base for businesses.

While stop location and spacing will depend on the circumstances of the route, there are some general guidelines to improve the user experience:

✓ Provide sidewalks and/or bike paths designed to meet the needs of all users (including elderly, children, and individuals with disabilities) to connect development to transit stops.
✓ Join the Valley Regional Transit group pass program: https://www.valleyregionaltransit.org/group-pass-programs

Roadway Capacity

The COMPASS transportation improvement program (TIP) is a short-range (seven-year) budget of transportation projects for which federal funds are anticipated, along with non-federally funded projects that are regionally significant. Many projects help implement the Complete Network Policy, including adding additional travel lanes to existing roads and building new roadways.

The COMPASS TIP contains additional information about short-range capital projects.
Fiscal Impact Analysis Supplemental for the Development Review Checklist

The purpose of the fiscal impact analysis is to better estimate expected revenues and costs to local governments as a result of new development so that the public, stakeholders, and the decision-makers can better manage growth. Capital and operating expenditures are determined by various factors that determine service and infrastructure needs, including persons per household, student generation rates, lot sizes, street frontages, vehicle trip and trip adjustment factors, average trip lengths, construction values, income, discretionary spending, and employment densities.

The COMPASS Development Checklist considers the level of fiscal benefits, how many public agencies benefit or are burdened by additional growth, and how long the proposal will take to achieve a fiscal break-even point, if at all.

More information about the COMPASS Fiscal Impact Tool is available at: www.compassidaho.org/prodserv/fiscalimpact.htm

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Break Even: 1 year