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CITY OF KANNPOLIS, NC
PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

Minutes of Meeting
May 20, 2025

The Kannapolis Planning and Zoning Commission met on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at 6:00 PM in the Laureate Center of City Hall. This meeting was held in accordance with required public notice, as well as announced on the City's website.

Commission Members Present: Chris Puckett, Chair
James Litaker, Vice-Chair
Larry Ensley
Scott Trott
Daisy Malit
Jamie Richardson
Shelly Stein
Ryan French
Mike McClain, ETJ Representative

Visitors: Lisa Thompson Gwendolyn Sedlak
Ashley Adams Courtney Smith
Veronika Galitsky Stephen Freeman
Alboro Reyes Saurabh Sain
Deep Panara Doug Wilson
Ross Blum Wilmer Melton
Venkata Moganti Dianne Berry

Staff Present: Richard Smith, Planning Director
Elizabeth McCarty, Assistant Planning Director
Kathryn Stapleton, Planner
Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Puckett called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

ROLL CALL AND RECOGNITION OF QUORUM

Recording Secretary Gabriela Wilkins called the roll. The presence of a quorum was recognized.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chair Puckett asked for any changes to the agenda, hearing none, asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Ensley made the motion to approve the agenda, second by Ms. Malit, and the agenda was unanimously approved.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1 Chair Puckett asked for a motion regarding the April 15, 2025, minutes. Vice-Chair Litaker made
2 the motion to approve, second by Mr. Trott, and the minutes were unanimously approved.

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4 **PUBLIC HEARING**

5 **Z-2025-03 – Zoning Map Amendment – 2305 Lane Street**

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7 Planner Kathryn Stapleton provided details for case #Z-2025-03, attached and made part of these
8 minutes as Exhibit 1; and identified the applicant, address, and size of the property. Ms. Stapleton
9 stated the request is to rezone the property from City of Kannapolis Office-Institutional (O-I) to City
10 of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) zoning district.

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12 Ms. Stapleton directed the Commission’s attention to case maps and drone footage, further
13 illustrating the location, current and surrounding zoning districts, existing property uses as well as
14 the Character Area as determined by the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*
15 (“2030 Plan”). She stated that the Future Land Use Plan recommends primary uses of single-family
16 detached and attached residential and secondary uses of multi-family residential. She further directed
17 the Commission’s attention to site photos, stating that staff found consistency with the *2030 Plan*
18 and is recommending approval of the rezoning request. Ms. Stapleton reminded the Commission of
19 the actions requested, concluded her presentation, and made herself available for questions.

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21 Chair Puckett asked if there were any questions for staff.

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23 Mr. Ensley asked if the connection from the property to Lane Street was a driveway or an easement.
24 Ms. Stapleton confirmed that the connection was a driveway.

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26 Chair Puckett asked if the applicant was present and asked if they wanted the floor. Ms. Sedlak, the
27 applicant, did not wish to speak.

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29 Chair Puckett opened the Public Hearing which was then closed with no public comments made.

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31 There being no further questions or comments for staff, Chair Puckett asked for a motion regarding
32 the Statement of Consistency. Mr. French made the motion to approve, second by Ms. Richardson,
33 and the motion was unanimously approved.

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35 Chair Puckett asked for a motion regarding the Resolution to Zone. Mr. Ensley made the motion to
36 approve, second by Mr. French, and the motion was unanimously approved.

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38 **Z-2025-04 – Zoning Map Amendment – 5400 and 5425 Odell School Road**

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40 Ms. Stapleton provided details for case #Z-2025-04, attached to and made part of these minutes as
41 Exhibit 2. Ms. Stapleton identified the applicant, address, and size of the properties. The subject
42 properties were voluntarily annexed on April 28, 2025. Ms. Stapleton stated that the request is to
43 rezone the properties from Cabarrus County Office/Institutional (OI) to City of Kannapolis
44 Agricultural (AG) zoning district.

1 Ms. Stapleton stated that since the property owner has not yet completed their conceptual plan, the
2 Agricultural zoning district may be applied as a placeholder zoning designation.

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4 Ms. Stapleton directed the Commission's attention to case maps and drone footage, further
5 illustrating the location, current and surrounding zoning districts, existing property uses as well as
6 the Character Area as determined by the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*
7 ("2030 Plan"). She stated that the Future Land Use Plan for Cluster Residential recommends the
8 primary uses of single-family detached and attached residential, and secondary uses of neighborhood
9 serving retail and office. The surrounding Character Areas are Primary Activity Center and an
10 Employment Center. She further directed the Commission's attention to site photos, stating that staff
11 found consistency with the *2030 Plan* and is recommending approval of the rezoning request. Ms.
12 Stapleton reminded the Commission of the actions requested, concluded her presentation, and made
13 herself available for questions

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15 Chair Puckett asked if the Commission had any questions for staff. Chair Puckett asked for
16 clarification that only an initial zoning was to be assigned at this time. Ms. Stapleton confirmed.

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18 Chair Puckett offered the floor to the applicant who was not present.

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20 Chair Puckett opened the Public Hearing which was then closed with no public comments made.

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22 There being no further questions or comments for staff, Chair Puckett asked for a motion regarding
23 the Statement of Consistency. Mr. Trott made the motion to approve, second by Mr. French, and the
24 motion was unanimously approved.

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26 Chair Puckett asked for a motion regarding the Resolution to Zone. Mr. Ensley made the motion to
27 approve, second by Ms. Malit, and the motion was approved.

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29 **CZ-2025-04 – Conditional Zoning Map Amendment – 2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and**
30 **an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road**

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32 Assistant Planning Director Elizabeth McCarty provided details for case #CZ-2025-04, attached
33 to and made part of these minutes as Exhibit 3; Ms. McCarty identified the applicant, address, and
34 size of the properties. The subject properties were voluntarily annexed on April 28, 2025. Per the
35 North Carolina General Statutes, a City of Kannapolis zoning designation must be applied to the
36 property within sixty (60) days of annexation. The subject properties are currently zoned Cabarrus
37 County Countryside Residential (CR), and the request is to assign City of Kannapolis Residential
38 8-Conditional Zoning (R8-CZ) to allow for a residential development. Ms. McCarty stated that the
39 proposed development is mixed residential that includes single-family detached dwellings as well
40 as townhouses.

41 Ms. McCarty directed the Commission's attention to case maps and drone footage, further
42 illustrating the location, current and surrounding zoning districts, existing property uses as well as
43 the Character Area as determined by the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*
44 ("2030 Plan"). She stated that the surrounding roads of Jim Johnson and Davidson Highway are

1 both NCDOT maintained. Ms. McCarty also directed the Commission's attention to the
2 surrounding subdivisions, to the north, Waterford on the Rocky River and to the south, Pelham
3 Pointe. She shared that both subdivisions are single-family detached residential. She also shared
4 that to the east is City owned property with plans for the future Westside Park, anticipated for
5 2028-2029.

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7 Ms. McCarty stated that the annexation and rezoning of the subject properties are completing the
8 Western Growth Area. The Future Land Use Plan identifies the parcel as Complete Neighborhood
9 2. Primary uses include single-family detached and single-family attached at a desired density of 4
10 to 18 units per acre. Ms. McCarty shared the submitted rezoning plan has a density of 3.25.

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12 Ms. McCarty stated that a concept plan is required with a conditional zoning application to show
13 proposed uses and general layout. She emphasized that it is not a full site plan. Ms. McCarty shared
14 that the applicant is proposing 264 single-family units, 122 of those being single-family detached,
15 and the remaining 142 being townhouses, with an included amenity area. She showed that the
16 applicant is proposing a perimeter buffer with the intent to preserve the tree line and open space with
17 pathways, including a connection to the future park.

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19 Ms. McCarty shared that the applicant submitted a Traffic Impact Analysis to NCDOT that is in
20 draft. She stated that the applicant will continue to work through recommendations for improvements
21 with NCDOT. She also shared that there will be on-street parking internally and a street connection
22 from Smokey Quartz from Waterford that leads to Lawrence Drive in Pelham Pointe. As required
23 by the Unified Development Ordinance, both developments had road connections with future
24 development in mind. Ms. McCarty stated that the Kannapolis Development Ordinance also has the
25 same connectivity requirement to enhance access and connection. Ms. McCarty stated that staff
26 recommend a traffic calming measure at each end to slow down traffic at each connection point.

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28 Ms. McCarty stated that staff found consistency with the *2030 Plan* and is recommending approval
29 of the rezoning request with 10 conditions:

- 30 1. The permitted uses allowed by this rezoning shall be limited to those uses and accessory
31 uses allowed by-right in the Residential 8 (R8) District. The intent of this rezoning
32 submittal is to provide for a residential community with a mix of single-family detached
33 dwelling units, townhouse units, and an amenity area.
- 34 2. The number of single-family units shall not exceed 264 as depicted on the Rezoning Plan
35 with 122 single-family detached dwelling units and 142 townhouse units. The applicant
36 may convert up to 84 townhouse units to single-family detached units subject to approval
37 and coordination with the City regarding the Traffic Impact Analysis.
- 38 3. As depicted on the Rezoning Plan, the internal road network shall be designed to connect
39 Smokey Quartz Road and Laurens Drive. Traffic calming measures, as determined at site
40 plan submittal, shall be installed at the connection points.
- 41 4. A pedestrian bridge shall be constructed from the proposed development to the proposed
42 extension of the Rocky River Greenway at the planned Westside Park.
- 43 5. On-street parking shall be provided in proximity to the townhouse units. A minimum of
44 one (1) parking space shall be provided for every six (6) townhouse units.
- 45 6. A fifteen-foot (15') perimeter buffer shall be provided.

- 1 7. At such time that wastewater capacity is available for the proposed residential
- 2 development, an updated Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) shall be required.
- 3 8. NCDOT driveway permits shall be obtained for site access points. Access points shall be
- 4 as generally depicted on the Rezoning Plan. The placement and configuration of the access
- 5 points are subject to any minor modifications required to accommodate final site and
- 6 construction plans and designs and any adjustments required for approval by the City of
- 7 Kannapolis and/or the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT).
- 8 9. The development depicted on the Rezoning Plan is schematic in nature and is intended to
- 9 show the general arrangement of such uses and improvements on the site. Accordingly, the
- 10 ultimate layout, locations and sizes of the development and site elements depicted on the
- 11 Rezoning Plan are graphic representations, and they may be altered or modified in
- 12 accordance with the City of Kannapolis Development Ordinance.
- 13 10. A final site plan, in compliance with the applicable Kannapolis Development Ordinance
- 14 standards, shall be submitted to and approved by City Staff prior to issuance of a Zoning
- 15 Clearance permit.
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17 Ms. McCarty reminded the Commission of the actions requested, concluded her presentation, and
18 made herself available for questions.

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20 Chair Puckett thanked Ms. McCarty for her presentation. He reminded everyone that there was
21 only a request for zoning to be assigned to the property, not a site plan review.

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23 Chair Puckett asked if the Commission had any questions for staff.

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25 Mr. Ensley asked if there was a final build-out date. Ms. McCarty did not have an estimated date.

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27 Mr. Ensley inquired on the proposed fifteen-foot (15') buffer and the existing buffer area of the
28 adjacent subdivisions. Ms. McCarty shared that each existing subdivision has common open space
29 along their perimeter that measures about twenty-four (24) feet in width. The proposed fifteen-foot
30 buffer would be an addition.

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32 Mr. Ensley also inquired about the potential for a crosswalk on Jim Johnson for residents in the
33 townhomes to cross the street safely to reach amenities, without having to drive. Mr. Smith
34 confirmed that turn lanes will be implemented, but there were no plans currently for a crosswalk.

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36 There being no further questions or comments for staff, Chair Puckett asked the applicant to share
37 their presentation.

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39 Land Use Consultant with Moore and Van Allen, Lisa Thompson, greeted the Commission on behalf
40 of Stephen Freeman with Blue River Development. She was accompanied by a site planner with
41 ESP and traffic engineer, Dyron Capers with DRMP.

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43 Ms. Thompson provided an overview of the proposed development, reinforcing the items presented
44 by Ms. McCarty. She shared a 2024 Housing Gap Overview for Cabarrus County, which included a
45 shortage of over 15,532 units.

1 Ms. Thompson shared that the proposed development would help with the housing shortage with a
2 low-density approach with mixed use housing types, while maintaining open space to preserve
3 environmentally sensitive areas. Ms. Thompson made herself available for questions.
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5 Chair Puckett asked if there were any questions for the applicant. He provided a reminder that the
6 case is to assign zoning only, adjacent roads are NCDOT maintained, Cabarrus County schools have
7 been made aware of the future plans, and that connectivity on the site is a requirement by City
8 Ordinance. There being no questions, the Public Hearing was opened.
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10 Courtney Smith, a resident of Waterford subdivision, presented her letter of opposition to the
11 Commission. Ms. Smith shared concerns regarding traffic, safety, and infrastructure. Ms. Smith did
12 provide clarification that she received previously from Mr. Smith on the subdivision connectivity
13 requirements. She expressed great concern for neighborhood connectivity and the impact of
14 congestion from vehicles to pedestrians. Ms. Smith also shared that there was inadequate community
15 input or engagement.
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17 Veronika Galitsky shared her concerns for Jim Johnson Road. She obtained an accident report
18 showing there had been one hundred and thirteen (113). She emphasized the need for a stoplight.
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20 Pelham Pointe HOA President, Ashley Adams, shared her understanding of the future connectivity
21 of the subdivisions. She voiced concerns regarding the potential for increased traffic through the
22 neighborhood and overall safety. Ms. Adams stated that the neighborhood experiences an increase
23 of crime with a seventeen-minute emergency response time. She stated that having a satellite police
24 station would be helpful for the surrounding area as well as an increased buffer.
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26 Ross Bloom voiced concern about connectivity on the cul-de-sac on which he resides. His concerns
27 are for the traffic influx that could encourage on-street parking and the safety of children who live
28 on the street.
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30 Venkata Moganti expressed concern for the need for signal entries for traffic mitigation. He also
31 shared concern for preservation of the environment with increased buffers and open spaces for
32 wildlife.
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34 Saurabh Sain shared that the traffic study conducted should be done in the mornings and evenings
35 before school and after. He shared that it is extremely congested and with the study conducted with
36 these times in mind provide a more accurate representation of traffic.
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38 There being no further comments, Chair Puckett closed the Public Hearing.
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40 Mr. Smith reminded the Commission of the email received from Dominic Palmer and shared Mr.
41 Palmer's concerns expressed in his email, as he was unable to attend the meeting.
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43 Mr. McClain asked if the connectivity requirement would go to the Board of Adjustment for a
44 resolution to not have connection between the subdivisions.
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1 Mr. Smith emphasized that connectivity is a City requirement. He shared that the connectivity would
2 help alleviate traffic congestion on Jim Johnson Road. Mr. Smith also shared that multiple accesses
3 be provided for this many lots/units.

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5 Mr. French asked for clarification on the need to have connectivity to other subdivisions regardless
6 of what development occurs on the subject property. Mr. Smith confirmed and shared that currently
7 non-residential development would not be foreseeable. Mr. Smith also shared that it would be
8 required for any future development.

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10 There being no further questions or comments for staff, Chair Puckett asked for a motion regarding
11 the Statement of Consistency. Mr. French made the motion to approve, second by Vice-Chair
12 Litaker, and the motion was unanimously approved.

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14 Chair Puckett asked for a motion regarding the Resolution to Zone. Ms. Malit made the motion to
15 approve, second by Mr. French, and the motion was approved.


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17 **PLANNING DIRECTOR UPDATE**

18 Planning Director Richard Smith shared with the Commission that the North Carolina Department
19 of Transportation (NCDOT) had provided notice for road closures. Portions of Highway 29 were
20 expected to be closed the following week for bridge replacement at Martin Luther King Jr.
21 Boulevard. Mr. Smith shared that the closure would be between 9:00 PM and 6:00 AM. The project
22 is expected to be completed by the fall of 2026.

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24 Mr. Smith made himself available for any questions or concerns.

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26 **ADJOURN**

27 There being no further business, questions, or comments, Mr. Ensley made the motion to adjourn,
28 second by Vice-Chair Litaker, and the meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, May 20, 2025.

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Chris Puckett, Chair
Planning and Zoning Commission


Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary



**Planning and Zoning Commission
May 20, 2025 Meeting**

Staff Report

TO: Planning and Zoning Commission

FROM: Kathryn Stapleton, Planner

SUBJECT: **Case #Z-2025-03: Zoning Map Amendment – 2305 Lane Street**
Applicant: John and Gwendolyn Sedlak

Request to rezone property located at 2305 Lane Street from City of Kannapolis Office-Institutional (O-I) to City of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) zoning district.

A. Actions Requested by Planning & Zoning Commission

1. Hold Public Hearing
2. Motion to adopt Statement of Consistency
3. Motion to adopt Resolution to Zone

B. Decision and Required Votes to Pass Requested Actions

Section 2.3.B.(1)a of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance (KDO) allows the Planning and Zoning Commission to render a final decision on a rezoning request. If there is a denial, an approval by a vote of less than three-fourths, or an appeal of the decision, then only City Council shall have final decision-making authority. Any final decision rendered by the Commission may be appealed within fifteen (15) days to City Council.

C. Background & Project Overview

The applicant, John Sedlak, is requesting to rezone property located at 2305 Lane Street from City of Kannapolis Office-Institutional (O-I) to City of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) zoning district. The subject property is further identified as Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Number 56248159610000 and is approximately 0.45 +/- acres.

D. Fiscal Considerations

None

E. Policy Issues

Section 2.5.A.(2).c. of the KDO states that Amending the Zoning Map is a matter committed to the legislative discretion of the Planning and Zoning Commission or of the City Council, as authorized by this section. In determining whether to adopt or deny the proposed amendment, the Planning and Zoning Commission or City Council, as applicable, may consider, and weigh the relevance of, whether and to what extent the proposed Zoning Map amendment:

1. Is the proposed rezoning consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and other applicable adopted City plans?

Yes. This area is located within the “Complete Neighborhood 1” Character Area as designated in the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*. The “Complete Neighborhood 1” promotes single-family detached and attached residential as primary uses and multifamily residential as a secondary use.

2. Is the proposed rezoning in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance or the City Code of Ordinances?

No. The R4 zoning designation is appropriate for this area. There is existing R4 zoning on nearby properties.

3. Does the proposed rezoning correct an error in the existing zoning present at the time it was adopted?

No. The proximity to other R4 zoning and consistency with the Comprehensive Plan Character Area make the requested R4 zoning district an appropriate change.

4. Does the proposed rezoning allow uses that are compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land and with the stability and character of any adjacent residential neighborhoods?

Yes. The R4 zoning designation is compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land. Surrounding uses are primarily single-family detached dwellings.

5. Does the proposed rezoning ensure efficient development within the City, taking into consideration the capacity and safety of the street network, the adequacy of public facilities, the suitability of the land for the uses allowed under the existing zoning, and other relevant considerations?

Yes. This property is located adjacent to roads with adequate capacity and safety, and is a suitable use allowed under the requested zoning. Public water and sewer services are accessible to this site.

6. Does the proposed rezoning result in a logical and orderly development pattern, taking into consideration the size of the subject lands and the zoning and existing and proposed development on surrounding lands?

Yes. The requested zoning allows for a use that is compatible with existing adjacent residential uses.

7. Does the proposed rezoning result in significant adverse impacts on the natural environment, including but not limited to water, air, noise, storm water management, wildlife, vegetation, wetlands, and the natural functioning of the environment?

No. There are no anticipated significant environmental impacts from rezoning this property. This property is located in the Coldwater Creek (Lake Fisher) WS-IV Protected Watershed. Any development will be required to conform to all applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations.

F. Legal Issues

None

G. Finding of Consistency with Comprehensive Plan

Staff finds this rezoning **consistent** with the goals and policies of the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan* (“2030 Plan”), adopted by City Council, which designates the subject property as located within the “Complete Neighborhood 1” Character Area in the *2030 Plan*. Staff finds the request for rezoning compatible with the surrounding zoning and it is not anticipated to have an adverse effect on the capacity or safety of the surrounding street network, nor anticipated to generate parking problems or any adverse impact on the environment.

H. Staff Recommendation and Alternative Courses of Action

Staff Recommendation

The Planning and Zoning Commission may choose to approve or deny the petition as presented.

Based on the request being consistent with the 2030 Plan, staff recommends approval for Zoning Map Amendment Case #Z-2025-03.

Alternative Courses of Action

Motion to Approve (2 votes)

- 1. Should the Commission choose to approve the request for rezoning as presented in Case #Z-2025-03, a motion should be made to adopt the following Statement of Consistency:**

Statement of Consistency: Staff finds this rezoning **consistent** with the goals and policies of the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan* (“2030 Plan”), adopted by City Council, which designates the subject property as located within the “Complete Neighborhood 1” Character Area in the *2030 Plan*. Staff finds the request for rezoning compatible with the surrounding zoning and it is not anticipated to have an adverse effect on the capacity or safety of the surrounding street network, nor anticipated to generate parking problems or any adverse impact on the environment.

2. **Should the Commission choose to approve Case #Z-2025-03, a motion should be made to adopt the Resolution to Zone.**

Motion to Deny (2 votes)

1. **Should the Commission choose to recommend denial of Case #Z-2025-03, a motion should be made to adopt the following Statement of Consistency:**

Statement of Consistency: *The Planning and Zoning Commission finds this zoning map amendment as presented in Case #Z-2025-03 to be **inconsistent** with the goals and policies of the **Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan**, adopted by City Council, because (state reason(s)) and is unreasonable and not in the public interest because (state reason(s)).*

2. **Should the Commission choose to deny Case #Z-2025-03, a motion should be made to deny the Resolution to Zone.**

I. Attachments

1. Rezoning Application
2. Vicinity Map
3. Zoning Map
4. 2030 Future Land Use and Character Map
5. List of Notified Properties
6. Letter to Adjacent Property Owners
7. Resolution to Adopt a Statement of Consistency
8. Resolution to Zone

J. Issue Reviewed By:

- Planning Director
- Assistant City Manager



KN-Z-2025-00021

Zoning Map Amendment Checklist

So that we may efficiently review your project in a timely manner, it is important that all required documents and fees listed on the "Submittal Checklist" below are submitted with your application. Please either bring this application to the address above or email to bbarcroft@kannapolisnc.gov. The fees may also be paid online with a link provided by staff.

REZONING REQUEST

Rezoning – Request for an amendment to the Kannapolis Zoning Map. Approval authority – Planning and Zoning Commission.

Requested Rezoning Property Address: 2305 Lane STREET

Applicant: JOHN SEDLAK, GWEN SEDLAK

Proposed development: _____

SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST

- ☒ Pre-Application Meeting
- ☒ Zoning Map Amendment Checklist and Application – Complete with all required signatures
- ☐ Fee: \$850.00 (\$500 Application Fee, \$300 Legal Notices and notification fee, & \$50 letter/sign public notice [see Fee Schedule])
- ☒ Please mark this box to authorize aerial drone photography of the site

PROCESS INFORMATION

Public Notification: This is a legislative process that requires a public hearing and public notification including newspaper notice, first-class mailed notice to adjacent property owners and a sign posted prominently on the property (Section 2.4.F of the KDO).

Review Process: All applications will be reviewed for compliance and then forwarded to the Planning and Zoning Commission for consideration at a public hearing which is held monthly on the third Tuesday at 6:00pm in City Hall Laureate Center. **The pre-application meeting, submittal of application, and payment of fees, must be completed prior to scheduling the public hearing.** Please review Section 2.4.D. of the KDO.

Action by Planning and Zoning Commission: After conducting a public hearing, the Commission may: deny the application; conduct an additional public hearing on the application; or approve the application.

Scope of Approval: An affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members present and not excused from voting, shall be necessary to approve a rezoning request. The approval of a rezoning does not authorize development activity, but does authorize the application to apply for a final major site plan. Any final decision rendered by the Commission may be appealed within fifteen (15) days to the City Council.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have reviewed the Submittal Checklist and have included the required submittal items and reviewed them for completeness and accuracy. I also acknowledge that my application will be rejected if incomplete.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

4-9-25
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Planning Department
401 Laureate Way
Kannapolis, NC 28081
704.920.4350

ZONING MAP AMENDMENT APPLICATION

Approval authority – Planning and Zoning Commission

Applicant Contact Information

Name: John Sedlak

Address: 2309 Lane STREET

Kannapolis NC 28083

Phone: 704-490-0622

Email: SimplySed68@yahoo.com

Property Owner Contact Information

☒ Same as applicant

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Project Information

Project Address: 2305 LANE STREET Kannapolis NC 28083

Parcel: 5624815961

of parcels: 1

Approx. size of parcels: 0.45 AC

(attach separate list if necessary)

Current Zoning Designation: Select OI

Requested Zoning Designation: Select ~~RI~~ / R4

Reason for map amendment: RE-ZONE PARCEL TO RESIDENTIAL ZONING.

By signing below, it is understood and acknowledged that if the property is rezoned as requested, the property involved in this request will be perpetually bound to the use(s) authorized unless subsequently changed or amended as provided for in the Zoning Ordinance.

Applicant Signature

Property Owner Signature

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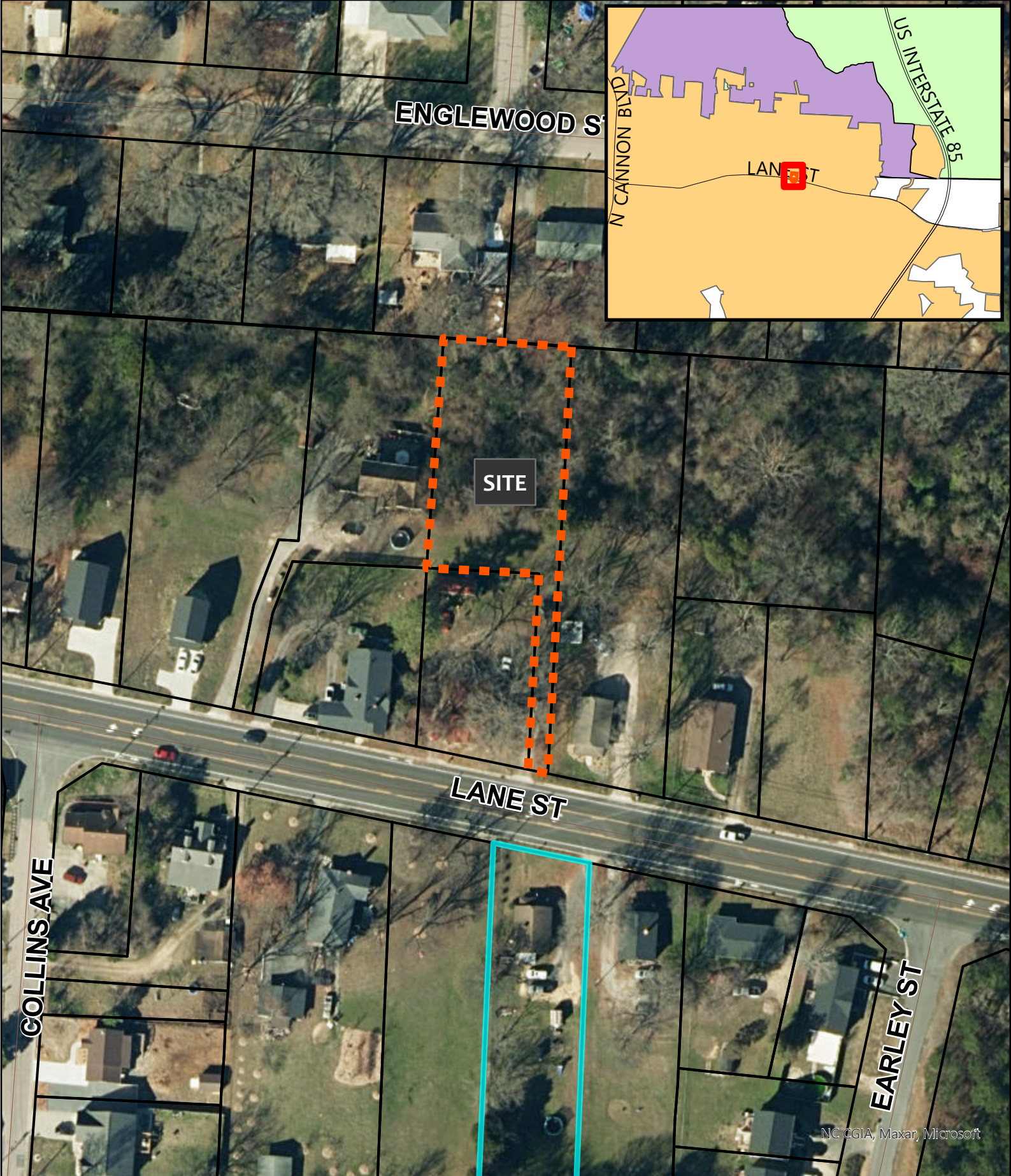
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Note: This is not a permit to occupy a structure. Owner and/or applicant are responsible for the location of utility lines and easements. Zoning Map Amendment does not guarantee the availability of water and/or sewer.



Vicinity Map

Case Number: CZ-2025-03
Applicant: John and Gwendolyn Sedlak
2305 Lane St





Kannapolis Current Zoning

Case Number: CZ-2025-03
Applicant: John and Gwendolyn Sedlak
2305 Lane St





Kannapolis 2030 Future Land Use Map

Case Number: CZ-2025-03
Applicant: John and Gwendolyn Sedlak
2305 Lane St



ENGLEWOOD ST

CENTERFIELD ST

SITE

Complete
Neighborhood 1

LANE ST

COLLINS AVE

EARLEY ST

CITY OF KANNAPOLIS

MEMORANDUM

TO: Amanda Boan
The Independent Tribune
FROM: Gabriela Wilkins, Planning Technician
DATE: May 5, 2025
SUBJECT: Display Ad

Please publish this Notice of Public Hearing as a **display ad** in the non-legal section of *The Independent Tribune*.

Publish dates: Thursday, May 8, 2025
Thursday, May 15, 2025

Send invoice of publication to: gwilkins@kannapolisnc.gov

Call me at 704-920-4358 if you have any questions.

Thank you.
Gabriela Wilkins
gwilkins@kannapolisnc.gov



**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting**

Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at 6:00 pm

Zoning Map Amendment – Z-2025-03 – 2305 Lane Street – Public Hearing to consider a request to rezone property located at 2305 Lane Street from City of Kannapolis Office-Institutional (O-I) zoning district to City of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) zoning district. The subject property is approximately 0.45 +/- acres and further identified as Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Number 56248159610000.

Zoning Map Amendment – Z-2025-04 – 5400 and 5425 Odell School Road – Public Hearing to consider a request to assign City of Kannapolis zoning to recently annexed properties located at 5400 and 5425 Odell School Road. The subject properties are currently zoned Cabarrus County Office/Institutional (OI), and the request is to assign City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) zoning district. The subject properties are approximately 13.95 +/- combined acres and further identified as Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46736668550000 and 46735792770000.

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53238	LIPPARD CHRISTOPHER BRIAN		2210 ENGLEWOOD ST	KANNAPOLIS	NC	28083
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56441	RODRIGUEZ JESUS HAYRO CABRERA & SPOUSE	DIAZ BRENDA YACKELYN ORELLANA	2208 ENGLEWOOD ST	KANNAPOLIS	NC	28083-3031

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94851	ALL 4 U HOMES LLC		4177 OLIVIA LN	ROCKWELL	NC	28138
94852	AGUIAR RAFAEL JR	AGUIAR CAROL BAKER WF	2307 LANE ST	KANNAPOLIS	NC	28083
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95476	RIOS DAVID	RIOS MARIA TERESA WF	3915 PINTAIL DR	CONCORD	NC	28025
95510	BARRETT JAMES DAVID		2310 LANE ST	KANNAPOLIS	NC	28083
95520	GIBSON AUSTIN C	GIBSON MART A	2314 LANE ST	KANNAPOLIS	NC	28083
95550	KARRIKER ROBERT L	KARRIKER BOBBIE K WF	660 CORINTH CHURCH RD	MOORESVILLE	NC	28115
95578	R & M ALLEN PROPERTIES LLC		854 KEMP RD	MOORESVILLE	NC	28117
95614	SEDLAK JOHN W	SEDLAK GWENDOLYN S WF	2309 LANE ST	KANNAPOLIS	NC	28083
96004	MATLOCK JESSIE		1812 LINDA AVE	KANNAPOLIS	NC	28083
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May 5, 2025

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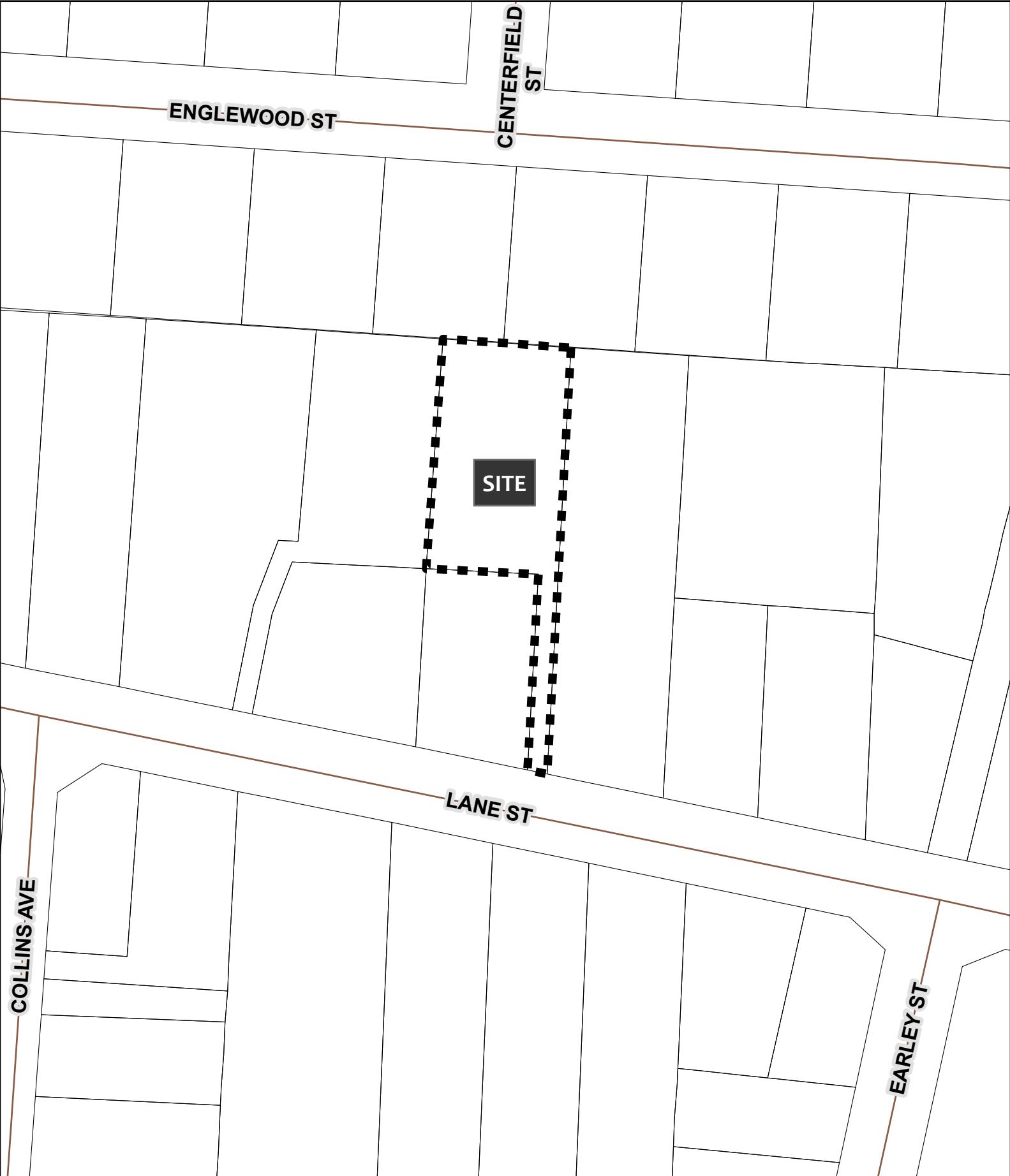
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Rezoning

Case Number: CZ-2025-03
Applicant: John and Gwendolyn Sedlak
2305 Lane St





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PUBLIC HEARING INFORMATION
CALL 704-920-4350 CASE # Z-2025-03



**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY
WITH REGARD TO CASE #Z-2025-03**

WHEREAS, Sections 160D-604 and 160D-605 of the North Carolina General Statutes specify that when adopting or rejecting any zoning amendment, the governing board shall also approve a statement describing whether its action is consistent with an adopted comprehensive plan and any other officially adopted plan that is applicable and explain why the action taken is reasonable and in the public interest; and

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Adopted this the 20th day of May, 2025:

Chris Puckett, Chairman
Planning and Zoning Commission

Attest:

Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary
Planning and Zoning Commission



RESOLUTION TO ZONE

Case #Z-2025-03
(2305 Lane Street)

**From City of Kannapolis Office-Institutional (O-I) to
City of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) Zoning Designation**

WHEREAS, Section 2.3.B.(1).a of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance (KDO) specifically delegates authority to the Planning and Zoning Commission to take final action on a rezoning application provided, if the application is approved by less than a three quarters majority of voting members or denied, or if the Planning and Zoning Commission's decision is appealed, the City Council shall make the final decision on the application; and

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WHEREAS, the Commission has approved the request for rezoning and found it to be consistent with the City of Kannapolis *Move Kannapolis Forward, 2030 Comprehensive Plan*, reasonable and in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, per Section 2.5.A.(2).c of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance, the Planning and Zoning Commission makes the following findings in support of and in analysis of the rezoning:

1. Is the proposed rezoning consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and other applicable adopted City plans?

Yes. This area is located within the "Complete Neighborhood 1" Character Area as designated in the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*. The "Complete Neighborhood 1" promotes single-family detached and attached residential as primary uses and multifamily residential as a secondary use.

2. Is the proposed rezoning in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance or the City Code of Ordinances?

No. The R4 zoning designation is appropriate for this area. There is existing R4 zoning on nearby properties.

3. Does the proposed rezoning correct an error in the existing zoning present at the time it was adopted?

No. The proximity to other R4 zoning and consistency with the Comprehensive Plan Character Area make the requested R4 zoning district an appropriate change.

4. **Does the proposed rezoning allow uses that are compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land and with the stability and character of any adjacent residential neighborhoods?**

Yes. The R4 zoning designation is compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land. Surrounding uses are primarily single-family detached dwellings.

5. **Does the proposed rezoning ensure efficient development within the City, taking into consideration the capacity and safety of the street network, the adequacy of public facilities, the suitability of the land for the uses allowed under the existing zoning, and other relevant considerations?**

Yes. This property is located adjacent to roads with adequate capacity and safety, and is a suitable use allowed under the requested zoning. Public water and sewer services are accessible to this site.

6. **Does the proposed rezoning result in a logical and orderly development pattern, taking into consideration the size of the subject lands and the zoning and existing and proposed development on surrounding lands?**

Yes. The requested zoning allows for a use that is compatible with existing adjacent residential uses.

7. **Does the proposed rezoning result in significant adverse impacts on the natural environment, including but not limited to water, air, noise, storm water management, wildlife, vegetation, wetlands, and the natural functioning of the environment?**

No. There are no anticipated significant environmental impacts from rezoning this property. This property is located in the Coldwater Creek (Lake Fisher) WS-IV Protected Watershed. Any development will be required to conform to all applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Kannapolis Planning and Zoning Commission that the above referenced properties be rezoned from City of Kannapolis Office-Institutional (O-I) to City of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) Zoning Designation.

Adopted this the 20th day of May, 2025:



Chris Puckett, Chairman
Planning and Zoning Commission

Attest:


Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary
Planning and Zoning Commission



**Planning and Zoning Commission
May 20, 2025 Meeting**

Staff Report

TO: Planning and Zoning Commission

FROM: Kathryn Stapleton, Planner

**SUBJECT: Case #Z-2025-04: Zoning Map Amendment –
5400 and 5425 Odell School Road
Applicant: D. Keith Wayne - Coddle Creek, LLC**

Request to rezone property located at 5400 and 5425 Odell School Road from Cabarrus County Office-Institutional (OI) to City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) zoning district.

A. Actions Requested by Planning & Zoning Commission

1. Hold Public Hearing
2. Motion to adopt Statement of Consistency
3. Motion to adopt Resolution to Zone

B. Decision and Required Votes to Pass Requested Actions

Section 2.3.B.(1)a of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance (KDO) allows the Planning and Zoning Commission to render a final decision on a rezoning request. If there is a denial, an approval by a vote of less than three-fourths, or an appeal of the decision, then only City Council shall have final decision-making authority. Any final decision rendered by the Commission may be appealed within fifteen (15) days to City Council.

C. Background & Project Overview

The applicant, Coddle Creek, LLC, is requesting to rezone properties located at 5400 and 5425 Odell School Road from Cabarrus County Office/Institutional (OI) to City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) zoning district. The subject properties are further identified as Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46736668550000 and 46735792770000 and are approximately 13.95 +/- combined acres. If approved, any of the permitted uses in the AG zoning district would be allowed on the property. The AG zoning district designation also may serve as a “holding zone” within future growth areas.

The subject properties were voluntarily annexed into the City on April 28, 2025. Per North Carolina General Statutes, an initial City of Kannapolis zoning designation must be applied to a property within sixty (60) days of annexation.

D. Fiscal Considerations

None

E. Policy Issues

Section 2.5.A.(2).c. of the KDO states that Amending the Zoning Map is a matter committed to the legislative discretion of the Planning and Zoning Commission or of the City Council, as authorized by this section. In determining whether to adopt or deny the proposed amendment, the Planning and Zoning Commission or City Council, as applicable, may consider, and weigh the relevance of, whether and to what extent the proposed Zoning Map amendment:

1. Is the proposed rezoning consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and other applicable adopted City plans?

Yes. This rezoning is located within a Cluster Residential Character Area and a Primary Activity Center. It is adjacent to an Employment Center Character Area. Cluster Residential provides opportunities for neighborhood-serving walkable commercial and civic uses. Primary uses include single-family detached and attached residential. Secondary uses include neighborhood-serving retail and office, trails and greenways. Primary uses within the Primary Activity Center and the Employment Center Character Area include office, retail, and manufacturing, and secondary uses of institutional and light industrial.

2. Is the proposed rezoning in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance or the City Code of Ordinances?

No. The AG zoning designation is appropriate for this area.

3. Does the proposed rezoning correct an error in the existing zoning present at the time it was adopted?

No. The properties were recently annexed into the City of Kannapolis.

4. Does the proposed rezoning allow uses that are compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land and with the stability and character of any adjacent residential neighborhoods?

Yes. The AG zoning designation is compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land. The surrounding uses are primarily single-family detached dwellings and the adjacent construction supply company in the Concrescere Corporate Park.

5. Does the proposed rezoning ensure efficient development within the City, taking into consideration the capacity and safety of the street network, the adequacy of public facilities, the suitability of the land for the uses allowed under the existing zoning, and other relevant considerations?

Yes. The subject properties are located adjacent to roads with adequate capacity and safety, and is a suitable use allowed under the requested zoning. Public water and sewer services are accessible to this site.

6. Does the proposed rezoning result in a logical and orderly development pattern, taking into consideration the size of the subject lands and the zoning and existing and proposed development on surrounding lands?

Yes. The subject properties are within the City's future growth area. The AG District serves as a "holding zone" and is designed to facilitate orderly growth and development in areas expected to experience increased urbanization over time. The Primary Activity Center Character Area provides opportunities for larger format retail commercial establishments and smaller commercial shop/dine activities.

7. Does the proposed rezoning result in significant adverse impacts on the natural environment, including but not limited to water, air, noise, storm water management, wildlife, vegetation, wetlands, and the natural functioning of the environment?

No. There are no anticipated significant environmental impacts from rezoning this property. The property is within the Coddle Creek WS-II Protected Watershed. Any development will be required to conform to all applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations.

F. Legal Issues

None

G. Finding of Consistency with Comprehensive Plan

Staff finds this rezoning consistent with the goals and policies of the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan* ("2030 Plan"), adopted by City Council, which designates the subject property as located within the "Cluster Neighborhood" Character Area and a Primary Activity Center in the *2030 Plan*. Staff finds the request for rezoning compatible with the surrounding zoning and it is not anticipated to have an adverse effect on the capacity or safety of the surrounding street network, nor anticipated to generate parking problems or any adverse impact on the environment.

H. Staff Recommendation and Alternative Courses of Action

Staff Recommendation

The Planning and Zoning Commission may choose to approve or deny the petition as presented.

Based on the request being consistent with the 2030 Plan, staff recommends approval for Zoning Map Amendment Case #Z-2025-04.

Alternative Courses of Action

Motion to Approve (2 votes)

1. Should the Commission choose to approve the request for rezoning as presented in Case #Z-2025-04, a motion should be made to adopt the following Statement of Consistency:

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2. Should the Commission choose to approve Case #Z-2025-04, a motion should be made to adopt the Resolution to Zone.

Motion to Deny (2 votes)

1. Should the Commission choose to recommend denial of Case #Z-2025-04, a motion should be made to adopt the following Statement of Consistency:

Statement of Consistency: *The Planning and Zoning Commission finds this zoning map amendment as presented in Case #Z-2025-04 to be **inconsistent** with the goals and policies of the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*, adopted by City Council, because (state reason(s)) and is unreasonable and not in the public interest because (state reason(s)).*

2. Should the Commission choose to deny Case #Z-2025-04, a motion should be made to deny the Resolution to Zone.

I. Attachments

1. Rezoning Application
2. Vicinity Map
3. Zoning Map
4. 2030 Future Land Use and Character Map
5. List of Notified Properties
6. Letter to Adjacent Property Owners
7. Resolution to Adopt a Statement of Consistency
8. Resolution to Zone

J. Issue Reviewed By:

- Planning Director
- Assistant City Manager



Planning Department
401 Laureate Way
Kannapolis, NC 28081
704.920.4350

Petition for Non-Contiguous Annexation

So that we may efficiently review your request in a timely manner, it is important that all required documents are submitted with your application. Submit digitals and 1 hard copy of applications and accompanying documents to the Planning Department at the address above.

ANNEXATION REQUEST

Approval authority – City Council.

Property Address: 5400 Odell School Rd / 5425 Odell School Rd

Applicant: Coddle Creek, LLC

Address: 357 Conrescere Pkwy City: Davidson State: NC Zip: 28036

Contact number: (704) 361-1887 Email: keith.wayne@waynebrothers.com

SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST

- ☒ Pre-Application Meeting – send an email to planreviewappointment@kannapolisnc.gov 3-14-25
- ☒ Annexation Checklist and Application – Complete with all required property owner signatures
- ☒ Stamped, signed black and white 18 x 24" survey of subject property prepared by a registered engineer or surveyor (not preliminary)
- ☒ Metes and Bounds description of subject property

PROCESS INFORMATION


Annexation involves two (2) separate City Council meetings:

First meeting: The City Clerk will certify the sufficiency of the annexation and City Council will set a date for the public meeting.

Second meeting: City Council will review the petition and either approve or decline the annexation request:

1. Newspaper notification at least ten (10) days prior to the second Council meeting
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3. Public Hearing
4. State recordation of the Resolution to Extend the Corporate City Limits, the signed/stamped 18X24" survey (can not be stamped as preliminary) and the Metes and Bounds Description.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have reviewed the Submittal Checklist and have included the required submittal items and reviewed them for completeness and accuracy. I also acknowledge that my application will be rejected if incomplete.

Applicant's Signature:  Date: 3/24/25



Planning Department
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PETITION REQUESTING A NON-CONTIGUOUS ANNEXATION

Approval authority – City of Kannapolis City Council

DATE: 3/24/25

To the City Council of the City of Kannapolis, North Carolina:

1. We, the undersigned owners of real property respectfully request that the area described in paragraph 2 below be annexed to the City of Kannapolis.
2. The area to be annexed, located at 5400 Odell School Rd / 5425 Odell School Rd, further identified as Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Number _____, is non-contiguous to the primary limits of the City of Kannapolis, is approximately _____ acres, and the boundaries of such territory are as follows:
46736668550000 9.35 acres / 46735792770000 4.6 acres
See Attached Signed, Stamped Survey Map and Metes and Bounds Description
3. This petition is signed by all property owners of the area to be annexed.
4. ☒ The undersigned owners acknowledge that the following City service(s) is (are) not presently available for immediate taps upon annexation: water ☐ sewer ☒; and, subsequently agree that the City shall not provide water and sewer service to the area to be annexed except in accordance with the City's standard water and sewer policy.
5. Please check ONE box below:
☐ The undersigned owners declare that zoning vested rights have been established on the area to be annexed under G.S. 160D-108 or G.S. 160D-108.1 and provide proof of such rights by attachment hereto.
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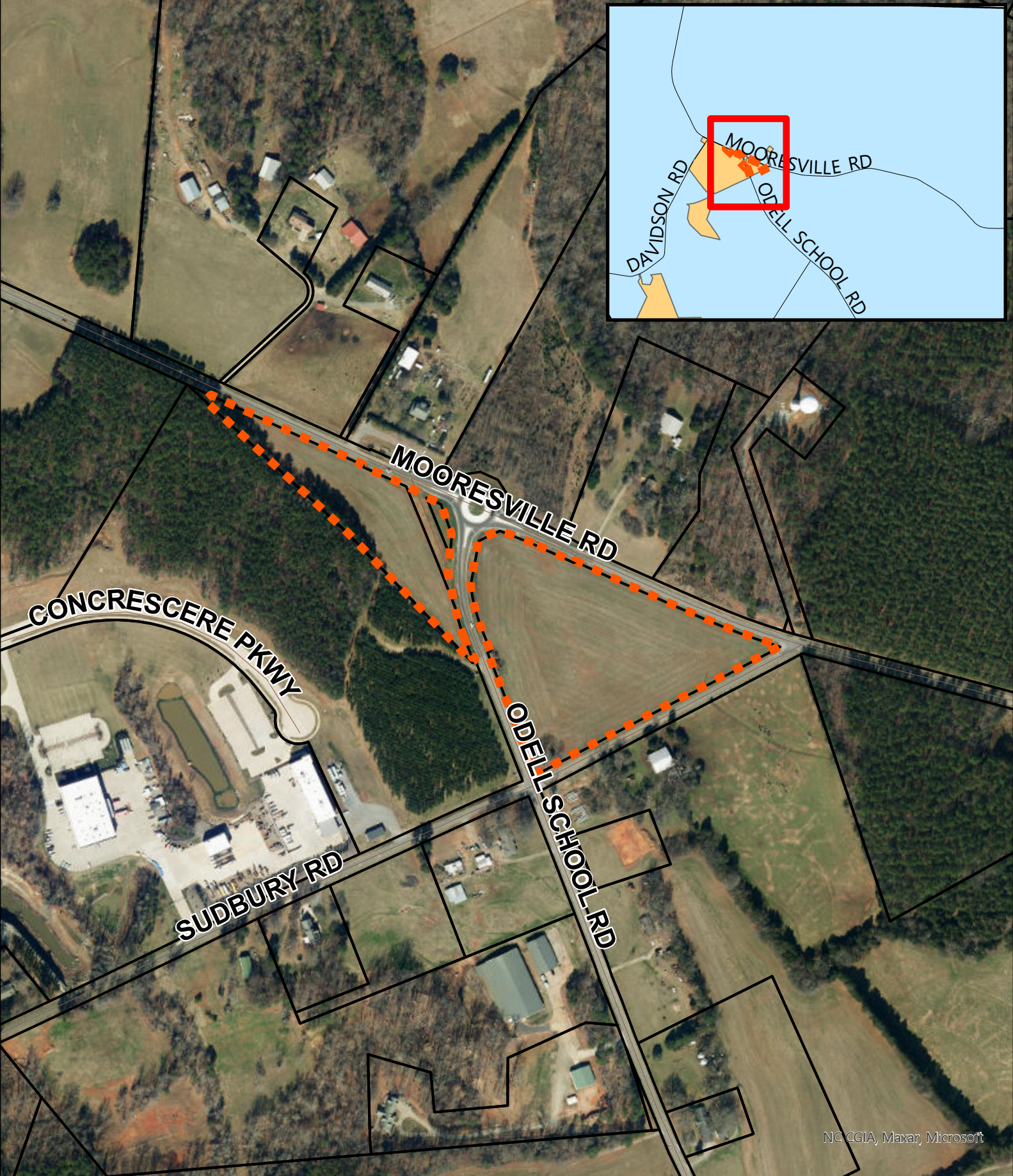
<u>Name</u> (print or type)	<u>Address</u>	<u>Signature*</u>
1. <u>D. Keith Wayne</u>	<u>357 Concrescere Pkway, Davidson, NC 28036</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____

**Family members (e.g., husbands and wives) need to sign separately. Signatures for corporations, institutions, etc., are by those with the authority to sign legal documents.*



Vicinity Map

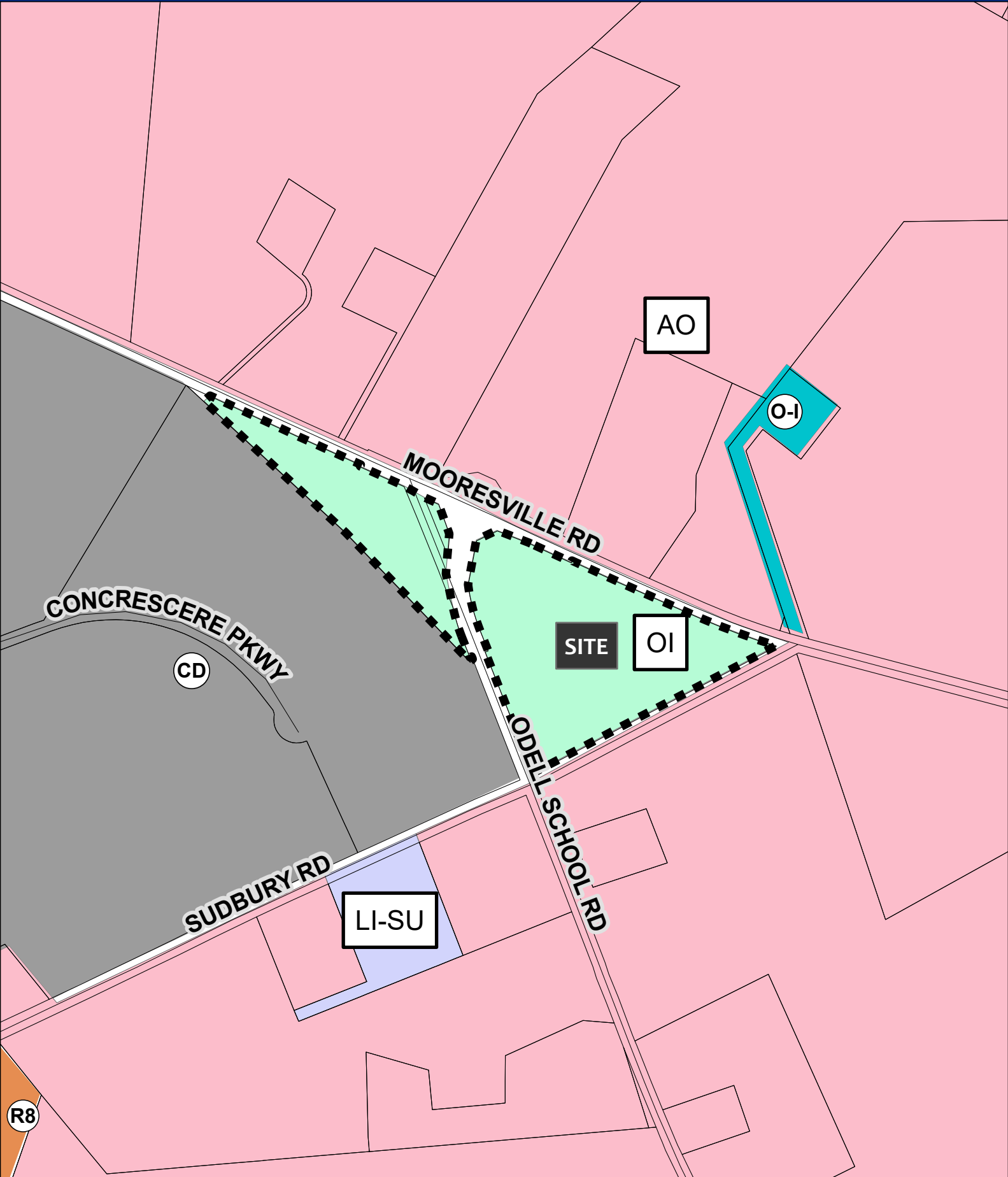
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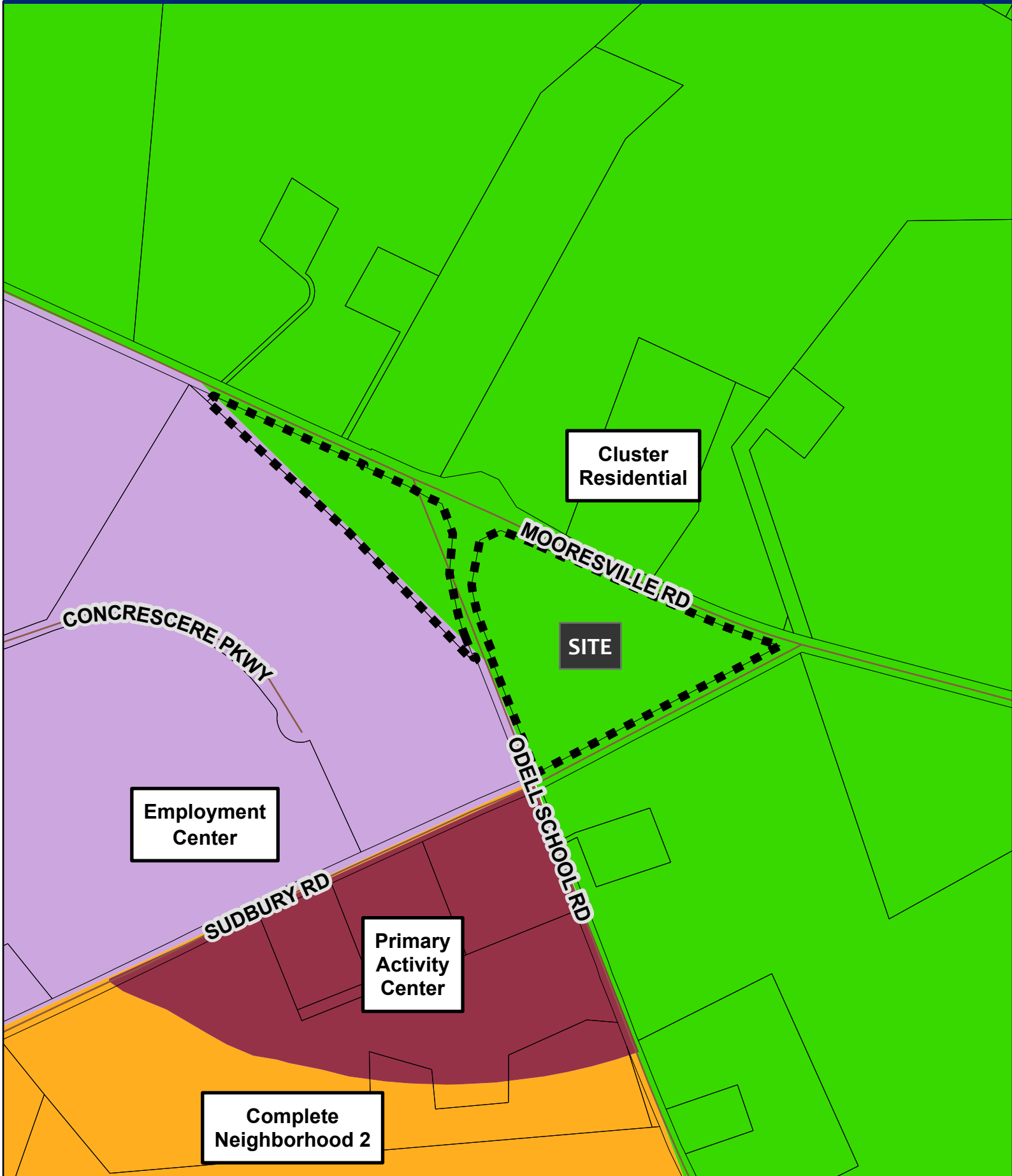
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Kannapolis 2030 Future Land Use Map

Case Number: Z-2025-04
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46736841200000	WALLY FRED DALE		10800 MOORESVILLE RD		DAVIDSON	NC	28036
46737629640000	MORRISON WILLIAM EMERSON		6311 BENTRIDGE DRIVE		CHARLOTTE	NC	28226
46734773880000	HIGHWAY 3 ASSOCIATES 1 LLC		C/O MR MICHAEL WIGGINS	2845 SHARON RD	CHARLOTTE	NC	28211
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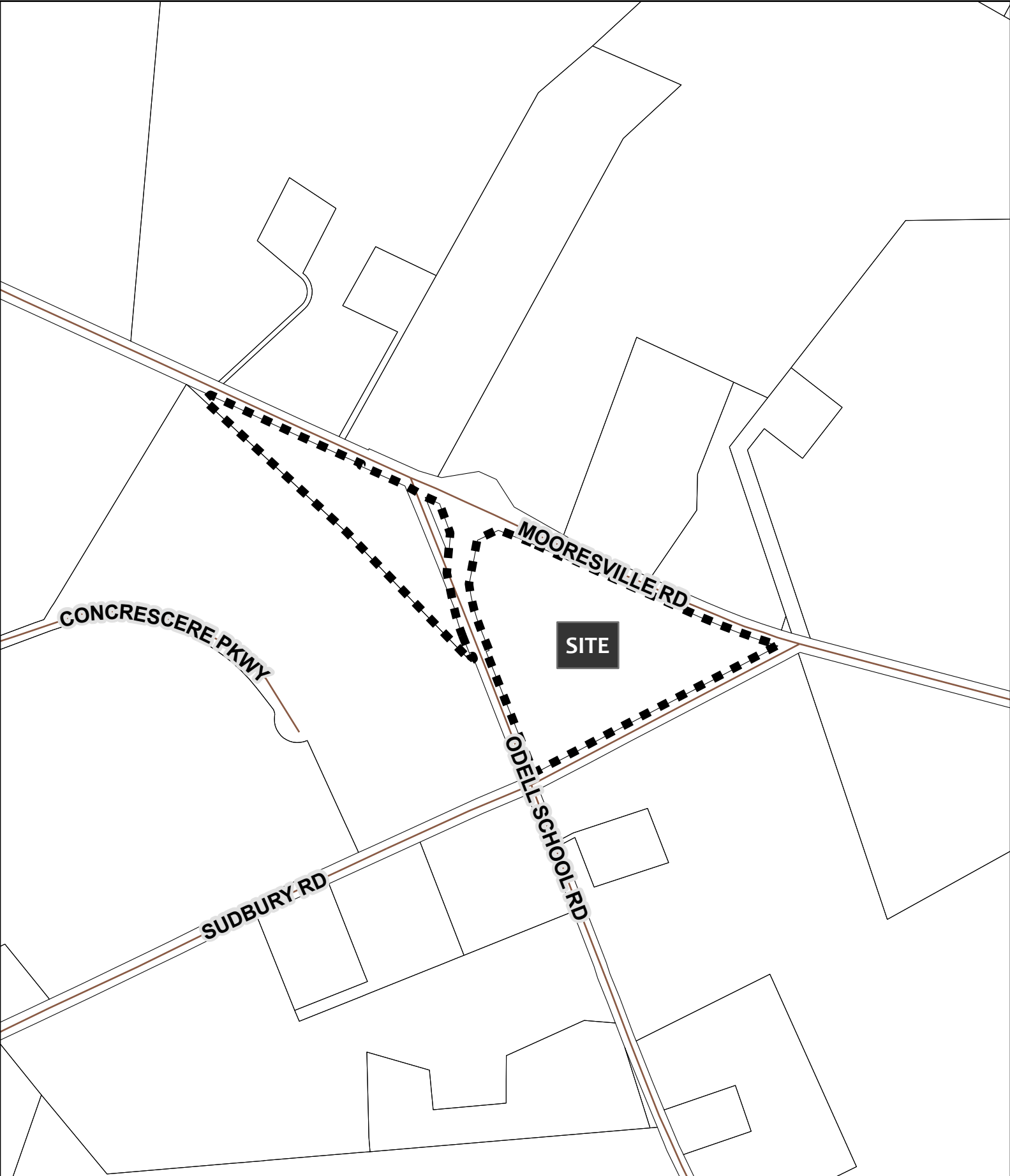
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In accordance with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (AD), any person requiring an accommodation to participate in a function or program of the City of Kannapolis, should contact Daniel Jenkins, Assistant Human Resource Director & ADA Coordinator, by phone at 704-920-4312, email adacoordinator@kannapolisnc.gov, or in person at Kannapolis City Hall as soon as possible but not later than 48 hours before the scheduled event.



Rezoning

Case Number: Z-2025-04
Applicant: Coddle Creek LLC
5400 and 5425 Odell School Rd





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**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY
WITH REGARD TO CASE #Z-2025-04**

WHEREAS, Sections 160D-604 and 160D-605 of the North Carolina General Statutes specify that when adopting or rejecting any zoning amendment, the governing board shall also approve a statement describing whether its action is consistent with an adopted comprehensive plan and any other officially adopted plan that is applicable and explain why the action taken is reasonable and in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.3.B(1).a. of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance delegates final authority to the Planning and Zoning Commission on zoning map amendments subject to an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the Commission members present and not excused from voting, or if there is no appeal of the decision; and

WHEREAS, on May 20, 2025 the Planning and Zoning Commission conducted a public hearing to consider a request to rezone approximately 13.95 +/- combined acres of property located at 5400 and 5425 Odell School Road, (Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46736668550000 and 46735792770000), owned by Coddle Creek, LLC, from Cabarrus County Office/Institutional (OI) to City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) zoning district.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED *The Planning and Zoning Commission finds this rezoning consistent with the goals and policies of the Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan ("2030 Plan"), adopted by City Council, which designates the subject property as located within the Cluster Residential Character Area in the 2030 Plan. Staff finds the request for rezoning compatible with the surrounding zoning and it is not anticipated to have an adverse effect on the capacity or safety of the surrounding street network, nor anticipated to generate parking problems or any adverse impact on the environment.*

Adopted this the 20th day of May, 2025:

Chris Puckett, Chairman
Planning and Zoning Commission

Attest:

Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary
Planning and Zoning Commission



RESOLUTION TO ZONE

Case #Z-2025-04
(5400 and 5425 Odell School Road)

**From Cabarrus County Office-Institutional (O-I) to
City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) Zoning Designation**

WHEREAS, Section 2.3.B.(1).a of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance (KDO) specifically delegates authority to the Planning and Zoning Commission to take final action on a rezoning application provided, if the application is approved by less than a three quarters majority of voting members or denied, or if the Planning and Zoning Commission's decision is appealed, the City Council shall make the final decision on the application; and

WHEREAS, the Commission conducted a public hearing on May 20, 2025, for consideration of rezoning petition Case #Z-2025-04 as submitted to the City of Kannapolis Planning Department; and

WHEREAS, the request was to rezone 13.95 +/- combined acres of property located at 5400 and 5425 Odell School Road, (Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46736668550000 and 46735792770000), owned by Coddle Creek, LLC, from Cabarrus County Office-Institutional (O-I) to City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) zoning district.

WHEREAS, the Commission has approved the request for rezoning and found it to be consistent with the City of Kannapolis *Move Kannapolis Forward, 2030 Comprehensive Plan*, reasonable and in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, per Section 2.5.A.(2).c of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance, the Planning and Zoning Commission makes the following findings in support of and in analysis of the rezoning:

1. Is the proposed rezoning consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and other applicable adopted City plans?

Yes. This rezoning is located within a Cluster Residential Character Area and a Primary Activity Center. It is adjacent to an Employment Center Character Area. Cluster Residential provides opportunities for neighborhood-serving walkable commercial and civic uses. Primary uses include single-family detached and attached residential. Secondary uses include neighborhood-serving retail and office, trails and greenways. Primary uses within the Primary Activity Center and the Employment Center Character Area include office, retail, and manufacturing, and secondary uses of institutional and light industrial.

2. Is the proposed rezoning in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance or the City Code of Ordinances?

No. The AG zoning designation is appropriate for this area.

3. Does the proposed rezoning correct an error in the existing zoning present at the time it was adopted?

No. The properties were recently annexed into the City of Kannapolis.

4. Does the proposed rezoning allow uses that are compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land and with the stability and character of any adjacent residential neighborhoods?

Yes. The AG zoning designation is compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land. The surrounding uses are primarily single-family detached dwellings and the adjacent construction supply company in the Concrescere Corporate Park.

5. Does the proposed rezoning ensure efficient development within the City, taking into consideration the capacity and safety of the street network, the adequacy of public facilities, the suitability of the land for the uses allowed under the existing zoning, and other relevant considerations?

Yes. This property is located adjacent to roads with adequate capacity and safety, and is a suitable use allowed under the requested zoning. Public water and sewer services are accessible to this site.

6. Does the proposed rezoning result in a logical and orderly development pattern, taking into consideration the size of the subject lands and the zoning and existing and proposed development on surrounding lands?

Yes. The subject properties are within the City's future growth area. The AG District serves as a "holding zone" and is designed to facilitate orderly growth and development in areas expected to experience increased urbanization over time. The Primary Activity Center Character Area provides opportunities for larger format retail commercial establishments and smaller commercial shop/dine activities.

7. Does the proposed rezoning result in significant adverse impacts on the natural environment, including but not limited to water, air, noise, storm water management, wildlife, vegetation, wetlands, and the natural functioning of the environment?

No. There are no anticipated significant environmental impacts from rezoning this property. The property is within the Coddle Creek WS-II Protected Watershed. Any development will be required to conform to all applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Kannapolis Planning and Zoning Commission that the above referenced properties be rezoned from Cabarrus County Office-Institutional (O-I) to City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) Zoning Designation.

Adopted this the 20th day of May, 2025:



Chris Puckett, Chairman
Planning and Zoning Commission

Attest:



Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary
Planning and Zoning Commission



**Planning and Zoning Commission
May 20, 2025, Meeting**

Staff Report

TO: Planning and Zoning Commission
FROM: Elizabeth McCarty, Assistant Planning Director
SUBJECT: Case #CZ-2025-02: Conditional Zoning Map Amendment
Applicant: Blue River Development

Request to conditionally rezone 2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road to allow for a residential development.

A. Actions Requested by Planning & Zoning Commission

1. Hold Public Hearing
2. Motion to adopt Statement of Consistency
3. Motion to adopt Resolution to Zone

B. Decision and Required Votes to Pass Requested Actions

Section 2.3.B.(1)a of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance (KDO) allows the Planning and Zoning Commission to render a final decision on a rezoning request. If there is a denial, an approval by a vote of less than three-fourths, or an appeal of the decision, then only the City Council shall have final decision-making authority. Any final decision rendered by the Commission may be appealed within fifteen (15) days to the City Council.

C. Background & Project Overview

The applicant, Blue River Development, is requesting a Conditional Zoning Map Amendment to assign zoning to recently annexed properties located at 2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road. The subject properties are currently zoned Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR), and the request is to assign City of Kannapolis Residential 8-Conditional Zoning (R8-CZ) to allow for a residential development. The subject properties are approximately 87.748 +/- combined acres and further identified as Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46729232550000, 46729217120000, and 46728256200000. The properties were voluntarily annexed on April 28, 2025. Per the North Carolina General Statutes, a City of Kannapolis zoning designation must be applied to the properties within sixty (60) days of annexation.

The applicant is proposing to construct a 264-unit residential development having a mix of single-family townhouses and single-family detached dwellings. The attached conceptual Rezoning Plan, dated April 8, 2025, proposes 122 single-family detached units, 142 townhouse units, and an amenity area. The required neighborhood meeting for a conditional zoning application was held on March 13, 2025, at 6 p.m. at the Laureate Center, 401 Laureate Way. The neighborhood meeting notification and summary are attached.

D. Fiscal Considerations

None

E. Policy Issues

Section 2.5.A.(2).c. of the KDO states that Amending the Zoning Map is a matter committed to the legislative discretion of the Planning and Zoning Commission or of the City Council, as authorized by this section. In determining whether to adopt or deny the proposed amendment, the Planning and Zoning Commission or the City Council, as applicable, may consider, and weigh the relevance of, whether and to what extent the proposed Zoning Map amendment:

1. Is the proposed rezoning consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and other applicable adopted City plans?

The subject properties are within the Complete Neighborhood 2 Character Area as designated in the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*. Single-family detached residential and single-family attached residential are identified as primary uses in the Complete Neighborhood 2 Character Area. The desired density is 4-18 units/acre. Therefore, the proposed development is consistent with the goals and objectives of the Plan.

2. Is the proposed rezoning in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance or the City Code of Ordinances?

No, the proposed rezoning is not in conflict with any ordinances.

3. Does the proposed rezoning correct an error in the existing zoning present at the time it was adopted?

No, the property was recently annexed into the City of Kannapolis.

4. Does the proposed rezoning allow uses that are compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land and with the stability and character of any adjacent residential neighborhoods?

Yes, the proposed rezoning and use of the property for a residential development is compatible with existing surrounding land uses, primarily single-family detached dwellings. The subject properties abut City of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) residential lots within the Waterford on the Rocky River subdivision, to the north, and City of Kannapolis Residential 18 (R18) residential lots within the Pelhem Pointe subdivision, to the south. Both existing residential developments consist of single-family detached dwellings. The property to the west is zoned City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) and will be a future City of Kannapolis park, Westside Park.

The portion of the subject property that lies on the east side of Jim Johnson Road abuts another subdivision of single-family detached lots, Emerson Glen, zoned City of Kannapolis Residential 18-Conditional Zoning (R18-CZ). Other surrounding residential properties are zoned Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR).

5. Does the proposed rezoning ensure efficient development within the City, taking into consideration the capacity and safety of the street network, the adequacy of public facilities, the suitability of the land for the uses allowed under the existing zoning, and other relevant considerations?

Yes, the proposed zoning is compatible with surrounding development. The applicant has initiated a Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) to determine the proposed development's impact on roads and any necessary mitigation improvements. Jim Johnson Road and Davidson Highway are NCDOT maintained roads and will need to meet NCDOT requirements.

Roads internal to the proposed development will need to meet City road requirements. This includes the alignment and continuation of adjacent platted right-of-way for roads to interconnect the street system to enhance the safe and efficient movement of pedestrians, bicyclists, motor vehicles, and emergency vehicles within the proposed development and with neighboring developments. Additionally, on-street parking is shown on the rezoning plan in the vicinity of the townhouses to provide adequate parking.

6. Does the proposed rezoning result in a logical and orderly development pattern, taking into consideration the size of the subject lands and the zoning and existing and proposed development on surrounding lands?

Yes, the property is within the growth area for the City of Kannapolis, and the proposed rezoning is consistent with surrounding zoning and existing residential uses. The rezoning and proposed development results in logical street and greenway connections.

7. Does the proposed rezoning result in significant adverse impacts on the natural environment, including but not limited to water, air, noise, storm water management, wildlife, vegetation, wetlands, and the natural functioning of the environment?

No, there are no anticipated significant environmental impacts from rezoning this property. An unnamed tributary and floodplain are on the site. The proposed development will be required to conform to all applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations.

F. Legal Issues

None

G. Finding of Consistency with Comprehensive Plan
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Staff finds this rezoning **consistent** with the goals and policies of the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan* ("2030 Plan"), adopted by City Council, which designates the subject property as located within the 'Complete Neighborhood 2' Character

Areas in the *2030 Plan*. Staff finds the request for rezoning compatible with the surrounding zoning and it is not anticipated to have an adverse effect on the capacity or safety of the surrounding street network, nor anticipated to generate parking problems or any adverse impact on the environment.

H. Staff Recommendation and Alternative Courses of Action

Staff Recommendation

The Planning and Zoning Commission may choose to approve or not approve the petition as presented.

Based on the request being consistent with the 2030 Plan, staff recommends approval for Zoning Map Amendment Case #CZ-2025-02 with the following conditions:

1. The permitted uses allowed by this rezoning shall be limited to those uses and accessory uses allowed by-right in the Residential 8 (R8) District. The intent of this rezoning submittal is to provide for a residential community with a mix of single-family detached dwelling units, townhouse units, and an amenity area.
2. The number of single-family units shall not exceed 264 as depicted on the Rezoning Plan with 122 single-family detached dwelling units and 142 townhouse units. The applicant may convert up to 84 townhouse units to single-family detached units subject to approval and coordination with the City regarding the Traffic Impact Analysis.
3. As depicted on the Rezoning Plan, the internal road network shall be designed to connect Smokey Quartz Road and Laurens Drive. Traffic calming measures, as determined at site plan submittal, shall be installed at the connection points.
4. A pedestrian bridge shall be constructed from the proposed development to the proposed extension of the Rocky River Greenway at the planned Westside Park.
5. On-street parking shall be provided in proximity to the townhouse units. A minimum of one (1) parking space shall be provided for every six (6) townhouse units.
6. A fifteen-foot (15') perimeter buffer shall be provided.
7. At such time that wastewater capacity is available for the proposed residential development, an updated Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) shall be required.
8. NCDOT driveway permits shall be obtained for site access points. Access points shall be as generally depicted on the Rezoning Plan. The placement and configuration of the access points are subject to any minor modifications required to accommodate final site and construction plans and designs and any adjustments required for approval by the City of Kannapolis and/or the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT).
9. The development depicted on the Rezoning Plan is schematic in nature and is intended to show the general arrangement of such uses and improvements on the site. Accordingly, the ultimate layout, locations and sizes of the development and site elements depicted on the Rezoning Plan are graphic representations, and they may be altered or modified in accordance with the City of Kannapolis Development Ordinance.
10. A final site plan, in compliance with the applicable Kannapolis Development Ordinance standards, shall be submitted to and approved by City Staff prior to issuance of a Zoning Clearance permit.

Alternative Courses of Action

Motion to Approve (2 votes)

1. **Should the Commission choose to approve the request for rezoning as presented in Case #CZ-2025-02, a motion should be made to adopt the following Statement of Consistency:**

Statement of Consistency: Staff finds this rezoning consistent with the goals and policies of the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan* (“2030 Plan”), adopted by City Council, which designates the subject properties as located within the “Urban Residential” Character Area in the *2030 Plan*. Staff finds the request for rezoning compatible with the surrounding zoning and it is not anticipated to have an adverse effect on the capacity or safety of the surrounding street network, nor anticipated to generate parking problems or any adverse impact on the environment.

2. **Should the Commission choose to approve Case #CZ-2025-02, a motion should be made to adopt the Resolution to Zone.**

Motion to Deny (2 votes)

1. **Should the Commission choose not to recommend approval of Case #CZ-2025-02, a motion should be made to adopt the following Statement of Consistency:**

Statement of Consistency: *The Planning and Zoning Commission finds this zoning map amendment as presented in Case #CZ-2025-02 to be inconsistent with the goals and policies of the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*, adopted by City Council, because (state reason(s)) and is unreasonable and not in the public interest because (state reason(s)).*

2. **Should the Commission choose not to approve Case #CZ-2025-02, a motion should be made to not approve the Resolution to Zone.**

I. Attachments

1. Rezoning Application
2. Vicinity Map
3. Zoning Map
4. 2030 Future Land Use and Character Map
5. Site Plan
6. Neighborhood Meeting Information
7. List of Notified Properties
8. Letter to Adjacent Property Owners
9. Resolution to Adopt a Statement of Consistency
10. Resolution to Zone

J. Issue Reviewed By:

- Planning Director
- Assistant City Manager
- City Attorney



Conditional Zoning Map Amendment Checklist

So that we may efficiently review your project in a timely manner, it is important that all required documents and fees listed on the "Submittal Checklist" below are submitted with your application. Please either bring this application to the address above or email to bbarcroft@kannapolisnc.gov. The fees may also be paid online with a link provided by staff.

CONDITIONAL REZONING REQUEST

Conditional Rezoning – Request for an amendment to the Kannapolis Zoning Map.

Approval authority – Planning and Zoning Commission.

Requested Rezoning Property Address: 2423 Jim Johnson Rd. & 2575 Jim Johnson Rd., Concord, NC, 28027

Applicant: Blue River Development

Proposed development: Project proposes to rezone ±85.19 acres (3 parcels) from Cabarrus County CR existing zoning to City of Kannapolis proposed zoning of R8-CZ to develop a residential community.

SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST

- ☒ Pre-Application Meeting
- ☒ Neighborhood Meeting
- ☒ Zoning Map Amendment Checklist and Application – Complete with all required signatures
- ☒ Plot/Site Plan
- ☒ Please mark this box to authorize aerial drone photography of the site
- ☒ Fee: \$950.00 (\$600 Application Fee, \$300 Legal Notices and notification fee, & \$50 for letter/sign public notice[see Fee Schedule])

PROCESS INFORMATION

Public Notification: This is a legislative process that requires a public hearing and public notification including newspaper notice, first-class mailed notice to adjacent property owners and a sign posted prominently on the property (Table 2.4.F(2) of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance [KDO]).

Review Process: All applications will be reviewed for compliance and then forwarded to the Planning and Zoning Commission for consideration at a public hearing which is held monthly on the 3rd Tuesday at 6:00pm in City Hall Laureate Center. **The pre-application meeting, neighborhood meeting, submittal of application and site plan, and payment of fees, must be completed prior to scheduling the public hearing. Please review Section 2.4.D. of the KDO.**

Action by Planning and Zoning Commission: After conducting a public hearing, the Commission may: deny the application; conduct an additional public hearing on the application; or approve the application with conditions.

Scope of Approval: An affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members present and not excused from voting, shall be necessary to approve a conditional rezoning request. The approval of a rezoning does not authorize development activity, but does authorize the application to apply for a final major site plan. Any final decision rendered by the Commission may be appealed within fifteen (15) days to the City Council.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have reviewed the Submittal Checklist and have included the required submittal items and reviewed them for completeness and accuracy. I also acknowledge that my application will be rejected if incomplete.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: 4/11/25



Planning Department
401 Laureate Way
Kannapolis, NC 28081
704.920.4350

CONDITIONAL ZONING MAP AMENDMENT APPLICATION

Approval authority – Planning and Zoning Commission

Applicant Contact Information

Name: Blue River Development
Address: 3715 Davinci Ct., Ste. 300
Peachtree Corners, GA 30092
Phone: 404.895.8035
Email: sfreeman@blueriverdevelopment.com

Property Owner Contact Information ☐ same as applicant

Name: Irvin, William Jerry & William Jason
Address: 2423 & 2575 Jim Johnson Rd
Concord NC , 28027
Phone: _____
Email: _____

Project Information

Project Address: 2423 Jim Johnson Rd. & 2575 Jim Johnson Rd., Concord, NC, 28027
Parcel: see attached # of parcels: 3 Approx. size of parcels: 85.19 ac
(attach separate list if necessary) Cabarrus County - CR
Current Zoning Designation: Select Requested Zoning Designation: R8-CZ
Reason for map amendment: To rezone and allow development of a
new residential community.

Condition(s) proposed by the applicant (attach separate sheet if necessary): see technical data sheet

By signing below, it is understood and acknowledged that if the property is conditionally rezoned as requested, the property involved in this request will be perpetually bound to the use(s) authorized and subject to such condition(s) as imposed, unless subsequently changed or amended as provided for in the Zoning Ordinance.

Applicant Signature

Date

4/11/25

William Jason Irvin

Yvonne Rodriguez

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Property Owner Signature

Date

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Vicinity Map

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2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Rd

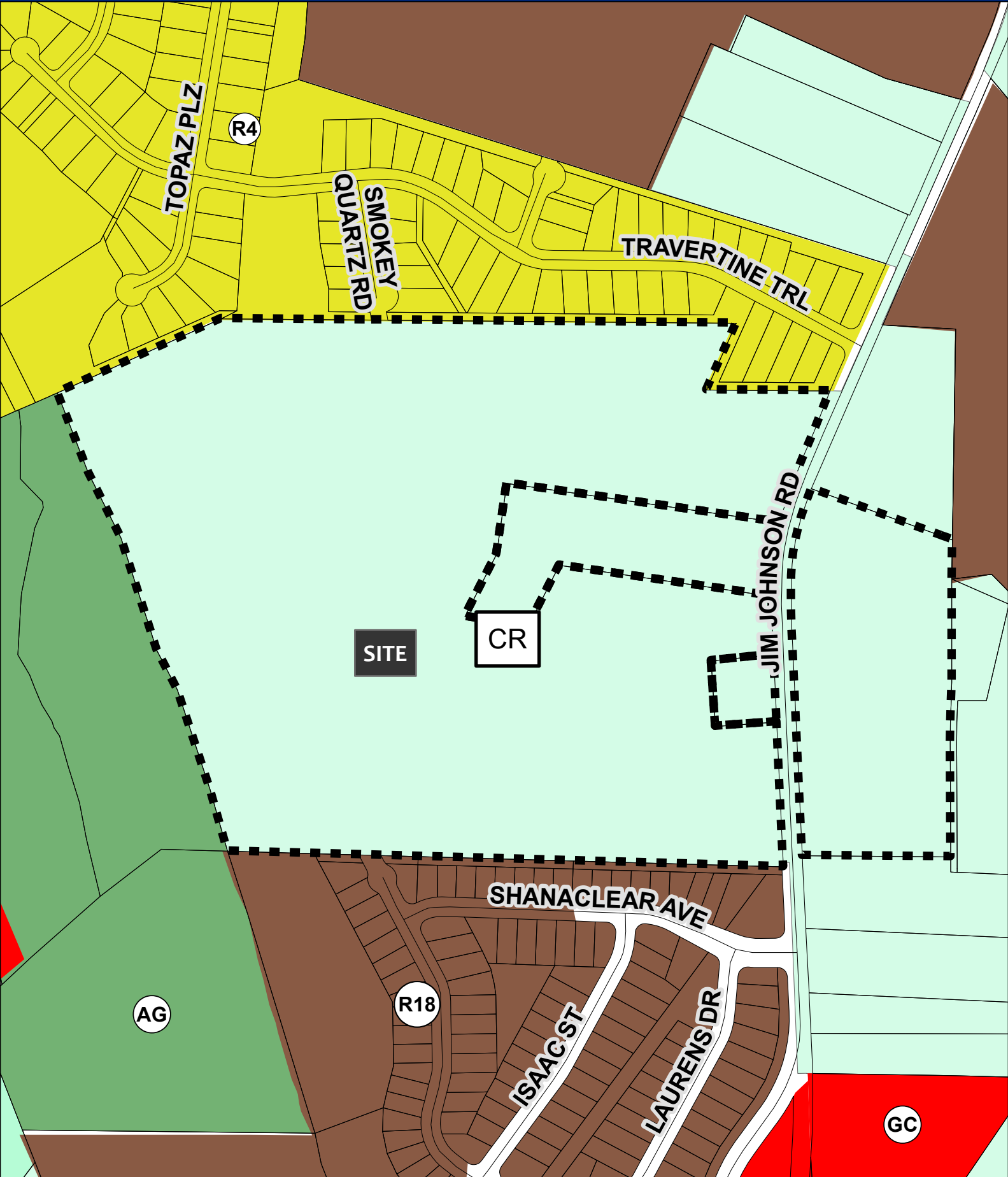




Kannapolis Current Zoning



Case Number: CZ-2025-02
Applicant: Blue River Development
2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Rd, and Unaddressed Parcel





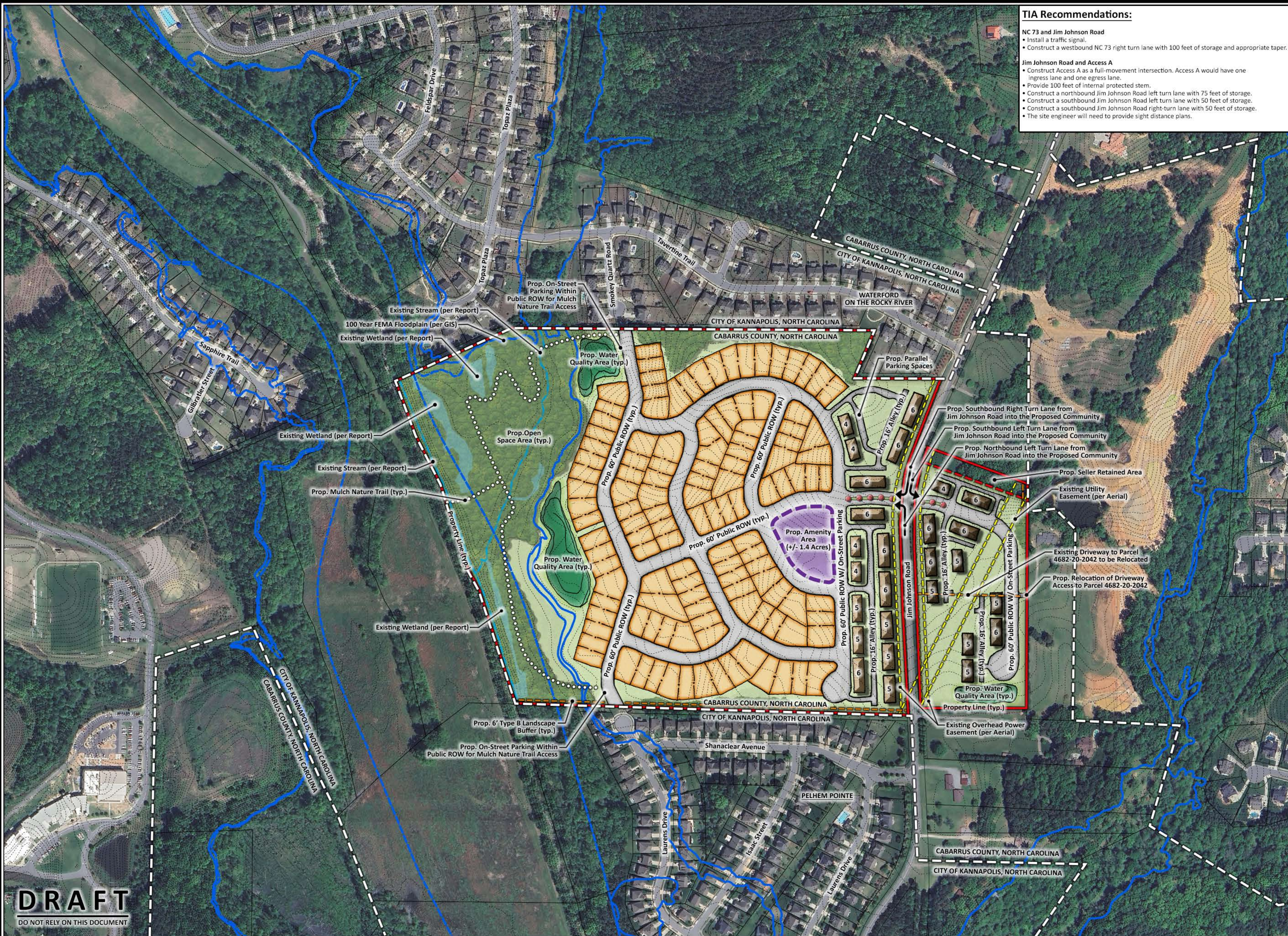
Kannapolis 2030 Future Land Use Map

Case Number: CZ-2025-02

Applicant: Blue River Development

2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Rd, and Unaddressed Parcel





- TIA Recommendations:**
- NC 73 and Jim Johnson Road**
- Install a traffic signal.
 - Construct a westbound NC 73 right turn lane with 100 feet of storage and appropriate taper.
- Jim Johnson Road and Access A**
- Construct Access A as a full-movement intersection. Access A would have one ingress lane and one egress lane.
 - Provide 100 feet of internal protected stem.
 - Construct a northbound Jim Johnson Road left turn lane with 75 feet of storage.
 - Construct a southbound Jim Johnson Road left turn lane with 50 feet of storage.
 - Construct a southbound Jim Johnson Road right-turn lane with 50 feet of storage.
 - The site engineer will need to provide sight distance plans.



Vicinity Map
Not To Scale

Site Data:

Tax Parcels:	4672923255, 4672921712, & 4672825620
Total Acreage:	+/- 81.225 Acres (per Survey)
Location:	Cabarrus County, North Carolina City of Kannapolis, North Carolina
Zoning:	CR (Cabarrus County) R8-CZ (City of Kannapolis)
Total Potential Units:	+/- 264 Units
Single Family Lots:	+/- 122 Lots
20' X 50' TH Units:	+/- 59 Units
24' X 50' TH Units:	+/- 83 Units
Potential Density:	+/- 3.25 DU/AC
Open Space:	+/- 16.25 Acres (20%) Min.
Required:	+/- 16.25 Acres (20%)
Connectivity:	1.6 (Links/Nodes)
Required:	TBD
Proposed:	
Watershed:	Yadkin

General Notes

1. Base information obtained from "ALTA/NSPS Land Title Survey of Parcels Pin #: 4672825620, 4672921712 & 4672923255 Containing 81.225 Acres" provided by ESP Associates, Inc., dated 02/06/2025 and Cabarrus County GIS Data and should be verified for accuracy.
2. All site plan, zoning, and wetland information utilized in the preparation of this plan is considered to be preliminary in nature and subject to change and final verification.
3. Draft - Do not rely on this document.

Floodplain Information
Floodplain information obtained from FEMA FIRM Panel 3710467200L effective date of study 11/16/2018.

Stream/Wetland Information
Stream/Wetland information is based on preliminary information obtained from "Potential Jurisdictional Waters Map," provided by ECS, dated 09/11/2024, and by Cabarrus County GIS data. For purposes of preparation of this Preliminary Concept Plan, any potential wetland areas and stream features depicted on the plan are considered to be preliminary in nature and approximate in location. The Preliminary Concept Plan will need to be revised once all agencies approved on-site wetland/stream and appropriate jurisdictional boundaries are surveyed and verified with acceptable levels of accuracy-unit loss may occur.

Access Points/Driveways/Streets

1. Proposed project site entrance locations are considered preliminary in nature and need to be verified for adequate sight distance.
2. All roadway and street systems are considered to be preliminary and will need to be verified for sufficiency to satisfy or exceed minimum requirements established in the Kannapolis Development Ordinance, and applicable standards identified by NCDOT. Street connections are conceptual and may be subject to change based on agency input and review.

Open Space/Tree Save
Open Space and Tree Save areas are conceptual and preliminary. The exact location of these areas may change as the client finalizes decisions regarding final layout, product allocation, and as other spatially dependent project components such as stormwater areas, wetland areas, utility features, and buffers, (as applicable) for this project are better defined.

Potential Stormwater Quality Areas
Location of proposed stormwater areas are conceptual and preliminary and still need to be determined. The exact size and location of these areas will change as the client finalizes decisions regarding final layout, product allocation, and as other proposed changes to the project are better defined. Layout and unit count subject to change based on final design of stormwater areas.

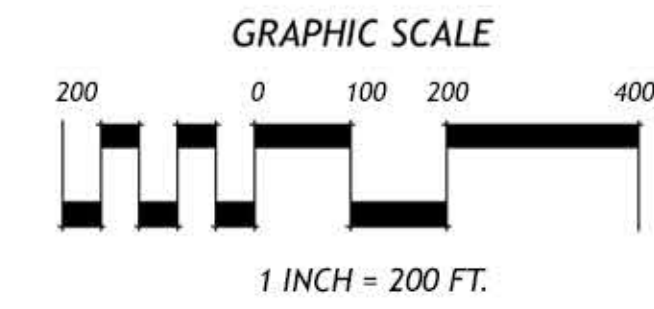
Public Information
ESP Associates is not responsible for plan deficiencies created by incorrect, incomplete, missing or outdated information derived from public sources such as GIS, Planning and Zoning departments.

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Irvin Farms Site Rezoning Plan

ESP Job #24-01797 April 25, 2025



NOTICE TO INTERESTED PARTIES OF A REZONING PETITION
BLUE RIVER DEVELOPMENT – PETITION # TBD – JIM JOHNSON RD.

Subject: Rezoning Petition No. TBD

Petitioner/Developer: Blue River Development

Current Land Use: Vacant

Existing Zoning: CR – (Countryside Residential) (County)

Rezoning Requested: R8 - CZ (Residential – 8, Conditional) (Kannapolis)

Date and Time of Meeting: **Thursday, March 13, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.**

Meeting Location: ***Kannapolis City Hall & Police Headquarters
Laureate Center
401 Laureate Way
Kannapolis, NC 28081***

RSVP: Please email CommunityMeeting@mvalaw.com before March 12, 2025, to RSVP and reference petition BRD-Kannapolis

Date of Notice: 2/27/2025

Moore & Van Allen is assisting Blue River Development (the “Petitioner”) on a petition to be filed to annex and rezone an approximately ±85.20-acre site located at 2575 & 2473 Jim Johnson Road (the “Site”), in Kannapolis, North Carolina. The request is to annex and rezone from the Cabarrus County zoning of CR (Countryside Residential) to R8-CZ (Residential -8, Conditional). The Site lies on both sides of Jim Johnson Rd., north of Davidson Highway, and south of Travertine Trail. The request is to allow the development of a residential community with a mix of single family and townhouse units. Access to the site will be from Jim Johnson Rd., with proposed internal connections to existing stubs at Smokey Quartz Road and Laurens Drive.

The Petitioner will hold an **In-Person Community Meeting** to discuss this rezoning proposal with nearby property owners and organizations. The City of Kannapolis Mapping Department’s records indicate that you are either a representative of a registered neighborhood organization or an owner of property near the site.

Accordingly, we are extending an invitation to participate in the upcoming Community Meeting to be held in the Laureate Center of the Kannapolis City Hall & Police Headquarters, 401 Laureate Center, Kannapolis, NC, 28081, on Thursday, March 13, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

Please email CommunityMeeting@mvalaw.com to RSVP by March 12th and reference petition BRD-Kannapolis.

Representatives of the Petitioner look forward to discussing this exciting rezoning proposal with you at the Community Meeting. Thank you.

cc: Richard Smith, Director of Planning, City of Kannapolis, NC
Stephen Freeman, Blue River Development
Bridget Grant, Moore & Van Allen, PLLC
Lisa Thompson, Moore & Van Allen, PLLC

Site location:



PIN14	AcctName1	AcctName2	MailAddr1	MailAddr2	MailCity	MailState	MailZipCod
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46728346180000	MHL NORTH CAROLINA LLC		801 MOTT SHUE DR SW	CONCORD	NC	28027



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May 5, 2025

Dear Property Owner:

Please be advised that the City of Kannapolis Planning & Zoning Commission will conduct a Public Hearing on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at 6:00 PM, at 401 Laureate Way, Kannapolis, NC for the following case:

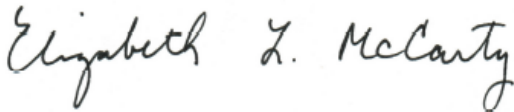
CZ-2025-02 – Conditional Zoning Map Amendment – 2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road

The purpose of this Public Hearing is to consider a request to assign City of Kannapolis zoning to recently annexed properties located at 2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road. The subject properties are currently zoned Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR), and the request is to assign City of Kannapolis Residential 8-Conditional Zoning (R8-CZ) zoning district to allow for a residential development. The subject properties are approximately 87.748 +/- combined acres and further identified as Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46729232550000, 46729217120000, and 46728256200000. (see reverse side of this letter for a map showing the location of properties). The subject properties were voluntarily annexed on April 28, 2025. Per the North Carolina General Statutes, a City of Kannapolis zoning designation must be applied to the properties within sixty (60) days of annexation.

As an abutting property owner, you are being notified of this public hearing in accordance with the requirements of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance. You are invited to attend the public hearing and will be provided an opportunity to speak to the Planning and Zoning Commission, if you believe it to be necessary for their decision making on this matter.

If you have any questions about the public hearing or request, please do not hesitate to call the Planning Department at 704.920.4362 or emccarty@kannapolisnc.gov.

Sincerely,



Elizabeth L. McCarty, AICP
Assistant Planning Director

Enclosure

In accordance with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (AD), any person requiring an accommodation to participate in a function or program of the City of Kannapolis, should contact Daniel Jenkins, Assistant Human Resource Director & ADA Coordinator, by phone at 704-920-4312, email adacoordinator@kannapolisnc.gov, or in person at Kannapolis City Hall as soon as possible but not later than 48 hours before the scheduled event.

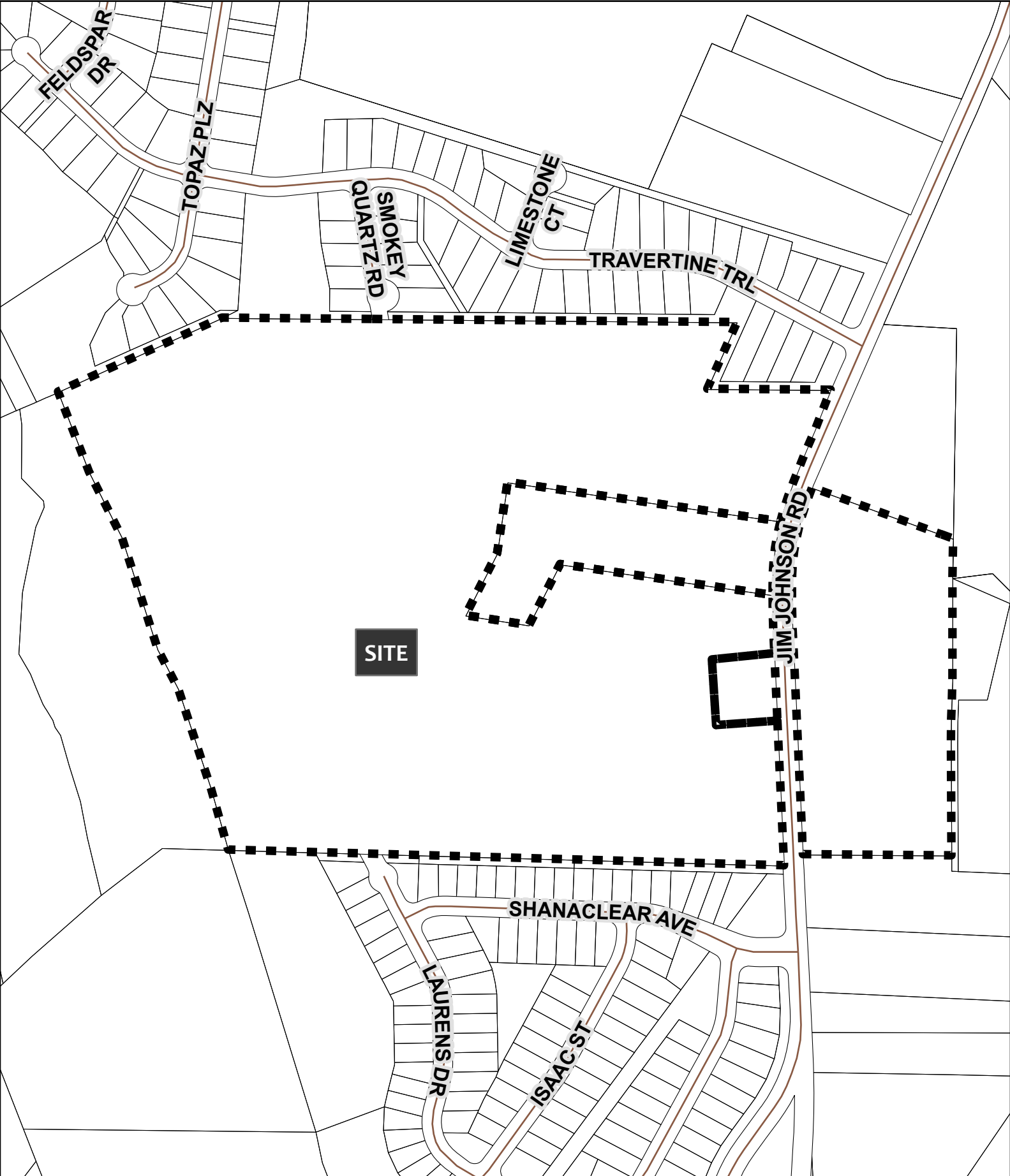


Conditional Rezoning

Case Number: CZ-2025-02

Applicant: Blue River Development

2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Rd, and Unaddressed Parcel





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CASE # CZ-2025-02



**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY
WITH REGARD TO CASE #CZ-2025-02**

WHEREAS, Sections 160D-604 and 160D-605 of the North Carolina General Statutes specify that when adopting or rejecting any zoning amendment, the governing board shall also approve a statement describing whether its action is consistent with an adopted comprehensive plan and any other officially adopted plan that is applicable and explain why the action taken is reasonable and in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.3.B(1).a. of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance delegates final authority to the Planning and Zoning Commission on zoning map amendments subject to an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the Commission members present and not excused from voting, or if there is no appeal of the decision; and

WHEREAS, on May 20, 2025, the Planning and Zoning Commission conducted a public hearing to consider a request to rezone approximately 87.748 +/- acres of property located at 2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road (Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46729232550000, 46729217120000, and 46728256200000), as petitioned by Blue River Development and owned by William Jerry Irvin and William Jason Irvin, from Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR) to City of Kannapolis Residential 8-Conditional Zoning (R8-CZ) zoning district.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED *The Planning and Zoning Commission finds this rezoning consistent with the goals and policies of the Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan ("2030 Plan"), adopted by City Council, which designates the subject property as located within the "Complete Neighborhood 2" Character Areas in the 2030 Plan. The Planning and Zoning Commission finds the request for rezoning compatible with the surrounding zoning and it is not anticipated to have an adverse effect on the capacity or safety of the surrounding street network, nor anticipated to generate parking problems or any adverse impact on the environment.*

Adopted this the 20th day of May 2025:

Chris Puckett, Chairman
Planning and Zoning Commission

Attest:

Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary
Planning and Zoning Commission



RESOLUTION TO ZONE

Case #CZ-2025-02

(2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road)

**From Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR) to
City of Kannapolis Residential 8-Conditional Zoning (R8-CZ) Zoning Designation**

WHEREAS, Section 2.3.B.(1).a of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance (KDO) specifically delegates authority to the Planning and Zoning Commission to take final action on a rezoning application provided, if the application is approved by less than a three quarters majority of voting members or denied, or if the Planning and Zoning Commission's decision is appealed, the City Council shall make the final decision on the application; and

WHEREAS, the Commission conducted a public hearing on May 20, 2025, for consideration of rezoning petition Case #CZ-2025-02 as submitted to the City of Kannapolis Planning Department; and

WHEREAS, the request was to rezone 87.748 +/- acres of property located at 2423 and 2575 Jim Johnson Road and an Unaddressed parcel on Jim Johnson Road, (Cabarrus County Parcel Identification Numbers 46729232550000, 46729217120000, and 46728256200000), as petitioned by Blue River Development and owned by William Jerry Irvin and William Jason Irvin, from Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR) to City of Kannapolis Residential 8-Conditional Zoning (R8-CZ) zoning district.

WHEREAS, the Commission has approved the request for rezoning and found it to be consistent with the City of Kannapolis *Move Kannapolis Forward, 2030 Comprehensive Plan*, reasonable and in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, per Section 2.5.A.(2).c of the Kannapolis Development Ordinance, the Planning and Zoning Commission makes the following findings in support of and in analysis of the rezoning:

1. Is the proposed rezoning consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and other applicable adopted City plans?

The subject properties are within the Complete Neighborhood 2 Character Area as designated in the *Move Kannapolis Forward 2030 Comprehensive Plan*. Single-family detached residential and single-family attached residential are identified as primary uses in the Complete Neighborhood 2 Character Area. The desired density is 4-18 units/acre. Therefore, the proposed development is consistent with the goals and objectives of the Plan.

2. Is the proposed rezoning in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance or the City Code of Ordinances?

No, the proposed rezoning is not in conflict with any ordinances.

3. Does the proposed rezoning correct an error in the existing zoning present at the time it was adopted?

No, the property was recently annexed into the City of Kannapolis.

4. Does the proposed rezoning allow uses that are compatible with existing and allowed uses on surrounding land and with the stability and character of any adjacent residential neighborhoods?

Yes, the proposed rezoning and use of the property for a residential development is compatible with existing surrounding land uses, primarily single-family detached dwellings. The subject properties abut City of Kannapolis Residential 4 (R4) residential lots within the Waterford on the Rocky River subdivision, to the north, and City of Kannapolis Residential 18 (R18) residential lots within the Pelhem Pointe subdivision, to the south. Both existing residential developments consist of single-family detached dwellings. The property to the west is zoned City of Kannapolis Agricultural (AG) and will be a future City of Kannapolis park, Westside Park.

The portion of the subject property that lies on the east side of Jim Johnson Road abuts another subdivision of single-family detached lots, Emerson Glen, zoned City of Kannapolis Residential 18-Conditional Zoning (R18-CZ). Other surrounding residential properties are zoned Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR)

5. Does the proposed rezoning ensure efficient development within the City, taking into consideration the capacity and safety of the street network, the adequacy of public facilities, the suitability of the land for the uses allowed under the existing zoning, and other relevant considerations?

Yes, the proposed zoning is compatible with surrounding development. The applicant has initiated a Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) to determine the proposed development's impact on roads and any necessary mitigation improvements. Jim Johnson Road and Davidson Highway are NCDOT maintained roads and will need to meet NCDOT requirements.

Roads internal to the proposed development will need to meet City road requirements. This includes the alignment and continuation of adjacent platted right-of-way for roads to interconnect the street system to enhance the safe and efficient movement of pedestrians, bicyclists, motor vehicles, and emergency vehicles within the proposed development and with neighboring developments. Additionally, on-street parking is shown on the rezoning plan in the vicinity of the townhouses to provide adequate parking.

6. Does the proposed rezoning result in a logical and orderly development pattern, taking into consideration the size of the subject lands and the zoning and existing and proposed development on surrounding lands?

Yes, the property is within the growth area for the City of Kannapolis, and the proposed rezoning is consistent with surrounding zoning and existing residential uses. The rezoning and proposed development results in logical street and greenway connections.

7. Does the proposed rezoning result in significant adverse impacts on the natural environment, including but not limited to water, air, noise, storm water management, wildlife, vegetation, wetlands, and the natural functioning of the environment?

No, there are no anticipated significant environmental impacts from rezoning this property. An unnamed tributary and floodplain are on the site. The proposed development will be required to conform to all applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Kannapolis Planning and Zoning Commission that the above referenced property be rezoned from Cabarrus County Countryside Residential (CR) to City of Kannapolis Residential 8-Conditional Zoning (R8-CZ) Zoning Designation, subject to the following conditions:

1. The permitted uses allowed by this rezoning shall be limited to those uses and accessory uses allowed by-right in the Residential 8 (R8) District. The intent of this rezoning submittal is to provide for a residential community with a mix of single-family detached dwelling units, townhouse units, and an amenity area.
2. The number of single-family units shall not exceed 264 as depicted on the Rezoning Plan with 122 single-family detached dwelling units and 142 townhouse units. The applicant may convert up to 84 townhouse units to single-family detached units subject to approval and coordination with the City regarding the Traffic Impact Analysis.
3. As depicted on the Rezoning Plan, the internal road network shall be designed to connect Smokey Quartz Road and Laurens Drive. Traffic calming measures, as determined at site plan submittal, shall be installed at the connection points.
4. A pedestrian bridge shall be constructed from the proposed development to the proposed extension of the Rocky River Greenway at the planned Westside Park.
5. On-street parking shall be provided in proximity to the townhouse units. A minimum of one (1) parking space shall be provided for every six (6) townhouse units.
6. A fifteen-foot (15') perimeter buffer shall be provided.
7. At such time that wastewater capacity is available for the proposed residential development, an updated Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) shall be required.
8. NCDOT driveway permits shall be obtained for site access points. Access points shall be as generally depicted on the Rezoning Plan. The placement and configuration of the access points are subject to any minor modifications required to accommodate final site and construction plans and designs and any adjustments required for approval by the City of Kannapolis and/or the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT).
9. The development depicted on the Rezoning Plan is schematic in nature and is intended to show the general arrangement of such uses and improvements on the site. Accordingly, the ultimate layout, locations and sizes of the development and site elements depicted on the Rezoning Plan are graphic representations, and they may be altered or modified in accordance with the City of Kannapolis Development Ordinance.
10. A final site plan, in compliance with the applicable Kannapolis Development Ordinance standards, shall be submitted to and approved by City Staff prior to issuance of a Zoning Clearance permit.

Adopted this the 20th day of May 2025:



Chris Puckett, Chairman
Planning and Zoning Commission

Attest:



Gabriela Wilkins, Recording Secretary
Planning and Zoning Commission