

Zoning Staff Report

Date: September 14, 2021 Case Number: ZC-21-128 Council District: 6

Site Plan

Case Manager: Brett Mangum

Owner / Applicant: Pate Ranch Commercial LP & TP Ladera LLC / Integrity Group (John Delin)

Site Location: 7600 - 7800 blocks Harris Parkway Acreage: 50.539 acres

Request

Proposed Use: Detached Multifamily

Request: From: PD-1218 & PD-1064

To: PD-1218

Recommendation

Land Use Compatibility: Requested change is compatible

Comprehensive Plan Consistency: Requested change is consistent (Minor Boundary Adjustment)

Staff Recommendation: Approval

Zoning Commission Recommendation: Approval by a vote of 8-0

Correspondence: Support: 1 letter Opposition: None

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Project Description and Background

The property is located south of Altamesa Boulevard, west of Chisholm Trail Parkway on the western side of Harris Parkway, in the Tavolo Park development. The applicant is proposing a zoning change to accommodate a detached multifamily use called "Ladera Tavolo Park Condos" that will include multiple individual, separate structures on one lot, shared community space, and a leasing office on site. As none of the city's zoning districts can accommodate this form at this time, a Planned Development [PD] is necessary with waivers to the standards including setbacks, open space, parking, height, and building separation in order to allow the development form that is being proposed.

The proposed development consists of 225 detached dwelling units, an increase of 40 dwelling units from the existing approved PD-1218. There is a mix of five (5) different unit types with mostly one (1) and two (2) bedroom units. The site will be using the single family parking ratio of two (2) spaces per unit. The proposed developer, Ladera, also has built and operates similar communities in Mansfield, Highland Village, and Rockwall.

The proposed zoning change would enlarge the existing PD-1218 to the south. This is a PD based on CR/URD standards, with modifications (approved by City Council in 2018) listed below:

Requirement	CR/URD Standards	Approved PD/CR	Proposed PD/CR
Front Yard	Minimum 20'	20' setback (Complies)	20' setback (Complies)
Side Yard	Minimum 5'	20' setback (Complies)	6' setback (Complies)
Setback adjacent to A or B Zoning	30 feet minimum, depending on height (If 35' in height, 105' setback)	20' setback (Waiver required)	20' setback (Waiver required)
Height	Maximum height 32' to top plate	Maximum 3 stories/35' (<i>Waiver required</i>)	Maximum 2 stories/35' (<i>Waiver required</i>)
Minimum Parking Requirements	1 space per bedroom; 1 space per 250 square feet of indoor recreation	2 spaces per unit - 370 5,000 sq. ft. office/amenity – 20 spaces (<i>Waiver required</i>)	2 spaces per unit - 370 5,000 sq. ft. office/amenity – 20 spaces (<i>Waiver required</i>)
Open Space	Minimum 60%	30% (Waiver required)	30% (Waiver required)
Density	18 units/acre	4.6 units/acre (Complies)	4.6 units/acre (Complies)
Building Separation	End to End – 15' Face to Face – 50'	Minimum 6' separation between building walls (<i>Waiver required</i>)	Minimum 6' separation between building walls (<i>Waiver required</i>)

The applicant has stated that they are comfortable with the standards as approved, so no additional waivers are needed at this time.

The following additional comments were provided by other reviewing City departments:

Fire

FWFD - (Lt. Donna York, donna.york@fortworthtexas.gov)

A site plan will be required for development to add additional street names for addressing.

FYI Comments:

Failure to recognize violations of the fire code by the fire code official does not waive the requirement of meeting minimum requirements of the fire code in the future. It is the applicant's and the owner's responsibility to meet all minimum fire code requirements at all times.

The City of Fort Worth has adopted the 2015 International Fire Code as its current fire code at the time of this review. The City of Fort Worth also has adopted amendments (January 1, 2017 version) to this code. The Fort Worth Fire Code Amendments can be found online at www.fortworthtexas.gov/Fire/ (click on Bureau of Fire Prevention)

Water Engineering

Plat case review Performed On: 08/02/2021

You may address hold comments by emailing: DSWS@fortworthtexas.gov

Note: All revisions requested per our initial review to the proposed plat document must be submitted to Platting department. Staff will upload revised plat and notify our department. If this is an electronic submittal, you must still contact the platting office when you have uploaded the document, otherwise we will not be notified. Please be advised to wait for ALL departments review comments before submitting a revision to address them all at one time. Revisions are subject to additional fees. Thank you for your understanding.

Platting Department contact info: 817-392-8027

All comments based on Installation Policy and Design Criteria for Water, Wastewater and Reclaimed Water. To view Policy visit http://fortworthtexas.gov/standards/#waterdesign

Will need a revised water demand and sewer loading at a minimum. We may need to request full water modeling revisions as well depending on the increase in demand for this Zoning change.

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses

North "PD-1273" Planned Development-One Family / residential
East "PD 1064" Planned Development-MU-2 / private school
South "PD 1064" Planned Development-MU-2 / undeveloped
West "PD-1273" Planned Development-One Family / undeveloped

Recent Zoning History

• ZC-18-146 from A-5 to PD/CR; effective 10/16/2018 (portion of subject site)

• ZC-14-147 from unzoned to PD/G; PD/MU-2; MU-2; A-5; effective 12/01/2015 (subject site and surrounding property)

Public Notification

300-foot Legal Notifications were mailed on July 23, 2021.

The following organizations were notified: (emailed July 26, 2021)

Organizations Notified			
Ridgeview Estates HOA	Crowley ISD		
Summer Creek Meadows HA	District 6 Alliance		
Streams And Valleys Inc	Villages of Sunset Pointe HA		
Trinity Habitat for Humanity			

^{*} Located within this registered Neighborhood Association

Development Impact Analysis

Land Use Compatibility

The zoning change will enlarge a previously approved development which was deemed as a compatible land use. This zoning change would shift the residences roughly 200 feet closer to the Fort Worth Western Railroad tracks to the southeast of the site, however there will be a road (Harris Parkway) that will be in between the residential community and the railroad, serving as a modest buffer. Additionally there are some gas wells adjacent to the site, however these are marked as abandoned so their presence will not have an impact upon the residential development.

In total, the proposed zoning is **compatible** with surrounding land uses.

Comprehensive Plan Consistency – Far Southwest

The 2021 Comprehensive Plan currently designates the subject property as Low Density Residential, with a small portion designated as Mixed Use that aligns with the existing PD-1064. The proposal would occupy a small sliver of the Mixed Use area, which would necessitate a minor boundary adjustment to align with the shift of Harris Parkway, which will be located approximately 200 feet further to the south than first envisioned.

The Comprehensive Plan policies and strategies below apply to this proposal:

- Locate multifamily units adjacent to collector streets, arterial streets, or rail transit stations to provide the increased level of transportation services necessary for the greater number of residents.
- Encourage new development adjacent and connected to previously developed or platted areas in order to utilize existing utility and road infrastructure and services, thereby optimizing public and private investments and discouraging sprawl development.

The proposed zoning is consistent (partial Minor Boundary Adjustment) with the Comprehensive Plan.

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Area Zoning Map
Pate Ranch Commercial & TP Ladera LLC

Applicant:

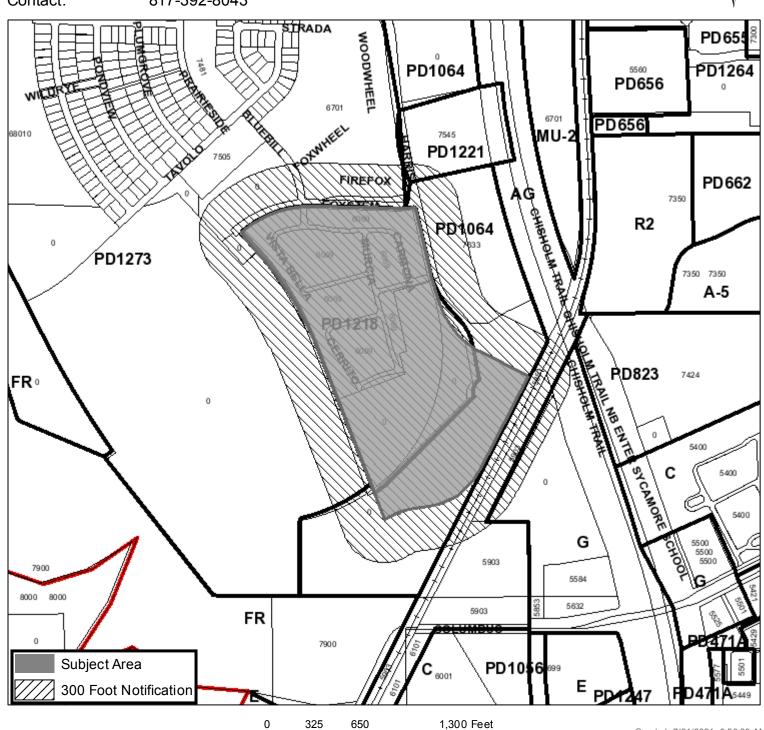
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Zoning From: PDs 1064 & 1218

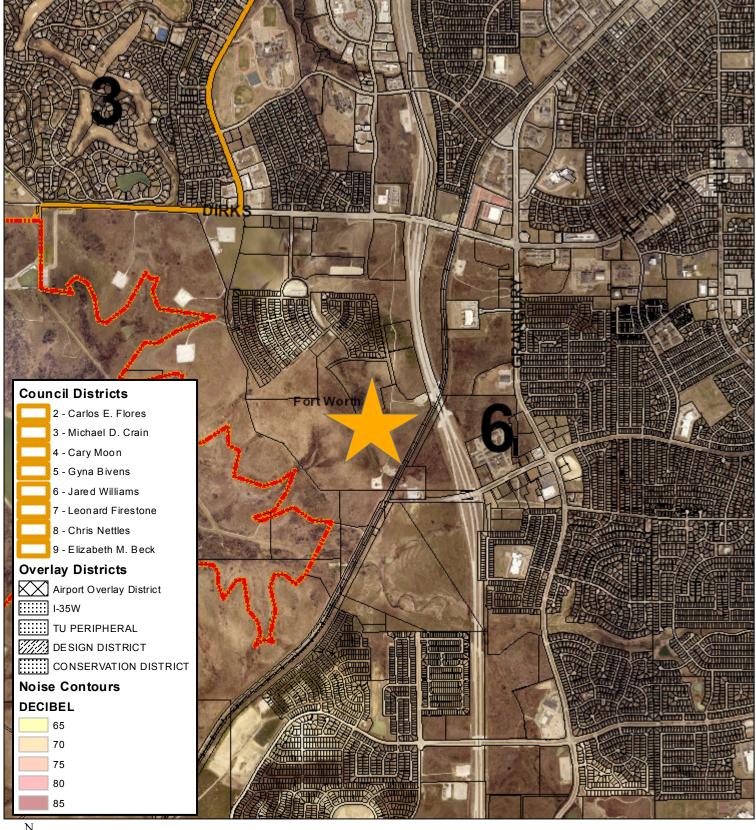
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Mapsco: 102GL

Far Southwest Sector/District: Commission Date: 8/11/2021 817-392-8043 Contact:

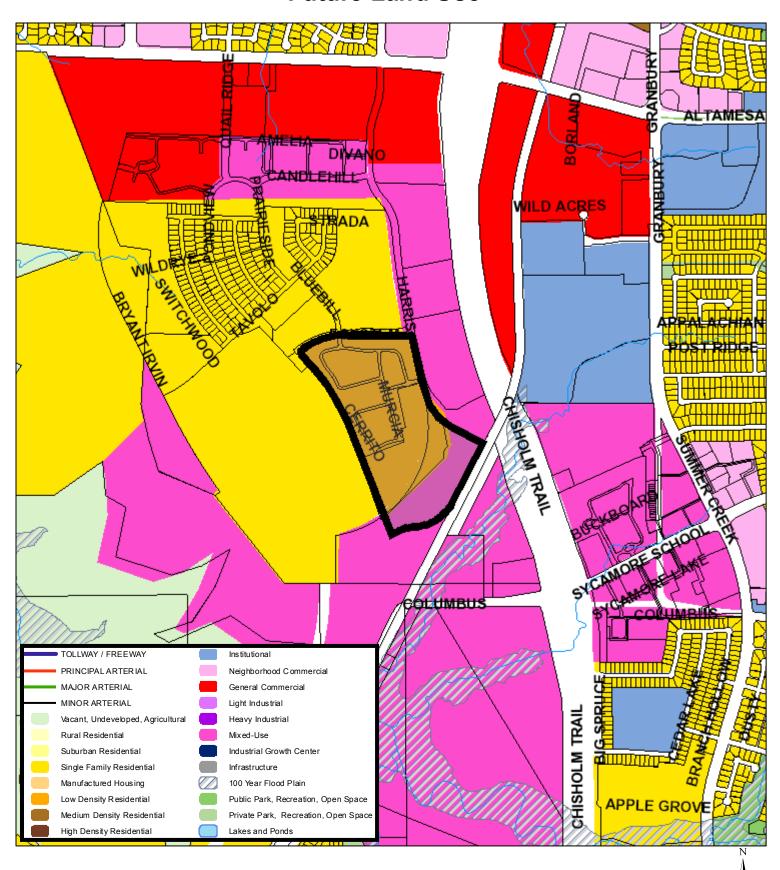








Future Land Use





Aerial Photo Map





