

# Zoning Staff Report

Date: September 14, 2021 Case Number: ZC-21-134 Council District: 7

# **Zoning Map Amendment**

Case Manager: <u>Stephen Murray</u>

Owner / Applicant: JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A. and William Bloomstein as Co-Trustees of Charles

Philippe La Prelle Trust, Francesca La Prelle Trust, and Lise Regina La Prelle Trust /

**Garrett Scroggins** 

Site Location: 500-800 blocks Blue Mound Road West Acreage: 372.40 acres

## Request

**Proposed Use:** Single-family/Commercial

Request: From: "AG" Agricultural

To: "PD" Planned Development for "AG" Agricultural, "A-7.5" One-Family, "A-5"

One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial uses with increased lot

coverage and development standards

#### 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 as Amended by a vote of 9-0 to exclude golf course,

park or playground (public or private), bed & breakfast inn, short term home rental, and taxidermist shop as allowed uses in the "E"

Neighborhood Commercial area on Tracts A & B.

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## Project Description and Background

The proposed site is located on Blue Mound Rd near SH 287 west of I-35W. The applicant would like to rezone the property from "AG" Agricultural to "PD" Planned Development for "AG" Agricultural, "A-7.5" One-Family, "A-5" One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial uses with increased lot coverage with development standards. The applicant has redesigned the proposal and is coming back with a variety of proposed uses. The table below describes the proposed zoning, standard, and uses.

Tract	Zoning	Proposed Regulation	Standard Regulation	Use
A & B	E	Follow E zoning	Will meet the standard	Neighborhood
		regulations	regulation	Commercial
C	PD/A-5	Minimum Lot Size-6,000	Minimum Lot Size-5,000 sf/	Single-family
		sf/ lot coverage 55%	lot coverage-50%	
D	PD/A-5	Minimum Lot Size-6,000	Minimum Lot Size-5,000 sf/	Single-family
		sf/ lot coverage 55%	lot coverage-50%	
D	PD/A-7.5	Minimum Lot Size-7200	Minimum Lot Size-7,500;	Single-family
		sf; Lot width-60 ft; lot	Lot width-55 ft.; Lot	
		coverage-55%	coverage-45%	
Е	AG	Follow AG zoning	Will meet the standard	Agriculture
		regulations	regulation	
General	1) A landscape buffer with a minimum width of ten (10) ft. shall be provided adjacent to			
Conditions	Wagley Robertson, Blue Mound, and John Day Roads			
	2) All open space common areas shall be owned and maintained by the HOA			

# Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses

North "A-5" One-Family, "E" Neighborhood Commercial, "I" Light Industrial / vacant

East Unzoned (located in City of Haslet) / vacant and single-family residential

South "J" Medium Industrial / industrial use, Unzoned (ETJ) / single-family residential

West "I" Light Industrial / gas well site

## **Recent Zoning History**

• ZC-20-099: Rezoned an adjacent 1,147-acre property to the north of this site to a combination of "A-5" One-Family, "CR" Low Density Multifamily, "UR" Urban Residential "E" Neighborhood Commercial, "F" General Commercial, "MU-1" Low Intensity Mixed Use, and "I" Light Industrial.

#### **Public Notification**

300-foot Legal Notifications were mailed on July 23, 2021. The following organizations were notified: (emailed July 23, 2021)

Organizations Notified			
Spring Ranch HOA	The Parks at Willow Ridge HOA*		
Streams and Valleys Inc	Trinity Habitat for Humanity		
Northwest ISD			

<sup>\*</sup> This Neighborhood Association is located closest to the subject property

## **Development Impact Analysis**

#### Land Use Compatibility

The applicant is proposing to change the zoning of this property from "AG" Agricultural to "PD" Planned Development for "AG" Agricultural, "A-7.5" One-Family, "A-5" One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial uses with increased lot coverage with development standards. There are existing single-family residential subdivisions of similar size located south and east of the subject property, outside of the Fort Worth City Limits. Another adjacent property to the south, located within the City Limits, is zoned "J" Medium Industrial. Other surrounding properties are largely vacant.

The majority of the vacant property to the north of this site is zoned "A-5" One-Family, with smaller portions reserved for "E" Neighborhood Commercial and "I" Light Industrial zoning. Properties. Property to the west is zoned "I" Light Industrial and is primarily vacant except for existing gas well sites. A portion of the subject property, closest to the adjacent "I" Light Industrial zoned property, is located within the FEMA 100-year floodplain.

The proposed zoning is **compatible** with surrounding land uses.

#### Comprehensive Plan Consistency – Far North

The 2021 Comprehensive Plan currently designates the subject property as <u>single-family</u>. The proposed zoning is consistent with the land use designation of the Comprehensive Plan and aligns with the policies below.

- Promote fiscally sustainable growth on the periphery of the city by encouraging development adjacent to existing adequate infrastructure and discouraging leapfrog development.
- Encourage small-lot single-family zoning districts (i.e. AR and A-5) on the periphery of mixed-use growth centers, where the City seeks to concentrate employment and public services

Based on conformance with the policies stated above, the proposed zoning is **consistent (Minor Boundary Adjustment)** with the Comprehensive Plan.

#### PLANNED DEVELOPMENT (PD) STANDARDS:

<u>Conformance with the City of Fort Worth Zoning Ordinance</u>: Except as otherwise set forth in these Development Standards, the regulations of the City's Zoning Ordinance (Ordinance No. 13896 as it currently exists or may be amended) shall apply.

#### TRACT A & B: "E" NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL

1. Regulations: Tracts A & B shall meet regulations and uses permitted in "E" Neighborhood Commercial

#### TRACT C: PD - Village Residential A

The Village Residential A lots shall comprise of PD A-5 single-family residential lots.

1. Regulations: all lots within Tracts C shall meet regulations and uses permitted in "A-5" One Family, except as follows:

a. Minimum Lot Size: 6,000 square feetb. Lot Coverage: 55% maximum

#### TRACT D: PD – Village Residential B

The Village Residential B lots shall comprise of a mix of PD A-5 and PD A-7.5 single-family residential lots.

#### PD A-5

1. Regulations: all lots within Village Resident B designated as PD A-5 lots shall meet the regulations and uses permitted in "A-5" One Family, except as follows:

a. Minimum Lot Size: 6,000 square feet

b. Lot Coverage: 55% maximum

#### PD A-7.5

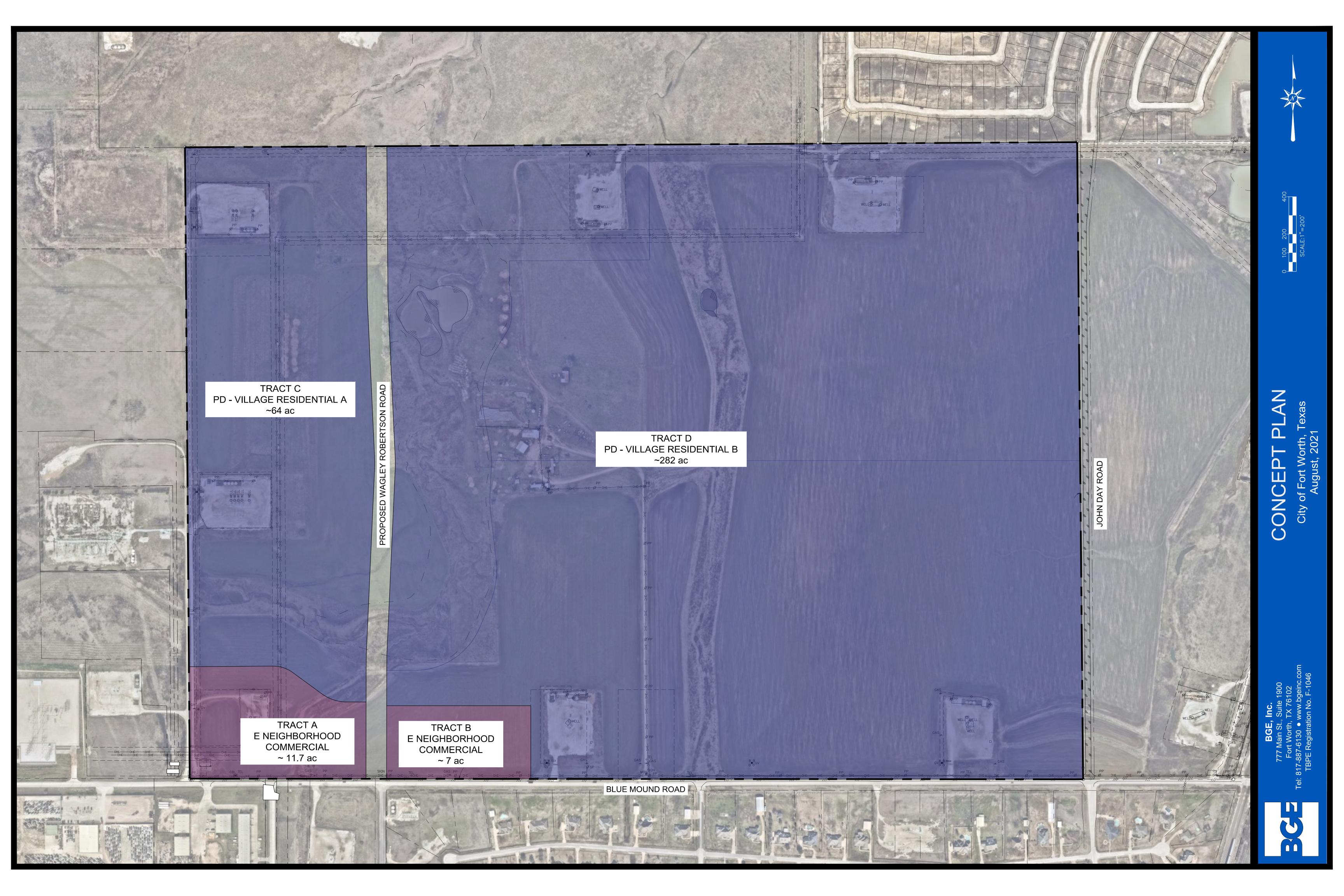
1. Regulations: A minimum of 30% of the total lots within Village Residential B shall be comprised of PD A-7.5 lots. All lots within Village Resident B designated as PD 7.5 lots shall meet the regulations and uses permitted in "A-7.5" One Family, except as follows:

a. Minimum Lot Size: 7,200 square feetb. Minimum Lot Width: sixty (60) feet

c. Lot Coverage: 55% maximum

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- 1. A landscape buffer with a minimum width of ten (10) feet shall be provided adjacent to Wagley Robertson, Blue Mound, and John Day Roads.
- 2. All open space common areas shall be owned and maintained by an Home Owner's Association (HOA).





Applicant: La Prelle Trust

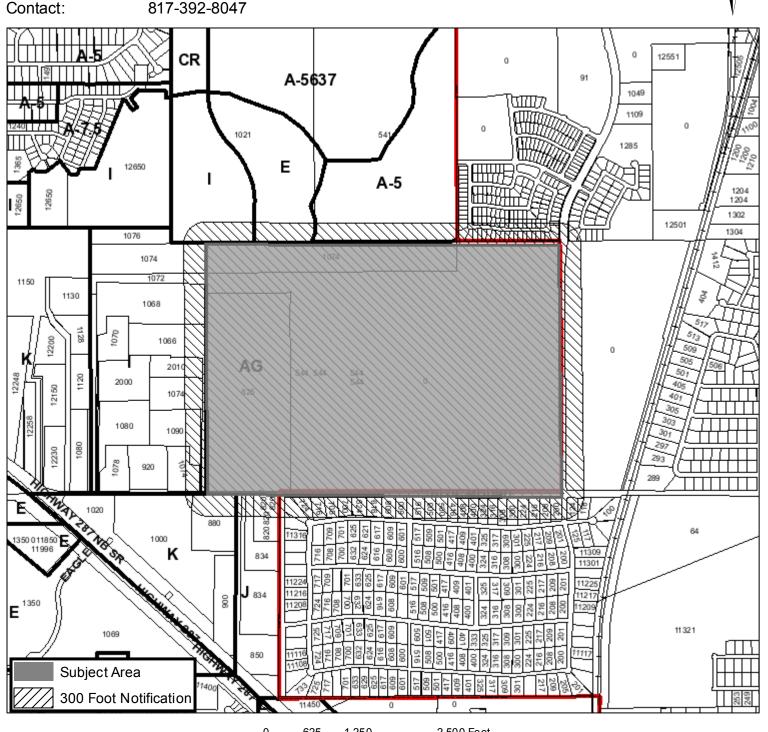
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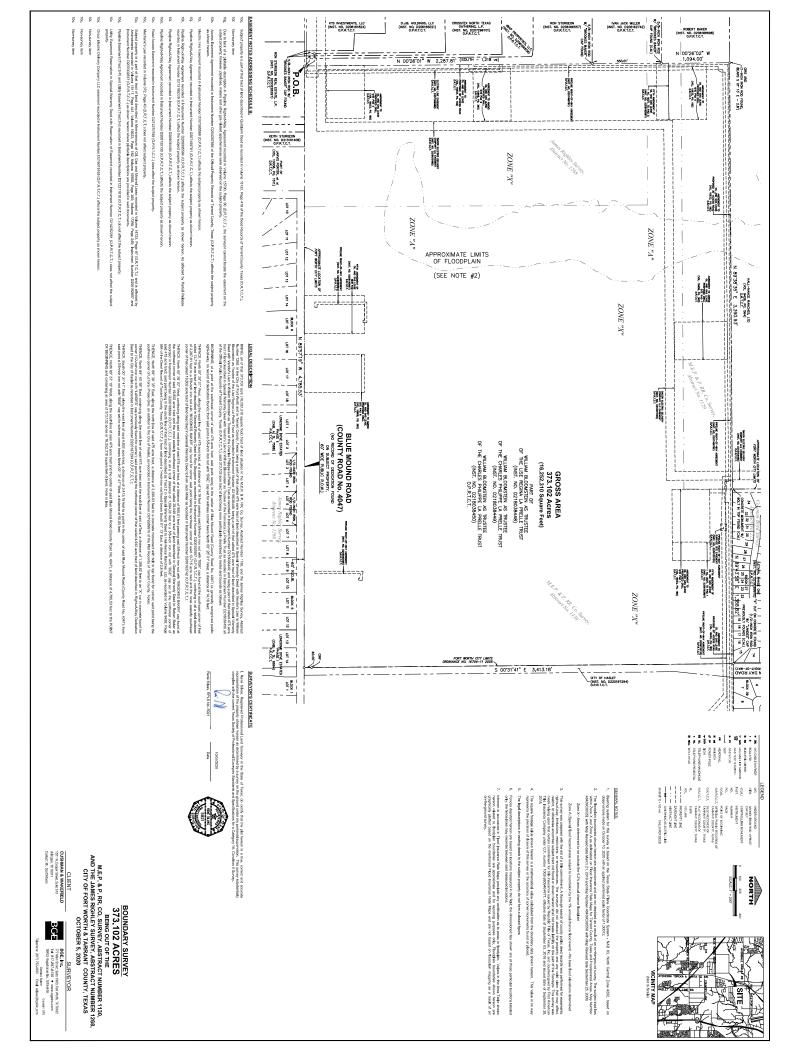
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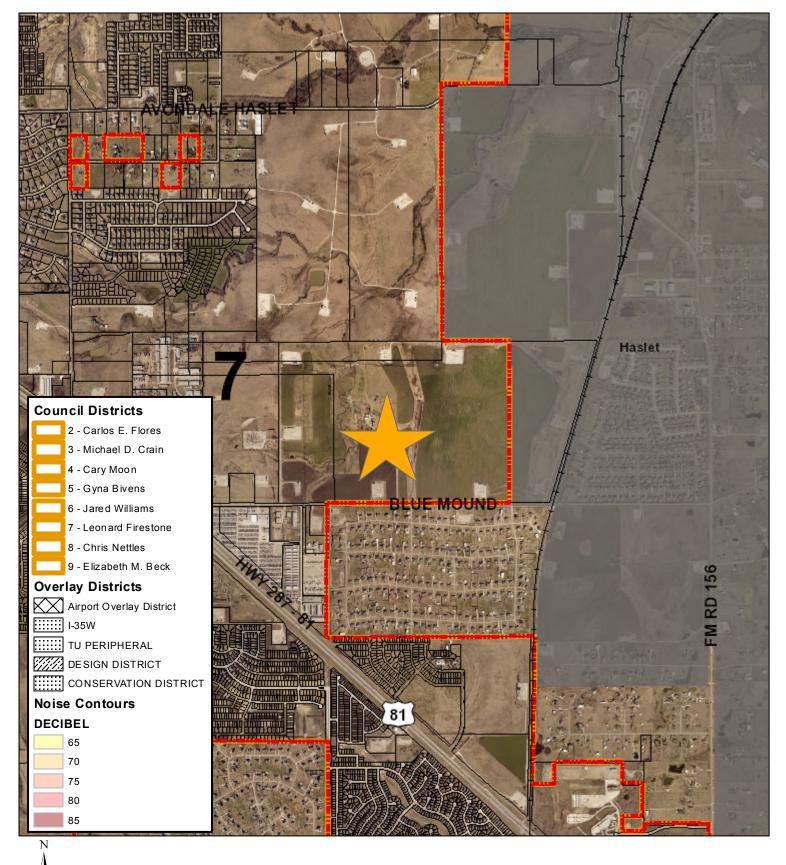
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Mapsco: 19DH, 20AE
Sector/District: Far North
Commission Date: 8/11/2021





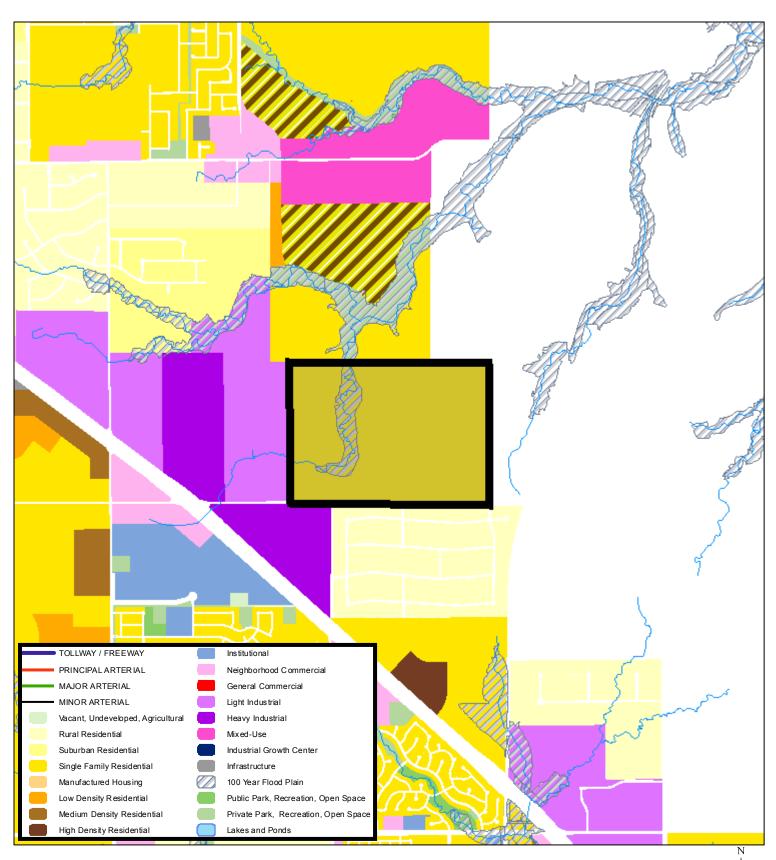








# **Future Land Use**





# **Aerial Photo Map**



