

Zoning Staff Report

Date: February 8, 2022 Case Number: ZC-21-193 Council District: 9

Zoning Map Amendment

Case Manager: Brett Mangum

Owner / Applicant: Jeff Masure, Fort Worth Camera / Michael Forbes, Trinite Construction Management

Site Location: 601 Currie Street Acreage: 0.143 acres

Request

Proposed Use: Townhomes

Request: From: "C" Medium Density Multifamily

To: "MU-1" Low Intensity Mixed-Use

Recommendation

Land Use Compatibility: Requested change is compatible

Comprehensive Plan Consistency: Requested change is consistent

Staff Recommendation: Approval

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

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Project Description and Background

The current owner is proposing to rezone the subject property to "MU-1" Low-Intensity Mixed-Use in order to develop a total of four (4) townhome residences on this site, which is currently a parking lot. The townhomes would be for sale rather than rental properties. Mixed-Use zoning is intended to accommodate "higher density, mixed-use, pedestrian-oriented development for designated mixed-use growth centers and urban villages, so as to concentrate a variety of housing types among neighborhood-serving commercial and institutional uses. MU-1 is encouraged in the central city. Maximum height 3-5 stories with available height bonus. Subject to review by Urban Design Commission."

This corner lot, at the intersection of Currie Street and West 5th Street is in the Linwood area and is in close proximity to the West 7th Urban Village. The Urban Village was designated to encourage higher quality and higher density development. Properties near the site have been rezoned to MU-1, MU-2, and UR zoning as part of the implementation of the Urban Village plan.

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses

North "I" Light Industrial / office & warehouse

East "C" Medium Density Multifamily / undeveloped South "C" Medium Density Multifamily / single family

West "UR" Urban Residential / apartments

Recent Zoning History

None

Public Notification

300-foot Legal Notifications were mailed on November 19, 2021. The following organizations were emailed on November 22, 2021:

Organizations Notified	
Linwood NA*	Fort Worth ISD
Sixth & Arch Adams HA	Monticello NA
Streams And Valleys Inc	Trinity Habitat for Humanity
West 7th Neighborhood Alliance	Westside Alliance
SO7 Townhome Association	Montgomery Plaza Residential Condominium Assoc.
Tarrant Regional Water District	Montgomery Plaza Condominium Association, Inc
Cultural District Alliance	Camp Bowie District, Inc

^{*} Located within this registered Neighborhood Association

Development Impact Analysis

Land Use Compatibility

The applicant is proposing a zoning change to "MU-1" for a townhome development in accordance with the Mixed-Use standards. Surrounding land uses consist of residential to the west and south with commercial development to the north and future residential to the east.

The proposed zoning change is compatible with surrounding land uses.

Comprehensive Plan Consistency – Arlington Heights

The 2021 Comprehensive Plan currently designates the subject property as future Mixed-Use. The following Comprehensive Plan policies specific to the Arlington Heights sector are applicable in this case:

- 2. Promote commercial and urban residential development within the Cultural District and Clear Fork Mixed-Use Growth Centers.
- 3. Promote a desirable combination of compatible residential, office, retail, commercial, and selected light industrial uses in the mixed-use and urban residential zoning districts of the West Seventh Urban Village.
- 8. Encourage urban residential development in appropriate locations to create more walkable, pedestrian-oriented neighborhoods.

The proposed zoning is consistent with the Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use designation.



Area Zoning Map

Applicant: Fort Worth Camera Address: 601 Currie Street

Zoning From: C Zoning To: MU-1

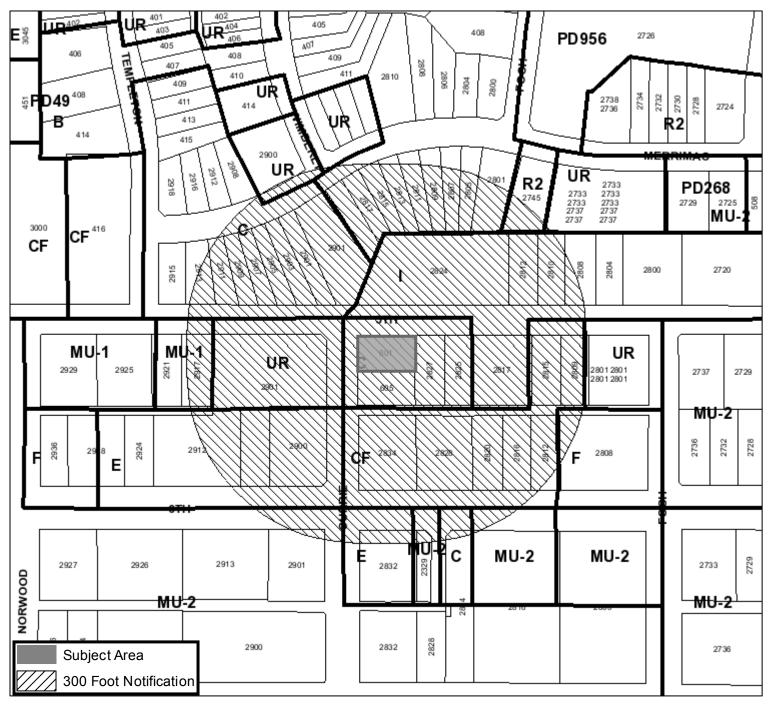
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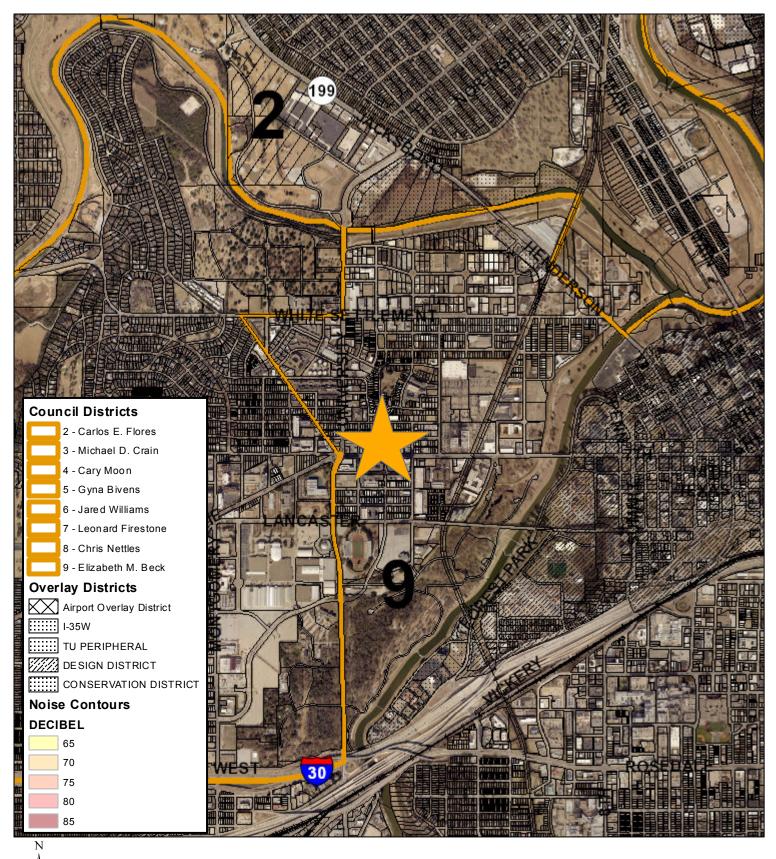
Sector/District: Arlington Heights

Commission Date: 12/8/2021 Contact: 817-392-8043



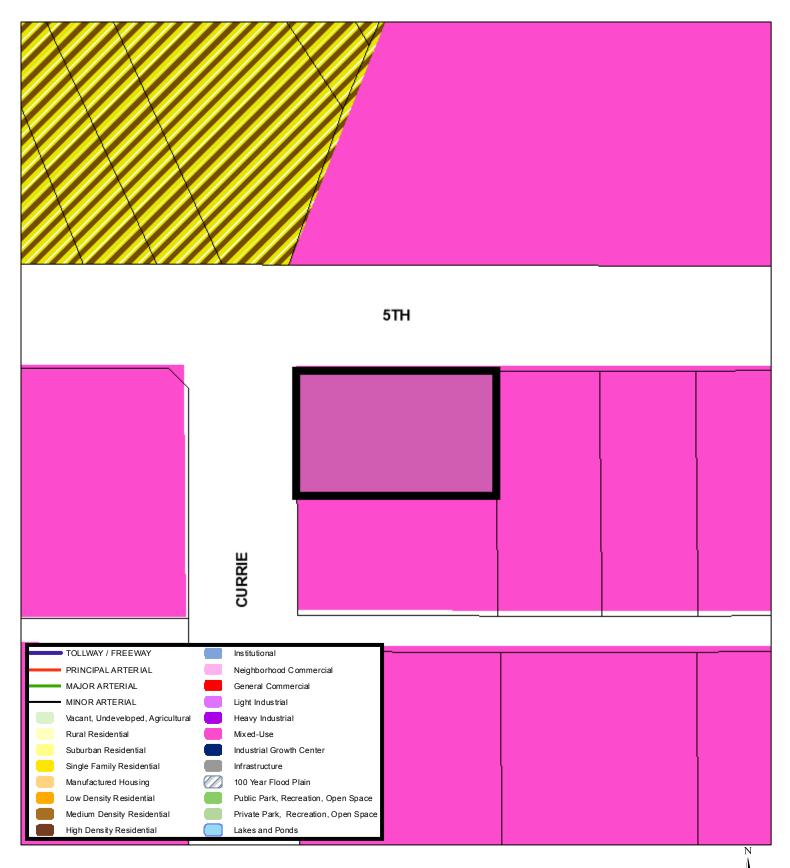








Future Land Use



40 Feet



Aerial Photo Map





