Zoning Staff Report

Date: April 12, 2022

FORT WORTH.

Case Number: ZC-22-021

Council District: 8

Zoning Map Amendment

Case Manager:	Brett Mangum		
Owner / Applicant:	1233 E Rosedale Trust / Mary Nell Poole, Townsite		
Site Location:	3412 W. Risinger Ro	ad Acreage: 1.53 acres	
Request			
Proposed Use:	Commercial		
Request:	From: "E" Neighborhood Commercial & "A-5" One Family Residential		
	To: "E" Neighborhood Commercial		
Recommendation			
Land Use Compatibility:		Requested change is compatible	
Comprehensive Plan Consistency:		Requested change is inconsistent (Minor Boundary Adjustment)	
Staff Recommendation:		Approval	
Zoning Commission Recommendation:		Approval by a vote of 9-0 Table of Contents	

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Project Description and Background

The applicant is proposing to zone the entire subject site "E" Neighborhood Commercial. The site is currently split-zoned with 0.43 acres already zoned "E" and the remainder 1.10 acres zoned "A-5" One Family Residential. This would make the zoning uniform across the site and would accommodate future neighborhood commercial development, which is primarily small scale retail, offices, and services.

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses

North "B" Two Family Residential / residential East PD 621 base "AR" One-Family Restricted / residential South "E" Neighborhood Commercial / undeveloped West "E" Neighborhood Commercial / daycare

Recent Zoning History

• None

Public Notification

300-foot Legal Notifications were mailed on February 25, 2022. The following organizations were emailed February 25, 2022:

Organizations Notified			
Crowley ISD	District 6 Alliance		
Trinity Habitat for Humanity	Streams and Valleys Inc		

Development Impact Analysis

Land Use Compatibility

Surrounding properties to the west are zoned and developed for commercial purposes (daycare). Properties to the north and east are residentially zoned and developed with single-family homes. City staff is comfortable with the overall compatibility of this proposed rezoning, in conjunction with the screening measures mandated by the Zoning Ordinance for any new commercial construction on the subject property. A combination of fencing and landscaping must equal 25 points from the enhanced landscape table found in Section 6.300.c.3.g of the City of Fort Worth Zoning Ordinance. Applicants are encouraged to exceed the minimum 25 point requirement when possible. In addition, there is a required minimum 5' buffer yard composed of landscaped area off of the northern and eastern property lines. A supplemental building setback of 20' prohibits any buildings and structures within 20' of the northern and eastern property lines. Parking can be in this area, exclusive of the 5' landscaped buffer yard.

Because any new commercial construction would be subject to the current supplemental buffer yards and setbacks, and because the site adjoins commercial uses to the west, the proposed zoning **is compatible** with surrounding land uses.

Comprehensive Plan Consistency - Wedgwood

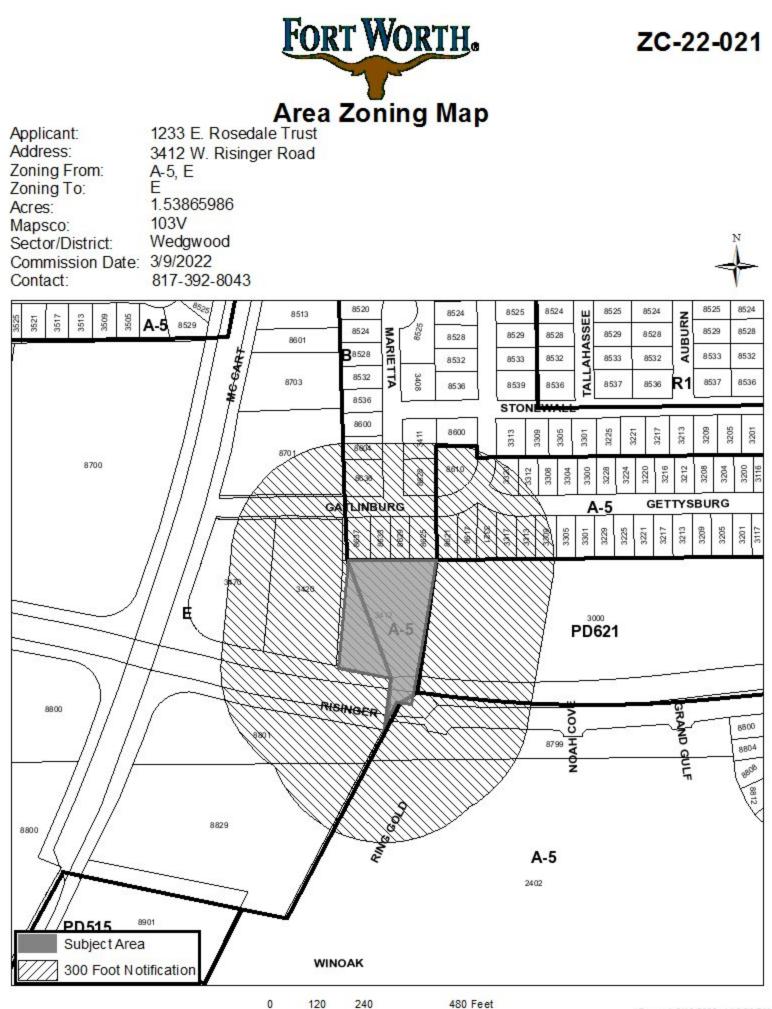
The 2021 Comprehensive Plan currently designates the subject property as future single family residential.

There being existing development on the north, west, and east, it is difficult to envision this small site being developed as a standalone residential area. The only access is on the arterial W. Risinger Road, which is not conducive to residential development but is ideal for commercial development. Additionally, the Comprehensive Plan shows a commercial node centered on the intersection of W. Risinger Road and McCart Avenue.

The area requested to be rezoned to "E" Neighborhood Commercial is currently earmarked as future single family residential, however since the area borders an existing tract of future neighborhood commercial, it is reasonable to envision the boundary being extended to accommodate the entirety of the proposed rezoning site. Technically, the proposed zoning **is not consistent (minor boundary adjustment)** with the Comprehensive Plan. If the rezoning request is approved, City staff recommends that the Comprehensive Plan be updated to reflect this change.

Economic Development Plan

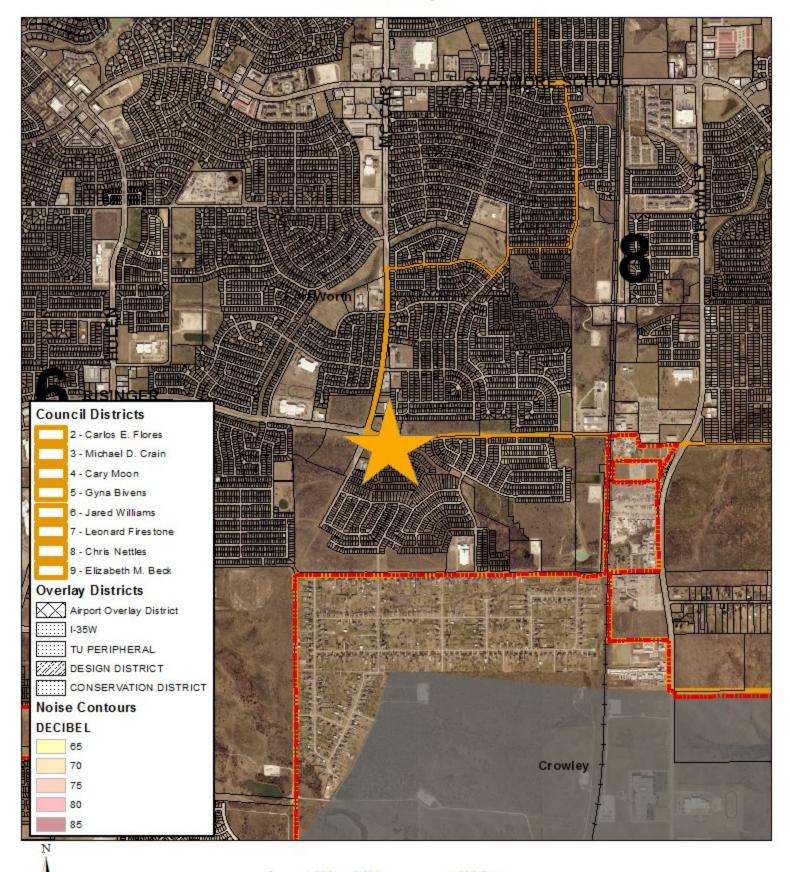
The site is not directly addressed in the 2018 Economic Development Strategic Plan, however one of the desired outcomes of the plan is a more sustainable tax base, driven less by residential property valuation and more by commercial and industrial investment. Additionally, the City has adopted the goal of supporting the growth of independent, locally-owned small businesses, including minority-owned firms. Rezoning to allow commercial development of this property could provide a site for exactly this type of desired business endeavor.



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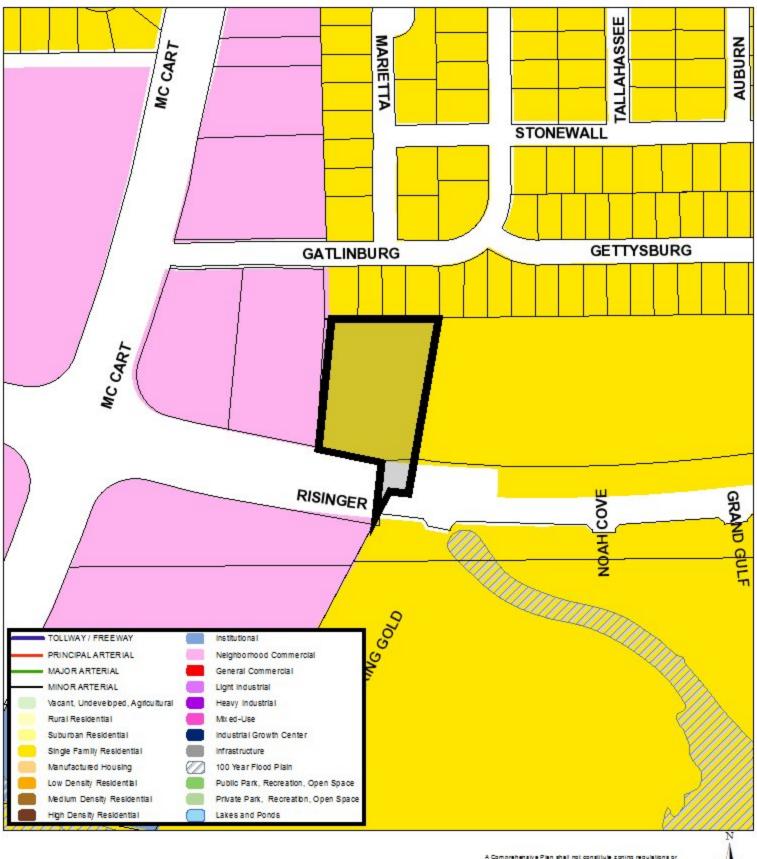


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Future Land Use



A Comprehensive Plan shall not constitute coning regulations or establish coning district boundaries. (Texas Local Government Code, Section 21:2003.) Land Las designations were approved by City Council on March 6, 2015.



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Aerial Photo Map

