

# ZONING MAP CHANGE STAFF REPORT

# **City Council Meeting Date:**

Council District 4

Continued

Surplus

Case Manager

Council Initiated

November 12, 2019

**Zoning Commission Recommendation:** 

Approval by a vote of 7-0

**Opposition:** None submitted **Support:** None submitted

Owner / Applicant: LRB Holdings, Inc.

Site Location: 1700 block Handley Ederville Rd. & 7001 Jack Newell Blvd. S.

Acreage: 3.96

Yes

Yes

Lynn Jordan

Yes \_\_\_ No \_<u>X</u>

No X

 $No_X$ 

Proposed Use: Industrial

**Request:** From: "AG" Agricultural and "G" Intensive Commercial

To: "I" Light Industrial

Land Use Compatibility: Requested change is compatible.

Comprehensive Plan Consistency: Requested change is consistent.

Staff Recommendation: Approval

# Background:

The proposed site is located west of Handley Ederville Road and south of Jack Newell Boulevard S within the Riverbend West Business Park. The applicant is requesting to rezone from "AG" Agricultural and "G" Intensive Commercial to "I" Light Industrial for industrial development.

The site is located within the Riverbend Industrial Growth Center. Surrounding properties are zoned "AG" Agricultural, "I" Light Industrial and "J" Medium Industrial, with the exception of the Oncor Transmission line to the west of the site, which is zoned "AG".

The City of Fort Worth recently published an Economic Development Strategic Plan which stated four specific outcomes, one of which is "A more sustainable tax base, driven less by residential property valuation and more by commercial and industrial investment".

### Site Information:

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses:

North "I" Light Industrial / vacant

East "G" Intensive Commercial / vacant

South "AG" Agricultural / vacant

West "AG" Agricultural / Oncor Transmission lines

# Recent Relevant Zoning and Platting History:

Zoning History: ZC-16-003 Rezoned from "G" to "I", Effective 3/19/17 (subject area to the north)

### **Public Notification:**

300 foot Legal Notifications were mailed on September 17, 2019.

The following organizations were notified: (emailed September 16, 2019)

Organizations Notified	
Historic Randol's Mill Valley Alliance, Inc.	Neighborhoods of East Fort Worth
Sunset Oaks HOA, Inc.	Riverbend HOA of Fort Worth, Inc.*
Woodhaven Na	East Fort Worth, Inc.
Streams and Valleys Inc.	Trinity Habitat for Humanity
Woodhaven Community Development Inc.	East Fort Worth Business Association
Birdville ISD	Fort Worth ISD

<sup>\*</sup>Closest registered Neighborhood Association

# Development Impact Analysis:

# 1. Land Use Compatibility

The applicant is requesting to rezone from "AG" Agricultural and "G" Intensive Commercial to "I" Light Industrial for some type of industrial development. Surrounding land uses are primarily vacant with some industrial uses within the block face.

As a result, the proposed "I" Light Industrial zoning is compatible at this location.

# 2. Comprehensive Plan Consistency-Eastside

The 2019 Comprehensive Plan designates the subject property as Riverbend Industrial Growth center. The proposed "I" Light Industrial zoning district, is consistent with the following Comprehensive Plan policies.

• Locate large industrial uses along freight lines, highways, or airports within industrial growth centers and other appropriate locations.

Based on conformance with the future land use map and policies stated above, the proposed zoning **is consistent** with the Comprehensive Plan.

## 3. Economic Development Strategic Plan

The 2017 Economic Development Strategic Plan identified a vision, goals, and strategies in order to facilitate the success and growth of the City of Fort Worth. The below strategies apply to this project:

# INITIATIVE 1.3. BUSINESS RETENTION & EXPANSION (BRE)

1.3.3.2. Ensure protection for other significant industrial districts with concentrations of manufacturing, transportation, and warehousing businesses that generate heavy truck traffic.

1.3.3.3. Work with the real estate community to preserve strategically located sites within emerging employment/business districts to allow and encourage future development of high-value, high density employment nodes.

### Attachments:

- Area Zoning Map with 300 ft. Notification Area
- Future Land Use Map
- Aerial Photograph



# **Area Zoning Map**

Applicant: LRB Holdings, Inc.

Address: 1700 block Handley Ederville Road & 7001 Jack Newell Boulevard South

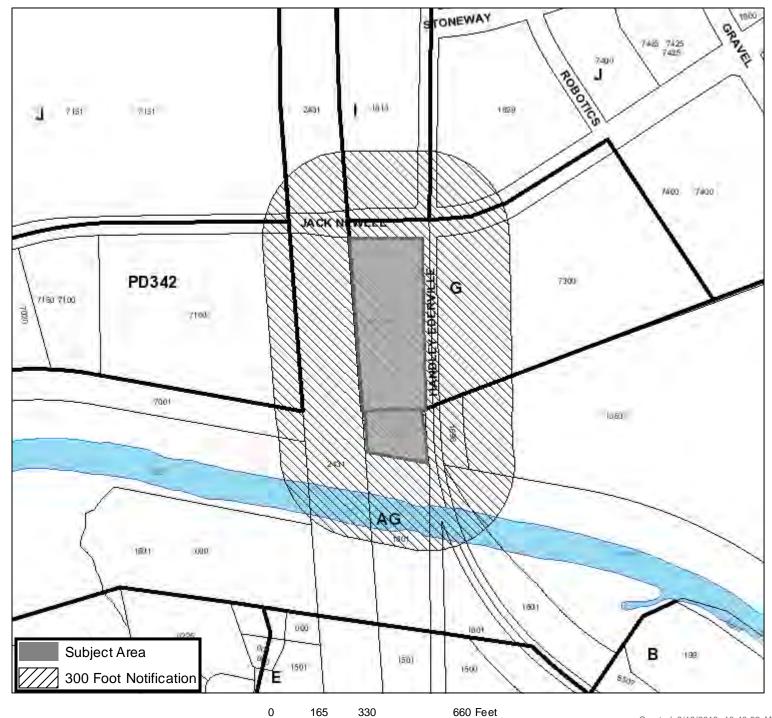
Zoning From: AG, G

Zoning To:

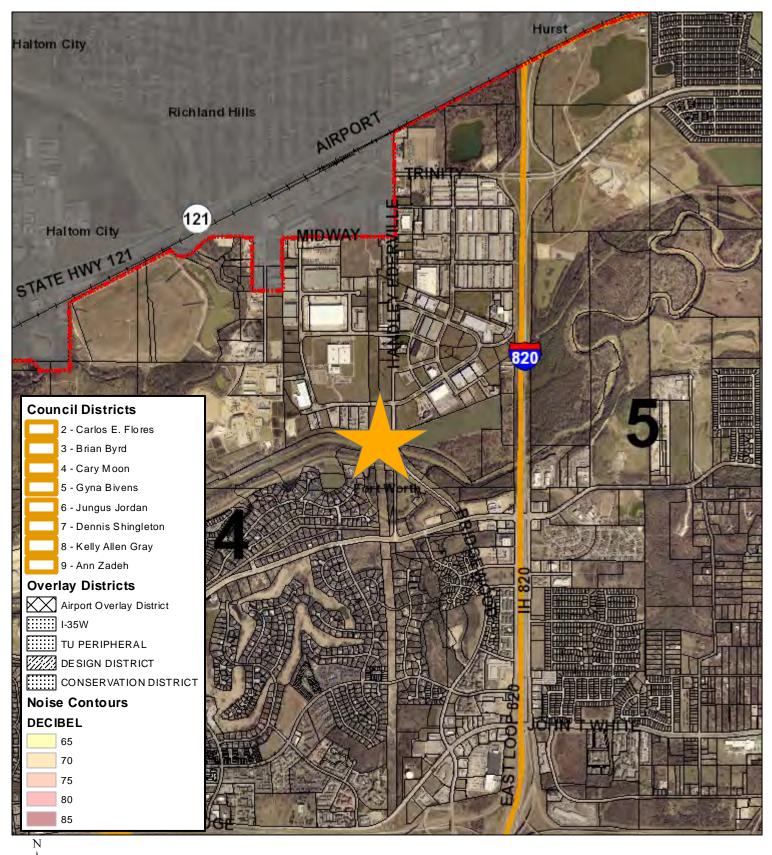
Acres: 3.9620903

Mapsco: 66J Sector/District: Eastside Commission Date: 10/9/2019 Contact: 817-392-2495



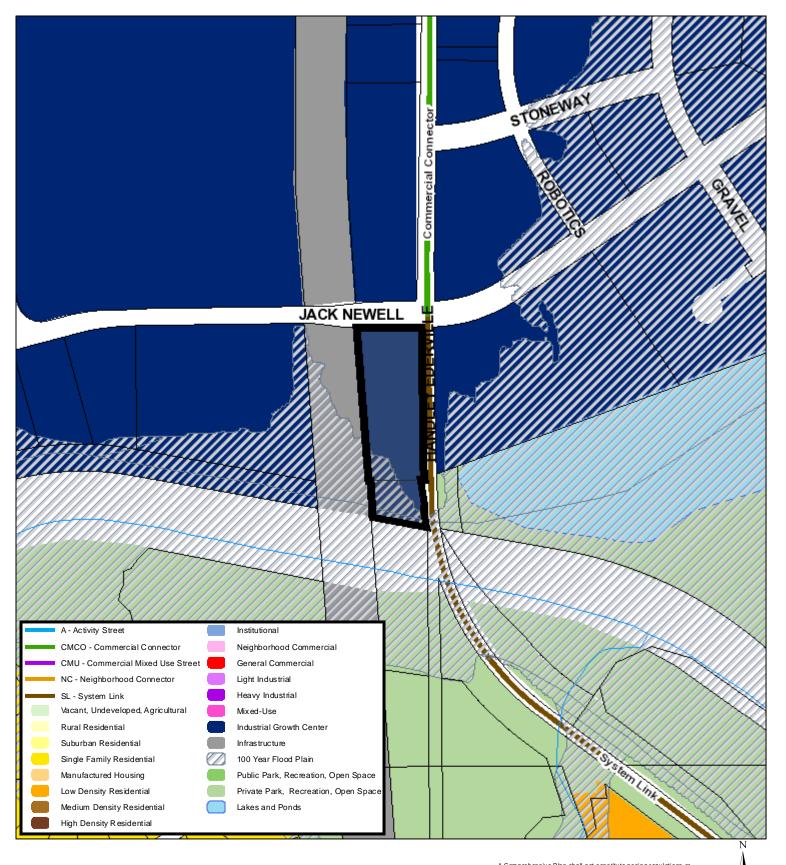








# **Future Land Use**



370

185

370 Feet



# JACK NEWELL

