**Case Number** 

<u>ZC-20-028</u>



## ZONING MAP CHANGE STAFF REPORT

**City Council Meeting Date:** April 7, 2020 **Council District** 2

Zoning Commission Recommendation: Approval by a vote of 7-0		Continued Case Manager Surplus	Yes No _ <u>X</u> _
<b>Opposition:</b> None submitted <b>Support:</b> None submitted		Council Initiated	Yes No _ <u>X</u> _
Owner / Applicant: HPC Revelstoke Residen		tial, LTD	
Site Location: 9500 bloc	k of Blue Mound Road	Acreage:	1.9
Proposed Use: Comme	Commercial		
Request: <u>From:</u> "D" High Density Multifamily			
To: "F" General Commercial			
Land Use Compatibility:	Requested change is compatible.		
Comprehensive Plan Consistency:	Requested char Inconsistency).	nge <b>is not cons</b>	istent (Technical
Staff Recommendation:	Approval		

#### Background:

The proposed site is located south of the intersection of Blue Mound Road, a Commercial Connector on the Master Thoroughfare Plan, and Highway 287, an existing freeway. The applicant is requesting a zoning change from "D" High Density Multifamily to "F" General Commercial.

This site, along with the surrounding property, was rezoned in 2016 from "AG" to the current zoning. While the current Future Land Use designation is for medium density multifamily, general commercial uses would also be appropriate in this location given the proximity to a freeway and location on a major arterial. The A-5 development that is to the west of the site is separated by Blue Mound Road and floodplain.

There have been three Pre-Development Conferences on the site, most recently in 2017 for a commercial development.

#### Site Information:

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses:

- North "F" General Commercial / undeveloped
- East "D" High Density Multifamily / undeveloped
- South "D" High Density Multifamily / undeveloped

West "A-5" / drainage area

Zoning History: ZC-16-039 from AG to various; effective 5/15/16; subject site and surrounding

#### Public Notification:

300 foot Legal Notifications were mailed on February 19, 2020.

The following organizations were notified: (emailed February 14, 2020)		
Organizations Notified		
North Fort Worth Alliance	Berkshire HOA*	
Liberty Crossing HOA	Harmon Ranch HOA	
Streams And Valleys Inc	Trinity Habitat for Humanity	
Northwest ISD	Eagle Mountain-Saginaw ISD	

The following organizations were notified: (emailed Echrypry 14, 2020)

\*Closest registered Neighborhood Association

## **Development Impact Analysis:**

### 1. Land Use Compatibility

The applicant is proposing to change the zoning to "F" General Commercial for a future development. Surrounding uses consist of undeveloped and commercial uses.

The proposed commercial zoning is compatible with surrounding uses.

#### 2. Comprehensive Plan Consistency – Far Northwest

The 2019 Comprehensive Plan designates the subject property as Medium Density Multifamily. While the proposed commercial development does not meet the future land use designation, it meets the below policies within the following Comprehensive Plan:

- Locate large commercial and institutional uses adjacent to arterial streets, preferably at • the intersections of other arterials and highways.
- Promote fiscally sustainable growth on the periphery of the city by encouraging development adjacent to existing adequate infrastructure and discouraging leapfrog development.

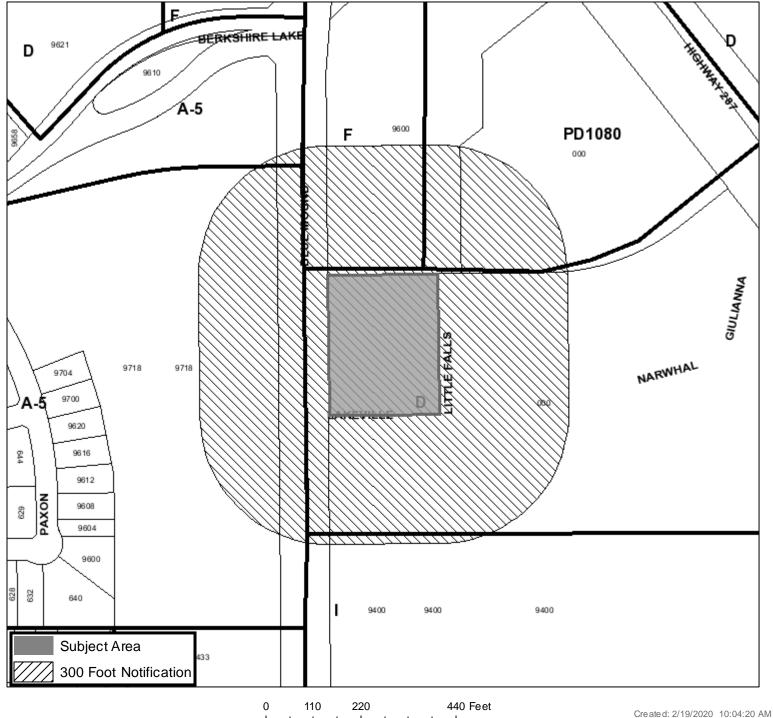
Based on conformance with the policies stated above, the proposed zoning is not consistent (Technical Inconsistency) with the Comprehensive Plan.

#### Attachments:

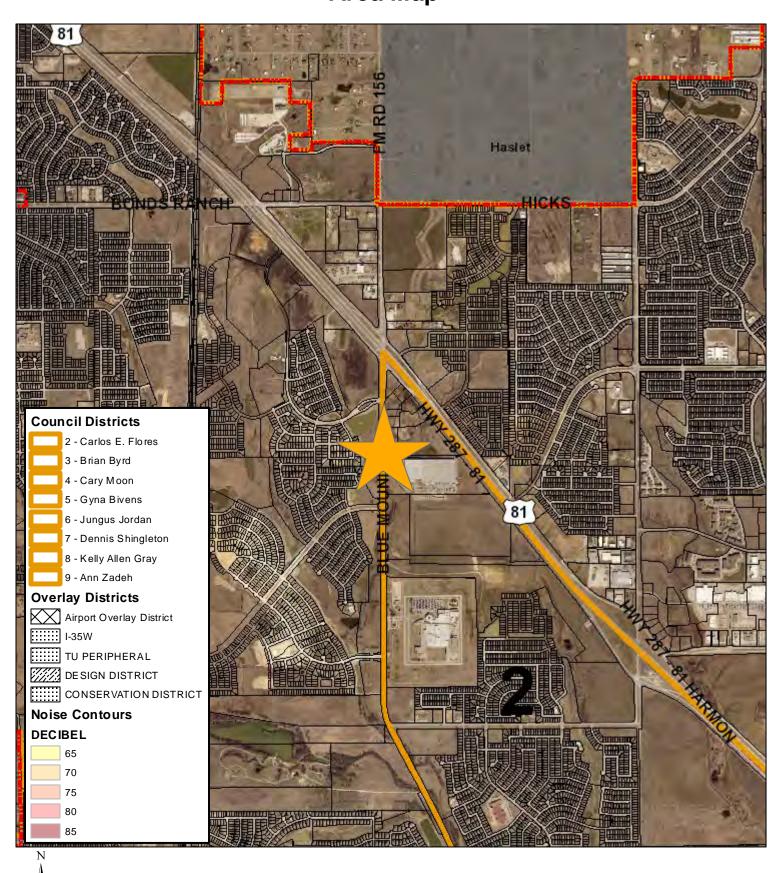
- Area Zoning Map with 300 ft. Notification Area
- Area Map
- Future Land Use Map
- Aerial Photograph





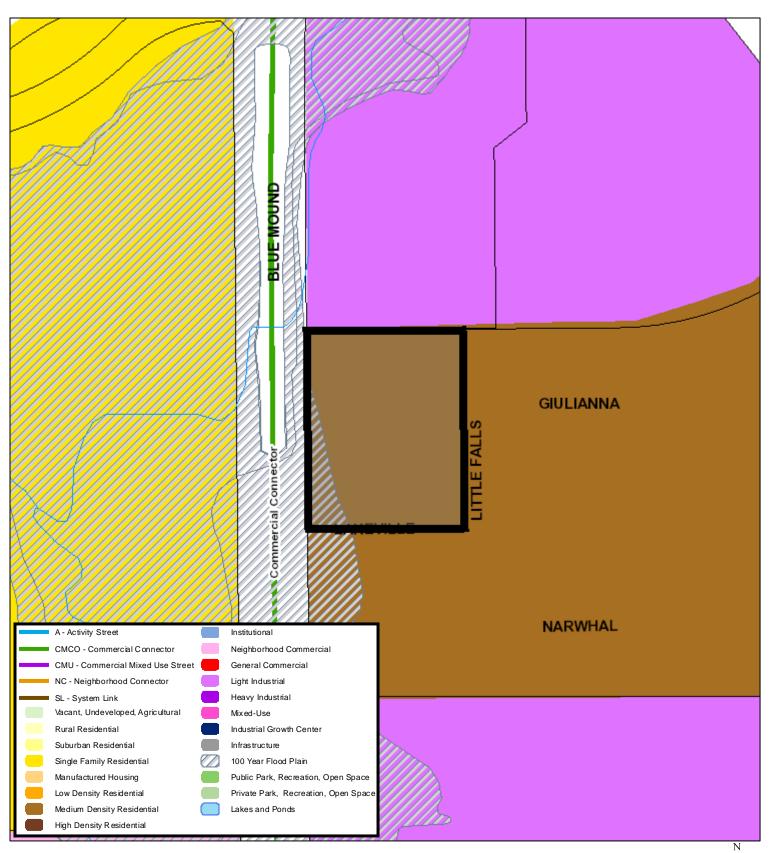








## **Future Land Use**



A Comprehensive Plan shall not constitute zoning regulations or establish zoning district boundaries. (Texas Local Government Code, Section 213.005.) Land use designations were approved by City Council on March 5, 2019.



**Aerial Photo Map** 

