Case Number

<u>ZC-20-088</u>



ZONING MAP CHANGE STAFF REPORT

City Council Meeting Date: September 15, 2020 Council District 6

Zoning Commission Recommendation: Approval by a vote of 9-0				Continued Case Mana Surplus	ager	Yes _ <u>Laura Ev</u> Yes	No <u>X</u>
Opposition Support:				Council Ini	tiated	Yes	NO <u>X</u>
Owner / Applicant:		Hulen-R	isinger LTD				
Site Location:		4300 W. R	isinger Road	Acreage:	3.187		
Proposed Use: Auto F		Auto Pa	rts Retail Sto	re			
Request:	From:	"E" Neighborhood Commercial					
	<u>To:</u>	Add Conditional Use Permit for auto parts retail store					
Land Use Compatibility:			Requested change is compatible.				
Comprehensive Plan Consistency:			Requested change is consistent.				
Staff Recommendation:			Approval				

Background:

The proposed site is located near the northeast intersection of Hulen Street and Risinger Road, both Commercial Connectors on the Master Thoroughfare Plan. The site plan shows a building that is 7,000 square feet with 33 parking spaces. The site plan meets all applicable sections of the zoning ordinance.

Conditional uses are those uses which are generally compatible with the permitted land uses in a given zoning district, but which require individual review of their proposed location, design and configuration, and the imposition of conditions in order to ensure the appropriateness of the use at a particular location. While auto related uses are not permitted in the "E" zoning district by right, allowing it by CUP with a site plan may help mitigate any neighborhood concerns.

Through Ordinance 23609 effective March 29, 2019, the Conditional Use Permit allows for an unlimited time period for the operation of a use unless otherwise approved by the City Council. If a time limit is established for a Conditional Use Permit, the renewal of the CUP shall be considered through the public hearing process and approved by the City Council. A CUP shall expire if no permitting action is taken within six months of approval or cease of the use for six months. A CUP may be revoked through the public hearing process if necessary after convictions of one or more code violations.

Per Section 4.407 (a), the following general rules apply to all conditional uses:

- a) Conditional use permits in residential districts shall be limited to those uses designated "CUP" in the Residential District Use Table in Chapter 4, Article 6, Section 4.603.
- b) Approval of a conditional use permit shall authorize only the particular use or category of related uses for which the conditional use permit is issued.

- c) A conditional use shall not be enlarged, extended or otherwise modified unless approved by the City Council or approved administratively as applicable.
- d) The use of property for the purposes described in a conditional use permit shall not commence until a certificate of occupancy has been issued. A certificate of occupancy shall not be issued until all or approvals which may be required by the Codes and Ordinances of the City, including, but not limited to, a Building Permit, a Certificate Of Occupancy and subdivision approval have been satisfied.

Section (d) provides the following Conditional Use Permit factors in consideration of appropriateness of a request:

- a) The proposed use is consistent with the Comprehensive Plan;
- b) The proposed use is compatible with the existing and adjacent uses.
- c) The proposed use meets all supplemental use standards specifically applicable to the use as set forth in Chapter 5;
- d) The proposed use is compatible with and preserves the character and integrity of adjacent development and neighborhoods;
- e) The proposed use is not materially detrimental to the public health, safety, and welfare, or results in material damage or prejudice to other property in the vicinity.

Site Information:

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses:

- North "E" Neighborhood Commercial / undeveloped
- East "CR" Low Density Multifamily / single family
- South "E" Neighborhood Commercial / commercial
- West "E" Neighborhood Commercial / commercial

Zoning History: None

Site Plan Comments:

The site plan as submitted is in general compliance with the Zoning Ordinance regulations.

(Comments made by Platting (Subdivision Ordinance), Transportation/Public Works, Fire, Park & Recreation, and Water Department staff <u>cannot be waived</u> through the Zoning Commission and City Council. Approval of the zoning site plan does not constitute the acceptance of conditions.)

Public Notification:

300 foot Legal Notifications were mailed on July 24, 2020.

The following organizations were notified: (emailed July 22, 2020)

Organizations Notified					
Hulen Stone Crossing HOA	Summer Creek Ranch HOA*				
Poynter Crossing HOA	Fox Run HA				
Stone Meadow HA	Hulen Heights HOA				
District 6 Alliance	Streams And Valleys Inc				
Trinity Habitat for Humanity	Crowley ISD				

*Located within this Neighborhood Association

Development Impact Analysis:

1. Land Use Compatibility

The applicant is proposing a zoning change to add a CUP to allow an auto retail store in the "E" zoning district. Surrounding land uses consist of primarily commercial zoning with a single family neighborhood to the east.

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

2. <u>Comprehensive Plan Consistency – Wedgwood</u>

The 2020 Comprehensive Plan designates the site as being Neighborhood Commercial. The site is also located near the intersection of two major arterials. The proposed zoning is consistent with the following Comprehensive Plan policies:

- Encourage new development adjacent and connected to previously developed or platted areas in order to utilize existing utility and road infrastructure and services, thereby optimizing public and private investments and discouraging sprawl development.
- Locate large commercial and institutional uses adjacent to arterial streets, preferably at the intersections of other arterials and highways.

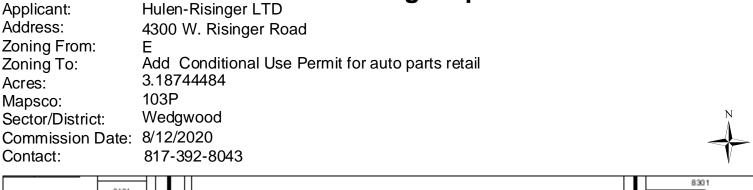
Based on conformance with the policies stated above, the proposed zoning **is consistent** (Technical Inconsistency) with the Comprehensive Plan.

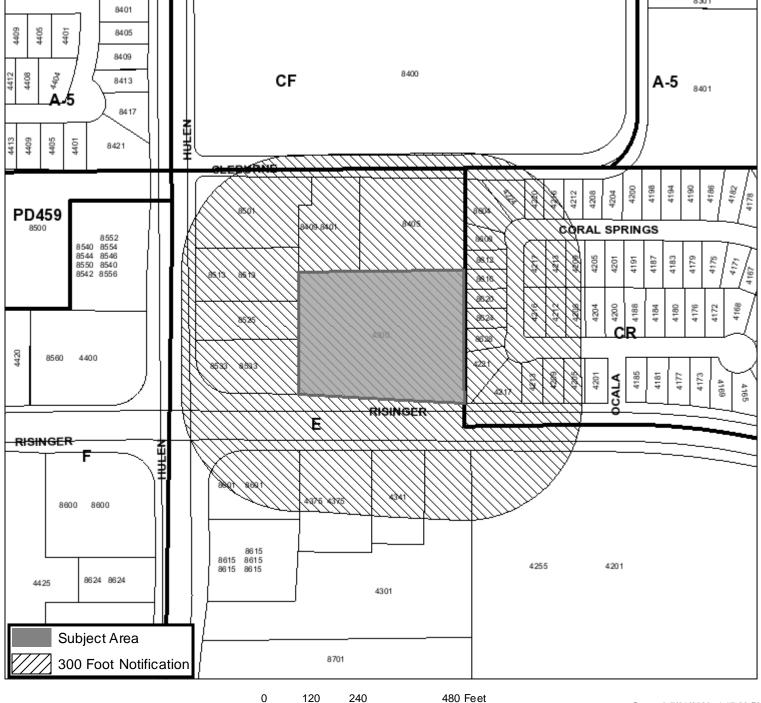
Attachments:

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

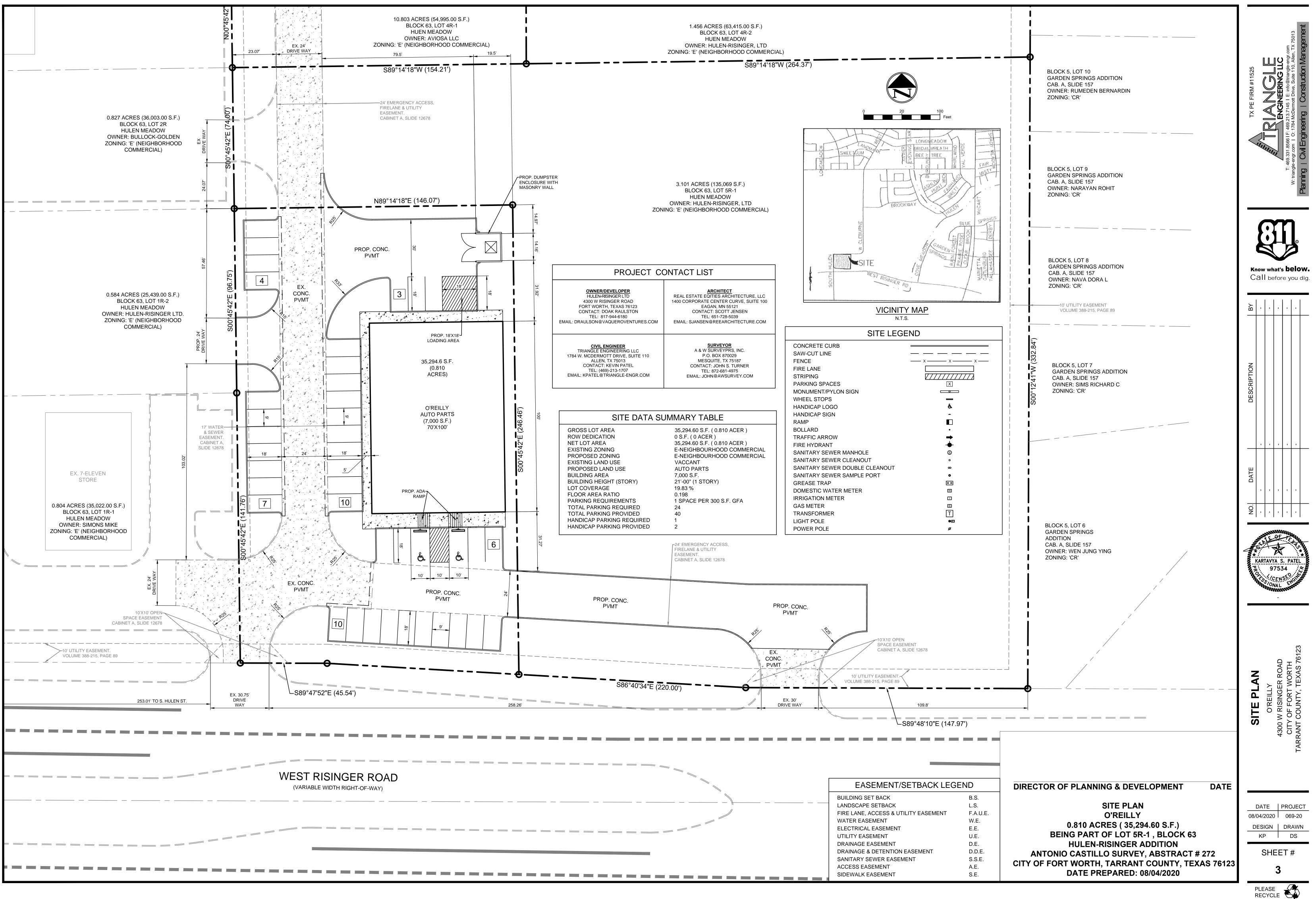


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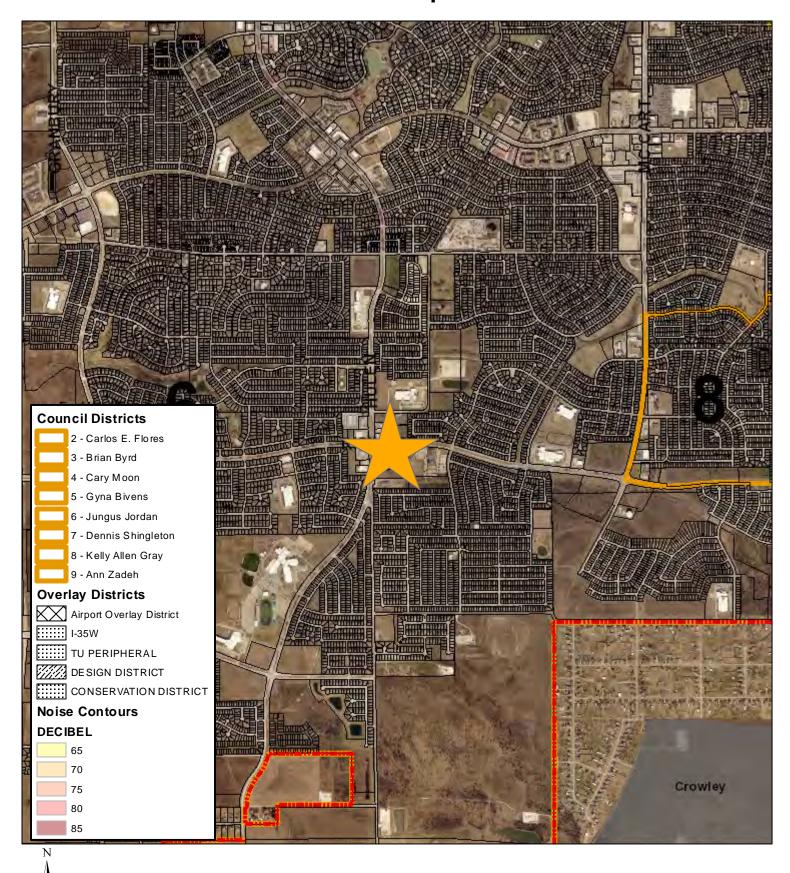




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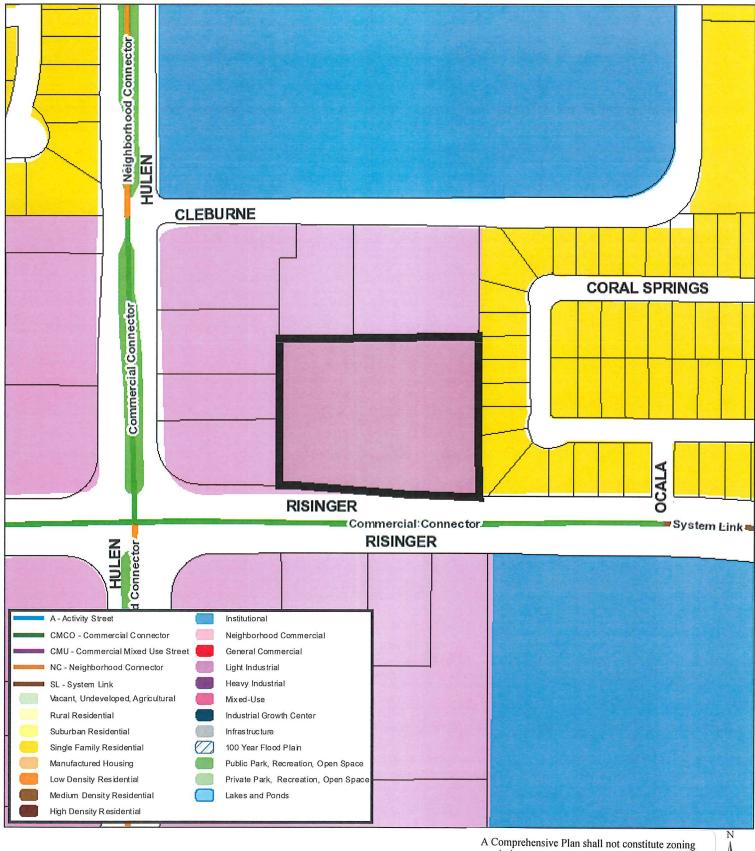
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Future Land Use



A Comprehensive Plan shall not constitute zoning regulations or establish zoning district boundaries. (Texas Local Government Code, Section213.005) Land use designations were approved by City Council on March 3, 2020

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Aerial Photo Map

