Case Number

<u>ZC-21-014</u>



ZONING MAP CHANGE STAFF REPORT

City Council Meeting Date:

May 11, 2021

Council District: 8

Zoning Commission Recomme Approval by a vote of 8-0		endation:	Continued Case Manager Council Initiated	Yes No _X_ <u>Sarah Bergman</u> Yes No _X_
Opposition: None submitted Support: None submitted				
<i>Owner / Applicant:</i> Nediam Hor		mes, LLC/ Tim Mai	den	
<i>Site Location:</i> 905 & 915 Eas		st Powell Avenue	Acreage: 0.28 acr	es
Proposed Use:	Single Fami	ily Residential		
Request: From:	"CF" Community Facilities			
<u>To:</u>	"A-5" One-Family			
Land Use Compatibility:		Requested change is compatible.		
Comprehensive Plan Consistency:		Requested change is consistent (minor boundary adjustment).		
Staff Recommendation:		Approval		

Background:

The subject property includes two lots located along East Powell Avenue to the east of its intersection with Evans Avenue. Both lots are currently vacant and are zoned "CF" Community Facilities. These lots were previously owned by the Church of the Living God which is located just north of this site, at the corner of Evans Avenue and East Harvey Avenue.

The applicant is requesting to change the zoning of both lots from "CF" Community Facilities to "A-5" One-Family in order to construct a new single-family home on each lot. There are several existing single-family homes on the surrounding block face, and the majority of surrounding properties are zoned "A-5" Single-Family.

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses:

Tract 1: 905 East Powell Avenue

North "A-5" One-Family / single-family East "A-5" One-Family / vacant South "A-5" One-Family / single-family West "A-5" One-Family / vacant

Tract 2: 915 East Powell Avenue

North	"CF" Community Facilities / church
East	"A-5" One-Family / vacant
South	"A-5" One-Family / vacant
West	"A-5" One-Family / single-family

 ZC-20-052: Rezoned the adjacent property to the east of 915 Powell Avenue from "CF" Community Facilities to "A-5" One Family

Public Notification:

300-foot Legal Notifications were mailed on March 25, 2021.

The following organizations were notified: (emailed March 15, 2021)

Organizations Notified				
United Communities Association of South Fort Worth	Morningside NA			
Streams and Valleys Inc	Trinity Habitat for Humanity			
Southeast Fort Worth Inc	Near Southside, Inc.			
Fort Worth ISD				

Subject property is not located within a registered Neighborhood Association

Development Impact Analysis:

1. Land Use Compatibility

The applicant is proposing a zoning change from "CF" Community Facilities to "A-5" One-Family for both lots. All surrounding properties, with the exception of the church located to the north of 915 E Powell Avenue, are zoned "A-5" One-Family and are either vacant or developed with single-family homes. The church property is zoned "CF" Community Facilities.

The proposed zoning is compatible with surrounding land uses.

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

The 2021 Comprehensive Plan currently designates the subject properties as Institutional use, as they were previously owned by the adjacent church. However, the Future Land Use Map also recommends Single-Family Residential use on almost all properties immediately adjacent to 905 and 915 E Powell Avenue.

The proposed zoning is consistent with the land use designations for this area, and aligns with the following policies of the Comprehensive Plan:

- Promote appropriate infill development of vacant lots within developed areas, which will efficiently utilize existing infrastructure.
- Preserve the character of rural and suburban residential neighborhoods.
- Encourage infill of compatible housing in the Southside Sector.

Based on conformance with the policies stated above, the proposed zoning **is consistent** with the Comprehensive Plan (minor boundary adjustment).

3. Economic Development Plan

The 2018 Economic Development Strategic Plan identified a vision, goals, and strategies to facilitate the success and growth of the City of Fort Worth. Six different target areas in Fort Worth were identified and analyzed, including the Evans & Rosedale area. The below recommendations apply to this project:

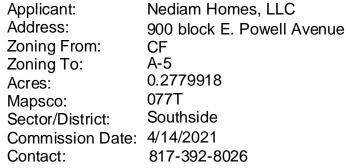
- Close attention should be paid to improving housing availability and affordability, in addition to infrastructure to connect neighborhoods with major employment centers such as the Near Southside and downtown.
- Initiative 3.2.2. Encourage substantial new housing investment and development in the city's under-served neighborhoods.

Attachments:

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

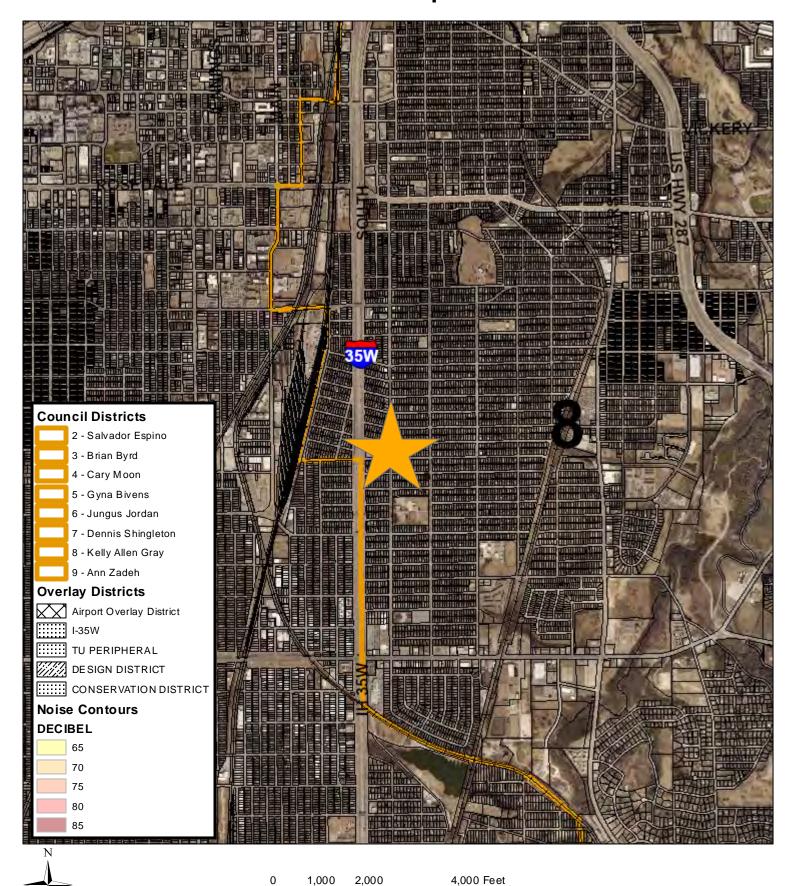


Area Zoning Map





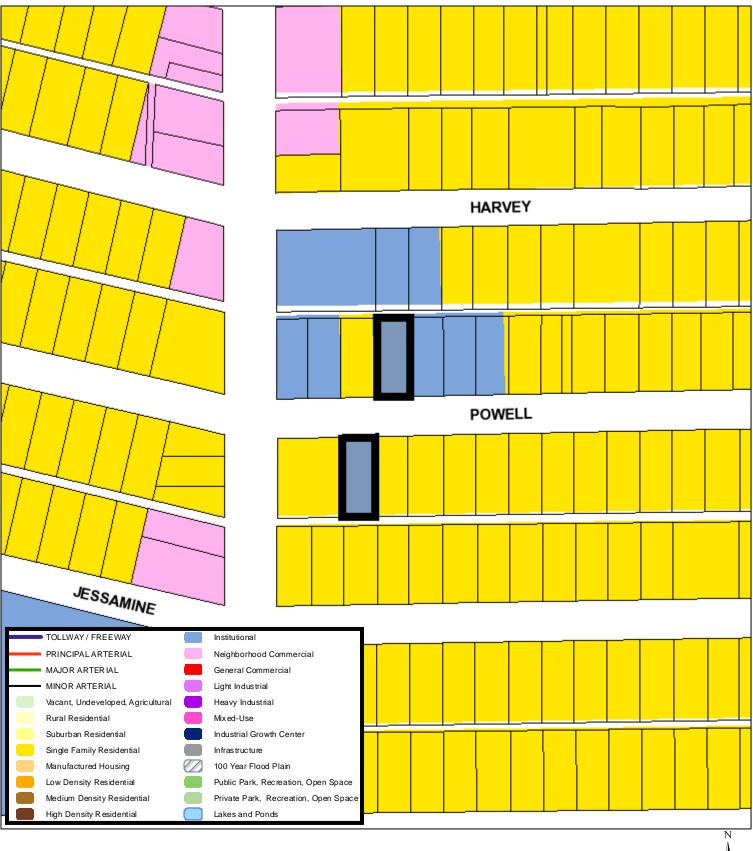




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Future Land Use



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 6, 2018.



Aerial Photo Map

