

ZONING MAP CHANGE STAFF REPORT

City Council Meeting Date:

May 11, 2021

Council District:

Zoning Commission Recommendation:

Approval by a vote of 9-0

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

Owner / Applicant: Mount Olivet Cemetery Association, Inc. / Justin S. Light -

Pope, Hardwicke, Christie, Schell, Kelly & Taplett, LLP

Site Location: 3344 White Settlement Road Acreage: 3.65 acres

Proposed Use: Funeral Home

Request: From: "A-5" One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial

To: Amending PD 1195

Land Use Compatibility: Requested change is compatible.

Comprehensive Plan Consistency: Requested change is consistent.

Staff Recommendation: Approval

Background:

The subject property is located at the northeast corner of White Settlement Road and Boland Street and is part of the Greenwood Cemetery development. The site is currently vacant and the applicant is proposing to change the zoning from a combination of "A-5" One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial to Planned Development PD 1195 to allow construction of a new funeral home.

PD 1195 was originally approved for the property located immediately to the west of this site (3400 White Settlement Road), which is currently developed as administrative offices for the Greenwood Cemetery. The applicant is now requesting that PD 1195 be amended by expanding it to include the subject property. PD 1195 allows all land uses permitted in "E" Neighborhood Commercial zoning, including funeral home, and includes waivers to buffer yard and screening requirements. If the property were developed under typical "E" Neighborhood Commercial development standards, a buffer yard and screening would be required because the surrounding cemetery is zoned "A-5" One-Family.

No other changes are proposed to PD 1195 as originally approved. This request is only to expand the land area covered by the PD to include the subject property. In addition, the applicant has submitted a site plan, as required by PD 1195, that depicts the proposed funeral home.

Surrounding Zoning and Land Uses:

North "A-5" One-Family / Greenwood Cemetery

East "A-5" One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial / Greenwood Mausoleum

South PD 412 / automotive service and "E" Neighborhood Commercial / convenience store West PD 1195 / Administrative Offices for Greenwood Cemetery

Recent Relevant Zoning History:

 ZC-18-079: Established PD 1195 on property located immediately west of the subject property (3400 White Settlement Road). This site was previously zoned a combination of "A-5" One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial as well.

Public Notification:

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

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

Organizations Notified	
West 7th Neighborhood Alliance	Westside Alliance
Casa Blanca HOA	Sixth & Arch Adams HA
Monticello NA	Crestwood NA
Linwood NA	Tarrant Regional Water District
Streams And Valleys Inc	Trinity Habitat for Humanity
Cultural District Alliance	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 "A-5" One-Family and "E" Neighborhood Commercial to PD 1195 to allow development of a new funeral home. Properties to the north, east, and west are all developed as part of the Greenwood Cemetery, and property to the west is already zoned PD 1195. Property to the south, across White Settlement Road, is developed with an automotive service shop and a convenience store.

The proposed zoning is compatible with surrounding land uses.

2. Comprehensive Plan Consistency – Arlington Heights

The 2021 Comprehensive Plan currently designates the subject property as Open Space, which is appropriate for the cemetery use. Although the proposed funeral home represents a higher intensity use than open space, it aligns with the existing pattern of development along the White Settlement Road frontage, which includes several other commercial-type uses that are under common ownership and function as accessory to the Greenwood Cemetery. White Settlement Road is designated as an arterial roadway on the City's Master Thoroughfare Plan.

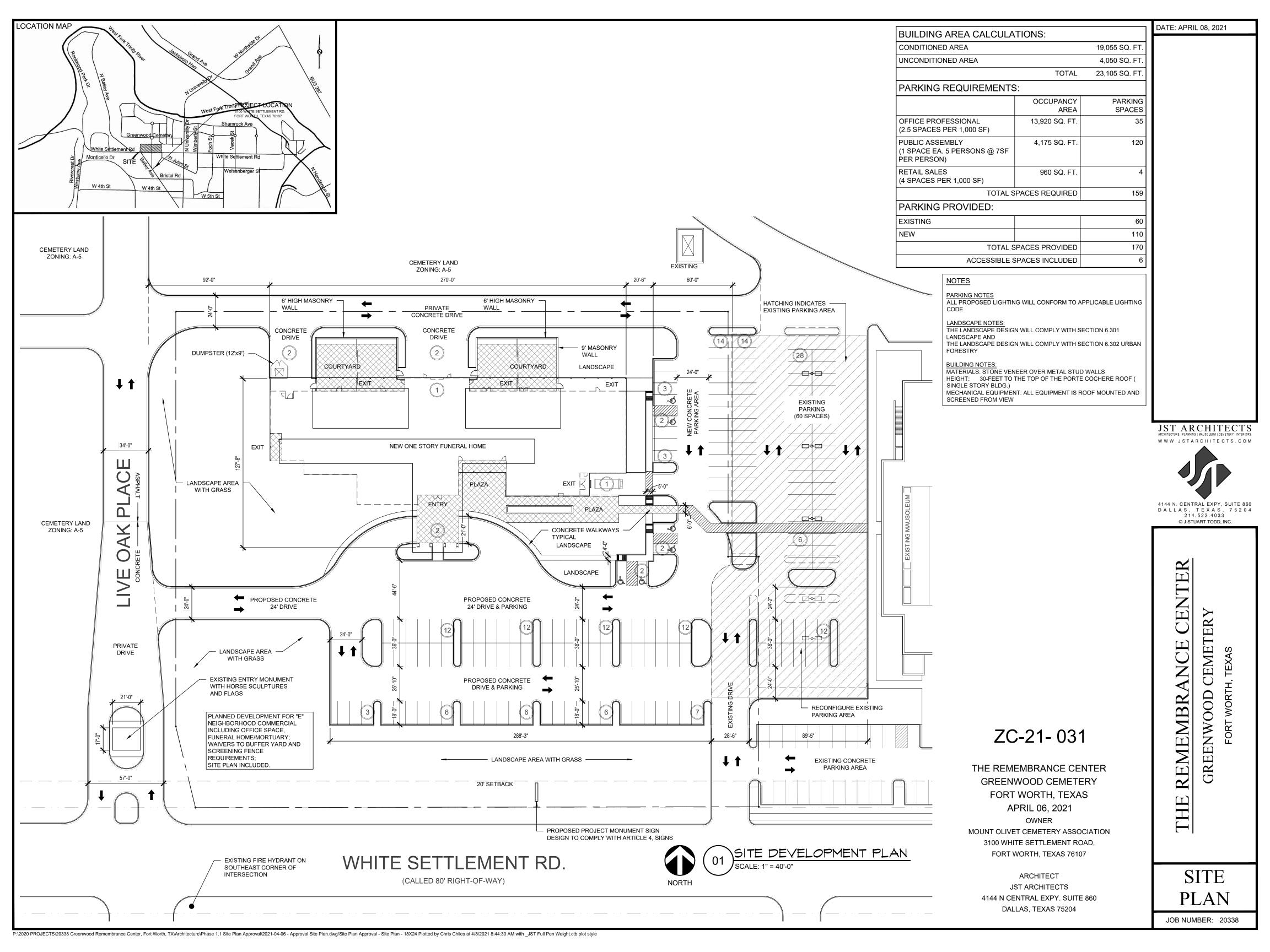
The proposed zoning is consistent with the land use designation of the Comprehensive Plan and aligns with the following policies:

- 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.
- Stimulate the redevelopment of the Camp Bowie Boulevard, West 7th Street, White Settlement Road, and Vickery Boulevard/Lovell Avenue commercial, mixed-use, and urban residential districts.

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

Attachments:

- Proposed Site Plan Greenwood Cemetery Remembrance Center
- Area Zoning Map with 300 ft. Notification Area
- Area Map
- Future Land Use Map
- Aerial Photograph





Area Zoning Map Mount Olivet Cemetery Association, Inc.

Applicant:

Address: 3344 White Settlement Road

Zoning From: A-5, E

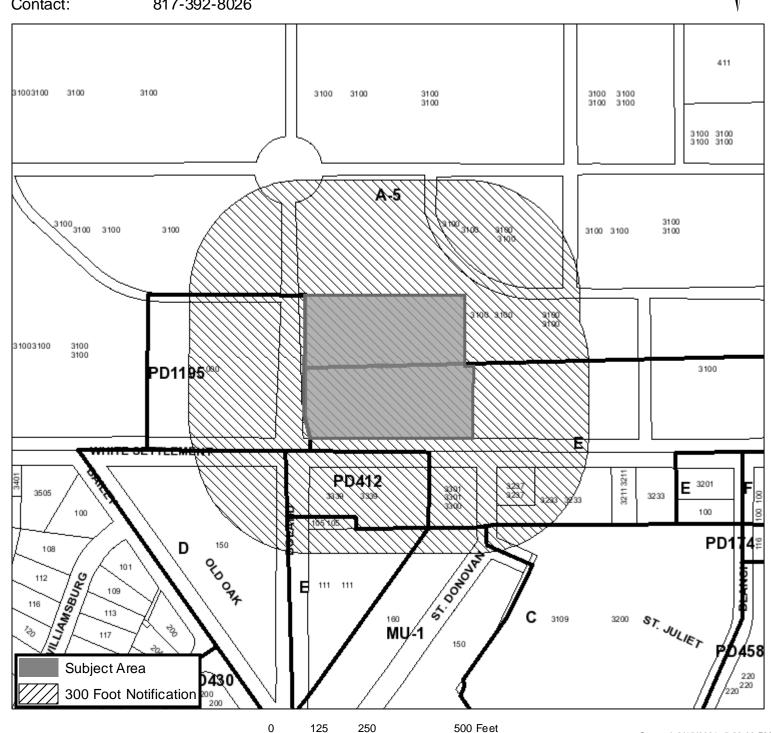
Amend PD 1195 Zoning To: 3.64848253 Acres:

Mapsco: 62W

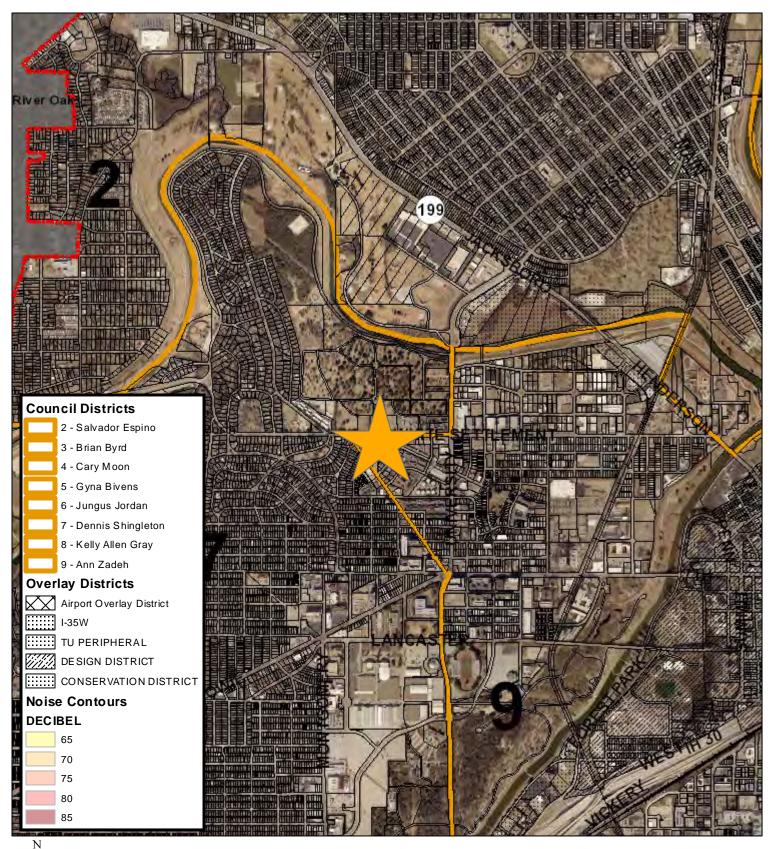
Arlington Heights Sector/District:

Commission Date: 4/14/2021 Contact: 817-392-8026





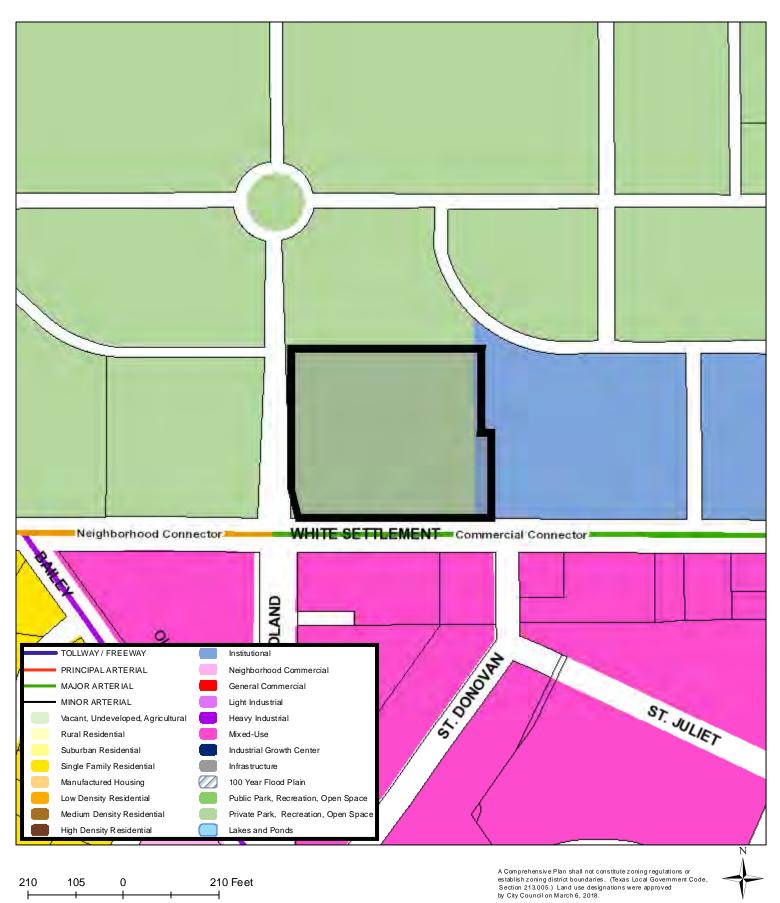




Created: 3/15/2021 5:27:58 PM



Future Land Use





Aerial Photo Map



