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ZONING CHANGE REVIEW SHEET

CASE: C14-2019-0158 – Alonti Catering <u>DISTRICT:</u> 5

ZONING FROM: GR TO: CS-CO

ADDRESS: 3421 West William Cannon Drive, Suite 115

SITE AREA: 0.0417 acres (1,815 square feet)

PROPERTY OWNER: Cannon Oaks, LLC AGENT: Lenworth Consulting, LLC

(Timothy Timmerman) (Nash Gonzales)

CASE MANAGER: Wendy Rhoades (512-974-7719, wendy.rhoades@austintexas.gov)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

The Staff recommendation is to grant general commercial services – conditional overlay (CS-CO) combining district zoning. The Conditional Overlay prohibits the following uses: adult-oriented businesses, bail bond services, commercial blood plasma center, drop-off recycling collection facility, exterminating services, and pawn shop services. For a summary of the basis of Staff's recommendation, see page 2.

ZONING AND PLATTING COMMISSION ACTION / RECOMMENDATION: January 7, 2020:

CITY COUNCIL ACTION:

January 23, 2020:

ORDINANCE NUMBER:

ISSUES:

None at this time.

CASE MANAGER COMMENTS:

The subject rezoning area is a 1,815 square foot vacant lease space in a larger commercial center containing a service station, food sales, medical offices, retail and restaurant uses, personal services and pet services, and zoned community commercial (GR). The shopping center is situated at the southeast corner of West William Cannon Drive and Brodie Lane and has driveways to both streets. A drainage easement and tributary of Williamson Creek is to the east (SF-2; PUD). *Please refer to Exhibits A and A-1 – Zoning Map and Aerial Exhibit.*

The Applicant proposes general commercial services – conditional overlay (CS-CO) district zoning in order to occupy the lease space with a food preparation use (specifically a

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commercial kitchen), which is first permitted by right in this district. The Applicant's Conditional Overlay is to prohibit more intensive CS uses for the lease space.

BASIS FOR RECOMMENDATION

1. The proposed zoning should be consistent with the purpose statement of the district sought.

The general commercial services (CS) district is intended predominantly for commercial and industrial activities of a service nature having operating characteristics or traffic service requirements generally incompatible with residential environments. The CS district is best suited for uses located at intersections of arterial roadways or arterials with collector status. The intention is to promote safe and efficient use of transportation facilities. The property has access to William Cannon Drive and Brodie Lane, both classified as major arterial roadways.

2. Zoning changes should promote compatibility with adjacent and nearby uses.

Staff recommends CS-CO zoning in accordance with the Applicant's request based on the property's access to two arterial roadways which contain a mix of commercial uses and corresponding zoning, and the limited area of the rezoning request.

EXISTING ZONING AND LAND USES:

	ZONING	LAND USES			
Site	GR	Lease space (vacant)			
North	GR	Service station; Food sales; Restaurant (limited)			
South	GR; SF-2	Undeveloped (drainage easement and tributary of Williamson			
		Creek)			
East	GR; SF-2; SF-3	Lease spaces for retail and restaurant uses; Undeveloped			
		(drainage easement and tributary of Williamson Creek)			
West	GR	Lease spaces for retail and restaurant uses; Pet services;			
		Medical offices			

AREA STUDY: Not Applicable TIA: Is not required

WATERSHED: Williamson Creek – Barton Springs Zone (Recharge Zone)

CAPITOL VIEW CORRIDOR: No HILL COUNTRY ROADWAY: No

SCHOOLS:

Sunset Valley Elementary School Covington Middle School Crockett High School

NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATIONS:

12 – Brodie Lane Homeowners Association

298 – Oak Hill Association of Neighborhoods (OHAN)

384 – Save Barton Creek Association 511 – Austin Neighborhoods Council

627 - Onion Creek Homeowners Association

742 – Austin Independent School District 943 – Save Our Springs Alliance

967 – Circle C Neighborhood Association 1228 – Sierra Club, Austin Regional Group

1343 – Oak Hill Trails Association 1363 – SEL Texas

1424 – Preservation Austin 1429 – Go!Austin/Vamos!Austin (GAVA)-78745

1528 – Bike Austin 1530 – Friends of Austin Neighborhoods

1531 – South Austin Neighborhood Alliance (SANA)

1550 – Homeless Neighborhood Association 1559 – Palomino Park HOA

1596 – TNR BCP – Travis County Natural Resources

1616 – Neighborhood Empowerment Foundation

1714 - East Oak Hill Neighborhood Association

AREA CASE HISTORIES:

NUMBER	REQUEST	COMMISSION	CITY COUNCIL	
C14-2008-0106 -	SF-2 to P	To Grant	Apvd (7-24-2008).	
Lundelius-				
McDaniel Water				
Quality Retrofit				
Project – 3401				
Paisano Trl				
C14-84-045 -	I-AA; AA to	To Grant GR, 1 st	Apvd GR, 1 st Height &	
Storm Properties –	GR, 1 st Height &	Height & Area, w/r-o-	Area, w/r-o-w	
3412-3432 Blk of	Area (converted	w dedication on Brodie	dedication, as	
William Cannon Dr	to GR)	Ln	Commission	
at Brodie Ln			recommended	
			(10-04-1984).	
C14-83-098 -	I-AA to GR for	To Grant GR, 1st	Apvd 1st Height &	
South Cross Plaza –	3.0 acres at	Height & Area, w/RC	Area, w/RC for no	
3501-3608 Blk of	William Cannon	and r-o-w dedication	curb cuts to	
William Cannon Dr	Dr, Brodie Ln	on Brodie Ln	Bannockburn, prohibit	
at Brodie Ln	and		restaurants and video	
	Bannockburn Dr		arcades, and limit pole	
			sign locations, and r-o-	
			w dedication on	
			Brodie Ln (7-26-	
			1984).	

RELATED CASES:

The proposed rezoning area was covered by a zoning case that was approved for GR zoning in November 1985 (C14-84-286 – Nash Phillips/Copus).

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The rezoning area is a portion of Lot 2, Cannon Oaks subdivision, recorded in November 1986 (C8s-86-099). *Please refer to Exhibit B*.

EXISTING STREET CHARACTERISTICS:

Name	ROW	Pavement	Classification	Sidewalks	Bicycle Route	Capital Metro
						(within ¼ mile)
Brodie Lane	97	72 feet	Level 3 (Minor	Yes	Bike Lane	Yes
	feet		Arterial)			
West William	118	97 feet	Level 4 (Major	Yes	Shared Lane	Yes
Cannon Drive	feet		Arterial)			

OTHER STAFF COMMENTS:

Comprehensive Planning

The subject tract for this zoning case abuts an **Activity Corridor**. This rezoning case is located on the southeast corner of West William Cannon Drive and Brodie Lane, and concerns one of the retail bays (1,815 square feet in size) located on a large 4 acre lot, which contains the Cannon Oaks Shopping Center. The property is not located within the boundaries of a neighborhood planning area. Surrounding land uses includes the existing retail shopping center, two gas stations, a restaurant, and a car wash to the north; to the south is the existing shopping center and the Stephenson Nature Preserve and Outdoor Education Center and a pet care business; to the east is the Stephenson Nature Preserve and Outdoor Education Center; and to west is a large church complex that includes a private school and a drugstore. The proposal is to convert an existing retail bay to a food preparation location for a catering business, which is not permitted in Zone GR.

Connectivity

There are public sidewalks and Cap Metro transit stops located along W. William Cannon Drive and Brodie Lane. Bike lanes are located on both sides of Brodie Lane. The mobility and connectivity options in the area are average.

Imagine Austin

The property is located along an 'Activity Corridor', which is characterized by a variety of activities and types of buildings that are intended to allow people to reside, work, shop, access services, people watch, recreate, and hang out without traveling far distances. The following IACP policies are also relevant to this case:

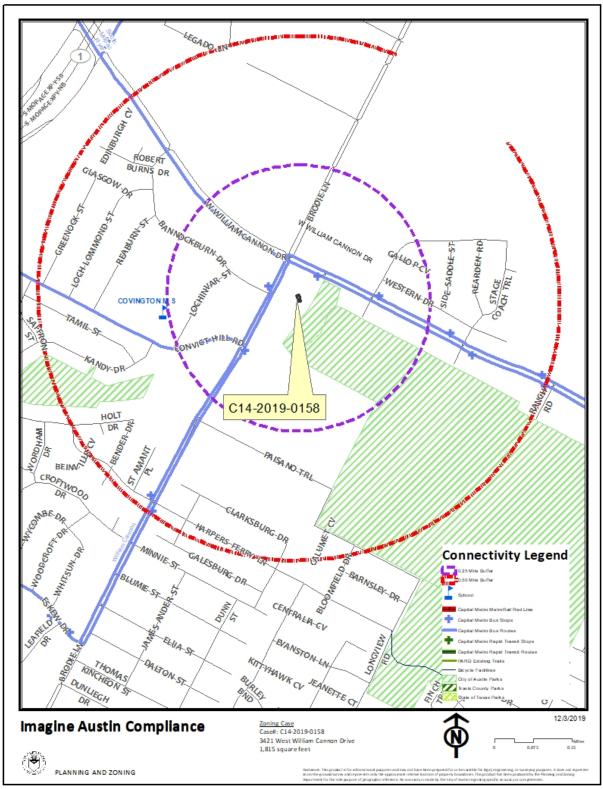
- LUT P1. Align land use and transportation planning and decision-making to achieve a compact and connected city in line with the growth concept map.
- **LUT P3.** Promote development in **compact centers, communities, or along corridors** that are connected by roads and transit that are designed to encourage walking and bicycling, and reduce health care, housing and transportation costs.

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• **LUT P7.** Encourage infill and redevelopment opportunities that place residential, work, and retail land uses in proximity to each other to maximize walking, bicycling, and transit opportunities.

Based on the comparative scale of the site relative to a variety of existing commercial land uses in the area, as well as the site being located along an Activity Corridor, which encourages neighborhood service commercial uses to make more vibrant corridors, the proposed project support the policies of the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan.

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Environmental

This site is located over the Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone. The site is in the Williamson Creek Watershed of the Colorado River Basin, which is classified as a Barton Springs Zone Watershed by Chapter 25-8 of the City's Land Development Code. It is in the Drinking Water Protection Zone.

According to floodplain maps there is a floodplain within or adjacent to the project location. Based upon the location of the floodplain, offsite drainage should be calculated to determine whether a Water Quality Transition Zone / Critical Water Quality Zone exist within the project location.

Standard landscaping and tree protection will be required in accordance with LDC 25-2 and 25-8 for all development and/or redevelopment.

At this time, site specific information is unavailable regarding vegetation, areas of steep slope, or other environmental features such as bluffs, springs, canyon rimrock, caves, sinkholes, and wetlands.

Site Plan

Any development which occurs in an SF-6 or less restrictive zoning district which is located <540 feet from property in an SF-5 or more restrictive zoning district will be subject to residential compatibility development regulations.

The overall shopping center site is subject to residential compatibility standards along the eastern property line:

- o No structure may be built within 25 feet of the property line.
- o No structure in excess of two stories or 30 feet in height may be constructed within 50 feet of the property line.
- No structure in excess of three stories or 40 feet in height may be constructed within 100 feet of the property line.
- o No parking or driveways are allowed within 25 feet of the property line.
- O A landscape area at least 25 feet wide is required along the eastern property line. In addition, a fence, berm, or dense vegetation must be provided to screen adjoining properties from views of parking, mechanical equipment, storage, and refuse collection.

Any new development is subject to Subchapter E. Design Standards and Mixed Use.

Additional comments will be made when a site plan is submitted.

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Transportation

A traffic impact analysis was not required for this case because the traffic generated by the proposed zoning does not exceed the threshold of 2,000 vehicle trips per day [LDC 25-6-113].

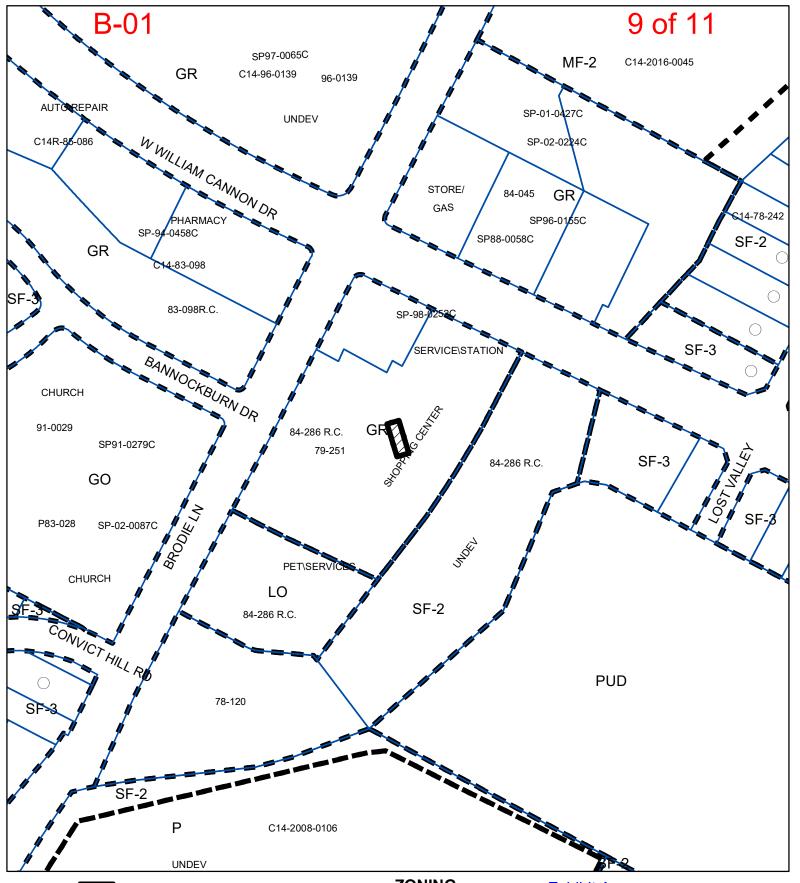
Water / Wastewater

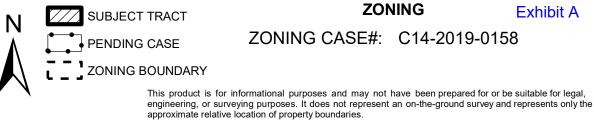
FYI: The landowner intends to serve the site with City of Austin water and wastewater utilities. The landowner, at own expense, will be responsible for providing any water and wastewater utility improvements, offsite main extensions, water or wastewater easements, utility relocations and or abandonments required by the proposed land use. Depending on the development plans submitted, water and or wastewater service extension requests may be required. Water and wastewater utility plans must be reviewed and approved by Austin Water for compliance with City criteria and suitability for operation and maintenance. All water and wastewater construction must be inspected by the City of Austin. The landowner must pay the City inspection fee with the utility construction. The landowner must pay the tap and impact fees once the landowner makes an application for Austin Water utility tap permits.

INDEX OF EXHIBITS TO FOLLOW

A: Zoning Map A-1: Aerial Map

B: Recorded Plat





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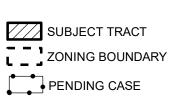
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LOCATION: 3421 W. WILLIAM CANNON DR.

Exhibit A - 1

SUBJECT AREA: 0.0417 Acres GRID: E17

MANAGER: Wendy Rhoades



