

**Zoning Public Hearing
CITY OF AUSTIN
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION**



**AGENDA ITEM NO.: Z-14
AGENDA DATE: Thu 01/12/2006
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SUBJECT: C14-05-0113.01 - East Riverside/Oltorf Neighborhood Plan, Tract 300 - Conduct a public hearing and approve an ordinance amending Chapter 25-2 of the Austin City Code by rezoning property locally known as 1005 1/2 S. Pleasant Valley Road (Country Club Creek Watershed) from multi-family residence-medium density (MF-3) district zoning and multi-family residence-high density (MF-5) district zoning to public (P) district zoning. Planning Commission Recommendation: To grant public (P) district zoning. Applicant: City of Austin. Agent: Neighborhood Planning and Zoning Department. City Staff: Robert Heil, 974-2330.

REQUESTING Neighborhood Planning
DEPARTMENT: and Zoning

DIRECTOR'S
AUTHORIZATION: _____



MEMORANDUM

TO: Will Wynn, Mayor and City Councilmembers

FROM: Robert Heil
Neighborhood Planning and Zoning Department

DATE: January 3, 2006

RE: East Riverside / Oltorf Combined Neighborhood Plan

On October 25, the Planning Commission held a public hearing on the East Riverside / Oltorf Combined Neighborhood Plan and three associated zoning cases for the Parker Lane (C14-05-0111), Riverside (C14-05-0112) and Pleasant Valley (C14-05-0113) neighborhood plans.

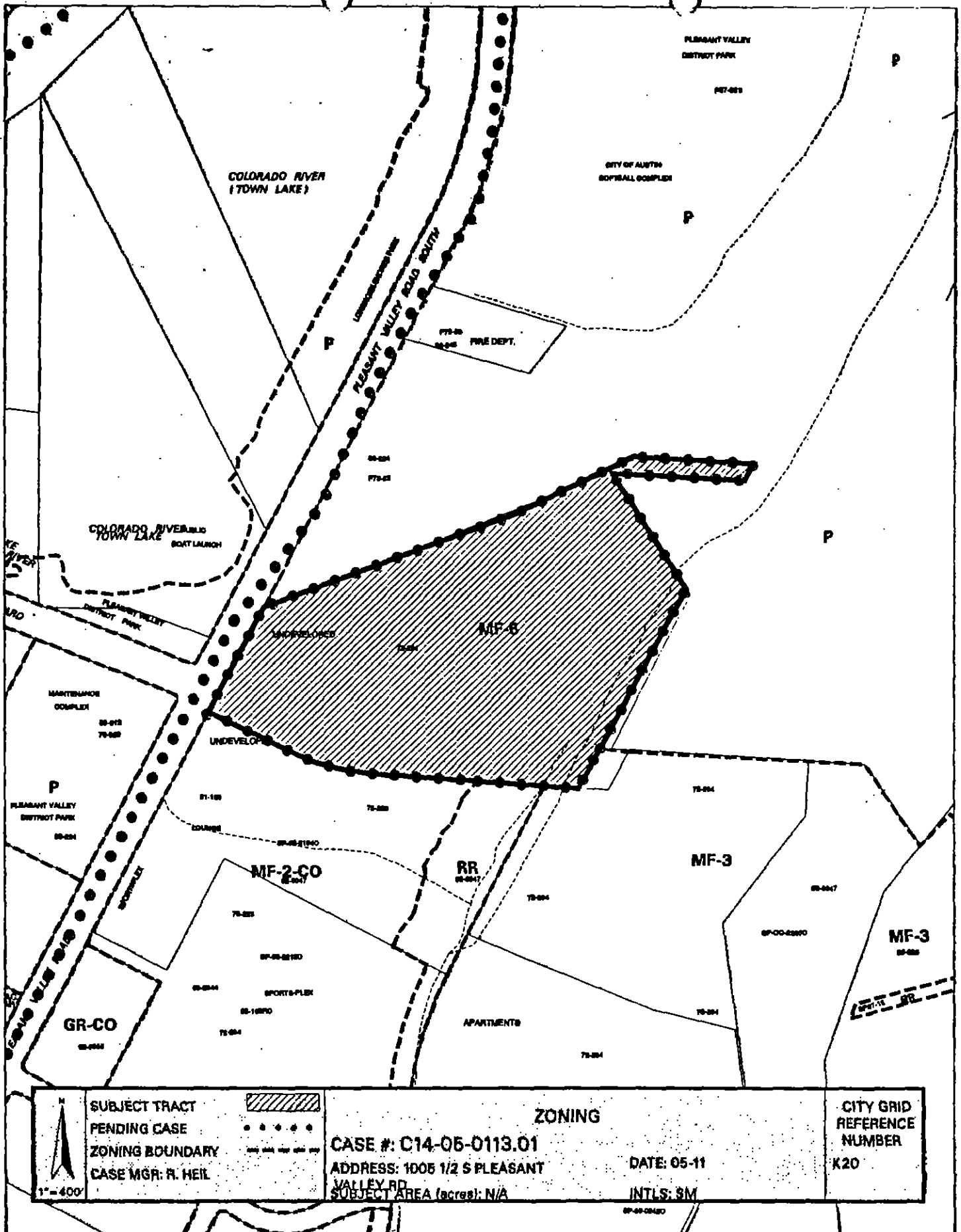
Planning Commission postponed action on the Neighborhood Plan and on the associated rezoning cases until March 28, to allow additional time for areas of disagreement to be worked out.

However, rezoning on several tracts was supported by the property owners, staff and the stakeholders that had been involved in the neighborhood planning process. The Planning Commission recommended that City Council approve the rezoning on these tracts while work continues on the rest of the neighborhood plan.

The property owners, neighborhood representatives, staff and the Planning Commission support the following rezonings. These consensus tracts are:

Case	Address	Plan/Tract(s)	From	To
C14-05-0111.01 ..	2600 Pleasant Valley	Parker Lane/203	LR	SF-3
C14-05-0111.02 ..	2507 Burleson Rd	Parker Lane/204	GR	MF-2
C14-05-0111.03 ..	2800 Metcalfe Rd	Parker Lane/208	SF-3	P
C14-05-0111.04 ..	2101 Wickshire	Parker Lane/213	SF-3	P
C14-05-0111.05 ..	4705-4811 E. Oltorf	Parker Lane/224	MF-2	SF-6
C14-05-0112.01 ..	1902-1912 E Riverside	Riverside/15	CS-1	GR
C14-05-0112.02 ..	2410 E Riverside Dr	Riverside/30	CS	GR
C14-05-0112.03 ..	2410 E Riverside Dr	Riverside/31	CS-1	GR
C14-05-0112.04 ..	1605 E Riverside	Riverside/46	CS	GR
C14-05-0112.05 ..	1601 S IH-35	Riverside/49	LR	LO
C14-05-0112.06 ..	1840 Burton Dr	Riverside/57	LR	MF-3
C14-05-0113.01 ..	1500 1/2 Pleasant Valley	Pleasant Valley/300	MF-3/MF-5 ..	P
C14-05-0113.02 ..	East Riverside & Oltorf	Pleasant Valley/302-303 ..	LR	SF-1
C14-05-0113.03 ..	5602, 5604 E Riverside	Pleasant Valley/304-305 ..	SF-3	LR-MU-CO
C14-05-0113.04 ..	2101 Wickersham	Pleasant Valley/309	GR-CO	GR-MU-CO
C14-05-0113.05 ..	Grove Blvd & Hogan	Pleasant Valley/311	GO-CO	GO-MU-CO

The draft neighborhood plans are attached to provide the context for these zoning recommendations. The final neighborhood plan will be formally presented to City Council after Planning Commission action on March 28, 2006.



ZONING CHANGE REVIEW SHEET

CASE: C14-05-0113 (Pleasant Valley NP)

F. C. Date: August 9, 2005

October 11, 2005

October 25, 2005

AREA: 1461.68

APPLICANT: City of Austin, Neighborhood Planning and Zoning Department (NPZD)

AGENT: City of Austin, Neighborhood Planning and Zoning Department (NPZD)
(Robert Heil)

REGISTERED NEIGHBORHOOD AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

- Austin Neighborhoods Council
- The Crossing Gardenhome Owners Association
- Del Valle Neighborhood Assn
- Eastville Central Homeowners Association
- Montopolis Area Neighborhood Alliance
- Penick Place Neighborhood Association
- PODER People Organized in Defense of Earth & Her Resources
- River Bluff Neighborhood Association
- Riverside Farms Road Neighborhood Assn.
- Sentral Plus East Austin Koalition (SPEAK)
- Southeast Austin Neighborhood Alliance
- Southeast Austin Trails & Greenbelt Alliance
- Sunridge Homeowners Association
- Terrell Lane Interceptor Association

AREA OF PROPOSED ZONING CHANGES: The Pleasant Valley Neighborhood Planning Area is bounded by Town Lake to the north, Montopolis and Grove Blvds to the east, Oltorf to the south and Pleasant Valley to the west (see Attachment 1: Map of the Neighborhood Planning Area).

AREA STUDY: East Riverside/Oltorf Combined Neighborhood Planning Area

TIA: Not required

WATERSHEDS: County Club Creek, Colorado River

DESIRED DEVELOPMENT ZONE: Yes

CAPITOL VIEW CORRIDOR: No

SCENIC ROADWAY: Yes (Riverside Drive)

SCHOOLS: (AISD)

Allison Elementary School
Linder Elementary School
Martin Middle School
Fulmore Middle School
Johnston High School

SUMMARY OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

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This case is associated with C14-05-0111 Parker Lane Neighborhood Plan Rezoning, C14-05-0112 Riverside Neighborhood Plan Rezoning and NP-05-0021 East Riverside/Oltorf Combined Neighborhood Plan.

LIST OF ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment 1: Map of Neighborhood Planning Area
Attachment 2: Neighborhood Planning Area Current Zoning
Attachment 3: Tracts Proposed for Rezoning
Attachment 4: Map of Tracts Proposed for Rezoning
Attachment 5: Properties Proposed for Rezoning by the Neighborhood (but not recommended by staff).
Attachment 6: Description of Proposed Base Districts
Attachment 7: Neighborhood Plan Special Uses
Attachment 8: Neighborhood Design Tools

PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

August 9, 2005: Postponed to 10/11 (staff).

October 11, 2005: Postponed to 10/25 (staff).

October 25, 2005: _____

C14-05-0113

CITY COUNCIL DATE:

ACTION:

ORDINANCE READINGS:

2nd

3rd

ORDINANCE NUMBER:

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East Riverside/Oltorf Combined Neighborhood Planning Area

Legend

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|--------------|---------------|
| Park | Planning Area |
| Creek | Street |
| Lake or Pond | |

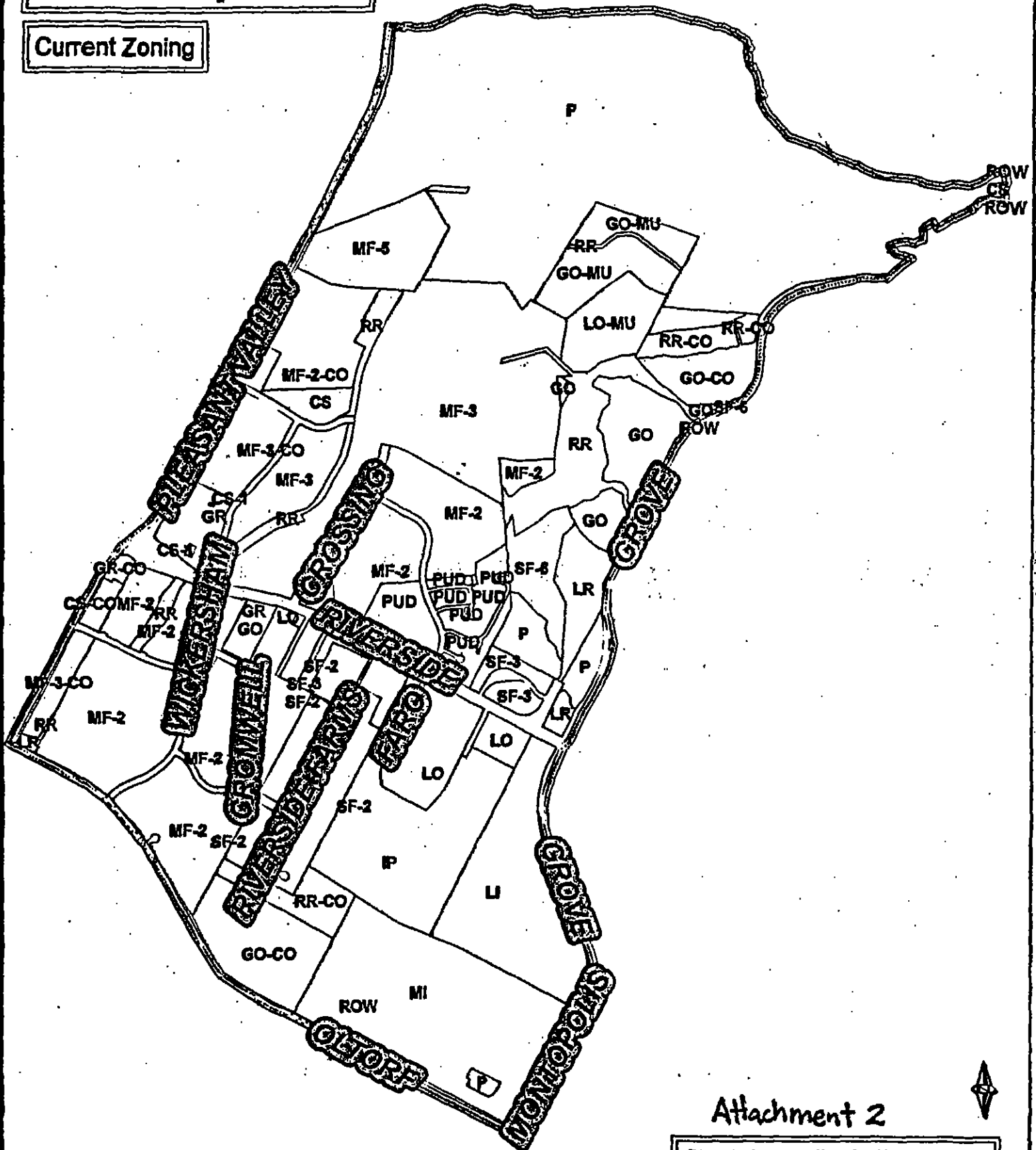
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EAST RIVERSIDE/CITRUS NEIGHBORHOOD PLANNING AREA

Pleasant Valley Plan Area

C14-05-0113

Current Zoning



Attachment 2

This map has been produced by the City of Austin Neighborhood Planning & Zoning Department for the sole purpose of facilitating neighborhood planning. It should not be referred to as an official source of land use or zoning and is not warranted for any other use. No warranty is made regarding its accuracy or completeness.

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BASIS FOR LAND USE RECOMMENDATION

The staff recommendation is derived from the goals and objectives for land use as described in the East Riverside/Oltorf Combined Neighborhood Plan.

DEPARTMENT COMMENTS:

Transportation

Additional right-of-way (ROW) necessary for future roadway improvements within the proposed zoning may be required during the subdivision review process or the site plan review process.

Since the rezoning of this area is being initiated by the City of Austin through the neighborhood planning process and does not reflect a specific development proposal, no trip generation calculations are provided on a tract by tract basis for any proposed land uses as would typically be provided.

A Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) will be required during the site plan review stage for any proposed land use that would generate over 2,000 vehicle trips per day. Additional ROW, participation in roadway improvements, and/or limitation on development intensity may also be recommended based on review of the TIA.

Existing Conditions:

Name	ROW	Pavement	Classification	Sidewalks	Bus Route	Bike Route
Oltorf Street	90'	60'	Arterial	Yes	#27, 14, 26, 300, 331	#61, 68
Pleasant Valley Rd.	120'	Varies	Arterial	Yes	#8, 26, 300, 320, 490	#59, 61
E. Riverside Dr.	Varies	2 @ 33'	Arterial	Yes	#26, 27, 350, 411, LS, NR, CP	#60
Grove Blvd.	90'	2 @ 24'	Collector	Yes	#4, 26, 331, 350	No
Wickersham Lane	80'	2 @ 24'	Collector	Yes	#26, 411, CP	No

Environmental

The neighborhood is not located over the Edward's Aquifer Recharge Zone. The neighborhood is in the Desired Development Zone. The majority of the neighborhood lies in the Country Club Creek Watershed of the Colorado River Basin, which is classified as a Suburban Watershed by Chapter 25-8 of the City's Land Development Code. A smaller portion of the northern side of this neighborhood falls within the Colorado River Watershed, which is, in this location, classified as an Urban Watershed.

Under current watershed regulations, development or redevelopment within the Suburban Watershed portion of this neighborhood is subject to the following impervious cover limits:

<i>Development Classification</i>	<i>% of Net Site Area</i>	<i>% with Transfers</i>
Single-Family (minimum lot size 5750 sq. ft.)	50%	60%
Other Single-Family or Duplex	55%	60%
Multifamily	60%	70%
Commercial	80%	90%

Impervious cover is not limited in the Urban Watershed; therefore the zoning district impervious cover limits apply.

According to flood plain maps, there are floodplains throughout the neighborhood. Offsite drainage should be calculated to determine the exact location of the boundaries. In both the suburban and urban watersheds, no development is permitted in the Critical Water Quality Zone. In the suburban watershed, impervious cover is limited to 30% in the Water Quality Transition Zone.

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

Water quality requirements for each watershed classification are as follows

Suburban: Under current watershed regulations, development or redevelopment will be subject to the following water quality control requirements:

- Structural controls: Sedimentation and filtration basins with increased capture volume and 2 year detention.

Urban: Projects are required to provide on-site structural water quality controls (or payment in lieu of) for all development and/or redevelopment when 5,000 s.f. cumulative is exceeded, and detention for the two-year storm.

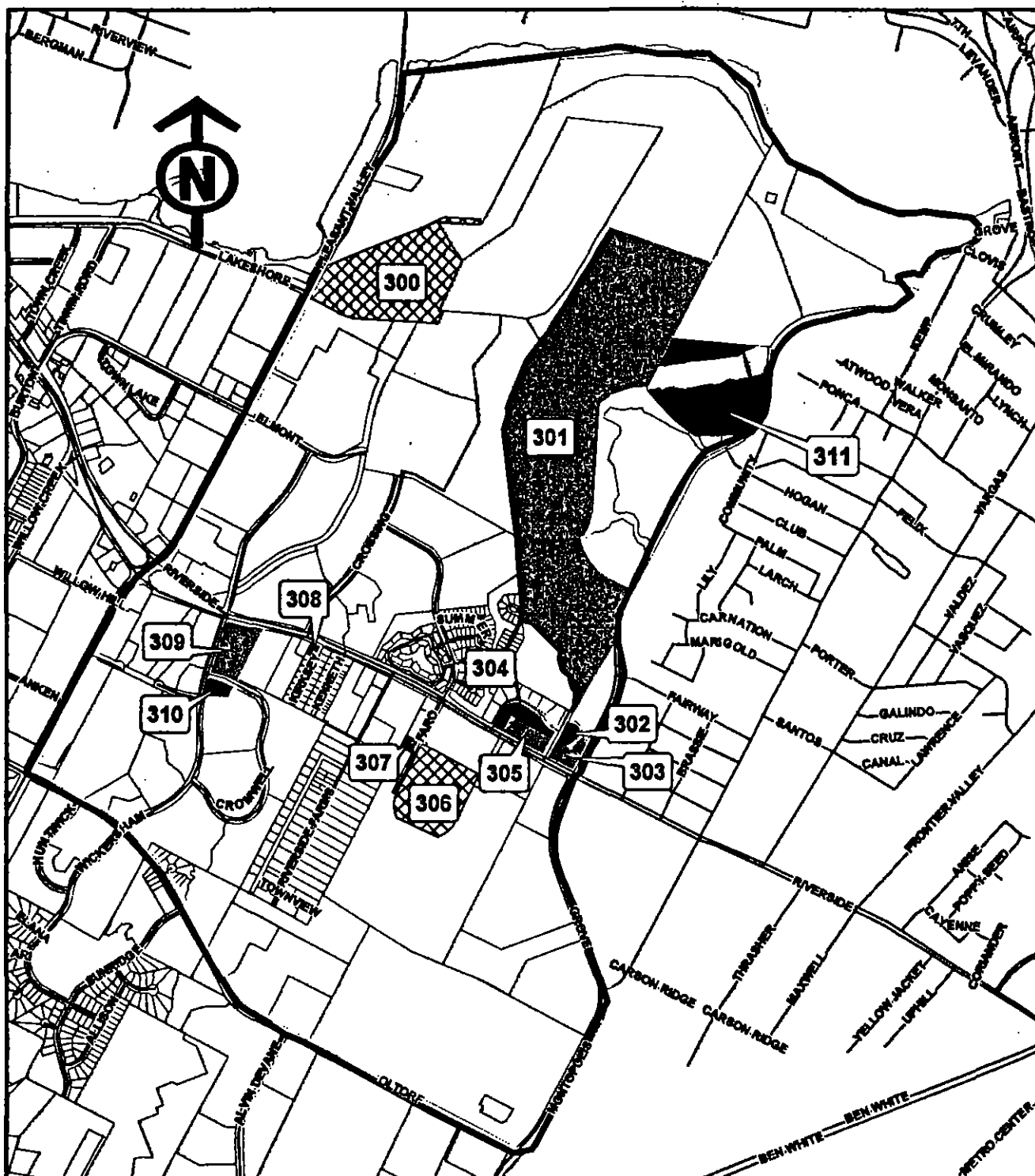
Site Plan

Any development which occurs in an SF-6 or less restrictive zoning district which is located 540-feet or less from property in an SF-5 or more restrictive zoning district or used as single family residential, will be subject to compatibility development regulations. Additional design regulations will be enforced at the time a site plan is submitted.

Riverside Drive is a scenic roadway.

Water and Wastewater

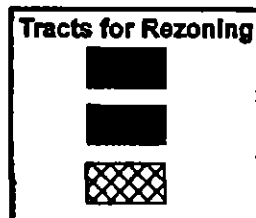
The area is currently served with City of Austin water and wastewater utilities. If water or wastewater utility improvements, or offsite main extension, or system upgrades, or utility relocation, or adjustments are required, the landowner, at own expense, will be responsible for providing. Also, the water and wastewater utility plan must be reviewed and approved by the Austin Water Utility. The utility construction must be inspected by the City. The landowner must pay the associated City fees.



Pleasant Valley Neighborhood Plan Combining District
Tract Map of Rezoning
Zoning Case #C-14-05-0113
Exhibit _____



City of Austin
 Neighborhood Planning and Zoning Department
 September 20, 2005



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Pleasant Valley Neighborhood Plan Combining District:
Tracts Proposed for Rezoning
Case #C14-05-0113

TRACT NUMBER	ADDRESS	FROM	TO
300	1005 1/2 S. Pleasant Valley Road	MF-3, MF-5	P-NP
301	1020 Grove Blvd. (approx. 128.5 acre tract of land out of Santiago Del Valle Grant)	RR, SF-8, MF-2, MF-3, LO-MU, GO-MU, LR	GO-CO-NP
302	0.943 acres out of the Santiago Del Valle Grant	LR	SF-1-NP
303	1.710 acres out of the Santiago Del Valle Grant	LR	LR-MU-CO-NP
304	5700 E. Riverside Drive (2.499 acres out of the Santiago del Valle Grant)	SF-3	SF-1-NP
305	5602, 5604 E. Riverside Drive (2.434 acres out of the Santiago del Valle Grant)	SF-3	LR-MU-CO-NP
306	2101 Faro Drive	LO	P-NP
307	2100 1/2 Faro Drive	LO	P-NP
308	4825 E. Riverside Drive	LO	LO-MU-NP
309	2101 Wickersham Lane	GR	GR-NP
310	2207 Wickersham Lane (A 46,089 square foot tract of land out of the Santiago Del Valle Grant)	GR	MF-2-NP
311	0 Grove Blvd. (A 19.406 acre tract of land out of the Santiago del Valle Grant)	GO-CO	GO-CO-NP