## **City of Fayetteville Staff Review Form**

# 2015-0269

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# 6/16/2015

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|              | Action Recommendat | ion                             |
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| Submitted By | Submitted Date     | Division / Department           |
| Jeremy Pate  | 5/25/2015          | Development Services Department |
|              | 5/29/2015          | City Planning /                 |

# Action Recommendation:

RZN 15-5053: Rezone (WEST OF 4195 W. PERSIMMON ST./MCBRYDE, 478): Submitted by BLEW & ASSOCIATES for property located WEST OF 4195 PERSIMMON ST. The property is zoned RSF-4, RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY, 4 UNITS PER ACRE and contains approximately 2.16 acres. The request is to rezone the property to R-O, RESIDENTIAL-OFFICE.

# **Budget Impact:**

| Account Number                  |                   | Fund          |          |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------|----------|
| Project Number                  |                   | Project Title |          |
| Budgeted Item? NA               | Current Budget    | \$            | -        |
|                                 | Funds Obligated   | \$            | -        |
|                                 | Current Balance   | \$            | -        |
| Does item have a cost? No       | Item Cost         |               |          |
| Budget Adjustment Attached? NA  | Budget Adjustment |               |          |
|                                 | Remaining Budget  | \$            | -        |
| vious Ordinance or Resolution # |                   |               | V2014071 |
| ginal Contract Number:          | AI                | oproval Date: |          |
| nments:                         |                   |               |          |



# **CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMO**

# **MEETING OF JUNE 16, 2015**

- TO: Fayetteville City Council
- THRU: Andrew Garner, City Planning Director
- FROM: Quin Thompson, Current Planner
- **DATE:** May 29, 2015

SUBJECT: RZN 15-5053: Rezone (WEST OF 4195 W. PERSIMMON ST./MCBRYDE, 478): Submitted by BLEW & ASSOCIATES for property located WEST OF 4195 PERSIMMON ST. The property is zoned RSF-4, RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY, 4 UNITS PER ACRE and contains approximately 2.16 acres. The request is to rezone the property to R-O, RESIDENTIAL-OFFICE.

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

The Planning Commission and staff recommend approval of an ordinance to rezone the property to R-O, Residential-Office.

#### BACKGROUND:

The subject property is located south of Persimmon Street west of Rupple Road and contains approximately 2.16 acres within the RSF-4 zoning district. The property is undeveloped parcel in between Cedar Crest Academy private school and Katherine's Place assisted living. Property to the south is currently being considered for a rezoning action of 642 undeveloped acres as part of the south Rupple Road rezoning. The request is to rezone the property from RSF-4, Residential Single-family/4 Units per Acre to R-O, Residential/Office. The applicant has stated that the rezoning will allow the property to be developed with a real estate office.

# Land Use Compatibility:

The site is located between two large institutional uses: a private school and an assisted living facility. The proposed zoning is compatible with the adjacent institutional uses and medium density residential use across Persimmon Street. R-O zoning will allow for the development of single or two family residential as well as small business and professional office uses.

#### Land Use Plan Analysis:

The City Plan 2030 Future Land Use Map (FLUM) designates this area as Civic Institutional Area. R-O zoning is generally consistent with the FLUM as office and residential uses can be a compatible component of a neighborhood with civic uses. Civic Institutional Areas encourage educational, cultural or non-profit uses. This area is well supplied with development that meets this requirement, and the uses allowed under the proposed zoning would not prohibit such use in the future. The P-1, Institutional zoning district would be the sole district that is fully consistent with the FLUM, but it would not allow the general professional office use desired by the applicant.

# DISCUSSION:

On May 26, 2015 the Planning Commission forwarded this item to the City Council with a recommendation for approval by a vote of 9-0-0.

# **BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:** N/A

Attachments:

CC Ordinance Exhibit A Exhibit B Planning Commission Staff Report



# PLANNING COMMISSION MEMO

| то:           | City of Fayetteville Planning Commission  |
|---------------|---|
| THRU:         | Andrew Garner, City Planning Director   |
| FROM:         | Quin Thompson, Current Planner  |
| MEETING DATE: | May 26, 2015 <u>Updated with Planning Commission results</u>  |
| SUBJECT:      | <b>RZN 15-5053: Rezone (WEST OF 4195 W. PERSIMMON ST./MCBRYDE, 478):</b> Submitted by BLEW & ASSOCIATES for property located WEST OF 4195 PERSIMMON ST. The property is zoned RSF-4, RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY, 4 UNITS PER ACRE and contains approximately 2.16 acres. The request is to rezone the property to R-O, RESIDENTIAL-OFFICE. |

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends **RZN 15-5053** be forwarded to the City Council with a recommendation for approval.

#### BACKGROUND:

The subject property is located south of Persimmon Street west of Rupple Road and contains approximately 2.16 acres within the RSF-4 zoning district. The property is undeveloped parcel in between Cedar Crest private school and Katherine's Place assisted living. Property to the south is currently being considered for a rezoning action that would put 642 undeveloped acres into NC, CS, UT and R-A zones. Surrounding land use and zoning is depicted on *Table 1*.

| Direction from Site | Land Use                            | Zoning                         |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| North               | Single-Family Residential           | R-PZD, Rupple Row Sub-division |
| South               | Undeveloped/Agricultural            | R-A, Residential-Agricultural  |
| East                | Educational (Cedar Crest Academy)   | P-1, Institutional             |
| West                | Assisted Living (Katherine's Place) | P-1, Institutional             |

Table 1 Surrounding Land Use and Zoning

*Request:* The request is to rezone the property from RSF-4, Residential Single-family/4 Units per Acre to R-O, Residential/Office. The applicant has stated that the rezoning will allow the property to be developed with a real estate office.

Public Comment: Staff has received no public comment.

#### **INFRASTRUCTURE:**

**Streets:** The subject parcel has access to Persimmon Street, an improved Minor Arterial street with existing curb/gutter and storm drainage. Sidewalk has not yet been

constructed along the frontage of this parcel. Any required improvements to this street will be determined at time of development.

- Water: Public water is available to the site. A 12-inch public water main exists along the north of the property within the public right of way and is accessible for service taps.
- **Sewer:** Sanitary sewer is available to the site. An 8-inch main runs along north and west of the subject parcel in existing utility easements and is accessible for service taps.
- **Drainage:** Any additional improvements or requirements for drainage will be determined at time of development. This property is not located within the floodplain, but GIS records indicate Hydric Soils exist on much of the site. Therefore, a wetlands determination will be necessary at the time of development. This parcel does not contain any protected streams per the Streamside Protection map. No portions of the subject parcel are located within the Hillside/Hilltop Overlay District.
- **Fire:** This development will be protected by Engine 7 located at 835 Rupple Road. It is 1 mile from the station with an anticipated response time of 2 minutes to the beginning of the development. The Fayetteville Fire Department does not feel this development will negatively affect calls for service or response times.
- **Police:** The Police Department did not express any concerns with this request.

CITY PLAN 2025 FUTURE LAND USE PLAN: *City Plan 2030 Future Land Use Plan designates this site as* **Civic Institutional Area.** These areas are dedicated for buildings generally operated by not-for-profit organizations dedicated to culture, government, education or transit and municipal parking.

FINDINGS OF THE STAFF

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends RZN 15-5053 be forwarded to City Council with a recommendation for approval, finding that the proposed zoning allows development compatible with the existing adjacent uses.

| PLANNING COMMISSIO         | N ACTION: | Requ         | ired       | YES                |      |
|----------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|--------------------|------|
| Date: <u>May 26, 2015</u>  | □ Tabled  | 🛛 Forw       | varded     | Denied             |      |
| Motion: <u>Chesser</u>     | Second:   | <u>Selby</u> |            | Vote: <u>9-0-0</u> |      |
| CITY COUNCIL ACTION:       | Re        | equired      | <u>YES</u> |                    | 1999 |
| Date: <u>June 16, 2015</u> | Approv    | ved          | 🗆 Dei      | nied               |      |

- 1. A determination of the degree to which the proposed zoning is consistent with land use planning objectives, principles, and policies and with land use and zoning plans.
- Finding: Land Use Compatibility: The proposed zoning is compatible with the surrounding mixture of residential and institutional uses. R-O zoning will allow for the development of single or two family residential as well as small business and professional office uses. These uses are not expected to adversely impact the medium density residential development to the north or the assisted living and educational developments to the east and west.

Land Use Plan Analysis: The City Plan 2030 Future Land Use Map (FLUM) designates this area as Civic Institutional Area. The proposed zoning is not wholly consistent with the FLUM, which encourages educational, cultural or non-profit uses, however, the area is well supplied with development that meets this requirement, and the uses allowed under the proposed zoning would not prohibit such use in the future. The P-1, Institutional zoning district is the sole district that is entirely consistent with the FLUM.

- 2. A determination of whether the proposed zoning is justified and/or needed at the time the rezoning is proposed.
- Finding: The proposed rezoning is justified at this time, as the existing RSF-4 zoning is not appropriate given the surrounding institutional uses and FLUM designation.
- 3. A determination as to whether the proposed zoning would create or appreciably increase traffic danger and congestion.
- Finding: The site has access to Persimmon Street, an improved Minor Arterial street with existing curb/gutter and storm drainage. The low intensity R-O zoning district is not expected to appreciably increase traffic danger or congestion.
  - 4. A determination as to whether the proposed zoning would alter the population density and thereby undesirably increase the load on public services including schools, water, and sewer facilities.
- Finding: Rezoning the property from single-family to R-O to allow for office development is unlikely to undesirably increase the load on public services. The Police and Fire Departments have expressed no objections to the proposal.
  - 5. If there are reasons why the proposed zoning should not be approved in view of considerations under b (1) through (4) above, a determination as to whether the proposed zoning is justified and/or necessitated by peculiar circumstances such as:
    - a. It would be impractical to use the land for any of the uses permitted under its existing zoning classifications;
    - b. There are extenuating circumstances which justify the rezoning even though there are reasons under b (1) through (4) above why the proposed zoning is not desirable.

# Finding: N/A

## **BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:**

None

#### **Attachments:**

- Unified Development Code sections 161.07 & 161.17
- Request Letter
- Survey
- Fire Comments
- One Mile Map, Close-Up Map, Current Land Use Map, Future Land Use Map

#### 161.07 District RSF-4, Residential Single-Family - Four Units Per Acre

(A) Purpose. The RSF-4 Residential District is designed to permit and encourage the development of low density detached dwellings in suitable environments, as well as to protect existing development of these types.

#### (B) Uses.

#### (1) Permitted uses.

| Unit 1  | City-wide uses by right |  |
|---------|-------------------------|--|
| Unit 8  | Single-family dwellings |  |
| Unit 41 | Accessory dwellings     |  |

| (2)     | Cond | itional uses.                            |
|---------|------|--|
| Unit 2  |      | City-wide uses by conditional use permit |
| Unit 3  |      | Public protection and utility facilities |
| Unit 4  |      | Cultural and recreational facilities     |
| Unit 5  |      | Government facilities                    |
| Unit 9  |      | Two-family dwellings                     |
| Unit 12 |      | Limited business                         |
| Unit 24 | _    | Home occupations                         |
| Unit 36 |      | Wireless communications facilities       |
| Unit 44 |      | Cottage Housing Development              |

(C) Density.

|                | Single-family dwellings | Two-family dwellings |  |
|----------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--|
| Units per acre | 4 or less               | 7 or less            |  |

#### (D) Bulk and area regulations.

|   | Single-family dwellings | Two-family dwellings |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Lot minimum width                                 | 70 ft.                  | 80 ft.               |
| Lot area minimum                                  | 8,000 sq. ft.           | 12,000 sqft.         |
| Land area per<br>dwelling unit                    | 8,000 sq. ft.           | 6,000 sq. ft.        |
| Hillside Overlay<br>District Lot minimum<br>width | 60 ft.                  | 70 ft.               |
| Hillside Overlay<br>District Lot area<br>minimum  | 8,000 sq. ft.           | 12,000 sqft.         |
| Land area per<br>dwelling unit                    | 8,000 sq. ft            | 6,000 sq. ft.        |

(E) Setback requirements.

| Front  | Side  | Rear   |   |
|--------|-------|--------|---|
| 15 ft. | 5 ft. | 15 ft. | - |

| (F) Building height regulations. |        |  |
|----------------------------------|--------|--|
| Building Height Maximum          | 45 ft. |  |

Height regulations. Structures in this District are limited to a building height of 45 feet. Existing structures that exceed 45 feet in height shall be grandfathered in, and not considered nonconforming uses, (ord. # 4858).

(G) Building area. On any lot the area occupied by all buildings shall not exceed 40% of the total area of such lot.

(Code 1991, §160.031; Ord. No. 4100, §2 (Ex. A), 6-16-98; Ord. No. 4178, 8-31-99; Ord. 4858, 4-18-06; Ord. 5028, 6-19-07; Ord. 5128, 4-15-08; Ord. 5224, 3-3-09; Ord. 5312, 4-20-10; Ord. 5462, 12-6-11)

#### 161.17 District R-O, Residential Office

(A) Purpose. The Residential-Office District is designed primarily to provide area for offices without limitation to the nature or size of the office, together with community facilities, restaurants and compatible residential uses.

#### (B) Uses.

(1) Permitted uses.

| Unit 1  | City-wide uses by right                |
|---------|--|
| Unit 5  | Government facilities                  |
| Unit 8  | Single-family dwellings                |
| Unit 9  | Two-family dwellings                   |
| Unit 12 | Limited business                       |
| Unit 25 | Offices, studios, and related services |
| Unit 44 | Cottage Housing Development            |

#### (2) Conditional uses.

| 1-1 00110 |  |
|-----------|--|
| Unit 2    | City-wide uses by conditional use permit |
| Unit 3    | Public protection and utility facilities |
| Unit 4    | Cultural and recreational facilities     |
| Unit 11   | Manufactured home park*                  |
| Unit 13   | Eating places                            |
| Unit 15   | Neighborhood shopping goods              |
| Unit 24   | Home occupations                         |
| Unit 26   | Multi-family dwellings                   |
| Unit 36   | Wireless communications facilities*      |
| Unit 42   | Clean technologies                       |
| Unit 45   | Small scale production                   |

#### (C) Density.

| Units per acre | 24 or less |  |
|----------------|------------|--|
|----------------|------------|--|

#### (D) Bulk and area regulations.

(Per dwelling unit for residential structures)

#### (1) Lot width minimum.

| Manufactured home park                 | 100 ft. |  |
|--|---------|--|
| Lot within a manufactured home<br>park | 50 ft.  |  |
| Single-family                          | 60 ft.  |  |
| Two-family                             | 60 ft.  |  |
| Three or more                          | 90 ft.  |  |

#### (2) Lot area minimum.

| Manufactured home park         | 3 acres       |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|--|
| Lot within a manufactured home | 4,200 sq. ft. |  |
| park                           |               |  |
| Townhouses:                    |               |  |
| Development                    | 10,000 sq_ft. |  |
| Individual lot                 | 2,500 sq. ft. |  |
| Single-family                  | 6,000 sq. ft. |  |
| Two-family                     | 6,500 sq. ft. |  |
| Three or more                  | 8.000 sq. ft. |  |
| Fraternity or Sorority         | 1 acre        |  |

#### (3) Land area per dwelling unit.

| Manufactured home        | 3,000 sq. ft.            |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Townhouses & apartments: |                          |  |
| No bedroom               | 1,000 sq. ft.            |  |
| One bedroom              | 1,000 sq. ft.            |  |
| Two or more bedrooms     | 1,200 sq. ft.            |  |
| Fraternity or Sorority   | 500 sq. ft. per resident |  |

#### (E) Setback regulations.

| Front  | 15 ft. |
|--|--------|
| Front, if parking is allowed between the right-<br>of-way and the building | 50 ft. |
| Front, in the Hillside Overlay District                                    | 15 ft. |
| Side   | 10 ft. |
| Side, when contiguous to a residential district                            | 15 ft. |
| Side, in the Hillside Overlay District                                     | 8 ft   |
| Rear, without easement or alley  | 25 ft. |
| Rear, from center line of public alley                                     | 10 ft. |
| Rear, in the Hillside Overlay District                                     | 15 ft. |

(F) Building height regulations.

| Building Height Maximum | 60 ft. |   |
|-------------------------|--------|---|
|                         |        | ; |

*Height regulations.* Any building which exceeds the height of 20 feet shall be set back from any side boundary line of an adjacent single family district an additional distance of one foot for each foot of height in excess of 20 feet.

(G) Building area. On any lot, the area occupied by all buildings shall not exceed 60% of the total area of such lot.

(Code No. 1965, App. A., Art. 5(x); Ord. No. 2414, 2-7-78; Ord. No. 2603, 2-19-80; Ord. No. 2621, 4-1-80; Ord. No. 1747, 6-29-70; Code 1991, §160.041; Ord. No. 4100, §2 (Ex. A), 6-16-98; Ord. No. 4178, 8-31-99; Ord. 4726, 7-19-05; Ord. 4943, 11-07-06; Ord. 5079, 11-20-07; Ord. 5195, 11-6-08; Ord. 5224, 3-3-09; Ord. 5312, 4-20-10; Ord. 5462, 12-6-11; Ord. 5735 1-20-15)

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524 West Sycamore St., Suite #4 Fayetteville, Arkansas 72703 479-443-4506 Fax 582-1883

City of Fayetteville Planning Department

April 14, 2015

Re: McBryde Family Limited Partnership Persimmon St. Fayetteville, AR 72704 Parcel #765-28666-000

To Whom It May Concern,

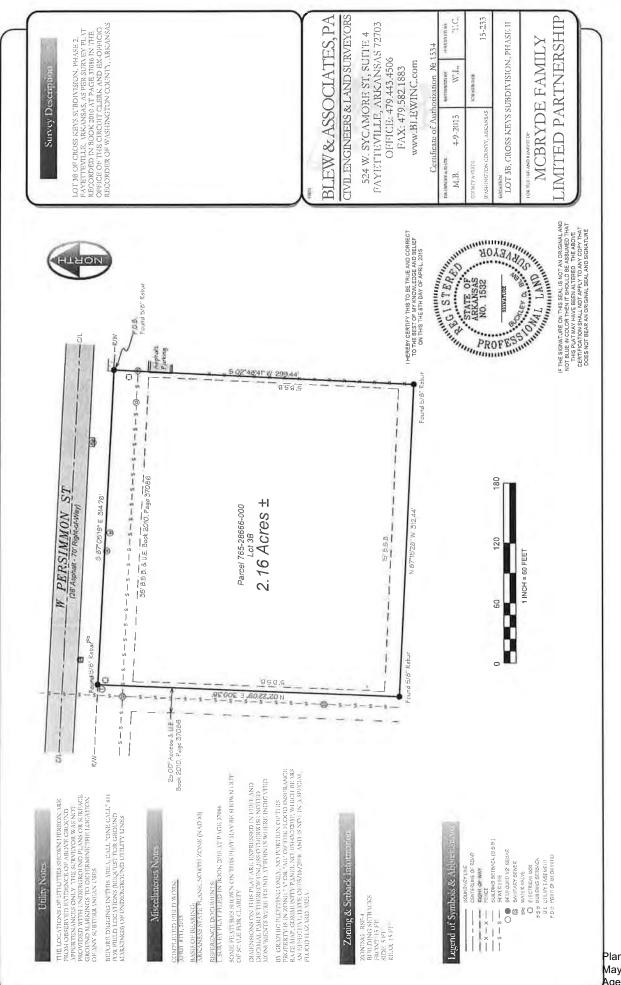
Our Clients, McBryde Family Limited Partnership and McNaughton Realtors are requesting to have the property at Persimmon St. (Parcel #765-28666-000) to be rezoned from RSF-4 to R-O. They plan to build a real estate office at this location if approved and believe it to be a good fit with the adjacent properties.

We believe this potential rezoning would only have a positive effect on the surrounding properties. The proposed real estate office would have a very limited effect on increasing the traffic as well as a very limited increase on the use of public services in the area. There currently is an 8" sewer line and a 12" water line at the north line of the property, so access to utilities would not be an issue. If you have any additional questions or comments feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

Heath Myers Project Manager Blew & Associates, P.A.

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# The City of Fayetteville Fire Department 303 W. Center St. Fayetteville, AR. 72701

Phone (479) 575-8365 Fax (47

Fax (479) 575-0471

To: Blew and Associates, Quin Thompson

From: Will Beeks, Assistant Fire Marshal

Date: May 18, 2015

Re: RZN 15-5053

This development will be protected by Engine 7 located at 835 Rupple Rd. It is 1 mile from the station with an anticipated response time of 2 minutes to the beginning of the development. The Eavetteville Fire Department does not feel this development will affect our calls for service or c

The Fayetteville Fire Department does not feel this development will affect our calls for service or our response times.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Captain Will Beeks Fayetteville Fire Department

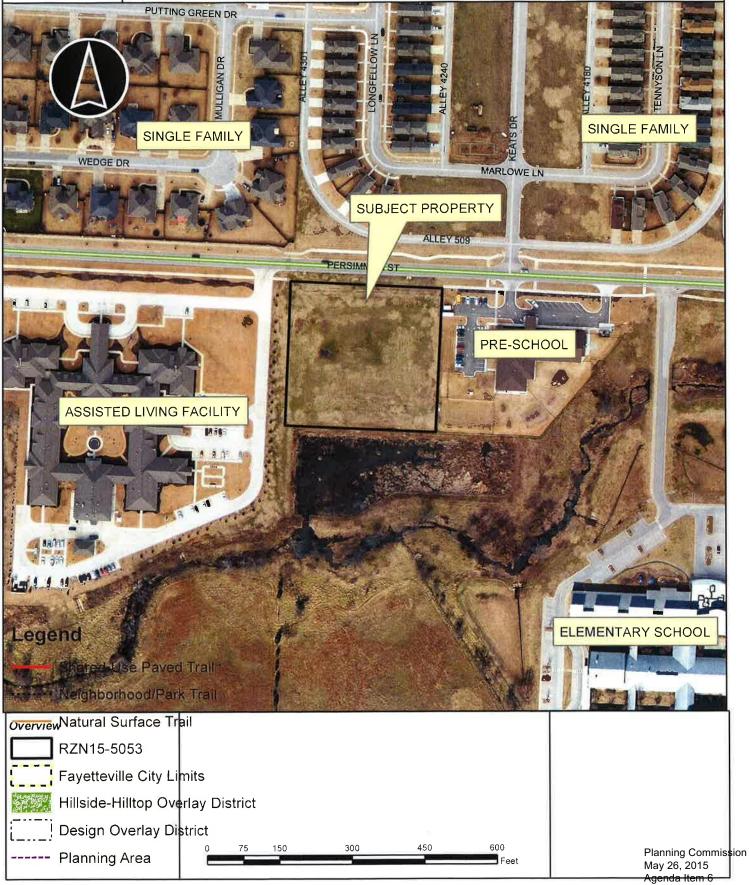
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Close Up View

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