

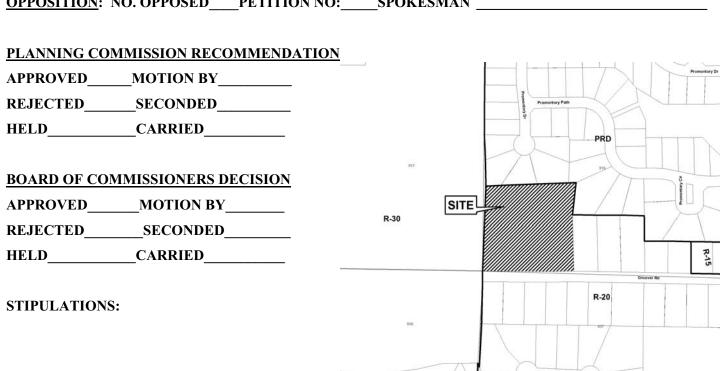
APPLICANT: Brooks Chadwick Capital, LLC	PETITION NO:	Z-31
404-281-4554	HEARING DATE (PC):	08-07-12
REPRESENTATIVE: John H. Moore 770-429-1499	HEARING DATE (BOC): _	08-21-12
Moore Ingram Johnson & Steele, LLP	PRESENT ZONING:	R-20
TITLEHOLDER: Lesby M. Wise, as Trustee of The Lesby M. Wise		
Revocable Living Trust	PROPOSED ZONING:	R-15
PROPERTY LOCATION: North side of Groover Road, west of		
Braswell Road	PROPOSED USE: Single-F	amily Residential
(2129 Groover Road).		
ACCESS TO PROPERTY: Groover Road	SIZE OF TRACT:	3.822 acres
	DISTRICT:	16
PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS TO SITE: Single-family house	LAND LOT(S):	916
on wooded acreage	PARCEL(S):	4
	TAXES: PAID X DI	U E
CONTROLLO ZONING/DEVEL OBMENT	COMMISSION DISTRICT	:_3
CONTIGUOUS ZONING/DEVELOPMENT		

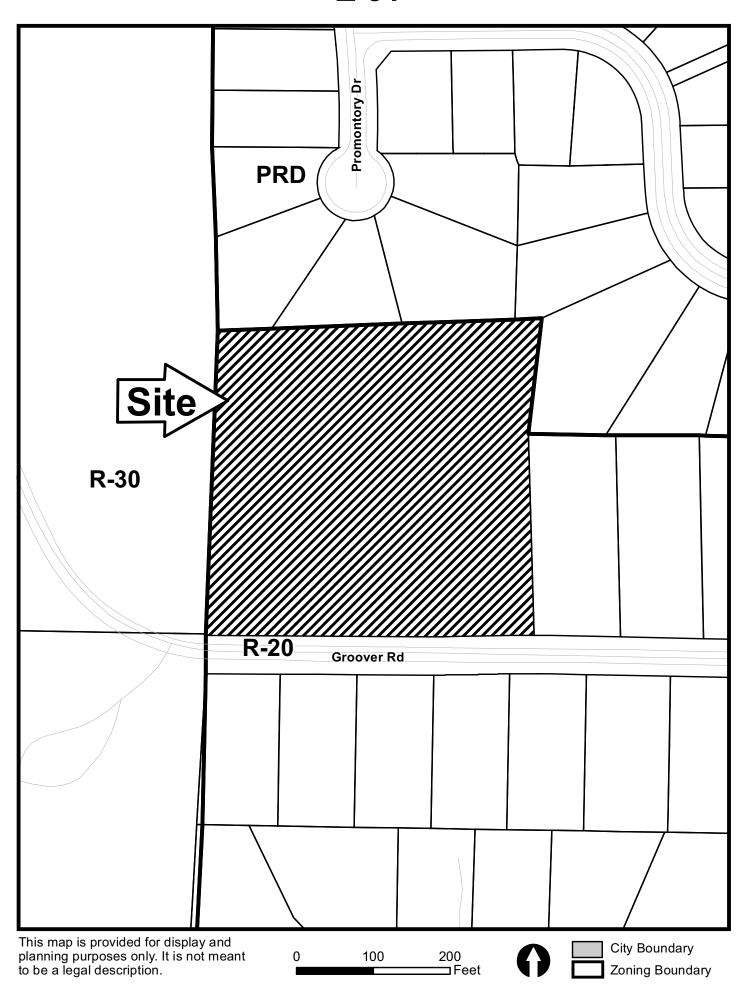
NORTH: PRD/Walton's Reserve Subdivision **SOUTH:** R-20/Barbara Acres Subdivision

R-20/Single-family house and PRD/Walton's Reserve Subdivision **EAST:**

WEST: R-30/Undeveloped acreage with accessory structures

OPPOSITION: NO. OPPOSED___PETITION NO:___SPOKESMAN ____





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ZONING COMMENT	ΓS: Staff Member Responsib	ble: Jason A. Campbell	
Land Use Plan Recom	mendation: Low Density Resid	lential (1-2.5 units per acre))
Proposed Number of l	Units: 9 Overa	Il Density: 2.35 Un	its/Acre
Present Zoning Would	l Allow: 4 Units Increa	se of: 5 Units/	Lots
subdivision. The house range in price from \$40 variances that include s public road frontage for	the R-15 zoning category in order to swill be traditional and have a minimum of the specific structure of the specific speci	imum size of 3,000 square evelopment will require co ate road instead of Groover plan also indicates that six	feet. The houses will ntemporaneous Road and waiving the
Cemetery Preservation	n: No comment.		
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**	ting a rezoning from R-20 to R-15 for e north side of Groover Road, west		y residential. The 3.822
designation. The purp	a Low Density Residential (LDF cose of the LDR category is to pro) and two and one-half (2.5) dwelling	ovide for areas that are su	
Master Plan/Corridor S Not applicable.	<u>Study</u>		
trench location maps, s	s county historic resources surveys, staff finds that no known significant comment. No action by applicant r	t historic resources appear	•
<u>Design Guidelines</u> Is the parcel in an area	with Design Guidelines? ☐ Yes	■ No	
If yes, design guideline	s area		
Does the current site of	an comply with the design requirem	ents?	
☐ Yes ☐ No	■ Not applicable	Onto:	

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SCHOOL COMMENTS:

Name of School	Enrollment	Capacity Status	Number of Portable Classrooms
East Side	1,068	Under	
Elementary	<u> </u>		-
Dodgen	1,179	Over	
Middle			
Walton	2,636	Over	
High			

^{*}School attendance zones are subject to revision at any time.

Additional Comments: Dodgen Middle School and Walton High School are over-crowded at this time. Approval of this petition could adversely impact the enrollment at these schools.

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FIRE COMMENTS:

ACCESS: Fire apparatus access roads shall extend to within 150 feet of all portions of the facility or any portion of the exterior wall of the first floor (State Modifications IFC 503.1 2006 Edition).

All access roads shall meet the American Association of State and Highway Transportation Officials (AASHTO) design manual live load standard HS20 (75,000 lbs.) with an unobstructed width of not less than 20 feet, 25 foot inside radius, 50 foot outside turning radius and unobstructed vertical clearance of not less than 13 feet 6 inches.

Maximum slope of the access road in reference to the apparatus is 10% Front to Back and 5% Side to Side. Maximum grade of roadways leading to Fire Access roads refer to the Cobb County Development Standard Section 400: 14% for Non-Residential. Maximum angle of departure is 8.5%.

Dead-end access roads in excess of 150 feet shall be provided with a turn-around (IFC 503.2.5 2006 Edition). Cul-de-sac with or without an island: minimum 60-foot radius to outside curb, measured to inside of curb and a minimum lane width = 24 feet (Cobb County Development Standard 401.09). Single-Family cul-de-sac without island: 38-foot outside radius with island reverts to commercial dimensions. Hammerhead turn-around: total of 110 feet needed (45 feet + 20 feet wide roadway + 45 feet).

Aerial apparatus access shall be required for all structures over 30 feet in height measured from the lowest level of fire department access to the ceiling height of the highest occupied floor level. Aerial fire apparatus access roads shall be a minimum width of 24 feet maximum of 40 feet from the structure and be positioned parallel to one entire side of the building. No overhead utility and power lines shall be located within the aerial fire apparatus access. (Cobb County Development Standards 401.08.02.1)

HYDRANT: Show fire hydrants arranged to have a hydrant available for the distribution of hose to any portion of any building on premises at distances not exceeding 500 feet (driving distance). Hydrants shall be at least 40 feet from the building (steamer connection facing street) (NFPA 24-7.2.3). Fire hydrants shall be spaced not more than 500 feet apart. Hydrants shall not be connected to water lines on the positive side (discharge side) of a fire pump. Minimum 8" supply lines to all hydrants.

GATE: Gates securing fire apparatus access shall be a minimum 14 feet in clear width for a single lane and 20 feet for a double lane. Gate shall be swing or sliding type. Electric gates shall be equipped with a means of opening the gate by fire department personnel for emergency access (Knox Switch). Emergency opening devices shall be approved by the Cobb County Fire Marshal's Office. (Cobb County Development Standards 401.08.02.1)

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PRESENT ZONING R-20

Comments:

PETITION NO. Z-031 PETITION FOR R-15

WATER COMMENTS: | NOTE: Comments reflect only what facilities were in existence at the time of this review. No Available at Development: ✓ Yes Fire Flow Test Required: Yes No Size / Location of Existing Water Main(s): 6" CI / S side of Groover Road Additional Comments: If private streets, master meter to be set at ROW Developer may be required to install/upgrade water mains, based on fire flow test results or Fire Department Code. This will be resolved in the Plan Review Process. **SEWER COMMENTS:** NOTE: Comments reflect only what facilities were in existence at the time of this review. In Drainage Basin: ✓ Yes No At Development: Yes ✓ No Approximate Distance to Nearest Sewer: 225' E with easements Estimated Waste Generation (in G.P.D.): A D F 1440 Peak = 3600Treatment Plant: Sutton **✓** Available ☐ Not Available Plant Capacity: Line Capacity: ✓ Available ☐ Not Available \checkmark 0 - 5 years 5 - 10 years Projected Plant Availability: over 10 years Dry Sewers Required: Yes ✓ No *If off-site easements are required, Developer Off-site Easements Required: Yes* □ No must submit easements to CCWS for review/approval as to form and stipulations Flow Test Required: Yes ✓ No. prior to the execution of easements by the property owners. All easement acquisitions Letter of Allocation issued: Yes ✓ No are the responsibility of the Developer Septic Tank Recommended by this Department: Yes ✓ No ✓ No Subject to Health Department Approval: ☐ Yes If master metered, on-site sewer will be private. However, extension of public sewer to serve Additional

Developer will be responsible for connecting to the existing County water and sewer systems, installing and/or upgrading all outfalls and water mains, obtaining on and/or offsite easements, dedication of on and/or offsite water and sewer to Cobb County, as may be required. Rezoning does not guarantee water/sewer availability/capacity unless so stated in writing by the Cobb County Water System. Permit issuances subject to continued treatment plant compliance with EPD discharge requirements.

upstream property may be required at Plan Review

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STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMMENTS	
FLOOD HAZARD: YES NO POSSIBLY, N	NOT VERIFIED
DRAINAGE BASIN: Sope Creek FLOOD HAZAI ☐ FEMA Designated 100 year Floodplain Flood. ☐ Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance DESIGNATED FI ☐ Project subject to the Cobb County Flood Damage Preve ☐ Dam Breach zone from (upstream) (onsite) lake - need to	LOOD HAZARD. ention Ordinance Requirements.
<u>WETLANDS:</u> ☐ YES ☐ NO ☐ POSSIBLY, NOT	VERIFIED
Location:	
☐ The Owner/Developer is responsible for obtaining any re of Engineer.	equired wetland permits from the U.S. Army Corps
STREAMBANK BUFFER ZONE: YES NO	POSSIBLY, NOT VERIFIED
 ☐ Metropolitan River Protection Area (within 2000' of C buffer each side of waterway). ☐ Chattahoochee River Corridor Tributary Area - County r ☐ Georgia Erosion-Sediment Control Law and County Ord ☐ Georgia DNR Variance may be required to work in 25 fd ☐ County Buffer Ordinance: 50', 75', 100' or 200' each side 	review (<u>undisturbed</u> buffer each side). linance - County Review/State Review. pot streambank buffers.
DOWNSTREAM CONDITION	
 ☑ Potential or Known drainage problems exist for develope ☑ Stormwater discharges must be controlled not to exceed drainage system. ☑ Minimize runoff into public roads. ☑ Minimize the effect of concentrated stormwater discharge ☑ Developer must secure any R.O.W required to receive concentration in the problem of t	ed the capacity available in the downstream storm ges onto adjacent properties. Oncentrated discharges where none exist naturally required. I neighborhood downstream.
Project engineer must evaluate the impact of increased von downstream receiving system.	volume of funoif generated by the proposed project

APPLICANT: Glen Robinson Construction	PETITION NO.: <u>Z-31</u>
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STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMMENTS	- Continued
SPECIAL SITE CONDITIONS	
 □ Provide comprehensive hydrology/stormwater controls to □ Submit all proposed site improvements to Plan Review. □ Any spring activity uncovered must be addressed by a qu □ Structural fill must be placed under the direction engineer (PE). □ Existing facility. □ Project must comply with the Water Quality requirement Water Quality Ordinance. □ Water Quality/Quantity contributions of the existing la conditions into proposed project. □ Calculate and provide % impervious of project site. □ Revisit design; reduce pavement area to reduce runoff and 	alified geotechnical engineer (PE). In of a qualified registered Georgia geotechnical ts of the CWA-NPDES-NPS Permit and County ke/pond on site must be continued as baseline
INSUFFICIENT INFORMATION	
 No Stormwater controls shown Copy of survey is not current − Additional comments may exposed. No site improvements showing on exhibit. 	y be forthcoming when current site conditions are

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

- 1. This parcel is a relatively gently sloped, mostly wooded site. The entire parcel drains to the southeast corner where it discharges to a shallow swale and private driveway culvert on the adjacent residential parcel to the east. The site receives approximately 4.3 acres of offsite runoff from the Groover Properties parcel to the west and the existing Walton's Reserve Subdivision to the north.
- 2. Due to the site's natural drainage pattern, existing downstream conditions and the close proximity of an existing low-lying downstream residential structure an underground stormwater management facility is proposed. This will allow the facility to control runoff from the entire site while not creating a dam breach hazard for the existing downstream residence. In order to utilize an underground facility the development will need to be private with all interior stormwater piping as well as the detention facility to be maintained by the homeowners association. A maintenance agreement must be included in the subdivision covenants and adequate reserves created to maintain the system in perpetuity.
- 3. A downstream drainage easement will be required to tie the site discharge directly to the downstream road culvert under Groover Road.

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The following comments and recommendations are based on field investigation and office review of the subject rezoning case:

ROADWAY	AVERAGE DAILY TRIPS	ROADWAY CLASSIFICATION	SPEED LIMIT	JURISDICTIONAL CONTROL	MIN. R.O.W. REQUIREMENTS
Groover Road	454	Local	25 mph	Cobb County	50'

Based on 2002 traffic counting data taken by Cobb County DOT (Groover Road)

COMMENTS AND OBSERVATIONS

Groover Road is classified as a local and according to the available information the existing right-of-way does meet the minimum requirements for this classification.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommend curb, gutter, and sidewalk along Groover Road frontage.

Recommend applicant verify that minimum intersection sight distance is available along Groover Road. If it is not, the applicant will have to implement remedial measures, subject to approval by the Department of Transportation to achieve the minimum requirement of 280 feet.

Recommend applicant be required to meet all Cobb County Development Standards and Ordinances related to project improvements.

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STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

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- A. It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby properties. Properties in the area have been developed for single-family subdivisions over the past few decades. Walton's Reserve Subdivision to the north of the subject property is zoned Planned Residential Development (PRD) with a density of 2.4 units per acre. Barbara Estates south across Groover Road from the subject property is zoned R-20 with an approximate density of 2.06 units per acre. Also in the area is Magnolia East Subdivision on the east side of Braswell Road, zoned R-12 with a density of 2.70 units per acre. The nearby Meadow Wood Subdivision has an approximate density of 1.57 units per acre. Finally, stretching from the east side of Braswell Road to the northwest side of Sewell Mill Road, The Renaissance Subdivision is zoned R-15 with a density of 2.27 units per acre.
- B. It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal will not have an adverse affect on the usability of adjacent or nearby property. Other properties in the area are zoned for single-family subdivisions with similar densities.
- C. It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal will not result in a use which would cause an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools. This opinion can be supported by the departmental comments contained in this analysis.
- D. It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal is in conformity with the policy and intent of the *Cobb County Comprehensive Plan*, which delineates this property to be within the Low Density Residential (LDR) land use category with densities ranging from 1-2.5 units per acre. The R-15 zoning category can be compatible with LDR and in the subject proposal the applicant has indicated a density of 2.35 units per acre.
- E. It is Staff's opinion that there are existing and changing conditions affecting the use and development of the property which give supporting grounds for approving the applicant's rezoning proposal. The applicant is proposing lot sizes that meet or exceed the required 15,000 square feet for R-15. Some subdivisions in the area are developed with lot sizes ranging from 12,000 square feet to above 20,000 square feet

Based on the above analysis, Staff recommends APPROVAL subject to the following conditions:

- Revised site plan submitted to the Zoning Division on July 2, 2012, with the District Commissioner approving minor modifications;
- Water and Sewer comments and recommendations;
- Stormwater Management Division comments and recommendations; and
- DOT comments and recommendations.

The recommendations made by the Planning and Zoning Staff are only the opinions of the Planning and Zoning Staff and are by no means the final decision. The Cobb County Board of Commissioners makes the final decisions on all Rezoning and Land Use Permits at an advertised public hearing.

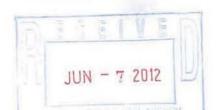
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Summary of Intent for Rezoning

	Proposed unit square-fo	otage(s):2,5	00 square foot,	minimum
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c)	Proposed selling prices(s			
d)	List all requested varian	ces: Nor	e known at this	time
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. No	n-residential Rezoning Inform	ation (attach additional	information if needed)	
a)	Proposed use(s):	Not Applicable.		
<u>b)</u>	Proposed building archi	tecture:		
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<u>c)</u>	Proposed hours/days of	operation:		
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*Applicant specifically reserves the right to amend any information set forth

herein at any time during the rezoning process.