

APPLICANT: John Hillis	PETITION NO:	Z-33
PHONE#: (404) 285-1124 EMAIL: amanda@woodruffai.com	HEARING DATE (PC):	): 04-07-15
REPRESENTATIVE: Amanda Woodruff	HEARING DATE (BO	OC): <u>04-21-15</u>
PHONE#: (404) 285-1124 EMAIL: amanda@woodruffai.com	PRESENT ZONING:	R-15, GC, C
TITLEHOLDER: Hillis Enterprises, LLC		
	PROPOSED ZONING:	: CRC
PROPERTY LOCATION: East side of Canton Road, north side of	1	
Powell Wright Road	PROPOSED USE:	Commercial and
(2218 Canton Road).		Contractor
ACCESS TO PROPERTY: Powell Wright Road	SIZE OF TRACT:	6.19 acre
	DISTRICT:	16
PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS TO SITE: Existing building	LAND LOT(S):	708, 709
	PARCEL(S):	2, 2, 46, 4
	TAXES: PAID X	DUE
CONTIGUOUS ZONING/DEVELOPMENT	COMMISSION DISTR	[RICT: 3

OPPOSITION: NO. OPPOSED PETITION NO: SPOKESMAN

EAST: WEST:

OS/ undeveloped

NORTH: SOUTH:

GC/ retail commercial

R-20/ Wright Pines Subdivision

NS/ undeveloped

# PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

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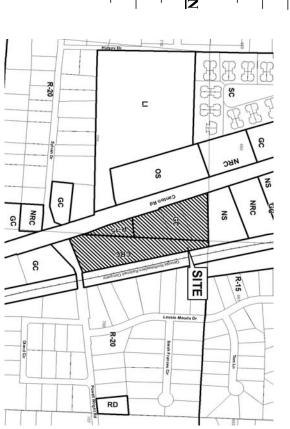
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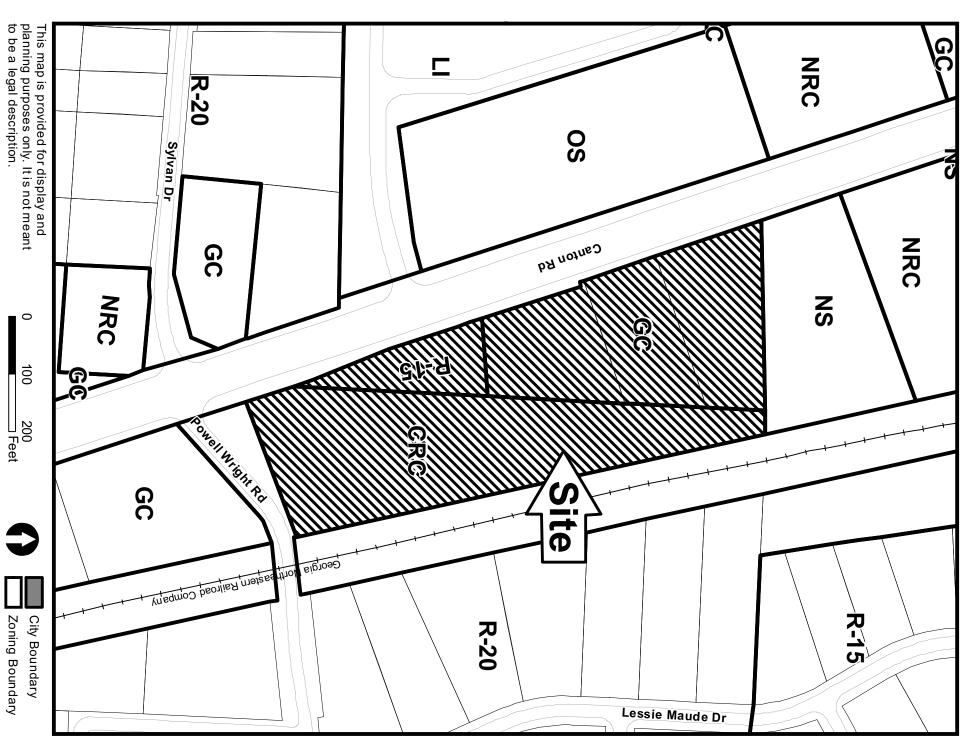
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STIPULATIONS:





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ZONING COMMENTS:	Staff Member Responsible: Terry Martin, MPA	/ Martin, MPA
Land Use Plan Recommendatio	Land Use Plan Recommendation: Neighborhood Activity Center (NAC)	er (NAC)
Proposed Number of Buildings: 1		Total Square Footage of Development: 12,000
F.A.R.: 0.04 Square Foo	Square Footage/Acre: 1,939	
Parking Spaces Required: 22	Parking Spaces Provided: 22	ded: 22

improvements that may be warranted at the time of development of Tract 2. willingness to follow the Canton Road Guidelines on both tracts as development takes place as well as traffic future commercial activity on the remaining area (proposed Tract 2). the existing specialized contractor use (Casteel Heating and Air on proposed Tract 1) and also provide for commercial district, and CRC community retail commercial district to the CRC district in order to expand The applicant is requesting rezoning from the existing R-15 single-family residential district, GC general The applicant has indicated a

Cemetery Preservation: No comment.

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#### FIRE COMMENTS:

After analyzing the information presented for a Preliminary Review, the Cobb County Fire Marshal's Office is confident that all other items can be addressed during the Plan Review Stage.

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## PLANNING COMMENIS:

contractor use. The 6.19 acre site is located on the east side of Canton Road, north side of Powell Wright The applicant is requesting a rezoning from R-15, GC and CRC to CRC for purpose of commercial and

#### Comprehensive Plan

and grocery stores. neighborhood residents and businesses. Typical land uses for these areas include small offices, limited retail CRC The parcel is within a Neighborhood Activity Center (NAC) future land use category, with R-15, GC and zoning designations. The purpose of the (NAC) category is to provide for areas that serve

## Master Plan/Corridor Study

The parcels are located within the boundary of the Canton Road Corridor Study.

#### Historic Preservation

application. No further comment. No action by applicant requested at this time trench location maps, staff finds that no known significant historic resources appear to be affected by this After consulting various county historic resources surveys, historic maps, archaeology surveys and Civil War

#### Design Guidelines

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design guidelines is not required If there is no renovation or improvement on the property fronting Canton Road, the complying with the

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PLANNING COMMENTS: (Continued)	
Incentive Zones	
Is the property within an Opportunity Zone? ☐ Yes ☐ No The Opportunity Zone is an incentive that provides \$3,500 tax credit per job in eligible areas jobs are being created. This incentive is available for new or existing businesses.	■ No credit per job in eligible areas if two or more sting businesses.
Is the property within an Enterprise Zone? ■ Yes □No The Enterprise Zone is an incentive that provides tax abatements and other economic qualifying businesses locating or expanding within designated areas for new jobs and capital i	□No tements and other economic incentives for reas for new jobs and capital investments.
Is the property eligible for incentives through the Commercial and Industrial Property Rehabilitation Program?  The Commercial and Industrial Property Rehabilitation Program is an incentive that provides ad valorem property taxes for qualifying redevelopment in eligible areas.	nd Industrial Property □No m is an incentive that provides a reduction in ble areas.
For more information on incentives, please call the Community Development Agency, Planning Division at 770.528.2018 or find information online at <a href="http://economic.cobbcountyga.gov">http://economic.cobbcountyga.gov</a> .	/ Development Agency, Planning Division at ocountyga.gov.
Special Districts	
Is this property within the Cumberland Special District #1 (hotel/motel fee)?  ☐ Yes  ■ No	l/motel fee)?
Is this property within the Cumberland Special District #2 (ad valorem tax)?  ☐ Yes ■ No	alorem tax)?
Is this property within the Six Flags Special Service District?  ☐ Yes ■ No	

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#### PETITION NO. Z-03

PRESENT ZONING R-15,	<u>R-15, GC, CRC</u>	PETITION FOR <u>CRC</u>
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WATER COMMENTS: 1	NOTE: Comments reflect only what facilities were in existence at the time of this review.	in existence at the time of this review.
Available at Development:	✓ Yes	□ No
Fire Flow Test Required:	□ Yes	No
Size / Location of Existing W	Size / Location of Existing Water Main(s): 8" DI / E side of Canton Rd	
Additional Comments: Trac	Tract 1 is existing water customer	
Developer may be required to install/up. Review Process.	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.	ment Code. This will be resolved in the Plan
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SEWER COMMENTS:	NOTE: Comments reflect only what facilities were in existence at the time of this review.	ere in existence at the time of this review.

Subject to Health Department Approval: Septic Tank Recommended by this Department: Letter of Allocation issued: Flow Test Required: Off-site Easements Required: Dry Sewers Required: Proiected Plant Availability: Line Capacity: Plant Capacity: Treatment Plant: Estimated Waste Generation (in G.P.D.): Approximate Distance to Nearest Sewer: In Drainage Basin: At Development: ADF= At site < < < < < Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes\* +0 Yes 0 - 5 years Yes Available Available Noonday < < < < < <  $_{\rm N}^{\rm o}$ N<sub>o</sub> N<sub>o</sub> No  $_{\rm N}^{\rm o}$  $_{\rm N}$ 5 - 10 years Not Available Not Available Peak=  $_{\rm N}^{\rm o}$ O property owners. \*If off-site easements are required, Developer must submit easements to CCWS for review/approval as to form and stipulations prior to the execution of easements by the are the responsibility of the Developer +0 All easement acquisitions over 10 years

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.

Additional Comments:

connected to sewer at this time

Liberty Hill Special Assessment \$14,200 per acre upon development. Neither Tract 1 or 2

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STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMMENTS
FLOOD HAZARD: YES NO POSSIBLY, NOT VERIFIED
DRAINAGE BASIN: Little Noonday Creek  FLOOD HAZARD INFO: Zone X  FEMA Designated 100 year Floodplain Flood.
Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance DESIGNATED FLOOD HAZARD.  Project subject to the Cobb County Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance Requirements.  Dam Breach zone from (upstream) (onsite) lake - need to keep residential buildings out of hazard.
WETLANDS: YES NO POSSIBLY, NOT VERIFIED
Location:
☐ The Owner/Developer is responsible for obtaining any required wetland permits from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineer.
STREAMBANK BUFFER ZONE: $\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \$
<ul> <li>Metropolitan River Protection Area (within 2000' of Chattahoochee River) ARC (review 35' undisturbed buffer each side of waterway).</li> <li>Chattahoochee River Corridor Tributary Area - County review (undisturbed buffer each side).</li> <li>Georgia Erosion-Sediment Control Law and County Ordinance - County Review/State Review.</li> <li>Georgia DNR Variance may be required to work in 25 foot streambank buffers.</li> <li>County Buffer Ordinance: 50', 75', 100' or 200' each side of creek channel.</li> </ul>
DOWNSTREAM CONDITIONS
Potential or Known drainage problems exist for developments downstream from this site.  Stormwater discharges must be controlled not to exceed the capacity available in the downstream storm drainage system.
Minimize runoff into public roads.  Minimize the effect of concentrated stormwater discharges onto adjacent properties.  Developer must secure any R.O.W required to receive concentrated discharges where none exist naturally
Existing Lake Downstream  Additional BMP's for erosion sediment controls will be required.  Lake Study needed to document sediment levels.
Stormwater discharges through an established residential neighborhood downstream.  Project engineer must evaluate the impact of increased volume of runoff generated by the proposed project existing railroad culvert.

PRESENT ZONING: R-15, GC, CRC APPLICANT: John Hillis STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMMENTS 1 Continued PETITION FOR: CRC PETITION NO.: Z-33

## SPECIAL SITE CONDITIONS

<ul> <li>□ Provide comprehensive hydrology/stormwater controls to include development of out parcels.</li> <li>□ Submit all proposed site improvements to Plan Review.</li> <li>□ Any spring activity uncovered must be addressed by a qualified geotechnical engineer (PE).</li> <li>□ Structural fill must be placed under the direction of a qualified registered Georgia geotechnical engineer (PE).</li> <li>□ Existing facility.</li> <li>□ Project must comply with the Water Quality requirements of the CWA-NPDES-NPS Permit and</li> </ul>
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Water Quality/Quantity contributions of the existing lake/pond on site must be continued as baseline conditions into proposed project.  Calculate and provide % impervious of project site.  Revisit design; reduce pavement area to reduce runoff and pollution.
INSUFFICIENT INFORMATION
No Stormwater controls shown  Copy of survey is not current − Additional comments may be forthcoming when current site conditions are exposed.  No site improvements showing on exhibit.

## ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

- of-way to the east. The site is located to the east of Canton Road. The entire site drains to the existing railroad right-
- 5 will be required. accommodate all future improvements to both tracts or two separate facilities (one for each tract) Although not indicated on the site plan, either a master stormwater management facility that would

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# TRANSPORTATION COMMENTS

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

Canton Road	ROADWAY
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29700	AVERAGE DAILY TRIPS
Arterial	ROADWAY CLASSIFICATION
45	SPEED LIMIT
Cobb	JURISDICTIONAL CONTROL
100'	MIN. R.O.W. REQUIREMENTS

Based on [2011] traffic counting data taken by Cobb County DOT

# COMMENTS AND OBSERVATIONS

right-of-way meets the minimum requirements for this classification. Canton Road is classified as an arterial and according to the available information the existing

## RECOMMENDATIONS

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

Recommend addition of sidewalks along Canton Road and Powell Wright Road frontage

approval. Recommend Canton Road access be determined at plan review, subject to the Department's

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## STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

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- Þ of the use and development of adjacent and nearby properties. It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal will permit a use that is not suitable in view commercial and residential. The area contains a mixture of
- ᄧ current use of the property. usability of adjacent or nearby property. The applicant's proposal would be consistent with the It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal will not have an adverse affect on the
- $\Omega$ opinion can be supported by the departmental comments contained in this analysis. an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools. This It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal will not result in a use which would cause
- D. Road where certain design guidelines have been devised to "encourage an improved sense-of-place." activity center." Also, the subject property lies within that area identified by the Plan along Canton structure or use that is considered a nonconforming use given its delineation as a neighborhood a zoning district that is not consistent with neighborhood activity centers" and that contain "existing specialized contractor use per the NRC code section allowing special exceptions that "currently have most beneficial to the applicant in allowing future development as well as current expansion of the "higher intensity uses and adjacent residential areas." Therefore, the deletion to the NRC district is It is Staff's opinion that the applicant's rezoning proposal is not in conformity with the policy and intent of the *Cobb County Comprehensive Plan*. The *Plan* identifies this property as being within a NAC neighborhood activity center. Moreover, it calls for a "transition in land use types"
- Ħ under the NRC district Code. by the Plan and allow the continuance of the use of specialized contractor as a special exception The NRC district would provide for those uses best suited to this area of Canton Road as identified warranted and the NRC district would be in accordance with the Cobb County Comprehensive Plan. neighborhood retail commercial district. A rezoning for the purpose of commercial development is of the property which give supporting grounds for deleting the applicant's rezoning proposal to NRC It is Staff's opinion that there are existing and changing conditions affecting the use and development

Based on the above analysis, Staff recommends DELETION TO NRC subject to the following conditions:

- allowance of a "contractor without heavy equipment" as a permitted use;
- the Canton Road Design Guidelines; all new development, including additions to existing buildings, to follow all applicable aspects of
- security lighting to be environmentally sensitive and designed so as to contain light on site;
- security lighting to be environmentally sensitive an
   Fire Department comments and recommendations;
- Water and Sewer comments and recommendations;
- Stormwater Management comments and recommendations;
- Department of Transportation comments and recommendations; and
- Planning Division comments and recommendations.

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



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PC Hearing Date: 4-7-8
BOC Hearing Date: 4-21-15

# **Summary of Intent for Rezoning**

D. 4.1	Davidor	Part 1 Decidential Degening Information (attach additional information if needed)
	<b>a</b> )	Proposed unit square-footage(s): N/A
	<b>5</b>	N/A
	င	Proposed selling prices(s): NA
	<b>e</b>	
Part 2.	Non-re	Part 2. Non-residential Rezoning Information (attach additional information if needed)
	<b>a</b> )	Proposed use(s):
	<b>b</b> )	Proposed building architecture:
	္	Proposed hours/days of operation:
	٥	List all requested variances:
Part	3. Othe	Part 3. Other Pertinent Information (List or attach additional information if needed)
		None
Part 4	. Is any	Part 4. Is any of the property included on the proposed site plan owned by the Local, State, or Federal Government?
	Please	(Please_list_all Right-of-Ways, Government owned lots, County owned parcels and/or remnants, etc., and attach a
	plat cle	plat clearly showing where these properties are located). NO
Part 5	. Is this	Part 5. Is this application a result of a Code Enforcement action? No 🗡 ;Yes(If yes, attach a copy of the
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	Applic	Applicant signature: mass with both Date: 12/3/2014
	Applic	Applicant name (printed): Timen da Nawkutt



To:

Cobb County Zoning Division 1150 Powder Springs Street Suite 400 Marietta, GA 30064



Date: 2/04/2015

Re:

Rezoning Application 2218 Canton Road Marietta, GA 30066

## To Whom it May Concern:

piece of property comprised of four smaller tracts to be combined. Canton Road, Marietta, Georgia from R-15/GC (a retired zoning) to CRC. The existing site is a 2.80 acre We are providing this letter of analysis regarding the impact from rezoning the property located at 2218

area and there will be no adverse affect to the adjacent property. to the property. An overall survey plan has been provided to show the commercial development in the The proposed zoning will permit a use that fits with the existing development in the area and adjacent

viable commercial businesses to develop. expansion of the current Casteel Heating and Air Business and providing the needed zoning for other The proposed zoning will have a positive economic impact for the property, allowing for possible

No excessive burden would be expected from the proposed zoning.

The traffic impact on existing streets would be the same.

No adverse impact on utilities or schools is expected

We would like to propose the following stipulations:

- in their combined configuration, respectively as development is proposed on each tract. Development shall follow the Canton Road Guidelines and be imposed on Tract 1 and Tract 2,
- time Tract 2 seeks a Land Development Permit. Access via Canton Highway with the required deceleration lane shall be completed at the



- 3. The existing ground sign serving the current Casteel Heating and Air Location shall be allowed to convert to a digital sign at the time of expansion.
- in lieu of additional buffer area. 4. The existing 30-foot set-back along the current L & N Rail Road shall remain intact as a buffer

The zoning proposed is in conformity with the policy and intent of the land-use plan. The existing site lends itself to redevelopment as proposed with no new utility connections required or major site work

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to call me anytime at 404-285-1124.

Sincerely,

Amanda K, Woodruff, P.E.