JULY 20, 2010 ZONING HEARING "OTHER BUSINESS" COMMISSION DISTRICT 2

<u>ITEM # 2</u>

PURPOSE

To consider a site plan amendment for Atlanta Signature Homes, Inc., regarding application Z-71 and Z-148 (Atlanta Real Estate Acquisitions, LLC) of 2006, for property located on the east side of Maner Street, north of Cooper Lake Road in Land Lot 694 of the 17th District.

BACKGROUND

The subject property is zoned RA-5, which was rezoned with many stipulations. One of the stipulations zoned the property to the site plan with the District Commissioner approving the final plan. The rezoning plan and final plan showed 25 foot front setbacks for the lots on Maner Street. Community Development has been approached by a new builder, Atlanta Signature Homes (ASH), who is currently building houses at the corner of Maner Street and Cooper Lake Road. ASH is developing under a different RA-5 zoning case (The Pacific Group) approved site plan. The Pacific Group approved plan showed the front setback as 20 feet from the curb. ASH would like to buy the Z-71/Z-148 lots, but would like to reduce the front setback by 9.25 feet, so the houses on Maner Street line up at 20 feet from behind the curb. All other conditions would remain in effect. The developer with ASH is amenable to add the front setback reduction to the rear setback so there is not an increase in buildable area. If approved, all other zoning stipulations would remain in effect. The Board of Commissioners' decision is attached (see Exhibit A). The proposal has been submitted to Staff to review, which have no comments. This amendment would affect lots 7 - 12 on the attached plat (Exhibit B).

FUNDING

N/A

RECOMMENDATION

The Board of Commissioners consider the proposed site plan amendment.

ATTACHMENTS

Zoning stipulations (Exhibit A)
Plat (Exhibit B)
Other Business Application (Exhibit C)

| PAGE4 OF14 | APPLICATION NO. Z | -148 |
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| ORIGINAL DATE OF APPLICATION: | 10-17-06 | Other Business #2 Exhibit A |
| APPLICANTS NAME: ATLANTA | REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIO | |

THE FOLLOWING REPRESENTS THE FINAL DECISIONS OF THE COBB COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

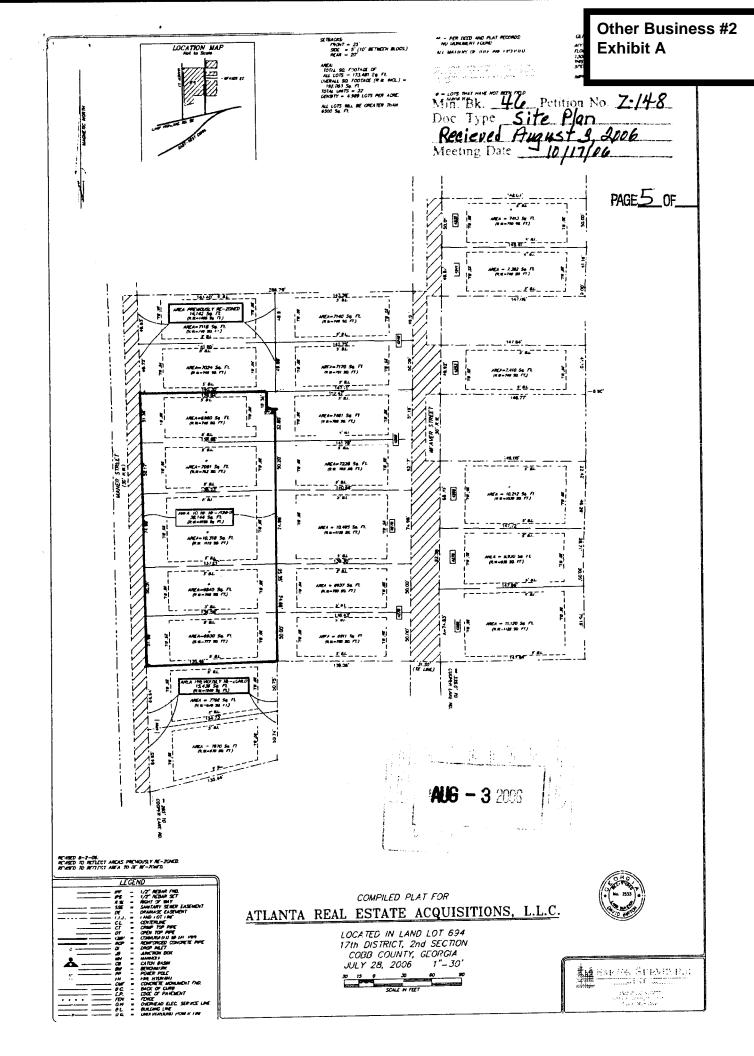
BOC DECISION OF 10-17-06 ZONING HEARING:

ATLANTA REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS, LLC (William B. C. Vinson and Ella Mae Buroughs, owners) requesting Rezoning from R-20 to RA-5 for the purpose of an Addition of Property to a Previously Approved Project in Land Lot 694 of the 17th District. Located on the east side of Maner Street, north of Cooper Lake Road.

MOTION: Motion by Lee, second by Goreham, as part of the Consent Agenda, to **approve** rezoning to the **RA-5** zoning district **subject to**:

- site plan received by the Zoning Division August 3, 2006, with the District Commissioner approving minor modifications (copy attached and made a part of these minutes)
- letter of agreeable stipulations from Mr. Parks Huff, dated October 3, 2006 (copy attached and made a part of these minutes)
- all previous zoning stipulations of Z-71 of 2006, Exhibit A (copy attached and made a part of these minutes)
- Fire Department comments and recommendations
- Water and Sewer Division comments and recommendations
- Stormwater Management Division comments and recommendations
- Cobb DOT comments and recommendations
- owner/developer to enter into a Development Agreement pursuant to O.C.G.A. §36-71-13 for dedication of system improvements to mitigate traffic concerns

VOTE: **ADOPTED** unanimously



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Meeting Date 10/17/2006

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October 3, 2006

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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. John P. Pederson, Planner III Cobb County Zoning Department 191 Lawrence Street, Suite 300 Marietta, Georgia 30060-1661

Re:

Application of Atlanta Real Estate Acquisitions, LLC to Rezone a .875 Acre Tract from R-20 to RA-5, Land Lot 694, 17th District, 2nd Section, Cobb County, Georgia. (Z-148).

Dear John:

As you know, I represent Atlanta Real Estate Acquisitions in the above-styled rezoning application. The application will be heard by the Planning Commission on October 3, 2006 and thereafter by the Board of Commissioners on October 17, 2006. This rezoning application is adding additional property and additional lots to an already approved RA-5 development known as Z-71 (2006). The applicant proposes to add an additional .875 acres to the development and an additional five lots.

- 1. The applicant and property owners will add an additional five (5) lots on the .875 acres to the already approved (17) homes on the 3.44 acre tract known as Z-71 (2006). The properties owned by this applicant will be developed as one unified development. The development shall include a mandatory homeowners association.
- 2. The homes shall have a consistent architecture and the exterior siding shall include materials such as architectural shingles, stack stone, hard-coat stucco, brick and cement-based board siding. The homes will have a minimum of a two car garage and shall have a minimum of 2,500 square feet of heated and cooled living area. Other architectural details include:

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- a. A minimum of 9 foot ceilings on all floors
- b. Crown Moldings on the first floor.
- c. Ceramic or marble tiles in all bathrooms.
- d. Hard surface countertops such as marble or granite.
- e. Upgraded insulated windows and doors.
- f. Architectural roof shingles.
- g. Zoned mechanical systems.
- h. The first floor shall have hardwood flooring throughout the main living areas.
- 3. The lots will be no less than 50 feet in width at the building line. The side setbacks will be as shown on the plat prepared by Barton Surveying dated July 28, 2006, with a minimum of 15 feet between buildings.
- 4. The lots will be a minimum of 6,500 square feet as shown on the above-described Barton Surveying Plat.
- 5. The county will be making improvements to Weaver and Maner Streets. The improvements include sidewalks, curbs, gutters, street lanes of nine feet, and stormwater management. The applicant agrees to make a contribution to the county of \$8,000 per lot which represents the proportional share of the cost of these improvements. The payments are to be made prior to obtaining a building permit for each lot. The applicant will also dedicate sufficient right of way to create a 50 foot right of way provided the lot size is determined prior to this dedication of additional right of way.
- 6. The applicant with the assistance of the county arborist will implement a tree save plan that will incorporate a tree save area encompassing the back ten feet (10') of each lot. This area will remain undisturbed during construction to save existing trees with the addition of understory plantings consistent with an arborist plan. Applicant agrees to install a tree save fence in the back 10 feet of property prior to any development work including demolition work. In those areas where there

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aren't existing trees, the applicant will plant two specimen shade trees on the back of each lot in addition to the understory plantings. The applicant agrees to walk the site with a representative of the WVCA. The applicant will attempt to save as many trees as possible provided such trees do not impact the construction or cause the loss of any lot. The applicant agrees that there shall be no negative stormwater effects to Paces Green subdivision.

- 7. When a house is vacated, the owner will immediately place a no trespassing sign on the property and will board the house within 30 days. Any house on the subject property shall be demolished within 90 days of the property being vacated.
- 8. All septic tanks will be pumped out by a plumbing company before grading the lots. The septic tanks shall be removed prior to the granting of the demolition permit.
- 9. The applicant agrees to the Noise Ordinance being incorporated in the zoning approval.
- 10. The zoning will be site plan specific consistent with the Barton Surveying zoning plat dated July 28, 2006 with minor modifications to be approved by the district commissioner.

Please contact me if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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cc: Members, Cobb County Planning Commission

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Members, Cobb County Board of Commissioners – VIA Hand Delivery

Ms. Gail K. Huff, Assistant County Clerk –VIA Hand Delivery

Ms. Karen King, Deputy County Clerk – VIA Hand Delivery

Mr. Bryan L. Starr, Dubose Paces Ferry, Ltd. - VIA Email

Mrs. Suzanne Ballew, VIA Email

Mrs. Dottie Bishop, County Attorney – VIA Hand Delivery

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ATLANTA REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS, LLC (Atlanta Real Estate Acquisitions, LLC, Helen M. Ishii, Real Answer Investments, LLC, RFL Family Partnership, LLLP and Roy and Patricia Parker, owners) requesting Rezoning from R-20 and GC to RA-5 for the purpose of a Subdivision in Land Lot 694 of the 17th District. Located on the east and west sides of Weaver Street and on the east side of Maner Street, north of Cooper Lake Road.

The public hearing was opened and Mr. Parks Huff, Ms. Suzanne Ballewand Ms. Mary Rose Barnes addressed the Board. Following discussion and presentations, the following motion was made:

MOTION: Motion by Thompson, second by Lee to <u>approve</u> rezoning to the RA-5 zoning district subject to:

- site plan received June 20, 2006, District Commissioner to approve final site plan (copy attached and made a part of these minutes)
- revised letter of agreeable stipulations from Mr. Parks Huff, dated June 16, 2006 with the following addition (copy attached and made a part of these minutes):
 - > Paragraph 7: Add sentence to read: "Include sidewalks, curbs, gutters and street widened to 9 foot lanes."
- letter from Larry Freeman dated June 16, 2006 (copy attached and made a part of these minutes)
- letter from Ms. Helen Ishii dated June 16, 2006 (copy attached and made a part of these minutes)
- letter from Ms. Debbie Cooke dated June 16, 2006 (copy attached and made a part of these minutes)
- mandatory homeowners association; residents on Weaver and Maner Streets to be encouraged to join
- tree save area be created along the rear property line
- sidewalks along streets be designed to save trees
- one traffic lane to remain open at all times during construction
- compliance with the noise ordinance during construction
- Fire Department comments
- Water and Sewer Division comments and recommendations
- · Stormwater Management Division comments and approval
- · Cobb DOT comments and recommendations
- owner/developer to enter into a Development Agreement pursuant to O.C.G.A. §36-71-13 for dedication of system improvements to mitigate traffic concerns

VOTE: ADOPTED unanimously

Clerk's Note: Staff directed to provide advanced written notice to property owners of road widening improvements.

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June 16, 2006

VIA HAND DELIVERY- REVISED

Mr. John P. Pederson, Planner III Cobb County Zoning Department 191 Lawrence Street, Suite 300 Marietta, Georgia 30060-1661 Min. Bk. 42 Petition No. 2-71

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Re:

Application of Atlanta Real Estate Acquisitions, LLC to Rezone a 3.44 Acre Tract from GC and R-20 to RA-5. Land Lot 694, 17th District, 2nd Section, Cobb County, Georgia. (Z-71).

Dear John:

As you know, I represent Atlanta Real Estate Acquisitions in the above-styled rezoning application. The application was heard by the Planning Commission on June 6, 2006 and will be before the Board of Commissioners on June 20, 2006. Subsequent to the Planning Commission meeting, the applicant has continued a dialogue with the community and county staff. Following is a list of stipulations that my client will agree to becoming a condition on the rezoning approval. The property owners have agreed to these conditions also and their agreement is reflected in the application.

- 1. The applicant and property owners will build seventeen (17) custom homes on the 3.44 acre tract (including existing right-of-way) yielding a density of approximately 4.944 units per acre.
- 2. The homes shall have a consistent architecture and the exterior siding shall include materials such as architectural shingles, stack stone, hard-coat stucco, brick and cement-based board siding. The homes will have a minimum of a two car garage and shall have a minimum of 2,500 square feet of heated and cooled living area. Other architectural details include:
 - a. A minimum of 9 foot ceilings on all floors.

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- b. Crown Moldings on the first floor.
- c. Ceramic tiles in all bathrooms.
- Hard surface countertops such as marble or granite.
- e. Upgraded insulated windows and doors.
- f. Architectural roof shingles.
- g. Zoned mechanical systems.
- h. The first floor shall have hardwood flooring throughout the main living areas.
- 3. The lots will be no less than 50 feet in width at the building line, except as shown on the plat prepared by Barton Surveying dated February 22, 2006. The side setbacks will be as shown on the plat with a minimum of 15 feet between buildings.
- 4. The lots will be a minimum of 7,000 square feet except as shown on the February 22, 2006 Barton Surveying Plat which shows two lots being greater than 6,900 square feet. If the developer acquires additional property the lot lines will be shifted to make all the lots 7,000 square feet where possible.
- 5. The applicant will extend sewer down Weaver Street and shall dedicate the sewer improvements to the County.
- 6. The development will comply with the stormwater comments.
- 7. The County will be making improvements to Weaver and Maner Streets. The applicant and owners agree to make a contribution to the county of \$8,000 per lot which represents a proportional share of the cost of these improvements. The payments are to be made prior to obtaining a building permit for each lot. The applicant and owners will also dedicate sufficient right-of-way to create a 50 foot right-of-way provided the lot size is determined prior to this voluntary dedication of additional right-of-way.
- 8. The applicant and owners with the assistance of the county arborist will implement a tree save plan that will incorporate a tree save area encompassing the

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back ten feet (10') of each lot. This area will remain undisturbed during construction to save existing trees with the addition of understory plantings consistent with an arborist plan. In those areas where there aren't existing trees, the applicant will plant two specimen shade trees on the back of each lot in addition to the understory plantings.

- 9. When a house is vacated, the owner will immediately place a no trespassing sign on the property and will board the house within 30 days.
- 10. All septic tanks will be pumped out by a plumbing company before grading the lots.
- 11. The applicant agrees to the Noise Ordinance being incorporated in the zoning approval.
- 12. The zoning will be site plan specific consistent with the Barton Surveying zoning plat dated February 22, 2006 with minor modifications to be approved by the district commissioner.

Please contact me if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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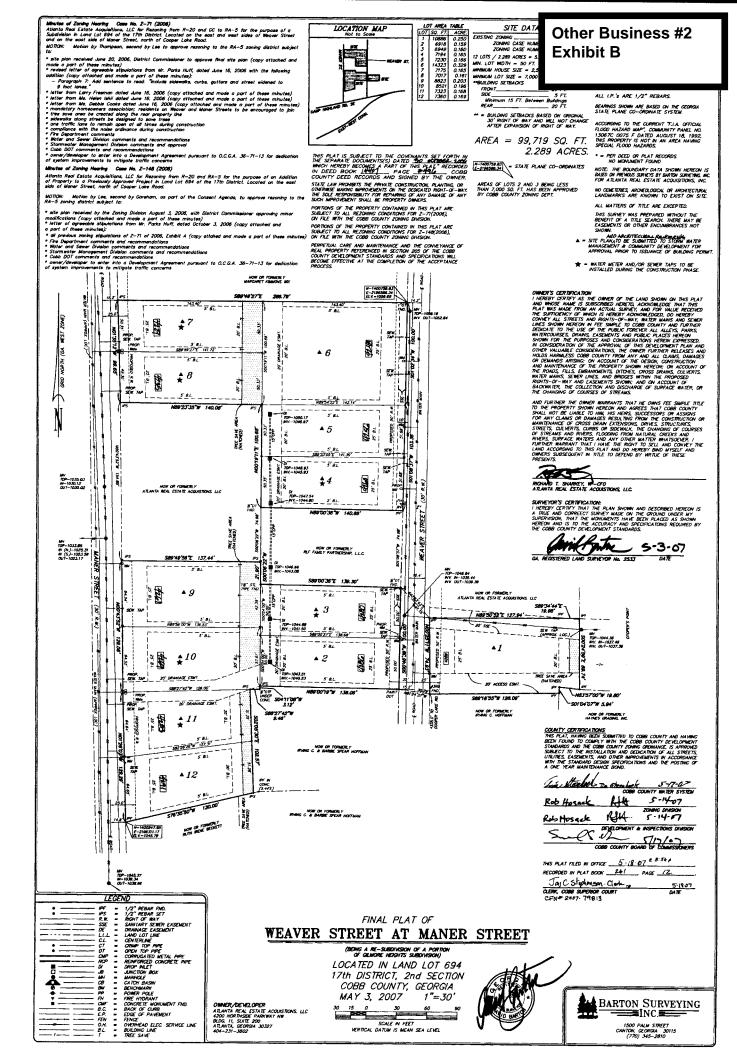
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Note: See Zoning File Z-71 of 2006 for the County department comments and complete text of the Freeman, Ishii, Cooke letters of stipulations (which mirror Mr. Huff's letter of June 16, 2006).



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