

PETITION NO: APPLICANT: Brooks Chadwick Capital, LLC Z-42 404-281-4554 \_\_\_\_\_ **HEARING DATE (PC):** 10-02-12 REPRESENTATIVE: Moore Ingram Johnson & Steele, LLP **HEARING DATE (BOC):** 10-16-12 John H. Moore 770-429-1499 **PRESENT ZONING:** R-20, PSC **TITLEHOLDER:** Wilce Frasier, Jr. and Carol Hindman Butler **PROPOSED ZONING:** RA-5 **PROPERTY LOCATION:** On the east side of Woodlawn Drive, PROPOSED USE: Subdivision\_\_\_\_ south of Lower Roswell Road (570 and 590 Woodlawn Drive). ACCESS TO PROPERTY: Woodlawn Drive **SIZE OF TRACT:** 6.07 acres **DISTRICT:** \_\_\_\_\_\_1 **LAND LOT(S):** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_70\_\_\_\_ PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS TO SITE: Existing single-family PARCEL(S): 17 house on each parcel TAXES: PAID X DUE \_\_\_\_\_ COMMISSION DISTRICT: 2 CONTIGUOUS ZONING/DEVELOPMENT

**NORTH:** RA-5/Woodlawn Walk Subdivision

**SOUTH:** R-20/Single-family hosue

**EAST:** CRC/Tire Store and GC/Convenience Store with Fuel Sales **WEST:** RA-4/Whitehall Subdivision and RA-4/Single-family house

OPPOSITION: NO. OPPOSED\_\_\_PETITION NO:\_\_\_\_SPOKESMAN

# PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

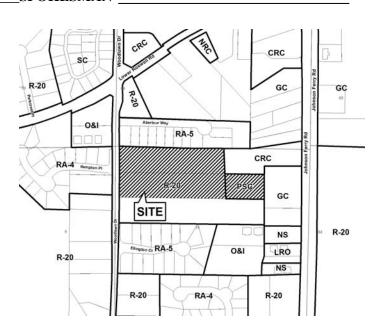
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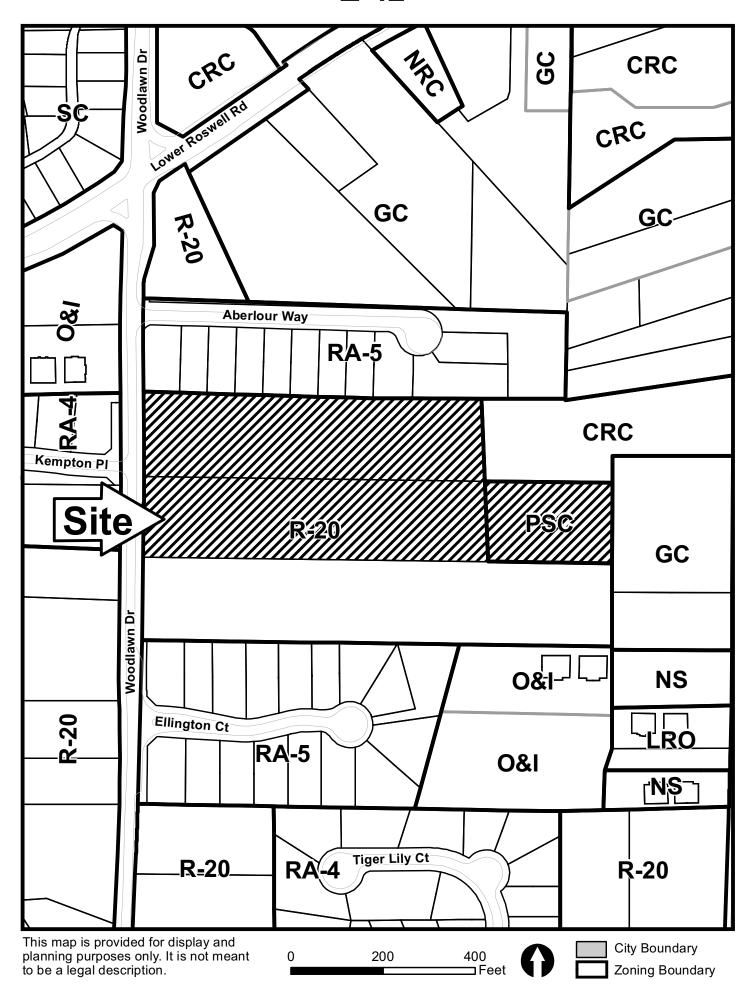
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## **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS DECISION**

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**STIPULATIONS:** 





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ZONING COMMEN	TTS: Staff Member Responsible:_	Jason A. Campbell	
Land Use Plan Recon	nmendation: Medium Density Reside	ential $(2.5 - 5)$ units per ac	ere)
<b>Proposed Number of</b>	Units: 21 Overall De	nsity: 3.19 Units	/Acre
<b>Present Zoning Woul</b>	ld Allow: <u>11</u> Units Increase of	: Unit	s/Lots
subdivision. The hous range in price from \$70	ng the RA-5 zoning category for the puses will be traditional/European and start 00,000 and greater. The road for the propontemporaneous variance to waive the expense.	at a minimum of 2,500 osed development will be	square feet and will e a public road.
to 30 feet.	-		-
	on: There is no significant impact on the Commission's Inventory Listing which is le	•	•
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	sting a rezoning from R-20 to RA-5 for pure of Woodlawn Drive, south of Lower Ros	•	The 6.07 acre site is
designation. The purpo	a Medium Density Residential (MDR) ose of the MDR category is to provide for and one-half (2.5) and five (5) dwelling un	r areas that are suitable t	•
Master Plan/Corridor Not applicable.	Study		
trench location maps,	us county historic resources surveys, historic staff finds that no known significant his er comment. No action by applicant reque	toric resources appear to	
<b>Design Guidelines</b> Is the parcel in an area	a with Design Guidelines?	■ No	
If yes, design guideline	es area		
Does the current site p  ☐ Yes ☐ No	lan comply with the design requirements? ■ Not applicable		

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# **SCHOOL COMMENTS:**

	_		<b>Number of</b>
		Capacity	Portable
Name of School	Enrollment	Status	Classrooms
Mount Bethel	989	<u>Under</u>	
Elementary Dickerson	1,207	Over	
Middle Walton	2,636	Over	

# High

## **Additional Comments:**

Approval of this petition could adversely impact the enrollment at Dickerson Middle School and Walton High School, both of which are over enrollment at this time.

## FIRE COMMENTS:

**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.

**GUEST PARKING:** When projects contemplate less than 20 foot separation between units, guest parking shall be provided or the streets shall be labeled as a fire lane.

<sup>\*</sup>School attendance zones are subject to revision at any time.

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**PRESENT ZONING** R-20

Comments:

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**WATER COMMENTS:** | NOTE: Comments reflect only what facilities were in existence at the time of this review. Available at Development: ✓ Yes No Fire Flow Test Required: Yes No Size / Location of Existing Water Main(s): 12" DI / E side of Woodlawn Drive Additional Comments: CCMWA must approve any road improvements that may impact their transmission line on E / side of Woodlawn Dr. 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 Approximate Distance to Nearest Sewer: At site along stream at eastern property line Estimated Waste Generation (in G.P.D.): 3200 Peak = 8000 A D F Treatment Plant: Sutton **✓** Available ☐ Not Available Plant Capacity: Line Capacity: ✓ Available ☐ Not Available  $\checkmark$  0 - 5 years Projected Plant Availability: 5 - 10 years over 10 years ✓ No Dry Sewers Required: Yes \*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 Proposed 20-lot subdivision 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.

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STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMMENTS	
FLOOD HAZARD: YES NO POSSIBLY	, NOT VERIFIED
DRAINAGE BASIN: Powers Creek  ☐ FEMA Designated 100 year Floodplain Flood. ☐ Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance DESIGNATED ☐ Project subject to the Cobb County Flood Damage Prev ☐ Dam Breach zone from (upstream) (onsite) lake - need	vention Ordinance Requirements.
WETLANDS: ☐ YES ☐ NO ☐ POSSIBLY, NO	Γ VERIFIED
Location: along stream and associated buffer	
☐ The Owner/Developer is responsible for obtaining any of Engineer.	required wetland permits from the U.S. Army Corps
STREAMBANK BUFFER ZONE: YES NO [	☐ POSSIBLY, NOT VERIFIED
<ul> <li>Metropolitan River Protection Area (within 2000' of buffer each side of waterway).</li> <li>Chattahoochee River Corridor Tributary Area - County</li> <li>Georgia Erosion-Sediment Control Law and County O</li> <li>Georgia DNR Variance may be required to work in 25</li> <li>County Buffer Ordinance: 50', 75', 100' or 200' each state of the control of the county of</li></ul>	review ( <u>undisturbed</u> buffer each side). rdinance - County Review/State Review. foot streambank buffers.
DOWNSTREAM CONDITION	
<ul> <li>□ Potential or Known drainage problems exist for develo</li> <li>□ Stormwater discharges must be controlled not to exc drainage system.</li> <li>□ Minimize runoff into public roads.</li> <li>□ Minimize the effect of concentrated stormwater discharded poveloper must secure any R.O.W required to receive</li> </ul>	rges onto adjacent properties.
Existing Lake Downstream  Additional BMP's for erosion sediment controls will be	e required.
<ul> <li>□ Lake Study needed to document sediment levels.</li> <li>□ Stormwater discharges through an established residenti</li> <li>□ Project engineer must evaluate the impact of increased on the receiving stream.</li> </ul>	

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

#### ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

- 1. The majority of the site, 4.29 acres, drains to the east directly to Powers Creek which flows along the eastern boundary of the site. The remainder of the site drains to the southeast to the Woodlawn Drive right-of-way. The proposed plan will direct almost the entire site to the proposed stormwater management facility located at the easternmost portion of the site adjacent to Powers Creek.
- 2. A 20-foot drainage easement will be required along the rear of lots 10-20 to ensure that all site runoff will be directed to the proposed detention pond.

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# COBB COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION RECOMMENDATIONS

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
Woodlawn Drive	5500	Minor Collector	35 mph	Cobb County	60'

Based on 2009 traffic counting data taken by Cobb County DOT (Woodlawn Drive)

## **COMMENTS AND OBSERVATIONS**

Woodlawn Drive is classified as a minor collector and according to the available information the existing right-of-way does not meet the minimum requirements for this classification.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommend applicant consider entering into a development agreement pursuant of O.C.G.A. 36-71-13 for dedication of the following system improvements to mitigate traffic concerns: a) donation of right-of-way on the east side of Woodlawn Drive, a minimum of 30' from the roadway centerline.

Recommend curb, gutter, and sidewalk along Woodlawn Drive frontage.

Recommend curb and gutter along both sides and sidewalk along one side of proposed development roadway.

Recommend a deceleration lane on Woodlawn Drive for the entrance.

Recommend applicant verify that minimum intersection sight distance is available and if it is not, implement remedial measures, subject to the Department's approval, to achieve the minimum requirement of 390 feet.

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

## 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. Other properties in the area are similarly zoned for single-family subdivisions.
- 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. Adjacent and nearby properties are also zoned for cluster single-family residential subdivisions.
- 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 Medium Density Residential (MDR) land use category with densities ranging from 2.5 to 5 units per acre. Applicant's proposal fits this scenario and actually indicates a density of 3.19 units per acre. Other similarly zoned properties have densities ranging from 2.65 to 3.3 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 requested zoning is compatible with the land use plan and the proposed density falls in the range of other similarly zoned subdivisions in the area.

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

- Amended site plan received by the Zoning Division on August 10, 2012, with the District Commissioner approving minor modifications;
- Fire Department comments and recommendations;
- Water and Sewer comments and recommendations;
- Stormwater Management comments and recommendations;
- DOT comments and recommendations; and
- 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.

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.

# Summary of Intentior Rezoning

b) Proposed building architecture: Traditional/European c) Proposed selling prices(s): \$400,00 and greater d) List all requested variances: None known at this time	a)	Proposed unit square-footage(s):	Minimum 2,500 square feet
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<sup>\*</sup>Applicant specifically reserves the right to amend any information set forth herein, or within the Application for Rezoning, at any time during the rezoning process.