

APPLICANT: Nancy Kool Martinez	PETITION NO:	Z-59
PHONE #: (678) 699-2259 EMAIL: nkool10@gmail.com	HEARING DATE (PC):	10-03-17
REPRESENTATIVE: Nancy Kool Martinez	HEARING DATE (BOC): _	10-17-17
PHONE #: (678) 699-2259 EMAIL: nkool10@gmail.com	PRESENT ZONING:	R-80
TITLEHOLDER: Nancy M. Kool		
	PROPOSED ZONING:	R-20
PROPERTY LOCATION: Northeast side of Friendship Church Road,		
south of Chatsworth Way	PROPOSED USE: Single-fa	
(1570 Friendship Church Road)		
ACCESS TO PROPERTY: Friendship Church Road	SIZE OF TRACT:	0.541 acres
	DISTRICT:	19
PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS TO SITE: Undevolped lot	LAND LOT(S):	317
	PARCEL(S):	4 (East side)
	TAXES: PAID X DU	J E
CONTIGUOUS ZONING/DEVELOPMENT	COMMISSION DISTRICT	:

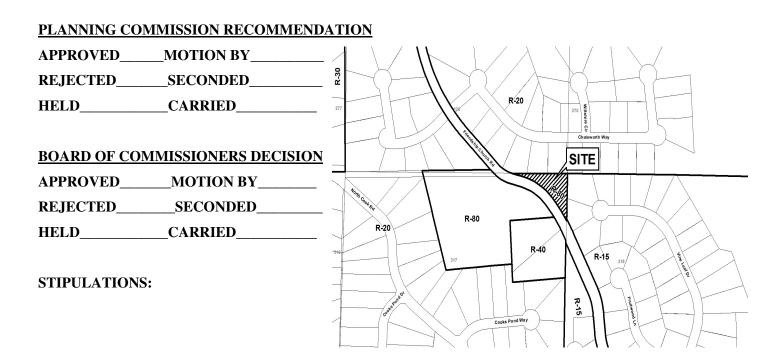
NORTH:	R-20/ Stratford Crossing Subdivision

- **SOUTH:** R-80/ Jesse Knight Subdivision
- EAST: R-15/ Greenleaf Subdivision
- WEST: R-80/ Jesse Knight Subdivision

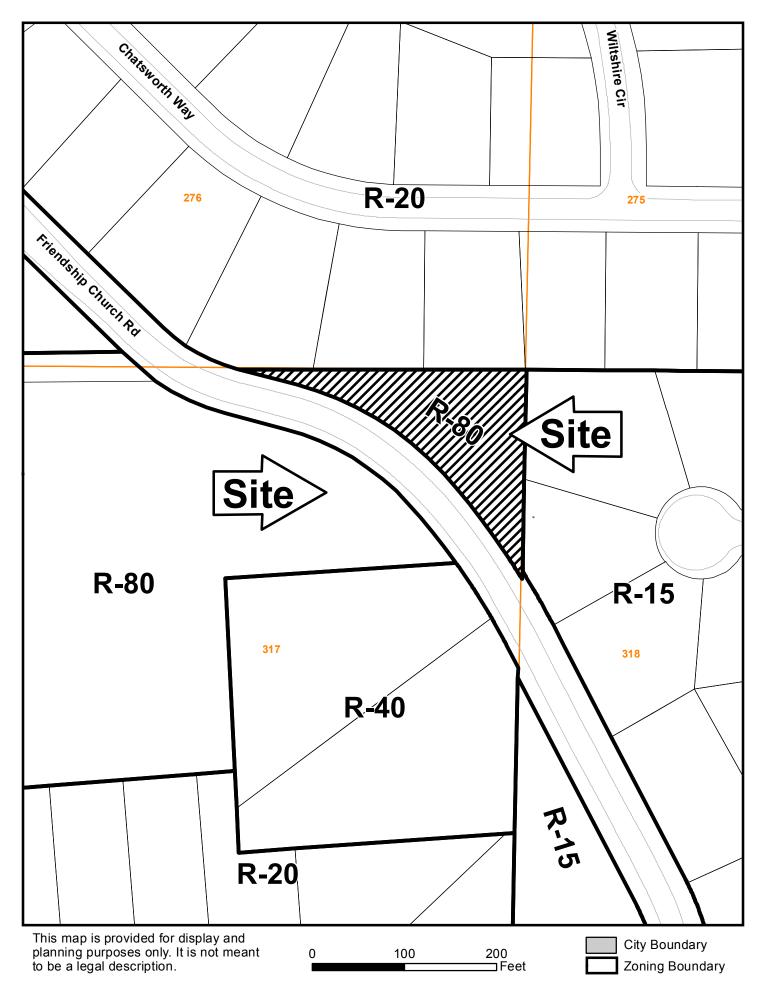
Adjacent Future Land Use:

North: Very Low Density Residential (VLDR) East: Very Low Density Residential (VLDR) Southwest: Very Low Density Residential (VLDR)

OPPOSITION: NO. OPPOSED____PETITION NO:____SPOKESMAN _____



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ZONING COMMENTS: Staff Member Res	sponsible: Donald Wells
Land Use Plan Recommendation: Very Low De	ensity Residential (0-2 units per acre)
Proposed Number of Units: _1	Overall Density: <u>1.84</u> Units/Acre
Staff estimate for allowable # of units: 0 Units* *Estimate could be higher or lower based on engineered plans t	Increase of: <u>1</u> Units/Lots taking into account topography, shape of property, utilities, roadway

natural features such as creeks, wetlands, etc., and other unforeseen circumstances.

The applicant is requesting the R-20 zoning district in order to build a single family home. The property was platted in the in 1969, and the R-80 zoning district was adopted in 1972. According to the 1969 plat, this property was considered one property with a public road splitting it. This property is well under the 80,000 square feet that R-80 requires, and the Board of Zoning Appeal cannot reduce the lot size no more than 25% than the underlying requirements. This application is required if the applicant intends to build a home on the existing lot. The applicant intends the house to be a minimum of 1,250 square feet. The applicant is not requesting any variances.

Cemetery Preservation: No comment.

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SCHOOL COMMENTS:

			Number of
		Capacity	Portable
Name of School	Enrollment	Status	Classrooms
Still	784	803	
Elementary Lovinggood	1415	1046	
Middle Hillgrove	2466	1912	

High

• School attendance zones are subject to revision at any time.

Additional Comments: Approval of this petition will not have an impact on the enrollment at Cobb County Schools.

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FIRE COMMENTS:

NO 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.

PLANNING COMMENTS:

The applicant is requesting a rezoning from R-80 to R-15 for the purpose of a single family house. The 0.541 acre site is located on the northeast side of Friendship Church Road, south of Chatsworth Way (1570 Friendship Church Road).

HB-489 Intergovernmental A	greement Zoning Amendment Notification:		
Is the application site within	one half $(1/2)$ mile of a city boundary?	\Box Yes	■ No
If yes, has the city of	been notified?	□ Yes	■ No / N/A

Comprehensive Plan

The parcel is within a Very Low Density Residential (VLDR) future land use category, with R-80 zoning designation. The purpose of the Very Low Density Residential (VLDR) category is to provide for areas that are suitable for very low density housing, particularly in locations which may not have basic services such as sewer, or where the existing or desired residential development pattern is zero to two (2) dwelling units per acre.

Specific Area Policy Guidelines:

There are no specific policy guidelines for this area in the Comprehensive Plan.

Adjacent Future Land Use:

North:	Very Low Density Residential (VLDR)
East:	Very Low Density Residential (VLDR)
Southwest:	Very Low Density Residential (VLDR)

Master Plan/Corridor Study

The property is not located within the boundary of a Plan or Corridor Study

Historic Preservation

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

<u>Design Guidelines</u>		
Is the parcel in an area with Design Guidelines?	□ Yes	■ No
If yes, design guidelines area		
Does the current site plan comply with the design r	requirements	?
Incentive Zones		
Is the property within an Opportunity Zone?	□ Yes	■ No
The Opportunity Zone is an incentive that provides	s \$3,500 tax o	credit per job in eligible areas if two or more
jobs are being created. This incentive is available f	for new or ex	isting businesses.
Is the property within an Enterprise Zone?	□ Yes	■ No

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The	Enterprise Zone is an incentive that provides tax abatements and other economic
incentives for qua	lifying businesses locating or expanding within designated areas for new jobs and capital
investments.	

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PLANNING COMMENTS:	CONT.
Is the property eligible for incentives through the Commercial Program? □ Yes ■ No The Commercial and Industrial Property Rehabilitation Progra ad valorem property taxes for qualifying redevelopment in elements	ram is an incentive that provides a reduction in
For more information on incentives, please call the Commun 770.528.2018 or find information online at <u>http://economic.cc</u>	
<u>Special Districts</u> Is this property within the Cumberland Special District #1 (he ☐ Yes ■ No	otel/motel fee)?
Is this property within the Cumberland Special District #2 (ad ☐ Yes ■ No	d valorem tax)?
Is this property within the Six Flags Special Service District? □ Yes ■ No	,
Is the property within the: Dobbins Airfield Safety Zone? CZ (Clear Zone) APZ I (Accident Potential Zone I) APZ II (Accident Potential Zone II) Noise Zone Bird / Wildlife Air Strike Hazard (BASH) area	

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WATER COMMENTS: NOTE: Comments refle	ect of	nly what facilities v	were	in ex	istence at the time of this review.
		Yes			No
Fire Flow Test Required:	✓	Yes			No
Size / Location of Existing Water Main(s): 8" D	I / S	W side of Friend	ship	Chu	rch Rd
Additional Comments:					
Developer may be required to install/upgrade water mains, based on f Review Process.	ïre flo	ow test results or Fire D)epartm	nent C	ode. This will be resolved in the Plan
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SEWER COMMENTS: NOTE: Comments re	eflec	et only what facilitie	es wei	re in	existence at the time of this review.
In Drainage Basin:	✓	Yes			No
At Development:		Yes			No
Approximate Distance to Nearest Sewer: 180'	N i	n Chatsworth Wa	ıy		
Estimated Waste Generation (in G.P.D.): A D) F=	: 160]	Peak= 400
Treatment Plant:		South	Cobl	b	
Plant Capacity:	✓	Available		Not	Available
Line Capacity:	✓	Available		Not	Available
Projected Plant Availability:	\checkmark	0 - 5 years		5 - 3	10 years over 10 years
Drv Sewers Required:		Yes	\checkmark	No	
Off-site Easements Required:	✓	Yes*		No	*If off-site easements are required, Developer must submit easements to CCWS for
Flow Test Required:		Yes	\checkmark	No	review/approval as to form and stipulations prior to the execution of easements by the
Letter of Allocation issued:		Yes	\checkmark	No	property owners. All easement acquisitions are the responsibility of the Developer
Septic Tank Recommended by this Department:	✓	Yes		No	
Subject to Health Department Approval:	✓	Yes		No	
Additional Sewer also 180' E in Vine Leaf D Comments: septic system	r w/	/easement(s). Me	ets C	CW	S minimum requiremnents for

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

Site grading plan approval by Stormwater Management required prior to permitting.

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TRANSPORTATION COMMENTS:

ROADWAY	ROADWAY CLASSIFICATION	SPEED LIMIT	JURISDICTIONAL CONTROL	MIN. R.O.W. REQUIREMENTS
Friendship Church Road	Minor Collector	35 mph	Cobb County	60'

ROADWAY	LOCATION	AVERAGE DAILY TRIPS	LEVEL OF SERVICE
Friendship Church Road	West of Kimble Drive	1,600	С

Based on 2008 traffic counting data taken by Cobb County DOT for Friendship Church Road.

Planning Level of Service based on available Average Daily Trips using GRTA guideline thresholds. Classification thresholds for LOS A and LOS B are not available for local roads from this data source.

LOS C or D is acceptable based on GDOT Design Policy Manual criteria.

COMMENTS AND OBSERVATIONS

Friendship Church Road 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 to 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 Friendship Church Road, a minimum of 30' from the roadway centerline.

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

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

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. The surrounding properties in the area are all single family and are very similar in size.
- 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. Nearby properties are zoned single family and are developed with similar densities. This request will allow the applicant to build one single family home in keeping with adjacent uses.
- 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 the property to be within the VLDR very low density residential future land use category. This category forecasts development of very low density housing between one (0) and two and one-half (2) dwelling units per acre. The request which is for a single home, calculates to a density of 1.84 units per acre, which is within that range forecasted.
- 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 applicants proposal is consistent with adjacent and nearby properties. The proposal density would be compatible with adjoining properties. Adjoining properties on this side of Friendship Church Road are zoned R-15 and R-20. Nearby properties on the other side of Friendship Church Road are zoned R-15, R-40, and R-80.

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

- 1. Proposal meet all R-15 zoning criteria;
- 2. District Commissioner approval final house elevations;
- 3. Water and Sewer Division comments and recommendations;
- 4. Stormwater Management comments and recommendations;
- 5. Department of Transportation comments and recommendations; and
- 6. 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 concern.

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

Part 1. Resid	ential Rezoning Information (attach additional information if needed)			
a)	Proposed unit square-footage(s): 1250 Square feet			
b)	Proposed building architecture: UNKnown at this time,			
	Single tomily residence			
c)	List all requested variances: <u>nove</u> available at this time <u>CEINE</u> D AUG - 3 2017			
	COBB CO. COMM. DEV. AGENCY ZONING DIVISION			
	residential Rezoning Information (attach additional information if needed)			
a)	Proposed use(s): NYA			
b)	Proposed building architecture: N (A			
c)	Proposed hours/days of operation: NIA			
d)	List all requested variances: NA			
Part 3. Otl	her Pertinent Information (List or attach additional information if needed) $N \mid A$			
(Plea	ny of the p roperty included on the proposed site plan owned by the Local, State, or Federal Government? use list all Right-of-Ways, Government owned lots, County owned parcels and/or remnants, etc., and attack clearly showing where these properties are located).			