

City of San Antonio

Agenda Memorandum

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Agenda Date: 4/19/2016

In Control: Zoning Commission

DEPARTMENT: Development Services

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Roderick Sanchez

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: 1

SUBJECT:

Zoning Case Z2016126

SUMMARY:

Current Zoning: "I-1AHOD" General Industrial Airport Hazard Overlay District

Requested Zoning: "C-3 AHOD" General Commercial Airport Hazard Overlay District

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Zoning Commission Hearing Date: April 19, 2016

Case Manager: Oscar Aguilera, Planner

Property Owner: Calios, Inc.

Applicant: Jerry Arredondo

Representative: Jerry Arredondo

Location: 3934 Fredericksburg Road

Legal Description: Lot 56, NCB 8409

Total Acreage: 0.5235

Notices Mailed

Owners of Property within 200 feet: 17

Registered Neighborhood Associations within 200 feet: Maverick Neighborhood Association.

Applicable Agencies: None

Property Details

Property History: The subject property was annexed into the City Limits on November 30, 1944 and was originally zoned "B-2" Business District. On October 4, 1979, the property was rezoned to "I-1" Light Industrial District. Upon the adoption of the 2001 Unified Development Code, the previous base zoning districts converted to "I-1" General Industrial District.

Topography: The subject property does not include any abnormal physical features such as significant slope or inclusion in a flood plain.

Adjacent Base Zoning and Land Uses

Direction: West, North

Current Base Zoning: C-3NA, C-3 R, C-2, I-1

Current Land Uses: Retail Center, Restaurant, and University.

Direction: East, South

Current Base Zoning: C-3 NA, I-1

Current Land Uses: Pluming Repair, Commercial Yard, Parking lot, Offices and Beauty Shop

Overlay and Special District Information: All surrounding properties carry the "AHOD" Airport Hazard Overlay District, due to their proximity to an airport or approach path. The "AHOD" does not restrict permitted uses, but can require additional review of construction plans by both the Development Services Department and the Federal Aviation Administration.

Transportation

Thoroughfare: Fredericksburg Road

Existing Character: Secondary Arterial Type A 86'

Proposed Changes: None known

Thoroughfare: Spencer Lane Existing Character: Local Street Proposed Changes: None known

Public Transit: VIA bus routes 520 and 95 at Fredericksburg Road and Balcones Road.

Traffic Impact: A Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) report is not required. The traffic generated by the proposed development does not exceed the threshold requirements.

Parking Information: Car Wash: Minimum vehicle parking spaces 1 per 500 sf. GFA. Maximum vehicle parking spaces 1 per 375 sf. GFA.

ISSUE:

None.

ALTERNATIVES:

Denial of the requested zoning change would result in the subject property retaining the present zoning district designation.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff Analysis and Recommendation: Staff recommends Approval.

Criteria for Review: According to Section 35-421, zoning amendments shall be based on the approval criteria below.

1. Consistency:

The subject property is located within the Near Northwest Community Plan and is currently designated as Regional Commercial in the future land use component of the plan. The requested "C-3" base zoning district is consistent with the current land use designation.

2. Adverse Impacts on Neighboring Lands:

Staff has found no evidence of likely adverse impacts on surrounding properties.

3. Suitability as Presently Zoned:

The requested "C-3" district is appropriate for the subject property. The request for "C-3" will not have any negative effects on future development, but rather provide additional services to any existing and potential development. The site location is on a Secondary Arterial Type "A" 86 feet thoroughfare and it is surrounded by similar land uses.

4. Health, Safety and Welfare:

Staff has found no indication of likely adverse effects on the public health, safety or welfare.

5. Public Policy:

The request does not appear to conflict with any public policy objective.

6. Size of Tract:

The subject property is 0.523 acres in size, which accommodates the proposed development with adequate space for parking.

7. Other Factors:

None.