Rezoning Application: 24-1297

Zoning Hearing Master Date: 12/16/2024

BOCC Land Use Meeting Date: 02/11/2025



Development Services Department

1.0 APPLICATION SUMMARY

Applicant: David Higuera

FLU Category: R-6

Service Area: Urban

Site Acreage: .48 acres

Community Plan Area: None

Overlay: None

Special District: None

Request: Rezone to RDC-6



Introduction Summary:

Request to rezone one parcel from RSC-6 to RDC-6 to allow for the construction of a duplex on the parcel. Utilities are proposed in the form of City of Tampa water.

Zoning:	Existing	Proposed
District(s)	RSC-6	RDC-6
Typical General Use(s)	Single-Family Residential Single-Family and Two-Family Re (Conventional Only) (Conventional)	
Acreage .48 (20,900 sf)		.48 (20,900 sf)
Density/Intensity 6 units per acre		6 units per acre
Mathematical Maximum*	2 units	2 units

^{*}number represents a pre-development approximation

Development Standards:	Existing	Proposed	
District(s)	RSC-6	RDC-6	
		7260 sf / 60 ft	
Lot Size / Lot Width	7,000 sf / 70 ft	For two units on one lot, minimum lot size	
		14,520 sf and minimum lot width 75 ft.	
Setbacks/Buffering and	25 ft Front	25 ft Front	
	25 ft Rear	20 ft Rear	
Screening	7.5 ft Sides	7.5 ft Sides	
Height	35 ft	35′	

Additional Information:		
PD Variation(s)	None requested as part of this application	
Waiver(s) to the Land Development Code	None	

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Planning Commission Recommendation:

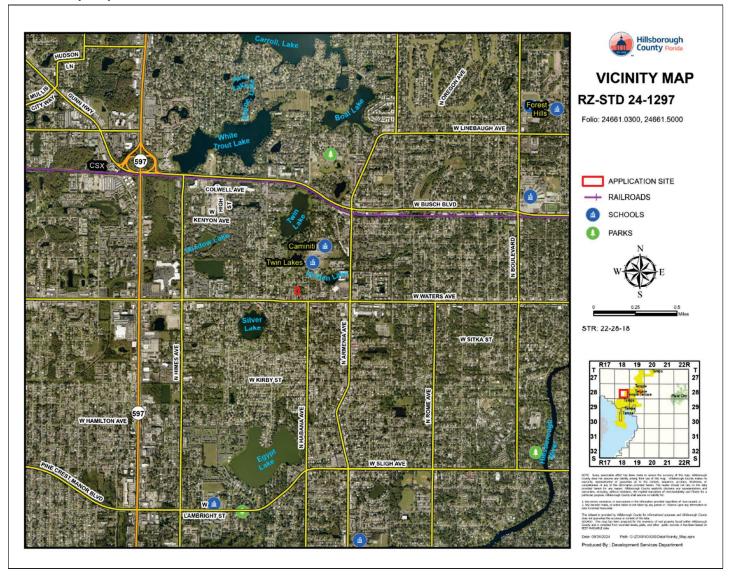
Consistent

Approvable

Development Services Recommendation:

2.0 LAND USE MAP SET AND SUMMARY DATA

2.1 Vicinity Map



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Context of Surrounding Area:

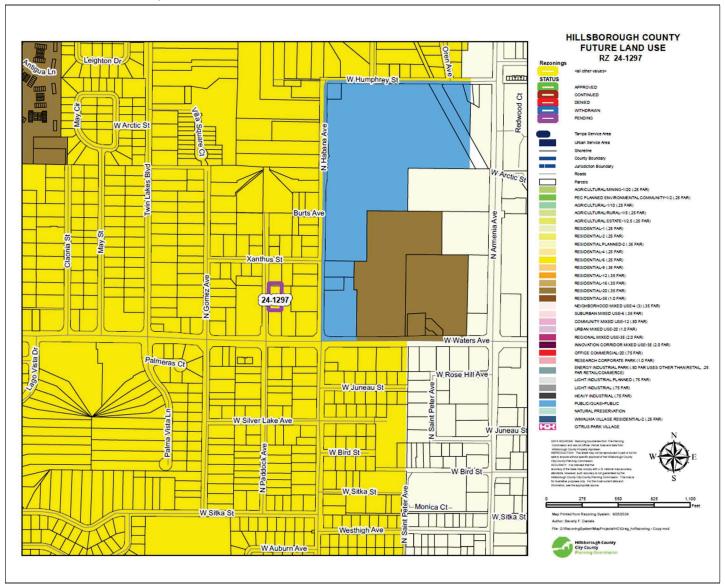
The property is located along N Paddock Ave approximately 200 ft north of W waters Ave. The property is abutting Commercial Neighborhood zoning to the south and residential single-family zoning on all other sides. The areas are predominantly single family with two pockets of duplex zoned properties within 1000 ft of the property and several multifamily zoned properties withing a mile of the property. Across N Paddock to the west is an approved NCU MHP containing a maximum of 33 spaces.

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2.0 LAND USE MAP SET AND SUMMARY DATA

2.2 Future Land Use Map



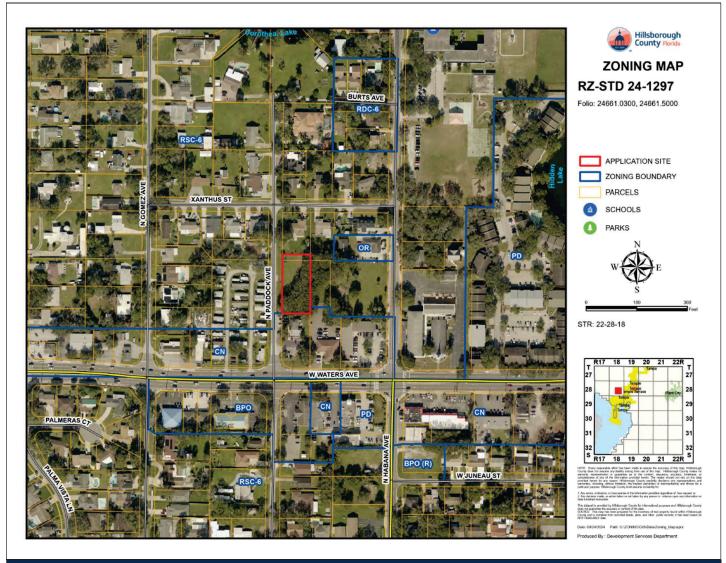
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Subject Site Future Land Use Category:	Residential-6
Maximum Density/F.A.R.:	6 DU/GA or .25 FAR
Typical Uses:	Residential

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2.0 LAND USE MAP SET AND SUMMARY DATA

2.3 Immediate Area Map



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Adjacent Zonings and Uses					
Location:	Zoning:	Maximum Density/F.A.R. Permitted by Zoning District:	Allowable Use:	Existing Use:	
North	RSC-6	6 du/ga	Single Family Residential	Single Family Conventional	
South	CN	.2 FAR	Commercial/Office	Commercial Office	
East	RSC-6	6 du/ga	Single Family Residential	Vacant Residential	
West	RSC-6	6 du/ga	Single Family Residential	NCU Mobile Home park	

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3.0 TRANSPORTATION SUMMARY (FULL TRANSPORTATION REPORT IN SECTION 9.0 OF STAFF REPORT)

Transportation Comment Sheet

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Adjoining Roadways (check if applicable)				
Road Name	Classification	Current Conditions	Select Future Improvements	
N Paddock Ave.	County Local - Rural	2 Lanes ⊠ Substandard Road □ Sufficient ROW Width	☐ Corridor Preservation Plan ☐ Site Access Improvements ☐ Substandard Road Improvements ☑ Other (TBD)	

Project Trip Generation ☐ Not applicable for this request				
	Average Annual Daily Trips	A.M. Peak Hour Trips	P.M. Peak Hour Trips	
Existing	18	1	1	
Proposed	14	1	1	
Difference (+/-)	-4	+0	+0	

^{*}Trips reported are based on net new external trips unless otherwise noted.

Project Boundary	Primary Access	Additional Connectivity/Access	Cross Access	Finding
North		Choose an item.	Choose an item.	Choose an item.
South		Choose an item.	Choose an item.	Choose an item.
East		Choose an item.	Choose an item.	Choose an item.
West		Choose an item.	Choose an item.	Choose an item.

Design Exception/Administrative Variance ⊠ Not applicable for this request				
Road Name/Nature of Request Type Finding				
	Choose an item.	Choose an item.		
	Choose an item.	Choose an item.		
Notes:				

4.0 Additional Site Information & Agency Comments Summary			
Transportation	Objections	Conditions Requested	Additional Information/Comments
 □ Design Exception/Adm. Variance Requested □ Off-Site Improvements Provided ☑ N/A 	□ Yes □N/A ⊠ No	☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A	

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4.0 ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION & AGENCY COMMENTS SUMMARY

INFORMATION/REVIEWING AGENCY					
Environmental:	Comments Received	Objections	Conditions Requested	Additional Information/Comments	
Environmental Protection Commission	⊠ Yes □ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ⊠ No	n/a	
Natural Resources	☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ⊠ No	n/a	
Conservation & Environ. Lands Mgmt.	⊠ Yes □ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	n/a	
Check if Applicable:	☐ Potable W	☐ Potable Water Wellfield Protection Area			
☐ Wetlands/Other Surface Waters	☐ Significan	t Wildlife Habitat			
☐ Use of Environmentally Sensitive Land	☐ Coastal H	igh Hazard Area			
Credit	☐ Urban/Sul	burban/Rural Scen	ic Corridor		
☐ Wellhead Protection Area	☐ Adjacent to ELAPP property				
☐ Surface Water Resource Protection Area	□ Other				
Public Facilities:	Comments Received	Objections	Conditions Requested	Additional Information/Comments	
Transportation	⊠ Vaa	│	□ Vaa		
☐ Design Exc./Adm. Variance Requested	⊠ Yes □ No	□ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	n/a	
☐ Off-site Improvements Provided					
Service Area/ Water & Wastewater					
□Urban ☑ City of Tampa	☐ Yes ☑ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	n/a	
□Rural □ City of Temple Terrace	△ NU				
Hillsborough County School Board					
Adequate □ K-5 □6-8 □9-12 □N/A	☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	n/a	
Inadequate ☐ K-5 ☐6-8 ☐9-12 ☐N/A					
Impact/Mobility Fees					
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Comprehensive Plan:	Comments Received	Findings	Conditions Requested	Additional Information/Comments	
Planning Commission					
☑ Meets Locational Criteria □ N/A	⊠ Yes	☐ Inconsistent	□ Yes		
☐ Locational Criteria Waiver Requested	□No	⊠ Consistent	□No		
☐ Minimum Density Met ☐ N/A					

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5.1 Compatibility

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The subject property totaling .48 acres is located on N Paddock ave. approximately 200 ft north of W Waters is currently zoned RSC-6. The purposed rezoning will bring additional duplex zoning to the area with contains a mixture of commercial, grandfathered Mobile Home Parks, and largely single-family homes.

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The surrounding area, directly abutting the subject property, primarily consists of single-family housing to the northeast and west with commercial neighborhood to the south. Not abutting the subject property, the area does consist of several pockets of both differing uses such as Office Residential (OR) Zoning and existing Residential Duplex Conventional 6 (RDC-6) zoning to the north, the same zoning as this request.

Due to these considerations the duplex zoning is compatible with the density and use of the area.

5.2 Recommendation

Staff find the request approvable.

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6.0 PROPOSED CONDITIONS

N/A

Zoning Administrator Sign Off:

SITE, SUBDIVISION AND BUILDING CONSTRUCTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN & BUILDING REVIEW AND APPROVAL.

J. Brian Grady

Approval of this re-zoning petition by Hillsborough County does not constitute a guarantee that the project will receive approvals/permits necessary for site development as proposed will be issued, nor does it imply that other required permits needed for site development or building construction are being waived or otherwise approved. The project will be required to comply with the Site Development Plan Review approval process in addition to obtain all necessary building permits for on-site structures.

7.0 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND/OR GRAPHICS

The subject property was two separate parcels at the inanition of the rezoning application. The merging and certification of the two parcels was recommended by staff and completed by the applicant as one of the two original parcels was too small to meet the minimum requirements for the requested zoning.

8.0 PROPOSED SITE PLAN (FULL)

N/A

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9.0 FULL TRANSPORTATION REPORT (see following pages)



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Unincorporated Hillsborough County Rezoning Consistency Review		
Hearing Date: December 16, 2024	Case Number: RZ 24-1297	
Report Prepared: December 5, 2024	Folio(s): 24661.5000, 24661.0300	
	General Location : North of Waters Avenue, west of Armenia Avenue and east of Paddock Avenue	
Comprehensive Plan Finding	CONSISTENT	
Adopted Future Land Use	Residential-6 (6 du/ga; .25 FAR)	
Service Area	Urban	
Community Plan(s)	None	
Rezoning Request	Rezone from RSC-6 to RDSC-6 to allow for the development of a duplex	
Parcel Size	+/- 0.43 acres	
Street Functional Classification	Waters Avenue – County Arterial Armenia Avenue – County Collector Paddock Avenue – Local	
Commercial Locational Criteria	N/A	
Evacuation Area	None	

Table 1: COMPARISON OF SURROUNDING PROPERTIES			
Vicinity	Future Land Use Designation	Zoning	Existing Land Use
Subject Property	Residential-6	RSC-6	Vacant
North	Residential-6	RSC-6	Single Family / Mobile Home
South	Residential-6	CN	Light Commercial
East	Residential-6	RSC-6	Light Commercial
West	Residential-6	RSC-6	Mobile Home Park

Staff Analysis of Goals, Objectives and Policies:

The 0.43 ± acre subject site is located north of Waters Avenue, west of Armenia Avenue and east of Paddock Avenue. The site is located within the Urban Service Area and is not located within a Community Plan. The applicant is requesting to rezone the subject property from Residential Single Family Conventional (RSC-6) to Residential Duplex Conventional (RDSC-6) to allow for the development of a duplex.

The site has a Future Land Use designation of Residential-6 (RES-6), which allows for consideration of up to 6.0 dwelling units per gross acre and a maximum Floor Area Ratio (FAR) of 0.25. The RES-6 Future Land Use is intended to designate areas that are suitable for residential, suburban scale neighborhood commercial, office uses, multi-purpose projects and mixed-use development. Nonresidential uses shall meet established locational criteria for specific land use.

The proposal meets the intent of Objective 1 and Policy 1.4 of the Future Land Use Element of the Comprehensive Plan (FLUE) by providing residential use within the USA where 80 percent of future growth is to be directed. The proposal meets the compatibility requirements of Policy 1.4 as the character of the area contains a wide variety of uses. The subject currently has vacant land use. Additional residential uses exist further north and west of the subject site.

Per FLUE Objective 8, the Future Land Use categories outline the maximum level of intensity or density, and range of permitted land uses allowed in each category. RES-6 allows a maximum consideration of up to 0.25 FAR, or up to 6.0 dwelling units/gross acre. Currently, on the subject site of \pm 0.43 acres (0.43 x 6)

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up to two dwelling units can be considered. Therefore, the density of the proposal is consistent with Objective 8.

The proposed rezoning meets the intent of the Neighborhood Protection Policies of FLUE Objective 16 and its accompanying Policies 16.1, 16.2, 16.3, 16.8, and 16.10 The development pattern of the surrounding area shows several residential units. The proposed rezoning would reflect a development pattern that is consistent with the character pattern of the surrounding area.

The Community Design Component (CDC) in the Future Land Use Element provides guidance on residential developments. Goal 8 encourages the preservation of existing suburban uses as viable residential alternatives to urban and rural areas. Goal 12 and Objective 12-1 seek to facilitate patterns of development that are both compatible and related to the predominate character of their surroundings. A rezoning to allow the development of a duplex would be consistent with policy direction.

The Comprehensive Plan requires that all developments meet or exceed the land development regulations in Hillsborough County (FLUE Objective 9, FLUE Policy 9.1 and FLUE Policy 9.2). At the time of uploading this report, Transportation comments located in Optix indicated that there were no objections, therefore the proposed rezoning is consistent with this policy direction.

Overall, staff find that the proposed use is an allowable use in the RES-6 and is compatible with the existing development pattern found within the surrounding area. The proposed rezoning would allow for development that is consistent with the Goals, Objectives, and Policies of the Future Land Use Element of the *Unincorporated Hillsborough County Comprehensive Plan*.

Recommendation

Based upon the above considerations and the following Goals, Objectives and Policies, Planning Commission staff finds the proposed rezoning **CONSISTENT** with the *Unincorporated Hillsborough County Comprehensive Plan subject to the conditions set by the Developmental Services Department*.

Staff Identified Goals, Objectives and Policies of the *Unincorporated Hillsborough County Comprehensive Plan* Related to the Request:

FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT

Urban Service Area (USA)

Objective 1: Hillsborough County shall pro-actively direct new growth into the urban service area with the goal that at least 80% of all population growth will occur within the USA during the planning horizon of this Plan. Within the Urban Service Area, Hillsborough County will not impede agriculture. Building permit activity and other similar measures will be used to evaluate this objective.

Policy 1.4: Compatibility is defined as the characteristics of different uses or activities or design which allow them to be located near or adjacent to each other in harmony. Some elements affecting compatibility include the following: height, scale, mass and bulk of structures, pedestrian or vehicular traffic, circulation, access and parking impacts, landscaping, lighting, noise, odor and architecture.

Compatibility does not mean "the same as." Rather, it refers to the sensitivity of development proposals in maintaining the character of existing development.

Land Use Categories

Objective 8: The Future Land Use Map will include Land Use Categories which outline the maximum level of intensity or density and range of permitted land uses allowed and planned for an area. A table of the land use categories and description of each category can be found in Appendix A.

Policy 8.1: The character of each land use category is defined by building type, residential density, functional use, and the physical composition of the land. The integration of these factors sets the general atmosphere and character of each land use category. Each category has a range of potentially permissible uses which are not exhaustive but are intended to be illustrative of the character of uses permitted within the land use designation. Not all of those potential use are routinely acceptable anywhere within that land use category.

Relationship To Land Development Regulations

Objective 9: All existing and future land development regulations shall be made consistent with the Comprehensive Plan, and all development approvals shall be consistent with those development regulations as per the timeframe provided for within Chapter 163, Florida Statutes. Whenever feasible and consistent with Comprehensive Plan policies, land development regulations shall be designed to provide flexible, alternative solutions to problems.

Policy 9.1: Each land use plan category shall have a set of zoning districts that may be permitted within that land use plan category, and development shall not be approved for zoning that is inconsistent with the plan.

Policy 9.2: Developments must meet or exceed the requirements of all land development regulations as established and adopted by Hillsborough County, the state of Florida and the federal government unless such requirements have been previously waived by those governmental bodies.

Neighborhood/Community Development

Objective 16: Neighborhood Protection The neighborhood is a functional unit of community development. There is a need to protect existing neighborhoods and communities and those that will emerge in the future. To preserve, protect and enhance neighborhoods and communities, all new development must conform to the following policies.

Policy 16.1: Established and planned neighborhoods and communities shall be protected by restricting incompatible land uses through mechanisms such as:

- a) locational criteria for the placement of non-residential uses as identified in this Plan,
- b) limiting commercial development in residential land use categories to neighborhood scale;
- c) requiring buffer areas and screening devices between unlike land uses;

Policy 16.2: Gradual transitions of intensities between different land uses shall be provided for as new development is proposed and approved, through the use of professional site planning, buffering and screening techniques and control of specific land uses.

Policy 16.3: Development and redevelopment shall be integrated with the adjacent land uses through:

- a) the creation of like uses; or
- b) creation of complementary uses; or
- c) mitigation of adverse impacts; and
- d) transportation/pedestrian connections

Policy 16.8: The overall density and lot sizes of new residential projects shall reflect the character of the surrounding area, recognizing the choice of lifestyles described in this Plan.

Policy 16.10: Any density increase shall be compatible with existing, proposed or planned surrounding development. Compatibility is defined as the characteristics of different uses or activities or design which allow them to be located near or adjacent to each other in harmony. Some elements affecting compatibility include the following: height, scale, mass and bulk of structures, pedestrian or vehicular traffic, circulation, access and parking impacts, landscaping, lighting, noise, odor and architecture. Compatibility does not mean "the same as". Rather, it refers to the sensitivity of development proposals in maintaining the character of existing development.

Community Design Component (CDC)

4.2 SUBURBAN RESIDENTIAL CHARACTER

GOAL 8: Preserve existing suburban uses as viable residential alternatives to urban and rural areas.

4.3 COMMERCIAL CHARACTER

GOAL 9: Evaluate the creation of commercial design standards in a scale and design that complements the character of the community.

Policy 9-1.2: Avoid "strip development patterns for commercial uses"

5.0 NEIGHBORHOOD LEVEL DESIGN 5.1 COMPATIBILITY

GOAL 12: Design neighborhoods which are related to the predominant character of the surroundings.

OBJECTIVE 12-1: New developments should recognize the existing community and be designed in a way that is compatible (as defined in FLUE policy 1.4) with the established character of the surrounding neighborhood.

Policy 12-1.4: Compatibility may be achieved through the utilization of site design techniques including but not limited to transitions in uses, buffering, setbacks, open space and graduated height restrictions, to

affect elements such as height, scale, mass and bulk of structures, pedestrian or vehicular traffic, circulation, access and parking impacts, landscaping, lighting, noise, odor and architecture.

7.0 SITE DESIGN

7.1 DEVELOPMENT PATTERN

GOAL 17: Develop commercial areas in a manner which enhances the County's character and ambiance.

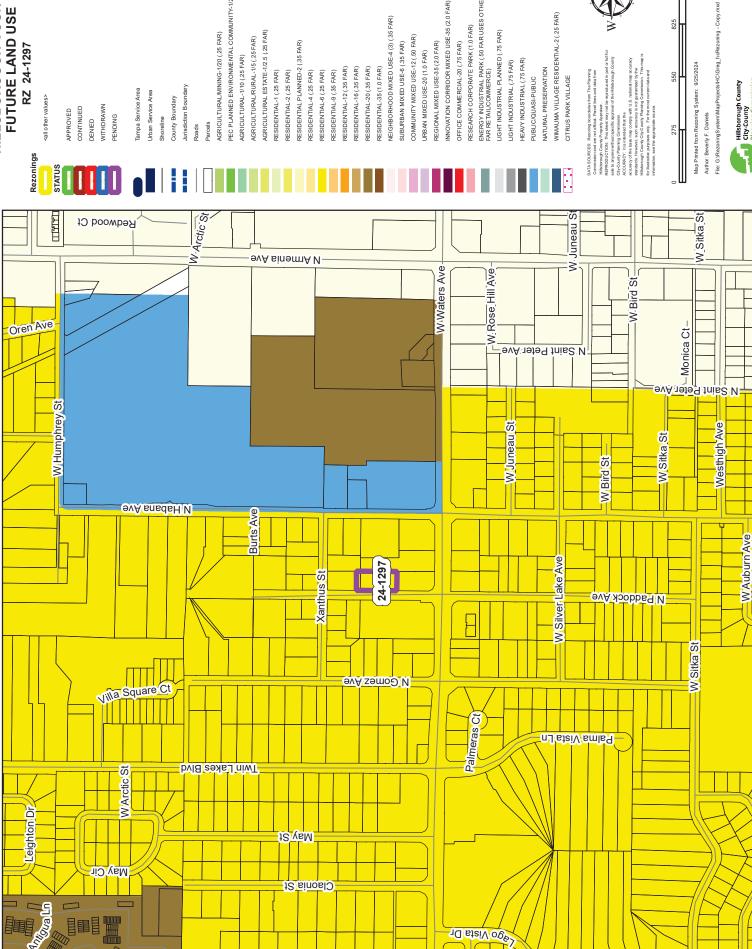
OBJECTIVE 17-1: Facilitate patterns of site development that appear purposeful and organized.

Policy 17-1.4: Affect the design of new commercial structures to provide an organized and purposeful character for the whole commercial environment.

ENVIRONMENTAL & SUSTAINABILITY SECTION

COMMERCIAL-LOCATIONAL CRITERIA

LIVABLE COMMUNITIES ELEMENT: No Community Plan



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<all other values>

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Urban Service Area

Jurisdiction Boundary County Boundary

PEC PLANNED ENVIRONMENTAL COMMUNITY-1/2 (.25 FAR) AGRICULTURAL/MINING-1/20 (.25 FAR) AGRICULTURAL-1/10 (.25 FAR)

AGRICULTURAL ESTATE-1/2.5 (.25 FAR) AGRICULTURAL/RURAL-1/5 (.25 FAR) RESIDENTIAL-1 (.25 FAR)

RESIDENTIAL-2 (.25 FAR)

RESIDENTIAL PLANNED-2 (.35 FAR) RESIDENTIAL-4 (.25 FAR)

RESIDENTIAL-6 (.25 FAR)

RESIDENTIAL-12 (.35 FAR) RESIDENTIAL-9 (.35 FAR)

RESIDENTIAL-16 (.35 FAR)

RESIDENTIAL-20 (.35 FAR)

RESIDENTIAL-35 (1.0 FAR)

NEIGHBORHOOD MIXED USE-4 (3) (.35 FAR) SUBURBAN MIXED USE-6 (.35 FAR)

COMMUNITY MIXED USE-12 (.50 FAR)

REGIONAL MIXED USE-35 (2.0 FAR) URBAN MIXED USE-20 (1.0 FAR)

RESEARCH CORPORATE PARK (1.0 FAR) OFFICE COMMERCIAL-20 (.75 FAR)

ENERGY INDUSTRIAL PARK (50 FAR USES OTHER THAN RETAIL, 25 FAR RETAIL/COMMERCE)

LIGHT INDUSTRIAL PLANNED (.75 FAR)

LIGHT INDUSTRIAL (.75 FAR)

WIMAUMA VILLAGE RESIDENTIAL-2 (.25 FAR) NATURAL PRESERVATION

CITRUS PARK VILLAGE



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