



DeKalb County Government

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1300 Commerce Drive
Decatur, Georgia 30030

Agenda Item

File ID: 2018-2456 Substitue 8/28/2018

Public Hearing: YES NO Department: Planning and Sustainability

SUBJECT:

Commission District(s): 3 & 7

Rezone – CZ-18-22025 -- Ali Ihsan & Associates

Information Contact: Marian Eisenberg

Phone Number: (404) 371-2155

PURPOSE:

To rezone property from R-75 (Single-Family Residential) to RSM (Residential Small Lot Mix) for development of six urban single-family detached homes. The property is located on the southwest corner of Midway Road and Beech Road, at 3446 Midway Road, Decatur. The property has approximately 211.29 feet of frontage on Midway Road and 210 feet on Beech Road and contains 1.1 acres.

NEED/IMPACT:

Not applicable.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION:

The zoning proposal is consistent with housing policy No. 9 of the 2035 Comprehensive Plan to "... provide a variety of housing opportunities and choices to better accommodate the needs of residents." It is also consistent with Suburban Character Area policy No. 7 that encourages infill housing to "increase neighborhood density and income diversity". The proposed development will replace a non-conforming commercial use that has become an eyesore. However, the density of development is not simply a response to the housing market: in exchange for the increase in density over the base density of four units per acre, the applicant has proposed large areas of enhanced open space. The height and compact layout of the homes on the site would be similar to the height and layout of new residences in the RSM district across Beech Drive. By adding to the variety of housing types in the neighborhood, the proposed development would accommodate people with a variety of preferences and lifestyles, thereby increasing the neighborhood's social vitality. As a corner lot, the property is automatically buffered from surrounding land uses by streets on two sides. Possible impacts on the adjoining property to the west have been reduced by locating the westernmost buildings 38 to 100 feet from the shared western property line. In addition, the applicant proposes to enhance the open space between the building and the adjoining property with trees, a walking trail, and a gazebo, thus providing a visually pleasant separation from adjoining properties. Therefore, the Department of Planning and Sustainability recommends "Approval" with conditions.

RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS – 8-16-18

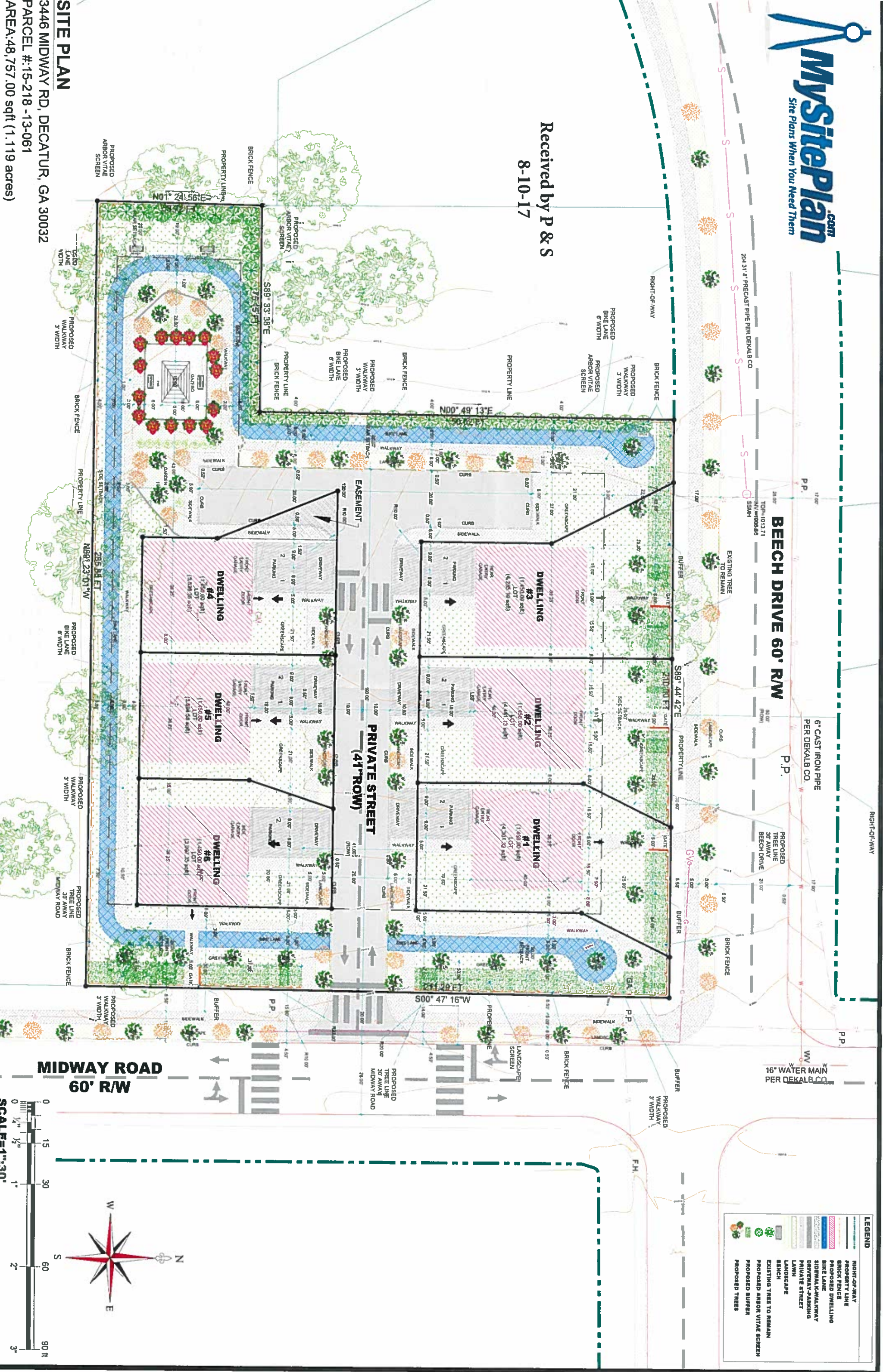
Z-18-22025

Rezoning from R-75 (Residential Medium Lot-75) to RSM (Residential Small Lot Mix)

1. The subject property shall be developed for six urban single-family detached homes in substantial conformity to the site plan titled, "Site Plan 3446 Midway Road", stamped as received by the Department of Planning and Sustainability on 8-10-18, which depicts the homes next to Midway Road and Beech Drive facing the adjoining street with walkways leading from the front doors to the adjoining street.
2. A screen shall be planted along the rear (west) property line, which shall consist of sufficient numbers of the following trees to provide a solid screen at maturity: arbor vitae, cryptomeria, or giant arbor vitae, subject to approval by the County Arborist.
3. A minimum of two benches shall be located in the enhanced open space.
4. Right-of-way shall be dedicated as required by the Transportation Division of Public Works. A bike lane shall be provided unless waived by the Board of Commissioners.
5. The houses shall be no more than two stories high.
6. The fence that surrounds the development shall be made of brick, stone, wrought iron, or aluminum that looks like wrought iron, and shall not be solid (i.e., it shall have openings that allow clear views and air flow through the fence along its entire length). Said fence shall have gates to allow passage between homes that face Midway Road and Beech Drive to the adjoining street. The fence shall otherwise comply with Article 5 of the Zoning Ordinance, Table 5.3 Fence and Wall Standards.
7. Building materials and form shall comply with Article 5.7 of the Zoning Ordinance.
8. Storm water detention shall be located so that it is not visible from either Midway Road or Beech Drive.
9. The development shall have a mandatory property owners association, in accordance with Article 5.7.6(c)(11) of the Zoning Ordinance.
10. A hydrology study shall be presented to the Board of Commissioners.

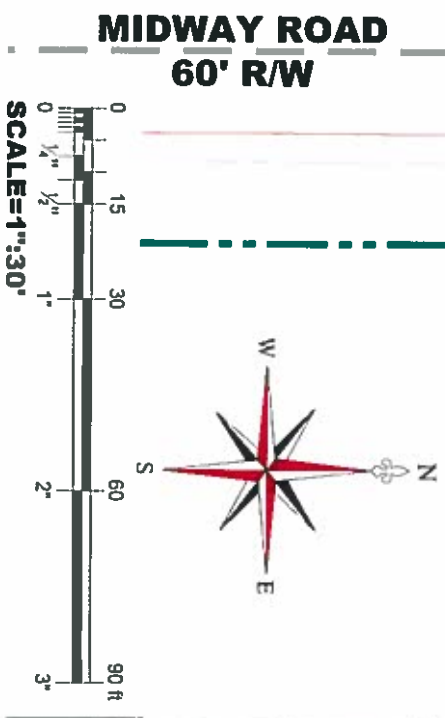
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SITE PLAN
3446 MIDWAY RD, DECATUR, GA 30032
PARCEL #: 15-218 -13-061
AREA: 48,757.00 sqft (1.119 acres)



LEGEND

- RIGHT-OF-WAY
- PROPERTY LINE
- BRICK FENCE
- PROPOSED DWELLING
- BIKE LANE
- SIDEWALK-WALKWAY
- DRIVEWAY-PARKING
- PRIVATE STREET
- LAWN
- LANDSCAPE
- BENCH
- EXISTING TREE TO REMAIN
- PROPOSED ARBOR VITAE SCREEN
- PROPOSED BUFFER
- PROPOSED TREES



MIDWAY ROAD
60' R/W

BEECH DRIVE 60' RW

PRIVATE STREET
(41' RW)

0 15 30 60 90 ft
SCALE=1"=30'



DEKALB COUNTY GOVERNMENT
 PLANNING DEPARTMENT
 DISTRIBUTION FORM

(N2)

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COMMENTS FORM:
 PUBLIC WORKS TRAFFIC ENGINEERING

Case No.: Z-18-22025 Parcel I.D. #: 15-218-13-061

Address: 3346

Midway Road
Decatur, GA

Adjacent Roadway (S):

(classification)

(classification)

Capacity (TPD) _____
 Latest Count (TPD) _____
 Hourly Capacity (VPH) _____
 Peak Hour Volume (VPH) _____
 Existing number of traffic lanes _____
 Existing right of way width _____
 Proposed number of traffic lanes _____
 Proposed right of way width _____

Capacity (TPD) _____
 Latest Count (TPD) _____
 Hourly Capacity (VPH) _____
 Peak Hour Volume (VPH) _____
 Existing number of traffic lanes _____
 Existing right of way width _____
 Proposed number of traffic lanes _____
 Proposed right of way width _____

Please provide additional information relating to the following statement.

According to studies conducted by the Institute of Traffic Engineers (ITE) 67th Edition (whichever is applicable), churches generate an average of fifteen (15) vehicle trip end (VTE) per 1,000 square feet of floor area, with an eight (8%) percent peak hour factor. Based on the above formula, the _____ square foot place of worship building would generate _____ vehicle trip ends, with approximately _____ peak hour vehicle trip ends.

Single Family residence, on the other hand, would generate ten (10) VTE's per day per dwelling unit, with a ten (10%) percent peak hour factor. Based on the above referenced formula, the _____ (Single Family Residential) District designation which allows a maximum of _____ units per acres, and the given fact that the project site is approximately _____ acres in land area, _____ daily vehicle trip end, and _____ peak hour vehicle trip end would be generated with residential development of the parcel.

COMMENTS:

Plans and field review. No problem that
would interfere with Traffic Flow.

Signature: Jerry White



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DeKalb County Department of Planning & Sustainability

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Planning Commission Hearing Date: July 10, 2018, 6:30 P.M.
Board of Commissioners Hearing Date: July 24, 2018, 6:30 P.M.
deferred from May 22, 2018
corrected 7-9-18

STAFF ANALYSIS

Case No.: Z-18-22025 **Agenda #:** D. 2
Location/Address: 3346 Midway Road, Decatur **Commission District:** 3 **Super District:** 7
Parcel ID(s): 15-218-13-061
Request: To rezone property from R-75 (Residential-Medium Lot -75) to RSM (Residential Small Lot Mix) for development of five urban single-family detached homes.
Property Owner(s): Ali Alim Ihsan
Applicant/Agent: Ali Ihsan and Associates
Acreage: 1.1 acres
Existing Land Use: An unoccupied non-residential building
Surrounding Properties: Single-family residential
Adjacent Zoning: North: RSM South: R-75 East: R-75 West: R-75 Northeast: R-75 Northwest: R-75 Southeast: R-75 Southwest: R-75
Comprehensive Plan: Suburban Consistent Inconsistent

Proposed Density: 5 units/acre	Existing Density: Not applicable
Proposed Units: 5	Existing Square Feet: 4,140
Proposed Lot Coverage: Less than 70%	Existing Lot Coverage: (estimate) 15%

SITE AND PROJECT ANALYSIS

The subject property is a 1.1-acre parcel located at the southwest corner of Midway Road and Beech Road. Midway Road is a collector and Beech Road is a local street; neither have curb or gutter. The topography of the lot slopes towards Midway Road to the east, for a distance of approximately 25 feet from the western property line, towards the adjoining property to the west, and in a southwesterly direction. A vacant, fire-damaged building occupies the property. It was formerly used as a T-shirt factory. One mature tree is growing in the buildable area of the site.

Land uses in the surrounding neighborhood are predominantly single-family residential, with the exception of two churches and an elementary school. Surrounding zoning is R-75, except for a subdivision located on the opposite side of Beech Street from the subject property, which is zoned RSM. The homes in this subdivision are two stories, unlike many of the older homes in the surrounding neighborhoods, and several of the lots are smaller than even the 9,000- to 10,000-square foot lots located nearby.

The applicant has changed the zoning proposal from eight townhome units to six single-family detached homes. Vehicular access is proposed via a central private drive with a hammerhead shape. Open space areas around the buildings are proposed to be enhanced with a walking trail, trees, and a gazebo. A six-foot wood fence is proposed to be installed 22 feet from the property lines, with an opening for the driveway.

LAND USE AND ZONING ANALYSIS

Section 27-832 of the Zoning Ordinance, "Standards and factors governing review of proposed amendments to the official zoning map" states that the following standards and factors shall govern the review of all proposed amendments to the zoning maps.

A. Whether the zoning proposal is in conformity with the policy and intent of the comprehensive plan:

At five units per acre, the proposed development is consistent with the maximum density allowed, with density bonuses, in the Suburban character area. The zoning proposal is consistent with housing policy No. 9 of the 2035 Comprehensive Plan to "... provide a variety of housing opportunities and choices to better accommodate the needs of residents." It is also consistent with Suburban Character Area policy No. 7 that encourages infill housing to "increase neighborhood density and income diversity".

B. Whether the zoning proposal will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby properties:

Residential development is suitable at a location where most of the adjoining and nearby properties are developed for residential uses. The height and compact layout of the homes on the site would be similar to the height and layout of new residences in the RSM district across Beech Drive. By adding to the variety of housing types in the neighborhood, the proposed development would accommodate people with a variety of preferences and lifestyles.

C. Whether the property to be affected by the zoning proposal has a reasonable economic use as currently zoned:

The property has economic use as currently zoned. However, this conclusion does not exclude the possibility that the proposed zoning category is suitable for the property.

D. Whether the zoning proposal will adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby property:

As a corner lot, the property is automatically buffered from surrounding land uses by streets on two sides. Possible impacts on the adjoining property to the west have been reduced by locating the proposed buildings 47.5 feet from the shared property line. In addition, the applicant proposes to enhance the open space between the building and the adjoining property with trees, a walking trail, and a gazebo, thus providing a visually pleasant separation from adjoining properties. To further separate the proposed development from the adjoining property to the west, Staff recommends that the rear property line be planted with a landscape screen.

E. **Whether there are other existing or changing conditions affecting the use and development of the property, which give supporting grounds for either approval or disapproval of the zoning proposal:**

The proposed development would replace a blighted building with a housing type that has become increasingly desirable throughout the Atlanta region. Moreover, the density of development is not simply a response to the housing market: in exchange for the increase in density over the base density of four units per acre, the applicant has proposed enhanced open space that measures at least 20% of the site.

F. **Whether the zoning proposal will adversely affect historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources:**

No historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources are located on the subject property.

G. **Whether the zoning proposal will result in a use which will or could cause an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools:**

There has been no indication from reviewing departments and agencies that the proposal will or could cause excessive use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools.

H. **Whether the zoning proposal adversely impacts the environment or surrounding natural resources:**

It is likely that construction of the homes would cause the loss of one mature tree, but new trees proposed to be planted in the open space around the buildings would more than compensate for the loss of this tree.

Compliance with District Standards:

RSM STANDARD	REQUIRED/ALLOWED	PROVIDED/PROPOSED	COMPLIANCE
MAX. D.U.s/ACRE	Base: 4; with bonuses: up to 8 d.u.s/acre	6 units/acre Density bonuses: Proximity to school: 20% = 1.8 additional units; Enhanced open space: at least 20% of the site = 2 additional units	Yes
MIN. LOT AREA	1,350 sq. ft.	2,100 sq. ft.	Yes
MIN. LOT WIDTH	25 feet	44.5	Yes
MAX. LOT COVERAGE	70% of total parcel acreage	65%	Yes
MINIMUM UNIT SIZE	1,100 sq. ft.	1,450 sq. ft.	Yes
MAX. BLDG. HEIGHT	35 ft.	32 ft.	Yes
PARKING	Min. 2 spaces per d.u.; Max 4 spaces/d.u.	2 garage spaces and 2 driveway spaces per unit	Yes

RSM STANDARD	REQUIRED/ALLOWED	PROVIDED/PROPOSED	COMPLIANCE	
BUILDING SETBACKS	FRONT	20 feet	38 feet	Yes
	INTERIOR SIDE	None; building must meet Fire Code standard	8 feet	Will be determined during building permit review.
	SIDE – CORNER LOT (for entire bldg. site)	20 feet	50 feet	Yes
REAR W/O ALLEY	Superseded by transitional buffer	Not applicable	Not applicable	
MIN. STREETSCAPE DIMENSIONS - PROPERTY FRONTAGE	5-ft. sidewalk and 6-ft. landscape strip between curb and sidewalk, and street trees 30 ft. on center or for every unit	5-foot sidewalk, 6foot landscape strip, trees approx. 20 ft. on center	Yes	
MIN. STREETSCAPE DIMENSIONS – PRIVATE DRIVE	5-ft. sidewalk and 5-ft. landscape strip between curb and sidewalk, and street trees 30 ft. on center or for every unit	5-foot sidewalk, 5 foot landscape strip, two trees every 44 feet	Yes	

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS

The zoning proposal is consistent with housing policy No. 9 of the 2035 Comprehensive Plan to "... provide a variety of housing opportunities and choices to better accommodate the needs of residents." It is also consistent with Suburban Character Area policy No. 7 that encourages infill housing to "increase neighborhood density and income diversity". The proposed development will replace a non-conforming commercial use that has become an eyesore. However, the density of development is not simply a response to the housing market: in exchange for the increase in density over the base density of four units per acre, the applicant has proposed enhanced open space over 20% of the site. The height and compact layout of the homes on the site would be similar to the height and layout of new residences in the RSM district across Beech Drive. By adding to the variety of housing types in the neighborhood, the proposed development would accommodate people with a variety of preferences and lifestyles, thereby increasing the neighborhood's social vitality. As a corner lot, the property is automatically buffered from surrounding land uses by streets on two sides. Possible impacts on the adjoining property to the west have been reduced by locating the proposed buildings 47.5 feet from the shared property line. In addition, the applicant proposes to enhance the open space between the building and the adjoining property with trees, a walking trail, and a gazebo, thus providing a visually pleasant separation from adjoining properties. To further separate the proposed development from the adjoining property to the west, Staff recommends that the rear property line be planted with a landscape screen. Therefore, the Department of Planning and Sustainability recommends "Approval" with the following conditions:

1. The subject property shall be developed in substantial conformity to the site plan titled, "Site Plan 3446 Midway Road", stamped as received by the Department of Planning and Sustainability on June 26, 2018.
2. A screen shall be planted along the rear (west) property line, which shall consist of sufficient numbers of the following trees to provide a solid screen at maturity: arbor vitae, cryptomeria, or giant arbor vitae, subject to approval by the County Arborist.

3. A pedestrian crossing strip shall be provided across the driveway to each house.
4. Right-of-way shall be dedicated as required by the Transportation Division of Public Works. A bike lane shall be provided unless waived by the Board of Commissioners.
5. The fence that surrounds the development shall be made of board or brick and iron, and shall not be solid.
6. A hydrology study shall be presented to the Board of Commissioners.

Attachments:

1. Department and Division Comments
2. Board of Health Comments
3. Board of Education Comments
4. Application
5. Site Plan
6. Zoning and Land Use Maps
7. Aerial Photograph
8. Site Photographs

NEXT STEPS

Following an approval of this zoning action, one or several of the following may be required:

- **Land Disturbance Permit** (Required for of new building construction on non-residential properties, or land disturbance/improvement such as storm water detention, paving, digging, or landscaping.)
- **Building Permit** (New construction or renovation of a building (interior or exterior) may require fill plan submittal or other documentation. Zoning, site development, watershed and health department standards will be checked for compliance.)
- **Certificate of Occupancy** (Required prior to occupation of a commercial or residential space and for use of property for a business. Floor plans may be required for certain types of occupants.)
 - **Plat Approval** (Required if any parcel is being subdivided, re-parceled, or combined. Issued "administratively"; no public hearing required.)
- **Sketch Plat Approval** (Required for the subdivision of property into three lots or more. Requires a public hearing by the Planning Commission.)
 - **Overlay Review** (Required review of development and building plans for all new construction or exterior modification of building(s) located within a designated overlay district.)
 - **Historic Preservation** (A Certificate of Appropriateness is required for any proposed changes to building exteriors or improvements to land when located within the Druid Hills or the Soapstone Geological Historic Districts. Historic Preservation Committee public hearing may be required.)
 - **Variance** (Required to seek relief from any development standards of the Zoning Ordinance. A public hearing and action by the Board of Appeals are required for most variances.)
 - **Minor Modification** (Required if there are any proposed minor changes to zoning conditions that were approved by the Board of Commissioners. The review is administrative if the changes are determined to be minor as described by Zoning Code.)
 - **Major Modification** (Required submittal of a complete zoning application for a public hearing if there are any proposed major changes to zoning conditions that were approved by the Board of Commissioner for a prior rezoning.)
 - **Business License** (Required for any business or non-residential enterprise operating in Unincorporated DeKalb County, including in-home occupations).
 - **Alcohol License** (Required permit to sell alcohol for consumption on-site or packaged for off-site consumption. Signed and sealed distance survey is required. Background checks will be performed.)

Each of the approvals and permits listed above requires submittal of application and supporting documents, and payment of fees. Please consult with the appropriate department/division.



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COMMENTS FORM:
PUBLIC WORKS TRAFFIC ENGINEERING

Case No.: Z-18-22025 Parcel I.D. #: 15-218-13-061

Address: 3346
Midway Road
Decatur, GA

Adjacent Roadway (s): _____

(classification) _____ (classification)

Capacity (TPD)	_____	Capacity (TPD)	_____
Latest Count (TPD)	_____	Latest Count (TPD)	_____
Hourly Capacity (VPH)	_____	Hourly Capacity (VPH)	_____
Peak Hour Volume (VPH)	_____	Peak Hour Volume (VPH)	_____
Existing number of traffic lanes	_____	Existing number of traffic lanes	_____
Existing right of way width	_____	Existing right of way width	_____
Proposed number of traffic lanes	_____	Proposed number of traffic lanes	_____
Proposed right of way width	_____	Proposed right of way width	_____

Please provide additional information relating to the following statement.

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Single Family residence, on the other hand, would generate ten (10) VTE's per day per dwelling unit, with a ten (10%) percent peak hour factor. Based on the above referenced formula, the _____ (Single Family Residential) District designation which allows a maximum of _____ units per acre, and the given fact that the project site is approximately _____ acres in land area, _____ daily vehicle trip end, and _____ peak hour vehicle trip end would be generated with residential development of the parcel.

COMMENTS:

PLANS AND FIELD REVIEW. NO PROBLEM THAT
WOULD INTERFERE WITH TRAFFIC FLOW.

Signature: Jerry Wlt



**DEKALB COUNTY GOVERNMENT
PLANNING DEPARTMENT
DISTRIBUTION FORM**

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**COMMENTS FORM:
PUBLIC WORKS WATER AND SEWER**

Case No.: Z-18-22025

Parcel I.D. #: 15-218-13-061

Address: 3346 Midway Road

Decatur, Georgia

WATER:

Size of existing water main: 6" AC & 16" CS Water Main (adequate/inadequate)

Distance from property to nearest main: Adjacent to Property

Size of line required, if inadequate: N/A

SEWER:

Outfall Servicing Project: Cobb Fowler Creek Basin

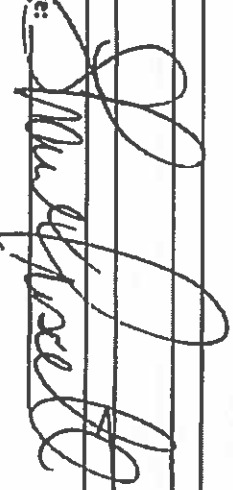
Is sewer adjacent to property: Yes (X) No () If no, distance to nearest line: _____

Water Treatment Facility: Snapfinger Creek WTF 0 adequate () Inadequate

Sewage Capacity: 1 (MGPD) Current Flow: 21.77 (MGPD)

COMMENTS:

* Please note that the sewer capacity has not been reviewed or approved for this project. A Sewer Capacity Request (SCR) must be completed and submitted for review. This can be a lengthy process and should be addressed early in the process.

Signature: 

DeKalb County School District
Zoning Review Comments

Analysis Date: 4/11/2018

Submitted to: DeKalb County

Case #: Z-18-22025
Parcel #: 15-218-13-061

Name of Development: New Midway Manor
Location: 3446 Midway Road

Description: 8 Single-family attached units replacing a vacant commercial building

Impact of Development: If approved, this development would be expected to generate only 1 student at Peachcrest ES.

Current Condition of Schools	Peachcrest				Other	
	ES	Bethune MS	Towers HS	Private Schools	DCSD Schools	Total
Capacity	1,086	1,350	1,299			
Portables	2	0	0			
Enrollment (Foct. Oct. 2018)	957	870	947			
Seats Available	129	480	352			
Utilization (%)	88.1%	64.4%	72.9%			
New students from development	1	0	0	0	0	1

New Enrollment	958	870	947
New Seats Available	128	480	352
New Utilization	88.2%	64.4%	72.9%

Yield Rates	Attend Home		Attend other		Private School	Total
	School	DCSD	School	DCSD		
Elementary	0.095519	0.049528	0.004717	0.004717		0.149764
Middle	0.031840	0.008255	0.001179	0.001179		0.041274
High	0.029481	0.017689	0.001179	0.001179		0.048349
Total	0.1568	0.0755	0.0071	0.0071		0.2394

Student Calculations

Proposed Units Unit Type Cluster	Attend Home		Attend other		Private School	Total
	School	DCSD	School	DCSD		
B						
TH						
Towers						

Units x Yield	Attend Home		Attend other		Private School	Total
	School	DCSD	School	DCSD		
Elementary	0.76	0.40	0.04	0.04		1.20
Middle	0.25	0.07	0.01	0.01		0.33
High	0.24	0.14	0.01	0.01		0.39
Total	1.25	0.61	0.06	0.06		1.92

Anticipated Students	Attend Home		Attend other		Private School	Total
	School	DCSD	School	DCSD		
Peachcrest ES	1	0	0	0		1
Bethune MS	0	0	0	0		0
Towers HS	0	0	0	0		0
Total	1	0	0	0		1

DeKalb County Board of Health
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4/16/2018

N 1 2-18-22025 2018-1854 15-218-13-061

✓ 3446 Midway Road, Decatur, GA

Amendment

- Please see general comments.
- Agenda that does not include N1 SLUP 18 22129. It has been removed from the agenda and the agenda has been re-numbered

N 2 SLUP-18-22123

2428 Moreland Avenue, Atlanta, GA

Amendment

- Please see general comments.
- Agenda that does not include N1 SLUP 18 22129. It has been removed from the agenda and the agenda has been re-numbered

N 3 2-18-22128 2018-1911 15-218-13-005,15-218-13-006,15-218-13-007,15-218-13-008

3392,3298,3402 and 3408 Midway Road, Decatur, GA

Amendment

- Please see general comments.
- Septic system installed on properties 3392 on 10/27/95, 3402 on 04/11/75 and 3408 on 8/18/82.

N 4 CZ-18-22135 2018-1856 15-179-11-001

2029 Memorial Drive, Atlanta, GA

Amendment

- Please see general comments.

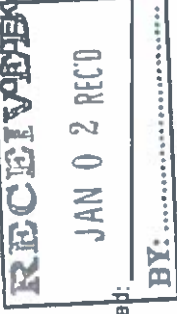


DeKalb County Department of Planning & Sustainability

Michael L. Thurmond
Chief Executive Officer

Andrew A. Baker, AICP
Director

APPLICATION TO AMEND OFFICIAL ZONING MAP DEKALB COUNTY, GEORGIA



ZIC# 18-22025
Filing Fee: _____

Date Received: _____ Application No.: _____
BY: _____
Applicant: Ali Ihsan and Associates E-Mail: ali.1977.7734@gmail.com

Applicant Mailing Address: 401 Cook Drive Ellenwood, GA 30294
Applicant Phone: 718-926-0228 Fax: NA

Owner(s): Ali Ihsan E-Mail: ali.1977.7734@gmail.com
(if more than one owner, attach as Exhibit "A")

Owner's Mailing Address: 401 Cook Drive Ellenwood, GA 30294
Owner(s) Phone: 718-926-0228 Fax: NA

Address/Location of Subject Property: 3446 Midway Road Dekalb County, GA 30032
District(s): _____ Land Lot(s): 1 Block: _____ Parcel(s): 15 216 13 061 ID

Acraage: 1.2 Commission District(s): District 7 + 3

Present Zoning Category: R-75 Proposed Zoning Category: RSM

Present Land Use Category: RL

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING BEFORE SIGNING

This form must be completed in its entirety before the Planning Department accepts it. It must include the attachments and filing fees identified on the attachments. An application, which lacks any of the required attachments, shall be determined as incomplete and shall not be accepted.

Disclosure of Campaign Contributions

In accordance with the Conflict of Interest in Zoning Act, O.C.G.A., Chapter 36-67A, the following questions must be answered:
Have you the applicant made \$250 or more in campaign contributions to a local government official within two years immediately preceding the filing of this application? Yes No

If the answer is yes, you must file a disclosure report with the governing authority of DeKalb County showing:
1. The name and official position of the local government official to whom the campaign contribution was made.
2. The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made during the two years immediately preceding the filing of this application and the date of each such contribution.

The disclosure must be filed within 10 days after the application is first filed and must be submitted to the C.E.O. and the Board of Commissioners, DeKalb County, 1300 Commerce Drive, Decatur, Ga. 30030.

330 West Ponce de Leon Avenue - Decatur, Georgia - 30030
[voice] 404.371.2155 - [Planning Fax] (404) 371-4556 [Development Fax] (404) 371-3007
Web Address: <http://www.dekalbcountyga.gov/planning>
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December 18, 2017

Dekalb County Department of Planning & Sustainability 330 West Ponce De Leon Avenue
Decatur, Georgia 30030
Project Address: 3446 Midway Road, Dekalb County 30032

IMPACT ANALYSIS

For Proposed Rezoning from R-75 to RSM for 3446 Midway Road Dekalb County 30032

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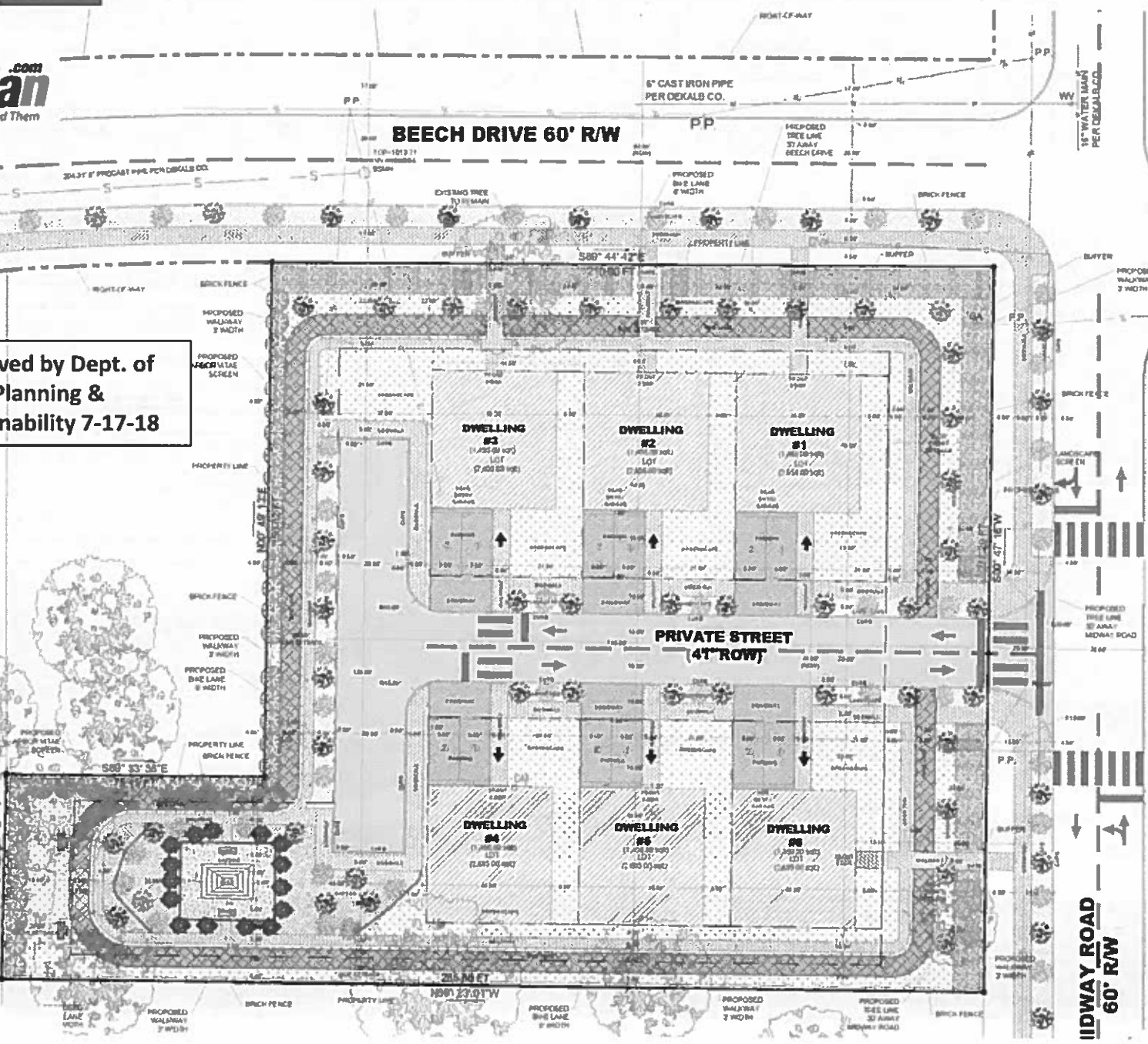
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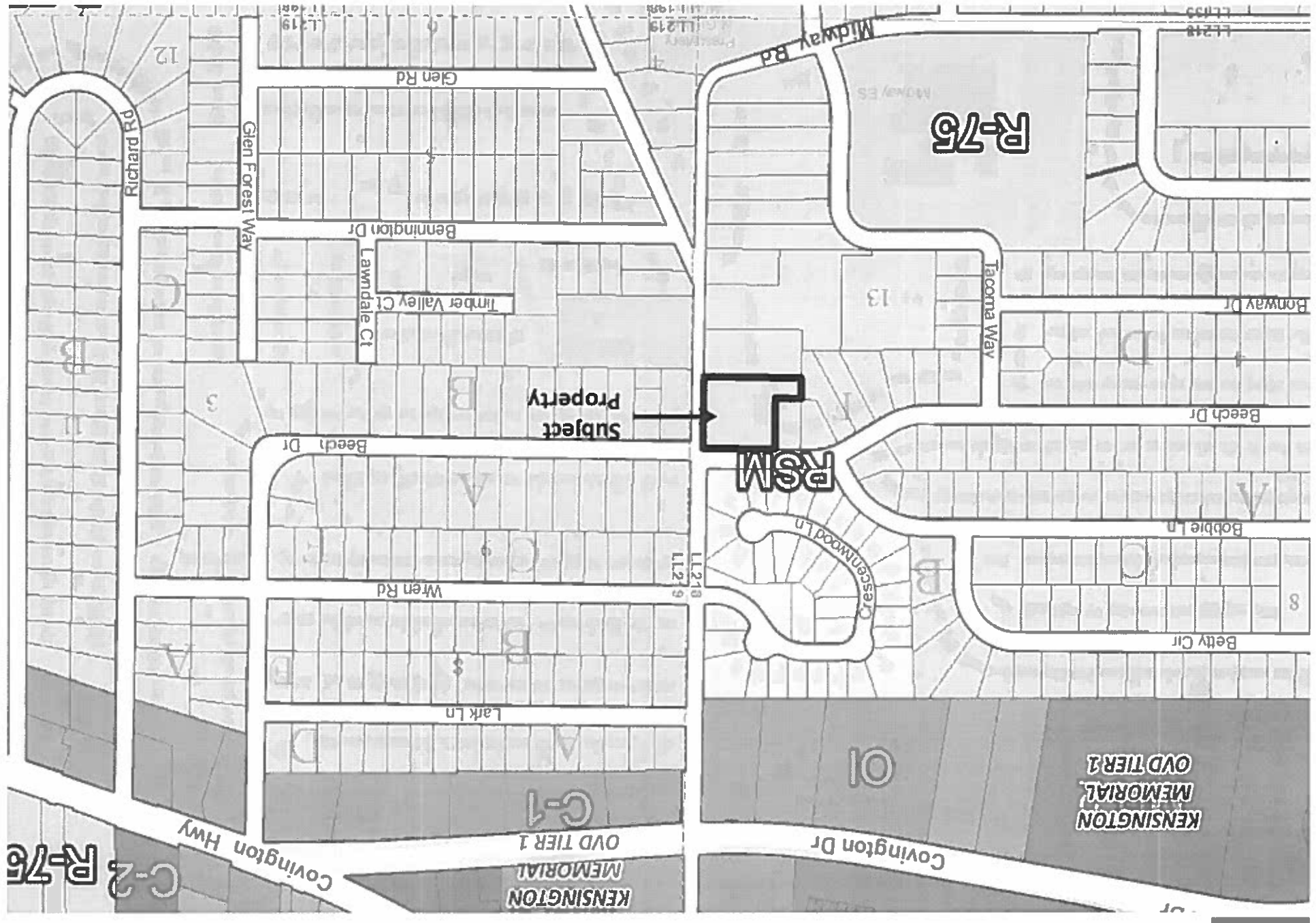
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Aerial Photo



Front and north side of subject property.



Close-up view of front of subject property.



**DEKALB COUNTY GOVERNMENT
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NOTE: PLEASE RETURN ALL COMMENTS VIA EMAIL OR FAX TO EXPEDITE THE PROCESS TO MICHELLE M ALEXANDER mmsalexander@dekalbcountyga.gov OR JOHN REID ireid@dekalbcountyga.gov

**COMMENTS FORM:
PUBLIC WORKS WATER AND SEWER**

Case No.: Z-18-22025

Parcel I.D. #: 15-218-13-061

Address: 3346 Midway Road

Decatur, Georgia

WATER:

Size of existing water main: 6" AC & 16" CS Water Main (adequate/inadequate)

Distance from property to nearest main: Adjacent to Property

Size of line required, if inadequate: N/A

SEWER:

Outfall Servicing Project: Cobb Fowler Creek Basin

Is sewer adjacent to property: Yes (X) No () If no, distance to nearest line: _____

Water Treatment Facility: Snapping Creek WTF 0 adequate () Inadequate

Sewage Capacity: * 2.77 (MGPD) Current Flow: 21.77 (MGPD)

COMMENTS:

* Please note that the sewer capacity has not been reviewed or approved for this project. A Sewer Capacity Request (SCR) must be completed and submitted for review. This can be a lengthy process and should be addressed early in the process.

Signature: _____

M. H. Ford

Submitted to: DeKalb County

Case #: Z-18-22025

Name of Development: New Midway Manor

Parcel #: 15-218-13-061

Location: 3446 Midway Road

Description: 8 Single-family attached units replacing a vacant commercial building

Impact of Development: If approved, this development would be expected to generate only 1 student at Peachcrest ES.

Current Condition of Schools	Peachcrest				Other		Total
	ES	Bethune MS	Towers HS	DCSD Schools	Private Schools		
Capacity	1,086	1,350	1,299				
Portables	2	0	0				
Enrollment (Fcsst. Oct. 2018)	957	870	947				
Seats Available	129	480	352				
Utilization (%)	88.1%	64.4%	72.9%				

New students from development 1 0 0 0 0 1

New Enrollment	958	870	947
New Seats Available	128	480	352
New Utilization	88.2%	64.4%	72.9%

Yield Rates	Attend Home			Private School	Total
	School	DCSD School	Attend other		
Elementary	0.095519	0.049528	0.004717	0.004717	0.149764
Middle	0.031840	0.008255	0.001179	0.001179	0.041274
High	0.029481	0.017689	0.001179	0.001179	0.048349
Total	0.1568	0.0755	0.0071	0.0071	0.2394

Student Calculations

Proposed Units	8
Unit Type	TH
Cluster	Towers

Units x Yield	Attend Home			Private School	Total
	School	DCSD School	Attend other		
Elementary	0.76	0.40	0.04	0.04	1.20
Middle	0.25	0.07	0.01	0.01	0.33
High	0.24	0.14	0.01	0.01	0.39
Total	1.25	0.61	0.06	0.06	1.92

Anticipated Students	Attend Home			Private School	Total
	School	DCSD School	Attend other		
Peachcrest ES	1	0	0	0	1
Bethune MS	0	0	0	0	0
Towers HS	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	0	0	0	1

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✓ 3446 Midway Road, Decatur, GA

Amendment

- Please see general comments.
- Agenda that does not include N1 SLUP 18 22129. It has been removed from the agenda and the agenda has been re-numbered.

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SLUP-18-22123

2428 Moreland Avenue, Atlanta, GA

Amendment

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Z-18-22128 2018-1911 15-218-13-005, 15-218-13-006, 15-218-13-007, 15-218-13-008

3392, 3298, 3402 and 3408 Midway Road, Decatur, GA

Amendment

- Please see general comments.
- Septic system installed on properties 3392 on 10/27/95, 3402 on 04/11/75 and 3408 on 8/18/82.

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CZ-18-22135 2018-1856 15-179-11-001

2029 Memorial Drive, Atlanta, GA

Amendment

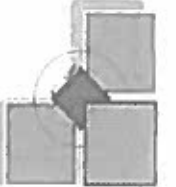
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APPLICATION TO AMEND OFFICIAL ZONING MAP
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Filing Fee: _____
Application No.: _____
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Date Received: _____ Application No.: _____
Applicant: Ali Ihsan and Associates E-Mail: ali.1977.7734@gmail.com

Applicant Mailing Address: 401 Cook Drive Ellenwood, GA 30294

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(if more than one owner, attach as Exhibit "A")

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District(s): _____ Land Lot(s): 1 Block: _____ Parcel(s): 15 218 13 061 ID

Acraage: 1.2 Commission District(s): District 7 + 3

Present Zoning Category: R-75 Proposed Zoning Category: RSM

Present Land Use Category: RL

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING BEFORE SIGNING

This form must be completed in its entirety before the Planning Department accepts it. It must include the attachments and filing fees identified on the attachments. An application, which lacks any of the required attachments, shall be determined as incomplete and shall not be accepted.

Disclosure of Campaign Contributions

In accordance with the Conflict of Interest in Zoning Act, O.C.G.A., Chapter 36-67A, the following questions must be answered:

Have you the applicant made \$250 or more in campaign contributions to a local government official within two years immediately preceding the filing of this application? Yes No

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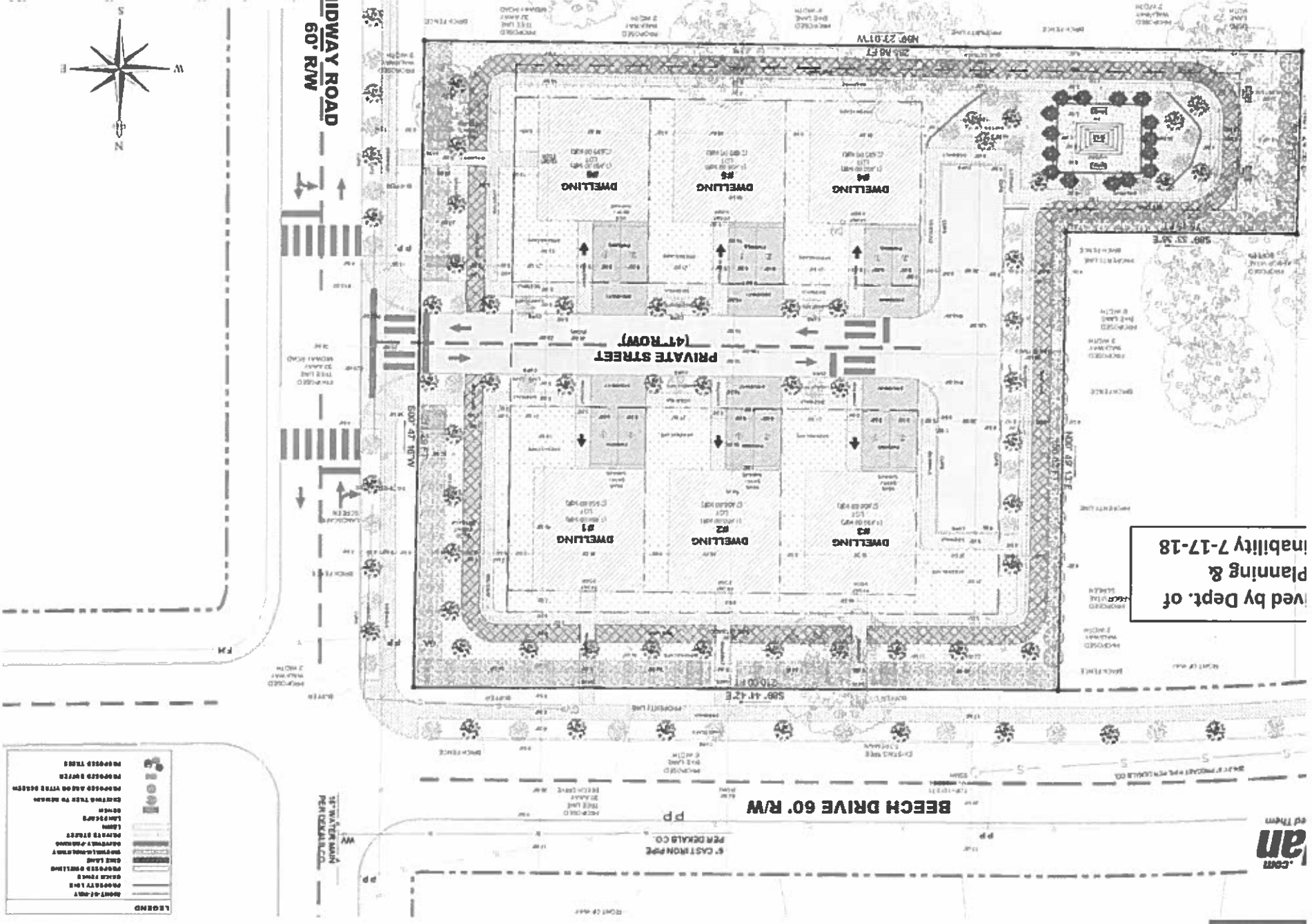
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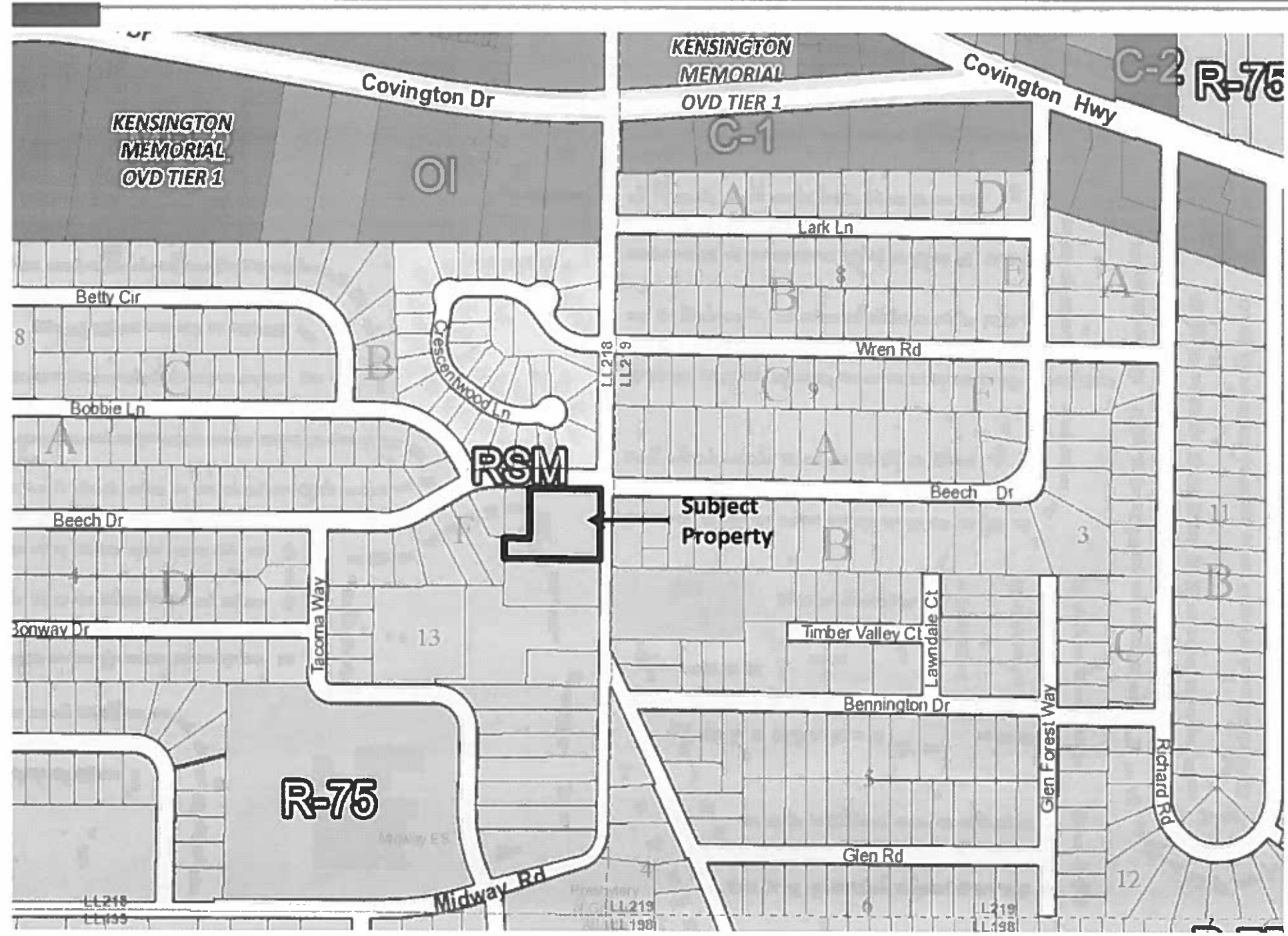
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