#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

City of Lockhart
Planning and Zoning Commission
7:00 PM, Wednesday, August 27, 2025
Municipal Building – Glosserman Room
308 W. San Antonio St.

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call meeting to order.
- 2. Citizen comments not related to an agenda item.
- 3. Consider the Minutes of the July 23, 2025 meeting.
- 4. <u>SUP-25-10</u>. Hold a PUBLIC HEARING and consider a request by Steven Mazurka on behalf of Veterans Dignity Village, Inc. for a Specific Use Permit to allow two Group Homes as a use on 0.469 acres in the Francis Berry Survey, Abstract No. 2, part of Lot 6, Block B of North's Addition, zoned RMD Residential Medium Density and located at 649 Fir Lane.
- 5. <u>ZC-25-04</u>. Hold a PUBLIC HEARING and consider a request by Spencer Gourley with Spencewood, Inc. for a **Zoning Change** from *AO Agricultural-Open Space District and FH Flood Hazard District* to *RHD Residential High Density District* on a total of 50.07 acres in the W.C. Williams Survey, Abstract No. 300 and Miles G. Dikes Survey, Abstract No. 6, and located at 2100-2500 North Colorado Street (US Highway 183).
- 6. Hold a PUBLIC HEARING and consider a proposed **Zoning Text Amendment** amending Chapter 64, "Zoning" of the Lockhart Code of Ordinances as follows:

Amend Chapter 64 "Zoning", Article VII "Zoning Districts and Standards" Section 64-196, "Establishment of Zoning Districts" subsections (e) "Residential medium density district (RMD) (formerly R-2)" and (f) "Residential high density district (RHD) (formerly R-3)" to remove Manufactured Homes as a use allowed with the approval of a Specific Use Permit; and

Amend Chapter 64 "Zoning", Article VII "Zoning Districts and Standards" Section 64-200 "Same—Manufactured homes and modular dwellings" to remove parts of subsection (a) regarding requirements for the installation of manufactured homes on individual residential lots not within manufactured home parks.

- 7. FP-25-04. Consider a request by Nick Sandlin, P.E., of Sandlin Services, LLC, for approval of a Final Plat for Lockhart Plaza Subdivision, consisting of 2.049 acres, zoned CHB (Commercial Heavy Business) and CMB (Commercial Medium Business), and located at 1120 South Colorado St., 1126 South Colorado St., 1021 South Commerce St., and 1105 South Commerce St., including a Variance to Chapter 52, "Subdivision Regulations", Section 52-62 and Section 52-72(e), to allow for 5 feet of right-of-way dedication along the property's South Commerce Street frontage where between 15.25 feet and 15.85 feet would normally be required.
- 8. Consider a request by Austin Davis of Lockhart 1322, LLC for approval of a 6-month extension of the Preliminary Plat approval period (PP-23-03) for Lay Ranch Subdivision, consisting of 92.52 acres in the in the James George Survey, Abstract Number 9, zoned RMD (Residential Medium Density), and located at 200 Lay Rd. and 370 Lay Rd.

- 9. <u>PV-25-01.</u> Consider a request by Hugo Elizondo, Jr., P.E., C.F.M., of Cuatro Consultants, Ltd., for approval of a **Plat Variance** to allow a 12-month extension to August 28, 2026, after a 6-month extension to August 28, 2025, as authorized in Section 52-35(e) of the Subdivision Regulations, of the one-year period within which construction must begin following approval by the Planning and Zoning Commission on February 28, 2024, of the Final Plat of Blackjack Grove Subdivision on 13.761 acres, zoned RMD (Residential Medium Density), and located at 1519 Blackjack St. and 1541 Lover's Ln.
- 10. Discuss the date and agenda of the next meeting, including Commission requests for agenda items.
- 11. Adjournment.

Posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building, 308 West San Antonio Street, Lockhart, Texas, at 11:00a.m. on the 21st day of August, 2025.

# City of Lockhart Planning and Zoning Commission July 23, 2025

#### **MINUTES**

Members Present: Philip Ruiz, Phil McBride, Julia Haug, Rick Arnic Ron Peterson, Bradley Lingvai,

Members Absent: Manuel Oliva

Staff Present: David Fowler, Kevin Waller, Christine Banda

Visitors/Citizens Addressing the Commission: None

1. Call meeting to order. Chair Ruiz called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. Citizen comments not related to an agenda item. None

3. Consider the Minutes of the June 25, 2025 meeting.

Commissioner Haug moved to approve June 25, 2025, minutes. Commissioner Arnic seconded, and the motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

4. Consider a request by Andrew Campbell and Mariella Quintanilla, for approval of a 5-foot-tall cedar-wood fence with 50 percent opacity, to be setback 5 feet from the front property line along West Market Street, as provided for in Chapter 12, "Buildings and Building Regulations", Section 12-491(3), of the Lockhart Code of Ordinances for fences within the front building setback area in nonresidential zoning districts, on a property zoned CMB Commercial Medium Business District and located at 117 Cibilo Street.

Kevin Waller came forward with the presentation. He showed maps of the location and described the neighboring properties. He explained where the fence would be located and that it would encroach the front yard building setback along West Market Street, which was the reason the commission needed to approve it.

Chair Ruiz asked if cedar post was a permissible material to use for fencing.

Mr. Waller said yes it was allowed in all zoning districts.

Chair Ruiz opened the public hearing and asked for the applicant to come forward.

Andrew Campbell of 416 South Guadalupe Street said he also a brought a letter of support from the owner of Ace Hardware which was adjacent to the subject property. He said that the fence would be decorative and modest in size and would allow reasonable security. The cedar post construction would be like natural parks and inviting to the community.

Tamara Carlise and Donna Blair of 831 West San Antonio Street said they were in favor of the fence.

Chair Ruiz asked for any other speakers, seeing none, he closed the public hearing and asked for staff's recommendations.

Mr. Waller said that there was another email provided to the commissioners that was in favor of the fence from a neighboring property owner Donna Townsen. He said that staff recommends approval of the proposed fence.

Commissioner Lingvai moved to approve. Commissioner Haug seconded, and the motion passed with a vote of 6-0.

5. <u>Discuss possible amendment to Chapter 64, Zoning, of the Lockhart Code of Ordinances, to prohibit new manufactured homes in the RMD and RHD zoning districts.</u>

David Fowler came forward to present changes to the city's text amendments relating to Manufactured Homes in residential districts. He informed them that after the City Council meeting regarding a recently approved manufactured home on Cedar Street a council member contacted city staff to see if the removal of provisions which allow manufactured housing with a specific use permit in the RMD and RHD zoning districts was possible. It was discussed at the July 15th City Council meeting, where Council directed staff to review the current ordinance and draft ordinance revisions eliminating manufactured housing in residential zoning districts if possible. Mr. Fowler mentioned a bill that was recently passed by the 2025 Texas Legislature. SB 785 would not allow the City's current practice of requiring an SUP for a manufactured house in any district in which other residential property types do not require an SUP. He explained that since the city has a Manufactured Home zoning district within the zoning code and the district is applied to several areas of land within the City's boundaries, the City could remove manufactured homes as a potential use in the two residential zoning districts in which they are allowed. He stated that the change to the text amendments in Chapter 64-196 and the removal of Chapter 64-200 should be on the next scheduled meeting for Planning and Zoning on August 13th so that they are approved before SB 785 goes into effect, which would keep the City in compliance with state law.

Commissioner Peterson asked if there are more properties for which SUP for MH are expected in the future.

Mr. Fowler said no, not at this time. He said that tonight's review is only for discussion and that ordinance changes will be presented to the Commission at the next meeting for recommendation to City Council.

6. <u>Discuss the date and agenda of the next meeting, including Commission requests for agenda items.</u>

Mr. Fowler reported that the next meeting is scheduled for August 13<sup>th</sup>, but no applications have been received, however there could be a plat for their next meeting. He also gave the commission updates on a recently zoning change request for which they recommended denial but City Council approved. He also noted the Maple Park PDD that went before City Council was

denied, and that a recently approved ADU had received an appeal to City Council which will	be
heard at their August 19 <sup>th</sup> meeting.	

#### 7. Adjournment.

Christine Banda, Recording Secretary

Commissioner Haug moved to adjourn, and Commissioner Amic seconded. The motion passes by a unanimous vote, and the meeting adjourned at 7:41 p.m.	rd	
Approved:(date)		

Philip Ruiz, Chair



**SUP-25-10** 

649 FIR LANE

**GROUP HOMES** 









**SUBJECT PROPERTY** 

ZONING BOUNDARY

**200 FT BUFFER** 



### PLANNING DEPARTMENT REPORT

### SPECIFIC USE PERMIT

CASE NUMBER: SUP-25-10

#### **CASE SUMMARY**

STAFF CONTACT: David Fowler, Planning Director

REPORT DATE: August 20, 2025

PUBLIC HEARING DATE: August 27, 2025 APPLICANT'S REQUEST: Group Home

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval if no significant opposition

SUGGESTED CONDITIONS: None.

#### **BACKGROUND DATA**

APPLICANT(S): Steven Mazurka

OWNER(S):711 CTR LLC SITE LOCATION: 649 Fir Lane

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Metes and Bounds

SIZE OF PROPERTY: 0.469 acres

EXISTING USE OF PROPERTY: Vacant with existing barn/shed building ZONING CLASSIFICATION: RMD Residential Medium Density District

#### **ANALYSIS OF ISSUES**

CHARACTERISTICS OF PROPOSED USE: The applicant proposes to build two small group home buildings for occupancy by veterans as transitional housing. The applicant proposes to place two cabins on the site, each would house two residents. The elevations for which have been included in the application submission. The two proposed residential buildings would be located to the rear (north) of the barn structure located at the southeast corner of the lot. The site plan also shows a pavilion, a garden and a central driveway leading towards the houses near the rear of the lot. While no parking spaces are clearly labeled on the plan, there are two areas shown on the site plan that would appear to be likely locations for parking. The RMD district allows group homes upon approval of a Specific Use Permit, as is true for other uses allowed or permitted in the PI Public and Institutional zoning district.

NEIGHBORHOOD COMPATIBILITY: The property is located on the north side of Fir Lane, one lot east of the intersection with Rio Grande Street. The surrounding area is zoned RMD, but other zoning districts are located nearby to the south and east. The neighborhood consists of homes of varying sizes and ages, with multifamily housing present near the intersection of Rio Grande and San Antonio Streets. The size of the subject property is generally typical of lots in the general area. While there are no other similar uses in the immediate vicinity, there are senior housing facilities within 1-2 blocks of the site.

COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS: there are no minimum standards for either the PI district of the group home use, so context is extremely appropriate when determining the appropriateness of the proposed use and applying any conditions of approval. There are no parking or setback requirements, but the Commission may set minimum parking spaces as a condition of approval. A recent request for a zoning variance which would have allowed the existing barn building to be converted to occupiable space was denied earlier this year, so that building may only be used in its current condition. The specification of the two proposed cottage structures was not included in the submission. Such structures would need to comply with the city's building code, as would any other proposed construction on the site.

ADEQUACY OF INFRASTRUCTURE: Utilities are adjacent and adequate for the proposed use.

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION: None as of the date of this report.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends *Approval if no significant opposition is present*. If approving the subdivision, staff recommends the Commission require at least one parking space for each resident on site. Staff also reiterates that due to the denial of the variance request to allow conversion of the barn building into occupiable space, that building must remain in its current space and cannot be converted to office space, meeting rooms and other uses to support the proposed group home as the applicant had originally attended. An additional issue about which the Commission may want questions is the overall mission and operational details of the proposed facility, as no overall statement has been provided as part of the application.

# **SPECIFIC USE PERMIT APPLICATION**

# Lockhart

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APPLICANT/OWNER
APPLICANT NAME VETERANS DIGIOITY VIllage INCADDRESS 649 FIR LANC
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE 513 938 Z4Z8 LOCKHART TX 78644
E-MAIL Steven @ Vetsdignity village. org
OWNER NAME 711 Center LLC ADDRESS 711 Center St
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE 239 248 9085 LOCKHART
E-MAIL StevenComazurka.com TX 78644
PROPERTY
ADDRESS OR GENERAL LOCATION 649 FIR LANE LOCKHART TX 7864
LEGAL DESCRIPTION (IF PLATTED) North BLOCK B PART of Lot 6
SIZE 1/2 ACRE(S) ZONING CLASSIFICATION RMD
EXISTING USE OF LAND AND/OR BUILDING(S) WARE HOUSE
REQUESTED SPECIFIC USE
PROPOSED USE REQUIRING PERMIT GROUP HOME
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2 residential UNITS, 2 rESIDENS ea (4) APPROX 1500 SF TOTAL  1 WAREHOUSE - DRY STORAGE  1 OUTDOOR PAU, 1100 Approx 520 SF (16x32)
1 WAREHOUSE - DRY STORAGE
1 Outdoor PAU, 11,000 Approx 520 SF (16x32)

## **SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS**

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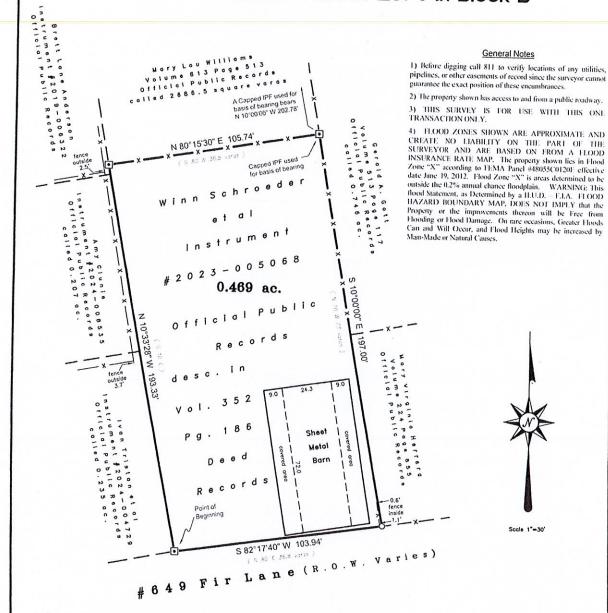
SITE PLAN, SUBMITTED ON PAPER NO LARGER THAN 11" X 17", SHOWING: 1) Scale and north arrow; 2) Location of site with respect to streets and adjacent properties; 3) Property lines and dimensions; 4) Location and dimensions of buildings; 5) Building setback distances from property lines; 6) Location, dimensions, and surface type of off-street parking spaces and loading areas; 7) Location, dimensions, and surface type of walks and patios; 8) Location, type, and height of free-standing signs; fences, landscaping, and outdoor lighting; 9) utility line types and locations; and, 10) any other proposed features of the site which are applicable to the requested specific use.

APPLICATION FEE OF \$250, PLUS \$150 PER ACRE, MAXIMUM OF \$2,500, APPLICATION FEE OF \$250 PAYABLE TO THE CITY OF LOCKHART.

TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, THIS APPLICATION AND ASSOCIATED DOCUMENTS ARE COMPLETE AND CORRECT, AND IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT I OR ANOTHER REPRESENTATIVE SHOULD BE PRESENT AT ALL PUBLIC MEETINGS CONCERNING THIS APPLICATION.

SIGNATURE Steven Maznely	DATE 8-1-25
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DATE NOTICES MAILED 8-11-2025	DATE NOTICE PUBLISHED 8-14-2025
PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING DECISION	DATE
CONDITIONS	

# City of Lockhart Caldwell County, Texas Francis Berry Survey A-2 North's Addition Part of Lot 6 in Block B



G.F.#24-2905-D 911 ADDRESS: 649 Fir Lane Lockhart, Texas 78644

#### SURVEY DRAWING

Showing a 0.469 acre tract of land out of the Francis Berry Survey. A-2 and part of Lot 6 in Block B of North's Addition in the City of Lockhart, Caldwell County, Texas according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume Q Page 498 of the Deed Records of Caldwell County, Texas and the improvements as found situated thereon. I do hereby certify to (1) the foregoing plat is a true and correct representation of a survey made on the ground under my direct supervision on January 23, 2025, (2) I have shown or noted all recorded easements or right of ways listed in the title report provided by Corridor Title, Dripping Springs, Texas, G.F. #24-2905-D effective date December 15, 2024, and shown all observable evidence of easements on the ground. There are no encroachments, protrusions, conflicts nor any shortages in area nor boundary other than shown hereon. THIS SURVEY IS CERTIFIED TO conflicts nor any shortages in area nor boundary other than shown hereon. THIS SURVEY IS CERTIFIED TO THE PERSON(S) / COMPANY SHOWN HEREON AND ITS CONTENTS GUARANTEED FOR USE WITH THIS ONE TRANSACTION ONLY DATED THIS DATE. THE SURVEYOR SHALL INCUR NO LIABILITY FOR ANY USE OF THIS SURVEY BEYOND THIS TRANSACTION OR FOR ANY PERSONS(S) / COMPANY NOT LISTED THE PROPERTY ONLY THOSE PRINTS CONTAINING THE RESEARCH OF THE SURVEY SEAL AND ARRIVED THE SURVE

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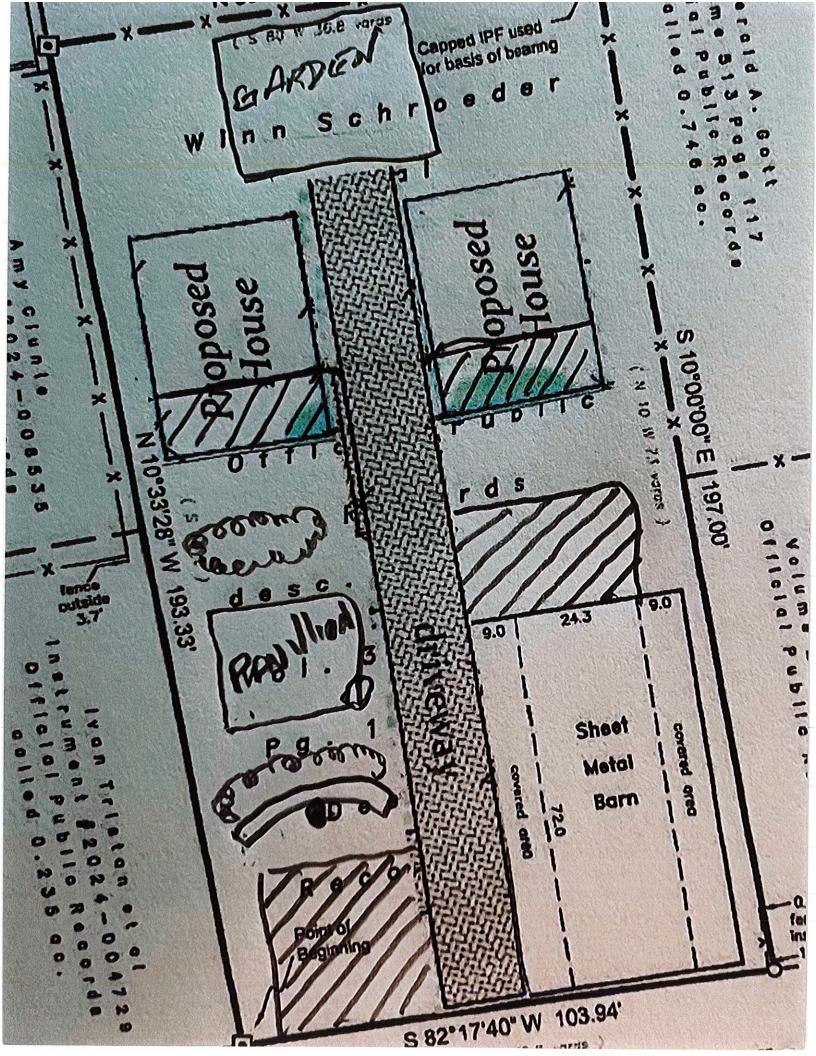
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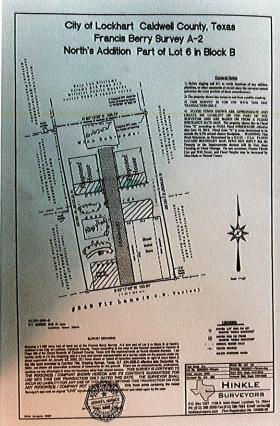
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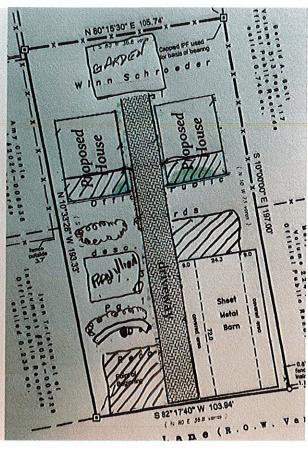


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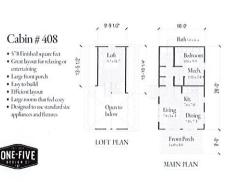
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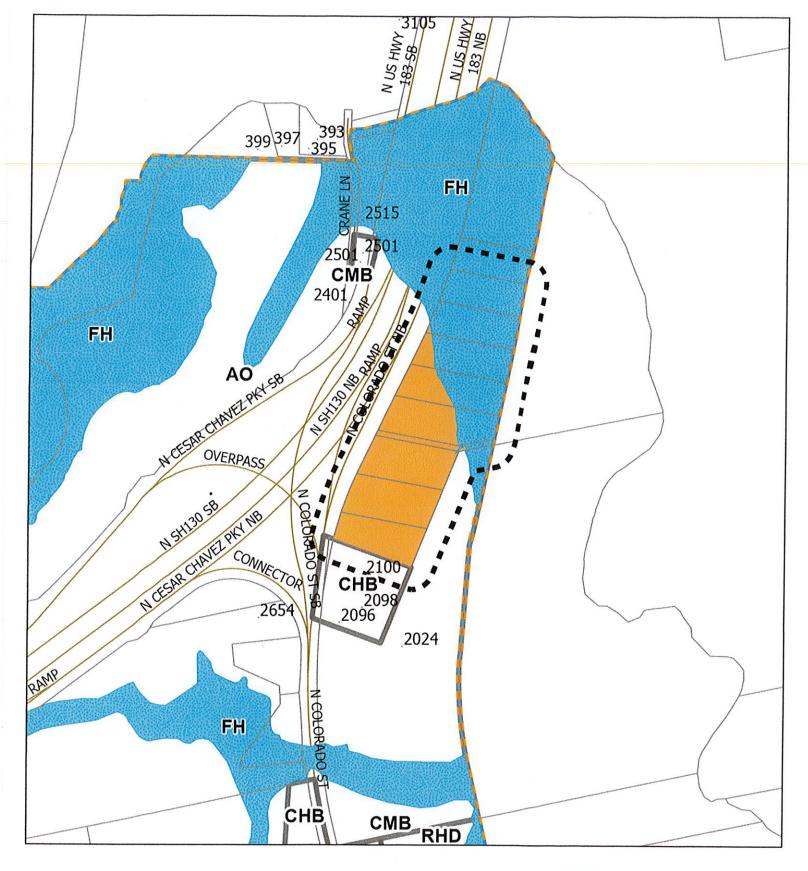












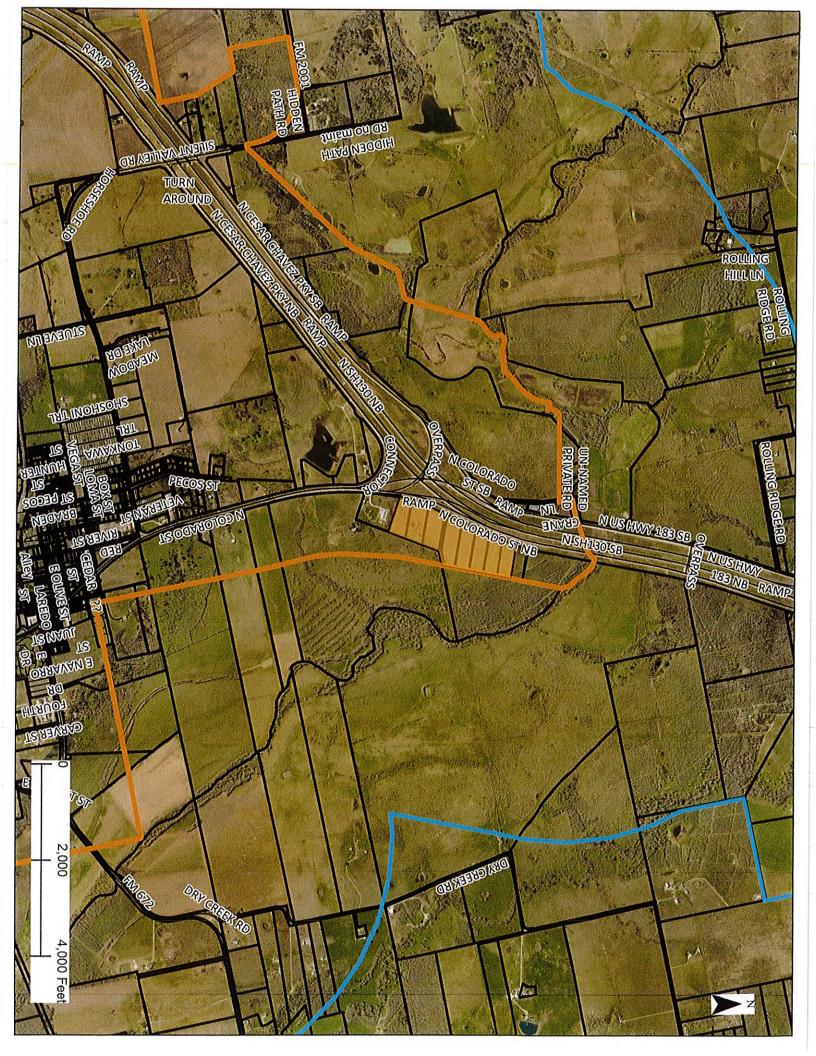


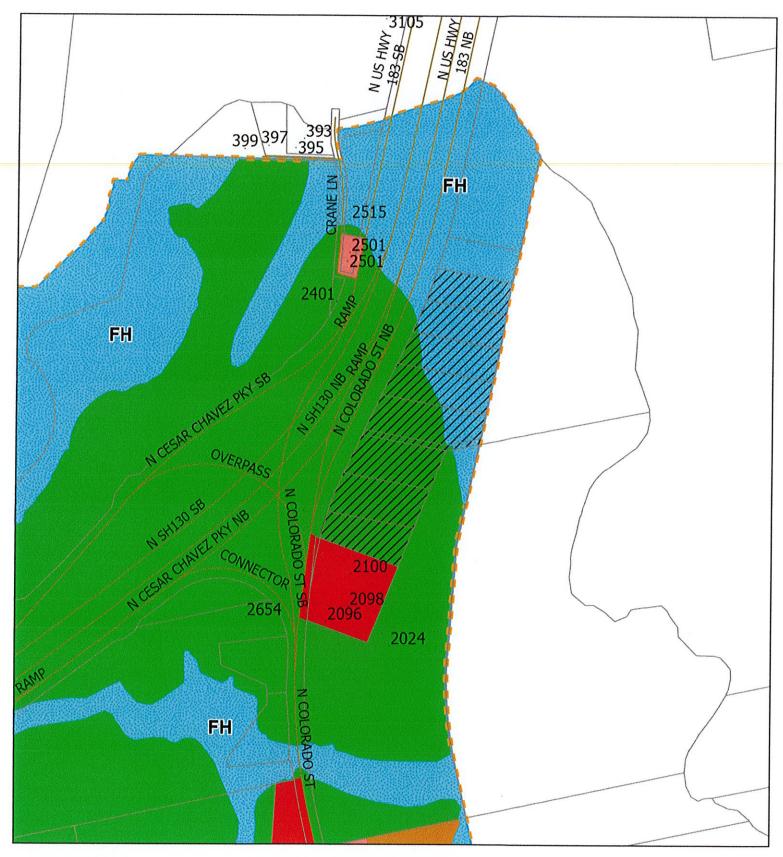
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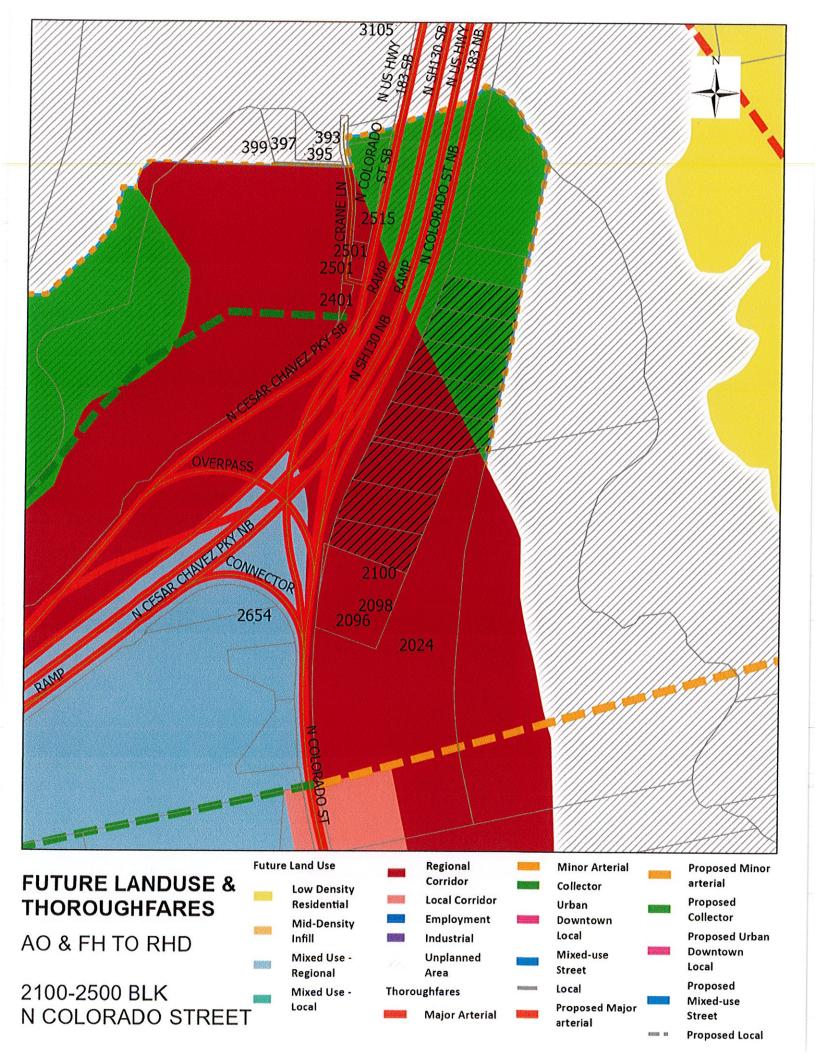


SUBJECT PROPERTY
ZONING BOUNDARY
LOCKHART CITY LIMITS
200 FT BUFFER









CASE NUMBER: ZC-25-04

#### CASE SUMMARY

STAFF: David Fowler, Planning Director

REPORT DATE: August 20, 2025

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION HEARING DATE: August 27, 2025

CITY COUNCIL HEARING DATE: September 16, 2025

REQUESTED CHANGE: AO Agricultural-Open Space and FH Floodplain Hazard to RHD Residential High

Density

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval of AO to RHD unless significant opposition is received, Denial of

FH to RHD.

#### **BACKGROUND DATA**

APPLICANT: Spencewood Inc. OWNER: Spencer Gourley

SITE LOCATION: 2100-2500 North Colorado Street

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Metes and bounds within the W.C. Williams and Miles G. Dikes Surveys

SIZE OF PROPERTY: 50.07 acres

EXISTING USE OF PROPERTY: Agricultural/Vacant

LAND USE PLAN DESIGNATION: Plum Creek District, Regional Corridor/Unplanned Area

#### **ANALYSIS OF ISSUES**

REASON FOR REQUESTED ZONING CHANGE: The Applicant seeks a zoning change to Residential High Density for a multifamily residential development and possible daycare center. The site's current mix of Agricultural-Open Space zoning district and Flood Hazard District does not allow this use.

#### AREA CHARACTERISTICS:

	Existing Use	Zoning	Future Land Use Plan
North	Vacant, floodplain	ETJ	Unplanned Area/Low Density Residential
East	Vacant land, floodplain	ETJ	Mixed Retail, Unplanned area
South	Self-storage, residential, vacant land	СНВ, АО	Regional Corridor, Local Corridor
West	South Cesar Chavez Parkway, SH 130	AO/CMB	Residential Medium Density/ROW

TRANSITION OF ZONING DISTRICTS: The surrounding properties are mostly agricultural commercial in nature. The area immediately to the north of the subject parcel is in the ETJ, and is largely in the 100-year floodplain. The area to the south of the property is zoned either Commercial Heavy Business or Agricultural-Open Space and are in the local and regional corridor areas of the future land use plan Map. The area to the east is largely vacant or agricultural, with most of the area either in the Unplanned area/floodplain or Low Density Residential areas on the Future Growth Scenario map. To the west, the property is mostly agricultural or floodplain except for the church and daycare center located northwest of the intersection of SH 130 and US 183/Colorado Street.

The subject property is part of the area included in the draft development agreement for a planned master planned community on over 1,000 acres in the areas to the north and east of the intersection of Colorado Street/ US 183. This development is expected to have over 3,700 housing units and a mix of commercial

development, parks, amenity centers, and a possible elementary school site. This development is expected to mostly remain in the City's ETJ and to be part of a MUD that would be created after the City and County approve the development agreement. The plan is for the MUD to utilize City water and wastewater services. The subject property is also the possible site of a possible entrance to the rest of the development from US 183.

The Applicant proposes to build a multifamily development on the site, and has indicated that they will likely request an SUP for the MF-2 development type and a daycare center. This mix of uses would not create any transition issues with existing properties, as the nearest active use is a self-storage facility to the south.

ADEQUACY OF INFRASTRUCTURE: The site is currently served by City water service. Wastewater service would be dependent upon the City and applicant reaching terms regarding the extension of wastewater service to the area to serve the MUD, creating a new trunk line to the Larremore Wastewater Treatment plant.

POTENTIAL NEIGHBORHOOD IMPACT: Considering the mixture of existing land uses, zoning classifications, and future land use designations on the Land Use Plan map in the area around the property, the characteristics of multi-family residential would not have unusually adverse impacts on neighboring properties, especially as the area to the east is planned to be a mixed-use residential development. However, the site is in an area that is a gateway to the city as one approaches from the north. City Council has expressed interest in a corridor overlay zone being added along entrances to the city from major highways. Even if the rezoning request is approved, the commission can lessen the possible impact of development of the site by limiting buildings on the site to two stories when reviewing any SUP requests for apartments that may be submitted.

Regarding the proximity of the site to amenities, the nearest schools are Plum Creek Elementary, Lockhart Junior High, and Lockhart High School. The closest park is City Park to the south. There are no sidewalks in the area.

CONSISTENCY WITH COMPREHENSIVE PLAN: The proposed Residential High Density zoning classification is generally consistent with the Future Land Use Plan, which designates the subject property as on a regional corridor within the Plum Creek District. However, the Unplanned Area was not anticipated as an area to be developed, due to its location within the floodplain.

ALTERNATIVE CLASSIFICATIONS: Residential High Density zoning only being applied to the part of the subject area not located within the Flood Hazard District.

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION: Staff has received one office visit from a neighbor near the ETJ boundary who has expressed concern about changing the zoning of the Flood Hazard area.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff believes that the proposed rezoning to RHD is potentially an acceptable solution for the subject property based on its highway location and its location near the entrance to a large master planned community. However, the development agreement under consideration has never explicitly stated that the intended use for the subject area was to be multifamily, and City Council has not yet approved the development agreement or agreed to an overall land use plan for the development, including the area under consideration. Therefore, it might be premature to change the zoning for the parcel, especially the area that is within the Flood Hazard area.

Another reason the flood hazard area should not be rezoned is that within the Flood Hazard District, development types permitted in adjacent non-floodplain areas are allowed with the granting of an SUP and floodplain development permit. This process would be partially disrupted by changing the zoning away from Flood Hazard District. As such, staff is particularly opposed to this aspect of the proposed rezoning.

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# Lockhart

# **ZONING CHANGE APPLICATION**

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APPLICANT/OWNER				
APPLICANT NAME SPENCEWOOD INC	ADDRESS 1231 W SAN ANTONIO ST			
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE	0.411.14.17.000			
E-MAIL	*			
OWNER NAME Spencer Gourley	ADDRESS 1231 W SAN ANTONIO ST			
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE 512-732-0367	SAN MARCOS, TX 78666-4136			
E-MAIL				
PROPERTY 2100-	2500 N Coloralo St			
ADDRESS OR GENERAL LOCATION N HWY 183 LOCKHART, TX 78644				
LEGAL DESCRIPTION (IF PLATTED)				
SIZE 50.07 ACRE(S) LAND USE PLAN DESIGNATION AGRICULTURAL				
EXISTING USE OF LAND AND/OR BUILDING(S)	GRICULTURAL-OPEN SPACE; FLOOD HAZARD DISTRICT			
PROPOSED NEW USE, IF ANY RHD, with SUP for MF-2 and Child Care				
REQUESTED CHANGE				
FROM CURRENT ZONING CLASSIFICATION AGR	ICULTURAL-OPEN SPACE & FLOOD HAZARD DISTRICT			
TO PROPOSED ZONING CLASSIFICATION RHD				
REASON FOR REQUEST The reason for the re	equest is to change the land use from ag to			
accommodate residential high density	uses within the Property.			

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NAME(S) AND ADDRESS(ES) OF PROPERTY LIEN-HOLDER(S), IF ANY.

IF NOT PLATTED, A METES AND BOUNDS LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

APPLICATION FEE OF \$250, PLUS \$150 PER ACRE, MAXIMUM OF \$10,000, PLUS ADDITIONAL \$1,000 FOR PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT.

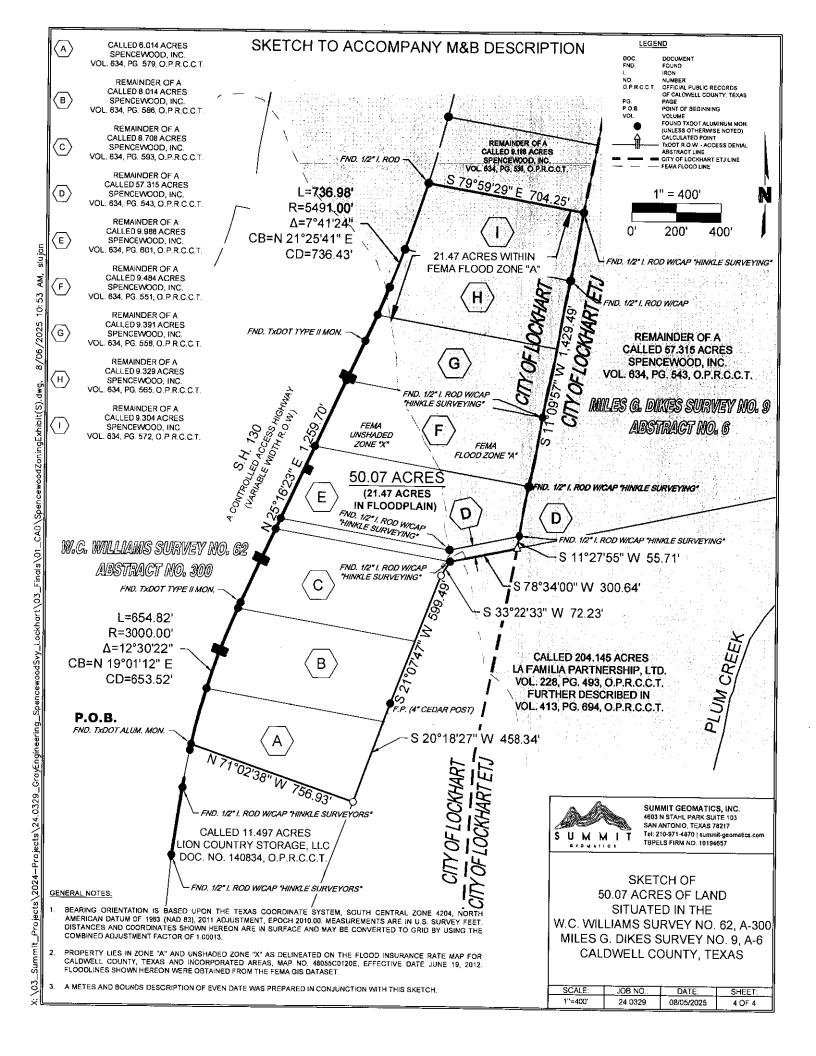
APPLICATION FEE OF \$ 7,760.50 PAYABLE TO THE CITY OF LOCKHART

TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. THIS APPLICATION AND ASSOCIATED DOCUMENTS ARE COMPLETE AND CORRECT. AND IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT I OR ANOTHER REPRESENTATIVE SHOULD BE PRESENT AT ALL PUBLIC MEETINGS CONCERNING THIS APPLICATION

SIGNATURE

DATE 8 4 2025

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DATE SUBMITTED 86/2025  DATE NOTICES MAILED 811-2025  PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING	CASE NUMBER 201393730  CASE NUMBER ZC . 25 . 04  DATE NOTICE PUBLISHED 8-14-2025  IG DATE 8-27-2025
PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION RECOM	MENDATION
CITY COUNCIL MEETING DATE 9-16-20	25
DECISION	





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**TO:** Planning and Zoning Commission

FROM: David Fowler, AICP, Planning Director

**SUBJECT:** Proposed Manufactured Housing Ordinance revisions

**DATE:** August 20, 2025

Following the City Council hearing regarding the appeal of Council's denial of the proposed manufactured home at 105 Cedar Street, Council member John Castillo contacted City staff regarding removing the provisions that allow Manufactured housing with a Specific Use Permit in the RMD and RHD zoning districts. The Council member's request was discussed at the July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025 City Council meeting, and Council directed staff to review the current ordinance and draft ordinance revisions eliminating manufactured housing in residential zoning districts if possible. The Planning and Zoning Commission discussed this possibility at its July 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting.

As discussed at the previous meeting, the City needed to account for the passage of SB 785 during the 2025 Texas Legislature session. This bill would not allow the City's current practice to continue in which an SUP is required for a manufactured house in any zoning district in the in which other residential property types do not require an SUP. After consulting with the City Attorney, City staff confirmed that the City could remove manufactured homes as an SUP use in the two residential zoning districts in which they are allowed, due to the fact that Lockhart does have the MF (Manufactured Home) zoning district within its zoning code and the district has been applied to an area of land within the City's boundaries.

The proposed text amendment removes manufactured homes as a use that can be permitted with an SUP from the RMD and RHD zoning districts though an edit to the section showing which uses require an SUP. The text amendment also would remove language from section 64-200(a) which stated that a new manufactured home could be allowed on an existing single-family lot. The rest of that section would remain intact to provide standards by which the owner of an existing manufactured home could replace a previously established manufactured home on a lot which such a home existed prior to the passage of the proposed text amendment, as state law allows a manufactured or mobile home to be replaced once, even if non-conforming. The item has been notified to be heard August 27<sup>th</sup> at P&Z and September 16<sup>th</sup> at City Council.

#### Sec. 64-196. Establishment of zoning districts.

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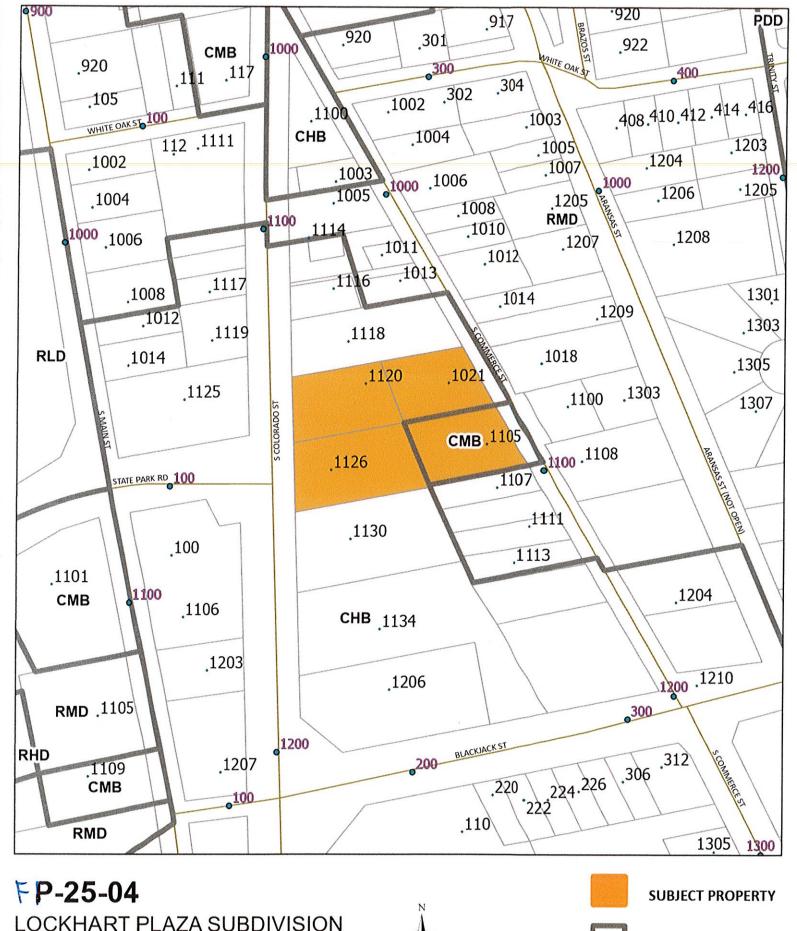
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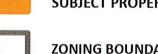
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**ZONING BOUNDARY** 

Scale 1" = 200'



#### **CASE SUMMARY**

STAFF CONTACT: Kevin Waller, Senior Planner

CASE NUMBER: FP-25-04

REPORT DATE: August 21, 2025

PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION DATE: August 27, 2025

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval of both the Plat and the Subdivision Variance request

SUGGESTED CONDITIONS: The construction of a shared access connection in the southwest corner of the property to allow for through access to adjoining property, to be addressed in a new plat note, with a related easement shown on the plat drawing, both prior to recordation of the plat; removal of the existing residential structures on the property, prior to recordation of the plat, to

be shown in a new plat note; and removal of Note 5 (redundant).

#### **BACKGROUND DATA**

APPLICANT AND ENGINEER: Nick Sandlin, P.E., Sandlin Services, LLC

OWNER: Tony Jacob, Brothers Holdings, LLC

SURVEYOR: Bradley Lipscomb, P.L.S., Triad Surveying, Inc.

SITE LOCATION: 1120 South Colorado St., 1126 South Colorado St., 1021 South Commerce St., and

1105 South Commerce St.

PROPOSED SUBDIVISION NAME: Lockhart Plaza Subdivision

SIZE OF PROPERTY: 2.049 ac.

NUMBER OF LOTS: One commercial lot

EXISTING USE OF PROPERTY: Three of the four subject parcels are vacant, with two residential

structures on the fourth subject (northeast) parcel

ZONING CLASSIFICATIONS: CHB (Commercial Heavy Business) and CMB (Commercial Medium

**Business**)

#### **ANALYSIS OF ISSUES**

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT: The Lockhart Plaza Final Plat includes the aggregation of four parcels into one proposed, commercial lot, located east of the intersection of South Colorado Street and State Park Road. According to the application, the property will be used for retail and office space. The applicant plans to remove the existing residential structures on the current northeast parcel, which will be made a condition of approval, prior to the recordation of the plat. Sidewalks are not required for this subdivision along the property's South Commerce Street frontage, according to Subdivision Regulations Section 52-77(d)(3), since sidewalks were not required when the original subdivision was platted (Volume 59, Page 59 of the Caldwell County records; date unknown) and the proposal involves no more than four lots from the original plat. It should also be noted that a sidewalk currently exists along the property frontage of South Colorado Street. Public utility easements traversing the subdivision property in the abandoned Lapan Street, Red Oak Street, and 15-foot-wide alley were vacated by the City Council on April 15, 2025 (Ordinance No. 2025-09), as addressed in Plat Note 4. A Subdivision Variance to the right-of-way dedication requirement for South Commerce Street, to allow for a five-foot right-of-way dedication in place of the required dedication of between 15.25 feet and 15.85 feet (due to a variable-width right-of-way), has been requested with the application, as discussed below. The plat is considered a Final Plat, due to the variance request, and would have otherwise been classified as an administratively-reviewed amending plat.

NEIGHBORHOOD COMPATIBILITY: The Wendy's property is adjacent to the south of the subject property, zoned CHB, with a residential property zoned RMD (Residential Medium Density) also located to the south. The Family Dollar property, zoned CHB, is located on the adjacent property to the north. South Colorado Street abuts the subject property to the west, while South Commerce Street is located to the east.

FORM AND CONTENT: With the following recommended conditions of approval, the plat will conform to all minimum requirements for form and content: (1) the construction of a shared access connection in the southwest corner of the property to allow for through access to adjoining property, to be addressed in a new plat note, with a related easement shown and labeled on the plat drawing, both prior to recordation of the plat; (2) removal of the existing residential structures on the property, with a note added to the plat accordingly, prior to recordation; and (3) removal of Plat Note 5, which is redundant with Note 4. With regard to the shared access connection and easement, both the Planning and Public Works departments have been in contact with the applicant regarding the importance of these needed elements. The shared access has been identified as an important linkage that would allow for a connection to the existing Wendy's stub to the south and cross-access with that property and the Whitewater car wash property further south, allowing for an ultimate connection to Blackjack Street through the car wash lot, thereby alleviating congestion on South Colorado Street. The shared access point would also allow traffic on both Wendy's and the car wash lots to safely access South Colorado Street at the existing, lighted intersection, instead of negotiating two lanes of traffic for a very short distance in order to make a left-hand turn at State Park Road for northbound travelers. In recent email and phone conversations, however, the applicant has made it clear that they would not agree to provide this access. The applicant explains that Staff has not provided an ordinance citation to require the access, and that the applicant does not want additional cut-through traffic on the subject property. The applicant has also shared an email from TxDOT which states that the shared access point will not be required by TxDOT. TxDOT did note in the email that a left-turn lane into the site, however, will be required. Despite the applicant's concerns, Staff, along with Public Works, will still recommend the shared access point and accompanying easement as a recommended condition of approval, in the interests of traffic circulation and public safety in a busy section of the Colorado Street corridor.

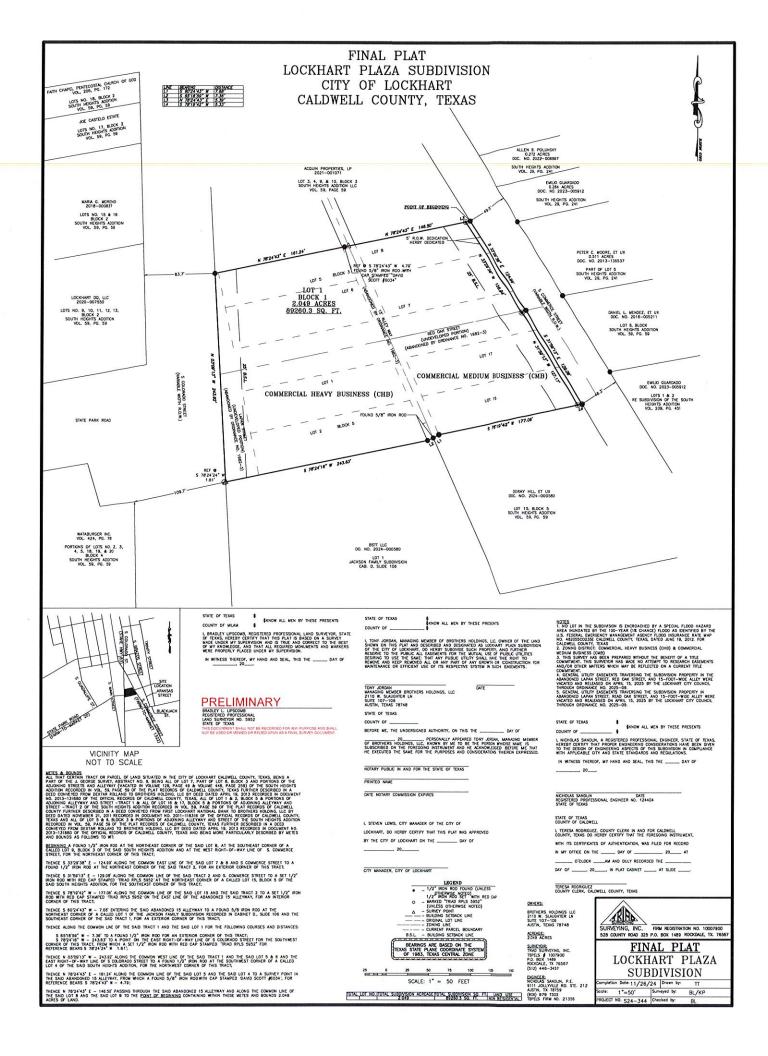
COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS: Existing water and sewer laterals are located along both the South Colorado Street and South Commerce Street frontages of the subject property. With water and sewer available to serve the proposed lot, the plat will meet all applicable subdivision standards.

CONCURRENT VARIANCE REQUESTED: A Subdivision Variance is requested with this application to the right-of-way dedication requirement specified in Section 52-72(e) of the Subdivision Regulations to allow for 5 feet of dedication along the property's South Commerce Street frontage, where between 15.25 feet and 15.85 feet (due to a variable-width right-of-way) would normally be required. The right-of-way dedication requirement represents half of the deficiency for the 80-foot Minor Arterial Street right-of-way classification identified in the City's 2045 Thoroughfare Plan. In the applicant's attached written statement addressing the variance criteria, as well as in phone conversations with Staff, it is explained that the variance is being requested in order to allow for proper engineering and development of the site, including vehicular circulation, which would not be feasible without the requested reduction in dedication to 5 feet. The applicant also explains that requiring the full right-of-way dedication would result in a "detrimental impact to the neighbors"; however, it is not explained what this impact would be. In an August 14, 2025 email discussion with Public Works Director Sean Kelley, Mr. Kelley informed Staff that he is in favor of the variance request, if the shared access is provided in the southwest corner of the property as discussed above. Absent the shared access, Mr. Kelley does not support the variance.

The criteria for granting variances is set forth in Subdivision Regulations Section 52-50(a), as follows:

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Upon review of the variance request, Staff believes that it warrants approval, with the recommended condition of the shared access point in the property's southwest corner, in agreement with the Public Works Department. Staff believes that the applicant's desire to allow for full development of the site, supported by the variance request, would be enhanced by the shared access, which would complement the new development with safe and effective circulation for the subject and surrounding properties. Without the provision of the shared access, Staff does not support the granting of the variance to allow the 5-foot right-of-way dedication.



## SUBDIVISION PLAT APPLICATION

# Lockhart

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DAY-TIME TELEPHONE 254-228-9271	
E-MAIL brad@triadsurveying.com	
ENGINEER NAME Nick Sandlin, PE	ADDRESS 9111 Jollyville Rd Suite 212, Austin, TX 78759
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE 806-679-7303	
E-MAIL operations@sandlinservices.com	
OWNER NAME Tony Jacob	ADDRESS 2110 W. Slaughter Ln.Ste. 107/106 Austin, TX 78748
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TYPE OF APPLICATION (check all the	at apply)
PRELIMINARY PLAT SUBDIVISION C	DEVELOPMENT PLAN X FINAL PLAT
MINOR PLAT REPLAT	MINOR REPLAT RESUBDIVISION
AMENDING PLAT DEVELOR	PMENT PLAT VARIANCE
PROPERTY	
SUBDIVISION NAME Lockhart Plaza Final Plat	
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LOCATED IN X CITY LIMITS	PDD
TOTAL LAND AREA $2.049$ ACRE(S)	PROPOSED NUMBER OF LOTS 1
ZONING CLASSIFICATION(S) Commercial Heavy	/ Business/Connercial Medium Busines
PROPOSED USE OF LAND Retail/Office	

NAME(S) AND ADDRESS(ES) OF PROPERTY LIEN-HOLDERS, IF ANY.

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IF THE APPLICATION IS FOR A FINAL PLAT INVOLVING PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS – TWO FULL-SIZE PAPER COPIES OF THE ENGINEERING PLANS.

IF THE APPLICATION IS FOR, OR INCLUDES, A SUBDIVISION CODE VARIANCE - COMPLETED VARIANCE SECTION ON NEXT PAGE AND REQUIRED STATEMENT NOTED THEREIN.

PLAT DOCUMENTS, AS FOLLOWS, CONTAINING THE INFORMATION REQUIRED IN ARTICLE 23-6. (Amending Plats, Replats, Resubdivision Plats, Minor Plats, and Minor Replats are considered the same as Final Plats for the purposes of content and format). All plat copies shall be full-size paper copies.

One copy for staff's completeness review; six copies after plat is deemed complete.

12 copies after initial staff reviews above (preliminary plats, final plats, replats, and resubdivisions).

Two copies after initial staff reviews (amending plats, minor plats, and minor replats).

Two signed and sealed mylar reproducibles (three if applicant wants to keep one) of approved amending plat, replat, resubdivision, final plat, minor plat, or minor replat, for recording. One recorded reproducible is filed at the County Clerk's office, and the other is returned to the City.

### APPLICATION FEE OF \$1,204.90 PAYABLE TO THE CITY OF LOCKHART (NO FEE FOR SUBDIVISION DEVELOPMENT PLANS OR APPEALS):

Preliminary Plat or Development Plat	\$1,500.00, plus \$100.00 per acre
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To the best of my knowledge, this application and associated documents conform to all requirements of the City of Lockhart Subdivision Regulations. By signing below I agree that if any part of this plat and/or associated construction plans is found to be incorrect, incomplete, or otherwise deficient with regard to applicable City standards, the deadline imposed by the Texas Local Government Code, Section 212.009, for approval or denial of the plat and/or associated construction plans by the City within 30 days of the date this application is deemed complete can be voluntarily extended for an additional 30 days upon mutual agreement by the applicant and the City. I further agree that if any part of this plat and/or associated construction plans remains deficient at such time that the plat and/or associated construction plans cannot be approved prior to the expiration of the second 30 days, the plat or construction plans will be subject to denial by the approval authority. It is understood that I or another representative should be present at all public meetings concerning this application.

SIGNATURE	<sub>DATE</sub> 5/15/25
PRINTED NAME Nick Sandlin, PE	TELEPHONE 806-679-7303

#### PLAT APPROVAL PERIODS

CONDITIONS (IF ANY)

A preliminary plat approval period expires if a final plat and the engineering plans for one or more sections is not submitted within 12 months of approval. Upon written request received prior to the expiration, a maximum of two six-month extensions may be considered by the Planning and Zoning Commission.

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SUBDIVISION VARIANCE (for variance applications, only)
VARIANCE TO SECTION(S) Sec. 52-62 \$ 52-72(c) OF THE SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS
CURRENT ORDINANCE REQUIREMENT(S) Right-Of-Way Dedication consistent with
the 2045 Thoroughfare Plan resulting in a 15.25'-15.85' ROW dedication along Commerce St.,
REQUESTED VARIANCE(S) See written statement outlining the variance request from the Right-Of-Way dedication for the 1 lot final plat
from the Right-Of-Way dedication for the 1 lot final plat
SUBMIT A WRITTEN STATEMENT DOCUMENTING THE REASON FOR THE VARIANCE(S), INCLUDING EVIDENCE THAT THE REQUEST COMPLIES WITH THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA AS REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL OF A VARIANCE:
<ol> <li>Special circumstances or conditions affect the land involved such that strict application of the provisions of the Code would deprive the applicant reasonable use of the land;</li> </ol>
<ol><li>The variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of a substantial property right of the applicant;</li></ol>
<ol><li>The variance will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, or welfare, and will not be injurious to other property in the area; and,</li></ol>
4. The variance will not have the effect of preventing the orderly subdivision of other lands in the area in accordance with the provisions of the Code.
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PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING DATE \$/22/25 DECISION

THIS FORM SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT, AFTER CONSULTING WITH THE UTILITY SERVICE PROVIDERS LISTED BELOW, FOR ALL PLATS, EXCEPT AMENDING PLATS, AND FINAL PLATS THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH APPROVED PRELIMINARY PLATS. THE FOLLOWING UTILITY SERVICE CODES ARE TO BE INDICATED, AS APPLICABLE, IN THE SPACE PROVIDED BELOW.

- A Adequate service is currently available to the proposed subdivision.
- Adequate service is not currently available, but arrangements have been made to provide it.
- Adequate service is not available, and arrangements have *not* been made to provide it from the utility.
- D Additional easements are needed for the utility within the subject property.

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WASTEWATER SERVICE City of Lockhart  APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S)	
TEXAS GAS SERVICE GAS COMPANY  APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S)	
NAME OF <b>ELECTRIC SERVICE</b> PROVIDER City of Lockhart  APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S)  UNDERGROUND Yes No	



May 20, 2025

City of Lockhart Planning & Development Services ATTN: David Fowler 308 West San Antonio St. Lockhart, TX 78644

#### AP-25-01 - Lockhart Plaza Final Plat - Subdivision Variance for ROW Dedication

Dear Planning Staff,

On behalf of the Owner, Brothers Holdings, LLC, we respectfully request a variance from the required dedication of right-of-way (ROW) along Commerce St. as specified in the City of Lockhart's Subdivision Regulations Section 52-62 and Thoroughfare Plan, in conjunction with the plat application for the Lockhart Plaza Final Plat located at approximately 1021 & 1105 Commerce Street, Lockhart, TX 78644.

This variance is requested due to unique site conditions that, if the dedication were enforced, would cause a disproportionate impact to the reasonable use of the property in light of the existing, adjacent Right-Of-Way available to the City. In accordance with the City's requirements, we offer the following information in support of the variance request:

# 1. Special circumstances or conditions affect the land involved such that strict application of the provisions of the Code would deprive the applicant reasonable use of the land.

Enforcing the full ROW dedication would reduce usable site area needed for circulation and infrastructure, significantly impacting reasonable development in this area. The surrounding area is a mix of commercial buildings and residential uses that create an existing circumstance where the full ROW proposed is not feasible, nor desirable in this short section of Commerce Street. Detrimental impact to the neighbors would be likely should the ROW-take be enforced in the area of our project. Regardless of the ROW-take, we plan to conform to the code on all other matters with regards to Commerce Street and expect our development to provide a buffer from the various uses to the Main Thoroughfare.

Although relatively flat, this site presents stormwater management challenges due to limited depth and slope with the need to accommodate appropriate detention volumes with this requested land retainage. This will allow the site to be designed in a more natural slope, than if the land was dedicated for expansion that we do not foresee feasible in this location, due to the aforementioned impact to the neighborhood

# 2. The variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of a substantial property right of the applicant.

The dedication of additional ROW along Commerce Street would shift the lot line in a way that is inconsistent with adjacent properties, creating an irregular frontage. This would reduce the buildable area, complicate site access, and constrain the ability to construct a commercial building with compliant access, circulation, and parking. The applicant is seeking to retain the right to develop the site under current zoning and infrastructure standards without being subject to excessive dedication requirements not imposed on neighboring properties.



# 3. The variance will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, or welfare, and will not be injurious to other property in the area.

The proposed ROW configuration still allows for safe vehicular access and efficient ingress/egress to the site. Maintaining a consistent lot line with adjacent properties also preserves a more unified streetscape and allows for greater flexibility in providing pedestrian access and landscape enhancements. Additionally, any future roadway expansion would require coordinated dedication along the entire corridor, not just from this single property, making this isolated dedication ineffective and inequitable.

# 4. The variance will not have the effect of preventing the orderly subdivision of other lands in the area in accordance with the provisions of the Code.

This request applies only to this specific parcel. The property owner's approach has involved the coordinated acquisition of multiple lots, and all surrounding parcels are already platted and developed. As such, this variance does not affect the subdivision potential of other lands in the area, nor does it disrupt the broader intentions of the City's Thoroughfare Plan.

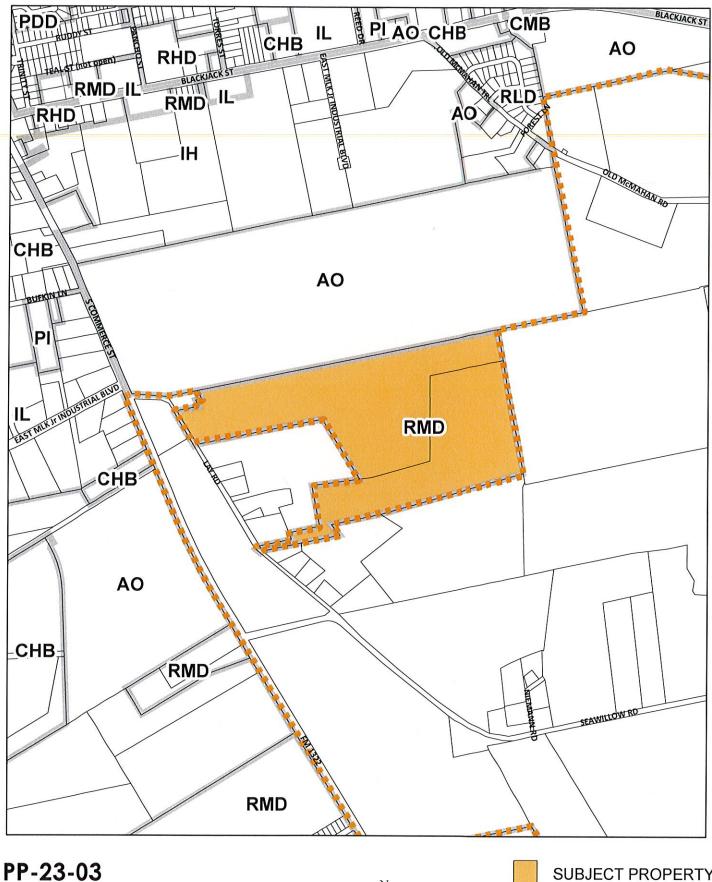
We respectfully request the City's consideration of this variance based on the above findings and the technical constraints of the property. Please let us know if additional documentation is required.

We appreciate your consideration of this waiver request. Should you have any questions or need anything further at this time, please contact me at (806) 679-7303.

Sincerely,

Nick Sandlin, P.E. President & Principal TBPELS Firm# 21356

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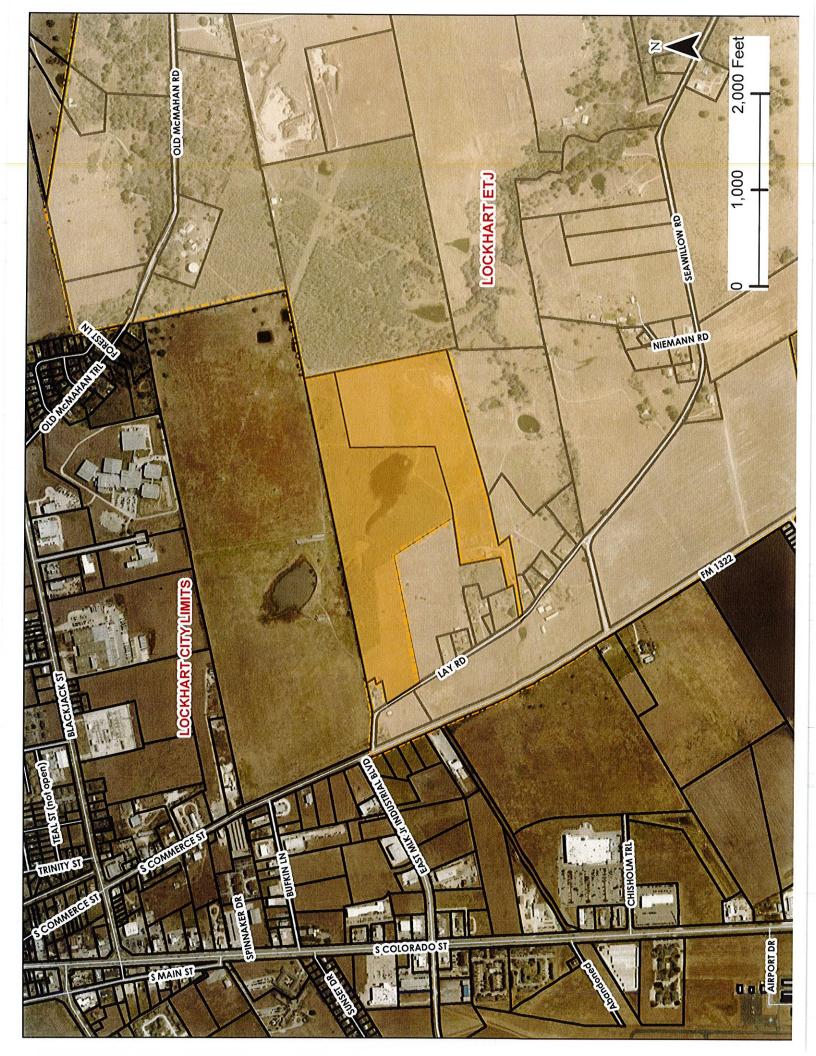
LAY RANCH SUBDIVISION



SUBJECT PROPERTY











**TO:** Planning and Zoning Commission

FROM: Kevin Waller, Senior Planner

**SUBJECT:** Agenda Item 8

**DATE:** August 20, 2025

Agenda Item 8: Consider a request by Austin Davis of Lockhart 1322, LLC for approval of a 6-month extension of the Preliminary Plat approval period (PP-23-03) for Lay Ranch Subdivision, consisting of 92.52 acres in the in the James George Survey, Abstract Number 9, zoned RMD (Residential Medium Density), and located at 200 Lay Rd. and 370 Lay Rd.

The Lay Ranch Subdivision Preliminary Plat and Subdivision Development Plan was approved by the Commission on August 28, 2024 (Case File # PP-23-03). The applicant proposes to extend the Preliminary Plat approval period by 6 months, in accordance with Section 52-33(i) of the Subdivision Regulations, and explains that additional time is needed to coordinate with the school district and/or emergency services district for a potential school site or emergency services site on the adjacent property to the north, also owned by the applicant and in the review process for a preliminary plat. Please refer to the attached extension request letter submitted via email, dated August 7, 2025, as well as additional email correspondence of August 20, 2025. According to Section 52-33(i), the Commission must consider any extensions of the approval period. The current preliminary plat approval period will expire on August 28, 2025, and approval of the extension would allow the plat to remain valid until February 27, 2026. If the extension is approved and the Final Plat for the first proposed phase is not submitted by the February 27 date, a second extension request could be submitted and considered by the Commission, in accordance with Section 52-33(i).

#### **Kevin Waller**

From:

Austin Davis <austind.realty@gmail.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, August 20, 2025 1:35 PM

To: Cc: Kevin Waller Brian Williams

Subject:

Re: Written Extension Request of Preliminary Plat Approval Period

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I believe they would both be on the riddle property.

Best Regards,

Austin Davis 817-823-9359

Sent from my IPhone

On Aug 20, 2025, at 1:11 PM, Kevin Waller < kwaller@lockhart-tx.org > wrote:

Austin, thanks. For the Emergency Services District site, would that be located on the Lay Ranch property (with the school site on the Riddle property)?

Kevin

From: Austin Davis <austind.realty@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2025 1:08 PM
To: Kevin Waller <kwaller@lockhart-tx.org>

Cc: Brian Williams < bwilliams@grayengineeringinc.com>

Subject: Re: Written Extension Request of Preliminary Plat Approval Period

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We are also in talks with the ESD for a possible site. If we move forward with either the school or esd site then it could change the layout. So we don't want to finalize the plat until we confirm these items.

Is that what you're looking for?

Thank you so much Kevin!

Best Regards,

Austin Davis 817-823-9359

Sent from my IPhone

On Aug 20, 2025, at 12:30 PM, Kevin Waller <kwaller@lockhart-tx.org> wrote:

Hi Austin:

Good to see you recently. I just wanted to see if you could clarify the reason for the preliminary plat approval period extension request for Lay Ranch. I know you had mentioned the potential school site for the Riddle Subdivision- would this be located at the southwest corner of the Riddle property, near the Lay Ranch boundary? If you could just explain how that is impacting the submission of the final plat (phase 1) for Lay Ranch, that would be great. Please let me know today, if possible. Thanks!

Kevin

From: Austin Davis <austind.realty@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, August 7, 2025 2:34 PM

To: Kevin Waller < kwaller@lockhart-tx.org>; David Fowler < dfowler@lockhart-tx.org>

Subject: Written Extension Request of Preliminary Plat Approval Period

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David and Kevin,

We would like to ask to extend the preliminary plat approval period by 6 months please. We are working with the school district for a possible school site within the commercial portion of the Riddle tract.

Thank you gentlemen. I hope you have a great rest of your week.

Best Regards,

Austin Davis Home and Land Equity 817-823-9359

#### Austin@homeandlandequity.com www.homeandlandequity.com

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LAY RANCH SUBDIVISION







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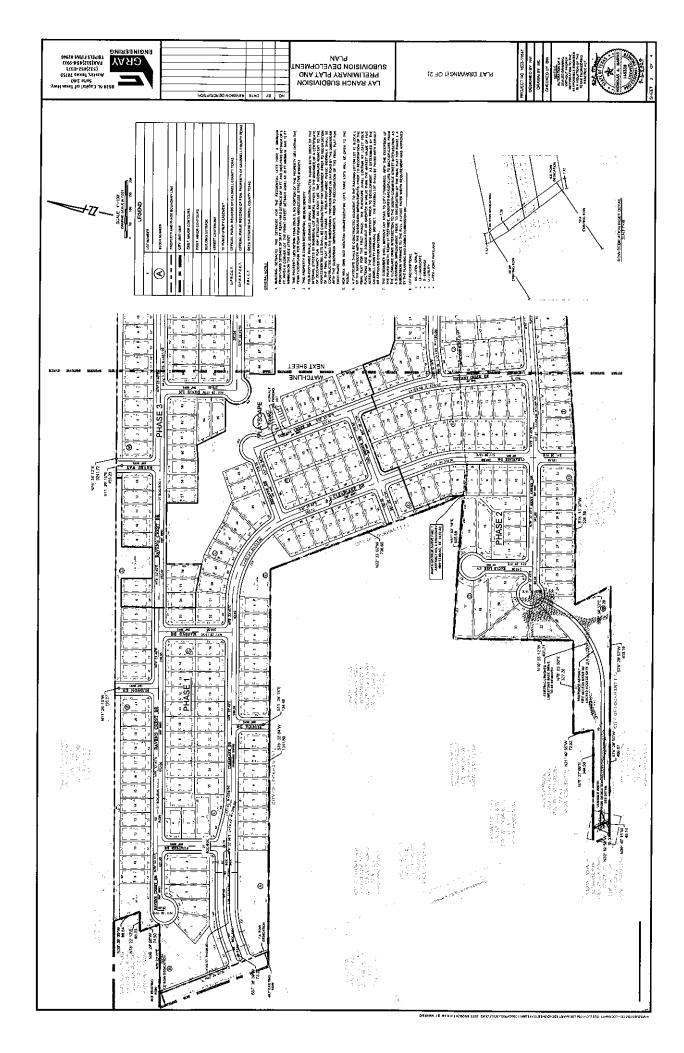


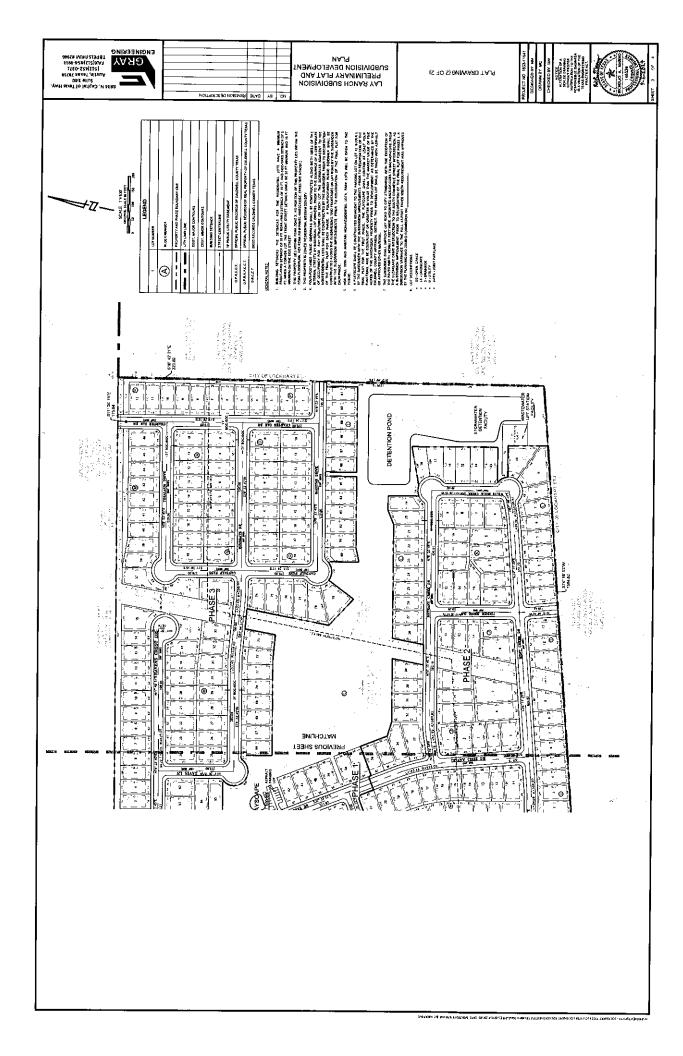














(512) 398-3461 • FAX (512) 398-5103 P.O. Box 239 • Lockhart, Texas 78644 308 West San Antonio Street

September 5, 2024

Austin Davis Lockhart 1322, LLC 2899 Cedar Hollow Rd. Georgetown, TX 78628

Dear Mr. Davis:

On August 28, 2024, the Lockhart Planning and Zoning Commission unanimously approved (6-0) your request for a Preliminary Plat and Subdivision Development Plan for Lay Ranch Subdivision (PP-23-03), consisting of 92.52 acres, located at 200 Lay Road and 370 Lay Road. The Commission's approval also included the two Variance requests, as follows: (1) to Sections 52-72(i)(2) and 52-72(p), to allow for a 31-foot paved width for the proposed reconstruction of Lay Road from the future Clearlake Drive intersection to the South Commerce Street intersection, in place of the 41-foot paved width required for Collector Streets; and (2) to Section 52-112(f), to allow for 12.3 percent of the perimeter of the large park lot (Lot 12, Block L) to contain frontage on an improved public street right-of-way, in place of the 25 percent required for public parkland over one acre in size. The Commission's approval of the plat was also subject to the following conditions: (1) include the phrase "Subdivision Development Plan" in the plat title at the top of Sheet 1 and to the sidebar on all four sheets, which will identify the subdivision as a phased development, as recommended by Staff; and (2) the posting of fiscal surety for the reconstruction of Lay Road for the additional 10 feet of width beyond the 31 feet to be constructed, to allow for the eventual, full 41-foot paved width from the future Clearlake Drive intersection to the South Commerce Street intersection as required for Collector Streets. Note that the fiscal surety would be posted at the time of the construction of the public improvements for the first phase, prior to recordation of the final plat for that phase. Please submit one full-size paper copy of the plat with the revision to the plat title noted above to our office within two weeks of the date of this letter (a digital copy may be emailed to me ahead of time for proofing.)

Following the preliminary plat process, the next step will be preparation of the final plat and engineering plans for each phase. Pursuant to Subdivision Regulations Section 52-33(i), approval of the preliminary plat shall be effective for no more than 12 months before the final plat and engineering plans are submitted for approval. For the purposes of your proposal, the deadline to submit the final plat is August 28, 2025.

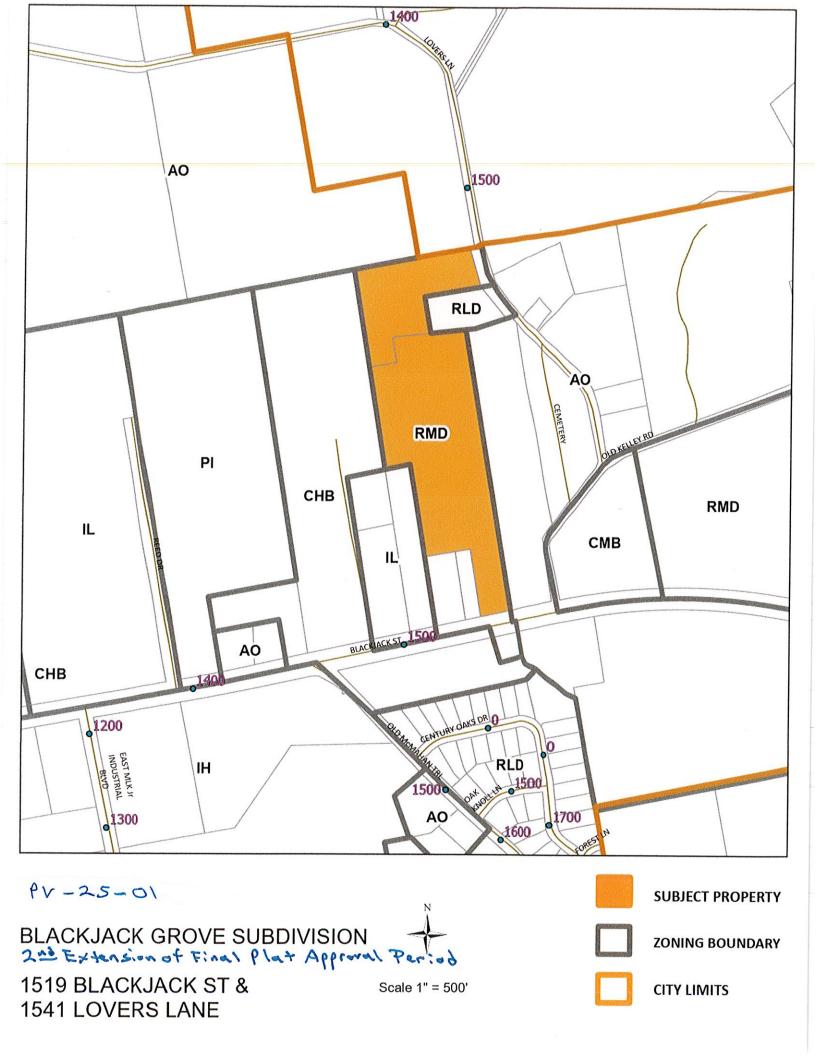
If you have any questions, please contact me by phone at 512-398-3461, Ext. 2400, or by email at <a href="mailto:kwaller@lockhart-tx.org">kwaller@lockhart-tx.org</a>.

Sincerely,

Kevin Waller Senior Planner

Cc: Nick Marino, P.E., Gray Engineering, Inc. Brian Williams, P.E., Gray Engineering, Inc. Jason Ward, P.L.S., 4Ward Land Surveying, LLC David Fowler, Planning Director

Christine Banda, Planning/GIS Technician





#### PLANNING DEPARTMENT REPORT

#### **SUBDIVISION VARIANCE**

#### CASE SUMMARY

STAFF CONTACT: Kevin Waller, Senior Planner

CASE NUMBER: PV-25-01

REPORT DATE: August 20, 2025

PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION DATE: August 27, 2025

APPLICANT'S REQUEST: A second extension, being 12 months, of the final plat approval period

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval

SUGGESTED CONDITIONS: Approval of a 6-month extension, in lieu of the requested 12-month

extension; and no further extensions be granted.

#### **BACKGROUND DATA**

ENGINEER AND APPLICANT: Hugo Elizondo, Jr., P.E., C.F.M., Cuatro Consultants, Ltd.

SURVEYOR: George E. Lucas, P.L.S., Celco Surveying

OWNER: James Cotton, 2401 C.R. 219, LLC

SITE LOCATION: 1519 Blackjack Street and 1541 Lover's Lane

SUBDIVISION NAME: Blackjack Grove Subdivision

SIZE OF PROPERTY: 13.76 acres

NUMBER OF LOTS: 57 single-family residential lots and one stormwater detention lot

EXISTING USE OF PROPERTY: Undeveloped

ZONING CLASSIFICATION: RMD (Residential Medium Density)

#### **ANALYSIS OF ISSUES**

PROPOSED VARIANCE: The Blackjack Grove Subdivision Final Plat was approved by the Commission on February 28, 2024. On February 14, 2025, a one-time, six-month extension to the final plat approval period was granted by the Planning Director (letter attached) upon request by the applicant, in accordance with Section 52-35(e) of the Subdivision Regulations. With that extension, the deadline to begin construction of the required public improvements was extended to August 28, 2025. The applicant now requests a second extension of time, being 12 months (one year), to begin construction of the public improvements, for a proposed deadline of August 28, 2026. Since this is the second extension request, and Section 52-35(e) only allows for one, 6-month extension, a variance to the Subdivision Regulations must first be approved by the Commission, prior to approval of any additional extensions. Similar requests for a second extension of the Final Plat approval period were also submitted and approved for Summerside Sections 5 and 6, as well as Cavalry Subdivision along the south side of State Park Road.

AREA CHARACTERISTICS: The subject property is bordered to the east by a vacant parcel, as well as two properties in single-family residential use. The neighboring properties to the south, including one across Blackjack Street, are also developed with single-family residences. A vacant parcel is located to the west, as well as one in commercial use. The two properties to the north are both large parcels with a single-family residence on each, zoned Agricultural-Open Space (AO) (west parcel), and unzoned (ETJ) (east parcel). Of these two parcels, the west parcel is owned by the applicant. This property was originally included within the boundaries of the subdivision proposal. A proposed zoning change to RMD for that property, however, was denied by the City Council on October 18,

2022, and it was subsequently excluded from the subdivision boundaries. The proposed subdivision will derive access from both Blackjack Street and Lover's Lane, which will improve traffic circulation into the development compared with a single access point and help minimize congestion. Approval from TxDOT for the new internal street approach onto Blackjack Street is required, prior to construction.

SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES: The applicant explains that negotiations and mediation with the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority (GBRA), which plans to extend a water line through the property, have significantly delayed the planned construction of the public improvements.

PRESERVATION OF SUBSTANTIAL PROPERTY RIGHT: Although the applicant does not lose a substantial property right by adhering to the previous 6-month extension approval to August 28, 2025, approval of a second extension would allow the initiation of development of the property to be preserved for an additional six months, a timeframe Staff determines to be reasonable.

EFFECT ON SURROUNDING PROPERTY AND PUBLIC SAFETY: A second, 6-month extension of time to begin construction of the subdivision improvements will have no adverse impacts on surrounding properties or on public safety.

EFFECT ON ORDERLY SUBDIVISION OF OTHER LAND: Approval of a second extension of the final plat approval period will not limit the potential for subdivision or development of other land in the area.

ALTERNATIVES: The applicant could initiate the construction process as an alternative to the proposed variance by August 28, 2025, but has instead requested a 12-month, second extension of time to do so. The GBRA water line negotiations, as previously noted, present complications with adhering to the current deadline to begin construction. Although the applicant has requested a 12-month extension, Staff believes that a 6-month extension is a reasonable timeframe, which is consistent with the length of time allowed for the one-time extension provided in Section 52-35(e).

SUGGESTED CONDITIONS: In addition to the suggested condition for a 6-month extension in lieu of the requested 12 months, Staff recommends that if the extension request is approved, no further extensions be granted in the future.



Firm Registration No. F-3524

August 6, 2025

Kevin Waller, Senior Planner City of Lockhart Development Services 308 W. San Antonio St. Lockhart, Texas 78644

RE:

**BLACKJACK GROVE SUBDIVISION** 

CITY OF LOCKHART, TEXAS

CCL 22-026

Subject:

PLAT APPROVAL EXTENSION VARIANCE REQUEST

Dear Mr. Waller:

The Final Plat approval period expires if the construction of any required public improvements has not commenced within 12 months of approval. One six-month extension may be considered by the Planning Director.

Per the City of Lockhart Plat Application, we provide the following evidence for the variance request.

- 1. The Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority (GBRA) has a planned water line which includes this Site. Negotiations and mediation were necessary to determine the final path of the waterline through the Project, thus delaying the Project significantly. The strict application of Code would deprive the applicant of reasonable use of the land, to construct approved improvements.
- 2. The variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of the substantial property rights of the applicant. The applicant has approved Construction Drawings and a Final Plat, compliant with Code.
- 3. An extension of the approval period is not a risk to public health, safety, or welfare and will not prove injurious to other property in the area.
- 4. An extension of the approval period will not prevent the orderly subdivision of the adjacent properties to the west.

Therefore, we request a variance from the one time six-month extension to allow an additional twelve-month extension.

Please advise if you have questions on this matter.

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Sincerely,

Karch Bickham, P.E.

Project Manager



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February 14, 2025

Jimbo Cotton P.O. Box 5708 Austin, TX 78763

Dear Mr. Cotton:

This is your notice that the requested 6-month extension to begin construction of the public improvements for Blackjack Grove Subdivision, following approval of the Final Plat on February 28, 2024 is <u>approved</u>, in accordance with Section 52-35(e) of the Subdivision Regulations. The Final Plat will remain valid until <u>August 28, 2025</u>. No further extensions can be granted, so construction of the public improvements should commence before that date. If construction hasn't begun by then, a new application for the Final Plat will have to be submitted for Planning and Zoning Commission approval.

Sincerely,

David P. Fowler, AICP Planning Director

Cc:

Hugo Elizondo, Jr., P.E., Cuatro Consultants, Ltd. Chris Elizondo, Cuatro Consultants, Ltd. Karch Bickham, E.I.T., Cuatro Consultants, Ltd. George E. Lucas, P.L.S., Celco Surveying Christine Banda, Planning/GIS Technician Sean Kelley, Public Works Director

#### 2401 CR 219, LLC 502 Baylor Street Austin, Texas 78703 (512) 467-4056

February 13, 2025

Mr. Kevin Waller Senior Planner City of Lockhart Development Services 308 W. San Antonio Street Lockhart, Texas 78644

via email to: kwaller@lockhart-tx.org

RE Final Plat FP-23-06
Blackjack Grove Subdivision
1519 Blackjack Street and 1514 Lovers Lane
Lockhart, Texas

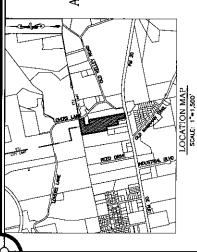
Dear Mr. Waller:

On behalf of 2401 CR 219, LLC, I respectfully request a formal one-time extension of the approval period for the Final Plat FP-23-06. The approval period is set to expire on February 28, 2025, as approved by the City of Lockhart Planning and Zoning Commission on February 28, 2024. Per the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances, a one-time 6-month extension is available upon formal request. We are currently negotiating a settlement with the Guadalupe Blanco River Authority on the location of a waterline easement.

Thank you

Jimbo Cotton

Managing Member



FINAL PLAT OF

# BLACKJACK GROVE SUBDIVISION

OUT OF THE JAMES GEORGE SURVEY NO. 7,
ABSTRACT NO. 9, AND LOT 2, REYNA ACRES SUBDIVISION
CALDWELL COUNTY, TEXAS

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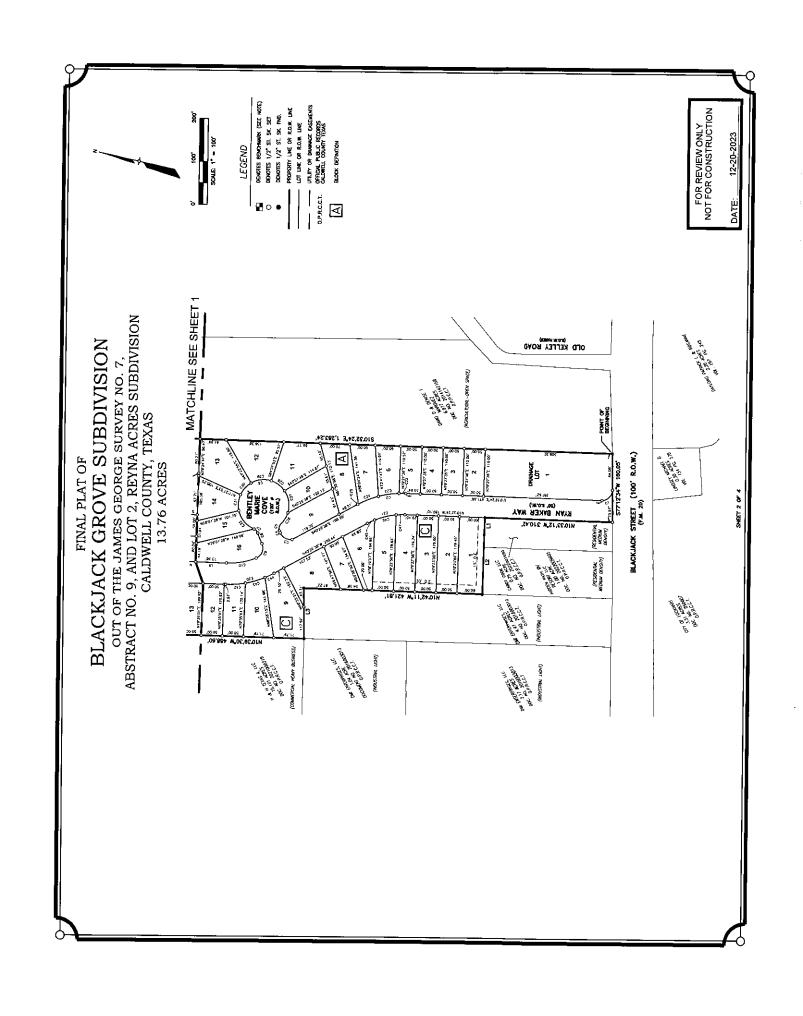
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# SUBDIVISION PLAT APPLICATION

# Lockhart

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APPLICANTS	
SURVEYOR NAME George E. Lucas	ADDRESS 18018 Overlook Loop, Ste. 105
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE (512) 635-4857	San Antonio, TX 78259
E-MAIL george@celcosurveying.com	
ENGINEER NAME Hugo Elizondo, Jr., P.E., C.F.M.	ADDRESS 120 Riverwalk Drive, Suite 208
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE (512) 565-9040	San Marcos, TX 78666
E-MAIL hugo@cuatroconsultants.com	
OWNER NAME Jimbo Cotton	ADDRESS PO Box 5708
DAY-TIME TELEPHONE (512) 784-3015	Austin, TX 78763
E-MAIL jimbo@matexas.com	
TYPE OF APPLICATION (check al	l that apply)
PRELIMINARY PLAT SUBDIVISI	ON DEVELOPMENT PLAN FINAL PLAT
MINOR PLAT REPLAT	MINOR REPLAT RESUBDIVISION
AMENDING PLAT DEVI	ELOPMENT PLAT
PROPERTY	
SUBDIVISION NAME Blackjack Grove Su	
ADDRESS OR GENERAL LOCATION 1400 LO	vers Lane, Lockhart, TX 78644
LOCATED IN X CITY LIMIT	rs etj (county) pdd
TOTAL LAND AREA 13.76 ACRE(S)	PROPOSED NUMBER OF LOTS 57
ZONING CLASSIFICATION(S) Residential M	
PROPOSED USE OF LAND Single family Su	bdivision

#### SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

NAME(S) AND ADDRESS(ES) OF PROPERTY LIEN-HOLDERS, IF ANY.

IF THE APPLICATION IS FOR AN AMENDING PLAT, REPLAT, MINOR REPLAT, OR RESUBDIVISION -A COPY OF EXISTING DEED RESTRICTIONS OR RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS, IF ANY.

IF THE APPLICATION IS FOR A FINAL PLAT INVOLVING PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS - TWO FULL-SIZE PAPER COPIES OF THE ENGINEERING PLANS.

IF THE APPLICATION IS FOR, OR INCLUDES, A SUBDIVISION CODE VARIANCE - COMPLETED VARIANCE SECTION ON NEXT PAGE AND REQUIRED STATEMENT NOTED THEREIN.

PLAT DOCUMENTS, AS FOLLOWS, CONTAINING THE INFORMATION REQUIRED IN ARTICLE 23-6. (Amending Plats, Replats, Resubdivision Plats, Minor Plats, and Minor Replats are considered the same as Final Plats for the purposes of content and format). All plat copies shall be full-size paper copies.

One copy for staff's completeness review; six copies after plat is deemed complete.

12 copies after initial staff reviews above (preliminary plats, final plats, replats, and resubdivisions).

Two copies after initial staff reviews (amending plats, minor plats, and minor replats).

Two signed and sealed mylar reproducibles (three if applicant wants to keep one) of approved amending plat, replat, resubdivision, final plat, minor plat, or minor replat, for recording. One recorded reproducible is filed at the County Clerk's office, and the other is returned to the City.

APPLICATION FEE OF \$ 250.00 PAYABLE TO THE CITY OF LOCKHART (NO FEE FOR SUBDIVISION DEVELOPMENT PLANS OR APPEALS):

Preliminary Plat or Development Plat

\$1,500.00, plus \$100.00 per acre

Final Plat, Replat, or Resubdivision

\$1,000.00, plus \$100.00 per acre

Amending Plat, Minor Plat, or Minor Replat not requiring a public meeting

\$750.00, plus \$100.00 per acre

Subdivision Variance

\$750.00 per variance requested

Recording fee for Final Plat, Replat,

Resubdivision, Amending Plat, Minor Plat, or Minor Replat

\$71.00 for the first sheet, and \$50.00 for each additional sheet (payable to the Caldwell County

Clerk)

To the best of my knowledge, this application and associated documents conform to all requirements of the City of Lockhart Subdivision Regulations. By signing below I agree that if any part of this plat and/or associated construction plans is found to be incorrect, incomplete, or otherwise deficient with regard to applicable City standards, the deadline imposed by the Texas Local Government Code, Section 212.009, for approval or denial of the plat and/or associated construction plans by the City within 30 days of the date this application is deemed complete can be voluntarily extended for an additional 30 days upon mutual agreement by the applicant and the City. I further agree that if any part of this plat and/or associated construction plans remains deficient at such time that the plat and/or associated construction plans cannot be approved prior to the expiration of the second 30 days, the plat or construction plans will be subject to denial by the approval authority. It is understood that I or another representative should be present at all public meetings concerning this application.

SIGNATURE (

PRINTED NAME Hygo Elizondo, Jr., P.E., C.F.M.

TELEPHONE (512) 565-9040

#### PLAT APPROVAL PERIODS

VARIANCE TO SECTION(S) Section 52-35.(e)

CONDITIONS (IF ANY)

A preliminary plat approval period expires if a final plat and the engineering plans for one or more sections is not submitted within 12 months of approval. Upon written request received prior to the expiration, a maximum of two six-month extensions may be considered by the Planning and Zoning Commission.

A final plat approval period expires if the construction of any required public improvements has not commenced within 12 months of approval. Upon written request received prior to the expiration, one six-month extension may be considered by the Planning Director.

OF THE SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS

SUBDIVISION VARIANCE (for variance applications, only)

CURRENT ORDINANCE REQUIREMENT(S) One six-month extension for Final Plat approval period.
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REQUESTED VARIANCE(S) A twelve-month extension for Final Plat approval period
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<ol> <li>Special circumstances or conditions affect the land involved such that strict application of the provisions of the Code would deprive the applicant reasonable use of the land;</li> </ol>
<ol><li>The variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of a substantial property right of the applicant;</li></ol>
<ol><li>The variance will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, or welfare, and will not be injurious to other property in the area; and,</li></ol>
<ol> <li>The variance will not have the effect of preventing the orderly subdivision of other lands in the area in accordance with the provisions of the Code.</li> </ol>
OFFICE USE ONLY
DATE SUBMITTED #118/25  CASE NUMBER PV 25 01
DATE APPLICATION IS DEEMED COMPLETE
DATE NOTICES MAILED DATE NOTICE PUBLISHED (For certain Replats or Resubdivisions without vacating preceding plat)
PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING DATE 8/27/2 DECISION

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THIS FORM SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT, AFTER CONSULTING WITH THE UTILITY SERVICE PROVIDERS LISTED BELOW, FOR ALL PLATS, EXCEPT AMENDING PLATS, AND FINAL PLATS THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH APPROVED PRELIMINARY PLATS. THE FOLLOWING UTILITY SERVICE CODES ARE TO BE INDICATED, AS APPLICABLE, IN THE SPACE PROVIDED BELOW.

- A Adequate service is currently available to the proposed subdivision.
- B Adequate service is not currently available, but arrangements have been made to provide it.
- Adequate service is not available, and arrangements have *not* been made to provide it from the utility.
- D Additional easements are needed for the utility within the subject property.

NAME OF WATER SERVICE PROVIDER City of Lockhart
APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S)
WASTEWATER SERVICE APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S) City of Lockhart
APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S)
TEXAS GAS SERVICE GAS COMPANY
APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S)
NAME OF ELECTRIC SERVICE PROVIDER Bluebonnet Electric Cooperative
APPLICABLE UTILITY SERVICE CODE(S)
UNDERGROUND Yes X No