# Land Development and Transportation Committee Staff Report

October 13, 2016



Case No:	16zone1026
Request:	Change in zoning from R-4 to R-5A and OR-1 on 1.90 acres with a variance and waivers
Project Name:	Taylor Cove
Location:	4208 Taylorsville Road
Owner:	Teulu Homes LLC
Applicant:	Teulu Homes LLC
Representative:	Gresham Smith and Partners; Anthony Waits
Jurisdiction:	Louisville Metro
Council District:	11-Kevin Kramer
Case Manager:	Julia Williams, RLA, AICP, Planning
	Supervisor

## REQUEST

- Change in zoning from R-4 to R-5A and OR-1
- Variance from 5.3.1.C.5 to reduce the required 15' setback along the east property line to 12'.
- Waivers:
  - 1. Waiver from 10.2.4.A to permit parking and a sidewalk to encroach into the 15' LBA between OR-1 and R-5A zoning and to eliminate the required 6' screen.
  - 2. Waiver from 10.2.4. A to permit the encroachment of a drive lane into the 15' LBA along the east property line.
  - 3. Waiver from 10.2.4.B to allow a utility easement to encroach into an LBA along the west property line by more than 50%.
- Detailed District Development plan

### CASE SUMMARY/BACKGROUND/SITE CONTEXT

The applicant is proposing to change the zoning to OR-1 around a portion of the site that has an existing residential structure. The rest of the site is proposed to be zoned R-5A for 3 multi-family residential buildings. 3 4 unit 2-story multi-family structures are proposed. 10 parking spaces are proposed for the office building and 30 spaces are provided for the residential proposal (15 surface, 15 garage).

### LAND USE/ZONING DISTRICT/FORM DISTRICT TABLE

	Land Use	Zoning	Form District
Subject Property			
Existing	Single Family Residential	R-4	Ν
Proposed	Commercial/Multi-Family	OR-1/R-5A	Ν
Surrounding Properties			
North	Single Family Residential	R-4	Ν
South	Single Family Residential	R-4	Ν
East	Single Family Residential	R-4	N
West	Single Family Residential	R-4	Ν

### **PREVIOUS CASES ON SITE**

None found.

# INTERESTED PARTY COMMENTS

Please see attachments for interested party comments.

### APPLICABLE PLANS AND POLICIES

Cornerstone 2020 Land Development Code

#### STANDARD OF REVIEW FOR REZONING

#### Criteria for granting the proposed form district change/rezoning: KRS Chapter 100.213

- 1. <u>The proposed form district/rezoning change complies with the applicable guidelines and policies</u> <u>Cornerstone 2020; **OR**</u>
- 2. <u>The existing form district/zoning classification is inappropriate and the proposed classification is appropriate; **OR**</u>
- 3. <u>There have been major changes of an economic, physical, or social nature within the area involved</u> which were not anticipated in Cornerstone 2020 which have substantially altered the basic character of the area.

### STAFF ANALYSIS FOR REZONING

Following is staff's analysis of the proposed rezoning against the Guidelines and Policies of Cornerstone 2020.

#### The site is located in the Neighborhood Form District

The Neighborhood Form is characterized by predominantly residential uses that vary from low to high density and that blend compatibly into the existing landscape and neighborhood areas. High-density uses will be limited in scope to minor or major arterials and to areas that have limited impact on the low to moderate density residential areas.

The Neighborhood Form will contain diverse housing types in order to provide housing choice for differing ages and incomes. New neighborhoods are encouraged to incorporate these different housing types within a neighborhood as long as the different types are designed to be compatible with nearby land uses. These types may include, but not be limited to large lot single family developments with cul-de-sacs, neo-traditional neighborhoods with short blocks or walkways in the middle of long blocks to connect with other streets, villages and zero lot line neighborhoods with open space, and high density multi-family condominium-style or rental housing.

The Neighborhood Form may contain open space and, at appropriate locations, civic uses and neighborhood centers with a mixture of uses such as offices, retail shops, restaurants and services. These neighborhood centers should be at a scale that is appropriate for nearby neighborhoods. The Neighborhood Form should provide for accessibility and connectivity between adjacent uses and neighborhoods by automobile, pedestrian, bicycles and transit.

Neighborhood streets may be either curvilinear, rectilinear or in a grid pattern and should be designed to invite human interaction. Streets are connected and easily accessible to each other, using design elements

such as short blocks or bike/walkways in the middle of long blocks to connect with other streets. Examples of design elements that encourage this interaction include narrow street widths, street trees, sidewalks, shaded seating/gathering areas and bus stops. Placement of utilities should permit the planting of shade trees along both sides of the streets.

#### **TECHNICAL REVIEW**

• Technical review comments have been addressed.

#### STAFF CONCLUSIONS

The proposal is ready for a public hearing date to be set. A petition for a night hearing in a convenient location was received and evaluated for accuracy by Planning and Design Services staff. The petitioner requested that the night hearing be held at the McMahan Fire Department on Taylorsville Road. The Fire Department indicated that the located was not available. Staff has reserved the East Government Center in Middletown for the following dates: November 14, 16, 28, and 30.

### NOTIFICATION

Date	Purpose of Notice	Recipients
9/29/16	Hearing before LD&T	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> tier adjoining property owners Subscribers of Council District 11 Notification of Development Proposals
	Hearing before PC	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> tier adjoining property owners Subscribers of Council District 11 Notification of Development Proposals
	Hearing before PC	Sign Posting on property
	Hearing before PC	Legal Advertisement in the Courier-Journal

# ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Zoning Map
- 2. Aerial Photograph
- 3. Proposed Binding Elements

# 1. Zoning Map





# 3. <u>Proposed Binding Elements</u>

- 1. The development shall be in accordance with the approved district development plan, all applicable sections of the Land Development Code (LDC) and agreed upon binding elements unless amended pursuant to the Land Development Code. Any changes/additions/alterations of any binding element(s) shall be submitted to the Planning Commission or the Planning Commission's designee for review and approval; any changes/additions/alterations not so referred shall not be valid.
- 2. The development shall not exceed 2,420 square feet of gross floor area for the office use.
- 3. No outdoor advertising signs, small freestanding signs, pennants, balloons, or banners shall be permitted on the site.
- 4. Construction fencing shall be erected when off-site trees or tree canopy exists within 3' of a common property line. Fencing shall be in place prior to any grading or construction to protect the existing root systems from compaction. The fencing shall enclose the entire area beneath the tree canopy and shall remain in place until all construction is completed. No parking, material storage or construction activities are permitted within the protected area.
- 5. Before any permit (including but not limited to building, parking lot, change of use, site disturbance, alteration permit or demolition permit) is requested:
  - a. The development plan must receive full construction approval from Develop Louisville, Louisville Metro Public Works and the Metropolitan Sewer District.
  - b. Encroachment permits must be obtained from the Kentucky Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways.
  - c. The property owner/developer must obtain approval of a detailed plan for screening (buffering/landscaping) as described in Chapter 10 prior to requesting a building permit. Such plan shall be implemented prior to occupancy of the site and shall be maintained thereafter.
  - d. A Tree Preservation Plan in accordance with Chapter 10 of the LDC shall be reviewed and approved prior to obtaining approval for site disturbance.
- 6. A certificate of occupancy must be received from the appropriate code enforcement department prior to occupancy of the structure or land for the proposed use. All binding elements requiring action and approval must be implemented prior to requesting issuance of the certificate of occupancy, unless specifically waived by the Planning Commission.
- 7. There shall be no outdoor music (live, piped, radio or amplified) or outdoor entertainment or outdoor PA system permitted on the site.
- 8. The applicant, developer, or property owner shall provide copies of these binding elements to tenants, purchasers, contractors, subcontractors and other parties engaged in development of this site and shall advise them of the content of these binding elements. These binding elements shall run with the land and the owner of the property and occupant of the property shall at all times be responsible for compliance with these binding elements. At all times during development of the site, the applicant and developer, their heirs, successors; and assignees, contractors, subcontractors, and other parties engaged in development of the site, shall be responsible for compliance with these binding elements.
- 9. The materials and design of proposed structures shall be substantially the same as depicted in the rendering as presented at the \_\_\_\_\_\_ Planning Commission meeting.