15AREA1004 Portland Area-Wide





Louisville Metro Planning Commission Public Hearing

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Request(s)

 Area-wide change in zoning for multiple properties in the Portland Neighborhood

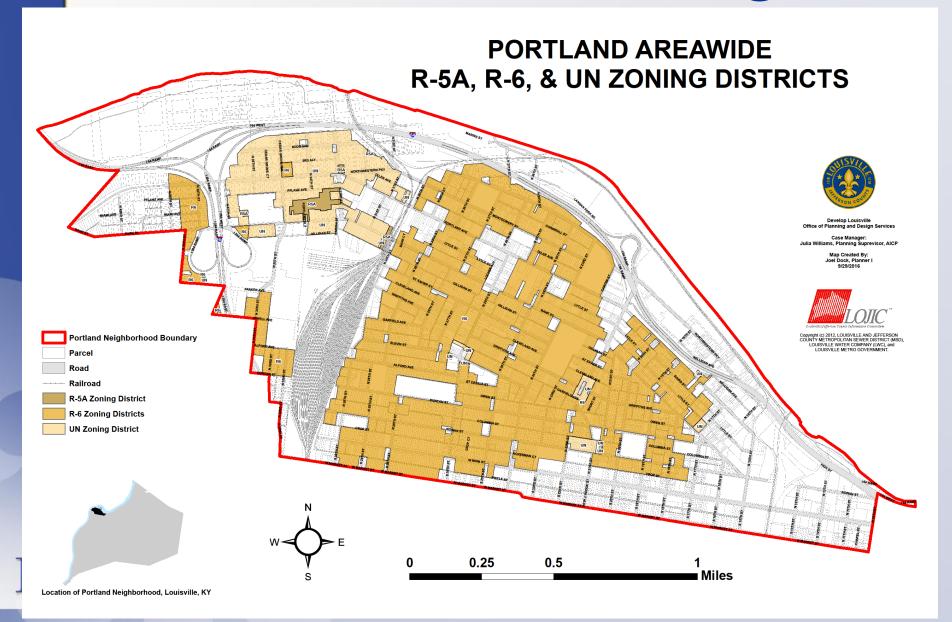


Case Summary / Background

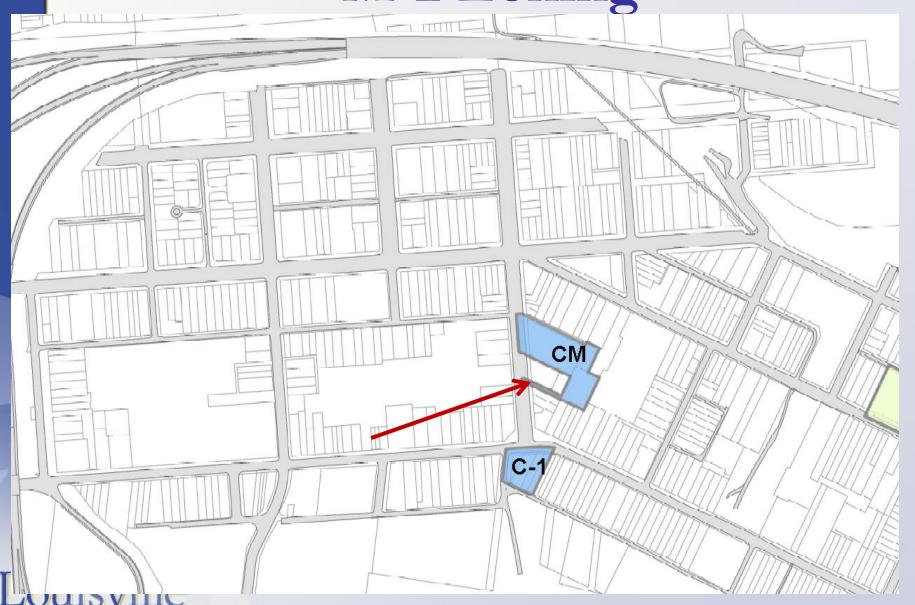
- Portland Neighborhood Plan
- Reflect the small lot single family residential pattern in neighborhood
- 3,647 parcels
- 2 Land Use / Community Form recommendations

Number	Recommendation
LU-2	Conduct a zoning study to identify properties current properties zoned R-6 and R-5A that have a current small lot residential pattern. Those properties identified shall be rezoned to UN Urban Neighborhood, to better reflect the small lot single family residential pattern. Exclude existing large lot residential properties from any rezoning to the UN district. Allow future multi-family residential development on a case by case basis under the Planned Development Option only if the development is in accordance with the Portland Pattern Book to ensure compatibility.
LU-3	Conduct a zoning study of properties zoned M-2 to determine existing use and recommend appropriate zoning based on the current use of the property and the ability for future mixed-use redevelopment. After completion of the study, conduct an area-wide rezoning to reflect the results of the zoning study.

R-6 and R-5A Zoning



M-2 Zoning



Site Photos R-6 Properties







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Applicable Plans & Policies

- Cornerstone 2020
- Portland Neighborhood Plan (2/2008)



Staff Analysis and Conclusions

- The area wide rezoning complies with all applicable Guidelines and Policies of Cornerstone 2020
- The existing zoning classification is inappropriate and the proposed zoning classifications are appropriate.
- Desire by neighborhood to protect the traditional character of development
- Existing M-2 properties were underutilized and vacant



Required Actions

- Zoning from R-6 to UN: Recommend to Louisville Metro Council for approval/denial
- Zoning from M-2 to CM: Recommend to Louisville Metro Council for approval/denial

