

Louisville Metro Board of Zoning Adjustment

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19 CUP1018 – Application for Short Term Rental

- 813 Franklin Street -

813 Franklin Street - Shanty Boat House

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The view from the top of the stairs and balcony is of the dining area. The Emrichs bought the bentwood chairs for \$5 each at a sale at Churchill Downs, then refinished them. French doors lead to a backyard garden.



The Emrichs" "shanty boat" house in Louisville.

Shotgun surprise

THE neighborhood legend about this house is that it floated up in the '37 flood and somebody just built a foundation under it," says Mary Jane Emrich, "They call it 'the shanty boat' and if you look at the front of the house it definitely looks like a shanty boat."

The exterior of the small shotgun house on Franklin Street in Louisville's Butcherrown neighborhood doesn't betray a clue to the contemporary treatment of the interior. Plants blanket the windows of the only room visible from the street. A small passageway at the side of the 16-foot-wide house leads downstairs to the main entrance.

Mrs. Emrich and her husband, Claud Emrich III, have created a wealth of space and living area by using what was the cellar of the house as a living room, dining area and kitchen. What was the major living area is now the master bedroom, guest bedroom, library and bathroom.

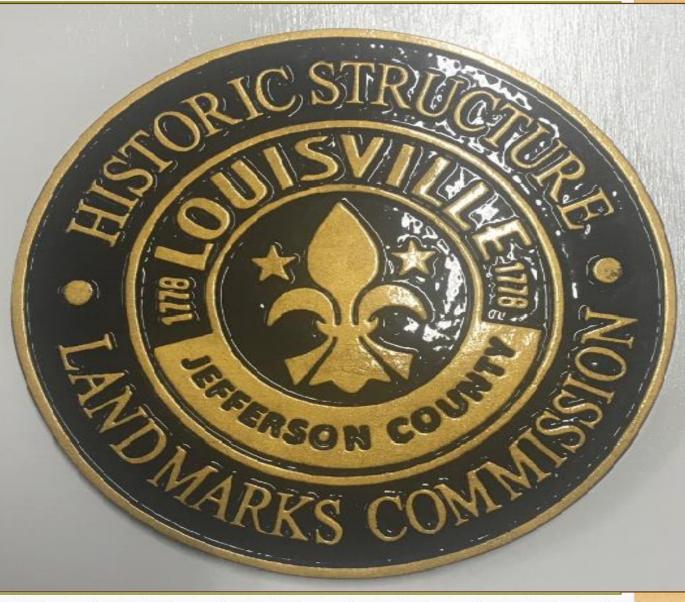
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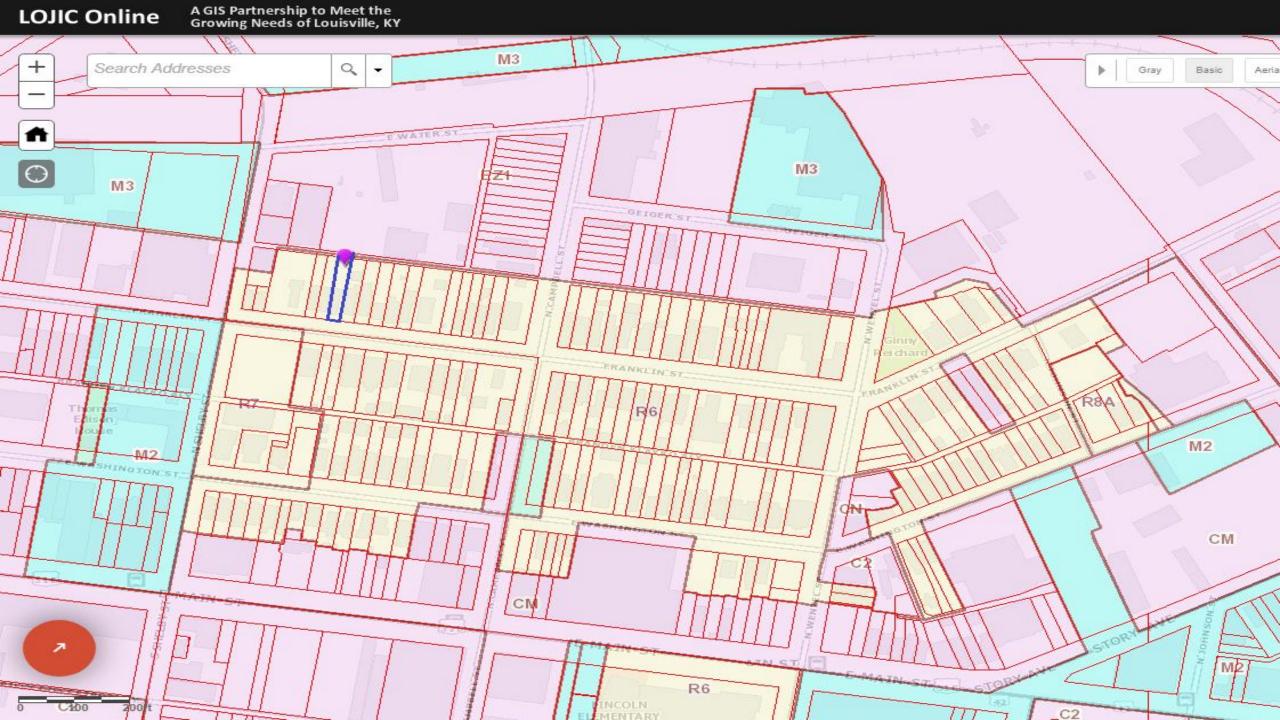
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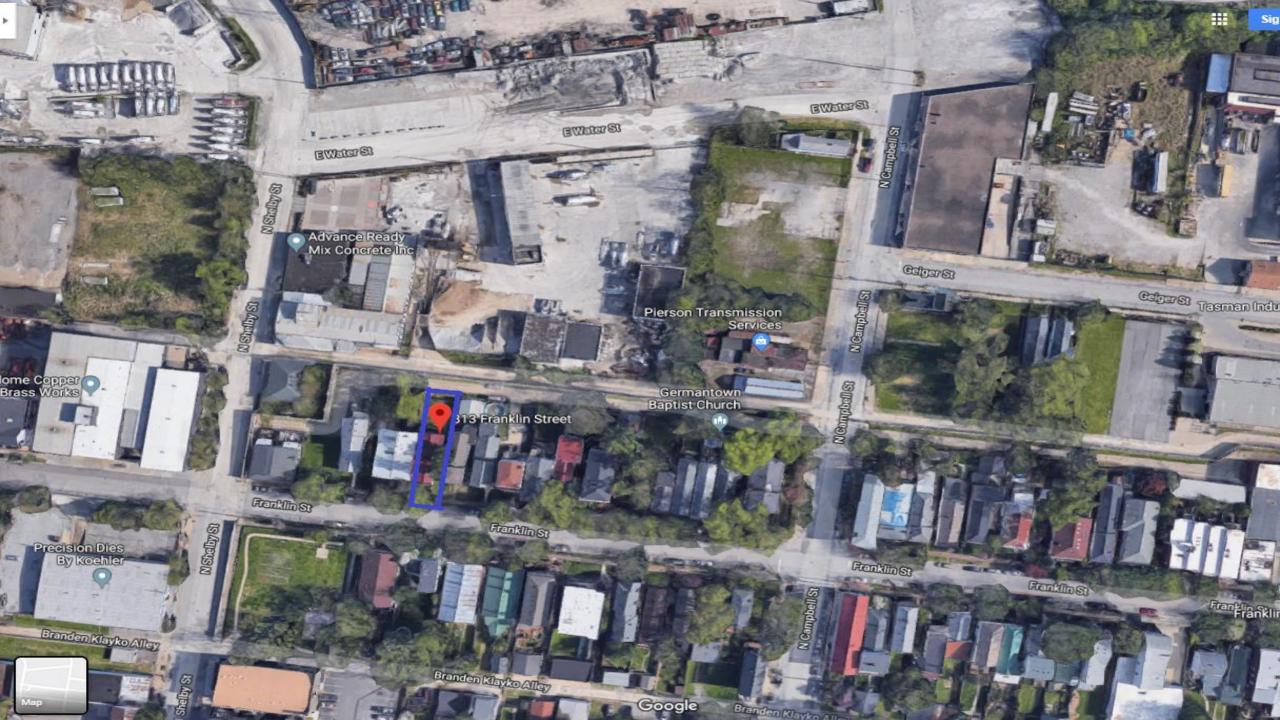
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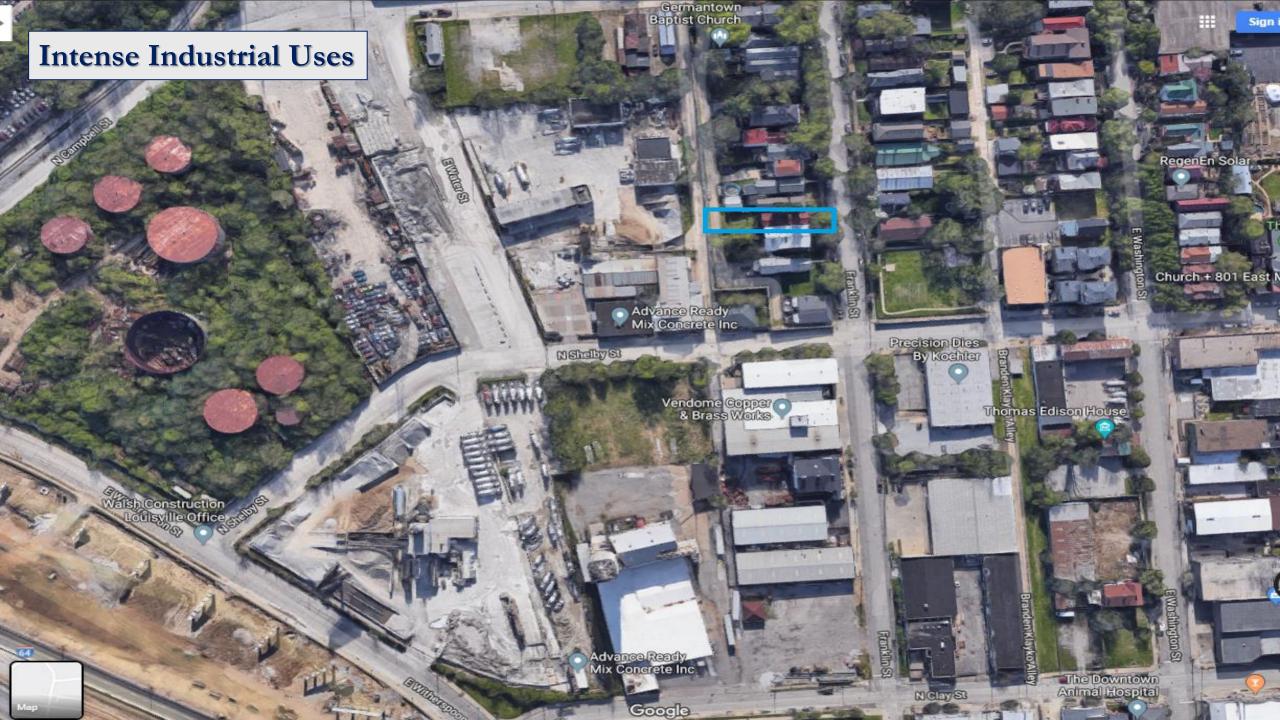




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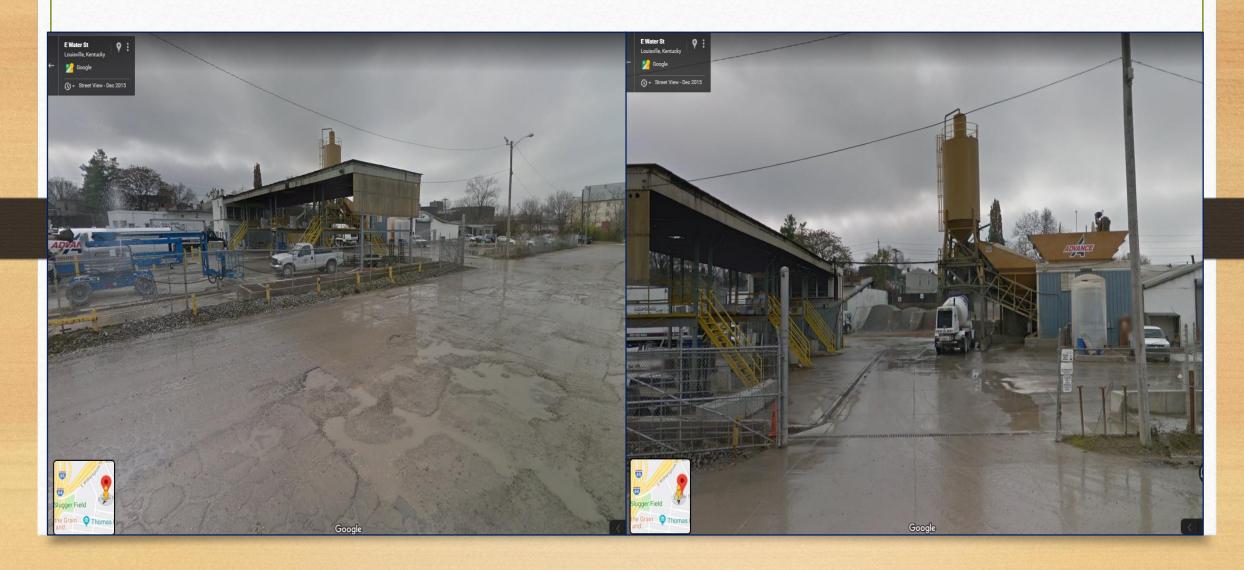




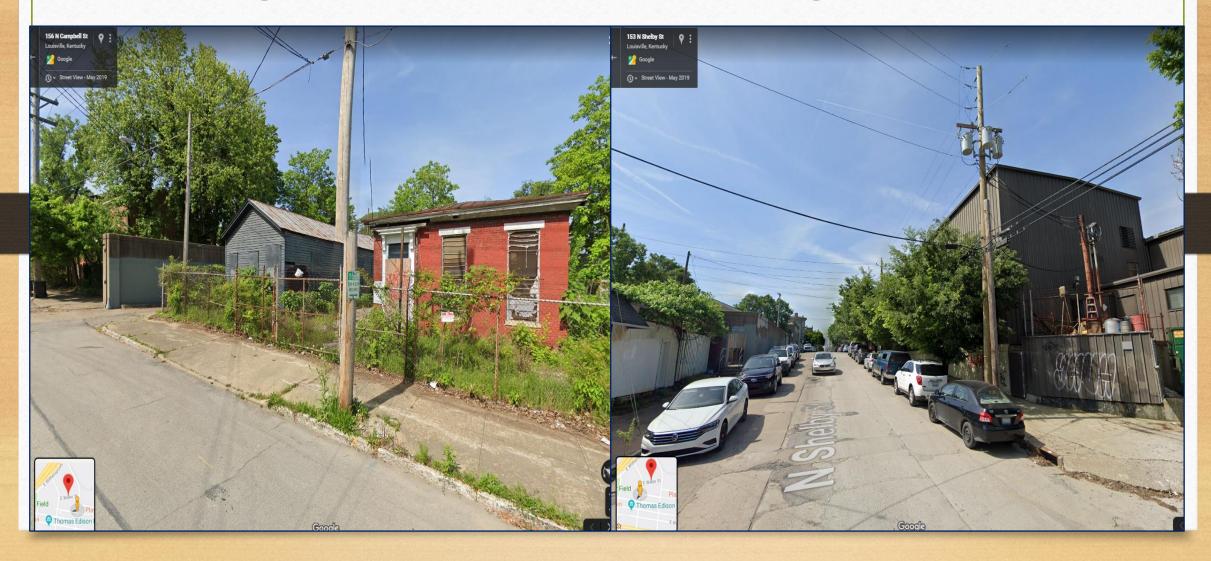




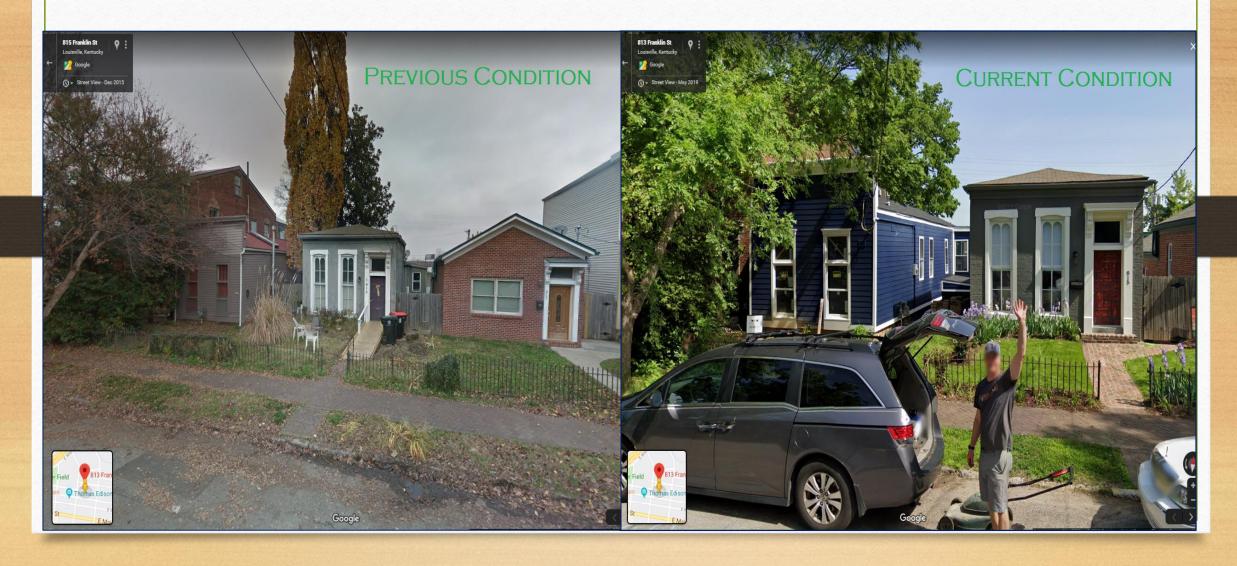
E. WATER ST. - DIRECTLY BEHIND FLOOD WALL



ALLEY @ N. CAMPBELL AND @ N. SHELBY



- FROM VACANT TO BRAND NEW -



- FROM EYESORE TO CONTRIBUTING ASSET -



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BUTCHERTOWN

- Butchertown Residents are familiar with short term rentals and voice concerns about those applications that concern them.
 - 832 Franklin Street (18CUP1042)
 - 834 Franklin Street (18CUP1043)
 - 909 E. Washington Street (18CUP1053)
- Shanty Boat House is surrounded by duplexes & rental properties
- 12 of the 15 people that were sent letters are LLC members; meaning large investment groups own properties on entire street









