

## Planning and Zoning Commission Report ZC 01-14

The following zoning change request was considered during a public hearing at the Planning & Zoning Commission meeting on <u>March 11, 2014</u>:

ZONING CHANGE request from Commercial to MF-3 for the property located at the 1300 Block of E. Walnut, 6.000 acres, Abstract 35, Property ID's 59299 & 59643.

Helena Schaefer presented the staff report. Staff recommends approval of the request to change the zoning back to MF-3 and noting that there is a proposed buyer for the property.

Concluding the Staff Report and noting the surrounding land uses and the recommendations of the Comprehensive Plan, staff recommended approval of the zoning change to "Multi-Family 3."

Mr. MacDonald, Applicant provided the Commission with a brief overview of the intentions of the property as well as the layout. He explained that College Street is to remain an emergency access point and a privacy fence will be set up for the planned apartment complex. It was stated by Mr. MacDonald that 100 percent of the tenants are screened for criminal and credit history prior to renting.

Dr. Pamela Tackett, Tackett Chiropractic, spoke regarding concerns of possible noise, the variables that come with apartment living, traffic, and trash. She also stated that the emergency entrance and fencing are important. Drainage for the property was also questioned and discussed.

Traci Cole, Sprouts Learning Academy agreed with Dr. Tackett's concerns, stating her concern for potential dangers to the Academy. She was comfortable knowing that there is to be a fence and fire exit off of College Street, however morning traffic was the main concern followed by the clientele expected for the apartment complex.

Jim Price, Remax Professional Realty stated that he sought one of the best owners/developers in the state. He also stated that they (Mr. MacDonald and his group) are good operators, experienced, and will be good neighbors.

Bruno Martinez, P&Z Commission Member asked about a traffic study. Bill Couch informed him that one could be requested, at the time of platting but the decision is up to the City Engineer to ask for the study.

After consideration of the staff report and all information given, the Planning and Zoning Commission voted 8-0-1 to recommend to City Council to approve the zoning change request to MF-3.

RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE ZONING CHANGE TO SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL – MOTION PASSED 8-0-1.

Dora Toungate

Planning Assistant

ATTEST:

Bill Couch

Director of Planning/Codes



## City of Seguin

Planning/Codes Department Staff Report

ZC 01-14 1300 Blk of E. Walnut St.

#### **Applicant:**

T. Justin MacDonald 2951 Fall Creek Rd. Kerrville, TX 78028

#### Property Owner(s):

Colonial Complex, Ltd. P.O. Box 808 Seguin, TX 78156

#### Property Address/Location:

1300 Block of E. Walnut St.

#### **Legal Description:**

Abstract 35, John Sowell Survey, aprrox. 6.174 acres, Property ID #59299 & 59643

#### Lot Size/Project Area:

Approx. 6.174 acres

#### **Future Land Use Plan:**

Community Node

#### **Notifications:**

Mailed Feb. 28, 2014

#### **Comments Received:**

None as of Mar 6, 2014

#### Staff Review:

Helena Schaefer GIS Analyst March 6, 2014

#### Attachments:

- Notification/Aerial Map
- Zoning Map
- Future Land Use Plan Map

#### **REQUEST:**

Zoning Change request from "Commercial" to "M-F 3".

#### **ZONING AND LAND USE:**

	Zoning	Land Use	
Subject Property	Commercial	Vacant lot	
N of Property	Commercial & Public	Daycare/Preschool, Seguin High School, Commercial Businesses	
S of Property	Multi-Family & Public	Commercial Property	
E of Property	Commercial	Commercial Business	
W of Property	Commercial	One Residence, Power Substation	

#### **SUMMARY OF STAFF ANALYSIS & RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends the approval of this zoning change request from Commercial to Multi-Family (MF-3).

Planning Department Recommendation:		
Х	Approve as submitted	
	Approve with conditions or revisions as noted	
	Alternative	
	Denial	

#### PLANNING DEPARTMENT ANALYSIS

#### **CASE SUMMARY:**

The purpose of this request is to rezone the property to Multi Family 3 for future development.

#### **CODE REQUIREMENTS:**

This property is currently vacant and is zoned as "Commercial". The site was previously re-zoned for Commercial development. No development has occurred and the site remains undeveloped. This is the third request for a zoning change. MF-3 development shall not exceed a density of more than twenty (20) dwelling units per gross acre.

#### **COMPATIBILITY WITH SURROUNDING LAND USE & ZONING:**

The area surrounding the property consists of Commercial and Public uses, including Seguin High School and commercial businesses. A new medical center is currently being built to the east of the property. The property to the west is zoned multi-family, but is a legal non-conforming use (an existing residence prior to the Zoning Ordinance.)

#### **COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:**

The property is located within the "Commercial Node" district. These local nodes are defined by a high density of commercial uses, and thus the higher residential density structures that fill in the smaller spaces. Appropriate land uses in this district include commercial, multi-family, public, and/or office/retail. The request for a zoning change would be consistent with the Future Land Use Plan.

<u>HEALTH, SAFETY, AND GENERAL WELFARE:</u> (Protection & preservation of historical, cultural, and environmental areas.) This property has not been identified as being of historic, cultural or environmental significance.

#### TRAFFIC (STREET FRONTAGE & ACCESS):

The property is accessed from E. Walnut Street, but the small 0.174 acre lot to the north of the larger parcel has access from E. College Street.

#### PARKING:

Parking will be required in accordance with the Seguin's Off-Street Parking Ordinance and will be addressed during site development process.

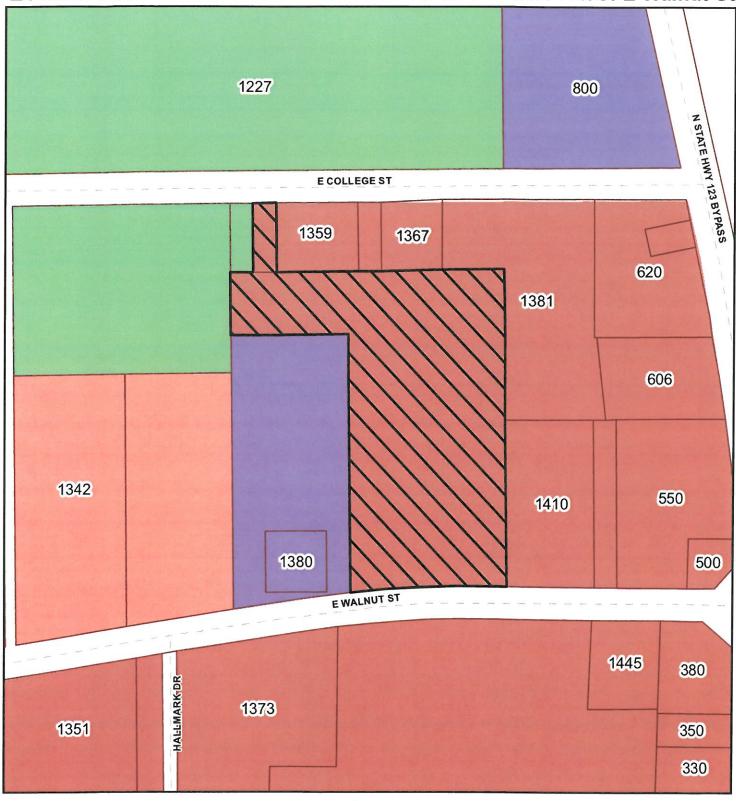
#### OTHER:

At the time of site development, issues such as drainage and platting will be reviewed in accordance with applicable City ordinances and regulations.



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Site Location	200' Notification Buffer		
Lot Lines	1 inch = 233 feet		
Lot Lines	Printed: 2/13/2014		



O-P Office Professional

R Retail

C Commercial

P Public

R-1 Single-Family Residential

ZL Zero Lot Line

MF-1, MF-2, MF-3 Multi-Family

DP-1, DP-2 Duplex

MHP Manufactured Home Park

MHS Manufactured Home Subdivision

WITS Manufactured Home Subdivision

A-R Agricultural Ranch

PD Pre-Development

M Mixed Use

M-R Manufactured Home and Residential PUD Planned Unit Development

LI Light Industrial

I Industrial

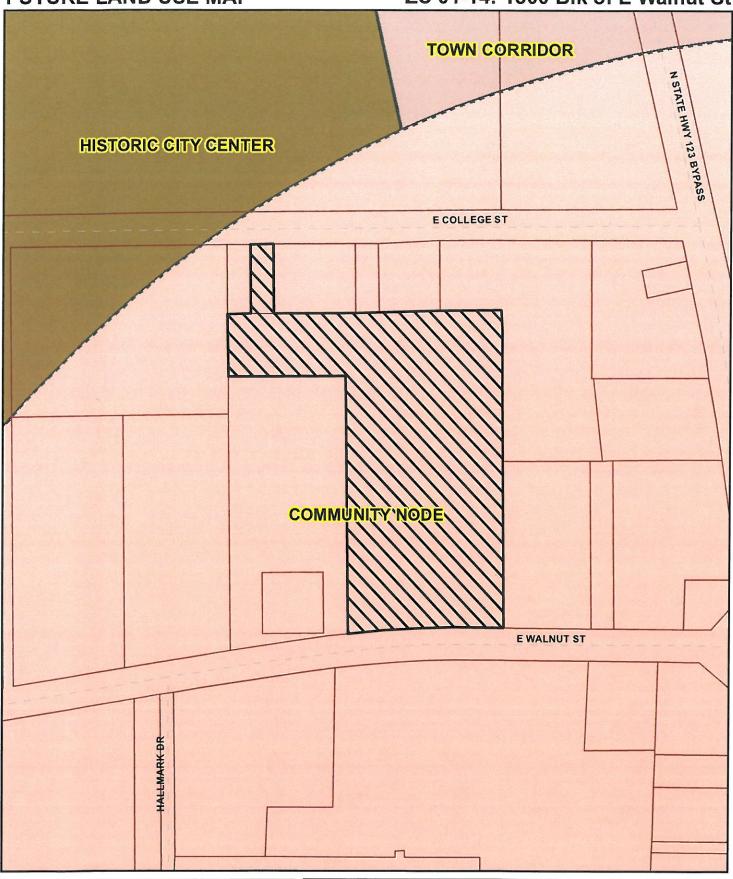
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#### CITY OF SEGUIN

#### ZONING CHANGE APPLICATION

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State law requires that a zoning change application wingst SE DIN. TX be reviewed by City staff, the Planning Commission and City Council and that certain public notices be mailed and posted. This process generally takes 6 - 8 weeks. Acceptance of this application is not approval of the zoning change.    2-11-14
Applicant(s)T. Justin MacDonald
Applicant's Mailing Address 2951 Fall Creek Rd., Kerrville, TX 78028
Applicant's Phone (830) 257-5323
Property Owner(s) of Record Colonial Complex, Ltd.
Owner's Mailing Address (If different from applicant) P.O. Box 808, Seguin, Texas 78156
Address or General Location of Property
Legal Description (If platted, respond here; if not platted, use attachment as noted below)  6.17 acre tract of land situated in the John Sowell Survey, Abstract 35, City of Seguin, Guadalupe County, Texas
Property Size 6.17 Acres and/or
Floodplain Yes V No Floodway Yes No Existing Land Use Vacant Land
Proposed Land UseMultifamily Apartments
Existing Zoning Designation C
Proposed Zoning DesignationMF-3

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Has on t	a previous zoning change req he same property been conside Yes	red within	the same the last	classif 12 mon	ication ths?			
Atta	ched are the following:							
(1)	\$250.00 Application Fee (Non-	-Refundabl	e).					
(2)	If not platted, a metes and bounds legal description of the subject property. If the zoning change involves more than one proposed designation, include a separate metes and bounds description for each different portion.							
(3)	Agent's Affidavit (If application	able).						
	PLANNING DEPART	MENT'S USE	ONLY					
Acce	pted by	_ Date		ZC				
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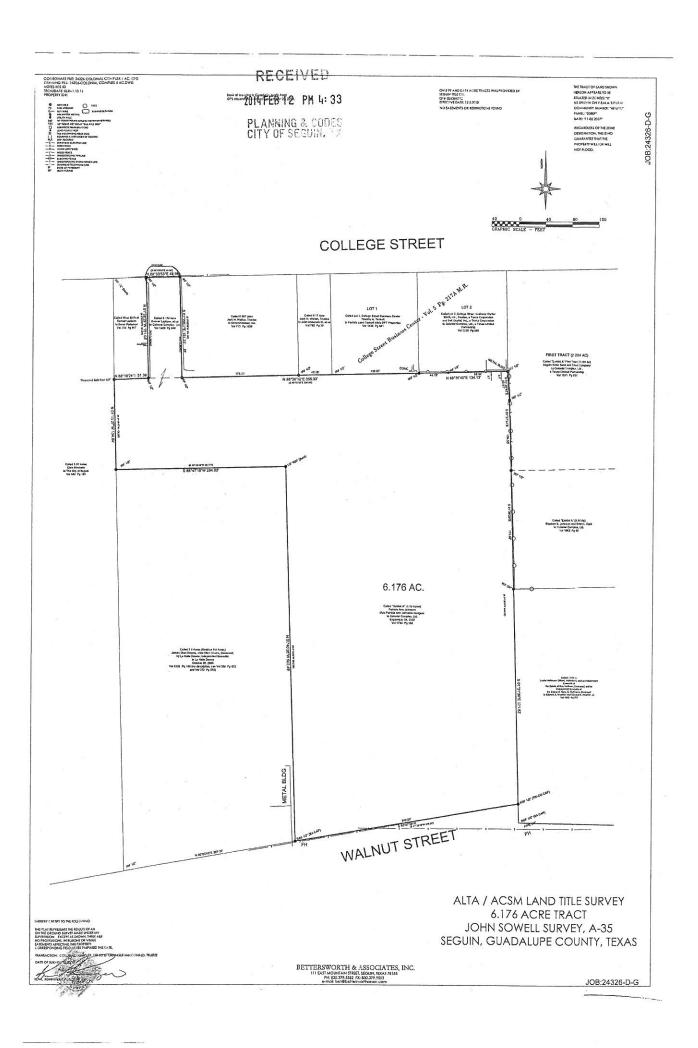


Exhibit A

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PLANNING & CODES CITY OF SEGUIN, TX

#### BETTERSWORTH & ASSOCIATES, INC.

ENGINEERS - SURVEYORS - CONSULTANTS
111 EAST MOUNTAIN STREET, SEQUIN, TEXAS 78155
E-Mall: ken@bettersworthassoc.com

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#### 6.176 ACRE TRACT

Belng a 6.176 ACRE TRACT situated in the John Sowell Survey, A-35, Seguin, Guadalupe County, Texas, Said 6.176 ACRE TRACT is comprised of all of a tract called Exhibit A (5.99 acres) inconvyeance from Patricia Ann Johnston, f/k/a Patricia Ann Johnston Hudgens to Colonial Complex, Ltd. Dated September 24, 2002 and recorded in Volume 1754 at Page 158 and all of a tract called 0.174 acre in conveyance from Denver Lackhorn, et ux, to Colonial Complex, LTD, in Volume 1820 at Page 840, both of the Official Records of said county and being described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a ½ Inch diameter iron rod found marking the north-most northwest corner of the tract herein described, same being the northwest corner of said 0,174 acre tract, the northeast corner of a tract called "West 60 feet" in conveyance from Denver Lackhorn to Bryan Paterson and recorded in Volume 700 at Page 652 of the Official Records of said county, and lying in the south line of College Street.

THENCE with a segment of the north line of the tract herein described, same being the confirmon line of said 0.174 acre tract and said College Street, N 88°33'63" E, 49.98 feet (called S 89°56'00" E, 49.98 feet) to ½ inch diameter iron rod found marking the north-most northeast corner of the tract herein described, the northeast corner of said 0.174 acre tract, and the northwest corner of a tract called 0.607 acre tract in conveyance from Jack N. Walker, Trustee to Child Unlimited, Inc. recorded in Volume 713 at Page 1259.

THENCE continuing with a segment of the north line of the tract herein described, same being the common line of said 0.174 acre tract and said 0.607 acre tract, S1°29'07" E 151.21 feet (called S 0°03'56" W 151,25 feet) to a ½ inch diameter iron rod found marking a re-entrant corner of the tract herein described, the southeast corner with said 0.174 acre tract, lying in the north line of said 5.99 acre tract, and the southwest line of said 0.607 acre tract.

THENCE continuing with the north line of the tract herein described same being the common line of said 5.99 acre tract with that of said 0.607 acre tract, a tract called 0.17 acre in conveyance from Jack N. Walker, Trustee to John Anderson III, et ux, and recorded in Volume 792 at Page 39, a tract called Lot 1 of College Street Business Center recorded in Volume 5 at Page 217A of the Map Records-called Lot 1 in conveyance from Timothy A. Tackett to Pamela Leird-Tackett, d/b/a DPT Properties recorded in Volume 1430 at Page 691, and Called Lot 2, College Street Business Center in conveyance from WHR, Trustee, a Texas Corporation and Bell Capital, Inc. a Texas Corporation to Colonial Complex, LTD, a Texas Limited Partnership recorded in Volume 2222 at Page 580 as follows

N 88°36'36" E at 175.03 feet a ½ Inch diameter iron rod found marking the southeast corner of said 0.607 acre tract and the southwest corner of said 0.17 acre tract, at 225.01 feet a ½ inch diameter iron rod found marking the southeast corner of said 0.17 acre tract and the southwest corner of said Lot 1 College Street Business Center and at 355.03 feet (in total called East) to a ½ inch diameter iron rod found marking the southeast corner of said Lot 1 and the southwest corner of said Lot 2, and

N 88°35′40″ E at 44.19 feet a ½ inch diameter rebar found and at 134.13 feet (called East) to a ½ inch diameter iron rod found marking the east-most northeast corner of the tract herein described, the northeast corner of said 5.99 acre tract, the southeast corner of said Lot 2 and lying in the west line of a tract called First Tract (2.204 acres) in conveyence from Seguin State Bank and Trust Company to Colonial Complex, LTD. A Texas Limited Partnership recorded in Volume 1011 at Page 937.

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THENCE with the east line of the tract herein described, same being the common line of said 5.99 acre tract with that of said 2.204 acre tract, a tract called Exhibit A (0.84 acre) in conveyance from Stephen E. Johnson and Brian L. Dahl to Colonial Complex, LTD in Volume 1063 at Page 69, and a tract called Exhibit A (1.946 acre) in conveyance from Luella Hoffmann Gilbert, Deceased, and as Independent Executrix of the Estate of Harry E. Hoffmann, deceased to Edward A. Woehler and Edward A. Woehler. Jr., recorded in Volume 1012 at Page 797 as follows:

S 3°30'40" E 42.91 feet to a ½ inch diameter fron rod found, S 1°37'33" E 104.65 feet to a ½ inch diameter fron rod found marking the southwest corner of sald 2.204 acre tract and the northwest corner of sald 0.84 acre tract, S 1º26'29" E 178,88 feet to a % inch diameter iron rod found marking the southwest corner of said 0.84 acre tract and the northwest corner of sald 1.946 acre tract, and

\$ 1º31'30" E 321.82 feet (In total called \$ 0º13'30" E 648.26 feet) to a 1/2 Inch dlameter rebar found (cap Tri-Co) marking the southeast corner of the tract herein describe, same being the southeast corner of said 5.99 acre tract and lying in the north line of Walnut Street.

THENCE with the south line of the tract herein described along the common line of said 5.99 acre tract and sald Walnut Street, S. 80°07'39"W 340.00 feet (called S 81°33'38" W 340.00 feet) to a 1/2 Inch diameter rebar set, with cap (B&A) marking the south-most southwest corner of the tract herein described, the southwest corner of said 5,99 acre tract, and the southeest corner of a tract called 3.4 acres (Residue of 9.4 acres) in conveyance from James Olen Downs, a/k/a Olen Downs, Deceased, by La Nelle Downs, Independent Executrix to La Nelle Downs dated October 28, 2005 recorded in Volume 2232 at Page 195 (no description see Volume 339 at Page 472 and Volume 373 at Page 570.)

THENCE with a segment of the west line of the tract herein described along the common line of said 5.99 acre tract with that of said 3.4 acre tract as follows:

N 1º40'28" W 562.49 feet (N 0º13'50" W 562.33 feet to a 1/2 inch diameter rebar found (bent) marking a re-entrant corner of the tract herein described, a re-entrant corner of said 5.99 acre tract and the northeast corner of said 3.4 acre tract, and

8 88°47'15"W 254.02 feet (called N 89°48'44" E 253.74 feet) to a 1/2 inch diameter iron rod found marking a west corner of the tract herein described, a west corner of said 5.99 acre tract, the northwest corner of said 3.4 agre tract, and lying in the east line of a tract called 3.97 agres in conveyance from Elsie Moshelm to the Clty of Seguin recorded in Volume 662 at Page 128.

THENCE continuing with the west line of the tract herein described and along the common line of said 5.99 acre tract and said 3.97 acre tract N 1°33'27" W 134.84 feet (called N 0°19'47" W 135.00 feet) to ½ Inch threaded boit found marking the west-most north west corner of the tract herein described, lying in the east line of said 3,97 agre tract and being the southwest corner of said "west 50 feet" parcel.

THENCE with a segment of the north line of the tract herein described along the common line of said 5.99 acre tract and said 0.174 acre tract with that of said "west 62 feet" parcel as follows:

N 86°19'24" E 51,38 feet (called East) to a 1/2 inch diameter iron rod found marking a re-entrant corner of the tract herein described, being the southeast corner of said "west 50 foot; parcel, and the southwest corner of sald 0.174 acre tract, and

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N 0°28'29" W 151.05 feet ( N0°05'26" E 151.05 feet) to the PLACE OF BEGINNING and containing 6.176 ACRES OF LAND.

BASIS OF BEARING IS GEODETIC NORTH FROM GPS OBSERVATION DATED DECEMBER 20, 2010.

I hereby certify the foregoing field notes represent the results of an on the ground survey made under my supervision 12,20,2010

KEN L. REININGER, R. R.

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