

Planning and Zoning Commission Report ZC 14-21

A request for Zoning Change 14-21 from Agricultural Ranch (A-R) to Planned Unit Development District (PUD) for property located at the NW corner of Huber Road and Rudeloff Road, Property ID 55713, 55715, and 167657 was considered during a public hearing at the Public and Virtual Planning & Zoning Commission meeting on June 8, 2021.

Pamela Centeno presented the staff report for the Planned Unit Development. She explained that a Planned Unit Development (PUD) zoned district is established for developments that do not conform in all respects with the zoning requirements. A proposed PUD is required to be accompanied by a General Land Use Plan (GLUP), which identifies the proposed modifications to the typical zoning requirements as adopted within the Unified Development Code. Development of a PUD cannot begin unless both the zoning designation and the GLUP are approved.

Ms. Centeno gave an overview of the surrounding land uses and zoning districts, describing the residential growth occurring in the area. The property is located within three future land use districts: Farm, Town Corridor, and Central Township. The proposal to create a unique development with a variety of residential lot sizes and open spaces is consistent with the recommendations of the Comprehensive Plan. Ms. Centeno noted that the Corridor districts are characterized by their association with major thoroughfares. The extension of Rudeloff Road, identified as an arterial, bisects the proposed development and the property has frontage along Huber Road and Rudeloff Road. Ms. Centeno also described the off-lot parking pods that will be established for additional neighborhood parking where the lot widths are narrow.

Ms. Centeno advised the Commission that two letters in opposition and one letter in support were received. She explained the concerns from the Huber Airpark HOA and provided a map showing the airport approach zone of Huber Airpark. Staff recommended approval of the zoning change request to Planned Unit Development and the General Land Use Plan.

Doug Faseler, representing Bitterblue introduced the Bitterblue Team and provided a presentation of the proposed development.

The regular meeting recessed and a public hearing was held.

Randy Starbuck, 317 Sol Del Rio and 597 Beechcraft Lane expressed safety concerns regarding the airport approach zone of Huber Airpark. Mr. Starbuck stated there are many different activities at the airpark which create a lot of noise. He suggested that the developer should have a disclaimer about the airport noise.

County Commissioner Engelke, 214 E. Pine, Seguin Texas stated he likes the layout of the proposed development but pointed out that he is not in support of 40' lots.

Gordon Schroeder expressed concerns regarding the 200' public notification. Mr. Schroeder stated he was not within the 200', although felt he should have received a notice.

Following the public hearing the regular meeting reconvened for action.

After consideration of the staff report and all information given regarding Zoning Change (ZC 14-21), Commissioner Spahn moved that the Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval of the zoning change from Agricultural Ranch (A-R) to Planned Unit Development District (PUD) for the property located at the NW corner of Huber Road and Rudeloff Road. Vice-Chair Kirchner seconded the motion. The following vote was recorded:

RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE THE ZONING CHANGE TO PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (PUD)

MOTION PASSED 5 -0-0

Francis Serna, Planning Assistant

ATTEST: Pamela Centeno

Director of Planning & Codes



PLANNING & CODES

ZC 14-21 Staff Report NE Corner of Rudeloff Rd and Huber Rd Zoning Designation to PUD

Applicants:

Pape-Dawson Engineers, Inc. 2000 NW Loop 410 San Antonio, TX 78213

Property Owner:

David & Mary Reiley 3471 Huber Rd Seguin, TX 78155

Property Address/Location:

NE corner-Rudeloff & Huber

Legal Description:

Abs: 20, A M Esnaurizar Sur; Abs: 6, H Branch Survey Property Ids: 55715, 55713, 167657

Lot Size/Project Area:

Approx. 415 acres

Future Land Use Plan:

Farm, Town Corridor, Central Township

Notifications:

Mailed May 27, 2021 Newspaper May 23, 2021

Comments Received:

None

Staff Review:

Pamela Centeno, Director of Planning & Codes

Attachments:

- Location Map
- Existing Zoning Map
- Future Land Use Plan Map

REQUESTS:

A Zoning Change request to Planned Unit Development for a mixed-use development.

ZONING AND LAND USE:

	Zoning	Land Use	
Subject Property	A-R	Farmland, Residence	
N of Property	A-R, R-2	Residential (in development)	
S of Property	C, A-R	Undeveloped Farmland	
E of Property	A-R	Undeveloped Farmland	
W of Property	R-2, C, LI	Proposed Residential Subdivision north of Rudeloff Rd., Commercial Developments south of Rudeloff Rd.	

SUMMARY OF STAFF ANALYSIS & RECOMMENDATION:

The applicant is proposing a mixed-used development with a variety of lot sizes for residential development, a pocket of neighborhood commercial land uses along Rudeloff Rd, and a network of open spaces with parks and greenways.

Staff finds that the developer's proposal to create a unique development with a variety of residential lot sizes and open spaces is consistent with the recommendations of the Comprehensive Plan and recommends approval of the zoning change request to Planned Unit Development.

A General Land Use Plan has been submitted to and reviewed by staff and is being presented to the Planning & Zoning Commission concurrently with the request for the zoning change.

Pla	Planning Department Recommendation:			
	Χ	X Approve as submitted		
		Approve with conditions or revisions as noted		
		Alternative		
		Denial		

PLANNING DEPARTMENT ANALYSIS

SITE DESCRIPTION

The approx. 415-acre site is currently being used for agricultural-ranch uses, with the owner's single family residence located on the northern tract.

CODE REQUIREMENTS:

The applicant is requesting a change from A-R to Planned Unit Development (PUD). The PUD zoning district is established for developments that do not conform in all respects with the zoning requirements. Well-planned developments provide for a variety of uses in the development pattern of the City. A proposed PUD is required to be accompanied by a General Land Use Plan (GLUP), which identifies the proposed modifications to the typical zoning requirements as adopted within the Unified Development Code.

While the PUD zoning designation requires City council approval, the approval authority for the GLUP is the Planning & Zoning Commission. Development of a PUD cannot begin unless both the zoning designation and GLUP are approved. These two agenda items are taken as separate actions.

COMPATIBILITY WITH SURROUNDING LAND USE & ZONING:

This is an area of significant growth with a number of single-family residential subdivisions proposed to the west, north, and east. These proposed developments are in various stages of the development process. There is also an area of existing commercial development south of Rudeloff Rd. Existing developments include a private airpark, softball complex, and a construction company.

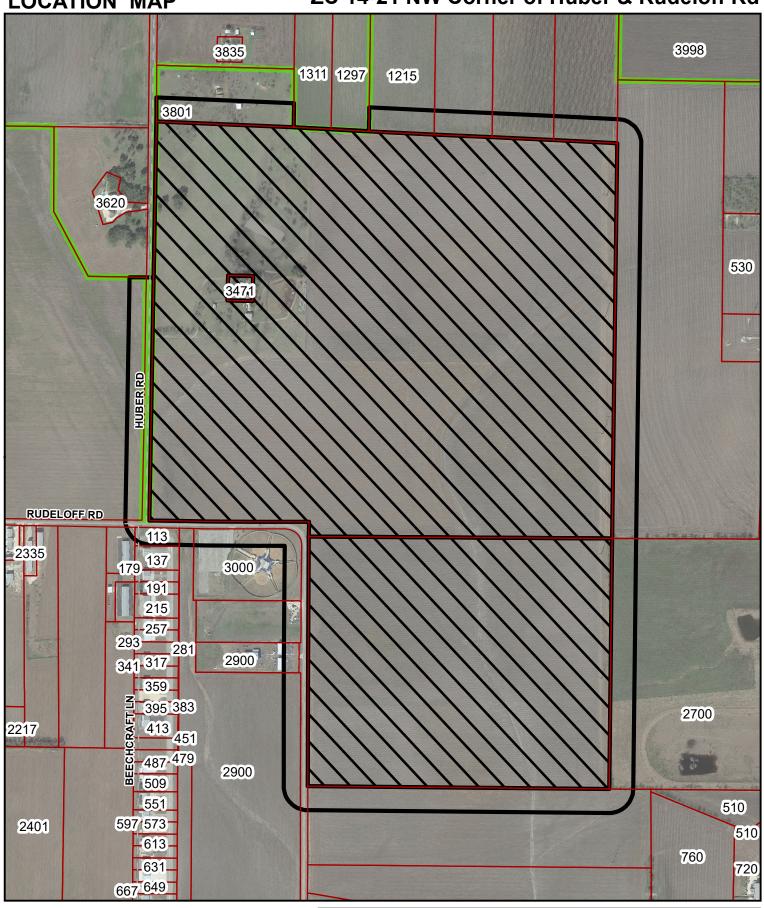
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:

The property is located in three future land use districts: Farm, Town Corridor, and Central Township. When the Comprehensive Plan was adopted in 2008, agriculture was the dominant use in the Farm district. Complementary uses within this district include cluster residential developments and passive open spaces such as green belts. Single-family residential land uses are supported by the Comp. Plan but densities are not recommended to exceed 4 units per acre. The Central Township and Town Corridor districts support single-family land uses as well but with higher densities. Corridor districts are characterized by their association with major thoroughfares. The extension of Rudeloff Rd., identified as an arterial, bisects this development. Commercial uses are supported along the thoroughfares, specifically along Rudeloff Rd.

<u>HEALTH, SAFETY, AND GENERAL WELFARE:</u> (Protection & preservation of historical, cultural, and environmental areas.) The development of the property will be required to follow the City of Seguin's ordinances, which includes stormwater and drainage standards.

TRAFFIC (STREET FRONTAGE & ACCESS):

The property has frontages along Huber Rd and Rudeloff Rd. The Master Thoroughfare Plan also identifies the extensions of Rudeloff Rd and Strempel Rd through this tract. The alignments of these extensions are still conceptual and pending design, but will provide regional connectivity between two major throughfares in Seguin- State Hwy 123 and State Hwy 46.



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Lot Lines
Site Location



200' Notification Buffer 1 inch = 800 feet

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ZC 14-21 NW Corner of Huber & Rudeloff Rd **ZONING MAP R-2 R-2** RUDELOFF RD HUBER RD C LI **PUD** BEECHCRAFT LN A-R A-R **R-2** A-R LI Agricultural - Ranch Single Family Residential 2 MultiFamily 1 Manufactured Home Park

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Zero Lot Lines

Duplex 1

Duplex 2

Rural Residential

Suburban Residential

Single Family Residential 1



Neighborhood Commercial

Commercial

Light Industrial

MultiFamily 2

MultiFamily 3

Manufactured-Residential

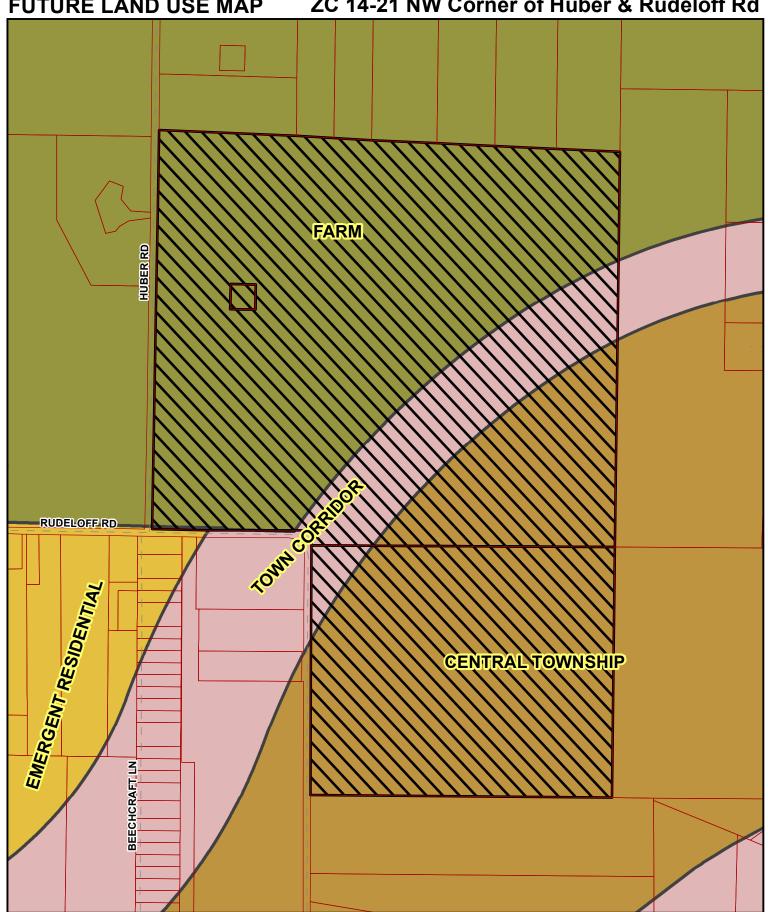
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Planned Unit Development

Public

ROW

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REPLY

Re: NW corner of Huber Road and Rudeloff Road Property ID 55713, 55715, 167657

(ZC 14-21) (GLUP 01-21)

Name: Norrick Snizh
Mailing Address: 395 Booch watth
Phone No.:
Physical Address of property (if different from the mailing):
If "In Favor" or "Opposed" please explain why in space allotted below:
In Favor
Opposed X
Reasons and/or comments F10001Nb- 2 ne have enough low rent housing already,

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(ZC 14-21) (GLUP 01-21)

Name: Benjamin + Amy Tschirhart
Mailing Address: 3801 Hober Rd, Seguin, TX 78155
Phone No.:
Physical Address of property (if different from the mailing):
If "In Favor" or "Opposed" please explain why in space allotted below:
In Favor
Opposed V
Reasons and/or comments We are opposed to the zoning change to Planned unit development as it will increase the flow of rain
course an increase in property value/taxes; will increase traffic through
aestetics of the agricultural ranch land; and may lead to an increase in the crime rate in the immediate area due to the increased population.
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(ZC 14-21) (GLUP 01-21)

Name: DENNIS	Huber	
	Box 1301	Segun, TX 7815
Phone No.:		
Physical Address of propert	y (if different from the ma	ailing):
If "In Favor" or "Opposed" In Favor Opposed	please explain why in s	pace allotted below:
Reasons and/or comments_		