

RESOLUTION OF PLANNING BOARD RECOMMENDATION TO THE BUNCOMBE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ON APPLICATION FOR PROPOSED ZONING MAP AMENDMENT

WHEREAS, the Zoning Administrator for Buncombe County has received an application from Thomas Montgomery requesting an amendment to The Official Zoning Map of Buncombe County on the parcels identified as follows and as shown in Figure A attached:

tax lot PIN 9678-68-9411 (located to the East of 1860 US 70 Hwy); and

a portion of tax lot PIN 9678-78-0100 (located to the Northwest of the intersection of Sylvester Way and US 70 Hwy).

The Applicant is requesting that the zoning designation for these parcels, which are adjacent to one another, be changed from Residential District R-2 to Commercial Service District CS;

WHEREAS, the Zoning Administrator certified that notices of the meeting of the Buncombe County Planning Board at which this application was considered have been properly mailed to members of the Planning Board, the applicant(s), owner(s), and all adjoining property owners at least ten (10) days prior to the meeting; public notice of the meeting has been properly published in a newspaper having general circulation in the County; and notice of the public hearing concerning this zoning map amendment has been prominently posted as required;

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §153A-344 and §78-719 of the Buncombe County Code of Ordinances, the Planning Board is charged with making a recommendation to the Board of Commissioners and to comment on whether the requested zoning change is consistent or inconsistent with the Buncombe County Comprehensive Land Use Plan and Updates and on whether the requested zoning change is reasonable and in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board has reviewed the application, has heard public comment, and consulted with planning staff, and, after careful review, has determined that it is in order to approve this application and make recommendation to the Board of Commissioners for Buncombe County that the application be approved.

Based on the facts as set forth above the Buncombe County Planning Board hereby finds and concludes as follows pertaining to the proposed amendment to the Zoning Map as set forth in the said application of Thomas Montgomery:

1. said zoning change is consistent with the Buncombe County Comprehensive Land Use Plan and Updates because the Buncombe County Comprehensive Land Use Plan 2013 Update (Figure 20. Appropriate Development Types) highly

suggests that commercial development be located within reasonable proximity to major transportation corridors and to infrastructure (combined water/sewer service area);

2. the subject property is located across US 70 Highway from property zoned Commercial Service CS; and
3. therefore said zoning change is reasonable and is in the public interest.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that upon motion and second, the Buncombe County Planning Board hereby recommends as follows:

1. That the Board of Commissioners approve this application for a zoning change for tax lot PIN 9678-68-9411 (located to the East of 1860 US 70 Hwy) and a portion of tax lot PIN 9678-78-0100 (located to the Northwest of the intersection of Sylvester Way and US 70 Hwy),

as shown in Figure A, to Commercial Service District CS.

Adopted by a vote of 8 to 1.

This the 18th day of May, 2015.

BUNCOMBE COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

By: _____

Chair

Consented to:

Planning Board Members:

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Dusty Pless
Joan M. Walker
Robert J. Martin
Gene Bell
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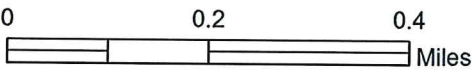
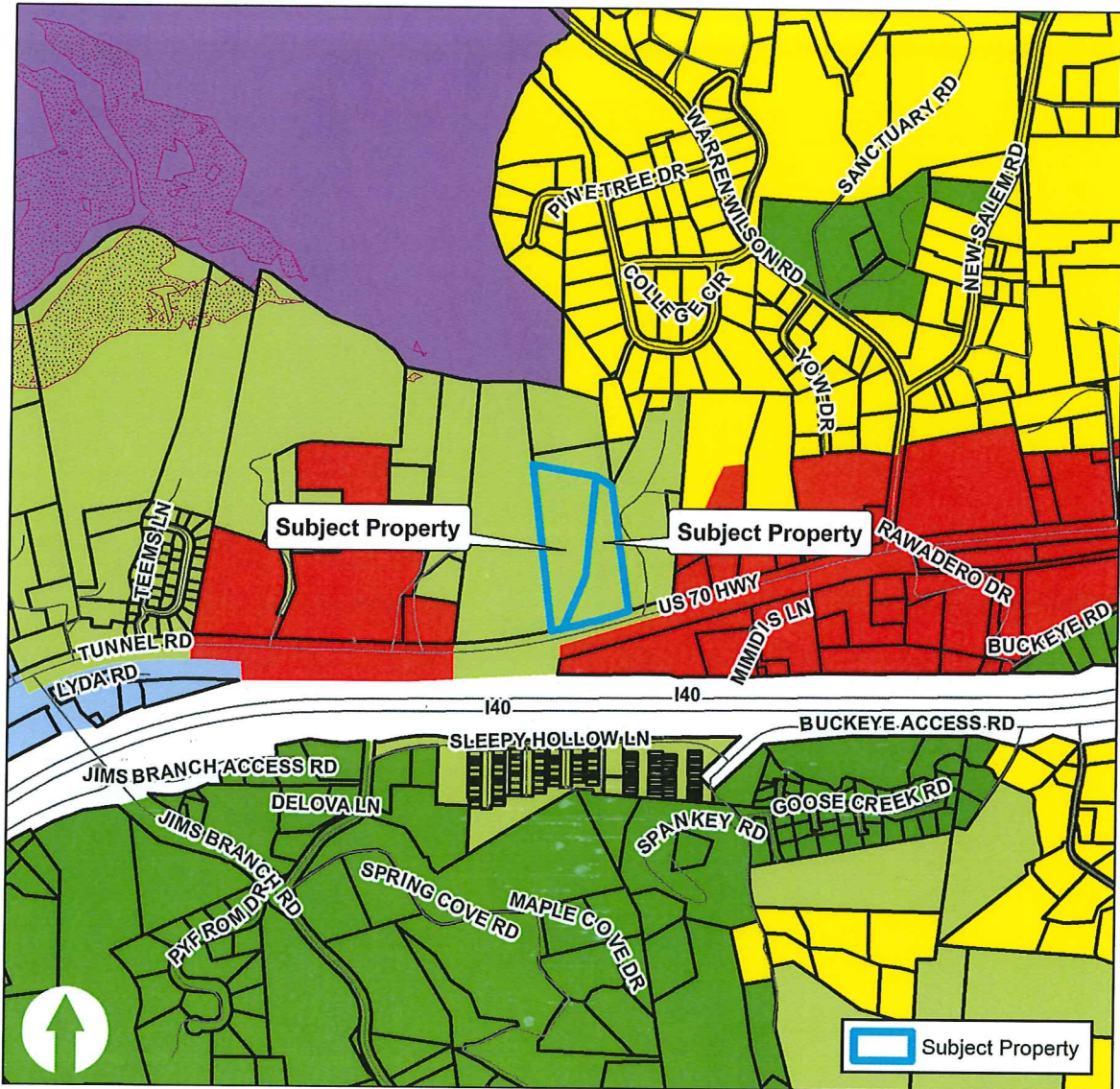
Debbie Truempy, Zoning Administrator

Approved as to form:



Michael C. Frue, Senior Staff Attorney

Figure A



Thomas Montgomery Map Amendment

Case Number: ZPH2015-00014
 Approximate Property Size: 7.9 acres
 Application Date: March 15, 2015
 Planning Board Hearing Date: May 18, 2015

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 Date: May 4, 2015

	AI		EMP		R-1
	BDM		NS		R-2
	CR		OU		R-3
	CS		PS		R-LD
	Blue Ridge Parkway Overlay				
	Protected Ridge Overlay				
	Protected Ridge & Parkway				
	Steep Slope/High Elevation				
	Steep Slope/High Elev. & Pkwy				