

UHERKA ZONING MAP AMENDMENT

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Planning & Development Department



Hearing Notification

- ✓ CASE NUMBER: ZPH2019-00022
- ✓ Notice in Asheville Citizen Times legal ad: 7/26/19 & 8/2/19
- ✓ Notice mailed to owners within 1,000 ft: 7/24/19
- ✓ Physical posting: 7/26/19
- ✓ Notice on BC Website: 7/24/19
- ✓ Public Hearing: 8/6/19



Applicant Information

✓ Applicant: Robert & Laura Uherka / RuLu LLC

✓ Owner: Robert & Laura Uherka / RuLu LLC

✓ Address(es): 119 Woodland Dr., Swannanoa



Application History

✓ May 20, 2019: Planning Board first considered rezoning (original version)

✓ June 18, 2019: Applicant withdrew rezoning proposal prior to the Board of

Commissioners Public Hearing

✓ June 19, 2019: Applicant submitted revised rezoning

✓ July 01, 2019: Planning Board unable to consider revised rezoning due to

lack of quorum

✓ July 15, 2019: Planning Board considered revised rezoning

✓ August 8, 2019: Board of Commissioners to consider revised rezoning



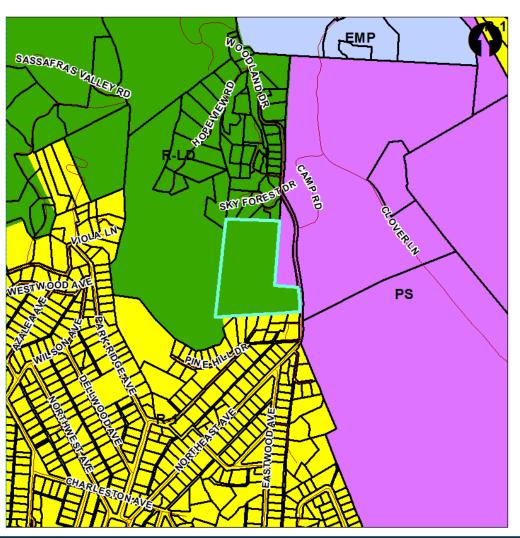
Property Information



- ✓ Subject parcel 14.07 acres in size
- ✓ Rezoning area 1.7 acres in size
- ✓ Rezoning area 1.05 acres per field survey
- ✓ One existing single family home
- ✓ Maximum Elevation: 2419' above sea level
- ✓ Serviceable by public water & wastewater utilities



Rezoning Information

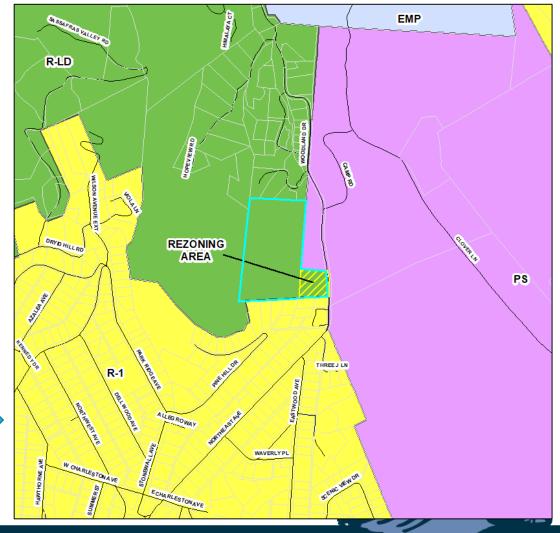


Current Zoning: R-LD Residential



Proposed Zoning: R-1 Residential





Rezoning Information

EXISTING ZONING DISTRICT:

Residential Low Density (R-LD)

Low-Density Residential District (R-LD). The R-LD Low-Density Residential District is primarily intended to provide locations for low-density residential and related-type development in areas where topographic or other constraints preclude intense urban development. These areas are not likely to have public water and sewer services available, and the minimum required lot area will be one acre unless additional land area is required for adequate sewage disposal. These are environmentally sensitive areas that are characterized by one or more of the following conditions: Steep slopes, fragile soils, or flooding.

PROPOSED ZONING DISTRICT:

Residential District (R-1).

The R-1 Residential District is primarily intended to provide locations for single-family and two-family residential development and supporting recreational, community service, and educational uses in areas where public water and sewer services are available or will likely be provided in the future. This district is further intended to protect existing subdivisions from encroachment of incompatible land uses, and this district does not allow manufactured home parks.



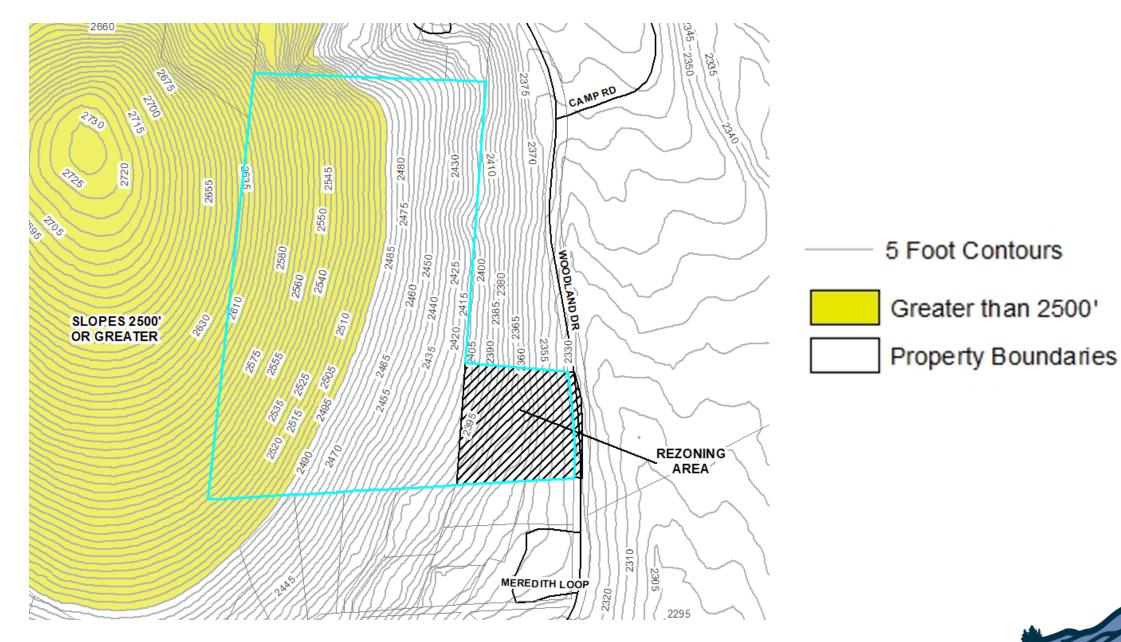
Neighborhood Consistency

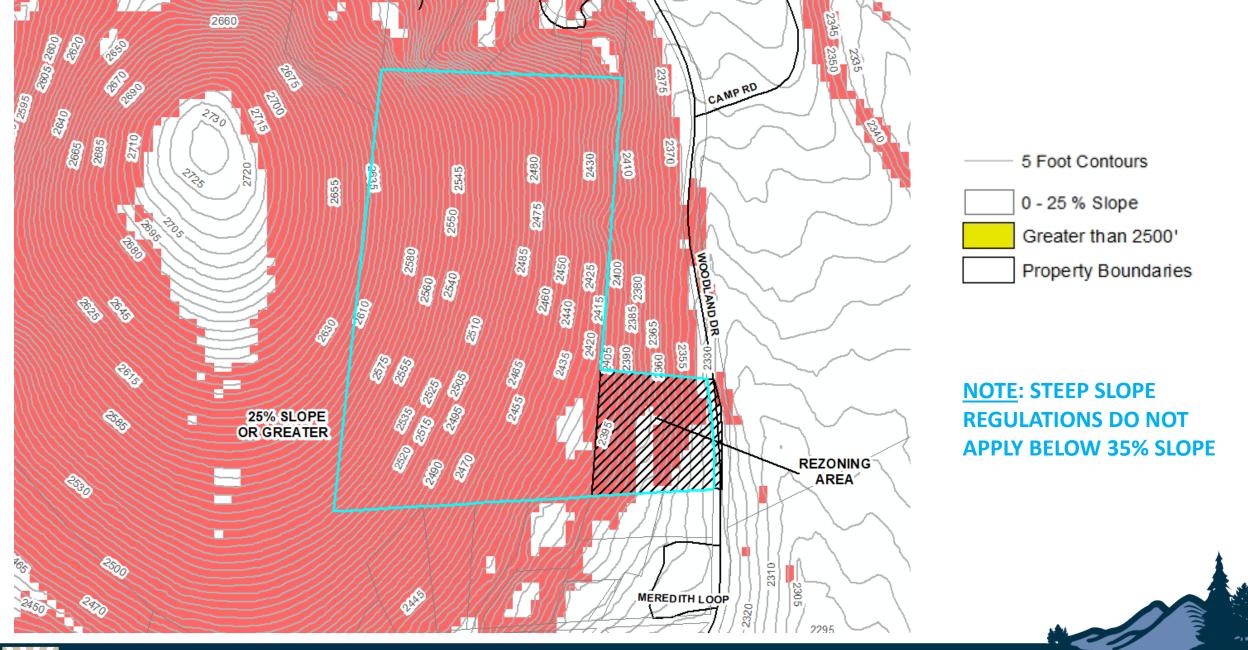
- ✓ In terms of land use types, single-family / duplex residential development would be consistent with neighborhood character of adjacent neighborhoods
- ✓ Rezoning would reduce minimum lot size from 1 acre to 30,000 square feet for septic, or as low as 8,000 square feet for lots on public water & sewer

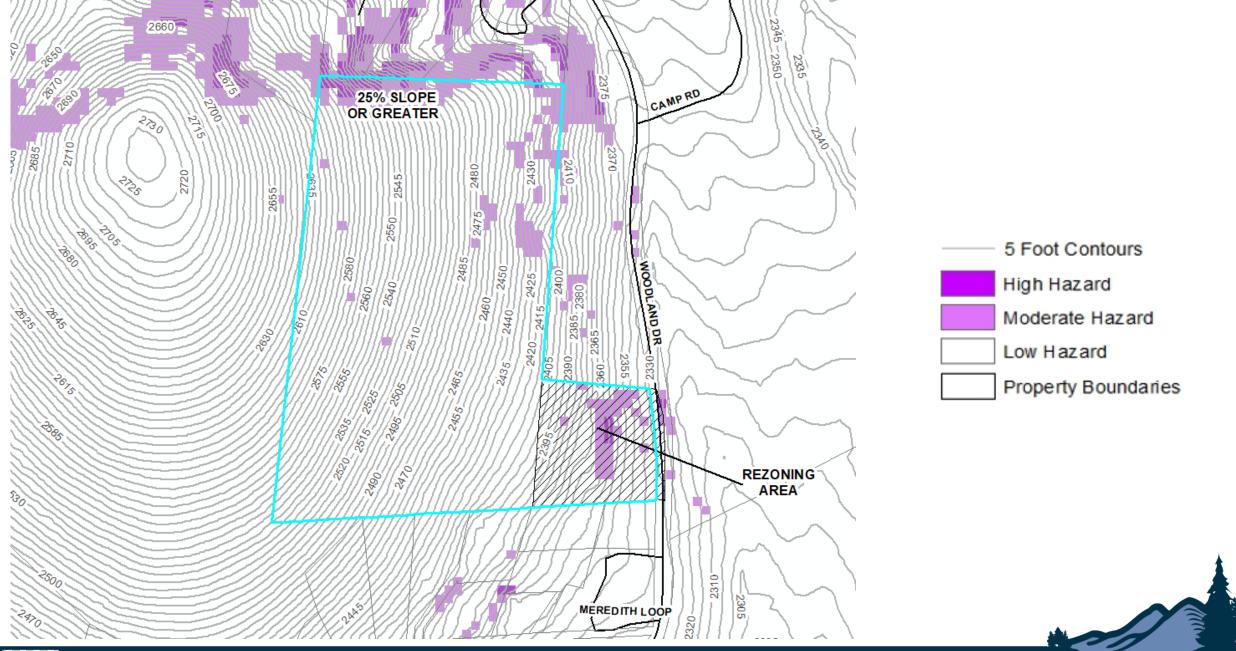
	Existing District:	Proposed District:
	R-LD Residential	R-1 Residential
Minimum Lot Size	43,560 SF	8,000 SF (Public water/sewer) 30,000 SF (Septic system)
Max dwelling units per acre	2	10
Setbacks (Front/Side/Rear)	10/10/20	10/7/15 (Water/sewer) 20/10/10 (Septic)
Max height	35 feet	35 feet

	Existing District:	Proposed District:	
	R-LD Residential	R-1 Residential	
Total Acres	1.05	1.05	
Total Sq.Ft.	46,356.5	46,356.5	
Min. Lot Size	43,560 sf (1 acre)	8,000 sf	
Max. Dwellings (single family dwelling)	2 DU	5 DU	

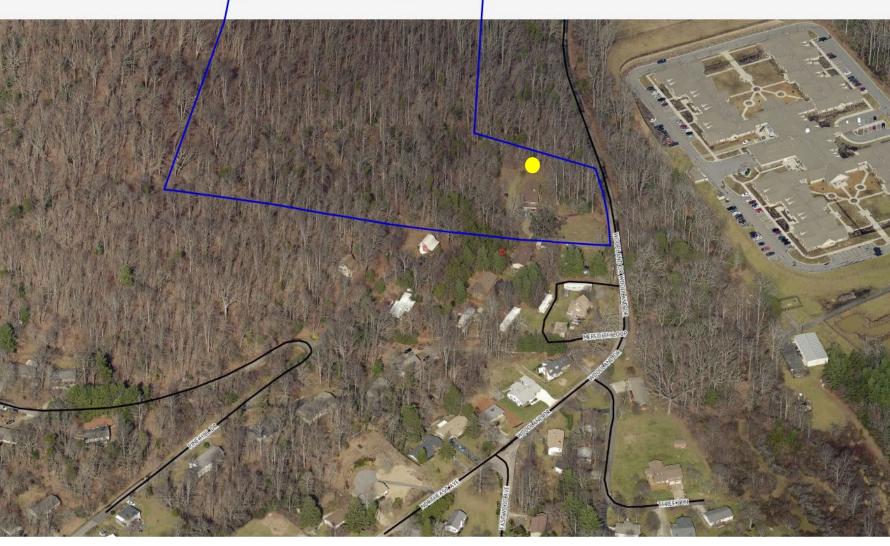










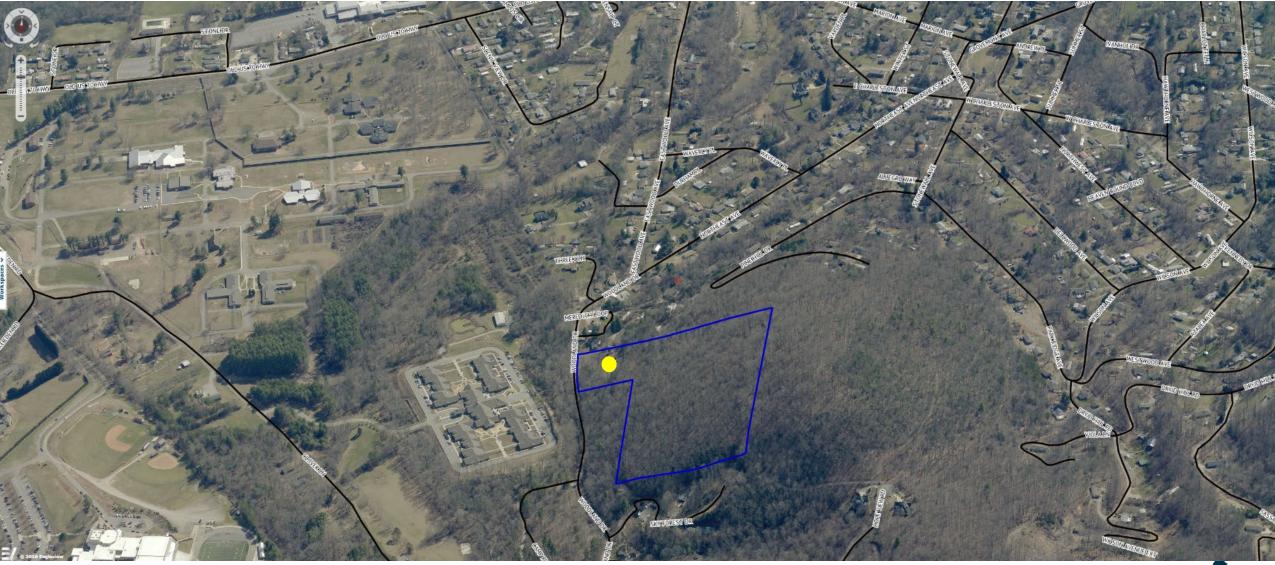


NORTHERN VIEW









SOUTHERN VIEW







EASTERN VIEW







WESTERN VIEW





Land Use Plan Analysis

- ✓ <u>Is not</u> within reasonable proximity to a major transportation corridor
- ✓ <u>Is</u> within reasonable proximity to infrastructure
- ✓ <u>Is within</u> an area of steep slope (25% +)
- ✓ <u>Is not in an area</u> of high elevation greater than 2,500 feet
- ✓ <u>Does contain</u> high and moderate slope stability hazard areas
- ✓ <u>Is outside</u> a flood hazard area

Staff:

Proposed amendment <u>would not be</u>

detrimental to the owners, adjacent neighbors,
and surrounding community as it <u>does adhere</u>

to Buncombe County Comprehensive Land Use

Plan Update



Recommendations

✓ Planning Board recommends denial as submitted (revised) ✓ Staff recommends approval as submitted (revised)

√7/1 vote, 5/20/19

✓ 3/3 vote, 7/15/19



Applicant Presentation

Board of Commissioners Public Hearing 8/6/2019

