

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY

Rezoning Application to Amend the Official Zoning Map of DeKalb County, Georgia

Date Received:	Application No:		
Applicant Name: <u>KBD Development c/o E</u>	Battle Law P.C.		
Applicant E-Mail Address: <u>mlb@battlelav</u>	vpc.com		
Applicant Mailing Address: <u>3562 Habersh</u>	am at Northlake Tucker, Building J, Suite 100 , Georgia 30084		
Applicant Daytime Phone: <u>404-601-7616</u>	ex.8 Fax: N/A		
Owner Name: <u>Bouldercrest Holdings</u>	LLC nan one owner, attach list of owners.		
Owner Mailing Address: P.O Box 20465	Atlanta , GA 30325		
Owner Daytime Phone:			
Address of Subject Property: <u>* Please see attached</u>			
Parcel ID#:			
Acreage:	Commission District:		
Present Zoning District(s):			
Proposed Zoning District:			
Present Land Use Designation:			
Proposed Land Use Designation (if applica	ble):		



Chief Executive Officer

Michael Thurmond

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY

Director Andrew A. Baker, AICP

REZONING APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Submit 4 printed, collated sets of the complete application (no staples, no binders) and a PDF version on a flash drive

1. Schedule a mandatory Pre-Application Conference with Planning & Sustainability staff by appointment. Obtain Pre-Application form (to be completed in pre-application meeting). Please call 404-371-2155 for appointment.

2. Hold a Pre-Submittal Community Meeting with surrounding neighborhood associations and residents. Provide documentation of the meeting (meeting notice and sign in sheets). Letter(s) from homeowners association(s) may also be provided.

3. Submit Application (Submit 4 printed, collated sets and a PDF version on a flash drive. Please assemble materials in the following order.)

A. Application form with name and address of applicant and owner, and address of subject property;

B. Pre-submittal community meeting notice and sign-in sheet and other documentation of meeting, if any;

C. Letter of application and impact analysis

- 1. Letter of application identifying a) the proposed zoning classification, b) the reason for the rezoning or special use or modification request, c) the existing and proposed use of the property, d) detailed characteristics of the proposed use (e.g. floor area, height of building(s), number of units, mix of unit types, number of employees, manner and hours of operation), d)(optional) statement of conditions discussed with the neighborhood or community, if any.
- 2. Impact analysis of the anticipated impact of the proposed use and rezoning on the surrounding properties in response to the standards and factors specified in Article 7.3 of the DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance, as attached. If a Major Modification, please include previously approved conditions and Board of Commissioner meeting minutes.

D. Authorization Form, if applicant is not the owner. Must be signed by all owners of the subject property and notarized. Authorization must contain the mailing address and phone number of any applicant or agent who is authorized to represent the owner(s) of the subject property. Please include warranty deed, if property ownership is less than 2 years.

E. Campaign disclosure statement (required by State law).

F. Legal boundary survey of the subject property, (showing boundaries, structures, and improvements), prepared and sealed within the last year by a professional engineer or land surveyor registered in the State of Georgia. (If survey shows property on opposite sides of a public street right-of-way, file a separate application for each property.)

G. Site Plan, printed to scale, folded, of any existing and or proposed development/redevelopment. For projects larger than 1 acre, site plan should be at least 1:50 scale. The site plan must include the following:

a. complete boundaries of subject property;

b. dimensioned access points and vehicular circulation drives;

c. location of all existing and proposed buildings, structures, setbacks and parking;

- d. location of 100 year floodplain and any streams;
- _____ e. notation of the total acreage or square footage of the subject property;
- f. landscaping, tree removal and replacement, buffer(s); and
- g. site plan notes of building square footages, heights, density calculations, lot coverage of impervious surfaces, parking ratios, open space calculations, and other applicable district standards.
- H. Reduced Site Plan, reduced to 8.5" x 11".

_ I. Written Legal Description of metes and bounds of the subject property (can be printed on site plan or survey).

J. Building Form Information. Elevation (line drawing or rendering), or details of proposed materials, in compliance with Article 5 of the Zoning Ordinance.

K. Completed, signed Pre-application Form (Provided at pre-application meeting.)

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Subject Properties:

3345 Bouldercrest Road, Dekalb County GA, 30294

Acreage- 1.15 acres

Parcel #-15 021 01 010

Land Lot- 21

Block-1

Parcel- 10

Commission District- 3

Current Zoning- C-1

Proposed Zoning- RSM

2098 Cedar Grove Road Conley, GA 30288

Acreage-5.57 acres

Parcel #- 15 021 01 016

Land Lot-21

Block-1

Commission District-3

Current Zoning- R-100

Proposed Zoning-RSM



3562 Habersham at Northlake, Bldg. J, Ste 100 Tucker, Georgia 30084

Zoom Instructions:

Go to <u>https://otago.zoom.us/join</u> and Enter the Meeting ID that you have been provided with in the appropriate field and click "Join". To join by phone, please dial (646) 558-8656. If you are unable to attend or would like to learn more about the proposed project, please call our office at the number below.

We encourage you to come out and participate!

For More Information Contact Jordan Battle at: Phone: 404-601-7616 ext. 8 Fax: 404-745-0045 Email: jnb@battlelawpc.com COMMUNITY MEETING TO DISCUSS SPECIAL LAND USE APPLICATION TO ALLOW FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF FEE SIMPLE SINGLE FAMILY ATTACHED TOWNHOMES

Project Title: 2098 Cedar Grove Road

When: March 1st, 2023

Time: 6:00 PM Eastern (US and Canada)

Register in advance for this meeting: <u>https://otago.zoom.us/join</u>

> Meeting ID: 822 5867 1251 Password: 313760

PROPOSED LOCATION(S): 2098 & 2124 CEDAR GROVE ROAD AND 3345 BOULDER-CREST ROAD FREDRIKSEN STEVE J JR BOULDERCREST HOLDINGS LLC JORDON TWILLA J CEDAR GROVE INVESTMENT HOLDING LLC TATUM YVONNE SHAW MARY ANN FORTE SHANNON M **BOLDEN CAMILLE KUULEI** JOY JUANITA T EST PERS REP AND HEIRS CARTER LINDA JOYCE JONES SHUPIER **RNTR 2 LLC** PFIN II F LLC SMITH CHERRY L **BOOKMAN KEVIN PAUL REAMS VERLINDA N ROBINSON SAMUEL** MITCHELL TIFFANY C **GREEN SUSIE M DENT ELLIE GLENN** JOHNSON DARRYL DOMAIN INVESTMENTS LLC AKG FUTURE INVESTMENT INC DRB GROUP GEORGIA LLC **BURRELL EARL GORDON** DOWORG NETWORKS LLC WEST ADRIANE FLOWERS RICKEY CARSON MARTY D WILLIAMS NAAMA ROZIANE **NEXPOINT SFR SPE 3 LLC GIDDENS DAMIYON** THOMAS LARRY **GILL STEPHEN B** HOLNESS HA WON SHIN FLETCHER JOHN W LOPEZ LIDIA ILLESCAS HARRIS ROBERT WRIGHT ALEXIS LEE NAN-HSIUNG HOLLAND BOBBY D **ERVIN MICHAEL LANCE** LYONS ILINA **ROBBINS JAMES** WATTERS LINZY **INGS JEROME F** SAFARI ONE ASSET COMPANY LLC

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STATEMENT OF INTENT

and

Other Material Required by DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance For A Rezoning from R-100 and C-1 to RSM and a Special Land Use Permit To Allow Townhomes

of

KBD DEVELOPMENT c/o Battle Law, P.C.

for

+/-12.22 Acres of Land Being 3345 Bouldercrest Road, and 2098, 2124 Cedar Grove Road DeKalb County, Georgia and Parcel Nos. 15 021 01 016, 15 021 01 015, 15 021 01 010

Submitted for Applicant by:

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KBD Development (the "Applicant") is seeking to develop on +/- 12.22 acres of land being Tax Parcel No. 15 021 01 016, 15 021 01 015, 15 021 01 010 having frontage on 3345 Bouldercrest Road, and 2098, 2124 Cedar Grove Road (the "Subject Property") with 94 single family attached townhomes on private right of way. The Applicant is seeking a Rezoning from R-100 and C-1 to RSM and a Special Land Use Permit of the Subject Property.

This document serves as a statement of intent, analysis of the criteria under the DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance and contains notice of constitutional allegations as a reservation of the Applicant's rights.

II. <u>REZONING CRITERIA</u>

A. Whether the zoning proposal is in conformity with the policy and intent of the comprehensive plan;

The zoning proposal is in conformity with the policy and intent of the comprehensive plan. The future land use map shows that the Subject Property has Suburban and Neighborhood Commercial future land use designations. Both future land use designations permit the RSM zoning district, which in turn permits the single family attached townhomes. Therefore, the zoning proposal is in conformity with the policy and intent of the comprehensive plan.

B. Whether the zoning proposal will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby property or properties;

The zoning proposal will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby property or properties. The Subject Property is near the corner of Bouldercrest Road and Cedar Grove Road where a significant commercial node exists. The zoning proposal would allow for a transition from that commercial node into the less intense residential uses that abut the Subject Property. A transition from the commercial node to less intense residential by way of a moderately intense residential use is a common practice that helps to support the nearby businesses with additional rooftops and protect the less intense, single-family detached homes from commercial encroachment. In fact, this zoning proposal would remedy this very issue. One parcel that is part of the zoning proposal is zoned C-1 and being used as a motorcycle bar. This parcel immediately abuts property zoned R-100 that is being used for a single-family detached home. The zoning proposal would remove the motorcycle bar and buffer the existing residential subdivision from the proposed townhomes. This, in turn, would provide much needed protection for the single family homes from the existing commercial and the proposed townhomes. Therefore, the zoning proposal will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby property or properties.

C. Whether the property to be affected by the zoning proposal has a reasonable economic use as *currently zoned;*



The Subject Property does not have a reasonable economic use as currently zoned.

D. Whether the zoning proposal will adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby property or properties;

The zoning proposal will not adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby property or properties. The zoning proposal will only affect those properties included in the application. The commercial properties to the east will not be adversely affected by the townhomes. In fact, they might benefit from the additional customers that can take advantage of the nearby businesses. The single-family detached homes to the west and northwest will not be adversely affected as there will be a significant buffer between the townhomes and the existing single-family detached homes. Therefore, the zoning proposal will not adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby properties.

E. Whether there are other existing or changing conditions affecting the use and development of the property which give supporting grounds for either approval or disapproval of the zoning proposal;

The Applicant is not aware of other existing or changing conditions affecting the use and development of the Subject Property which give supporting grounds for either approval or disapproval of the zoning proposal.

F. Whether the zoning proposal will adversely affect historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources;

The zoning proposal will not adversely affect historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources. One parcel that is part of the zoning proposal lies within the Soapstone Historic Overlay District. The Applicant will complete all due diligence required by the County to ensure that no sensitive historic artifacts are on the Subject Property. If there are, then the Applicant will satisfy all County requirements to protect those assets. Therefore, the zoning proposal will not adversely affect historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources.

G. Whether the zoning proposal will result in a use which will or could cause an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools; and

The zoning proposal will not result in a use which will or could cause an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools. The zoning proposal is for 94 single-family attached townhomes. So, any traffic impact will be low. Thus, there will not be an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets. Additionally, there are two bus stops nearby for residents to take advantage of. However, with the number of units proposed, there will not be an excessive or burdensome use of transportation facilities. Lastly, there will not be an excessive or burdensome use of schools.

H. Whether the zoning proposal adversely impacts the environment or surrounding natural resources.



The zoning proposal will not adversely impact the environment or surrounding natural resources. The zoning proposal will result in some trees being cut down, but any development would require the same. While there is a stream that runs along the northwest portion of the property, along with some flood plain, the development will stay away from that area. The stream will be protected by following the County's code for streams and stream buffers. Therefore, the zoning proposal will not adversely impact the environment or surrounding natural resources.

III. <u>SPECIAL LAND USE PERMIT CRITERIA</u>

A. Adequacy of the size of the site for use contemplated and whether or not adequate land area is available for the proposed use including provision of all required yards, open space, off-street parking, and all other applicable requirements of the zoning district in which the use is proposed to be located;

The size of the site is adequate for the proposed use. The zoning proposal will satisfy all County requirements for yards, open space, off-street parking, and all other applicable requirements of the RSM zoning district.

B. Compatibility of the proposed use with adjacent properties and land uses and with other properties and land uses in the district, and whether the proposed use will create adverse impacts upon any adjoining land use by reason of traffic volume/congestion, noise, smoke, odor, dust, or vibration generated by the proposed use;

The zoning proposal will permit a use that is compatible with adjacent and nearby property or properties and the zoning proposal will not create an adverse impact on any adjoining land use by reason of traffic volume/congestion, noise, smoke, odor, dust, or vibration. The Subject Property is near the corner of Bouldercrest Road and Cedar Grove Road where a significant commercial node exists. The zoning proposal would allow for a transition from that commercial node into the less intense residential uses that abut the Subject Property. A transition from the commercial node to less intense residential by way of a moderately intense residential use is a common practice that helps to support the nearby businesses with additional rooftops and protect the less intense, single-family detached homes from commercial encroachment. In fact, this zoning proposal would remedy this very issue. One parcel that is part of the zoning proposal is zoned C-1 and being used as a motorcycle bar. This parcel immediately abuts property zoned R-100 that is being used for a single-family detached home. The zoning proposal would remove the motorcycle bar and buffer the existing residential subdivision from the proposed townhomes. This, in turn, would provide much needed protection for the single family homes from the existing commercial and the proposed townhomes. Therefore, The zoning proposal will permit a use that is compatible with adjacent and nearby property or properties.

Additionally, the zoning proposal will not adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby property or properties. The zoning proposal will have some, but a minimal, impact on traffic, and will not create any odor, dust, vibration, or any other issues that could adversely impact the surrounding properties.



Therefore, the zoning proposal will permit a use that is compatible with adjacent and nearby property or properties and the zoning proposal will not create an adverse impact on any adjoining land use by reason of traffic volume/congestion, noise, smoke, odor, dust, or vibration.

C. Adequacy of public services, public facilities, and utilities to serve the use contemplated;

There are adequate public services, facilities, and utilities to serve the contemplated use.

D. Adequacy of the public street on which the use is proposed to be located and whether or not there is sufficient traffic carrying capacity for the use proposed so as not to unduly increase traffic and create congestion in the area;

The public street on which the use is proposed to be located is adequate and there is sufficient traffic carrying capacity for the use proposed. The Subject Property fronts on two arterial streets. Bouldercrest Road is classified as a Major Arterial, while Cedar Grove Road is classified as a Minor Arterial. Thus, there is plenty of carrying capacity on the abutting roadways.

E. Adequacy of ingress and egress to the subject property and to all proposed buildings, structures, and uses thereon, with particular reference to pedestrian and automotive safety and convenience, traffic flow and control, and access in the event of fire or other emergency.

There is adequate ingress and egress to the subject property and to all proposed buildings, structures, and uses thereon. There are two points of ingress/egress to the Subject Property. One point is off Bouldercrest Road and the other is off Cedar Grove Road. The Subject Property is laid out to allow the flow of traffic through the proposed community so that residents can enter or exit from either ingress/egress point.

F. Whether or not the proposed use will create adverse impacts upon any adjoining land use by reason of the hours of operation of the proposed use;

The proposed use will not create adverse impacts upon any adjoining land use by reason of the hours of operation of the proposed use. The proposed use is residential whereas the surrounding properties are either residential or commercial. The proposed residential use will not have any "hours of operation." Therefore, the proposed use will not create adverse impacts upon any adjoining land use by reason of the hours of operation.

G. Whether or not the proposed use will create adverse impacts upon any adjoining land use by reason of the manner of operation of the proposed use;

The proposed use will not create adverse impacts upon any adjoining land use by reason of the manner of operation of the proposed use. The use is residential. The property owners will use the land merely for residential purposes.

H. Whether or not the proposed use is consistent with, advances, conflicts, or detracts from the policies of the Comprehensive Plan;



The proposed use is consistent with and advances the policies of the Comprehensive Plan. The future land use map shows that the Subject Property has Suburban and Neighborhood Commercial future land use designations. Both future land use designations permit the RSM zoning district, which in turn permits the single family attached townhomes.

Additionally, the zoning proposal reserves space for public pocket parks. This serves to create a open green space for the community to enjoy.

I. Whether or not there is adequate provision of refuse and service areas;

There is adequate provision of refuse and service areas.

J. Whether the length of time for which the special land use permit is granted should be limited in duration;

The length of time for which the special land use permit is granted should not be limited in duration. The Applicant intends to develop this site for property owners to purchase homes. If the Special Land Use Permit were to expire, the property would suddenly become non-conforming and the property owners would bear that burden at no fault of their own.

K. Whether or not the size, scale and massing of proposed buildings are appropriate in relation to the size of the subject property and in relation to the size, scale and massing of the adjacent and nearby lots and buildings;

The size, scale, and massing of proposed buildings is appropriate in relation to the size of the Subject Property and in relation to the size, scale, and massing of the adjacent and nearby lots and buildings.

L. Whether the proposed plan will adversely affect historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources;

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M. Whether the proposed use satisfies the requirements contained within the Supplemental Regulations for such special land use permit.

The proposed use satisfies the requirements contained within the Supplemental Regulations for such special land use permit.



N. Whether the proposed use would be consistent with the needs of the neighborhood or of the community as a whole, as expressed and evidenced during the review process.

The proposed use is consistent with the needs of the neighborhood or the community as a whole. The zoning proposal will allow for additional consumers to frequent the nearby businesses, it will provide a public pocket park for the community to enjoy, and the zoning proposal will provide for additional housing to combat the ongoing housing crisis.

IV. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, the Applicant hereby requests that the applications for a Rezoning from R-100 and C-1 to RSM and Special Land Use Permit be approved. The Applicant welcomes any questions and feedback from the planning staff.

V. NOTICE OF CONSTITUTIONAL ALLEGATIONS AND PRESERVATION OF CONTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

The portions of the DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance, facially and as applied to the Subject Property, which restrict or classify or may restrict or classify the Subject Property so as to prohibit its development as proposed by the Applicant are or would be unconstitutional in that they would destroy the Applicant's property rights without first paying fair, adequate and just compensation for such rights, in violation of the Fifth Amendment and Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States and Article I, Section I, Paragraph I of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983, Article I, Section III, Paragraph I of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983, and would be in violation of the Commerce Clause, Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution of the United States.

The application of the DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance to the Subject Property which restricts its use to any classification other than that proposed by the Applicant is unconstitutional, illegal, null and void, constituting a taking of Applicant's Property in violation of the Just Compensation Clause of the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, Article I, Section I, Paragraph I, and Article I, Section III, Paragraph I of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983, and the Equal Protection and Due Process Clauses of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States denying the Applicant an economically viable use of its land while not substantially advancing legitimate state interests.

A denial of this Application would constitute an arbitrary irrational abuse of discretion and unreasonable use of the zoning power because they bear no substantial relationship to the public health, safety, morality or general welfare of the public and substantially harm the Applicant in violation of the due process and equal protection rights guaranteed by the Fifth Amendment and Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States, and Article I, Section I, Paragraph I and Article I, Section III, Paragraph 1 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia.

A refusal by the DeKalb County Board of Commissioners to amend the land use and/or rezone the Subject Property to the classification as requested by the Applicant would be unconstitutional and



discriminate in an arbitrary, capricious and unreasonable manner between the Applicant and owners of similarly situated property in violation of Article I, Section I, Paragraph II of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983 and the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Any Rezoning or Special Land Use Permit of the Property subject to conditions which are different from the conditions requested by the Applicant, to the extent such different conditions would have the effect of further restricting Applicant's utilization of the property, would also constitute an arbitrary, capricious and discriminatory act in zoning the Subject Property to an unconstitutional classification and would likewise violate each of the provisions of the State and Federal Constitutions set forth hereinabove.

A refusal to allow the land use amendment and/or Rezoning and Special Land Use Permit in questions would be unjustified from a fact-based standpoint and instead would result only from constituent opposition, which would be an unlawful delegation of authority in violation of Article IX, Section II, Paragraph IV of the Georgia Constitution.

A refusal to allow the land use amendment and/or Rezoning and Special Land Use Permit in question would be invalid inasmuch as it would be denied pursuant to an ordinance which is not in compliance with the Zoning Procedures Law, O.C.G.A Section 36-66/1 et seq., due to the manner in which the Ordinance as a whole and its map(s) have been adopted.

The existing land use designation and/or zoning classification on the Subject Property is unconstitutional as it applies to the Subject Property. This notice is being given to comply with the provisions of O.C.G.A. Section 36-11-1 to afford the County an opportunity to revise the Property to a constitutional classification. If action is not taken by the County to rectify this unconstitutional land use designation and/or zoning classification within a reasonable time, the Applicant is hereby placing the County on notice that it may elect to file a claim in the Superior Court of Fulton County demanding just and adequate compensation under Georgia law for the taking of the Subject Property, diminution of value of the Subject Property, attorney's fees and other damages arising out of the unlawful deprivation of the Applicant's property rights.

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AUTHORIZATION

The property owner should complete this form or a similar signed and notarized form if the individual who will file the application with the County is not the property owner.

03 Date:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

(I) (WE) _____

Bouldercrest Holdings LLC

Name of owner(s)

being (owner) (owners) of the subject property described below or attached hereby delegate authority to

Battle Law P.C.

Name of Agent or Representative

to file an application on (my) (our) behalf.

Notary Public

Notary Public

Owner

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DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION

In accordance with the Conflict of Interest in Zoning Act, OCGA Chapter 36-67A, the following questions must be answered.

Have you, the applicant, made \$250.00 or more in campaign contribution to a local government official within two years immediately preceding the filling of this application?

No 🕨 Yes

If the answer is yes, you must file a disclosure report with the governing authority of DeKalb County showing:

- The name and official position of the local government official to whom the campaign 1. contribution was made.
- 2. The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made during the two years immediately preceding the filing of this application and the date of each such contribution.

The disclosure must be filed within 10 days after the application is first filed and must be submitted to the C.E.O. and to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, 1300 Commerce Drive, Decatur, GA 30030.

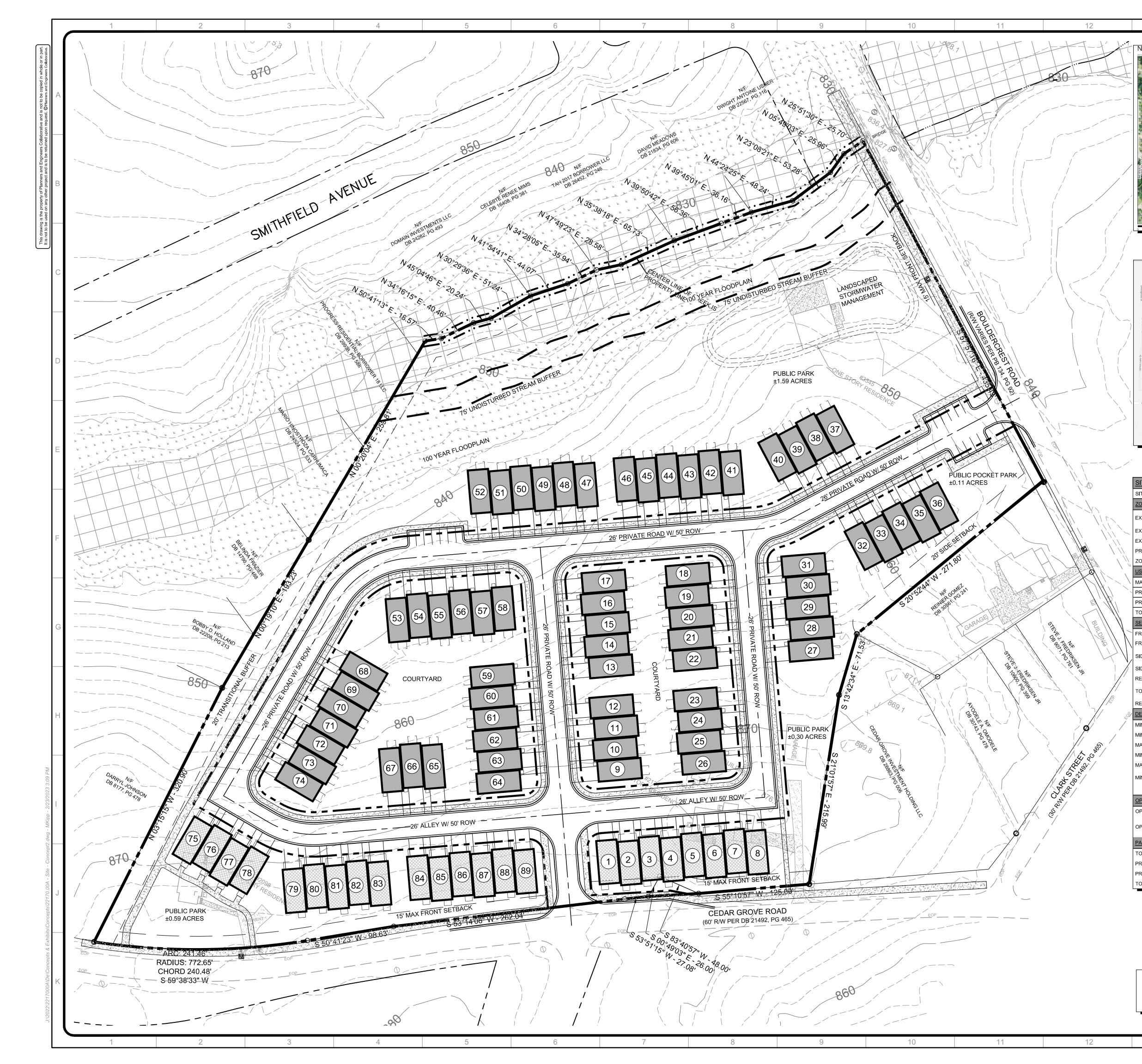
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Expiration Date/ Seal

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Check one: Owner

*Notary seal not needed if answer is "no".









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0' 50' 100' 150' SCALE: 1'' = 50' SCALE: 1'' = 50' BOULDERCREST RD @ CEDAR GROVE RD DEKALB COUNTY





WHAT TO KNOW BEFORE YOU FILE YOUR APPLICATION

 Pre-submittal Community Meeting:
 X
 Review Calendar Dates:
 X
 PC: _**
 BOC:

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 Letter of Intent:
 X
 Impact Analysis:
 X
 Owner Authorization(s):
 X
 Campaign

 Disclosure:
 X
 Zoning Conditions:
 na
 Community Council Meeting:
 **
 Public

 Notice, Signs:
 X
 Tree Survey, Conservation:
 Land Disturbance Permit (LDP):

 __X
 Sketch Plat:
 X
 Bldg. Permits:
 X
 Fire Inspection:
 X
 Business

 License:
 __X
 State License:
 Lighting Plan:
 Tent Permit:
 Submittal

 Format:
 NO STAPLES, NO BINDERS PLEASE

**Filing Deadline for <u>complete</u> application to be considered for May 2023 zoning cycle is March 2, 2023. Last day to hold community meeting with 15 days notice to be considered for May 2023 cycle is March 1, 2023. If there are more than 20 cases on May 2023 agenda cycle then case would be heard in July 2023.

Review of Site Plan

Density:X Density Bonuses:X Mix of Uses: Open Space:X
Enhanced Open Space:X Setbacks: frontX sidesX side corner rear
Lot Size: _X Frontage:X Street Widths:X Landscape Strips:X
Buffers: X Parking - Auto: X Parking - Bicycle:
X Screening:X Streetscapes:X Sidewalks:XFencing/Walls:
Bldg. Height:XBldg. Orientation: _XBldg. Separation:Bldg. Materials: _XRoofs:
Fenestration:X Façade Design:X Garages:X Pedestrian Plan:X
Perimeter Landscape Strip:
Possible Variances: See comments below.



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Comments: ____. The proposed single-family attached townhomes will require a Special Land Use Permit (SLUP) since properties fall within Tier 3 of the BOD and abuts residential zoning/Tier 5 of BOD . Because 3345 Bouldercrest is tied to a specific commercial land use via zoning conditions (lawn sales and repair per CZ 86187), a rezoning to RSM for all the properties in the application (if RSM is chosen as the desired zoning district) is also required in addition to the SLUP. The maximum base density will depend on the underlying zoning district chosen (for example, if RSM is chosen maximum base density is 4 units per acre). Anything above the base density of the underlying zoning district will require density bonuses as illustrated in Article 2 of the Zoning Ordinance. The maximum density allowed in Suburban character area is 8 units per acre with provision of density bonuses.

Applicant will need to show compliance with zoning ordinance and bouldercrest overlay district requirements including but not limited to building material requirements, maximum building height and transitional height plane requirements of zoning ordinance, parking, parking lot landscaping, street trees and sidewalks and landscape strip along Cedar Grove Rd and Bouldercrest Rd, and a transitional buffer where site abuts R-100 residential zoning. While not a zoning issue, there appears to be a stream on the northwest side of the property which could impact buildability due to required stream buffers and floodplain areas. Other requirements per Article 5 and Article 2 of the Zoning Ordinance. It appears that a portion of the properties fall within the Soapstone Historic District which has additional requirements. Please contact Historic Planner for more information.

Applicant will need to provide justification as to how the proposed RSM zoning district (if chosen) is compatible with the surrounding area.

This only a preliminary review and is not a complete list of zoning requirements, a final and complete review will be done upon official submission of a SLUP & Rezone application and concept plan

Planner:_Joh	n Reid	Date_01/31/23
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OI, OD, OIT, NS, C1, C2, M, M2	\$750.00
LAND USE MAP AMENDMENT	\$500.00
SPECIAL LAND USE PERMIT	\$400.00