## Staff Report

**Subject:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – Zoning Map Amendment

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**Department:** Development Services

Meeting Date: July 16, 2023

**Item Description:** Read Brennan requests to rezone +/- 27.65 acres from PD & AR-1 to PD to allow for the amendment of a Planned Development. Located on Blue Jay Road. [Map# 415 Parcel# 10 &

Map# 414 Parcel# 9]

## **Summary Recommendation**

Staff has reviewed the application and recommends **approval** of the requests to **rezone** +/- 27.65 acres from **PD & AR-1** to **PD** to allow for the amendment of a Planned Development.

## **Executive Summary/Background**

- The request for rezoning is a requirement of Appendix C, Article IX-Amendments to Map or Text, Section 9. Zoning districts are described in Appendix C, Article V-Uses Permitted in Districts.
- The applicant is requesting to amend the Planned Development text for the Staffordshire Development on Blue Jay Road.
- The text amendment provides for an increase in the number of allowed units from 184 to 225 maximum units.
- The text also allows the county access to an easement on the north side of the property connecting to Blue Jay Road.
- This proposed development will be considered an additional phase to the Staffordshire Subdivision, and utilities are already in place.
- The proposed development will add additional stormwater capacity.
- This rezoning is consistent with the Future Land Use Map (FLUM) as these parcels are projected to be agricultural/residential.
- At the June 11, 2024, Planning Board Meeting, Mr. Alan Zipperer made a motion for denial. Mr. Peter Higgins second the motion and it carried unanimously.

## **Alternatives**

- **1. Approve** the requests to **rezone** +/- 27.65 acres from **PD & AR-1** to **PD** to allow for the amendment of a Planned Development with the following conditions:
  - A recombination plat shall be approved and signed by Development Services, then recorded, before the zoning can take effect.
  - A preliminary plat shall be approved by the Board of Commissioners.
- **2. Deny** the requests **rezone** +/- 27.65 acres from **PD & AR-1** to **PD** to allow for the amendment of a Planned Development.

Recommended Alternative: 1 Other Alternatives: 2

Department Review: Development Services FUNDING: N/A

**Attachments:** 1. Zoning Map Amendment