## Staff Report

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

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**Department:** Development Services **Meeting Date:** September 3, 2024

**Item Description:** Stephen Daugherty requests to rezone +/- 1.60 out of 7.67 acres from AR-1 & AR-2 to allow for subdivision to create a new home site. Located at 595 Arnsdorff Loop. [Map# 363 Parcel# 27]

## **Summary Recommendation**

Staff has reviewed the application and recommends **approval** of the request to **rezone** +/- 1.60 out of 7.67 acres from **AR-1** & **AR-2** to allow for subdivision to create a new home site.

## **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 requests to rezone 1.60 out of 7.67 acres to create a new home site.
- The 1.60 acres fall below the 5-acre threshold needed for AR-1 zoning, so the parcel needs to be rezoned to AR-2.
- The new parcel will have approximately 386 feet of frontage along Arnsdorff Loop, which is a countymaintained dirt road.
- This rezoning is consistent with the Future Land Use Map (FLUM) as these parcels are projected to be Agriculture.
- At the August 13, 2024, Planning Board meeting, Mr. Ryan Thompson motioned for approval with Staff recommendations. Mr. Peter Higgins seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously.

## **Alternatives**

- **1. Approve** the requests to **rezone** +/- 1.60 out of 7.67 acres from **AR-1 & AR-2** to allow for subdivision to create a new home site with the following conditions:
  - Before the zoning can take effect, a subdivision plat shall be approved and signed by Development Services and then recorded.
- **2. Deny** the requests to **rezone** +/- 1.60 out of 7.67 acres from **AR-1 & AR-2** to allow for subdivision to create a new home site.

Recommended Alternative: 1 Other Alternative: 2

Department Review: Development Services FUNDING: N/A

**Attachments:** 1. Zoning Map Amendment