



**CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE  
ORDINANCE**

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**MEETING DATE:** 12/17/2024

**REQUESTER:** Monica Espinoza, Administrative Supervisor

**PRESENTER:** Savannah Ware, AICP, Chief City Planner

**TITLE:** ZON-24-08-0022 - Zoning Change – 1419 E Marshall (City Council District 3). Zoning Change from Commercial (C) to Single Family-Five (SF-5) on 0.328 acres. Lot 1, Block C, Carbaugh Addition, City of Grand Prairie, Dallas County, Texas, zoned Commercial (C) District, and addressed as 1419 E Marshall Dr (On November 11, 2024, the Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval by a vote of 7-0)

**APPLICANT:** Maria Gonzalez

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approve

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**SUMMARY:**

Zoning Change from Commercial (C) to Single Family-Five (SF-5) on 0.328 acres. Lot 1, Block C, Carbaugh Addition, City of Grand Prairie, Dallas County, Texas, zoned Commercial (C) District, and addressed as 1419 E Marshall Dr.

**PURPOSE OF REQUEST:**

The purpose of the request is to rezone the property to align with current land use of the property with an existing single family home.

**ADJACENT LAND USES:**

The following table summarizes the zoning designation and existing use for the surrounding properties.

**Table 1. Zoning and Land Use**

Direction	Zoning	Existing Use
North	Multi-Family One	Apartments
South	Single Family-Five	Single Family Residence
West	General Retail	Commercial
East	Single Family-Five	Single Family Residence

**HISTORY:**

- September 1985: The City’s 1985 zoning map shows the subject property zoned Commercial.

**CONFORMANCE WITH THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:**

*Future Land Use Map*

The Future Land Use Map (FLUM) is designed to facilitate the efficient, sustainable, and fiscally sound development and redevelopment of Grand Prairie. The purpose of the FLUM is to serve as an outlook for the future use of land and the character of development in the community. The FLUM, along with other community objectives, is used to guide land use decisions.

The 2018 Comprehensive Plan’s Future Land Use Map (FLUM) designates this location as Low Density Residential. The proposed zoning is consistent with the FLUM.

**ZONING REQUIREMENTS:**

The table below summarizes the requirements for SF-5. If zoning is approved, the applicant must comply with the following standards.

**Table 2. Summary of Lot Requirements**

Standard	SF-5
Unit Density	8.7 units per acre
Min. Living Area (Sq. Ft.)	1,600
Min. Lot Area (Sq. Ft.)	6,500
Min. Lot Width (Ft.)	60
Min. Lot Depth (Ft.)	100
Front Setback (Ft.)	25
Internal Side Yard (Ft.)	5
Rear Setback (Ft.)	10
Max. Height (Ft.)	25
Lot Coverage (%)	50

**ANALYSIS:**

The existing lot is on a block that is mostly residential. There is an existing single family residential structure on the property, and it is unlikely this area will ever develop as commercial. The request is consistent with the adjacent land use and the FLUM.

**PUBLIC NOTICE:**

Notice of this item was published in the Fort Worth Star Telegram and letters were provided to 30 surrounding properties meeting the distance requirements in the Unified Development Code. As of the writing of this staff memo, the following letters have been received:

In Support: None

In Opposition: None

**RECOMMENDATION:**

- On November 11, 2024, the Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval by a vote of 7-0.
- The Development Review Committee (DRC) recommends approval.

**BODY:**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE AND MAP TO REZONE 0.328 ACRES, BEING LOT 1, BLOCK C, CARBAUGH ADDITION, CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS, LOCATED AT 1419 E MARSHALL DR, FROM COMMERCIAL (C) DISTRICT TO SINGLE FAMILY-FIVE (SF-5) RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT; SAID ZONING MAP AND ORDINANCE BEING ORDINANCE NUMBER 4779 AND PASSED ON NOVEMBER 20, 1990; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith; CONTAINING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; AND TO BECOME EFFECTIVE UPON ITS PASSAGE AND APPROVAL**

**WHEREAS**, the owners of the property described herein below filed application with the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, petitioning an amendment of the Zoning Ordinance and map of said city so as to rezone and reclassify said property from its classification of Commercial (C) District to Single Family-Five (SF-5) Residential District; and

**WHEREAS**, the Planning and Zoning Commission of Grand Prairie, Texas, held a public hearing on said application on November 11, 2024, after written notice of such public hearing before the Planning and Zoning Commission on the proposed rezoning had been sent to owners of real property lying within 300 feet of the property on which the change of classification is proposed, said Notice having been given not less than ten (10) days before the date set for hearing to all such owners who rendered their said property for City taxes as the ownership appears on the last approved City Tax Roll, and such Notice being served by depositing the same, properly addressed and postage paid, in the City Post Office; and

**WHEREAS**, after consideration of said application, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas voted 7-0 to recommend approval to the City Council of Grand Prairie, Texas, of the request that the hereinafter described property be rezoned from its classification of Commercial (C) District to Single Family-Five (SF-5) Residential District; and

**WHEREAS**, Notice was given of a further public hearing to be held by the City Council of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, in the City Hall Plaza Building at 6:30 o'clock P.M. on December 17, 2024, to consider the advisability of amending the Zoning Ordinance and Map as recommended by the Planning and Zoning Commission, and all citizens and parties at interest were notified that they would have an opportunity to be heard, such Notice of the time and place of such hearing having been given at least fifteen (15) days prior to such hearing by publication in the Fort Worth Star Telegram, Grand Prairie, Texas, a newspaper of general circulation in such municipality; and

**WHEREAS**, all citizens and parties at interest have been given an opportunity to be heard on all the matter of the proposed rezoning and the City Council of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, being informed as to the

location and nature of the use proposed on said property, as well as, the nature and usability of surrounding property, have found and determined that the property in question, as well as, other property within the city limits of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, has changed in character since the enactment of the original Zoning Ordinance from its classification of Commercial (C) District to Single Family-Five (SF-5) Residential District; and, by reason of changed conditions, does consider and find that this amendatory Ordinance should be enacted since its provisions are in the public interest and will promote the health, safety and welfare of the community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** Ordinance Number 4779, being the Zoning Ordinance and Map of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, showing the locations and boundaries of certain districts, and said Zoning Ordinance and Map having been made a part of an Ordinance entitled:

“THE UNIFIED DEVELOPMENT CODE OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, AS PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON THE 20TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1990, TOGETHER WITH ALL AMENDMENTS THERETO AND ENACTING A REVISED ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AND PROVIDING FOR ZONING REGULATIONS; CREATING USE DISTRICTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN...”

and passed and approved November 20, 1990, as amended, is hereby further amended so as to rezone from its classification of Commercial (C) District to Single Family-Five (SF-5) Residential District as described and depicted in Exhibit A – Location Map.

**SECTION 2.** All ordinance or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are specifically repealed. Provided that such repeal shall be only to the extent of such inconsistency and in all other respects this Ordinance shall be cumulative of other ordinances regulating and governing the subject matter covered in this Ordinance.

**SECTION 3.** The Unified Development Code of the City of Grand Prairie, as amended, shall be and remain in full force and effect save and except as amended by this Ordinance.

**SECTION 4.** Land uses shall be restricted to those uses permitted in the Single Family-Five (SF-5) Residential District as specified in Article 4 - “Permissible Uses” of the Unified Development Code of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, as amended.

**SECTION 5.** Development shall conform to all applicable development standards for Single Family-Five (SF-5) as specified in Article 6 – “Density and Dimensional Requirements,” and all other applicable sections of the Unified Development Code of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, as amended.

**SECTION 6.** The terms and provisions of this Ordinance are severable and are governed by Section 1-4 of the Code of Ordinance of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas.

**SECTION 7.** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, and approval.

**PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, THIS 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER 2024.**

**ORDINANCE NO. X-2024**  
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