

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

PROPOSED MEETING DATE: April 12, 2023

PREPARED BY:Scott Dunlop, DirectorDEPARTMENT:Development Services

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Consideration, discussion, and possible action on Rezoning Application for five (5) lots on .23 acres, more or less, out of the South 40 ft of Lots 6-10, Block 1, AE Lanes Addition, and being located at 707 Bastrop St, Manor, TX from Single-Family Suburban (SF-1) to Two-Family Residential (TF).

Applicant: Saavy ATX Realty LLC

Owner: Wenkai Chen

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:

This is a narrow (40') but deep (250') lot on North Bastrop Street. Sometime in the 1980s, or possibly even 1950's, the 5 lots on West Lane Ave were broken up and the back 40' of each lot was sold to create this 40' x 250' lot. Its unique size and shape makes it more challenging to develop but the applicant is seek to rezone it from Single Family Suburban (SF-1) to Two-Family (TF) to be able to place a two-family building on the property. The lot meets the minimum lot size for a Two-Family lot, it's 10,000 sf while the minimum is 8,750 sf, however the narrowness of the lot will require a variance when it is platted to the lot width and setbacks to make development feasible. These variances would be necessary even if the property remained zoned SF-1.

The Comprehensive Plan's Future Land Use Map has this general area as Community Mixed-Use which generally seeks higher densities, but given the character of the neighborhood and unique lot size, a two-family dwelling unit would be appropriate and achieve some of the goals of the Plan including: LU2 – encourage a range of product types and lot sizes, ED14 – encourage diverse housing in terms of type and affordability to align with workforce needs, LU.A – encourage a balanced mix of residential, commercial, and employment uses at varying densities and intensities to reflect gradual transition from urban to suburban to rural development, LU.B – promote more compact, higher density, well-connected development within appropriate infill locations, LU 1 – encourage innovative forms of compact, pedestrian friendly development and wider array of affordable housing choices through smart regulatory provisions and incentives, DU 11 – increase development of housing units close to multi-modal infrastructure and mixed-use developments, including in Downtown.

LEGAL REVIEW: Not Applicable

FISCAL IMPACT: NO
PRESENTATION: NO
ATTACHMENTS: YES

- Letter of intent
- Rezone Map
- Aerial Image

- Conceptual Layout
- FLUM
- Public Notice
- Mailing Labels

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

It is the City Staff's recommendation that the Planning and Zoning Commission approve a Rezoning Application for five (5) lots on .23 acres, more or less, out of the South 40 ft of Lots 6-10, Block 1, AE Lanes Addition, and being located at 707 Bastrop St, Manor, TX from Single-Family Suburban (SF-1) to Two-Family Residential (TF)

PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION: Recommend Approval Disapproval None