



MEETING DATE: February 10, 2026

PRESENTED BY: Xavier Cervantes, AICP, CPM, Director of Planning

AGENDA ITEM: Conduct a public hearing and consideration of a rezoning request from Agricultural Open Interim District ("AO-I") to Townhouse Residential District ("R-1T"), being a 9.83-acre tract out of Lot 33, Bell Woods CO's Subdivision "C", located along the West side of Conway Avenue, approximately 265 feet North of Victory Street. Applicant, David Lopez, Jr. c/o Guadalupe and Alejo Cabrera, Adoption of Ordinance #_____ – Cervantes

NATURE OF REQUEST:

Project Timeline:

- December 21, 2025 – Application for rezoning submitted for processing.
- January 10, 2026 – In accordance with State and local law notice of the required public hearings was mailed to all the property owners within a 200' radius of the subject tract and notice of hearings was published in the Progress Times.
- January 21, 2026 – Public hearing and consideration of the requested rezoning by the Planning and Zoning Commission.
- February 10, 2026 – Public hearing and consideration of the requested rezoning ordinance by the City Council.

Summary:

- The applicant is requesting to rezone the subject property from Agricultural Open Interim District ("AO-I") to Townhouse Residential District ("R-1T") for a proposed 62-lot townhome development.
- The tract of land has 9.48 acres in net area and measures 256 feet along Conway Avenue and has a depth of 1,239.61 feet.
- The surrounding zones are outside the city limits to the North, General Business District (C-3) to the East, Agricultural Open Interim District (AO-I) to the South and Duplex-Fourplex Residential to the West.
- The surrounding land uses include agricultural land, a single-family home and an irrigation canal to the South, Tramuc Transport to the East, Cheer Strike and IHOP to the South and the Bellwood Manor (4-plex lots) subdivision is under construction to the West.
- The subject property is vacant.
- The Future Land Use Map shows the West two thirds of the property designated for low-density residential uses. The East one third of the property is designated for general commercial uses. Even though the requested rezoning of the property is not in line with the comprehensive plan, staff feels that the area is in transition to higher-density residential uses.
- Notices were mailed to 10 surrounding property owners. Planning staff received no phone calls in opposition to the rezoning.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the rezoning request.

Departmental Approval: N/A
Advisory Board Recommendation: Approval
City Manager's Recommendation: Approval <i>JP7</i>

RECORD OF VOTE:

APPROVED: _____

DISAPPROVED: _____

TABLED: _____

_____ AYES

_____ NAYS

_____ DISSENTING _____