

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM & RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY

MEETING DATE: August 25, 2025

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

AGENDA ITEM: Conduct a public hearing and consideration of a rezoning request from

Single-family Residential District ("R-1") to General Business District ("C-3"), being Lot 19, Block 3, Oakwood Estates Subdivision, located at the Northeast corner of W. Griffin Parkway and River Oak Avenue. Applicant: Eduardo Sanchez, Adoption of Ordinance #______ - Cervantes

NATURE OF REQUEST:

Project Timeline:

- <u>July 29, 2025</u> Application for rezoning submitted for processing.
- August 8, 2025 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.
- <u>August 20, 2025</u> Public hearing and consideration of the requested rezoning by the Planning and Zoning Commission.
- <u>August 25, 2025</u> Public hearing and consideration of the requested rezoning ordinance by the City Council.

Summary:

- The applicant is requesting to rezone the subject property from Single-family Residential District ("R-1") to General Business District ("C-3") for a possible commercial development.
- The lot of record measures 65 feet by 120 feet. According to the Hidalgo County Appraisal District the lot has an area of 0.1771 acres.
- The surrounding zones are Single-family Residential (R-1) to the North and East, and General Retail district (C-3) to the West and South.
- The surrounding land uses are a commercial plaza to the west, Tropical Breeze Snow Cones to the West, The Little Club Dependent Center to the South and a single family home to the North.
- The subject property is vacant.
- The Future Land Use Map shows the subject property as General Commercial. The requested zoning is in line with the future land use map designation for the property.
- Notices were mailed to 22 surrounding property owners. Planning staff has not received any phone calls from the surrounding property owners.

Staff recommends approval to the rezoning request. Departmental Approval: Approval Advisory Board Recommendation: Approval City Manager's Recommendation: Approval WEP RECORD OF VOTE: APPROVED: _____ DISAPPROVED: ____ TABLED: ____ NAYS ____ DISSENTING______