

PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: July 25, 2022

AGENDA ITEM TITLE: Recommendation on Proposed Annexation – Salida Fire Station

AGENDA SECTION: Public Hearing

REQUEST / BACKGROUND:

The applicant, City of Salida, has submitted applications for annexation and zoning for a 2.94 acre property located at 611 Oak Street. The site was purchased by the City in 2021 with the intention of building a new fire station.

PROCESS:

When annexing a property, the City must follow State statutes for contiguity and procedural requirements. Per CRS 31-12-106(3), the steps for annexing municipally-owned property are different than the steps for annexing non-municipally owned property. The requirements include:

- 1/6th of the perimeter of a proposed annexation must be contiguous with the City of Salida;
- The Planning Commission holds a public hearing to review the annexation and recommend the zoning designation of the property;



- City Council holds a public hearing to review and possibly approve the annexation ordinance;
- Council adopts a resolution stating the proposed findings on the annexation;
- City Council holds a public hearing to review and possibly approve the zoning ordinance.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

As explained above, the annexation shall be considered by the Commission as a required step prior to the zoning of the property. The following findings of facts are required for annexation:

- 1. The proposed annexation meets the required 1/6th contiguity with the municipal boundary of the City of Salida as shown on the annexation plat.
- 2. All applicable owners of the property are party to the annexation.
- 3. The annexation property is within the Municipal Services Area (MSA) of the City of Salida, as defined in the City's Comprehensive Plan and its intergovernmental agreement (IGA) with Chaffee County approved in 2010. According to the IGA, the MSA "encompasses properties which are eligible for annexation and extension of municipal utilities and infrastructure, within the parameters set forth in the Salida Municipal Code and Salida Comprehensive Plan, which may be amended from time to time."
- 4. The property may be efficiently served by City fire and police departments.
- 5. The property is a natural extension of the City's municipal boundary and meets the legal requirements for annexation.

RESPONSE FROM REFERRAL DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES:

- <u>Chaffee County Development Services:</u> Planning Manager Jon Roorda responded "Chaffee County has no objection, or comments regarding this annexation."
- <u>Salida School District</u>: The City of Salida and Salida School District met on July 15th to discuss the proposals for the Fire Station and for Crest Academy located directly south of the proposed fire station. Several topics including future land uses, access, utilities, and an emphasis on pedestrian and bicyclist safety were discussed. Discussions will continue as will coordination of the respective development proposals. The school district anticipates applying for annexation and zoning of 627 Oak Street later this year.
- Colorado Department of Transportation: Access Management Unit Program Administrator, Dan Roussin, responded "Thank you for the opportunity to review the Zoning and Annexation of 611 Oak Street (State Highway 291). CDOT is in support of a possible new fire station location. This property will need a new access permit when the fire station becomes available. Please work with CDOT to ensure all the access needs are met for the Town's Fire Station."
- <u>Salida Public Works Department</u>: Public Works Director David Lady has been and will continue working with the site architect and engineer, the School District, and CDOT to ensure appropriate services and access are provided. Additional comments may be forthcoming.
- <u>Salida Police Department:</u> Police Chief, Russ Johnson responded "No issues from PD".

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Planning Commission recommend the City Council approve the proposed annexation.

RECOMMENDED MOTIONS:

"I make a motion to recommend City Council approve the proposed Salida Fire Station Annexation as it meets the findings of fact for annexation."

Attachments:

Application and Annexation Plat Proof of publication



GENERAL DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

448 East First Street, Suite 112 Salida, CO 81201

Phone: 719-530-2626 Fax: 719-539-5271 Email: planning@cityofsalida.com

1. TYPE OF APPLICATION (Check-off as appro-	priate)
✓ Annexation	Administrative Review:
Pre-Annexation Agreement	(Type)
Variance	
Appeal Application	Limited Impact Review:
Certificate of Approval	(Type)
Creative Sign Permit Historic Landmark/District	✓ Major Impact Review:
License to Encroach	(Type) Zoning
Text Amendment to Land Use Code	(1)pc)
Watershed Protection Permit	Other:
Conditional Use	
2. GENERAL DATA (To be completed by the ap	pplicant)
A. Applicant Information	
Name of Applicant: City of Salida	
Mailing Address: 448 E. 1st Street Suite 112	
Telephone Number:	FAX:
Email Address:	
Power of Attorney/ Authorized Representative: Nina (Provide a letter authorizing agent to represent you, it	Williams
(Provide a letter authorizing agent to represent you, in telephone number, and FAX)	nclude representative's name, street and mailing address,
B. Site Data	
Name of Development: Oak Street Fire State	tion
Street Address; 611 Oak Street	
Legal Description: Lot Block Subdivis	sion(attach description)
Disclosure of Ownership: List all owners' names, mortgag run with the land. (May be in the form of a current certific encumbrance report, attorney's opinion, or other documen	ges, liens, easements, judgments, contracts and agreements that cate from a title insurance company, deed, ownership and ntation acceptable to the City Attorney)
56	
certify that I have read the application form and that th orrect to the best of my knowledge.	ne information and exhibits herewith submitted are true and
ignature of applicant/agent	Date
ignature of property owner	Date

ANNEXATION PETITION

TO THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALIDA, COLORADO, GREETINGS:

The undersigned hereby petition(s) the City of Salida to annex to the City of Salida the territory shown on the map(s) attached hereto and described on the attachment hereto:

This Petition is signed by the landowners qualified to sign. It is intended that this Petition be a one hundred percent (100%) petition for annexation as described in C. R. S. 1973, Section 31-12-107(I)(g), (as amended).

In support of this petition, the undersigned state(s) and allege(s) as follows, to wit:

- 1. That it is desirable and necessary that the above-described territory be annexed to the City of Salida.
- 2. That petitioners are landowners of one hundred percent (100%) of the territory, excluding streets and alleys, herein proposed for annexation to the City of Salida.
- That no less than one-sixth of the aggregate external boundaries of the abovedescribed territory hereby petitioned to the City of Salida is contiguous to the City limits of the City of Salida.
- 4. Accompanying this petition are two mylars and twenty copies of the annexation map.
- 5. That a community of interest exists between the above-described territory and the City of Salida, and that the same is urban, or will be urbanized in the near future, and further that the said territory is integrated or is capable of being integrated in the City of Salida.
- 6. That the above-described territory does not include any area which is the same or substantially the same area in which an election for an annexation to the City of Salida, was held within the twelve months preceding the filing of this petition.
- 7. That the above-described territory does not include any area included in another annexation proceeding involving city other than the City of Salida.
- 8. That the above-described territory is not presently a part of any incorporated city, city and county, or town.
- 9. That the above area described will (not) result in the detachment of the area from any school district and the attachment of the same to another school district.

"INSERT A"

(Description of territory proposed for annexation)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF A TRACT OF LAND

A TRACT OF LAND LOCATED WITHIN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 49 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST OF THE NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, CHAFFEE COUNTY, COLORADO, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE CENTER-WEST 1/16TH CORNER, SAID POINT BEING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED AT RECEPTION NO. 477122, BEING MARKED BY A 1 ½" ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED LS 16117, FROM WHENCE THE CENTER QUARTER CORNER OF SAID SECTION 4, BEING MARKED BY A 2 ½" ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED LS 16117, BEARS SOUTH 89°21'21" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 1262.48 FEET;

THENCE NORTH 89°30'29" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 406.23 TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID PROPERTY DESCRIBED AT RECEPTION NO. 477122 AND THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY OF COLORADO HIGHWAY NO. 291 (OAK STREET) AS MONUMENTED;

THENCE NORTH 88°57'47" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 60.56 FEET TO THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY OF SAID HIGHWAY NO. 291, AS MONUMENTED;

THENCE SOUTH 00°16'23" WEST, ALONG SAID WEST RIGHT OF WAY, A DISTANCE OF 274.23 FEET;

THENCE SOUTH 89°21'33" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 59.06 FEET TO SAID EAST RIGHT OF WAY AS MONUMENTED AND THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED AT RECEPTION NO. 476596;

THENCE SOUTH 89°21'33" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 407.50 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID PROPERTY DESCRIBED AT RECEPTION NO. 476596;

THENCE NORTH 00°19'13" EAST, ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID PROPERTIES DESCRIBED AT RECEPTION NOS. 476596 AND 477122, A DISTANCE OF 274.86 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

CONTAINING 2.94 ACRES

This Section must be filled out if there are multiple properties/property owners petitioning annexation,

Description of Property Included the Area Proposed for Annexation Owned by Each person Signing this Petition. (Attach separate sheet, if necessary)	See Attached					
Mailing Address of each Petitioner	Drew Nelson, City Administrator 61/6c/2022 448 E. First Street, Suite 112 Salida, CO 81201					
Date of Signature of Each Petitioner	2202/20/10					
Signature of Petitioners Requesting Annexation to the City of Salida, Colorado						

12.10.2020

A. General Purposes. It shall be the general purposes of the City in respect to annexation:

1. Consider Costs and Benefits. To annex contiguous lands for positive reasons, equitable to the City and not as a matter of right to a petitioner or petitioners. In consideration of any annexation the short-term and long-term costs and benefits to the area proposed to be annexed and the short-term and long-term costs and benefits to the City shall be weighed.

It will be beneficial to the City of Salida to have a new location for the Salida Fire Station and to have it located within the City boundary.

- 2. Agreements. Simultaneous with any ordinance approving the annexation of property into the city boundaries, the owner of the annexed property shall, if requested, enter an annexation agreement upon terms and conditions approved by the City Council, which annexation agreement shall detail a number issues, including but not limited to the subjects described below:
 - a. To require, as a condition of annexation of vacant lands, the dedication of lands for public sites within the land area of the territory being annexed. The location of the lands to be dedicated shall be designated by the City after conferring with any other public agency which might have an interest in such sites.

The City is the Annexor and no need for an Annexation Agreement has been identified. This is a public site and therefore no dedication for other public purposes is necessary.

3. Providing Public Facilities and Services. Ensuring that adequate water supply, sewage disposal, storm drainage, solid waste disposal, electrical, road, park/recreation and trail and public safety facilities and services are provided. The annexor shall be required to provide evidence of the financial capability of the annexor to complete public and other improvements, including adequate guaranties and security.

The City is the Annexor and will provide adequate public facilities as needed.

4. Provide for Orderly Development of the City. To provide for the efficient, well-ordered and safe development of the City of Salida and to accommodate a variety of desirable residential, commercial, industrial and public land uses in an appropriate, efficient and attractive development pattern.

This annexation is for a public land use and is part of a County enclave encapsulated by properties within the City of Salida.

5. Implement Comprehensive Plan. To consider land for annexation that conforms with the purposes of the Comprehensive Plan. The annexor shall include a development plan for the property, which at a minimum shall demonstrate that the proposed development of the property is in general conformance with the Comprehensive Plan.

Providing core services such as fire protection is a principle of the Comprehensive Plan.

6. Housing for the Community.

To promote the construction of housing that is affordable to the community's workforce; retain opportunities for people that work in the City to also live in the City; maintain a balanced community that provides housing for people of all income levels; and ensure that housing options continue to be available for very low-income, low-income, moderate, middle-income residents, special needs populations, and a significant proportion of those who work or live in the City. All subsequent development at this property is required to include at least twelve and one-half (12.5) percent of the total number of residential dwelling units as affordable dwelling units, subject to the standards of Section 16-13-20 and other requirements of Article XIII – Inclusionary Housing of the Salida Municipal Code.

The purpose of this site is to adequately accommodate a fire station and associated training facility. Should it be determined there is adequate space, additional appropriate uses could be explored in the future.



LIMITED IMPACT & MAJOR IMPACT SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

448 East First Street, Suite 112

Salida, CO 81201 Phone: 719-530-2626 Fax: 719-539-5271 Email: planning@cityofsalida.com

An application is meant to highlight the requirements and procedures of the Land Use Code. With any development application, it is the responsibility of the applicant to read, understand, and follow <u>all</u> of the provisions of the Land Use Code.

1. PROCEDURE (Section 16-3-80)

A. Development Process (City Code Section 16-3-50) Any application for approval of a development permit shall include a written list of information which shall constitute the applicant's development plan, which shall be that information necessary to determine whether the proposed development complies with this Code. The development plan shall include the following, as further specified for each level of review on the pre-application checklist:

- 1. Pre-Application Conference (Limited Impact and Major Impact Review Applications)
- Submit Application
- 3. Staff Review. Staff report or decision forwarded to the applicant (Administrative review)
- 4. Public Notice
- 5. Public Hearing with Planning Commission (Limited Impact and Major Impact Review Applications)
- 6. Public Notice
- 7. Hearing Conducted by City Council (Major Impact Review)

		Application Contents (City Code Section (16-3-50) General Development Application;
/		A copy of a current survey or the duly approved and recorded subdivision plat covering the subject lots there the proposal is for development on previously subdivided or platted lots;
1	3. <i>A</i>	A brief written description of the proposed development signed by the applicant;
	4.	Special Fee and Cost Reimbursement Agreement completed. *major impact only
'	5.	Public Notice.
	a)	List. A list shall be submitted by the applicant to the city of adjoining property owners' names and

- a) List. A list shall be submitted by the applicant to the city of adjoining property owners' names and addresses. A property owner is considered adjoining if it is within 175 feet of the subject property regardless of public ways. The list shall be created using the current Chaffee County tax records.
- b) Postage Paid Envelopes. Each name on the list shall be written on a postage-paid envelope. Postage is required for up to one ounce. Return Address shall be: City of Salida, 448 E. First Street, Suite 112, Salida, CO 81201.
- c) Applicant is responsible for posting the property and submittal of proof of posting the public notice.

- 6. Developments involving construction shall provide the following information:

 (i) A development plan map, at a scale of one (1) inch equals fifty (50) feet or larger with title, date, north arrow and scale on a minimum sheet size of eight and one-half (8½) inches by eleven (11) inches, which depicts the area within the boundaries of the subject lot, including:
 - a. The locations of existing and proposed land uses, the number of dwelling units and the square footage of building space devoted to each use;
 - b. The location and dimensions, including building heights, of all existing and proposed Buildings or structures and setbacks from lot lines or building envelopes where exact dimensions are not available;
 - c. Parking spaces;
 - d. Utility distribution systems, utility lines, and utility easements;
 - e. Drainage improvements and drainage easements;
 - f. Roads, alleys, curbs, curb cuts and other access improvements;
 - g. Any other improvements;
 - h. Any proposed reservations or dedications of public right-of-way, easements or other public lands, and
 - i. Existing topography and any proposed changes in topography, using five-foot contour intervals or ten-foot contour intervals in rugged topography.
 - (ii) 24" x 36" paper prints certified by a licensed engineer and drawn to meet City specifications to depict the following:
 - a. Utility plans for water, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, electric, gas and telephone lines;
 - b. Plans and profiles for sanitary and storm sewers; and
 - c. Profiles for municipal water lines; and
 - d. Street plans and profiles.
 - (iii) Developments in the major impact review procedure shall provide a development plan map on paper prints of twenty-four (24) inches by thirty-six (36) inches, with north arrow and scale, and with title and date in lower right corner, at a scale of one (1) inch equals fifty (50) feet or larger which depicts the area within the boundaries of the subject lots and including those items in Section 16-3-40(a)(3).
- 7. Any request for zoning action, including review criteria for a requested conditional use (Sec. 16-4-190) or zoning variance (Sec. 16-4-180);

8. Any subdivision request including a plat meeting the requirements of Section 16-6-110;
9. Any other information which the Administrator determines is necessary to determine whether the proposed
development complies with this Code, including but not limited to the following:

- (i) A tabular summary of the development proposal, which identifies the total proposed development area in acres, with a breakdown of the percentages and amounts devoted to specific land uses; total number and type of proposed residential units; total number of square feet of proposed nonresidential space; number of proposed lots; and sufficient information to demonstrate that the plat conforms with all applicable dimensional standards and off-street parking requirements.
- (ii) A description of those soil characteristics of the site which would have a significant influence on the proposed use of the land, with supporting soil maps, soil logs and classifications sufficient to enable evaluation of soil suitability for development purposes. Data furnished by the USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service or a licensed engineer shall be used. The data shall include the shrink/swell potential of the soils, the groundwater levels and the resulting foundation requirements. Additional data may be required by the City if deemed to be warranted due to unusual site conditions.
- (iii) A report on the geologic characteristics of the area, including any potential natural or manmade hazards which would have a significant influence on the proposed use of the land, including but not limited to hazards from steep or unstable slopes, rockfall, faults, ground subsidence or radiation, a determination of what effect such factors would have, and proposed corrective or protective measures.
 - (iv) Engineering specifications for any improvements.
 - (v) A plan for erosion and sediment control, stabilization and revegetation.
- (vi) A traffic analysis prepared by a qualified expert, including projections of traffic volumes to be generated by the development and traffic flow patterns, to determine the impacts of a proposed development on surrounding City streets and to evaluate the need for road improvements to be made.
 - (vii) A storm drainage analysis consisting of the following:
 - (a) A layout map (which may be combined with the topographic map) showing the method of moving storm sewer water through the subdivision shall be provided. The map shall also show runoff concentrations in acres of drainage area on each street entering each intersection. Flow arrows shall clearly show the complete runoff flow pattern at each intersection. The location, size and grades of culverts, drain inlets and storm drainage sewers shall be shown, as applicable.
 - (b) The applicant shall demonstrate the adequacy of drainage outlets by plan, cross-section and/or notes and explain how diverted stormwater will be handled after it leaves the subdivision. Details for ditches and culverts shall be submitted, as applicable.
 - (c) The projected quantity of stormwater entering the subdivision naturally from areas outside of subdivision and the quantities of flow at each pickup point shall be calculated.
- (viii) Evidence of adequate water supply and sanitary sewer service Data addressing the population planned to occupy the proposed subdivision and future development phases and other developments that may need to be served by extensions of the proposed water supply and sewage disposal systems. The resulting domestic, irrigation and fire flow demands shall be expressed in terms of gallons of

water needed on an average day and at peak time, and the resulting amounts of sewage to be treated shall be expressed in gallons per day.

- (ix) An analysis shall be submitted addressing how water for domestic use and for fire flows is to be provided, along with the collection and treatment of sewage generated by the property to be subdivided.
- (x) A statement shall be submitted addressing the quantity, quality and availability of any water that is attached to the land.
- (xi) A preliminary estimate of the cost of all required public improvements, tentative development schedule (with development phases identified), proposed or existing covenants and proposed maintenance and performance guarantees. The applicant shall submit, at least in summary or outline form, any agreements as may be required by Section 16-2-70, relating to improvements and dedications.
- (xii) If intending to use solar design in the development, include a description of the steps that have been taken to protect and enhance the use of solar energy in the proposed subdivision. This shall include how the streets and lots have been laid out and how the buildings will be sited to enhance solar energy usage.
- (xiii) If applicable, a report shall be submitted identifying the location of the one-hundred-year floodplain and the drainageways near or affecting the property being subdivided. If any portion of a one-hundred-year floodplain is located on the property, the applicant shall also identify the floodway and floodway fringe area. The applicant shall also describe the steps that will be taken to ensure that development locating in the floodway fringe area is accomplished in a manner which meets Federal Insurance Administration standards.
- (xiv) If applicable, a report shall be submitted on the location of wetlands, as defined by the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers, on or affecting the property being subdivided. The report shall outline the development techniques planned to ensure compliance with federal, state and local regulations.
 - (xv) A landscape plan, meeting the specifications of Section 16-8-90.
- (xvi) If applicable, a description of how the proposal will comply with the standards of any of the overlays.
- (xvii) A site plan for parks, trails and/or open space meeting the requirements of Section 16-6-110 below. If an alternate site dedication or fee in lieu of dedication is proposed, detailed information about the proposal shall be submitted.
- (xviii) All development and subdivision naming shall be subject to approval by the City. No development or subdivision name shall be used which will duplicate or be confused with the name of any existing street or development in the City or the County;

10.	An access permit from the Colorado Department of Transportation; and
11.	A plan for locations and specifications of street lights, signs and traffic control devices.

2. REVIEW STANDARDS (If necessary, attach additional sheets)

The application for Limited or Major Impact Review shall comply with the following standards.

1. Consistency with Comprehensive Plan. The use shall be consistent with the City's Comprehensive Plan.

Public Safety and providing Core Services such as a Fire Station is a principle of the Comprehensive Plan.

- **2. Conformance to Code**. The use shall conform to all other applicable provisions of this Land Use Code, including, but not limited to:
 - a. Zoning District Standards. The purpose of the zone district in which it is located, the dimensional standards of that zone district, and any standards applicable to the particular use, all as specified in Article 5, Use and Dimensional Standards.

Adjacent property is C-1. Community bldgs & gov't fac.+ services are Admin Review in C-1.

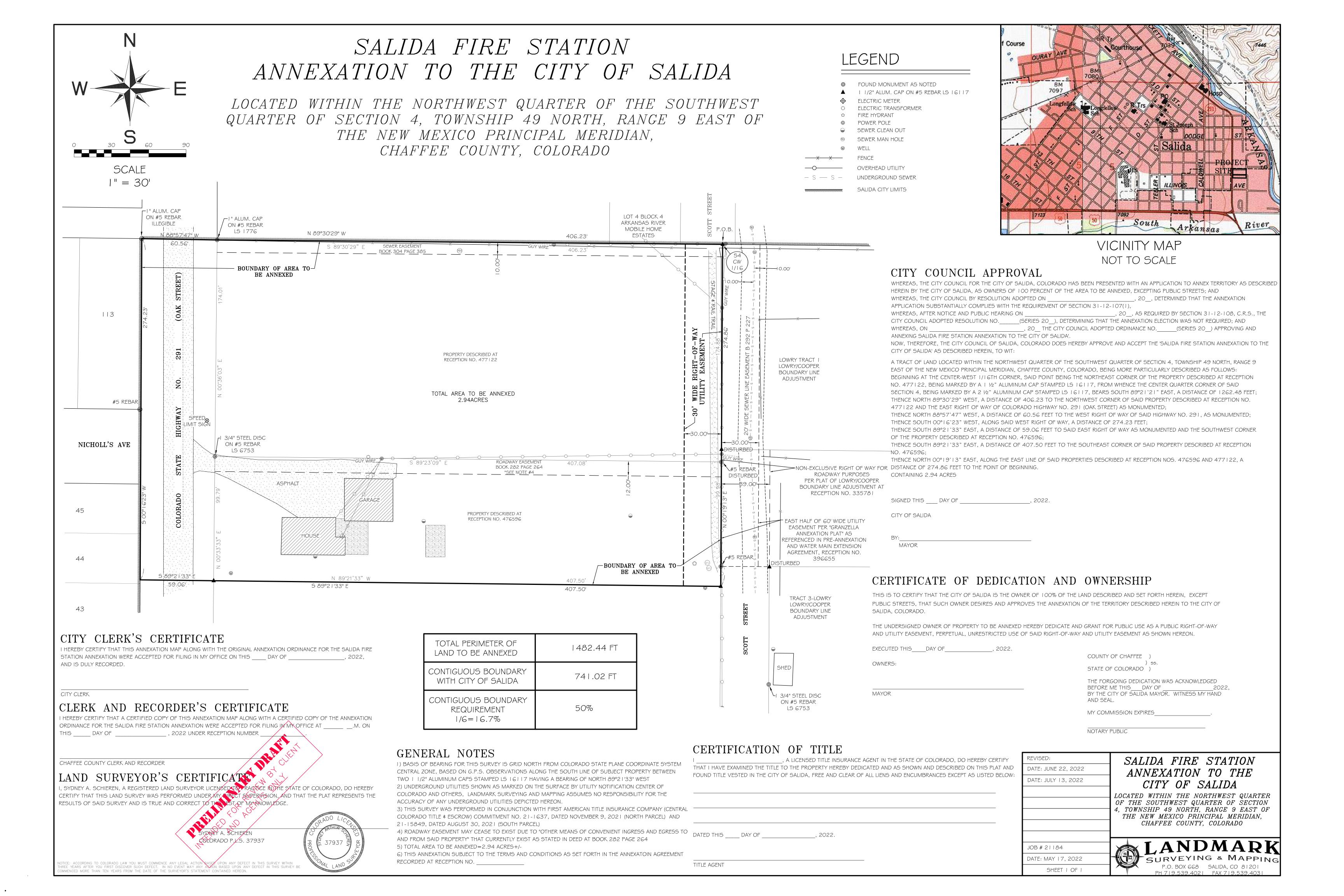
b. Site Development Standards. The parking, landscaping, sign and improvements standards.

The site will be reviewed for conformance to development standards during Admin Review.

3. Use Appropriate and Compatible. The use shall be appropriate to its proposed location and be compatible with the character of neighboring uses, or enhance the mixture of complementary uses and activities in the immediate vicinity.

A community building / gov't facilities and services is an appropriate use within the C-1 zone district. The character of the neighborhood is a mix of residential, commercial, and community uses. Adjacent property to the north is zoned C-1, a school is located to the south, and residential uses are located across Oak Street / SH 291. This location along State Highway 291 provides ideal access and connectivity to the surrounding City for this use.

The	Nuisance. The operating characteristics of the use shall not create a nuisance and the impacts of the use on surrounding properties shall be minimized with respect to noise, odors, vibrations, glare, and similar conditions. It is fire station will comply with Municipal Codes in regards to noise, odors, vibrations, glare it is similar conditions.
	Facilities. There shall be adequate public facilities in place to serve the proposed use, or the applicant shall propose necessary improvements to address service deficiencies which the use would cause. 2 City will provide adequate public facilities.
1110	only will provide adoquate pablic racillates.
6.	Environment . The use shall not cause significant deterioration to water resources, wetlands, wildlife habitat, scenic characteristics, or other natural features. As applicable, the proposed use shall mitigate its adverse impacts on the environment.
	e use will not cause significant deterioration to the environment. Fire-fighting foam with AS will not be introduced to this site.



PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF SALIDA CONCERNING ANNEXATION AND ZONING APPLICATIONS

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND INTERESTED PERSONS: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: that on July 25th, 2022 at or about the hour of 6:00 p.m., a public hearing will be conducted by the City of Salida Planning Commission at City Council Chambers, 448 East First Street, Suite 190, Salida, CO and online at the following link: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/1909092342220683277

The hearing is regarding applications for Salida Fire Station Annexation and Zoning submitted by the City of Salida for the property located at 611 Oak Street. The City is currently considering a petition to annex and zone this municipally-owned property into the City. The general purpose of the application is to consider the City's request to annex the property and to zone

Any recommendation by the Planning Commission for the Annexation and Zoning shall be forwarded to the <u>City Council</u> for review and a public hearing scheduled for <u>August 16th</u>, <u>2022</u> at or about the hour of 6:00 p.m. at City Council Chambers and online at the following link: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6382995264411204366.

Interested persons are encouraged to attend the public hearing. Further information on the applications may be obtained from the Community Development Department, (719)

530-2631.

the property C-1.

*Please note that it is inappropriate to personally contact individual City Councilors or Planning Commissioners, outside of the public hearing, while an application is pending. Such contact is considered ex parte communication and will have to be disclosed as part of the public hearings on the matter. If you have any questions/ comments, you should email or write a letter to staff, or present your concerns at the public meeting in person or via the above GoToWebinar link so your comments can be made part of the record.

Published in The Mountain Mail July 8, 2022