# SOUTH JORDAN CITY CITY COUNCIL REPORT

Issue: WHEADON ACRES LOTS 14 & 15A FLAG LOT OVERLAY REZONE

Rezone from Single-Family Residential (R-1.8) to Single-Family Residential

**Meeting Date: 10/15/2024** 

(R-1.8) with the Flag Lot Overlay Zone

Address: 10537 S 3010 W and 10555 S 3010 W South Jordan, UT 84095

**File No: PLZBA202400056** 

**Applicant:** GORDON MILAR CONSTRUCTION LLC

Submitted by: Miguel Aguilera, Planner I

Shane Greenwood, Supervising Senior Engineer

**Staff Recommendation (Motion Ready):** I move that the City Council **approve** the following:

• Resolution <u>R2024-42</u> approving the Wheadon Acres Subdivision Amendment Flag Lot Overlay Development Agreement.

• Ordinance No. <u>2024-08-Z</u> approving the zone change from Single-Family Residential (R-1.8) to Single-Family Residential (R-1.8) with the Flag Lot Overlay Zone for lots 14 & 15A of the Wheadon Acres Subdivision.

**ACREAGE:** Approximately 1.9 acres

**CURRENT ZONE:** Single-Family Residential (R-1.8)

CURRENT USE: Single Family Homes FUTURE LAND USE PLAN: Stable Neighborhood

**NEIGHBORING ZONES/USES:** North – R-1.8/Single-family residential

South – R-1.8/ Single-family residential West – R-1.8/Single-family residential East – R-1.8/ Single-family residential

# **STANDARD OF APPROVAL**

# 1. REZONE:

The rezoning of property may not be considered if the proposed zoning does not conform to the general plan. The following guidelines shall be considered in the rezoning of parcels:

- A. The parcel to be rezoned meets the minimum area requirements of the proposed zone or if the parcel, when rezoned, will contribute to a zone area which meets the minimum area requirements of the zone.
- B. The parcel to be rezoned can accommodate the requirements of the proposed zone.
- C. The rezoning will not impair the development potential of the parcel or neighboring properties.

(City Code § 17.22.020)

### 2. FLAG LOT OVERLAY:

- A. Concept: Applicants are encouraged to submit a concept plan and work with staff prior to application to understand the surrounding area, the goals and policies of the City's General Plan, and to ensure the minimum requirements of the FL can be met.
- B. Rezone: An FL shall only be established upon approval by the City Council as a rezone according to the provisions of Chapter 17.22, "Zoning Amendments", of this Title and as may be required elsewhere in this Title. City Council rezone approval of the FL shall be by development agreement.
- C. Concurrent Preliminary Subdivision (Optional): At the applicant's option and with the approval of the Planning Director, the applicant may submit a preliminary subdivision application to be processed concurrently with an FL rezone. In the case of concurrent applications, Planning Commission approval of a concurrent preliminary subdivision shall be contingent on the City Council's approval of the FL rezone.

(City Code § 17.130.060.020)

# **BACKGROUND**:

The applicant is requesting a Flag Lot Overlay rezone for two properties located at 10537 S 3010 W and 10555 S 3010 W. This rezone request *will not* change the property's base zone (Residential R-1.8 Zone), and the lots in the development will comply with the requirements of that zone, including lot size and density. The City Council adopted this overlay zone in 2020 based on a desire to allow flag lots in limited circumstances, where such development may be reasonable and appropriate. Although this Application is not the only flag lot overlay rezone application, it is the first being presented to the Planning Commission and City Council.

In conjunction with this rezone Application, the applicant also filed a subdivision amendment application to subdivide the properties into four lots, two of which will be flag lots. City Code defines flag lots as "[a] lot having a larger area or 'body' at the rear (resembling a flag or pan) and which is connected to the street by a narrower portion (resembling a flagpole or handle) which does not meet the lot width or frontage requirements of the zone." (City Code § 16.04.160.)

The lots in question do not meet the flag lot requirements found in City Code § 16.04.160. The Flag Lot Overlay Zone provides another way the property owner can divide the lots. Both existing lots 14 and 15A have a frontage of approximately 140 feet, exceeding the 125-foot minimum requirement for the overlay zone. The development agreement associated with this Application requires all lots in the amended subdivision to comply with the standards of the Residential R-1.8 Zone and according to the concept plan, with some adjustments to fencing requirements and animal rights.

# STAFF FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATION:

# **Findings:**

- A development agreement is required by the Flag Lot Overlay Zone code. The following are key provisions of the agreement that provide some predictability for how the lots will develop:
  - 1. All lots created in the rezone and subdivision amendment applications will remain single family residential.
  - 2. There is an alteration to the fencing requirement, which stipulates that masonry fencing will not be required to be erected between any of the properties within the amended subdivision and in turn, farm animal rights on the subject properties will be restricted.
  - 3. The placement of the homes in the concept plan shows that they will meet the required setbacks for front, side, and rear yards.
- The Application meets the City Code rezone standards of approval for the R-1.8 and the Flag Lot Overlay Zones.
- This rezone Application will not change the underlying R-1.8 zone.
- This rezone Application will allow the applicant to subdivide the two existing lots and create two flag lots using the Flag Lot Overlay Zone. This is an appropriate use of this code as the subject properties meet the standards established by the Flag Lot Overlay Zone code.
- The Planning Commission reviewed this application on September 24, 2024 and recommended the City Council approve the rezone.

### **Conclusion:**

Based on the findings, the Application, if approved, will be consistent with the goals and policies of the General Plan and the City's Strategic Priorities, and as such, should be approved.

### **Recommendation:**

Based on the findings and conclusion listed above, Staff recommends that the City Council take comments at the public hearing and **approve** the Application, unless, during the hearing, facts are presented that contradict these findings or new facts are presented, either of which would warrant further investigation by Staff.

### **ALTERNATIVES:**

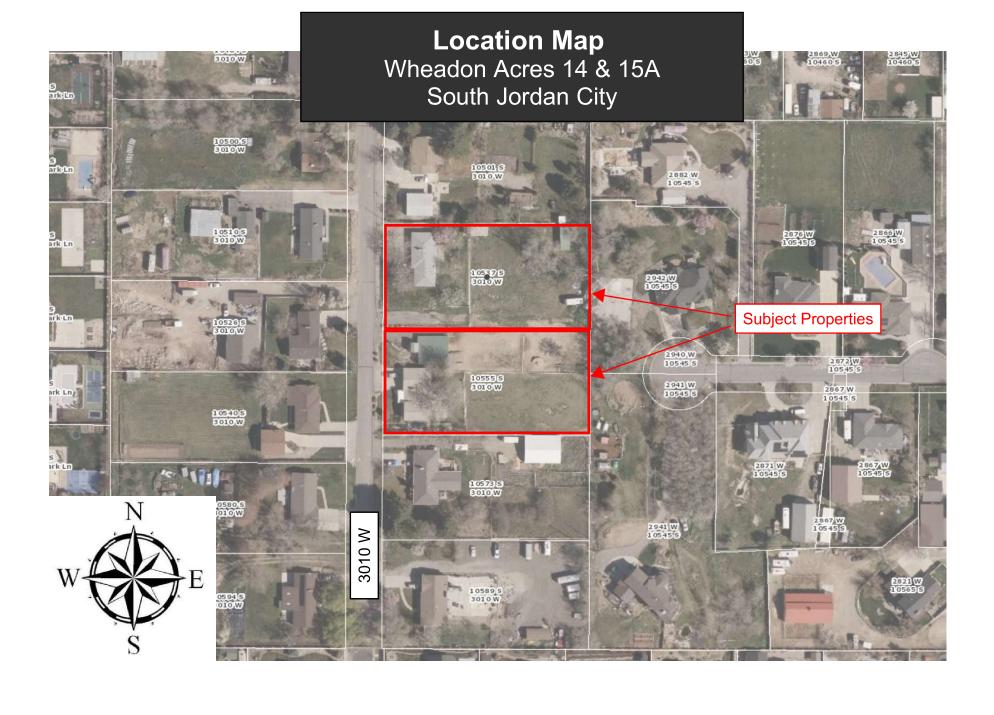
- Approval of an amended Application.
- Denial of the application.
- Schedule the application for a decision at some future date.

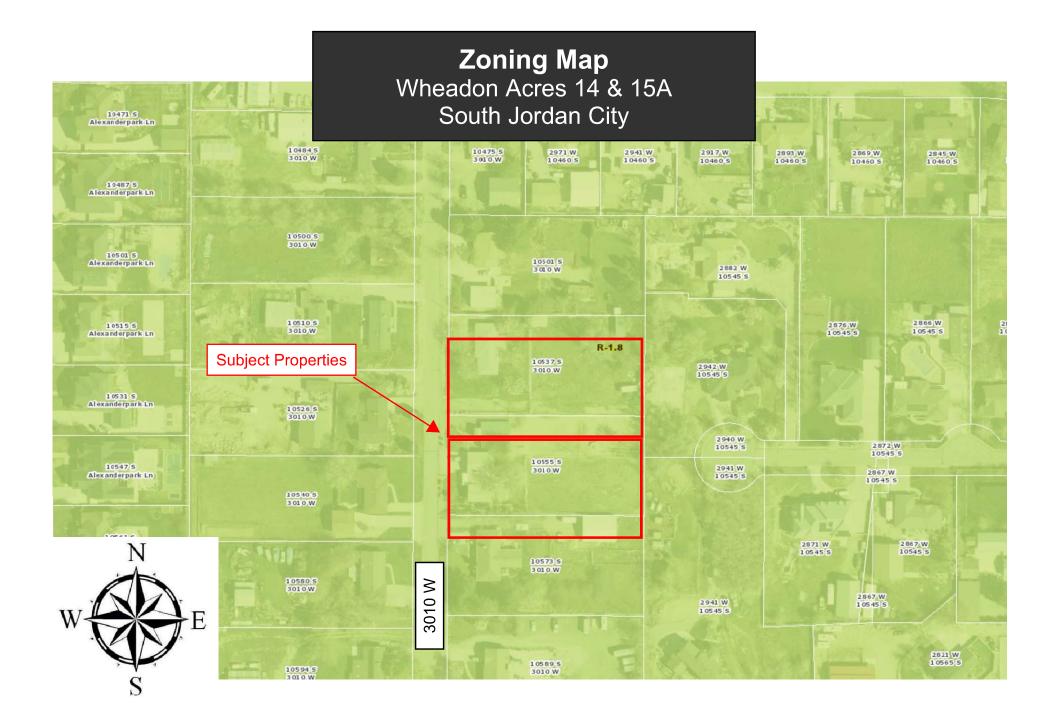
### **SUPPORT MATERIALS:**

- Aerial Map
- Zoning Map
- Concept Plan
- Development Agreement
- Justification Letter

- Ordinance No. 2024-08-Z
  - Exhibit A Proposed concept
- Resolution R2024-42
  - Exhibit 1 Agreement

# Approved by: Miguel Aguilera Miguel Aguilera (Oct 10, 2024 10:39 MDT) Miguel Aguilera Steven Schaefermeyer

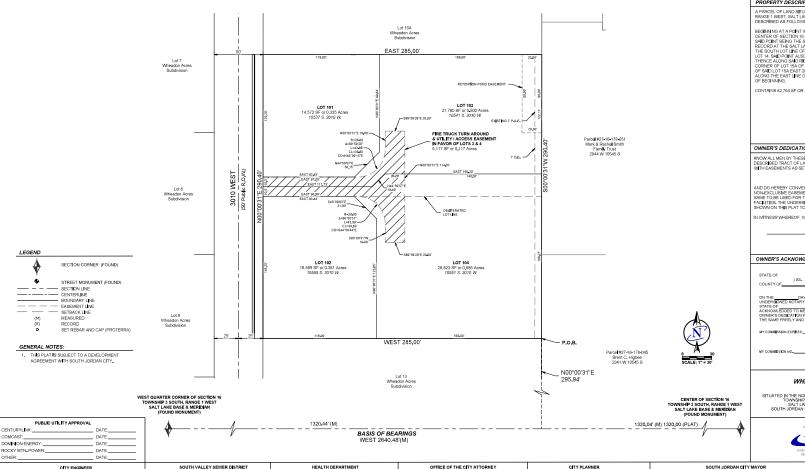




# PROJECT LOCATION -VICINITY MAP N.T.S.

### WHEADON ACRES LOTS 14 & 15A AMENDED FINAL PLAT

LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 1 WEST. SALT LAKE BASE & MERIDIAN. SOUTH JORDAN, UTAH



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### PROPERTY DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION:

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OWNER / DEVELOPER DANIEL MILAR



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SHEET

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS OFFICE HAS EXAMINED THIS PLAT AND IT IS CORRECT IN ACCORDANCE WITH INFORMATION ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE. SOUTH JORDAN CITY ENGINEER

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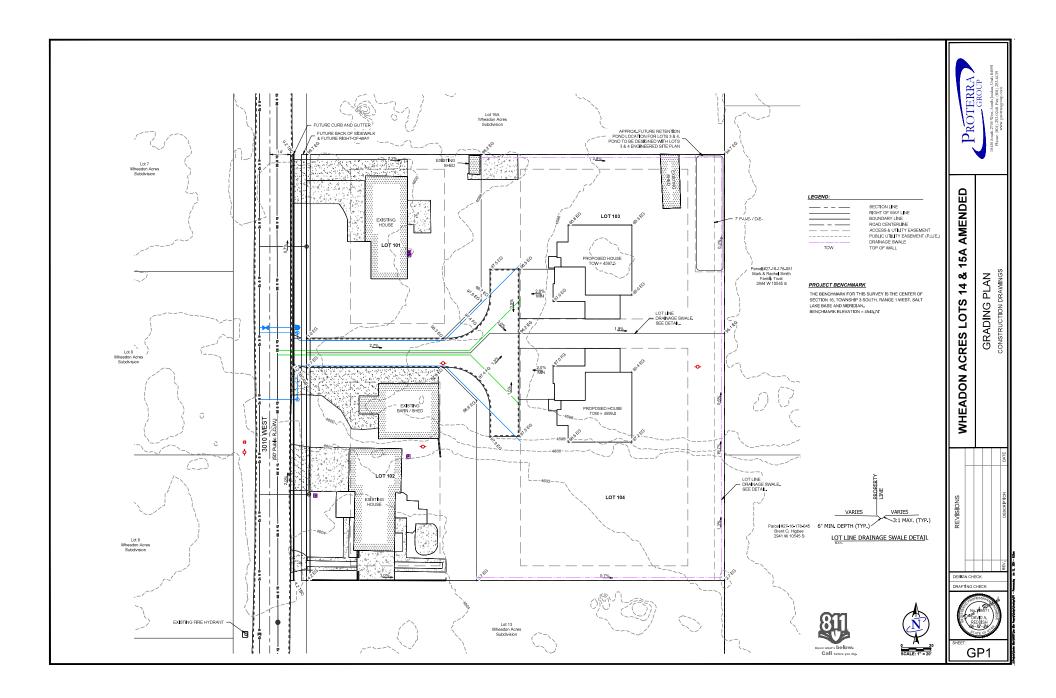
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ATTEST: CITY CLERK MAYOR

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RECORDED NO. \_\_\_\_\_\_STATE OF UTAH, COUNTY OF SALT LAKE, RECORDED AND FILED AT THE REQUEST OF: DATE TIME BOOK PAGE



South Jordan City,

I am the owner of both properties located at 10537 S 3010 W (.95 acre) and 10555 S 3010 W (.95 acre), hereto within referred to as "the property('s)". I currently reside about  $^{14}$  mile to the south in Bison Ridge. My family and I enjoy our neighborhood and community we have here and intend to be residents long into the future.

One aspect that particularly resonated with me when these two properties came up for sale is that I am is already a neighbor and friend within this community and intend to keep all four lots of the property for my family. This personal investment demonstrates a genuine commitment to the well-being and prosperity of our neighborhood. All efforts will be to minimize impact on neighboring properties. This is achieved by properly maintaining the construction and development sites, providing oversite and being actively involved and available to neighbors should any issue arise. The impact is also minimized since all four directly affected lots will be owned and maintained by me.

Adding additional lots to the neighborhood and investing in the two existing homes will bring a greater value to the surrounding properties. Creating these two flag lots will also allow me to provide a home for my in-laws, build a new home for my family, and provides an investment in the future to build a fourth home as needed.

Thank you,

Dan Milar

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