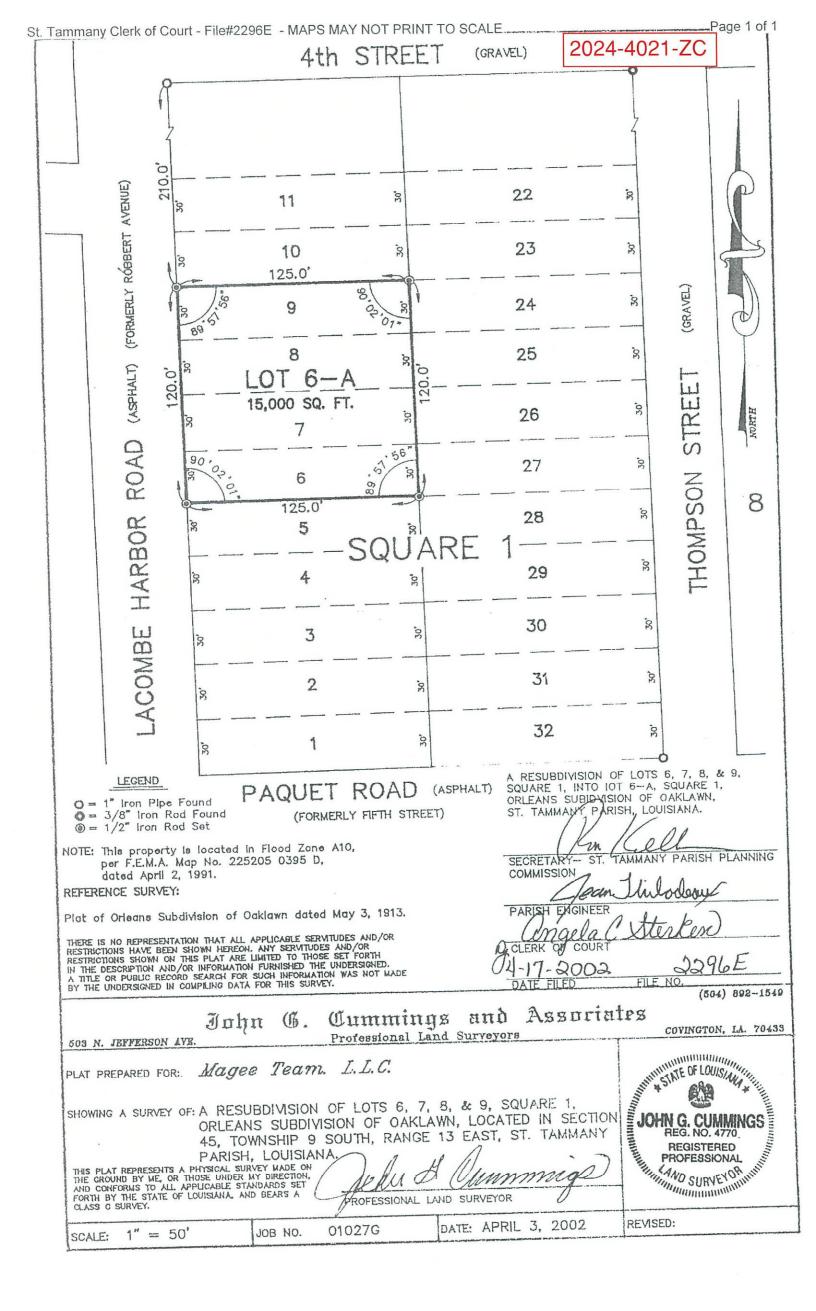
# EXHIBIT "A"

# <u>2024-4021-ZC</u>

Lot 6-A, Square 1, Orleans Subdivision of Oaklawn



#### **Administrative Comment**

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Location: Parcel located on the east side of Lacombe Harbor Road, south of 4th Street, north of Grand Avenue, and west of Thompson Street, being 59424 Lacombe Harbor Road, Lacombe; S45, T9S, R13E; **Council District: 7** Ward 7, District 7

Posted: November 4, 2024

Owner: Victor E. Faciane

Petitioner: Victor E. Faciane

Commission Hearing: December 3, 2024

Size: .344 acres

**Determination:** Approved



# **Current Zoning**

L-1 Large Lot Residential District

#### Requested Zoning

L-1 Large Lot Residential District MHO Manufactured Housing Overlay

#### **Future Land Use**

Coastal Conservation

#### Flood Zone

Effective Flood Zone A10

Preliminary Flood Zone AE

# **Critical Drainage:**

Yes

# Elevation Requirements:

No additional engineering requirements

# **FINDINGS**

1. The applicant is requesting to rezone the .344-acre parcel from L-1 Large Lot Residential District to L-1 Large Lot Residential District and MHO Manufactured Housing Overlay. The property is located east side of Lacombe Harbor Road, south of 4th Street, north of Grand Avenue, and west of Thompson Street, being 59424 Lacombe Harbor Road, Lacombe.

#### Zoning History

Table 1: Zoning history of Subject Lot(s)

Ordinance	Prior Classification	Amended Classification
87-036A	Unknown	SA Suburban Agriculture
09-2020	SA Suburban Agriculture	L-1 Large Lot Residential District

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#### Site and Structure Provisions

3. Per the petitioner's application, the site is currently undeveloped. However, based on aerials from the St. Tammany Assessor's Map and Google Earth, it appears that a manufactured home existed on-site. The site consists of Lots 6-9, Square 1 of Orleans Subdivision of Oaklawn. These lots were resubdivided in 2002 to create Lot # 6-A.

# Compatibility or Suitability with Adjacent Area

4. Table 3: Surrounding Land Use and Zoning

Direction	Surrounding Use	Surrounding Zoning Classification
North	Residential	L-1 Large Lot Residential District
South	Residential	L-1 Large Lot Residential District
East	Residential	L-1 Large Lot Residential District
West	Residential	L-1 Large Lot Residential District

- 5. The subject property is flanked by property zoned by L-1 Large Lot Residential District on all sides. In addition, there appears to be 3 additional manufactured homes directly abutting the subject property. These structures have been in place since at least 2004 based on Google Satellite imagery and are considered to be legal non-conforming structures.
- 6. Per the petitioner's application, the reason for the request is to apply for a building permit to place one manufactured home on the site.

#### Consistency with New Directions 2040

Coastal Conservation: areas are within the Parish's "coastal zone" (all areas south of Interstate 12, per Louisiana Revised Statute § 49:214.24) that are not currently developed with intense uses, and are within the 100-year floodplain. Coastal Conservation areas are critically important for a variety of fisheries and wildlife, essential to water quality and groundwater recharge, and should be conserved to ensure species and habitat sustainability. Coastal wetlands also serve as storm buffers, and help to minimize storm runoff and subsequent flood damage to area homes and businesses. The areas include undisturbed coastal marshes, swamps, and tidal wetlands and adjacent lands accommodating very low-intensity human land uses - namely, highly dispersed residences, though low-impact agricultural, commercial, and public and institutional uses, such as recreation, tourism, research, and education may be appropriate.

The proposed zoning change is consistent with the following goals, policies, and strategies of the Comprehensive Plan:

 Goal 1.3: The character of existing residential areas, expansive rural landscapes, and sensitive ecological areas will be preserved.

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Standards for Review (Sec. 200-3.1.G) - When reviewing a zoning map amendment, the St. Tammany Parish Planning & Zoning Commission shall take the following items into consideration prior to recommending a decision to the Council:

- i. The proposed amendment is compatible with the Comprehensive Plan and consistent with the future land use map.
- ii. The proposed amendment promotes the public health, safety, and welfare of the Parish.
- iii. The proposed amendment corrects an error or meets the challenge of some changing condition, trend or fact.
- iv. The proposed amendment is compatible with existing use and zoning of nearby property.
- v. The proposed amendment is a more suitable zoning classification for the property than the current classification.
- vi. The proposed amendment enhances or protects the surrounding natural environment, including air, water, stormwater management, wildlife, and vegetation.

