### Community Development Department



## Zoning Staff Report

City Council Public Hearing Date: January 18, 2021

**Zoning Case:** P20-419

**Property Owner(s):** HARRISON ELM ASSET LLC

**Applicant(s):** TN Associates Inc.

**Legal Description:** Reserve C3 Tomball Greens

**Location:** Northeast corner of Spell Road and Hufsmith-Kohrville Road at

11234 Spell Road (Exhibit "A")

**Area:** 3.119 acres

Comp Plan Designation: Neighborhood Commercial (Exhibit "B")
Present Use: Single-family residence (Exhibit "D")

**Request:** Establish the Zoning District as Commercial upon annexation

**Adjacent Zoning & Land Uses:** 

**North:** Planned Development District / Single-family residential subdivision –

Alexander Estates (under construction)

**South:** Outside City Limits / Single-family residences

West: Light Industrial District / Warehouses, Business Park

East: Planned Development District / Single-family residential subdivision –

Alexander Estates (under construction)

### **BACKGROUND**

The subject site is currently being annexed into the City limits and therefore requires the establishment of a Zoning District classification. City Staff met with the applicant in October 2020 to discuss the future development of a convenience store, gasoline station and retail lease space.

### **ANALYSIS**

The property is currently developed with a single-family residence. With the high traffic volume and expansion of Hufsmith-Kohrville Road, which is a major arterial, it is appropriate for the property to be redeveloped as non-residential. According to the applicant, the proposed development will include a convenience store, gasoline station and retail lease space.

Surrounding properties to the north and east are zoned Planned Development (PD-9), a single-family residential neighborhood that is currently under construction. Properties to the west are

zoned Light Industrial District and include the Tomball Business & Technology Park and various warehouse buildings. Properties to the south are outside the City limits.

According to Section 50-77 (Commercial District), the purpose of the Commercial District is to provide smaller sites for commercial and service-related establishments. The uses in the Commercial District usually "have operation characteristics which are generally not compatible with residential uses".

The General Retail District may be a more appropriate zoning district for this property. According to Section 50-76 (General Retail District), the purpose of the General Retail District is "to provide areas for local neighborhood shopping and service facilities for the retail sales of goods and services." This district is also considered less intense than the Commercial District, and may be better suited adjacent to single-family residences.

Chapter 50 (Zoning) of the Code of Ordinances also includes multiple regulations for non-residential uses that are constructed adjacent to residential uses, such as increased building setbacks, screening requirements and landscape buffers.

The Future Land Use May designation of this property is Neighborhood Commercial, which, according to the Comprehensive Plan, "is intended for commercial uses that are developed with the appropriate context, scale and design to compliment residential development". The General Retail District is listed as a compatible zoning district; the Commercial District is not listed in this category.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Property owners located in the City limits within 200 feet of the project site were mailed notification of this proposal on January 7, 2021. The Notice of Public Hearing was published in the paper on December 30, 2020. Any public comment forms will be provided in the City Council packets or during the public hearing.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

City staff recommends establishing the zoning district as General Retail for the following reasons:

- The General Retail District meets the Neighborhood Commercial Future Land Use designation;
- The General Retail District is considered less intense than the Commercial District and may be more appropriate adjacent to single-family residences;
- The proposed land use, *convenience store* (with or without gasoline sales) is allowed in the General Retail District by-right;

### **EXHIBITS**

- A. Aerial Photo
- B. Comprehensive Plan
- C. Zoning Map
- D. Site Photo
- E. Application

### Exhibit "A" Aerial Photo



Exhibit "B" Comprehensive Plan

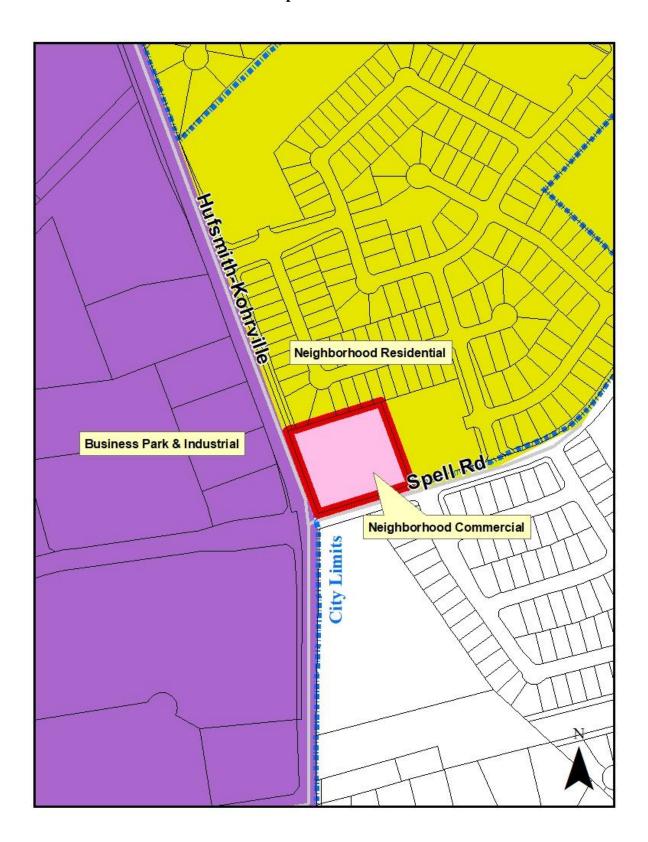
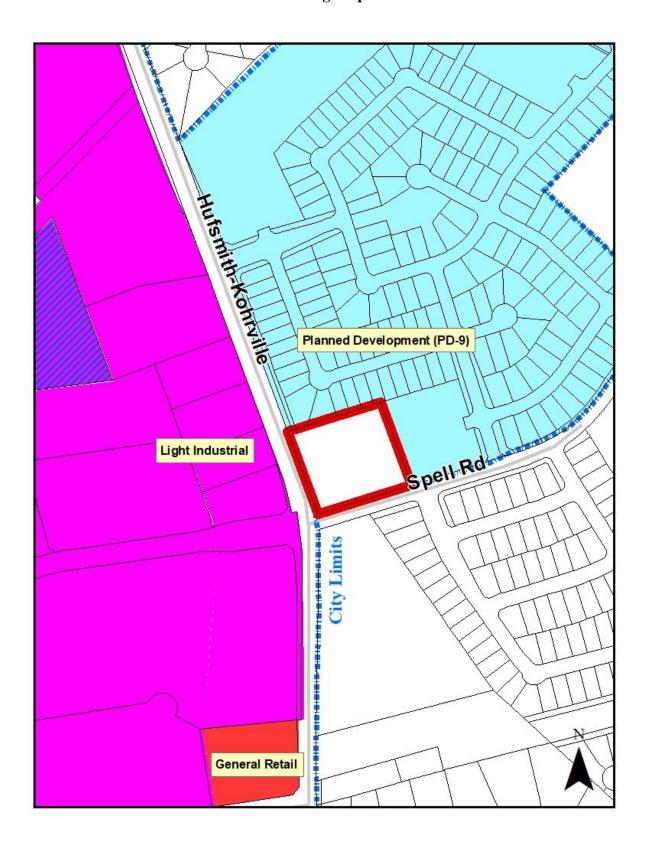


Exhibit "C" Zoning Map



# Exhibit "D" Site Photo



# Exhibit "E" Application



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### **APPLICATION FOR RE-ZONING**

Community Development Department Planning Division

**APPLICATION SUBMITTAL:** Applications will be *conditionally* accepted on the presumption that the information, materials and signatures are complete and accurate. If the application is incomplete or inaccurate, your project may be delayed until corrections or additions are received.

Applicant TN ASSOCIATES INC	C	Til Archi	tect	
Name: TN ASSOCIATES INC. Mailing Address: 2825 Wilcrest Drive Ste. 616		City: Houston	State: TX	
Zip: 77042	Contact: Chan Hu	ıvnh. Kimmie Wu	State	
Phone: (713) 541-3195	Email: kimmie@tnassociatesinc.com			
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Owner				
Name: Nazimuddin.K.Maredia		Title: President of Abyan Property LLC		
Mailing Address: 1003 Tersco	tt Ln	City: Sugarland	State: TX	
Zip: 77479	Contact:	83		
Phone: (832) 768-7052	Email: nmaredia@	Contact: Email: nmaredia@hotmail.com		
Engineer/Surveyor (if applic	able)			
Name:				
Mailing Address:				
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Phone: ()	Fax: ()	Email:		
Description of Proposed Projects: Control of Property: Control of Proper	Corner lot at the inter		ohrville Road and Spell Roa	
Legal Description of Property:	RES C3 Tomball Gre	ens		
			Subdivision Name with Lots/Block]	
Current Zoning District: Resid	ential, single-family			
Current Use of Property: Single	e Family Residential			
Proposed Zoning District: Con	nmerical		<del></del>	
Proposed Use of Property: Gas	soline Station			
HCAD Identification Number:	1207880000	0010 Acreage:	3.119 acre	
City of Tomball, Texas 501 Jam	es Street, Tomball, Texas 7	7375 Phone: 281-290-1405	www.tomballtx.gov	

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Please note: A courtesy notification sign will be placed on the subject property during the public hearing process and will be removed when the case has been processed.

This is to certify that the information on this form is COMPLETE, TRUE, and CORRECT and the under signed is authorized to make this application. I understand that submitting this application does not constitute approval, and incomplete applications will result in delays and possible denial.

X Signature of Applicant Date

X 12/08/2020

Signature of Owner Date

City of Tomball, Texas 501 James Street, Tomball, Texas 77375 Phone: 281-290-1405

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### CITY OF TOMBALL REZONING APPLICATION- REASON FOR REQUEST

To whom many concern,

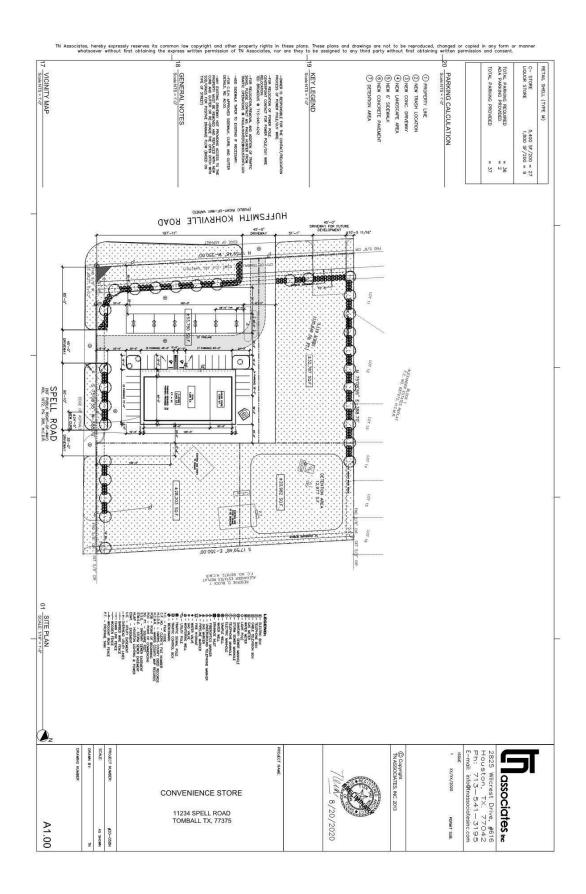
This letter is to state the reason and issue relating to rezoning request for property address 11234 Spell Road, Tomball TX 77375

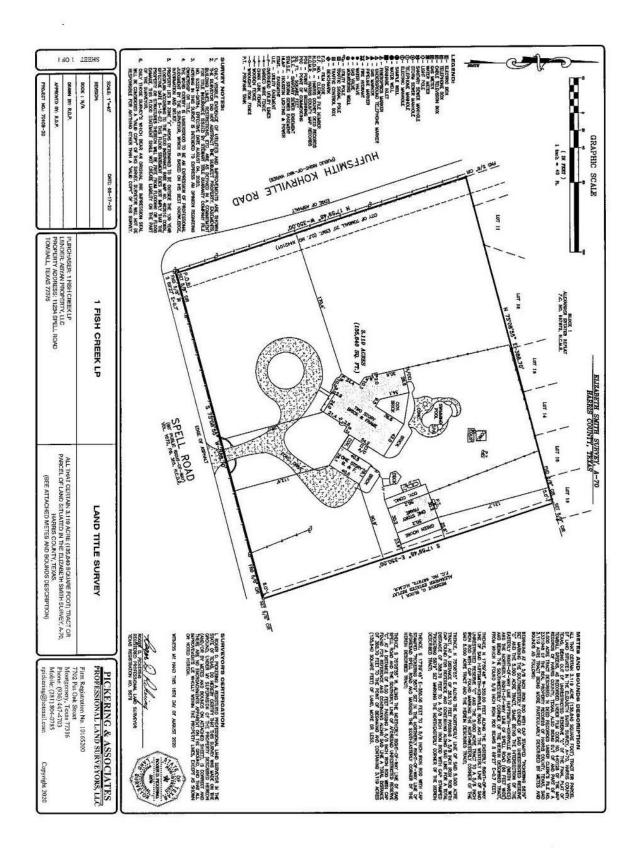
In the process of annexation, we were informed to submit a separate application to establish desired property's zoning district. The property is currently zoned for single family residential use and we would like to designate the property for commercial use due to our future development of convenience store gasoline station with retail lease space. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Owner: NAZimuddin. MAREDIA

Signature: \_\_\_\_

Date: 12/09/2020





### PICKERING & ASSOCIATES

#### PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS, LLC

7702 Pin Oak Street, Montgomery, Texas 77316
 Phone (936) 447-4703, Mobile (281) 804-0785
 Texas Licensed Surveying Firm 10165200

#### METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIPTION

ALL THAT CERTAIN 3.119 ACRE (135,840 SQUARE FOOT) TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND SITUATED IN THE ELIZABETH SMITH SURVEY, A-70, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, BEING OUT OF UNRESTRICTED RESERVE "C" OF THE FINAL PLAT OF TOMBALL GREENS, AS RECORDED UNDER FILM CODE NO. 440128 OF THE MAP RECORDS OF HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, ALSO BEING OUT OF AND PART OF A 5.000 ACRE TRACT DESCRIBED IN DEED RECORDED UNDER CLERK'S FILE NO. Z331048 OF THE REAL PROPERTY RECORDS OF HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, SAID 3.119 ACRE TRACT BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED BY METES AND BOUNDS AS FOILOWS:

BEGINNING AT A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH CAP STAMPED "PICKERING 5879" SET MARKING THE SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER OF SAID UNRESTRICTED RESERVE "C" AND THE 5.000 ACRE TRACT, SAME BEING THE INTERSECTION OF THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE HUFFSMITH-KOHRVILLE ROAD (WIDTH VARIES) AND THE NORTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SPELL ROAD (60 FEET WIDE) AND BEING THE SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT, FROM WHICH A FOUND 5/8 INCH IRON ROD BEARS S 69°27" E-0.7 FEET;

THENCE, N 17°59'48" W-350.00 FEET ALONG THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SAID HUFFSMITH-KOHRVILLE ROAD AND THE WESTERLY LINE OF SAID UNRESTRICTED RESERVE "C" AND THE 5.000 ACRE TRACT TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH CAP FOUND MARKING THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF THE SAID 5.000 ACRE TRACT AND THE HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT;

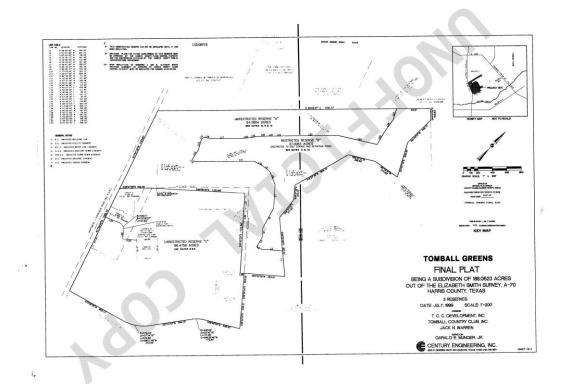
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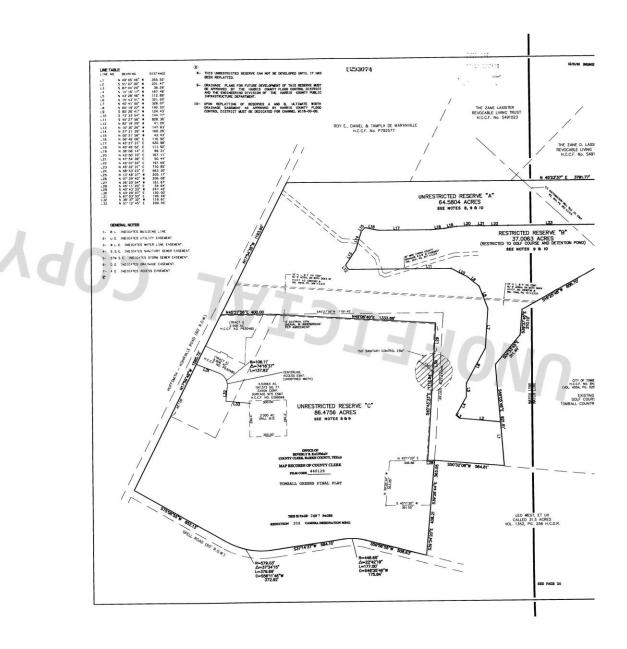
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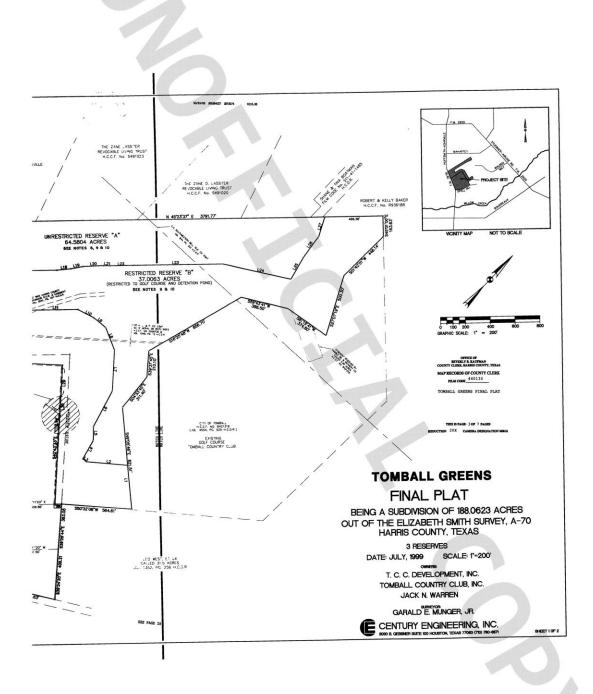
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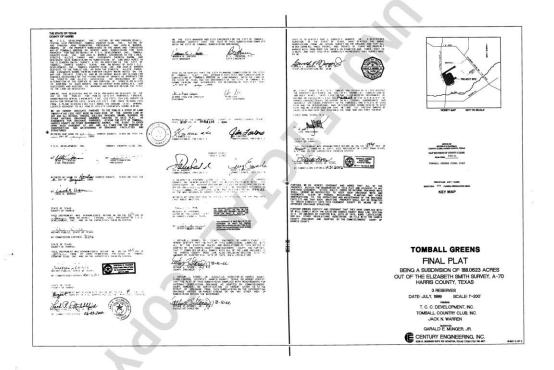
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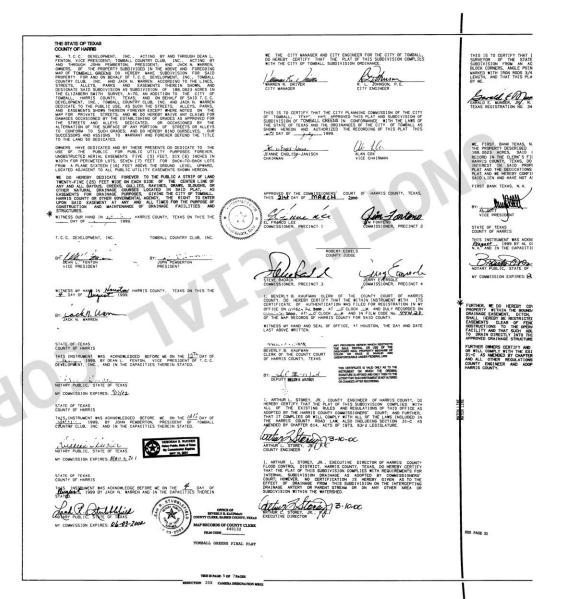


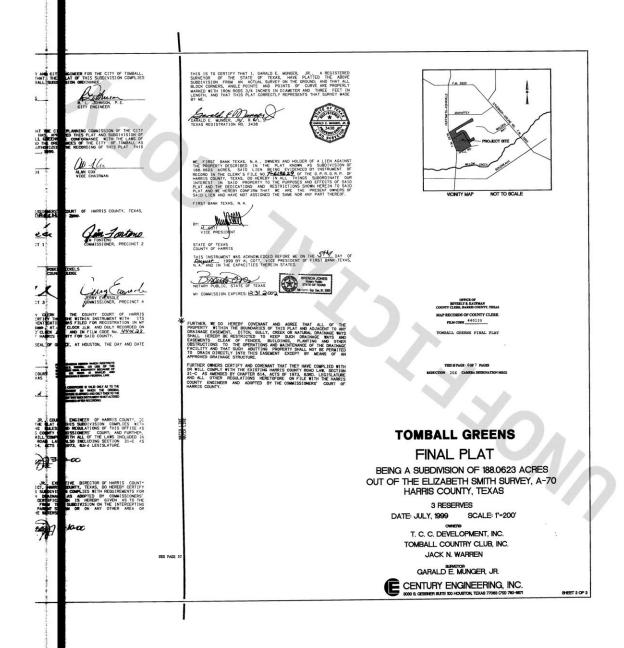












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