



Planning and Development Department Case Information

Case Number: CU25-0157 and Z25-0158

Meeting Dates: Planning Commission 05-01-2025

Board of Commissioners 06-03-2025

Applicant:

Michael Greenlee
1586 Mars Hill Road, Suite A
Athens, Georgia 30677

Owner:

Emily Jamshedi
3461 Skyland Ridge Court
Loganville, Georgia 30052

Current Zoning: The current zoning is A1.

Request: Rezone 1.00 acre from A1 to B2 for minor auto repair and conditional use for outdoor storage and a Variance for the reduction of the transitional buffer on the easterly side from 50' to 25' with the addition of an 8' solid fence.

Address: 5495 Hwy 20/Lance Court, Loganville, Georgia 30052

Map Number/Site Area: C0070004

Character Area: Neighborhood Residential

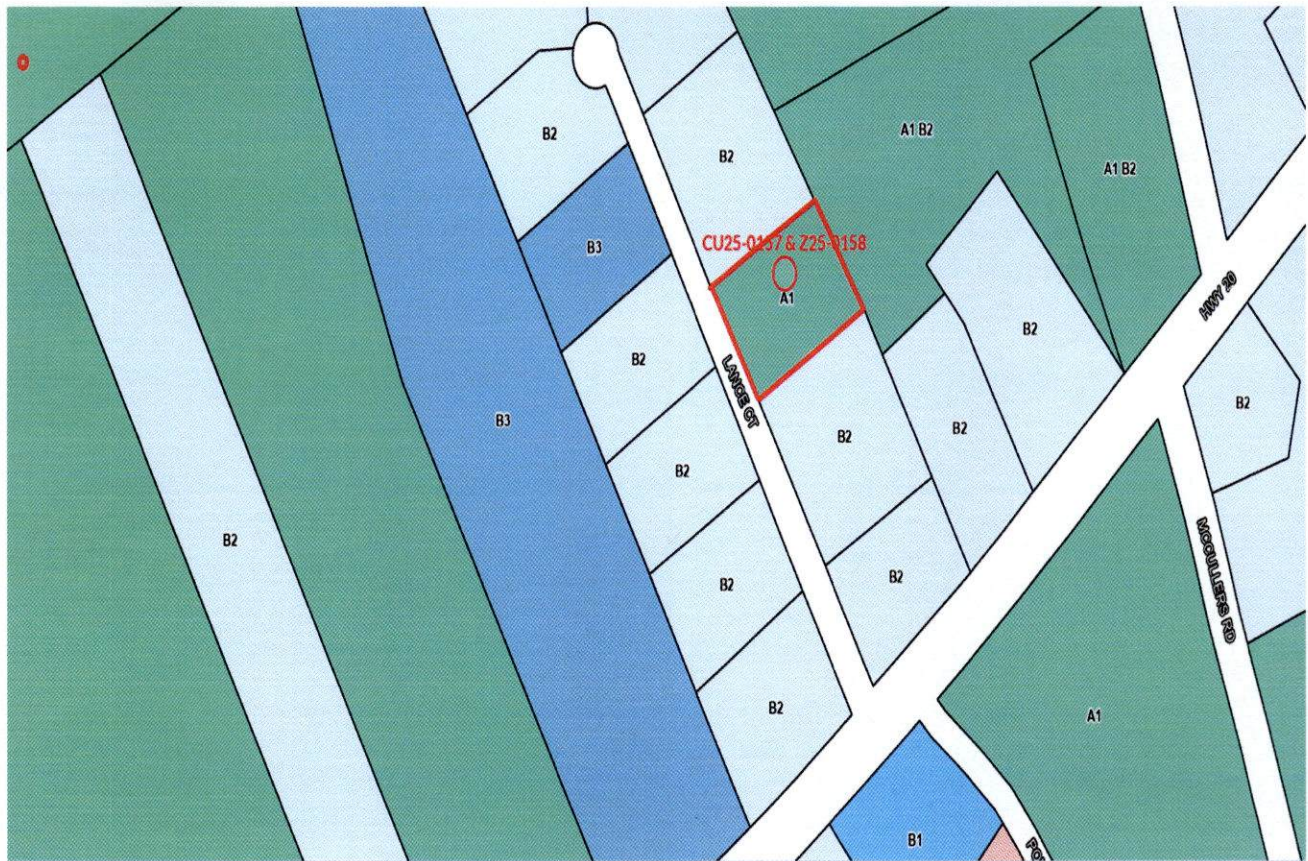
District 2 Commissioner-Pete Myers

Planning Commission—Chris Alexander

Existing Site Conditions: Property containing 1.00 acre and presently has a house on it that will be demoed.



The surrounding properties are zoned A1, B2 and B3.



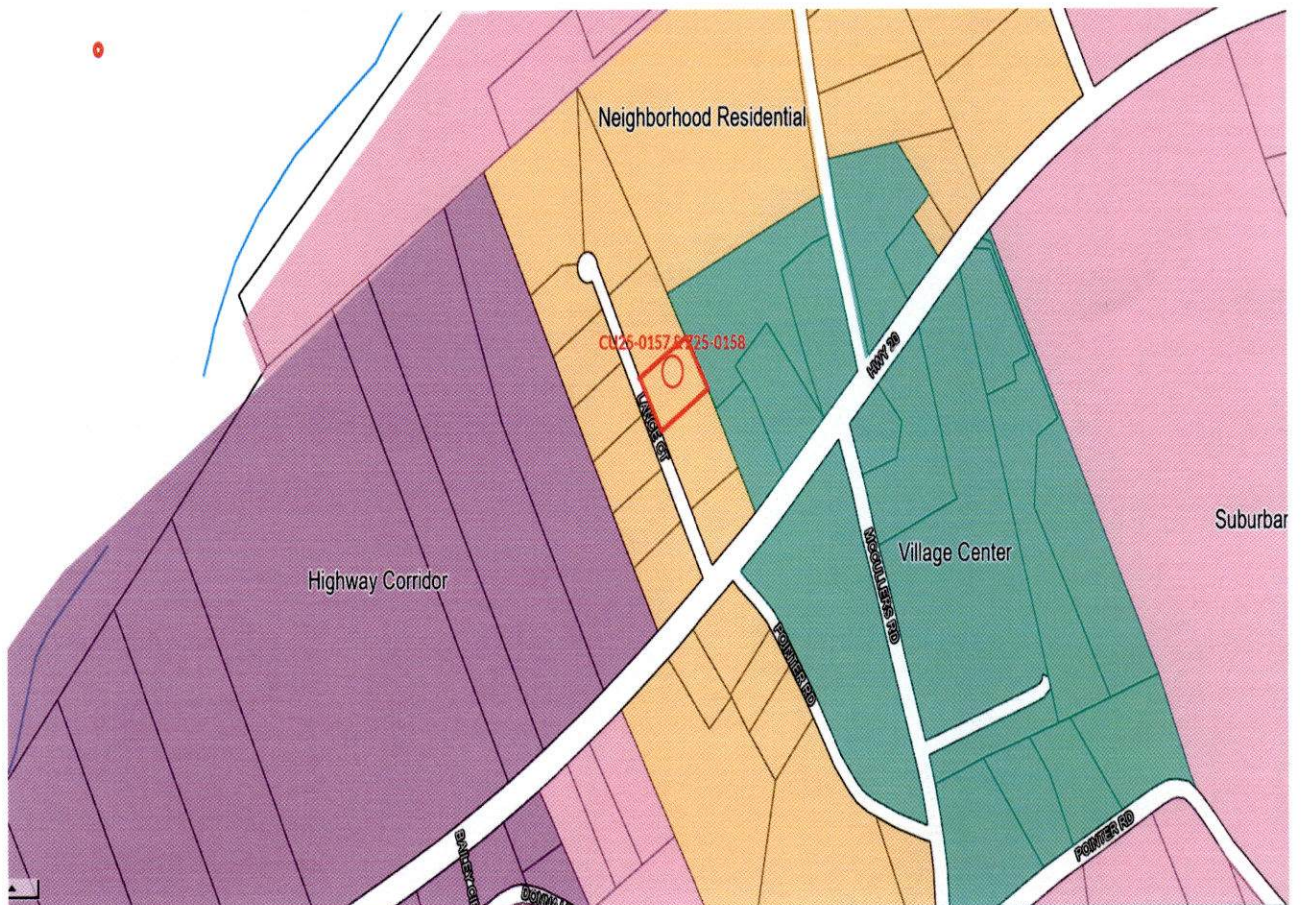
Subdivisions surrounding property:



The property is in the Big Haynes Watershed.



The Future Land Use Map for this property is Neighborhood Residential.



History: No History

Staff Comments/Concerns:

Automotive, Minor Repair and Maintenance (20)

- A. All repair and maintenance activities shall be carried on entirely within an enclosed building.
- B. There shall be no outdoor storage.

Section 6-1-600 Outdoor Storage (20)

- A. Outdoor storage yards shall be set back at least fifteen (15) feet from any side or rear property lines.
- B. Use shall be screened by a solid fence at least eight (8) feet high.
- C. The setback distance shall be appropriately landscaped to provide a vegetative screen.
- D. Outdoor storage shall not be located in any required front yard building setback area.

Rezone Application # 225-0158
Application to Amend the Official Zoning Map of Walton County, Georgia

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Map/Parcel C0070004

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Property Owner Name/Address/Phone

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3461 Skyland Ridge Court

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Loganville, GA 30052

E-mail address: mgreenlee@travispruitt.com (If more than one owner, attach Exhibit "A")

Phone # 706-310-1551
5495 Highway 20

Phone # (510) 962-4747

Location: (Lance Court), Loganville Requested Zoning B2 (CU) Acreage 1.017
GA 30052

Existing Use of Property: Single Family Residential

Existing Structures: Residential House, accessory buildings, garage

The purpose of this rezone is Demolish exiting buildings, provide temporary outdoor storage (conditional use in B2), and then construct a permanent building for automotive minor repair and maintenance.

Property is serviced by the following:

Public Water: (available) Provider: Walton County Well: Y

Public Sewer: N Provider: Not Available Septic Tank: Y

The above statements and accompanying materials are complete and accurate. Applicant hereby grants permission for planning and zoning personnel to enter upon and inspect the property for all purposes allowed and required by the Comprehensive Land Development Ordinance.

Signature [Signature] Date 3/27/2025 Fee Paid \$ 450.00

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Office Use Only:

Existing Zoning A1 Surrounding Zoning: North B2 South B2
East A1 & B2 West B2 & B3

Comprehensive Land Use: Neighborhood Residential DRI Required? Y N

Commission District: 2-Pete Myers Watershed: Big Haynes TMP

I hereby withdraw the above application _____ Date _____

**AUTHORIZATION
BY PROPERTY OWNER**

I swear that I am the property owner of the property which is the subject matter of the attached Petition for Rezoning/Conditional Use Application, as is shown in the records of Walton County, Georgia.

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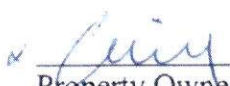
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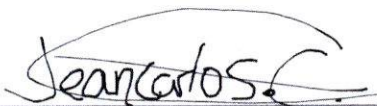
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Article 4, Part 4, Section 160 Standard Review Questions:

Provide written documentation addressing each of the standards listed below:

1. Existing uses and zoning of nearby property;

South-2405 Lance Court. Signage & Graphics Zoned B2

North-2413 Lance Court. Electrical Wholesale Zoned B2

East-5449 McCullers Road. Telecommunications Tower Zoned A1

West-Lance Court Right-of-Way

2. The extent to which property values are diminished by the particular zoning restrictions;

The property is zoned A1 and was previously used as a single family residence. Within the Lance Court commercial development, the subject property-as the only non-commercial lot on Lance Court-is underutilized. The value of the commercial use exceeds that of the current residential use.

3. The extent to which the destruction of property values of the plaintiffs promotes the health, safety, morals or general welfare of the public;

The existing zoning does not promote the health, safety, morals, or general welfare of the public because all of the other properties within the Lance Court development are commercial. There is no corresponding benefit to the harm done to property values because of the overwhelming nature of the commercial development of these adjacent properties.

4. The relative gain to the public, as compared to the hardship imposed upon the individual property owner;

The public will benefit from additional commercial options within a location already developed for commercial use. There is no benefit to the public for maintaining the residential nature of this one parcel, and it is unlikely any other owner would want to occupy this lot for residential purposes in the midst of commercial development. The hardship would be unjustified as to the current owner and would not benefit the public

5. The suitability of the subject property for the zoned purposes; and
Subject property is 1.0 acres and, as a commercial property, will provide adequate space for the outdoor storage (conditional use) and the future automotive minor maintenance and repair land use with the building and required parking, septic system and stormwater facility.

 6. The length of time the property has been vacant as zoned, considered in the context of land development in the area in the vicinity of the property
Lance Court S/D took place in 2002. The subject property was reserved as a residence as A1 Zoning. Since 2002, the commercial lots (B2) on Lance Court have been developed as commercial businesses.
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I. INTENDED USE

The subject property is approximately 1.017 acres of land located at 5495 Ga Highway 20 on the north side of Lance Court in unincorporated Walton County ("Property"). The Property consists of Tax Parcel C0070004. The Property is currently zoned A1 (Rural Estate District). The Property currently includes a single-family residential building with 4 accessory buildings.

This request includes the rezoning of the property from A1 to B2. Ten of the existing 12 lots on Lance Court are zoned B2, one is zoned B3 and the subject property is currently zoned A1. The requested rezoning of the Property from A1 to B2 is consistent with the zoning of the commercial subdivision.

The proposed rezone requires a transitional buffer of 50' between the Property and the A1/B2 property to the north. The A1/B2 property has a current use as a cell tower which will not benefit from the transitional zoning. A reduction from a 50' planted transitional buffer to a 25' planted transitional buffer with an opaque fence has been proposed.

The Owner, Temur Jamshedi ("Owner") and Authorized Representative, Travis Pruitt & Associates (Representative), request the Property be granted a rezone to B2 zoning (Highway Commercial Zoning) with a conditional use (B2 (CU)) to develop an outdoor storage facility in accordance with the Supplemental Use Regulations in Article 6 of the Walton County Comprehensive Land Use Development Ordinance. The following requirements will be met:

- A. Outdoor storage yards shall be set back at least 15 feet from any side or rear property lines.
- B. Use shall be screened by a solid fence at least eight (8) feet high.
- C. The setback distance shall be appropriately landscaped to provide a vegetative screen.
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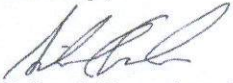
A future development of the site will include a use allowed within the B2 zoning. At the time that the property is redeveloped, construction and building plans will be submitted for review.

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II. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, the Applicant respectfully requests that this request be granted as requested by the Applicant and the rezone request and conditional use approved. If there are any questions about this request, you may contact me at 706.310.1551 or mgreenlee@travispruitt.com.

Sincerely,

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Michael Greenlee, PE, PTOE
Travis Pruitt & Associates
Applicant on Behalf of Owner

Conditional Use Application # CU25-0157

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Existing Use of Property: Single Family Residential

Existing Structures: 1 Primary and 4 Accessory Structures

Property is serviced by:

Walton County (Available on

Public Water: N/A Provider: Lance Court Well: Y

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The purpose of this conditional use is: To provide outdoor storage.

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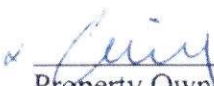
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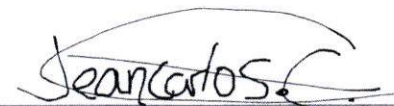
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Standard Review Questions:

Provide a written, documented, detailed analysis of the impact of the proposed zoning map amendment or conditional use with respect to each of the standards and factors specified in Section 160 listed below:

Conditional Use Permit Criteria

1. Adequate provision is made such as setbacks, fences, etc., to protect adjacent properties from possible adverse influence of the proposed use, such as noise, dust vibration, glare, odor, electrical disturbances, and similar factors.
 - An 8' high solid fence shall be installed in order to screen adjacent properties from the proposed outdoor storage. The outdoor storage also falls within the appropriate setbacks in accordance with the Walton County Comprehensive Land Development Ordinance. An administrative reduction of the required 50' transitional buffer between the proposed B2 zone and the A1/B2 zoned property to the north is proposed. The proposed reduction will be 25' of planted width with an opaque fence with a height of 8'. The adjacent property currently has a cell tower located on the property.
2. Vehicular traffic and pedestrian movement on adjacent streets will not be hindered or endangered.
 - A concrete apron will be added as an access to enter and exit the proposed outdoor storage. There will be no impacts that would hinder or endanger vehicular or pedestrian movement.
3. Off-street parking and loading and the entrances to and exits from such parking and loading will be adequate in terms of location, amount and design to serve the use.
 - All proposed site elements were designed in accordance with the Walton County Comprehensive Land Development Ordinance.
4. Public facilities and utilities are capable of adequately serving the proposed use.
 - Public water and sewer are not needed to serve the proposed outdoor storage. However, Walton County water is available to serve the site. The future redevelopment of the site will utilize Walt County water and a septic system for sewerage.
5. The proposed use will not adversely affect the level of property values or general character of the area.
 - The subject property is surrounded by properties of similar use, therefore the proposed use will not affect the level of property values or general character of the area. In addition, the proposed screening fence will provide an additional layer of protection for adjacent properties.

Letter of Intent

Walton County

Rezone and Conditional Use Application

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Jet Auto Sales

c/o Travis Pruitt & Associates

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+/- 1.017 acres at 5495 GA Hwy 20 (Lance Court)

Submitted for Applicant by:

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