# Conditional Use CU21080003 Staff Analysis

Commission District: 1 - Warren

Planning Commission Hearing Date: 09-02-2021 - cancelled and moved to 9-9-2021

Board of Commissioners Hearing Date: 10-05-2021

Parcel ID: Map C0750128A00 Acreage: 2.81 acres

Applicant: Owners:

Jeff Henson Lock-n-Roll Storage LLC

3842 Jacks Creek Road P.O. Box 72

Monroe, Georgia 30655 Good Hope, Georgia 30641

**Property Location:** 1801 Highway 78

**<u>Current Character Area:</u>** Employment Center

**Current Zoning: B2** 

<u>Request</u>: Conditional Use for outside storage at mini warehouses and waive 8 ft fence requirement due to having an existing 6 ft fence surrounding the property.

B2 Highway Business – Light to medium commercial uses which are primarily designed to serve the automotive traveling public. (Outside storage by conditional use approval only.)

# **Outdoor Storage (20)**

- 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.

D. Outdoor storage shall not be located in any required front yard building setback area.

<u>Site Analysis:</u> The 2.81 acre tract of land is located on 1801 Highway 78, Monroe, Georgia 30655. The surrounding properties are zoned A1, R1, and B2.

**Zoning History:** No History

**Character Area:** The character area for this property is Employment Center.

### **Staff Comments/Concerns:**

# Comments and Recommendations from various Agencies:

<u>Public Works:</u> Walton County Public Works has No issue with Approval of this Request.

**Sheriffs' Department:** No impact on the Walton County Sheriff's Office.

<u>Water Authority:</u> This area is served by a 10" water main along Hwy 78. (static pressure: 75 psi, Estimated fire flow available: 2,500 gpm @ 20 psi). No system impacts anticipated.

<u>Fire Department:</u> Concern would be that the campers do not block or get in the way of access around the buildings. The closest hydrant is across 78 Hwy and is within 500' of entrance.

Fire Code Specialist: No comment

Board of Education: Will have no effect on the Walton County School District.

<u>Development Inspector</u>: No comment received.

**DOT Comments:** This will require GDOT coordination.

Archaeological Information: No comment received.

## PC ACTION 9/9/2021:

 Conditional Use – CU21080003 – Conditional Use for outside storage & waive 8 ft. fence requirement – Applicant: Jeff Henson/Owner: Lock-n-Roll Storage LLC – Property located on 1801 Highway 78/Map/Parcel C0750128A00 – District 1.

Presentation: Jeff Henson represented the case and stated that he has owned this property since 2004 and when he purchased the property they were allowing outdoor storage there and that there is a 6 ft. fence already existing. Mr. Henson stated that he wanted to add some storage units and was told that he was not in compliance with Walton County. He has applied for this Conditional Use so he will be in compliance but would ask that the Board to allow him to continue using the 6 ft. fence rather than 8 ft. which is now the requirement.

Recommendation: Josh Ferguson made a motion to recommend approval with the following conditions to waive the 8 ft. fence and in lieu to keep the 6 ft. fence that is already there and to limit outside storage to operable vehicles, boats, RV's and trailers with a second by John Pringle. The motion carried unanimously.

# Conditional Use Application # <u>LU 21080003</u>

Planning Comm. Meeting Date <u>9-2-2021</u> at 6:00PM held at WC Board of Comm. Meeting Room

Board of Comm Meeting Date <u>10-5-2021</u> at 6:00PM held at WC Historical Court House

You or a representative must be present at both meetings

\*\*\*Please Type or Print Legibly\*\*\* Map/Parcel\_C0750128 A00 Applicant Name/Address/Phone # Property Owner Name/Address/Phone Henson Jacks Creek Road Phone # HWY 78 Present Zoning B2 Acreage 2.81 Existing Use of Property: Storage Mini Warehouses Existing Structures: 3 Property is serviced by: Public Water: No Provider: Well: No Public Sewer: No Provider: The purpose of this conditional use is: To allow outdoor Storage fence Surrounding the property. 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. Honson Manager Signature Public Notice sign will be placed and removed by P&D Office Signs will not be removed until after Board of Commissioners meeting Office Use Only: Surrounding Zoning: North 41 K1 South B2 K1 Existing Zoning\_ East Comprehensive Land Use: Employment Center Warren Watershed: Alcovy Kiver W-PI

I hereby withdraw the above application\_\_\_\_\_

Analysis of Impact for Conditional Use for:

Lock-n-Roll Storage, LLC 1801 Hwy 78 Monroe, GA. 30655

- 1. Adequate setbacks and fencing are in place to protect adjacent properties from possible adverse influence of the proposed use.
- 2. Vehicular traffic and pedestrian movement on adjacent streets will not be hindered or endangered.
- 3. There will be adequate off street parking and loading/unloading areas and the entrances to and exits from parking areas will be adequate for use.
- 4. Public facilities and utilities are capable of adequately serving the proposed use.
- 5. The proposed use will not adversely affect the level of property values or general character of the area.

Lock-n-Roll Storage, LLC
Jeff C. Henson
P.O. Box 72
Good Hope, Georgia 30641

Walton County Planning and Development 303 S. Hammond Drive Monroe, GA. 30655

Re: Request for Conditional Use Application - Letter of Intent

1801 U.S. Hwy 78 Monroe, GA. 30655

2.81 ac. Zoned 82

Walton County Parcel Number: C0750128A00

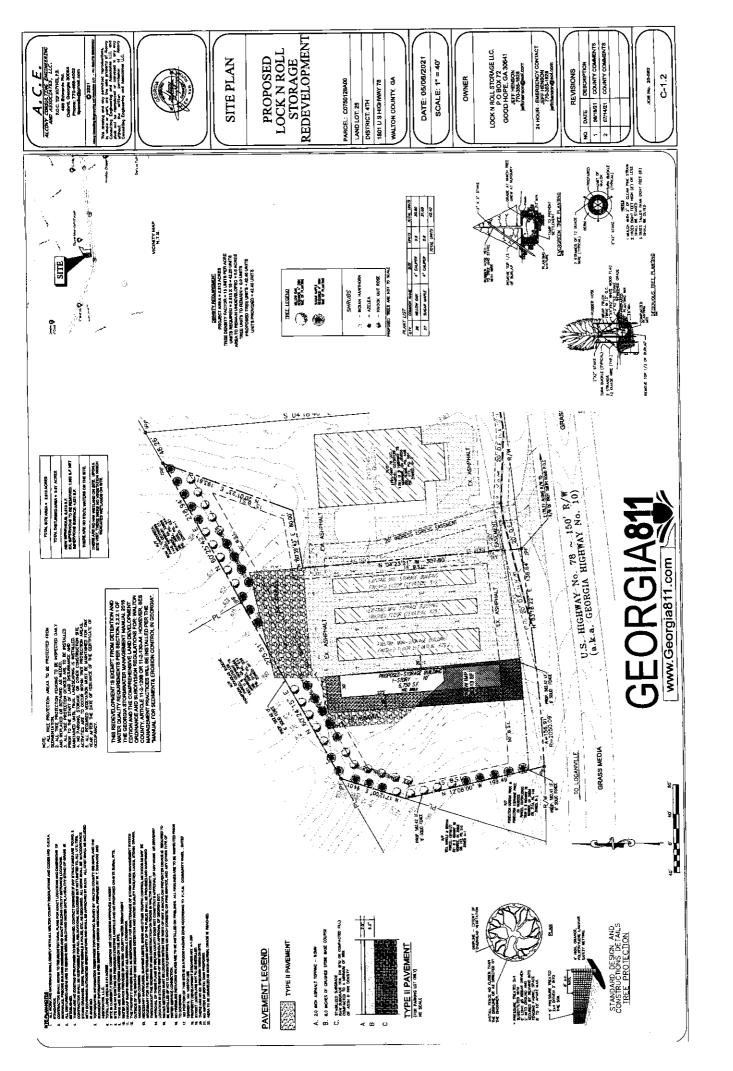
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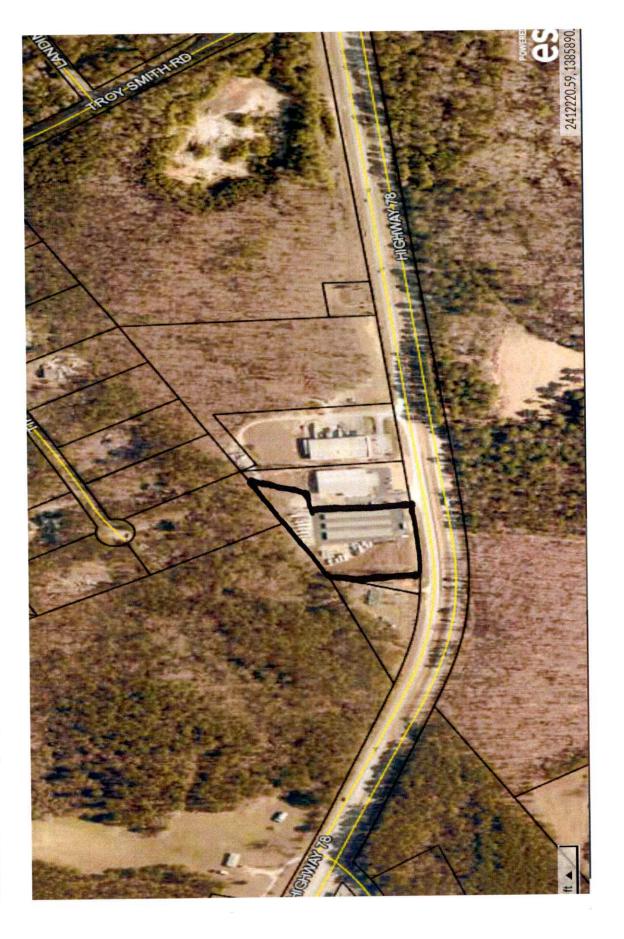
My name is Jeff Henson and I am the applicant serving as representative for the property owner, Lock-n-Roll Storage, LLC for the above referenced Conditional Use Application. We are seeking approval of this application for a Conditional Use. The intent of the Conditional Use request is to provide for safe, secure and aesthetically pleasing outside storage. The attached plan is for the use of outside storage on the left side and rear of property, on an existing graveled area. The site is located at 1801 U.S. Hwy 78 approximately 1,500' East of Sardis Church Road and approximately 2,300' West of Troy Smith Road. Currently, there is approximately 14,000 square feet of conventional mini warehouse storage on site, and we are in the permitting process for an additional 6,750 square feet. We have been using a portion of the property for outside storage, not knowing this wasn't permitted. The site has been used for outside storage for approximately 10 years. The previous owners were using the property for outside storage as well. To my knowledge there has never been any complaints with the usage of the property. The proposed Conditional Use will be consistent with the existing use of the property. I respectfully requests the granting of the application as submitted.

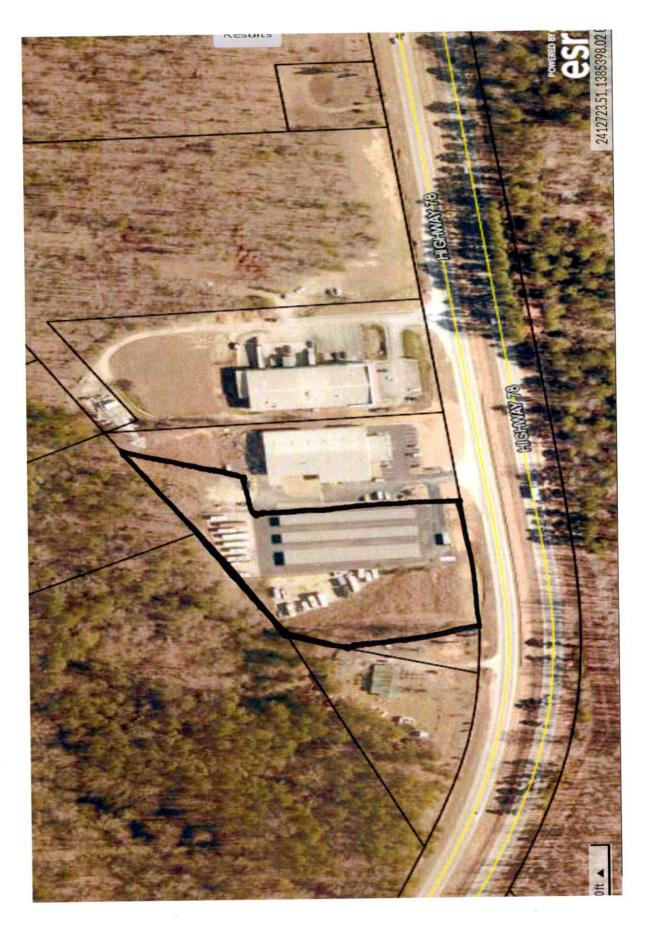
Sincerely.

Jeff C. Henson

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