

CASE NO: Z2005299

Staff and Zoning Commission Recommendation - City Council

Date:

February 09, 2006

Zoning Commission Meeting Date: January 17, 2006

Council District: 5

Ferguson Map: 650, A-2

Applicant:

Owner:

Brown, P.C.

Pablo and Guadelupe Mora, and Francisco P. and

Mary Hererra

Zoning Request:

From "R-4" Residential Single-Family District to "C-2" Commercial District

Lot 5 and west 14.6 feet of Lot 6, NCB 7347 and Lot 113, Block 17, NCB 3460

Property Location:

943 West Theo Avenue 1126 Prado Street and 1128 Prado Street

227.85 feet east of Nogalitos Street between West Theo Avenue and Prado

Street

Proposal:

To expand the Walgreens Drugstore (New Drive-Thru)

Neighborhood Association

Palm Heights Neighborhood Association

Neighborhood Plan:

Nogalitos/S. Zarzamora Community Plan

Traffic Impact Analysis

A traffic impact analysis is not required. The tract is currently zoned C-3 and R-4. The current site currently is developed with a Walgreen Drug Store. Current traffic generated is approximately 104 vehicles per hour in the afternoon. The property is proposed to be zoned all C-3. Several existing buildings will be demolished, and the Walgreen store will be enlarged approximately 2,300 square feet with a drive thru pharmacy. The proposed new store would generate approximately 127 maximum vehicle trips per hour, an increase of 23 trips per hour. Nogalitos and Theo Avenue are both four lane roadways and capable of handling the limited additional traffic.

The TIA Division recommends support of re-zoning.

Staff Recommendation:

Inconsistent

The Nogalitos/S. Zarzamora Community Plan recommends Medium-Density Residential land use. The applicant's zoning request is currently inconsistent with the Community Plan, however, a Plan Amendment has been submitted to staff and forwarded to the Planning Commission for recommendation on January 11, 2006 (Recommended Approval). Staff supports the request.

Approval contingent on Plan Amendment.

he subject property is located between West Theo Avenue and Prado Street. Currently there are single-family dwellings located on the subject properties. The applicant is proposing a new drive-thru to the existing Walgreens Drugstore located at the northeast corner of Nogalitos Street and West Theo Avenue. The surrounding properties to the east and south are primarily developed as single-family dwellings and the properties to the west and north are used for commercial purposes. The expansion of the Walgreens Drugstore will improve and meet the daily needs of the community. Based on the site plan Lot 20 will provide additional parking and new receiving area.

The UDC allows the installation of a solid fence at least six feet in height along rear property lines in lieu of the landscape buffer. Residential uses should be appropriately buffered from adjacent commercial uses through landscaping, screening and lighting controls.

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Zoning Commission Recommendation:	<u>VOTE</u>	
Approval	FOR	10
• •	AGAINST	0
CASE MANAGER: Pedro Vega 207-7980	ABSTAIN	0
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<u>Daniel Ortiz</u>, 112 E. Pecan, representing the owner, stated the purpose of this request is to construct a drive thru for the pharmacy for the existing Walgreen's. He stated he has met with the neighborhood association who are in support.

FAVOR

Francisco Herrera, 1128 Pardo, stated is in support of this project.

Staff stated there were 35 notices mailed out to the surrounding property owners, 0 returned in opposition and 7 returned in favor. Staff has also received an email from Palm Heights Neighborhood Association and the Planning Team expressing their support.

Everyone present, for and against having been heard and the results of the written notices having been received, the Chairman declared the public hearing closed.

FINDING OF CONSISTENCY OF THE MASTER PLAN

COMMISSION ACTION

The motion was made by Commissioner Rodriguez and seconded by Commissioner Avila to find inconsistency with the neighborhood plan.

AYES: Martinez, Robbins, Rodriguez, Kissling, Marshall, Sherrill, McAden, Avila,

Stribling, Gray

NAYS: None

THE MOTION CARRIED

COMMISSION ACTION

The motion was made by Commissioner Rodriguez and seconded by Commissioner Robbins to recommend approval contingent on Plan Amendment.

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- 1. Property is located on Lot 5 and west 146.6 feet of Lot 6, NCB 7347 and Lot 113, Block 17, NCB 3460 at 943 West Theo Avenue and 1128 Prado Street.
- 2. There were 35 notices mailed, 0 returned in opposition and 7 in favor.
- 3. Staff recommends approval contingent on Plan Amendment.

AYES: Martinez, Robbins, Rodriguez, Kissling, Marshall, Sherrill, McAden, Avila,

Stribling, Gray

NAYS: None

THE MOTION CARRIED

RESULTS OF NOTICE FOR COUNCIL HEARING

To be provided at Council hearing.