

# WHITE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS WORK SESSION & CALLED MEETING MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2023 AT 4:30 P.M. AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. Recognition of the White County Recreation Department being named Georgia Recreation & Parks Association 7<sup>th</sup> District Agency of the Year.
- Consider the land use application filed by April James to redistrict property located at 964 Rabun Road Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia from R-1 Residential Single-Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 071-147A. Total acreage is 22.17. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single-Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District.
- 4. Consider the land use application filed by Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy 115 East Cleveland, Georgia from R-1 Residential Single-Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single-Family District.
- Consider the land use application filed by Robert Edmonds to request a conditional use permit at 360 Miners Mountain Road Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. The proposed use is to place in a short-term rental program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single-Family.
- 6. Consider the land use application filed by Diane Robertson to request a conditional use permit at 1071 Myra Branch Road Helen, Georgia. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. The proposed use is to place in a short-term rental program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.
- 7. Consider the land use application filed by Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin to redistrict property located at 2227 Highway 17 Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single-Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. The proposed use is to place in a short-term rental program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.
- 8. Consider the land use application filed by Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17 Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single-Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. The proposed use is to place in a short-term rental program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.
- 9. Consider the land use application filed by Jay Westmoreland to request a conditional use permit at 183 Patrick Lane Helen, Georgia. Tax map and parcel 041-044. Total acreage is 3.01. The proposed use is to place in a short-term rental program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

- 10. Consider the land use application filed by Georgianna "Emma" Stoica to request a special use permit at 4564 Highway 255 South Cleveland, Georgia. Tax map and parcel 074-130. Total acreage is 5.29. The proposed use is for a personal care home/ group home. Present zoning is A-1 Agriculture Forestry District.
- 11. Consider entering into a contract with McCormick Solutions for analysis of the CAMA (Computer Assisted Mass Appraisal) data to improve the sales ratio with the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts.
- 12. Consider approval of the 2024 LMIG (Local Maintenance & Improvement Grant) grant application through GDOT (Georgia Department of Transportation).
- 13. Consider approval of the purchase of two (2) Certificates of Deposit based on quotes received.
- 14. Review of the December 4, 2023 Regular Meeting Agenda.
- 15. Announcements:

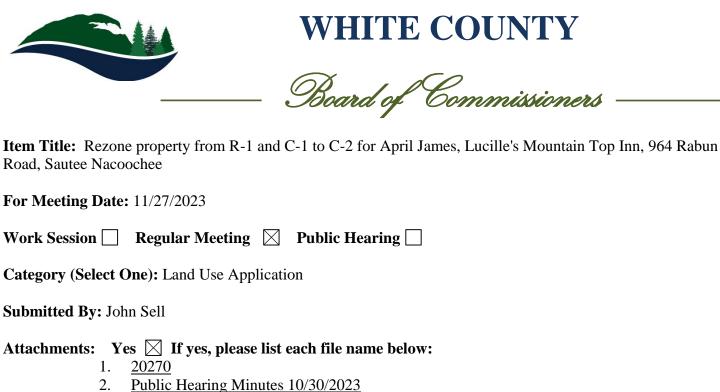
• Monday, December 4, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.: Regular Meeting + Public Hearing (Proposed Changes to County Code Chapter 16, Short-Term Rental Host License)

• Tuesday, December 11, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.: Called Meeting

• Thursday, December 14 at 9:00 a.m.: Called Meeting

• Monday, January 8, 2023 at 4:30 p.m. Regular Meeting

16. Adjourn.



3. Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023

## **Purpose:**

Consider the application of April James to redistrict property located at 964 Rabun Road Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from R-1 Residential Single Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 071-147A. Total acreage is 22.17. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District.

## **Background / Summary:**

Applicant is requesting to rezone the property from R-1 Single Family Residential and C-1 Community Commercial to C-2 Highway Business District to bring the property into conformance. Ms. James explained that she is making the request to help lower insurance costs due to limited insurance options from being classified as an inn. She would like to be classified as a boutique hotel with a spa which falls under the C-2 zoning. She has future plans to move the spa to add an additional room and also acquired the adhacent property to allow for septic options that does not include pumping. Steve Smith, contractor for Ms. James, explained C-2 is the only option because R-3 does not allow for the spa and the current zoning of R-1 and C-1 does not allow for the hotel or spa. He said the new spa would by approximately 3,000 square feet, which is larger than the current 600-sq. foot spa. Ms. James had clients and other speakers in favor of the application because of the quality of the business. There were 6 speakers in opposition, and more in line, and approximately 80 people in opposition to the application. Much of the opposition had to do with traffic on Rabun Road and Bean Creek Road, which are not wide enough. April Riley says the traffic to Lucille's impacts her driveway. She also questioned why C-2 when R-3 was an option and she and others also questioned the insurance issue. Others questioned the size of the expansion over 22 acres. Others were concerned with the C-2 zoning and what that might mean with future owners. Mr. Smith offered rebuttal about the size of expansion and also noted that part of the property is under Mountain Protection. In the regular meeting, Ms. James offered to limit the zoning request to items 33 Health Spa, item 36 Hotel, Motel and other lodging type inns and item 58 Tourist shops, retail, dining,

## -Agenda Request Form-

services, winery tasting rooms and outdoor recreation. She said those uses currently exist and she wants to keep those. The other 95% of the uses in C-2 would not apply. The Planning Commission recommended approval of the application as requested, without conditions, and the motion passed by 4-2 vote.

## **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by 4-2 vote.

## **Options:**

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- Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application
- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.
- Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

<b>Budget Information</b>	: Applicable 🗌	Not Applicable 🖂
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Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🔀

Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

OFFICE USE ONLY	Land Use Application #: 20270
Public Hearing Date: 10 30 23	Commission District:
Fees Assessed: 250	Paid via:cashcredit cardcheck#
	APPLICANT INFORMATION
Status: X_Owner	Authorized Agent Lessee Option to Purchase
Printed Name(s): April 5	ames
Address: 1019 Preac	her Campbell Road - Clarkesville, 6A
Phone Number:	Alternate Contact Number:
Email: april plucilles ma	untaintopInn.com
Name:	Information (if different from Applicant/Agent): Phone #:
Tuno.	PROPERTY INFORMATION
Parcel ID: BZINIZA	Total acreage being changed: $22.17$
Address: 9/04 Rabup	
Directions to Property:	
North 28 Ers	tonto 17
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Current Use/Zoning of Property:	ZI EOI Type of Road Surface: Payment
Any prior redistricting requests for pr	operty:If yes, provide redistricting application #:
SURROUNDI	NG PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:
North: <u>R</u> South: <u>R</u>	East: <u>P7</u> West: <u>27</u>
REQUESTED ACTIO	N AND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE (check all that apply)
$\times$ Redistrict from district: $\mathbb{R}_{1}$	$\neq C_{1}$ Redistrict to district: C 2
Conditional Use - specify:	
Special Use - specify:	
Land Use Variance from Code S	Section:
Proposed use if not listed above:	
Is this property part of a subdivision?	Yes No If so, please list number of lots:
Are there covenants? Yes N	Is there an active homeowner's association? Yes No

# WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

Existing Utilities (check all that apply):									
County or City Wate	rWell	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband				
Proposed Utilities (check all that apply):									
County or City Wate	rWell	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband				
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION									
Building Area: No. of Parking Spaces:									
	RESIDENTIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION								
No. of Lots:	Ainimum Lot Size	e in acres:		No. of Units:					
Minimum Heated Floor A	rea (ft <sup>2</sup> ):			Density/Acre:					
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)?									
Apartments Condominiums Townhomes Single Family									
Rental Cabins	Recreational V	ehicle Park	Other- Spec	ify:					

## LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).

PROPERTY OWNER NAME MAILING ADDRESS PARCEL 1071 131A JOHN CASEY GLEN 624 DENTON RD. CEDARTOWN, GA 30125 2071 141 TERESAS ROCHE POBOX 292 SAUTEE, GA 30571 3 071 143 HAROLD WILBORN BURGE 6206 9TH ST LULA, GA 30554 4071 146 VOLKER HANNEMANN 8590 JW 125TH ST MAMI FL 33156 071 146A JONATHAN ROBINSON POBOX 245 SAUTER, GA 30571 <sup>6</sup>071 149 PARCOM CANNON 10 WAGHINGTONST. APT 204 NOBWALK, CT. 06854-3048 707/148 ONETHER DENISE CANNEN 110 WASHINGTON ST APT 204 NORWALK, CT. 06854-3048

## APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.



	2023 DEADLINES ANI	) MEETING DATES	
	Planning	Planning	Board of
Submittal Date	Commission	Commission	Commissioners
Planning Dept. Office	Public Hearing	Regular Session	Work Session
5:00 p.m. Deadline	1239 Helen Hwy	1239 Helen Hwy	1235 Helen Hwy
	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, January 4, 2023	Monday, January 30, 2023	Monday, February 6, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023
Wednesday, February 1, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023	Monday, March 6, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023
Wednesday, March 1, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023	Monday, April 3, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023
Wednesday, March 29, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023	Monday, May 1, 2023	ТВА
Wednesday, May 3, 2023	ТВА	Monday, June 5, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023
Wednesday, May 31, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023	Monday, July 3, 2023	Monday, July 31, 2023
Wednesday, June 14, 2023 *	Monday, July 31, 2023	Monday, August 7, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023
Wednesday, July 12, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023	ТВА	Monday, September 25, 2023
Wednesday, August 9, 2023	Monday, September 25, 2023	Monday, October 2, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023
Wednesday, September 13, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023	Monday, November 6, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023 L
Wednesday, October 11, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023	Monday, December 4, 2023	ТВА
Wednesday, November 8, 2023	ТВА	TBA	Monday, January 29, 2024
Wednesday, December 13, 2023	Monday, January 29, 2024	Monday, February 5, 2024	Monday, February 26, 2024

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

## NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

## **Applicant Signature:**

## Date:

## **DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS** (APPLICANTS AND REPRESENTATIVE(S) OF REQUESTED ACTION)

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 36-67 A-3.A, the disclosure of any campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official who will consider an application for re-classification or for a conditional use or special use permit is mandatory when an application or any representation of application for re-classification of district or for conditional use or special use permit has been made within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of a request for reclassification or conditional use or special use permit by the same applicant and/or representative of said applicant. It shall be the duty of the applicant and/or any representatives of the applicant to file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government to show the following:

Name of local official(s) to whom campaign contribution was made:

The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application for action for district reclassification, conditional use or special use permit.

Amount \$:

Date:

Enumeration and description of each gift (when the total value of all gifts is \$250.00 or more) made to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application. Please attach additional sheets if needed.

Check box if no contributions made X

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date: Quy 9,2023

# PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION

To be completed by the property owner to certify ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for	"
other person(s) to represent the owner on their behalf.	
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/WE (print), April James	_,
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which this land use change application is being made.	_
Property Address and/or Parcel ID:	
PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION	
Printed Name of Owner(s):	
HOTIL JAMES	
Mailing Address: 1019 Preacher Campbell Road	
Santee - GA 30571	
Phone Number:	_
Alternate Contact Number:	
Email: aprilo hugilles mountaintop Innicon	
I/we hereby authorize the person named below to act as the applicant or agent in the pursuit of the requested	
action on this property. I/we understand that any action granted and/or conditions or stipulations placed on the	
property will be binding upon the property regardless of ownership. The person named below is authorized to	
make this application. The person named below is aware that no application or re-application affecting the sam	e
land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date of the last action by the White County Board of	
Commissioners.	
Commissioners. Printed Name of applicant or agent(s): STEVEN DAVID SMITH	
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# APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES

(print name) have been advised that I or someone I, to represent me must be in attendance when my application is before the White County Planning Commission and the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be tabled. I also acknowledge that I have been made aware of the below dates upon submission of my application.

Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland

6:00pm

Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland

Public Hearing Date (Planning Commission): Monday Och 30, 2023 Regular Meeting Date (Planning Commission): Monday Hubble, 2023 ding, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland 4:30pm Board of Commissioners Meeting Date: Monday, Mour 27, 2023

\*Meeting dates are subject to change

Signature of Applicant of Authorized Agent Date

	OFFICE USE ONLY
Copy giv	ven to applicant: 8 28 23 (date)
	Staff Initials:
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## WITHDRAWAL

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Notice: This section only to be completed if application is being withdrawn.

PART II - OFFICIAL CODE/APPENDIX C - LAND USE REGULATIONS/ARTICLE XVIII. AMENDMENT, APPLICATION AND PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 1803. Withdrawal of amendment application. Any petition for an amendment to these regulations, official land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion of the person or agency initiating such request, at any time prior to final action by the board of commissioners upon written notice to the planning director. Any required fees shall be forfeited

I hereby withdraw application #:

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

We request a zoning change for the property at 964 Rabun Road Sautee Nacoochee, GA 30571 from C1 to C2 and R1 to C2. Two adjoining tracts have been joined as one tract.

The first reason for this request to rezone the property is for the purpose of redefining the business from a B&B to a Hotel in order to obtain better Insurance rates and coverage.

Our second reason is to provide a more practical area for septic repair should it be needed.

Our third reason is that at some future time, we plan to move the spa location, which is currently between two guest suites, to a separate building. Moving the spa to a free-standing building would enable the existing spa to be converted to more lodging and provide a higher quality experience for the guests. In addition, moving the spa to a separate location would provide additional parking for spa guests and employees.

Thank you for your consideration of this request,

1 dms **April James** 



P.O. Box 3020 Cleveland, GA 30528-0052 Phone: 706-865-0788 Fax: 706-865-0329

August 10, 2023

## VIA-E-MAIL: april@lucillesmountaintopinn.com

RE: 964 Rabun Road Sautee GA 30571 White County, Georgia Account # 2950-00

To Whom It May Concern,

Let this letter serve as notice that White County Water Authority provides water to the above referenced address.

Please call our office if you have any questions concerning the referenced service area. You can reach me at (706) 865-0788; Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Thank you, Edwin Nix

Executive Director White County Water Authority



## White County Environmental Health Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • www.phdistrict2.org

Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

**Evaluation Applied For** 



**Appropriate Permit Applied For** 

Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant

Evaluation, Permit Not Applied For At This Time

DATE: <u>08/08/2023</u>

APPLICANT NAME: APRIL JAMES

PROPERTY ADDRESS: RABUN RD(PARCEL 071 147 & PARCEL 082 147A) CLEVELAND, GA 30528

White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

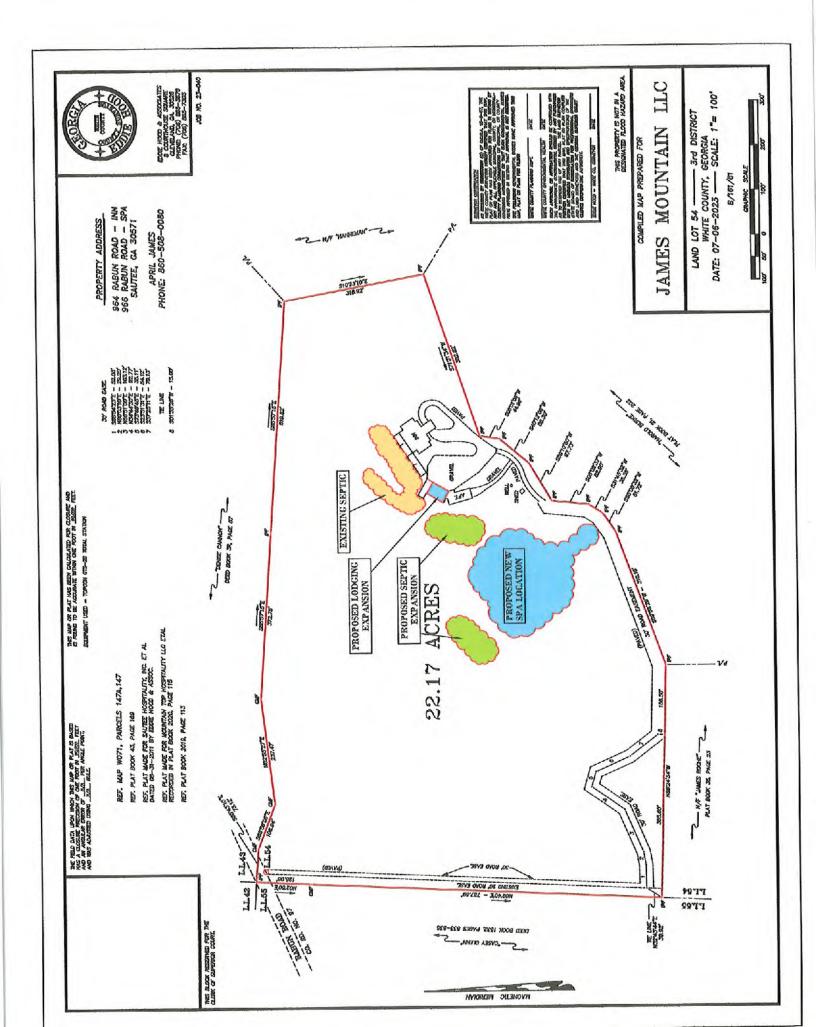
Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

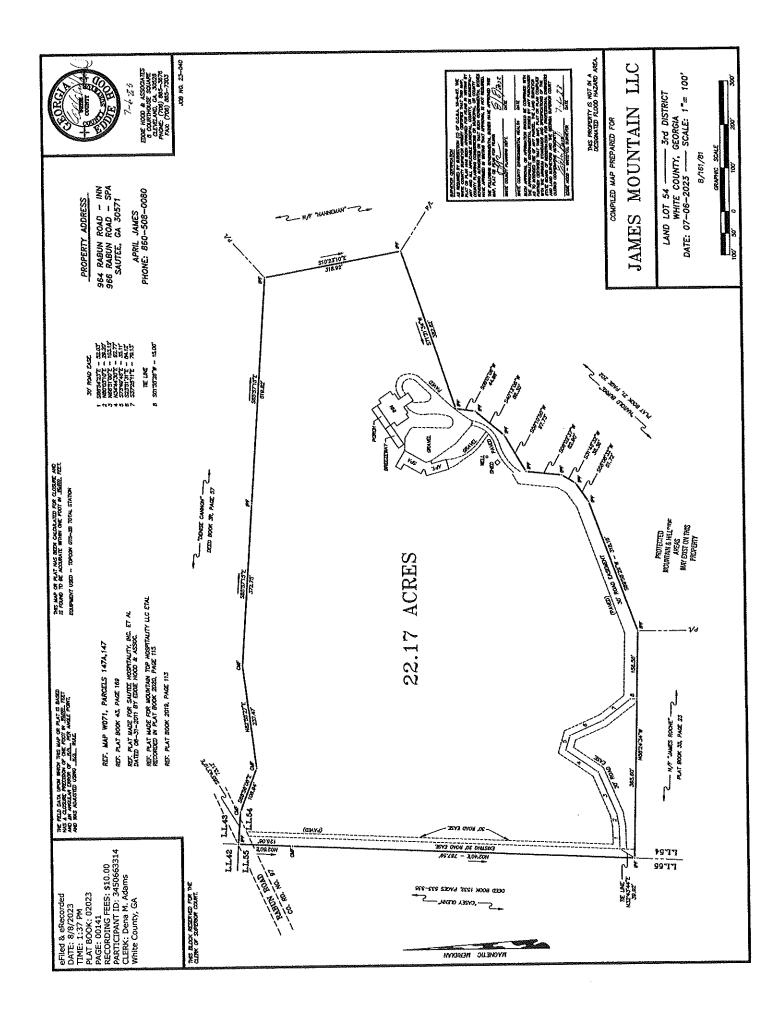
If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature





## **2022 Property Tax Statement**

### **Cindy Cannon**

White County Tax Commissioner
P. O. Box 970
Cleveland, GA 30528
Bharred (706) 965 2225 - Eav 1 (706) 21

Phone 1 (706) 865-2225 - Fax 1 (706) 219-0078

wctc@whitecounty.net



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JAMES MOUNTAIN LLC 964 RABUN RD SAUTEE NACOOCHEE, GA 30571

BILL NO.	PRINTED	LAST PAYMENT MADE ON	PAYMENT GOOD THROUGH	DUE DATE	TOTAL DUE	
2022-8836	08/08/2023	09/21/2022	08/08/2023	11/15/2022	0.00	
P	91D		LOCA	TION		
071	147A	964 RABUN RD				

MAKE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO:

## White County Tax Commissioner

This is your 2022 Ad Valorem Property Tax Statement. This bill must be paid in full by November 15, 2022 in order to avoid interest and penalty charges. Interest and penalties are governed by Georgia Code. If payment is made after the due date, please call the office for the current amount due. State law requires all bills be mailed to the owner of record as of January 1st of the tax year. If you have sold this property, please forward this bill to the new owner and notify our office. Please note that your Tax Commissioner is responsible for billing and collections and is not responsible for the property value on your bill or the millage rate. Thank you for the privilege of serving you as your Tax Commissioner. Cindy Cannon

# RETURN THIS PORTION WITH PAYMENT (Interest will be added per month if not paid by due date)

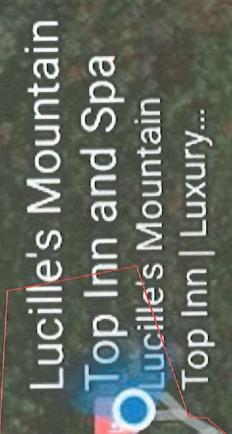
		2022 Property Tax Statement Clndy Cannon White County Tax Commissioner P. O. Box 970 Cleveland, GA 30528 Phone 1 (706) 865-2225 - Fax 1 (706) 219-0078 Email: wotc@whitecounty.net		PROPERTY OWNER(S) PID DESCRIPTION LOCATION BILL NUMBER DISTRICT PRINTED ON	JAMES MOUNTAIN LLC 071 147A REAL LL 54 LD 3 964 RABUN RD 2022-8836 001 WHITE COUNTY UNINCORPORATED 08/08/2023
BUILDING VALUE 940,850.00		LAND VALUE 459,990.00	ACRES/LOTS TOTAL F. MARKET V 5.3800 1,400,840	ALUE	BILLING PAYMENT GOOD EXEMPTIONS DATE THROUGH 08/08/2023
		1717)/	ADJUSTED NET	EXEMPTIONS TAXABLE	

	ENTITY	ADJUSTED FAIR MARKET VALUE	NET ASSESSMENT	EXEMPTIONS	VALUE	RATE	GROSS TAX	AMT	NET TAX AMI
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Z	SALES TAX ROLLBACK	1,400,840.00	560.336.00		560,336.00	14.2220	7,969.10		7,969.10
S	SCHOOL M&O	1,400,040,00				23.7270	15,224.89	-1,929.80	13,295.09

Sigh resident of White County is eligible for a Homestead Exemption on the property they own and occupy as their permanent residence on January 1st of the taxable year. Homestead Exemption applications are accepted year round by the White County Assessors office however, your application must be made before April 1st to apply to the taxable year. All tax returns are filed with the White County Assessors office between January 1st and April 1st of the taxable year. For questions about your Homestead Exemption or filing a tax return, you may reach the Assessors office at (706) 865-5328. Thanks



CURRENT DUE	13295.09
+ PENALTY	0.00
+ INTEREST	0.00
+ OTHER FEES	0.00
PREVIOUS PAYMENTS	13295.09
+ BACK TAXES	0.00
= Total Due	0.00



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Bean Creek Rd

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# OFFICIAL TAX RECEIPT

White County Tax Commissioner	PAID DATE		9/21/202		
Cindy Cannon	RECI	EIPT PRINTED	8/28/2023 12:33:34 PM		
P. O. Box 970 Cleveland GA 30528	CASH AMOUNT	CHECK AMOUNT	CHARGE AMOUNT	CHECK NUMBER(s) CHARGE APPROVAL CODE	
Phone 17068652225 - Fax 17062190078	\$0.00	\$13,295.09	\$0.00	902	
Email: wctc@whitecounty.net	REF	UND AMOUNT	\$0.0		
	OVERPAY AMOUNT		\$0.0		
OWNER	CHA	NGE AMOUNT	\$0.00		
	MES MOUNTAIN LLC REGISTER			7	
964 RABUN RD		CASHIER			
SAUTEE NACOOCHEE. GA 30571		TOTAL PAID	\$13,295.09		

Tax Year- Bill Number FMV Property ID	Property Description Property Address District Serial Number Decal Number		Due Date Original Due	Interest Penalty Other Fees	Previous Paid Amount	Current Amount Due	Amount Paid	Tax Bill New Balance
	LL 54 LD 3				1.1.1			
2022-8836	964 RABUN RD		11/15/2022	\$0.00				
FMV: 1400840.00	DISTRICT: 001			\$0.00		1.1.1.1		
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# WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

## APRIL JAMES

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 964 RABUN RD IN SAUTEE NACOOCHEE. IT IS IN THE R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY DISTRICT AND C-1 COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL DISTRICT.
- APPLICATION REQUEST TO CONSIDER REDISTRICTING TO C-2 HIGHWAY BUSINESS DISTRICT.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE NORTH, SOUTH, EAST, AND WEST R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL AND COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 22.17.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY COUNTY WATER AND SEPTIC.



145 Richardson RoadSautee Nacoochee, Georgia30571October23, 2023

Dear Members of White County Planning Commission,

We are 20 + years residents of Nacoochee Valley. We appreciate the efforts the planning commission is making to balance the qualities that make White County a desirable place to live and work. One of those qualities is our rural landscapes. The access to property at 946 Rabun Road is on a county-maintained road that is barely wide enough for two vehicles. Alternate access is from the intersection of GA 255 and Bean Creek Road. Expansion of commercial property in the vicinity will lead to heavier traffic. Increased traffic on either road would be hazardous to residents of Rabun Road and Bean Creek Road.

Adjourning property to 946 is zoned R- 1. Granting C-2 zoning to this property would open the door to expansion, increased traffic, and threat to the character and peace of the community.

We are opposed to rezoning 946 Rabun Road to C-2.

Respectfully,

Mary Gerdel

Mary Geidel

Chris Geidel

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Dear Members of the White County Planning and Development Commission,

We wish to express our strong opposition to the request for rezoning the property at 964 Rabun Road, Sautee-Nacoochee from R-1 and C-1 to C-2. We reside at 151 Richardson Road, Sautee-Nacoochee which turns off Rabun Road. Rabun Road is a county maintained, narrow (not even two lane) road with a 25 mile per hour speed limit. It should also be noted that there is a "no through trucks allowed" sign at the entrance to Rabun Road from Hwy. 17. The increased traffic on Rabun Road due to a commercial expansion would be hazardous and detrimental to the neighborhood. Noise level, littering, and security could also be affected by this zoning change. This area is a quiet neighborhood that does not need the impact that further development of Lucille's Mountain Top Inn and Spa would create. The beauty and uniqueness of Sautee-Nacoochee Valley must be protected in a way that balances hospitality and preservation. In addition, granting this rezoning request would open the door for additional rezoning in the area and would set a bad precedent for commercialization of this rural area. Thank you for your careful consideration of this rezoning request and for your service to White County. We plan to attend the meeting on Monday evening and look forward to hearing your views on this request.

Respectfully submitted, Burny Winter Stere Zente

Steve and Bunny Winter

Oct. 10, 2023

Re: Hotel Development & Expansion at Lucille's Mountain Top Inn and Spa

To Whom it may concern:

My wife, Debbie, and I intended to personally attend this meeting to voice our opposition to this development, however, we will be out of town. We live at 303 Richardson Road off Rabun Road. Rabun Road can not support the additional traffic, congestion, & noise that would come with this expansion. Rabun Road is barely wide enough to allow two cars to pass as it is today. The expansion they have planned does not support the historical beauty of Sautee.

Furthermore, there are plenty of guest rooms available in Helen. We don't need additional space invading a residential area.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Jeff and Debbie Megnue

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## **Mercedes Dodd**

From:	Harry Barton
Sent:	Tuesday, October 31, 2023 3:17 PM
То:	Mercedes Dodd
Subject:	FW: Lucille's Mountain Top Inn Re-zoning Request

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From: HenryandAnn Tipton
Sent: Tuesday, October 31, 2023 1:58 PM
To: Harry Barton <hbarton@WhiteCounty.net>
Subject: Lucille's Mountain Top Inn Re-zoning Request

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## [EXTERNAL SENDER - PROCEED CAUTIOUSLY]

I was standing in line to address the Planning Commission when the comments were cut off. No one who got to speak mentioned the concern I was going to raise:light pollution.

Lucille's Mountain Top Inn is in my view corridor. It has been a good neighbor with subtle indoor lighting. If the request is approved, please place restrictions on this or subsequent owners to avoid light pollution, which has been shown to affect the entire ecosystem.

When dark areas are artificially lit in the night, wildlife (mammals, birds, insects, reptiles and amphibians) foraging areas and habits, breeding cycles and migration are harmed.

Humans exposed to artificial light where the night was previously dark have reduced melatonin production which can lead to sleep deprivation, fatigue (often a cause of accidents), higher rates of hormone-related cancers (prostate and breast) and other problems.

Please consider this at your planning session today. Thank you for your attention.





# FANELLI, HARLEY, HARPER & ASSOCIATES, LTD.

RE: James Mountain, LLC and Mountain Hospitality, LLC DBA: Lucille's Mountain Top Inn & Spa

To Whom It May Concern,

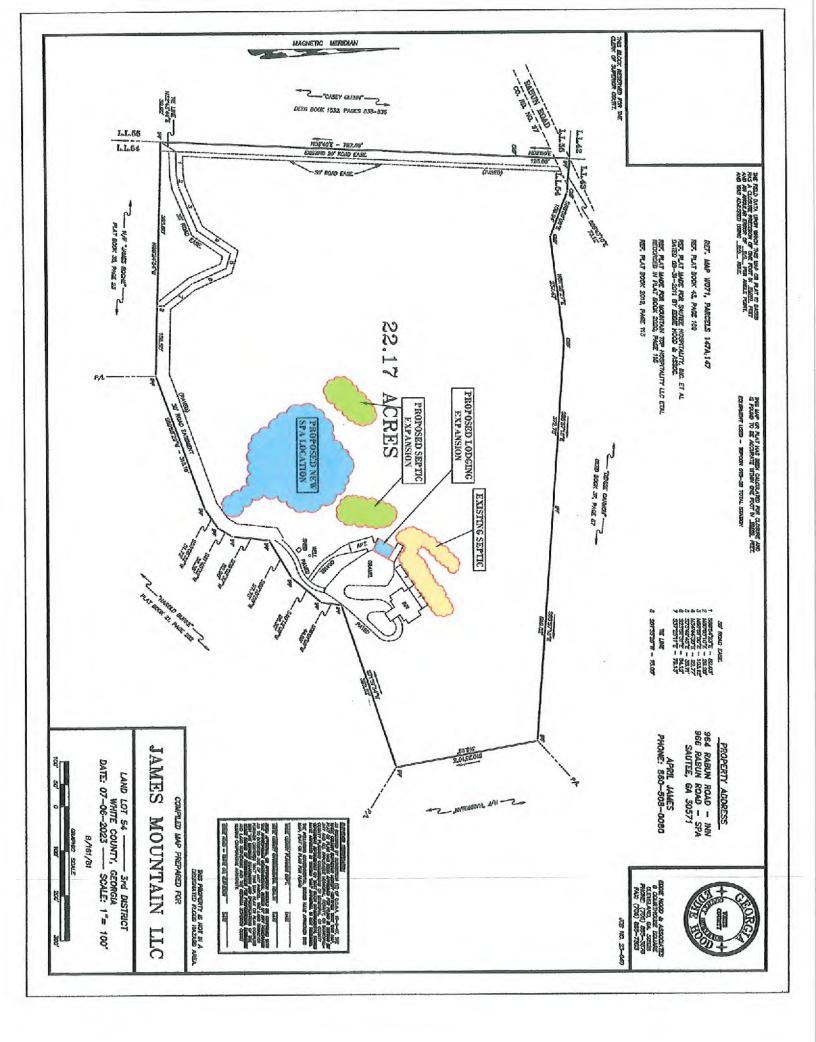
The above business is currently insured under the Bed & Breakfast Inn NAICS Code (7211191). Under this classification, in the State of GA, there are limited (2 total) property & casualty insurance carriers that are willing to insure the type of operation.

Under the Hotels & Motels NAICS Code (721110) there are multiple more carriers that write the type of operation. Changing this business classification to the hotel status will not only lead to more carrier options but it will also lower the cost of coverage for the insured while also providing stronger and more applicable coverage forms for the business.

Best regards,

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Nathan H Davis Associate Producer Fanelli Harley Harper & Assoc Ltd 42 E Lancaster Ave Ste 101 Paoli, PA 19301 610-995-9100 ext. 118 Nate.davis@fhhins.com



# There have been ZERO ARRESTS and NO REPORTS of any disturbances or criminal activity at Lucille's Mountain Top Inn in over 23 years.

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# ARTICLE XIV. - HIGHWAY BUSINESS DISTRICT, C-2

## Section 1400. - Purpose and intent.

The Highway Business District (HB), is intended to provide adequate space for various types of general business uses that serve residents on a regional level rather than at a neighborhood or community level, including the retailing of major goods and services of large scale automotive and other types of more intensive commercial activities and establishments that rely on highway-oriented, passer-by traffic. This district also recognizes that many tourism businesses and venues are located along highway and major arterial routes in order to take advantage of the high traffic volume from visitors to the area.

This district also includes a number of businesses and establishments uses that require a special use permit (SUP) from the White County Commission. Uses requiring special use permits are those that would not be appropriate without restrictions and is not permitted by right or conditionally, but allowed through regulations as to the number, area, location, relation to neighborhoods, operations or other pertinent considerations and specification/criteria as specified in this Code.

(Res. No. 2019-09, 6-4-19)

## Section 1401. - Permitted uses.

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# Section 1401. - Permitted uses.

- Accessory uses and structures normally incidental and subordinate to one or more permitted uses.
- Any use permitted in the Community Commercial District, but not subject to any specified square footage limitations; conditional uses shall remain conditional in this district.
- 3. Agricultural equipment, implement sales, service, rental and repairs.
- 4. Amphitheaters and stadiums.
- 5. Animal hospitals and veterinary clinics.
- 6. Assembly halls, auditoriums and meeting halls.
- Auction facilities, provided that storage yards are located at the rear of the property, are fenced and screened.
- Automobile, truck, motorcycle, boat, and other vehicle sales, rental, repair, service, and part sales, provided that storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and screened.
- Automobile and vehicle washes, including automated, full service or self-service that meet stormwater management requirements from the Georgia Storm water Management Manual.
- 10. Banks and financial institutions.
- 11. Billiard halls, pool rooms and

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- 12. Bowling alleys and skating rinks.
- Building and home materials, supplies sales and lumber yards.
- 14. Bus passenger stations and terminals.
- 15. Business and technology parks.
- 16. Butcher shops.
- 17. Cabinet shops.
- 18. Call centers and data communication facilities.
- 19. Camper and recreational vehicle sales, service, and repair, provided that storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and screened.
- 20. Cemeteries, churches, temples, synagogues and places of worship set back 50 feet from all property lines.
- 21. Clubs, lodges and fraternal institutions.
- 22. Colleges, universities and technical college campuses.
- 23. Contractor's establishments, building, electrical, plumbing and swimming pools.
- 24. Convalescent homes, nursing homes, personal care homes, group care homes, rehabilitation centers, and similar institutionalized residential facilities involving professional care and treatment.
- 25. Department stores.
- 26. Equipment sales, rental and service, provided that storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and

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- 27. Exterminator and pest control services.
- 28. Firearms, hunting and camping equipment sales and service, including gun clubs and indoor shooting ranges. This does not include the manufacturing of ammunition.
- 29. Funeral homes, mortuaries, mausoleums, and crematories.
- 30. Furniture, fixture, home furnishings, including rental, finishing, repair and sales, but not manufacturing.
- 31. Garden supply centers, greenhouses and landscaping services.
- 32. Golf courses and driving ranges, miniature golf, batting cages, go-cart and similar recreation uses.
- 33. Health clubs and spas.
- 34. Heliports and helistops.
- 35. Hospitals and health clinics; does not include pain management clinics.
- 36. Hotels, motels and other lodging type inns.
- 37. Household appliance sales and repair, provided that storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and screened.
- 38. Kennel boarding care (shortterm) facilities.This does not include animal breeding
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- 39. Lawn mower and power equipment sales, rental, and service provided storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and screened.
- 40. Machine shops.
- 41. Mini-warehouse and mini-storage facilities provided storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and screened.
- 42. Manufactured housing and building sales, but not including residential occupancy of such housing.
- 43. Monument sales establishments.
- 44. Offices, business, medical and professional.
- 45. Open air businesses and flea markets provided that parking is provided at the front of the facility and market area are located at the sides and rear of the property; such uses shall be fenced and screened.
- 46. Parking lots and parking garages.
- 47. Pawn shops, provided that storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and screened.
- 48. Pet stores and grooming establishments.
- 49. Printing establishments.
- 50. Race tracks, provided the site contains a
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- 51. Radio and television studios, communication and broadcasting facilities.
- 52. Research and scientific laboratories.
- 53. Restaurants, indoor and outdoor dining.
- 54. Sign fabrication and painting shops.
- 55. Taxi and limousine services.
- 56. Taxidermist shops.
- 57. Theaters, indoor and outdoor.
- 58. Tourist shops, retail, dining, services, winery tasting rooms, and outdoor recreation.
- 59. Training for educational facilities that are for profit.
- 60. Trash collection establishments.
- 61. Truck terminals and stops.
- 62. Welding shops.
- 63. Wholesale establishments, provided that storage yards or areas are located at the rear of the property and are fenced and screened.

(Res. No. 2019-09, 6-4-19)

# Section 1402. - Conditional uses.

 Agri-tourism, heritage tourism facilities and attractions, as defined by this resolution, with required driveway access improvements and parking facilities and provided that all structures and activity areas are buffered and located a minimum of 50 feet from the boundary of any other land use district.

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To the White County Planning Commission:

My name is Harold Burke and we are immediate neighbors to Lucille's Mountain Top Inn & Spa. This letter is to state that we have no objection to Miss James request to rezone the property of 964 Rabun Road. I feel as though only immediate neighbors should have any concern pertaining to this matter.

Sincere Regards,

The Burke Family

401 and 479 Dormitory Hill Road

Sautee Nacoochee, GA 30571

Signature: :

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Date:

George R. Hlavenka, ANA

A R C H I T E C T 15 U'au Place, Kula, HI 96790 1473 Helen Hwy., Cleveland, GA 30528

October 14, 2023

To: The Sautee Commuity White County, GA

Re: Lucille's Mountain Top Inn 964 Rabun Road, Sautee, GA

I am the original Owner and Architect of Lucille's Mountain Top Inn. I designed the Inn and it's surrounding landscape for my late wife Lucille. The Inn was designed to fit in with it's forested surroundings so that Guests can experience the peace and tranquility of the North Georgia Mountains and feel like they are a part of that quiet, rural lifestyle that we cherish and want to preserve.

The Inn's present Owner, Ms. April James, has cared for and enhanced the Inn beautifully. I have been consulting with Ms. James over the past couple of years in regards to her vision for future improvements that include interior renovations, and a small intimate spa. I can assure everyone that as Ms. James' Architect, she has no intentions of any major development as has recently been gossiped. In fact, over the years there had been rumors of developers wanting to buy and clear the property below the Inn. It was of much relief when I learned of Ms. James' purchase to prevent development.

April's vision for the Inn and adjacent property is to preserve the peace and tranquility of the Inn and the Bean Creek Community, That is what has made, and will continue to make, the Inn successful. The reason for the rezoning classification is solely for insurance purposes. I know and trust April James, and you should too.

Submitted by

George R. Hlavenka, AIA Architect

October 27, 2023

Dear Sir or Madam,

We are neighbors of Lucille's Mountaintop Inn off of Rabun Road. Let it be known that my husband and I SUPPORT the rezoning for Lucilles to hotel status. We understand the intent of April James' request and back her unequivocally.

We were married at CeNita and spent our honeymoon at Lucilles and love what this gem brings to our community. We also appreciate the efforts April makes by generating commerce with LOCAL vendors. She could easily save money by shopping Costco and the like but she believes in neighbor helping neighbor.

April James/Lucilles is an ASSET to our community. Feel free to call with any questions.

Sincerely,

David & Leesa Smith

Thank you all for coming out this evening. My name is Katherine Buffer. I am writing a letter to the township of Sautee, and I am honored to speak on behalf of April James.

April is the proud owner of a small Inn & Spa, the establishment known as Lucille's Mountain Top Inn & Spa. As a place for weary travelers and for those who are seeking solace and tranquility, guests come from far and near to experience this beautiful mountain sanctuary that offers peace and quiet from the hustle and bustle of everyday life. Some guests come to just sit on this breathtaking property. My first time coming to LMT, I stayed for 2 months. I am a writer and I find inspiration at LMT. Throughout my years of returning to this property, I always look forward to coming back every season. April James unwavering attention to her guests and property is unparalleled, and she maintains LMT with the highest integrity.

The local folks, I understand, are filled with apprehension and fear. They worry April James's new acquisition would result in some form of construction. April has no intention of that! She takes pride in her cozy, quaint inn, and she only wants to enhance the existing experience of LMT, while preserving its unique character.

April is devoted to supporting local businesses, and displays a beautiful showcase for the local community at large. Local artists hang their artwork on her walls. If you've ever visited her Inn, you will see her commitment and continued support to other local businesses by browsing the shelves that are filled with local wines, coffees, chocolates, pottery, dining suggestions for local restaurants, and so much more - She is a driving force behind the economic growth for Sautee.

I hope the locals will realize that their fears are unfounded.

April has nothing but the best interests for LMT, and her local community.

Sincere Regards, Katherine Buffer

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We, as full time residents and land owners in the Sautee area and Bean Creek Community are very aware of traffic conditions on Rabun Rd, Bean Creek Rd and Hwy 255. Any change of zoning from residential to commercial will increase traffic, disturb wildlife habitat, traffic and safety problems. It is noted that most of the roads are not adequately wide enough to handle 2way traffic within said community. Also noted, a majority of the length of Bean Creek Rd is a single lane graveled road unable to handle much more traffic.

We the undersigned are strongly opposed to the rezoning and we ask the Commissioners/Board to please rejectl.

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Name	Address	Phone Number
DONNA JONES	3201 Bean Creek RD	
Walt Vervill	3313 BearCreek Rd	
JAY FLANAGAN	3154 BEAN CREEK Rd.	. X
NANCY FLANAGAN	3154 BEAN CREEK Rd.	-
DOUGLAS ARGENTO	2850 BRAN CREEK RD	
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mile Verrill	3513 Begn Creek Kd.	
Vicki Hellums	123 Angels View TRail Sautre GA	
Jerry Hellums	123 Angels View Trail Sauter GA	
Aren Schaffran	203 Angels View Trail, Souter Nacoochee	
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Willene Keel	108 Rive Rdy. Ln. Cleveland 30528	
Susan B. Johnson	106 Philly Drive Cleveland, 30528	
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Lisa Deaton	PO BOX 402 305 Richardson Rd Sautee 30571	
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SYDNEY ARGENTO	0	
DOUG ARGENTO	2850 BEAN CREEK RD	
KAREN BERZSENYI	71 MINERS MOUNTAIN RO	
PAT BERZSENYI	71 MINGRS MOUNTAIN RD	
Bonnie Stevens	55 Rose OSharon Dr.	
Mike Stevens	55 Rose OSharon Dr.	
DAVID CAPPI	240 GOLD DUST TRL	
Sharon Kinking	750 Minus Mt. Ka.	
David Stinkly	150 minub Mt, Kd.	
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## On Oct 30, 2023, at 1:55 PM, jxfish2

> wrote:

Hi Karen,

I authorize you to add my name to the petition.

Joseph C. Fisher 6611 Glencoe Dr. Temple Terrace, Florida 33617

Please let me know if you need anything else from me.

Have a wonderful holiday season.

Sincerely,

Joe Fisher

# On Oct 30, 2023, at 1:58 PM, Tatiana

Wrote:

Karen, Thank you for reaching out.

I would like to confirm that I'm asking to add my name to the petition against the change of zoning and expansion of Lucille Resort and Spa. My name is Tatiana Chavez Address is 2519 NE 135th street North Miami FL 33181

#### Tatiana Chavez



President, TNC Mortgage Corp p:786-646-6335 [ m:786-285-4430

e:tatiana@tnemortgage.com

NMLS 343139, now licensed in Florida and Georgia



2:19 PM

# **Re: Petition**

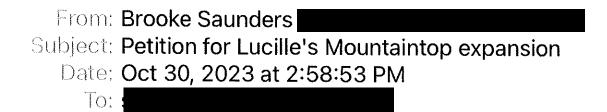
# Good idea. My Georgia address is 370 Miners Mountain rd Sautee Nacoochie

# Tatiana Chavez

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# President, TNC Mortgage Corp p:786-646-6335 | m:786-285-4430 e:tatiana@tncmortgage.com

NMLS 343139,



I, Brooke Saunders, sign in petition against the expansion for Lucille's Mountaintop Spa and Inn.

I live on Miners Mountain, off of Bean Creek Rd and feel this will change and effect many people living in the area- not for the better.

#### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES REGULAR SESSION

**Application of Steve and Kathy Schmidt** to request a variance from Section 601 Access. Property is located at 43 Thornblade Trail, Cleveland, GA, 30528. Tax map and parcel is 017-094B. Total acreage is 1.33.

The applicants, Steven and Kathy Schmidt of 5050 Highway 129 North in Cleveland, were present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application, adding that the short-term rental application will be in November but the current request is to move the access. The applicants did not have anything to add.

Motion to approve the variance made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Ms. Dixon. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicants that he would contact them when the plat was ready for pickup.

**Application of David Allen** to request a variance from Section 601 Access. Property is located on Goat Neck Road, Cleveland, GA, 30528. Tax map and parcel is 073-0156 & 073-157, Tracts 2 & 4. Total acreage is 5.31.

The applicant, David and wife Mindy Allen of 1336 Goat Neck Road, was present. Mr. Allen confirmed that all tracts are for children.

Motion to approve the variance made by Mr. Ackerman and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant to contact Environmental Health for plat approval.

**Application of Eddie Hood** to request a variance from Section 601 Access. Property is located on Surveyors Drive, Cleveland, GA, 30528. Tax map and parcel is 004-106. Total acreage is 24.09. The applicant, Eddie Hood of 153 Surveyors Drive, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Hood said the purpose is to give property to children and to make a will.

Motion to approve the variance made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Yarbrough. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant that he would contact him when the plat was ready for pickup.

Application of April James to redistrict property located at 964 Rabun Road Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from R-1 Residential Single Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 071-147A. Total acreage is 22.17. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District. The applicant, April James of 1019 Preacher Campbell Road in Clarkesville, GA, and her representative, Steve Smith of 145 Youngsmith Road in Cleveland, were present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Smith said the initial zoning was not correct and they feel that in the best interest of the county and peace in the valley that they would be willing to relinquish many of the legal rights, 95.2% of the permitted uses, while retaining unfettered right to pursue only the other 4.8%. Ms. James said permitted uses #33, #36, and #58 of Section 1402 are all already are there and that she wants to keep what they are.

Motion to recommend approval as has been requested as to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Freeman. Mr. Ackerman requested to add conditions. Chairman Thomas explained the board would vote on this motion to see where it goes and if it fails then the board could

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make another motion . Motion carried by a 4-2 majority, with Mr. Ackerman and Mr. Yarbrough in opposition. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

**Application of Vincenu Visuti** to redistrict property located at 16 Windy Acres Road, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-3 Residential Seasonal District to R-2 Residential Multi-Family District. Tax map and parcel 045B-057. Total acreage is 1.98. Present zoning is R-3 Residential Seasonal District. The applicant, Vincenu Visuti of 3447 Hwy 255 N in Sautee Nacoochee, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Visuti explained that he plans to withdraw this request to R-2 so he can reapply for the special use permit, but wants to proceed with the recommendation without losing the R-3 zoning. Mr. Barton clarified that this request is for R-3 to R-2 and would also need a conditional use permit for group homes.

Motion to recommend denial to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke based on she does not think it is a good location for what he is requesting. Mr. Yarbrough seconded the motion. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

**Application of Frank Liesen** to request a conditional use permit located at 91 Small Pond Drive, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 060D-039. Total acreage is 5.09. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

Mr. Yarbrough abstained from the next two applications due to his connection with Truett McConnell College, which is Mr. Liesen's employer.

The applicant, Frank Liesen of 89 Small Pond Drive, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. When asked what his plans for the home being a permanent residence, Mr. Liesen said this is a place for retirement, but he does not know when that would be. He said his son would be there for at least two years and they anticipate being there a long time with possible missions in Germany. He said someone would be designated to oversee the rental when his son is not there and he is in Germany. Mr. Liesen said they could live in one home and manage the other that would be rented to fund missionary stays since those would be no charge. He said the purpose of the short-term rental is only to finance and pay the dues to run it for missionaries to stay there. He said he plans to have missionaries stay there the majority of the time, but it depends on financially how it will work since there is a mortgage on the home and they would need to pay housekeepers and taxes. In reference to the road, he said he will reach out to the neighbors and that he is willing to contribute financially as well as contribute labor.

Motion to recommend denial to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke based on covenants recorded and placed on the property in 1971. She explained Mr. Liesen purchased Tracts 1, 9, and 10, with Tract 1 being divided into two tracts. She presented the plat and covenants, citing verbiage from the covenants stating "no activities should be carried on said land which would contribute to unreasonable and substantial interference with the use and enjoyment of the land by the residential owners." She stated too many people have said they do not want it and people are knocking on their doors looking for the rental that is supposed to come through the winery.

Ms. Dixon seconded the motion. The motion carried by a 4-1 majority with Mr. Ackerman opposed and Mr. Yarbrough abstained. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

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The applicant, Susan Cabrera 3377 Town Creek Road, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Cabrera explained the short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of four people and plenty room for parking, though four vehicles is the most she has had. She explained the property was part of an estate that was divided into eight parcels, but she owns two lots and received letters from the neighbors on both sides of her property and one additional property owner. Ms. Cabrera stated that she has been renting the home and was not aware of regulations until she received a letter from the county, at which point she immediately paid the licensing fees but was already paying the hotel/motel taxes. She said she has not had any complaints in the time she has been renting the property short-term and plans to keep the front parcel as natural space. Ms. Cabrera said the emergency contact is the next-door neighbor who also manages the grounds.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Cabrera did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

Application of April James to redistrict property located at 964 Rabun Road Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from R-1 Residential Single Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 071-147A. Total acreage is 22.17. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District and C-1 Community Commercial District. The applicant, April James of 1019 Preacher Campbell Road in Clarkesville, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. James presented documentation to the board members and explained her business, Lucille's Mountain Top Inn, supports local businesses, roads, and provides employment. She said the requested zoning is to help lower insurance costs due to limited insurance options from being classified as an inn, so the change would allow her to be considered a boutique hotel. She explained that she is looking to preserve the environment by improving her septic location that would keep from needing a pump station. She said she plans one day to move the existing spa onto the new lot, as well, and that would allow her to gain one additional room since the spa is currently between two rooms. In total, she said there are 14 rooms currently. Ms. James stated that she believes the property was zoned incorrectly and is better suited for C-2 based on permitted items #33 "Health clubs and spas" and #36 "Hotels, motels and other lodging type inns" in the White County Code.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application.

Steve Smith of 145 Youngsmith Road in Cleveland, and contractor for Ms. James, explained that R-3 zoning does not have spa as a permitted use. He said the inn was built in 2001 and has been operating as such since then. He said C-1 would not allow the existing businesses, to which he referenced the White County Code Articles XIII and XIV for C-2 Highway Business District. He explained that the site plan shows moving the spa to newly adjoined land, which would be free standing at approximately 3000 square feet with a disturbed area of 25000 square feet at four percent of total land area. He said there are not architectural plans drawn yet for the structure so his numbers are approximate. He explained the existing spa is a few hundred square feet and the room to be added would be about 600 square feet. In reference to increased traffic, he said it should not be impacted because outside visitors are currently allowed to access the spa.

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Katherine Bopper of 3670 Poinciana Ave, Miami, Florida, said she has been a regular visitor of the inn for the last three years and as a writer, she gets inspiration from observing the mountain top. She said Ms. James runs a fabulous business and cares about the business, adding that Ms. James wants to keep charm and quaintness and not change anything.

Patty Apostolakos of 972 Sautee Woods Trail, Sautee Nacoochee, GA said she visits the inn when her friend stays there and the people who visit are precise, kind, not messy, no loud parties, and has everything catered to them which gives the inn a great reputation. Ms. Apostolakos said there needs to be a bigger spa because a lot of people and locals that go up there, but Ms. James does not want to cut down more trees than she has too.

Karen Thomas of 23 Autumn Lane, Cleveland, GA said she is the current president of the Georgia Mountain Lakes Realtor Association and recommends Lucille's Mountain Top to clients and has used the spa personally. She said she is appreciative of the setting and scenery, and it is an asset to the community for those looking for a place to stay or are new to the area. She said the association is in favor of the application.

Steve Smith read a letter from an immediate neighbor, Harold Burke of 401 and 479 Dormatory Hill Drive, Sautee Nacoochee, GA expressing support.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak against the application.

Michael Jones of 1591 Gold Valley Road, on behalf of Gold Valley, Summit homeowners association, said he is not questioning the zoning change but he anticipates something happening in near future that will impact the community and road bed. He said they have been experiencing a lot of traffic on Rabun Road and Bean Creek, and Rabun Road is not wide enough.

Lynn Donehoo of 1362 Gold Valley Road provided a petition to the board members. She said she moved here from South Carolina because of traffic. Ms. Donehoo said once the zoning is changed to commercial, then anyone else can use as ammunition against the community. She said the views are worth saving and once green space is gone, you cannot get it back. When asked if there has been an issue since she has moved there, she responded that there has not.

April Riley of 36 Blue Aster Place said she is directly across from business sign. She said C-1 and C-2 are not the only options because R-3 also allows for Bed and Breakfasts. She said her driveway is in constant repair because of people turning around in her driveway because of GPS issues. She said Ms. James does not need certification to be called a boutique hotel and asked why they want to add two septic areas if only adding one more small building. She said concerning insurance, there are more options that depend on if the fire department can get up there and said the driveway is very narrow and long. She expressed concerns of traffic for walking up and down the road and she understands about expansion and wanting to bring more tourists, but what about the people that live there.

Karen Berzsenyi of 71 Miners Mountain Road referenced an article in the newspaper that said the sole reason for the request was due to insurance. She said she reached out to her insurance contact who said no one looks at zoning when looking at insurance for businesses. She referenced Section 1300 of the White County Code for C-1 Community and read the purpose of the district, as well as the purpose for Section 1400 for C-2 Highway Business. She said the difference is regional versus community level and it relies

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on highway-oriented passengers by traffic. Ms. Berzsenyi said expressed concerns of the large acreage increase and referenced numbers for bed and breakfasts. She requested a condition be placed on the application.

Stephen Hamrick of 3055 Bean Creek expressed a concern for the precedence that will be set and expansion. He said he has no issue with what they are doing now.

Stella Hatcher, maiden name Trammel, of 124 Modoc Drive in Cornelia, GA, said her family owns property on Rabun Road and she owns property along Blue Aster. She requested the board consider not changing for commercial use and that she understands trying to increase business, but as a community lover, she asks that they not approve it.

Chairman Thomas asked Ms. James if she had anything to add.

Mr. Smith said many of the concerns were due to a flyer for a 22-acre hotel development. He said there are codes and the mountain protection act, rules and regulations to prevent what people are imagining. He described the regulations for mountain protections, such as structures cannot be over 40 feet tall, slope and tree diameter restrictions. Regarding green space, he said green space is what makes Lucille's what it is. He said she purchased the additional land to protect the integrity and beauty of forest and it is his understanding that the former owner of Lucille's lobbied for the paving of Rabun Road and after a visit from Code Enforcement regarding dirt on the road. He said the zoning does not affect insurance since it is the definition. He referenced permitted uses for C-1 and said Lucille's use would keep it from being one of those.

Ms. James said their goal is to do what is right for the community and for Lucille's, and to keep it beautiful for the serenity of her guests.

Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 6th.

**Application of Jim Patton** to request a conditional use permit located at 24 Luke Road, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 061-146N. Total acreage is 1.50. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

The applicant, Jim Patton of 675 Mountain Meadows Road, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Patton explained the proposed short-term rental is still under construction, but would have a maximum occupancy of six people and adequate parking for six people. He said they have not decided if they will self-manage, but will probably go through an agency. When asked if he had experience with short-term rentals, he said no. Mr. Patton said the closest residence is roughly 300 feet away.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Mr. Patton did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .



Item Title: Rezone property from R-1 to C-2 for Jeff Nix, on behalf of Doug Nix, Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland

**For Meeting Date:** 11/27/2023

Work Session 🗌 Regular Meeting 🖂 Public Hearing 🗌

Category (Select One): Land Use Application

Submitted By: John Sell

Attachments: Yes 🖂 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. <u>20296</u>
- 2. Public Hearing Minutes 10/31/2023
- 3. Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023

#### **Purpose:**

Consider the application of Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-1 Residential Single Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District.

#### **Background / Summary:**

• Applicant is requesting to rezone the property from R-1 Single Family Residential to C-2 Highway Commercial to make the property more attractive to sell. He said it is next to and across the highway from commercially zoned property and that C-2 offers more options than C-1. It already has a driveway and culvert with highway frontage. No one spoke for or against the application. The Planning Commission recommended approval and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

#### **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by unanimous vote.

#### **Options:**

- Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application
- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.
- Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🖂

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🖂

Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

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OFFICE USE ONLY	Land Use Application #: 20296
Public Hearing Date: 103123	Commission District:
Fees Assessed: \$250	Paid via:credit cardcheck#
	APPLICANT INFORMATION
Status:Owner	Authorized AgentLesseeOption to Purchase
Printed Name(s): Jeff	NIX
Address: 856 M	Jarwich Rd
Phone Number:	Alternate Contact Number:
Email:	
Owne	er Information ( <i>if different from Applicant/Agent</i> ):
Name: Douglas	$\mathcal{N}_{i} \times \mathcal{P}_{i}$ Phone #:
J	PROPERTY INFORMATION
Parcel ID: OYD - 15	Total acreage being changed: 7. 42
Address: the art	O 115 East
Directions to Property:	exil door to Shadburn's
	Caboot
	Charles
	Shofs
Current Use/Zoning of Property:	Residental Type of Road Surface: Asphalt
Any prior redistricting requests for	property: $\cancel{NO}$ If yes, provide redistricting application #:
	DING PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:
North: <u>CZ</u> South: <u>R</u>	21
	ON AND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE (check all that apply)
	21 Redistrict to district: $CQ$
Conditional Use - specify:	/
Special Use - specify:	
Land Use Variance from Code	e Section:
Proposed use if not listed above:	For Sale
Is this property part of a subdivisio	
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Are there covenants? Yes X	No Is there an active homeowner's association? Yes X No

### WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

Existing Utilities (check all that apply):						
County or City Wat	er <u>X</u> Well	<u> </u>	Gas	Electric	Broadband	
Proposed Utilities (check all that apply):						
County or City Wat	er Well	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband	
COM	MERCIAL AND	INDUSTRIA	L REDISTRIC	<b>INFORMAT</b>	ION	
Building Area:		No. of I	Parking Spaces:			
	RESIDENT	TIAL REDIST	RICT INFORM	ATION		
No. of Lots:	Minimum Lot Siz	e in acres:	N	lo. of Units:		
Minimum Heated Floor	Area (ft <sup>2</sup> ):	Ч.	Ľ	ensity/Acre:		
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)?						
Apartments	Condominium	S _	Townhomes	Singl	le Family	
Rental Cabins	Recreational V	ehicle Park	Other- Specif	y:		

#### LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).

PROPERTY OWNER NAME MAILING ADDRESS PARCEL 1 Travic Shadhan 470-159 They Henry NX Rd 2 528 47D ISPA Mark Iden Mendows Rd Rosac ANTRY 459 point Willow 3 470-182 Hovt Susan Milbonald PO Box 1457 4 Clevela 4717-183 470-158 Mark Houghton SSY Hiddon Meadows Rd 5 470 162 Tach Delay 14 Dow Point 6 lane 7

#### APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.

**Applicant Signature:** 

2023 DEADLINES AND MEETING DATES							
	Planning	Planning	Board of				
Submittal Date	Commission	Commission	Commissioners				
Planning Dept. Office	Public Hearing	Regular Session	Work Session				
5:00 p.m. Deadline	1239 Helen Hwy	1239 Helen Hwy	1235 Helen Hwy				
	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.				
Wednesday, January 4, 2023	Monday, January 30, 2023	Monday, February 6, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023				
Wednesday, February 1, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023	Monday, March 6, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023				
Wednesday, March 1, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023	Monday, April 3, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023				
Wednesday, March 29, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023	Monday, May 1, 2023	ТВА				
Wednesday, May 3, 2023	ТВА	Monday, June 5, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023				
Wednesday, May 31, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023	Monday, July 3, 2023	Monday, July 31, 2023				
Wednesday, June 14, 2023 *	Monday, July 31, 2023	Monday, August 7, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023				
Wednesday, July 12, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023	ТВА	Monday, September 25, 2023				
Wednesday, August 9, 2023	Monday, September 25, 2023	Monday, October 2, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023				
Wednesday, September 13, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023	Monday, November 6, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023				
Wednesday, October 11, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023	Monday, December 4, 2023	ТВА				
Wednesday, November 8, 2023	TBA	TBA	Monday, January 29, 2024				
Wednesday, December 13, 2023	Monday, January 29, 2024	Monday, February 5, 2024	Monday, February 26, 2024				

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

Date: 8-29.23

#### NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

#### DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS (APPLICANTS AND REPRESENTATIVE(S) OF REQUESTED ACTION)

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 36-67 A-3.A, the disclosure of any campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official who will consider an application for re-classification or for a conditional use or special use permit is mandatory when an application or any representation of application for re-classification of district or for conditional use or special use permit has been made within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of a request for reclassification or conditional use or special use permit by the same applicant and/or representative of said applicant. It shall be the duty of the applicant and/or any representatives of the applicant to file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government to show the following:

Name of local official(s) to whom campaign contribution was made:

The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application for action for district reclassification, conditional use or special use permit.

Amount \$:

Date:

Enumeration and description of each gift (when the total value of all gifts is \$250.00 or more) made to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application. Please attach additional sheets if needed.

Check box if no contributions made

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date: 8-29-23

### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION

To be completed by the property owner to certify ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for other person(s) to represent the owner on their behalf.

I/WE (print), Douglas NIXI	
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which this land use change application is being made.	
Property Address and/or Parcel ID:	
PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION	
Printed Name of Owner(s):	
Douglas Nix	
Mailing Address: 10565 012 Atl Huy	
Covington Ga 30014	
Phone Number:	
Alternate Contact Number	
Email:	
<ul> <li>I/we hereby authorize the person named below to act as the applicant or agent in the pursuit of the request action on this property. I/we understand that any action granted and/or conditions or stipulations placed or property will be binding upon the property regardless of ownership. The person named below is authorize make this application. The person named below is aware that no application or re-application affecting the last action by the White County Boar Commissioners.</li> <li>Printed Name of applicant or agent(s): Teff Wix</li> </ul>	ed to ne same
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(Name of Notary Typed, Stamped, or Printed)

#### APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES

Jeff (print name) have been advised that I or someone to represent me must be in attendance when my application is before the White County Planning Commission and the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be tabled. I also acknowledge that I have been made aware of the below dates upon submission of my application. 6:00pm Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland <u>30, 23</u> Public Hearing Date (Planning Commission): \_\_\_\_ Regular Meeting Date (Planning Commission):  $N_{0}v$ . 4:30pm Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland 21 Board of Commissioners Meeting Date:  $\mathcal{N} \partial \mathcal{V}$ . \*Meeting dates are subject to change mature of Applicant or Authorized Agent OFFICE USE ONL Copy given to applicant: 4721 (date) Staff Initials: Flag (circle): Date WITHDRAWAL Notice: This section only to be completed if application is being withdrawn. PART II - OFFICIAL CODE/APPENDIX C - LAND USE REGULATIONS/ARTICLE XVIII. AMENDMENT, APPLICATION AND PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 1803. Withdrawal of amendment application. Any petition for an amendment to these regulations, official land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion of the person or agency initiating such request, at any time prior to final action by the board of commissioners upon written notice to the planning director. Any required fees shall be forfeited

I hereby withdraw application #:

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

To Whom it Concerns, I Jeff Nix an Requesting the Rezoming of my brothers property from RI to CZ on 115E Next door to shackburns Cabinets. parcels next to us are Currently zoned CI, CZ, RJ, RI Rezoning is so property Can be put up for Sale



#### White County Environmental Health Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Acting Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • <u>www.phdistrict2.org</u>

Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

**Evaluation Applied For** 

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Appropriate Permit Applied For

Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant

Evaluation, Permit Not Applied For At This Time

DATE: <u>08/30/2022</u>

APPLICANT NAME: Jeff Nix

PROPERTY ADDRESS: Hwy 115 E (Parcel 047D 159) Cleveland, GA 30528

White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

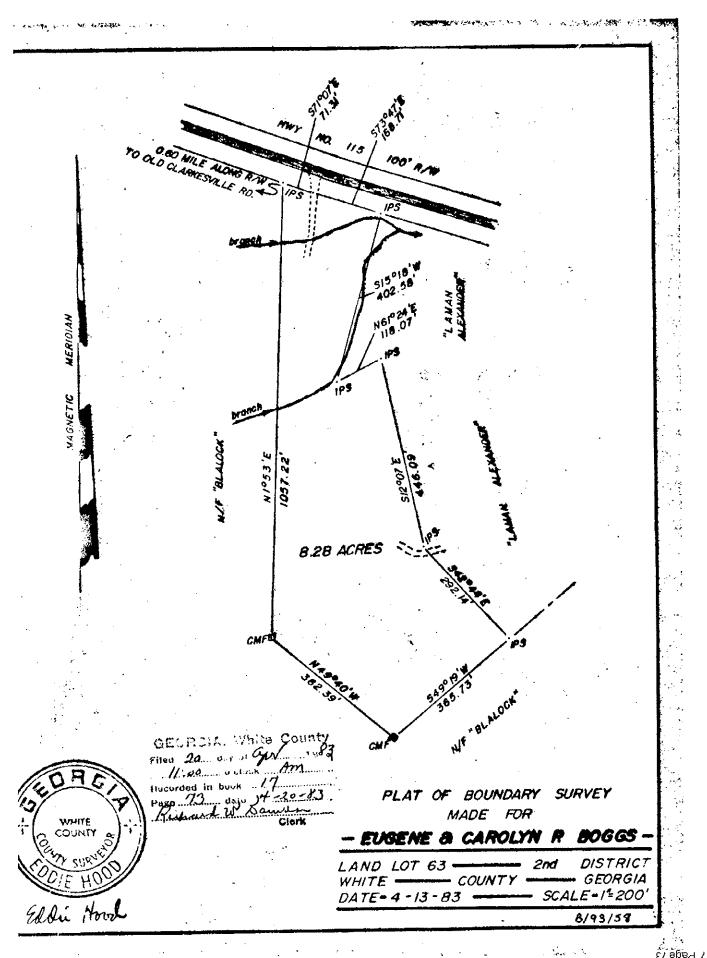
Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

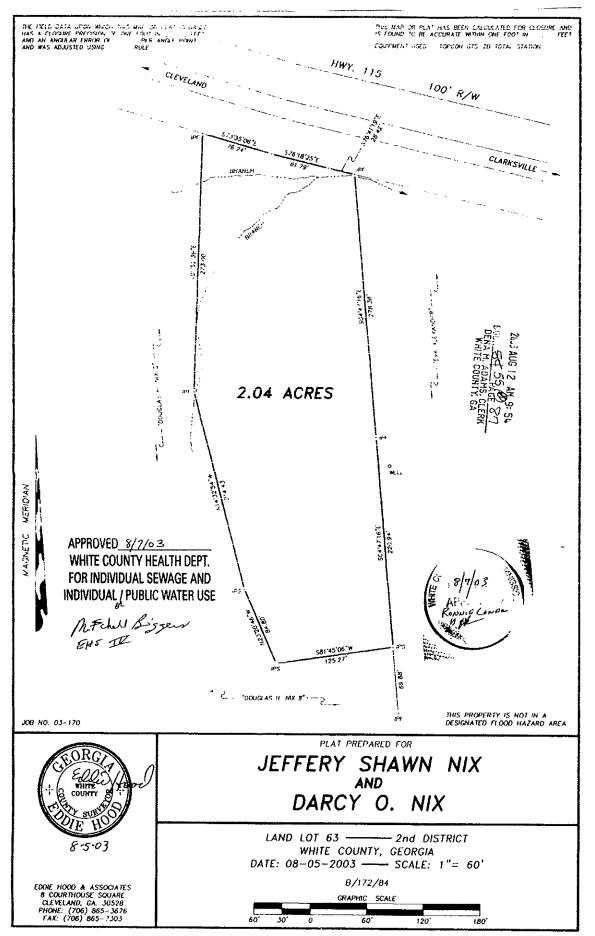
If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

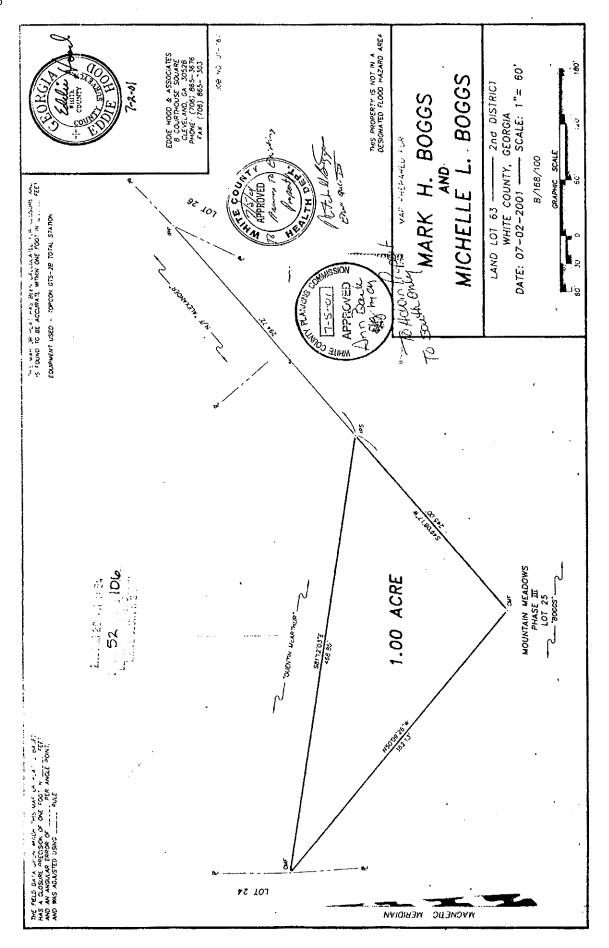
White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature Applicant/







#### 2023 Property Tax Statement

#### Cindy Cannon White County Tax Commissioner P. O. Box 970 Cleveland, GA 30528 Phone 1 (706) 865-2225 - Fax 1 (706) 219-0078 wctc@whitecounty.net

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#### MAKE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO:

#### White County Tax Commissioner

This is your 2023 Ad Valorem Property Tax Statement. This bill must be paid in full by November 15, 2023 in order to avoid interest and penalty charges. Interest and penalties are governed by Georgia Code. If payment is made after the due date, please call the office for the current amount due. State law requires all bills be mailed to the owner of record as of January 1st of the tax year. If you have sold this property, please forward this bill to the new owner and notify our office. Please note that your Tax Commissioner is responsible for billing and collections and is not responsible for the property value on your bill or the millage rate. Thank you for the privilege of serving you as your Tax Commissioner. Cindy Cannon

#### **RETURN THIS PORTION WITH PAYMENT (Interest will be added per month if not paid by due date)**

	2023 Property Tax Statement Cindy Cannon White County Tax Commissioner P. O. Box 970 Cleveland, GA 30528 Phone 1 (706) 865-2225 - Fax 1 (706) 219-0078 Email: wctc@whitecounty.net	PROPERTY OWNER(S) PID DESCRIPTION LOCATION BILL NUMBER DISTRICT PRINTED ON	NIX DOUGLAS H II 047D 159 REAL LL63 LD2 LT24 HWY 115 E 2023-12749 001 WHITE COUNTY UNINCORPORATED 08/30/2023	
BUILDING VALUE	LAND ACRES/LOTS TOTAL FAIR VALUE MARKET VALUE	E DUE DATE	BILLING PAYMENT GOOD EXEMPTIONS DATE THROUGH 11/15/2023	:

	0.00	84,890.00	7.4200	84,890.0	30 11/-	15/2023		11/15/2	023	
Ξ	ENTIT	Y	ADJUSTED FAIR MARKET VALUE	NET ASSESSMENT	EXEMPTIONS	TAXABLE VALUE	MILLAGE RATE	GROSS TAX	CREDIT TAX AMT	NET TAX AMT
RS	COUNTY M&O		84,890.00	33,956.00		33,956.00	12.8610	436.71	1	322.75
먹	SALES TAX ROL	LBACK				33,956.00	-3.3560		-113.96	
6	SCHOOL M&O		84,890.00	33,956.00		33,956.00	13.1750	447.37		447.37
TICE	TOTALS						22.6800	884.08	-113.96	770.12

Each resident of White County is eligible for a Homestead Exemption on the property they own and occupy as their permanent residence on January 1st of the taxable year. Homestead Exemption applications are accepted year round by the White County Assessors office however, your application must be made before April 1st to apply to the taxable year. All tax returns are filed with the White County Assessors office between January 1st and April 1st of the taxable year. For questions about your Homestead Exemption or filing a tax return, you may reach the Assessors office at (706) 865-5328. Thanks



CURRENT DUE	770.12
+ PENALTY	0.00
+ INTEREST	0.00
+ OTHER FEES	0.00
PREVIOUS PAYMENTS	0.00
+ BACK TAXES	0.00
= Total Due	770.12

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### OFFICIAL TAX RECEIPT

\$704.89

9/29/2022		PAID DATE					
8/30/2023 8:18:05 AM		CEIPT PRINTED	RE				
CHECK NUMBER(s) CHARGE APPROVAL CODE	CHARGE AMOUNT	CHECK AMOUNT	CASH AMOUNT				
3465	\$0.00	\$704.89	\$0.00	78			
\$0.00		FUND AMOUNT					
\$0.00		RPAY AMOUNT	OVE				
\$0.00		IANGE AMOUNT					
8		REGISTER					
		CASHIER					

TOTAL PAID

#### White County Tax Commissioner

#### **Cindy Cannon**

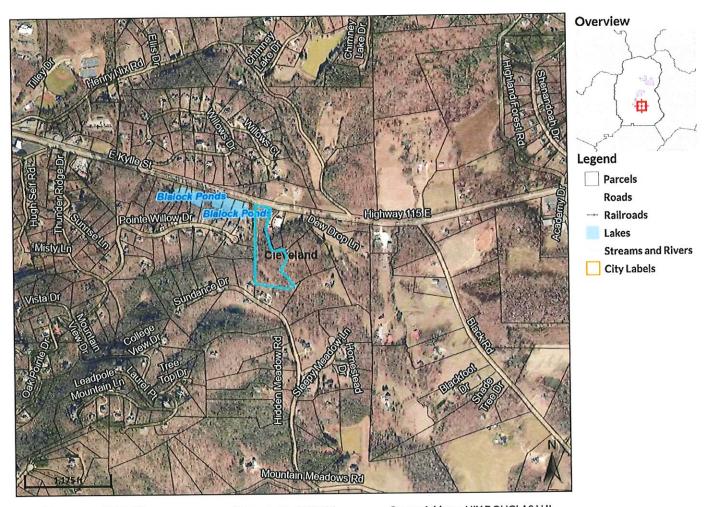
P. O. Box 970 Cleveland GA 30528 Phone 17068652225 - Fax 1706219007 Email: wctc@whitecounty.net

#### OWNER

NIX DOUGLAS H II 10565 OLA ATLANTA HWY COVINGTON. GA 30014

Tax Year- Bill Number FMV Property ID	Property Description Property Address District Serial Number Decal Number		Due Date Original Due	Interest Penalty Other Fees	Previous Paid Amount			Tax Bill New Balance		
	LL63 LD2 LT24									
2022-12596	HWY 115 E		11/15/2022	\$0.00						
FMV: 74270.00	DISTRICT: 001			\$0.00						
047D 159	SERIAL NUMBER:		\$704.89	10000	\$0.00	\$704.89	\$704.89	\$0.00		
	DECAL NUMBER: 0			\$0.00						
Paid By: NIX DOUGLAS H II Overpayment Amount: 0.00							0.00			
Check Number: 3465										
Transaction(s): 140 - 140 Total(s):		\$704.89	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$704.89	\$704.89	\$0.00			

### **qPublic.net** White County, GA



Parcel ID 047D 159 Sec/Twp/Rng n/a Property Address 0 HWY 115 E 01 District 01 Brief Tax Description LL63 LD Alternate ID 5162004 Class A Acreage 7.42 Owner Address NIX DOUGLAS H II 10565 OLA ATLANTA HWY COVINGTON GA 30014-0000

LL63 LD2 LT24 (Note: Not to be used on legal documents)

Date created: 8/30/2023 Last Data Uploaded: 8/30/2023 5:24:12 AM

Developed by Schneider

### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

#### DOUGLAS NIX – JEFF NIX

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED ON HIGHWAY 115 EAST IN CLEVELAND. IT IS IN THE R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY DISTRICT.
- APPLICATION REQUEST TO CONSIDER REDISTRICTING TO C-2 HIGHWAY BUSINESS DISTRICT.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE NORTH, SOUTH, EAST, AND WEST R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY DISTRICT; TO THE NORTH C-2 HIGHWAY BUSINESS DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 7.42.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY WELL AND SEPTIC.



### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

Tuesday, October 31st, 2023White County Senior Center6:00 pm1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland, Ga. 30528Those present were Larry Freeman, R.K. Ackerman, Dona K. Burke, Charlie Thomas, Linda Dixon, andJohn Yarbrough. Staff members present were Harry Barton, John Sell, and Mercedes Dodd.

Chairman Thomas called the meeting to order. Mr. Yarbrough gave the invocation. No changes made to the agenda. Mr. Barton explained the public hearing procedures.

**Application of Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix**, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-1 Residential Single Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District.

The applicant, Jeff Nix of 856 Warwick Road in Cleveland, was present on behalf of his brother. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Nix explained the property is currently vacant. He said they have plans to clean up and mulch the property to list it for sale. However, he said they would like to be able to list it as commercial property. He said C-2 provides more options than C-1. He stated the property does have a current driveway and culvert with highway frontage, has and old well that is still good but the septic is probably not good. When asked about county water, he said he has not looked into it to see if that would be an option.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Mr. Nix did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Application of Dahai "Ocean" Zhang** to request a conditional use permit located at 2414 Duncan Bridge Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 073-056. Total acreage is 1.32. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

Mr. Barton explained requested asked to postpone to December. The Chairman agreed to table the application until the December public hearing.

**Application of Robert Edmonds** to request a conditional use permit located at 360 Miners Mountain Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Robert Edmonds of 360 Miners Mountain Road, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Edmonds explained the proposed short-term rental would have a maximum occupancy of eight and only two vehicles would be allowed. He said he has been renting the home shortterm since 2017 and missed the tax notification, but he took the listing down once notified that he was not in compliance and paid all taxes. He explained that short-term rentals are allowed in the subdivision covenants, that the subdivision has fifty total lots, thirty homes developed, and ten homes that are currently in the rental program. He outlined his rental policies including a minimum age of 25, no parties, and that he makes the renters aware of the county's short-term rental ordinances. He said there is an RV park nearby and his two adjacent property owners live in Florida, one of which rents their property out.

### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES REGULAR SESSION

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

**Application of Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix**, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-1 Residential Single Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District.

The applicant, Jeff Nix of 856 Warwick Road in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Nix said he is present on behalf of his brother and that they plan to clean up the property and place to sell. He said they would like to rezone it commercial to help with the ability to sell.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Ms. Dixon. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Robert Edmonds** to request a conditional use permit located at 360 Miners Mountain Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Robert Edmonds of 88 Hummingbird Lane in Pike Road, AL, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Edmonds explained the property has been a vacation rental since it was built in 2000. He said he is the third owner and it has been a rental for the last five years of his ownership. He said he has spoken with neighbors and the board of directors for the nearby RV park, all of which who are fine with his request.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Diane Robertson** to request a conditional use permit located at 1071 Myra Branch Road, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Diane Robertson of 3752 Alden Court Marietta, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Robertson explained the lot is old and is 0.70, which she has owned for about 12 years and remodeled. She said she has been renting through an online platform and stated that her only neighbors are bears.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Ms. Burke. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is



Work Session 🗌 Regular Meeting 🖂 Public Hearing 🗌

Category (Select One): Land Use Application

Submitted By: John Sell

Attachments: Yes 🖂 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. <u>20306</u>
- 2. <u>Public Hearing Minutes 10/31/2023</u>
- 3. Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023

### **Purpose:**

Consider the application of Robert Edmonds to request a conditional use permit located at 360 Miners Mountain Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

### **Background / Summary:**

• Applicant is requesting a copnditional use permit in an R-1 district for short-term rental. The cabin is in the Miners Mountain Subdivision and the covenants allow for Short Term Rentals. Mr. Edmonds explained the rental has a maximum occupancy of 8 people and only two vehicles are allowed. He has been renting since 2017 and missed the tax notification but took the listing down when he was notified he was not in compliance. The subdivision has 50 lots, 30 are developed and 10 are currently Short Term Rentals. He has strict rental policies and self manages but has housekeepers and neighbors who can respond. No one spoke for or against the application. The Planning Commission recommended approval and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

### **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by unanimous vote.

### **Options:**

- Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application
- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.

• Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🖂

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🔀

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Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

## WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

OFFICE USE ONLY	Land Use Application #: 20304				
Public Hearing Date: 03123	Commission District:				
Fees Assessed: \$250	Paid via:cashcredit cardcheck#				

APPLICANT INFORMATION
Status: _X_OwnerAuthorized AgentLesseeOption to Purchase
Printed Name(s): Robert J Edmonds
Address: 88 Humminghird Ln Pike Road, AL 36064
Phone Number: Alternate Contact Number:
Email:
Owner Information (if different from Applicant/Agent):           Name:         Phone #:
PROPERTY INFORMATION
Parcel ID:
Address: 360 Miners Mtn Road Sautee Naccochee 30571
Directions to Property: From Cleveland 22 min (12.4 miles) Nov the 75 to Helen,
turn rt. 17 to Saute Nacocchee approx 2 miles - Left on Rabun Rd
1.5 miles to Bean Creek Rd. Left Bean Creek Rd. 2.5 miles paved to gravel
turn Right on Minels Mtn Rd 3rd home on Rt.
Current Use/Zoning of Property: R1 Type of Road Surface: Grave
Any prior redistricting requests for property:If yes, provide redistricting application #:
SURROUNDING PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:
North: $X P = East: X P = West: X P = 1$
<b>REQUESTED ACTION AND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE</b> (check all that apply)
Redistrict from district:         Redistrict to district:
Conditional Use - specify: Short Term Rental
Special Use - specify:
Land Use Variance from Code Section:
Proposed use if not listed above:
Is this property part of a subdivision? $X$ Yes No If so, please list number of lots: $52$
Are there covenants? X Yes No Is there an active homeowner's association? X Yes No
Subdivision Name (if applicable): Miners Mountain

Existing Utilities (check all that apply):										
County or City Wate	r <u>X</u> Well	X_Septic	Gas	X Electric	K Broadband					
Proposed Utilities (check all that apply):										
County or City Wate	rWell	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband					
COM	COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION									
Building Area:	Building Area: No. of Parking Spaces:									
RESIDENTIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION										
No. of Lots: Minimum Lot Size in acres: No. of Units:										
Minimum Heated Floor A	rea (ft <sup>2</sup> ):			Density/Acre:						
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)?										
Apartments	Condominiums	-	Townhomes	Singl	le Family					
Rental Cabins	Recreational Ve	hicle Park	Other- Speci	fy:						

LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).

PARCEL PROPERTY OWNER NAME MAILING ADDRESS 1 \$557 \$25 William+ Elizabeth Koerner 1660 Thomas St. Titusville, FL 32780. (East) (East) (East) (East) (East) (South) (South) (South) (North) - RV Rentals (South) (North) - RV Rentals 3 Ø55D Ø23 Maintains Getonicy U.C. 2519 NE 135th St. North Miami, FL 33181-3586 (West) ST Rental 5 6 7

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#### **APPLICANT CERTIFICATION**

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.

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Applicant Signature:

**2023 DEADLINES AND MEETING DATES** Planning Planning Board of Commission Commission Commissioners **Submittal Date** Work Session **Regular Session Planning Dept. Office Public Hearing** 5:00 p.m. Deadline 1239 Helen Hwy 1239 Helen Hwy 1235 Helen Hwy 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m. Monday, February 27, 2023 Monday, January 30, 2023 Monday, February 6, 2023 Wednesday, January 4, 2023 Monday, March 27, 2023 Monday, February 27, 2023 Monday, March 6, 2023 Wednesday, February 1, 2023 Wednesday, March 1, 2023 Monday, March 27, 2023 Monday, April 3, 2023 Monday, April 24, 2023 TBA Wednesday, March 29, 2023 Monday, April 24, 2023 Monday, May 1, 2023 Wednesday, May 3, 2023 TBA Monday, June 5, 2023 Monday, June 26, 2023 Monday, June 26, 2023 Monday, July 3, 2023 Monday, July 31, 2023 Wednesday, May 31, 2023 Monday, August 7, 2023 Monday, August 28, 2023 Wednesday, June 14, 2023 \* Monday, July 31, 2023 Monday, September 25, 2023 Monday, August 28, 2023 TBA Wednesday, July 12, 2023 Monday, October 30, 2023 Monday, September 25, 2023 Monday, October 2, 2023 Wednesday, August 9, 2023 Monday, November 6, 2023 Monday, November 27, 2023 Wednesday, September 13, 2023 Monday, October 30, 2023 Monday, December 4, 2023 TBA Wednesday, October 11, 2023 Monday, November 27, 2023 Wednesday, November 8, 2023 TBA TBA Monday, January 29, 2024 Monday, February 26, 2024 Monday, February 5, 2024 Wednesday, December 13, 2023 Monday, January 29, 2024

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

Date: 9/5/2023

#### NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

#### DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS (APPLICANTS AND REPRESENTATIVE(S) OF REQUESTED ACTION)

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 36-67 A-3.A, the disclosure of any campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official who will consider an application for re-classification or for a conditional use or special use permit is mandatory when an application or any representation of application for re-classification of district or for conditional use or special use permit has been made within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of a request for reclassification or conditional use or special use permit by the same applicant and/or representative of said applicant. It shall be the duty of the applicant and/or any representatives of the applicant to file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government to show the following:

Name of local official(s) to whom campaign contribution was made:

The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application for action for district reclassification, conditional use or special use permit.

Amount \$:

Date:

Enumeration and description of each gift (when the total value of all gifts is \$250.00 or more) made to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application. Please attach additional sheets if needed.

Check box if no contributions made

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date: 09/05/2022

### **PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION**

To be completed by the property owner to certify ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for other person(s) to represent the owner on their behalf.

I/WE (print), Robert NEdmonds
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which this land use change application is being made.
Property Address and/or Parcel ID:
PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION
Printed Name of Owner(s):
RobertsEdmonds
Robert-JEdmonds Mailing Address: 88 Hummingbird Lu Pike Road, AL 36064
Pike Roce, AL 36064
Phone Number:
Alternate Contact Number:
Email:
I/we hereby authorize the person named below to act as the applicant or agent in the pursuit of the requested action on this property. I/we understand that any action granted and/or conditions or stipulations placed on the property will be binding upon the property regardless of ownership. The person named below is authorized to make this application. The person named below is aware that no application or re-application affecting the same land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date of the last action by the White County Board of Commissioners.
Printed Name of applicant or agent(s): Robert J Edmonds.
Signature of Owner(s): Date Signed:
Onlog Ennols 10/06/2023
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### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Sworn to (or affirmed) and sub Robert Edmo	pscribed before me this <u>6</u> day of <u>October</u>	, 20 <u></u> by (name of signer(s)). The
	lly known by me or produced the identification typ	of Drivers Litense.
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	(Name of No	otary Typed, Stamped, or Printed)

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SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS To be completed and notarized for any application where the proposed use is short term rental.

I/WE (print), Robert J Edmonds
hereby swear that I/we own/will own the property referenced below for which this land use change application is
being made.
*Property Address and/or Parcel ID: $\phi 550 \phi 24$
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS
I acknowledge to keep the total number of guests to that number which can safely stay in the premises and may be
subject to the State of Georgia's fire safety code regulations.
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Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED BY OWNER OR THIRD PARTY INSPECTOR
I attest by owner or third party inspector that short term rentals meet applicable International Building Code,
International Fire Code regulations and NFPA 101 Life Safety codes.
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED DEED RESTRICTION
I certify that there are no deed restriction and/or covenants on the property that prohibits the use of the property as
a short-term rental.
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Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED SHORT-TERM RENTAL INSURANCE
I certify that the owner/future owner has commercial or specific short-term rental insurance for the property. If
insurance has not been obtained at time of application, I certify that owner/future owner will obtain prior to
renting if application approval is granted.
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): Band Sand
OFFICIAL CODE OF WHITE COUNTY APPENDIX C/ARTICLE VII – SHORT TERM RENTALS &
BUSINESS LICENSES NOTIFICATION
I certify that I have been informed of and provided a copy of Appendix C/Article VII - Short Term Rentals. I
certify that I have also been informed that I will need to contact the White County Business Tax Office (706-865-
2235) to obtain the proper business licensing, host licensing, and subsequent tax information prior to operation of
my short-term rental.
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(e):
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): ()w/07/0000000000000000000000000000000000
SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 12 day of <u>September</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by <u>Kobort</u> <u>Lamonds</u> (name of signer(s)). The
(name of signer(s)). The named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or produced the identification type of <u>Drivers License</u> .
named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or produced the identification type of <u>Driver 5 1,00150</u>
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(Name of Notary Typed, Stamped, or Printed)
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### APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES

I,  $R_{OBS} + J Edmonds$  (print name) have been advised that I or someone to represent me must be in attendance when my application is before the White County Planning Commission and the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be tabled. I also acknowledge that I have been made aware of the below dates upon submission of my application.

Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland

Public Hearing Date (Planning Commission): Monday 10/30/23

Regular Meeting Date (Planning Commission): Mandrey 11/06/23

Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland 4:30pm

Board of Commissioners Meeting Date: Monday 11/27/23

\*Meeting dates are subject to change

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Agent

9/5/2023

<u>OFFICE USE ONLY</u>

Copy given to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_(date)

Staff Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

Flag (circle): Y N

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#### WITHDRAWAL

Notice: This section only to be completed if application is being withdrawn.

PART II - OFFICIAL CODE/APPENDIX C - LAND USE REGULATIONS/ARTICLE XVIII. AMENDMENT, APPLICATION AND PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 1803. Withdrawal of amendment application. Any petition for an amendment to these regulations, official land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion of the person or agency initiating such request, at any time prior to final action by the board of commissioners upon written notice to the planning director. Any required fees shall be forfeited

I hereby withdraw application #:

#### **Applicant Signature:**

Date:

#### AMENDED AND RESTATED DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR MINERS MOUNTAIN

#### GEORGIA, WHITE COUNTY

#### [Hereafter "Declaration"]

#### NAME

The name of the property is Miners Mountain, which is a residential property owners' development that hereby submits to the Georgia Property Owners' Act, O.C.G.A. Section 44-3-220, et seq. (Michie 1982), as may be amended. Owners representing at least 66 2/3% of the total number of Lots, as required by covenants recorded in Deed Book 1009, Pages 171-187, White County, Georgia Real Estate Records, elected, at a duly called meeting held on October 08, 2022, with proper notice having been given, to submit to and adopt the Act and be governed by the terms contained therein.

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS a declaration of Protective Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions for Miner's Mountain was executed on November 1, 1974, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of White County, Georgia, in Deed Book 4F, Page 80; and

WHEREAS, said Declaration of Protective Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions was amended by an instrument dated October 25, 1975, and recorded in Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of White County in Deed Book 4K, Page 406; and

WHEREAS an Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions for Miner's Mountain was executed on June 16, 1995, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of White County, Georgia, in Deed Book 432, Page 404-413 and

WHEREAS, the Miners Mountain Home Owners Association, Inc. constitutes the successor to the Developer identified in the Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions for Miner's Mountain executed on June 16, 1995, and

WHEREAS, the Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Miner's Mountain executed on June 16, 1995, was stricken in its entirety and simultaneously substituted with the Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Miners Mountain executed on February 20, 2006 and filed on February 27, 2006, in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of White County, Georgia in Deed Book 1009, Pages 171-187 and

WHEREAS, the Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Miner's Mountain executed on February 20, 2006, was stricken in its entirety and simultaneously substituted with the Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Miners Mountain executed on October 27, 2017 and filed on July 10, 2019, in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of White County, Georgia in Deed Book 1009, Pages 171-187 and

NOW THEREFORE, the Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions for Miner's Mountain executed on October 27, 2017, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of White County, Georgia, in Deed Book 1009, Pages 171-187 is hereby stricken in its entirety and the following is simultaneously substituted:

#### INTRODUCTION

The real property described in Article II of this instrument is hereby made subject to this Declaration and shall hereafter be held, transferred, sold, conveyed, used, occupied and mortgaged or otherwise encumbered subject to these covenants, restrictions, easements, assessments and liens. Every grantee of any interest in such real property now or hereafter made subject to this Declaration, by acceptance of a deed or other conveyance of interest, shall take subject to this Declaration and to the terms and conditions. 7.07 No Owner is exempt from liability for or otherwise withholding payment of assessments, fees, and fines for any reason, including, but not limited to, nonuse of the Common Areas and Roads.

7.08 When a purchaser of a Lot obtains title, he/she shall be liable for the pro rata share of the assessments, and fees imposed by the Association chargeable to such Lot which became due prior to such acquisition of title. Such purchaser shall be responsible for all charges accruing subsequent to the passage of title, including, but not limited to, all charges for the month in which title is passed.

7.09 The Association, by majority vote of those cast at a duly called meeting, may reduce or waive an individual Owner's annual assessment or fees for maintenance services performed for the Association.

#### **ARTICLE VIII - OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGET**

Each year, the Board shall propose an operating and capital improvement budget to the Owners at a duly called Association meeting. The budget shall include reserve funds; estimated cost of managing, operating, improving and/or maintaining Common Areas; Roads, and other Association expenses for the upcoming budget year. The budget shall be discussed, amended as deemed necessary, and approved by a majority of the votes cast at a duly called meeting with a Quorum.

#### ARTICLE IX- RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS

9.01 Each Lot shall not contain more than one Single-Family Residential Dwelling, except in those cases where such dwellings were built prior to these covenants. Separate Associated Structures such as garages, car ports, and well houses, are permissible. Multi-family residential housing is prohibited on the Property (i.e., apartments, condominiums, townhouses, duplexes, semi-detached, multi-flats) except when separate spaces are provided in a Single-Family Residential Dwelling for Immediate Family.

9.02 Each Lot shall be maintained in a clean and orderly manner so as not to constitute an eyesore. No abandon vehicles are permissible. Vehicles (e.g., boats, motorcycles) that are not used regularly, but stored on an Owner's lot, must not be visible from main roads or other Owner's properties.

9.03 No commercial business establishment of any nature is to be built, nor shall there be any commercial operation conducted on any Lot. No commercial signs may be erected or maintained on any Lot, including vacation cabin rental signs. A Lot may be used as a residential and/or vacation rental property as defined in the definitions of these covenants.

9.04 Each new Single-Family Residential Dwelling is required to contain a minimum of 1,400 square feet of heated/cooled living space, exclusive of basements, carports, crawl space, garages, and porches. The exterior construction of any Single-Family Residential Dwelling must be completed within six (6) months after commencing construction.

9.05. Exterior walls and roofs of all Single-Family Residential Dwellings and associated structures and facilities on a Lot shall be of the same material, respectively, and finished or painted in natural colors so as to blend with the natural environment. No exposed concrete or concrete block shall be permitted except for foundations, crawl spaces, and stem walls.

9.06. No more than one detached garage may be constructed on each Lot.

9.07 No Single-family Residential Dwelling may be built less than thirty (30) feet from a Lot's boundary with another Lot. No Associated Structure may be built less than twenty-five (25 feet) from a Lot's boundary with another Lot. The Board may waive these set-back requirements for any Owner with adjacent Lots.

9.08 There shall not be maintained upon any Lot any noxious or offensive activity, including, but not limited to, the keeping or maintaining of livestock or any animals of any kind except household pets. Dogs shall be under Owner control when not on their Owner's Lot. Owners will be responsible for preventing nuisance barking,

especially at night, and any other activities of their pets that may interfere with other Owner's enjoyment of the peaceful natural surroundings.

9.09 Trailers, mobile homes, manufactured homes, or any similar mobile or temporary units or structure shall not be placed on any Lot at any time. Travel trailers and motor homes may be parked on the Owner's Lot for living quarters for not more than ninety (90) days within any twelve-(12) month period while the principal residence is under construction.

9.10 No existing Lot shall be subdivided.

9.11 No activity shall be carried on upon any Lot, Property, Common Area, or Road that would create or contribute to an unreasonable and substantial interference with the use and enjoyment of Owners.

9.12 No part of the Property, Lots, Common Areas and Roads, shall be used or maintained as a dumping ground for rubbish or garbage. Trash, garbage and other wastes shall be kept in securely closed containers while waiting disposal and shall be screened from view. Owners must take measures to prevent wildlife from disturbing and scattering garbage and trash and are to pick up any such garbage and trash as soon as possible.

9.13 Any freshly graded and exposed land shall be planted with grass or covered with hay, straw, pine straw or saw dust as soon as possible, and in no case shall bare land be exposed for a period of more than fifteen (15) days. Any structure or activity, which will cause accelerated soil erosion, must be controlled by best management practices.

9.14 No live trees greater than 6 inches in diameter may be removed within 100 feet of a Lot's boundary (excepting a single driveway/entrance not to exceed 40 feet in width) without Board approval. A violation of this restriction shall result in a fine of not less than \$1000, appealable as specified in 9.23.

9.15 The Association hereby reserves the right to improve and maintain the Common Areas and Roads, and the easements shown on the plat referred to in Article II. All claims for damages, if any, arising out of the installation and maintenance of utility facilities and improving and maintaining the Common Areas and roads on account of temporary inconvenience caused thereby by the Association or any utility company or municipality, or any of its agents or servants are hereby waived by the Owners. The Association does further reserve the right to change the layout of a new or to discontinue any existing road on the Property not necessary for the common benefit of the Property, subject to the approval of the Owners and, if required, applicable governmental bodies. No Lot shall be used to provide access to any adjoining land, which is not a part of the Property subject to this Declaration, unless approved by the Owners for the common benefit of the Property.

9.16 Owners who rent their Single-Family Residential Dwelling must ensure that they or their vacation rental managing agency provides a detailed map for locating their rental property so that renters can easily find it. Owners who rent are also strongly encouraged to provide relevant guidelines pertaining to these Declarations.

9.17 Owners are expected to be aware of and fully conform to all governmental building codes, health regulations, zoning restrictions, ordinances and other regulations applicable to their property including, but not limited to, Health Department regulation for approval of individual water and sewage disposal systems.

9.18 All rental leases, except vacation rental leases, shall require that the occupant acknowledges receipt of a copy of this Declaration with its use restrictions, rules and regulations of the Association. Nonetheless, Owners are responsible to ensure that a tenant complies with these conditions. An Owner shall notify the Board of a rental leases, except vacation rental leases, and shall provide other such relevant information as the Board shall request.

9.19 No hunting is allowed on the Property. The shooting of firearms is prohibited on the Property (e.g., target practice), except in the case of immediate threats to life or property.

9.20 Off-road vehicles, including dirt bikes and all-terrain vehicles are not allowed. An exception is made for the designated road superintendent and residents who have a bona fide physical condition that limits their mobility.



### White County Environmental Health Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Acting Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • <u>www.phdistrict2.org</u>

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Evaluation Applied For

Appropriate Permit Applied For

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Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant

Evaluation, Permit Not Applied For At This Time

DATE: <u>09/05/2023</u>

APPLICANT NAME: ROBERT EDMONDS

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 360 MINERS MOUNTAIN SAUTEE NACOOCHEE, GA 30571

White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature

#### 09.05.2023

#### LETTER OF INTENT

As owner and operator I am requesting approval of this R1 property for the proposed **CONDITIONAL USE as a Short-Term Rental**. Maximum Overnight Occupancy not to exceed 10 Guests. Our subdivision (Miners Mountain) currently has eight short term rentals. One is adjacent to this location on the West side. On the North parcel adjacent to us, Unicoi Springs Owners Association (aka Unicoi Springs RV Resort) currently operates RV rental and storage with 300 RV sites.

Property Address: 360 Miners Mountain Rd. Sautee Nacoochee, GA 30571

Parcel ID: 055D 024

Tax Description: Miners Mtn PB9/103 LOT 10LL9 LD3

Acreage: 2.98

4 Bedrooms (Includes Loft) / 3 Bathrooms

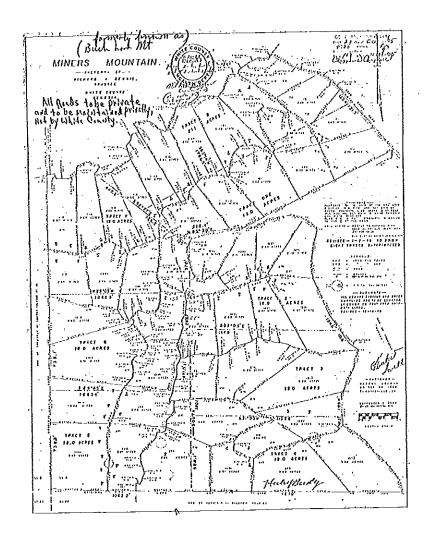
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Sewage System: Private Septic

**Owner/Operator:** 

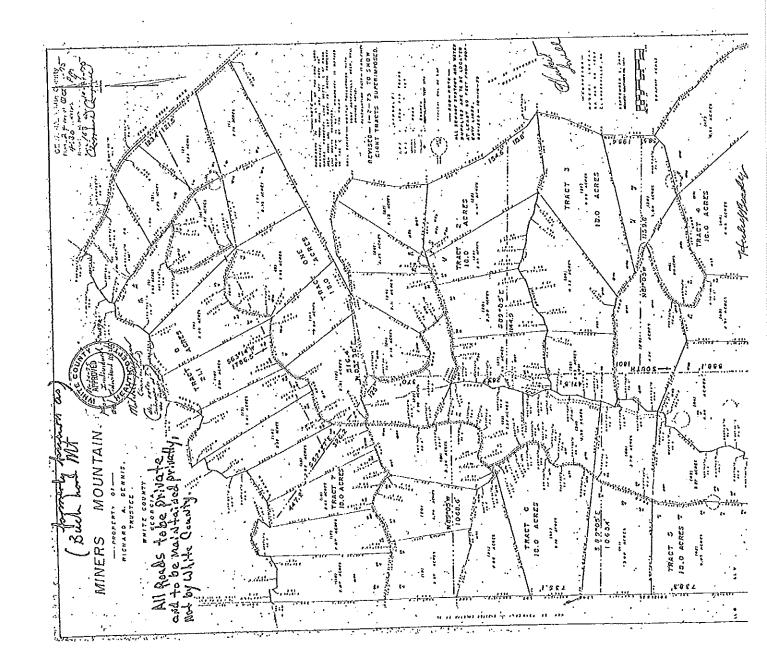
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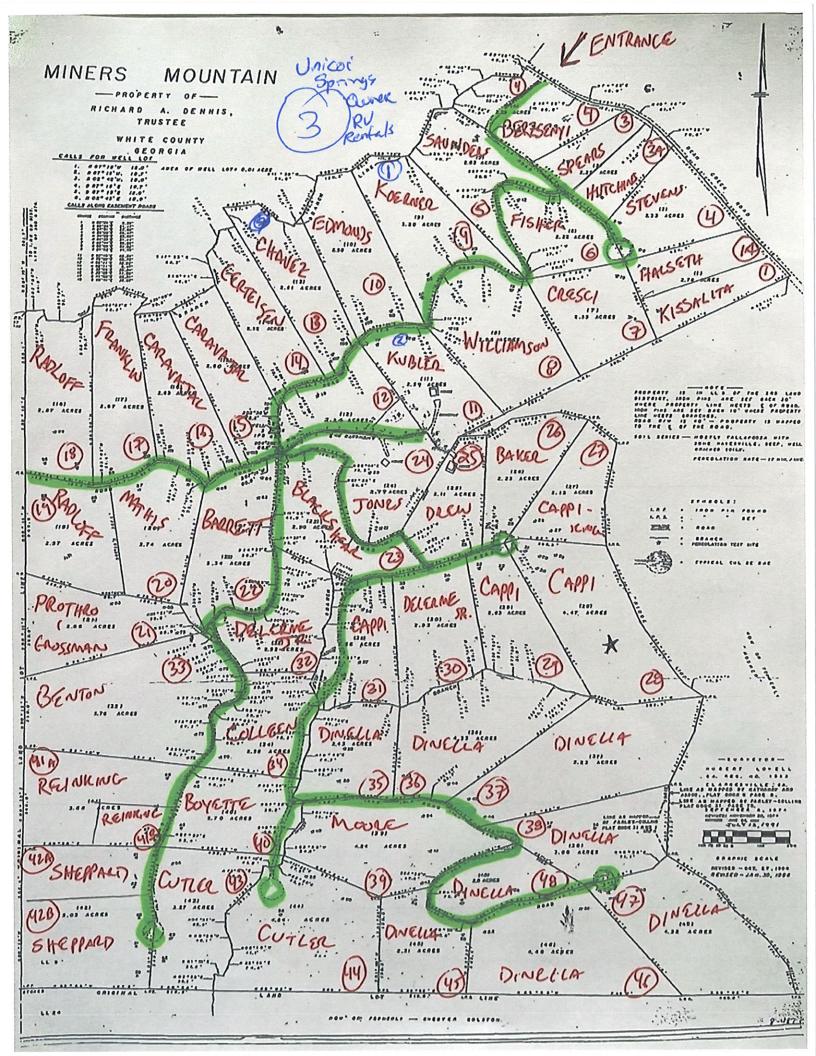


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Official Tax Receipt White County, GA 113 N. Brooks St. Cleveland, 30528 --Online Receipt-- Phone: 706-865-2225

Trans No	Map Code	Property ID & District Description	Original Due	Interest & Penalty	Amount Due	Amount Paid	Transaction Balance
2022- 5172	055D 024	MINERS MTN PB9/103 LOT 1 LL9 LD3	\$2,198.92	\$0.00 Fees: \$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,198.92	\$0.00
		Totals:	\$2,198.92	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,198.92	\$0.00

Paid Date: 11/02/2022

Charge Amount: \$2,198.92

EDMONDS ROBERT J EDMONDS KARLYN B 88 HUMMINGBIRD LANE PIKE ROAD, AL 36064



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#### **2022 Property Tax Statement**

#### **Cindy Cannon**

White County Tax Commissioner P. O. Box 970 Cleveland, GA 30528 Phone 1 (706) 865-2225 - Fax 1 (706) 219-0078 wctc@whitecounty.net


### EDMONDS ROBERT J EDMONDS KARLYN B 88 HUMMINGBIRD LANE PIKE ROAD, AL 36064

BILL NO.	PRINTED	LAST PAYMENT MADE ON	PAYMENT GOOD THROUGH	DUE DATE	TOTAL DUE		
2022-5172 09/01/2023		11/02/2022	09/01/2023	11/15/2022	0.00		
Р	ID	LOCATION					
0550	0 024		360 MINERS MC	DUNTAIN RD			

### MAKE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO:

#### White County Tax Commissioner

This is your 2023 Ad Valorem Property Tax Statement. This bill must be paid in full by November 15, 2023 in order to avoid interest and penalty charges. Interest and penalties are governed by Georgia Code. If payment is made after the due date, please call the office for the current amount due. State law requires all bills be mailed to the owner of record as of January 1st of the tax year. If you have sold this property, please forward this bill to the new owner and notify our office. Please note that your Tax Commissioner is responsible for billing and collections and is not responsible for the property value on your bill or the millage rate. Thank you for the privilege of serving you as your Tax Commissioner. Cindy Cannon

#### **RETURN THIS PORTION WITH PAYMENT (Interest will be added per month if not paid by due date)**

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#### 2022

#### **Property Tax Statement**

Cindy Cannon White County Tax Commissioner P. O. Box 970 Cleveland, GA 30528 Phone 1 (706) 865-2225 - Fax 1 (706) 219-007 Email: wctc@whitecounty.net

PROPERTY OWNER(S)	EDMONDS ROBERT J EDMONDS KARLYN B
PID	055D 024 REAL
DESCRIPTION	MINERS MTN PB9/103 LOT 1 LL9 LD3
LOCATION	360 MINERS MOUNTAIN RD
BILL NUMBER	2022-5172
DISTRICT	001 WHITE COUNTY UNINCORPORATED
PRINTED ON	09/01/2023

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	TOTALS						23.7270	2,518.10	-319.18	2,198.9

If your mortgage company pays your bill, please forward a copy of this bill to them.

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CURRENT DUE	2198.92
+ PENALTY	0.00
+ INTEREST	0.00
+ OTHER FEES	0.00
PREVIOUS PAYMENTS	2198.92
+ BACK TAXES	0.00
= Total Due	0.00

### **2023 Property Tax Statement**

#### Cindy Cannon

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2023-5242	09/01/2023		11/15/2023	11/15/2023	2,395.46	
PID		LOCATION				
0550	024	360 MINERS MOUNTAIN RD				

MAKE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO: White County Tax Commissioner

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CURRENT DUE		2395.46
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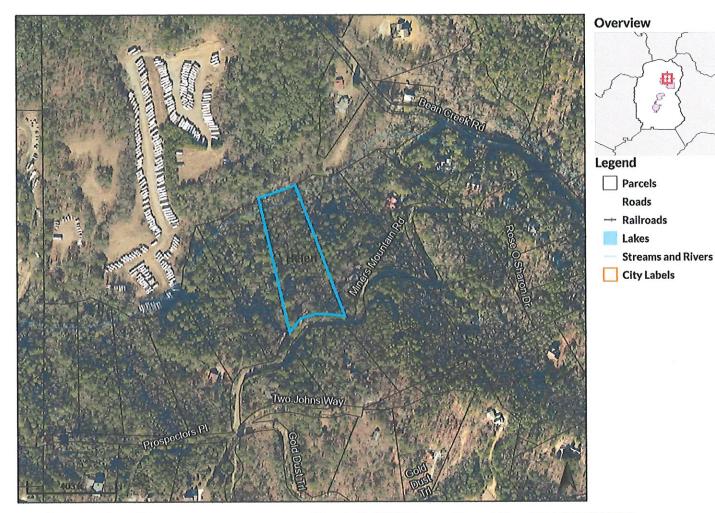
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### Vrbo's taxes

Vrbo is required to collect and pay the following taxes on bookings for this listing:

Taxing authority	Government level	Tax rat <del>e</del>	Tax type	Taxable amounts	Effective Date
GEORGIA	State	\$5.00	Hotel Daily Fee	Per Night	Active
GEORGIA	State	4%	General Sales and Use Tax	Rent & Your Fees	Active
WHITE	County	3%	General Sales and Use Tax	Rent & Your Fees	Active
WHITE	County	8%	Accommodations Tax	Rent & Your Fees	Active

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 Parcel ID
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 Alternate

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 Property Address
 360 MINERS MOUNTAIN RD
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 Brief Tax Description
 MINERS MTN PB9/103 LOT 10LL9 LD3 (Note: Not to be used on legal documents)

Alternate ID5158154ClassRAcreage2.98

Owner Address EDMONDS ROBERT J EDMONDS KARLYN B 88 HUMMINGBIRD LANE PIKE ROAD AL 36064

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### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

#### **ROBERT EDMONDS**

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 360 MINERS MOUNTAIN RD IN SAUTEE NACOOCHEE. IT IS IN THE R-1 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT AND WILL REQUIRE A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FROM THE WHITE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO PLACE THE PROPERTY IN THE SHORT TERM RENTAL PROGRAM.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE SOUTH, EAST, AND WEST R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE-FAMILY DISTRICT; TO THE NORTH R-3 RESIDENTIAL SEASONAL DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 2.98.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY WELL AND SEPTIC.

EXISTING LAND USE

### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

Tuesday, October 31st, 2023White County Senior Center6:00 pm1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland, Ga. 30528Those present were Larry Freeman, R.K. Ackerman, Dona K. Burke, Charlie Thomas, Linda Dixon, andJohn Yarbrough. Staff members present were Harry Barton, John Sell, and Mercedes Dodd.

Chairman Thomas called the meeting to order. Mr. Yarbrough gave the invocation. No changes made to the agenda. Mr. Barton explained the public hearing procedures.

**Application of Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix**, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-1 Residential Single Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District.

The applicant, Jeff Nix of 856 Warwick Road in Cleveland, was present on behalf of his brother. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Nix explained the property is currently vacant. He said they have plans to clean up and mulch the property to list it for sale. However, he said they would like to be able to list it as commercial property. He said C-2 provides more options than C-1. He stated the property does have a current driveway and culvert with highway frontage, has and old well that is still good but the septic is probably not good. When asked about county water, he said he has not looked into it to see if that would be an option.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Mr. Nix did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Application of Dahai "Ocean" Zhang** to request a conditional use permit located at 2414 Duncan Bridge Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 073-056. Total acreage is 1.32. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

Mr. Barton explained requested asked to postpone to December. The Chairman agreed to table the application until the December public hearing.

Application of Robert Edmonds to request a conditional use permit located at 360 Miners Mountain Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Robert Edmonds of 360 Miners Mountain Road, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Edmonds explained the proposed short-term rental would have a maximum occupancy of eight and only two vehicles would be allowed. He said he has been renting the home shortterm since 2017 and missed the tax notification, but he took the listing down once notified that he was not in compliance and paid all taxes. He explained that short-term rentals are allowed in the subdivision covenants, that the subdivision has fifty total lots, thirty homes developed, and ten homes that are currently in the rental program. He outlined his rental policies including a minimum age of 25, no parties, and that he makes the renters aware of the county's short-term rental ordinances. He said there is an RV park nearby and his two adjacent property owners live in Florida, one of which rents their property out.

### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

He said he self-manages and is the main contact, but housekeepers, neighbors, and board members could be available in cases of emergencies since he is three and a half hours away.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Mr. Edmonds did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Application of Diane Robertson** to request a conditional use permit located at 1071 Myra Branch Road, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

The applicant, Diane Robertson of 1071 Myra Branch Road, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Robertson explained the short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of six with parking for two vehicles. She said she inherited the property and has had it on AirBnB for the last two years. She said she informs renters of limited parking and has taken care of fees that were not paid since she has been renting. She stated that she lives one and a half hours away, but her housekeeper lives in Cleveland and has agreed to be the emergency contact. She said she has had no complaints from neighbors, which are just the bears, and she has security cameras that she monitors.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Robertson did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville in Georgia, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo said the proposed short-term rental has one bedroom and one bathroom with parking for six vehicles shared between the two dwellings. She stated that her mother-in-law currently resides in this home but they would like to preserve short-term rental in the future since she understands that there may be a limit on them in the future. Ms. Lembo said she and her sister inherited the property and stated they plan to self-manage with use of online platforms. She stated that she lives a few miles away and her sister lives in Athens. When asked about the maximum occupancy for the other dwelling, Ms. Lembo explained that it has a studio apartment in the basement that is about 320 square feet and the top two floors, which have two bedrooms total, is roughly 2200 square feet. She said their desire is to rent to only one group of people, whether they only want part of the home or all of it.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Lembo did not

### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES REGULAR SESSION

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

**Application of Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix**, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-1 Residential Single Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District.

The applicant, Jeff Nix of 856 Warwick Road in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Nix said he is present on behalf of his brother and that they plan to clean up the property and place to sell. He said they would like to rezone it commercial to help with the ability to sell.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Ms. Dixon. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Robert Edmonds** to request a conditional use permit located at 360 Miners Mountain Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Robert Edmonds of 88 Hummingbird Lane in Pike Road, AL, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Edmonds explained the property has been a vacation rental since it was built in 2000. He said he is the third owner and it has been a rental for the last five years of his ownership. He said he has spoken with neighbors and the board of directors for the nearby RV park, all of which who are fine with his request.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Diane Robertson** to request a conditional use permit located at 1071 Myra Branch Road, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Diane Robertson of 3752 Alden Court Marietta, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Robertson explained the lot is old and is 0.70, which she has owned for about 12 years and remodeled. She said she has been renting through an online platform and stated that her only neighbors are bears.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Ms. Burke. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is



**For Meeting Date:** 11/27/2023

Work Session 🗌 Regular Meeting 🖂 Public Hearing 🗌

Category (Select One): Land Use Application

Submitted By: John Sell

Attachments: Yes 🖂 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. <u>20310</u>
- 2. <u>Public Hearing Minutes 10/31/2023</u>
- 3. <u>Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023</u>

### **Purpose:**

Consider the application of Diane Robertson to request a conditional use permit located at 1071 Myra Branch Road, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

### **Background / Summary:**

• Applicant is requesting a copnditional use permit in an R-1 district for short-term rental. The cabin isnot in a subdivision. Ms. Robertson said the rental has a maximum capacity of six with parking for two vehicles. She said it has been on Air B-n-B the last two years. She lives an hour and a half away but her housekeeper lives in Cleveland and is the emergency contact. She said she has security cameras and has not had any complaints since she has been renting. No one spoke for or against the application. The Planning Commission recommended approval and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

### **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by unanimous vote.

### **Options:**

- Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application
- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.
- Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🖂

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🖂

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Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

## WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

OFFICE USE ONLY	Land Use Application #: 20310
Public Hearing Date: 031 2023	
	Paid via:cashcredit cardcheck#
	APPLICANT INFORMATION
Status:Owner	_Authorized AgentLesseeOption to Purchase
Printed Name(s): DIANE R	OBERTSON
Address: 3752 ALDE	N CT., N.E., MARIETTA, GA 30066
Phone Number:	Alternate Contact Number:
Email:	
Name:	Formation (if different from Applicant/Agent):           Phone #:
	PROPERTY INFORMATION
Parcel ID: 0428 B019	Total acreage being changed:
A damaga	BRANCH ROAD, HELEN, GA 30545
FOLLOW HELEN HIGHI	WAY NORTH THROUGH HELEN & ROBERTS-
	N LEFT OVER RIVER BRIDGE. JUST PAST
	POPLAR STUMP, TAKE NEXT LEFT ON MYRA BRANCH.
FOTI IS SECOND CABIN ON	RIGHT.
Current Use/Zoning of Property: $\mathbb{R}$	1 Type of Road Surface: UNPAVED
Any prior redistricting requests for prope	erty: <u>No</u> If yes, provide redistricting application #:
	G PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:
North: K South: 21	East: <u>21</u> West: <u>2</u>
	ND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE (check all that apply)
Redistrict from district:	Redistrict to district:
	TR
Special Use - specify:	
Land Use Variance from Code Sect	ion:
Proposed use if not listed above:	
Is this property part of a subdivision?	$_Yes /_No$ If so, please list number of lots:
Are there covenants? Yes $\checkmark$ No	Is there an active homeowner's association? Yes $/$ No
Subdivision Name (if applicable):	/A

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Existing Utilities (check all	that apply):				1
County or City Water	Well	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband
Proposed Utilities (check all	that apply):				
County or City Water	Well	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband
COMM	ERCIAL AND	INDUSTRIAL	REDISTRIC	<b>CT INFORMAT</b>	ION
Building Area:		No. of Pa	rking Spaces:		
RESIDENTIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION					
No. of Lots: / Mi	nimum Lot Size	in acres: .7		No. of Units:	
Minimum Heated Floor Area (ft²): $/_{2} 3 O O$ Density/Acre:					
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)?					
Apartments	Condominiums		_Townhomes	Singl	le Family
Rental Cabins	Recreational Ve	ehicle Park	Other- Speci	fy:	

LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).

	PARCEL	PROPERTY OWNER NAME	MAILING ADDRESS
1	042B017	JOHN A. HAMMONDS	MCCONNELL CT., HELEN
2	0 <u>42B020</u>	Petera MARY DEGreet	- 383 POPLAR STUMP ROJ HELEN
3	0423018	RODNEY COLLINS	1127 MYRA BRANCH RD, HELEN
4	0 <u>42B02</u> 8	ROBERTSTOWN PROPERTY	ES, LIC 494 CLAYTON RD, HELEN
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#### **APPLICANT CERTIFICATION**

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.

Sin Labertoen Applicant Signature:

	Planning	Planning	Board of	
Submittal Date	Commission	Commission	Commissioners	
Planning Dept. Office	Public Hearing	<b>Regular Session</b>	Work Session	
5:00 p.m. Deadline	1239 Helen Hwy	1239 Helen Hwy	1235 Helen Hwy	
-	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	
Wednesday, January 4, 2023	Monday, January 30, 2023	Monday, February 6, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023	
Wednesday, February 1, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023	Monday, March 6, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023	
Wednesday, March 1, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023	Monday, April 3, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023	
Wednesday, March 29, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023	Monday, May 1, 2023	TBA	
Wednesday, May 3, 2023	TBA	Monday, June 5, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023	
Wednesday, May 31, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023	Monday, July 3, 2023	Monday, July 31, 2023	
Wednesday, June 14, 2023 *	Monday, July 31, 2023	Monday, August 7, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023	
Wednesday, July 12, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023	ТВА	Monday, September 25, 2023	
Wednesday, August 9, 2023	Monday, September 25, 2023	Monday, October 2, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023	
Wednesday, September 13, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023	Monday, November 6, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023	
Wednesday, October 11, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023	Monday, December 4, 2023	TBA	
Wednesday, November 8, 2023	TBA	TBA	Monday, January 29, 2024	
Wednesday, December 13, 2023	Monday, January 29, 2024	Monday, February 5, 2024	Monday, February 26, 2024	

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

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Date: Cuguet 30, 2023

#### NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

Applicant Signature: NA

Date:

#### DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS (APPLICANTS AND REPRESENTATIVE(S) OF REQUESTED ACTION)

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 36-67 A-3.A, the disclosure of any campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official who will consider an application for re-classification or for a conditional use or special use permit is mandatory when an application or any representation of application for re-classification of district or for conditional use or special use permit has been made within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of a request for reclassification or conditional use or special use permit by the same applicant and/or representative of said applicant. It shall be the duty of the applicant and/or any representatives of the applicant to file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government to show the following:

Name of local official(s) to whom campaign contribution was made:

The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application for action for district reclassification, conditional use or special use permit.

Amount \$:

Date:

Enumeration and description of each gift (when the total value of all gifts is \$250.00 or more) made to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application. Please attach additional sheets if needed.

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Check box if no contributions made 🗹

**Applicant Signature:** 

### **PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION**

To be completed by the property owner to certify ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for other person(s) to represent the owner on their behalf.

other person(s) to represent the owner on their octang.
I/WE (print), DIANE ROBERTSON,
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which this land use change application is being made.
Property Address and/or Parcel ID: 1071 MYRA BRANCHRD 0429 B019
PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION
Printed Name of Owner(s): DIANE ROBERTSON
Mailing Address: 3752 ALDEN CT.
MARIETTA, GA 30066
Phone Number:
Alternate Contact Number:
Email:
<ul> <li>I/we hereby authorize the person named below to act as the applicant or agent in the pursuit of the requested action on this property. I/we understand that any action granted and/or conditions or stipulations placed on the property will be binding upon the property regardless of ownership. The person named below is authorized to make this application. The person named below is aware that no application or re-application affecting the same land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date of the last action by the White County Board of Commissioners.</li> <li>Printed Name of applicant or agent(s): DIANE ROBERTSON</li> </ul>
Signature of Owner(s): Date Signed:
Din Robertson 9/6/23
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

**SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS** To be completed and notarized for any application where the proposed use is short term rental.

I/WE (print), DIANE ROBERTSON,
hereby swear that I/we own/will own the property referenced below for which this land use change application is
being made.
*Property Address and/or Parcel ID: 10 The MYRA BRAASCH R.D. 04.28 019
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS
I acknowledge to keep the total number of guests to that number which can safely stay in the premises and may be subject to the State of Georgia's fire safety code regulations.
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): Suite Redentage
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED BY OWNER OR THIRD PARTY INSPECTOR
I attest by owner or third party inspector that short term rentals meet applicable International Building Code, International Fire Code regulations and NFPA 101 Life Safety codes. Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED DEED RESTRICTION
I certify that there are no deed restriction and/or covenants on the property that prohibits the use of the property as
a short-term rental.
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): Scine Rehertree
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED SHORT-TERM RENTAL INSURANCE
I certify that the owner/future owner has commercial or specific short-term rental insurance for the property. If insurance <i>has not been obtained</i> at time of application, I certify that owner/future owner will obtain prior to renting if application approval is granted.
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): Sure Repertion
OFFICIAL CODE OF WHITE COUNTY APPENDIX C/ARTICLE VII – SHORT TERM RENTALS & BUSINESS LICENSES NOTIFICATION
I certify that I have been informed of and provided a copy of Appendix C/Article VII - Short Term Rentals. I certify that I have also been informed that I will need to contact the White County Business Tax Office (706-865-
2235) to obtain the proper business licensing, host licensing, and subsequent tax information prior to operation of
my short-term rental.
Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): Rehertson
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SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 30 <sup>th</sup> day of <u>ugust</u> , 2023 by named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or produced the identification type of <u>64 pL</u> .
And Million
{Seal} (Signature of Notary)
L. Muchelle CIWK
(Name of Notary Typed, Stamped, or Printed)
Page 7 of 8
COUNTY MUSIC

# APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES

DIANE ROBERTSON (print name) have been advised that I or someone to represent me must be in attendance when my application is before the White County Planning Commission and the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be tabled. I also acknowledge that I have been made aware of the below dates upon submission of my application.

Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland

Public Hearing Date (Planning Commission): Wed. Cer. 11, 2023

Regular Meeting Date (Planning Commission): MONDAY, NOV. 6, 2023

Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland

4:30pm

6:00pm

Board of Commissioners Meeting Date: MUNDAY, NOV. 27, 2023

\*Meeting dates are subject to change

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Agent

lugust 18, 2023 Date

<u>OFFICE USE</u>	ON	<u>LY</u>	
Copy given to applicant: _			(date)
Staff Initials:			
Flag (circle):	Y	Ν	

# WITHDRAWAL

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Notice: This section only to be completed if application is being withdrawn.

PART II - OFFICIAL CODE/APPENDIX C - LAND USE REGULATIONS/ARTICLE XVIII. AMENDMENT, APPLICATION AND PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 1803. Withdrawal of amendment application. Any petition for an amendment to these regulations, official land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion of the person or agency initiating such request, at any time prior to final action by the board of commissioners upon written notice to the planning director. Any required fees shall be forfeited

I hereby withdraw application #:

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

#### LETTER OF INTENT

1071 MYRA BRANCH ROAD, "CHARRA"

HELEN, GA. 30345

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The cabin known as "Charra," will be used as an Airbnb.

The cabin is a split-level. It has 3 bedrooms (2 Queens, 1 King) and 2 baths.

It will never be rented to more than 6 people.

It has a kitchen, a living room with fireplace insert, and a laundry closet that has a stackable washer/dryer.

There is also a porch (it's door is in the kitchen) that partially encircles the cabin.

No grills of any type are allowed on the porch or on the property.

Guests are notified prior to making a reservation that parking is very limited to only 3 small cars or to only 2 trucks or full size sedans.



# White County Environmental Health Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Acting Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • <u>www.phdistrict2.org</u>

Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

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**Evaluation Applied For** 

Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant

Appropriate Permit Applied For

Evaluation, Permit Not Applied For At This Time

DATE: <u>09/12/2023</u>

APPLICANT NAME: DIANE ROBERTSON

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1071 MYRA BRANCH RD HELEN, GA 30545

White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

opertson) **Applicant Signature** 

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After Recording Return to:

DIANE ROBERTSON 3752 Alden Court Marietta, GA 30066

#### **OUITCLAIM DEED**

#### STATE OF GEORGIA

#### COUNTY OF COBB

MADE ON THIS 17th DAY OF AUGUST, 2015, AND IN CONSIDERATION OF Ten Dollars (\$10.00) in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, DIANE D. ABDI (the Grantor), does hereby remise, release, and forever quitclaim an undivided interest unto DIANE ROBERTSON (the Grantee) all of the rights, title, interest, and equity, Grantors own and have, in and to, the following described property, subject to all easements and restrictions of record, to wit:

See EXHIBIT "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof by this reference.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract or parcel of land, together with all and singular the rights, members and appurtenances thereof, to the same being, belonging, or in any wise appertaining, to the only proper use, benefit and behoof of the said Grantees, forever,

IN FEE SIMPLE, in as full and ample a manner as the same was held, possessed and enjoyed, or might have been held, possessed and enjoyed, by the said Grantor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has hereunto set hand and seal and delivered these presents this 17<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2015.

Notary/Public: JBURRALL My commission expires: Feb. 2, 2018

opertson DIANE ROBERTSON Grantor

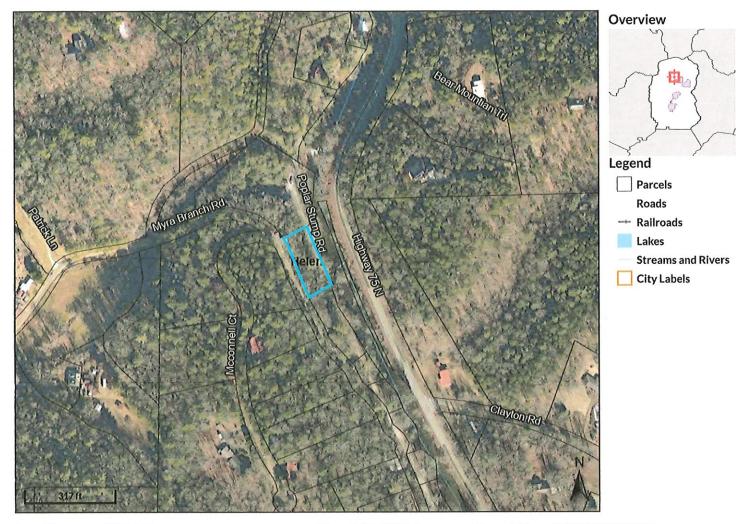


#### EXHIBIT "A"

All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in Land Lots Numbers 5 and 28 of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Land District of White County, Georgia, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at an iron pin on the East side of the Orchard Road, which iron pin is approximately 0.276 mile, more or less, in a Northwesterly direction from the center of the intersection of Georgia Route 356 and U.S. Government Forest Service Route 52; thence running North 24 degrees 10 minutes West along the East side of said Orchard Road for a distance of 203.5 feet to an iron pin; thence South 71 degrees 15 minutes East for a distance of 176.5 feet to an iron pin on the West bank of the stream of the Chattahoochee River; thence South 71 degrees 15 minutes East for a distance of 30.5 feet to a point in the center of the stream of the Chattahoochee River; thence or less, along the center of the stream of the Chattahoochee River to a point; thence South 72 degrees 34 minutes West for a distance of 22 feet to an iron pin on the West bank of the chattahoochee River; thence South 72 degrees 34 minutes West for a distance of 133 feet to the iron pin at the point of beginning. Said tract of land is conveyed subject to existing rights-of-way and easements.

# **(A) qPublic.net**<sup>™</sup> White County, GA



 Parcel ID
 042B 019

 Sec/Twp/Rng
 n/a

 Property Address
 1071 MYRA BRANCH RD

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 District
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 Brief Tax Description
 LL5/28 LD3

Alternate ID 5038940 Class R Acreage 0.7 Owner Address ROBERTSON DIANE 3752 ALDEN COURT MARIETTA GA 30066

LL5/28 LD3 (Note: Not to be used on legal documents)

Date created: 8/16/2023 Last Data Uploaded: 8/16/2023 5:20:15 AM



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Official Tax Receipt White County, GA 113 N. Brooks St. Cleveland, 30528 --Online Receipt-- Phone: 706-865-2225

Trans No	Map Code	Property ID & District Description	Original Due	Interest & Penalty	Amount Due	Amount Paid	Transaction Balance
2022-14635	042B 019	LL5/28 LD3	\$1,378.92	\$0.00 Fees: \$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,378.92	\$0.00
	•	Totals:	\$1,378.92	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,378.92	\$0.00

Paid Date: 11/07/2022

Charge Amount: \$1,378.92

ROBERTSON DIANE 3752 ALDEN COURT MARIETTA, GA 30066



Scan this code with your mobile phone to view this bill

# LETTER REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SHORT TERM RENTAL

Hello,					
My name is	DIA	NET	ROBERTSO	2	I am requesting
a conditiona	al use perm	it for Shor	t Term Rental for the	following property:	
Address:	1071	MyRI	+ BRANCH	Rd.	
		-			

Per White County Code of Ordinances Appendix C/Article VII/Section 702, I am required to have a signed majority of the homeowners in the subdivision for me to apply for this conditional use. Please complete the form below indicating that you approve of a conditional use for Short Term Rental at my property above.

X

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (printed name), approve of short term rental at the property referenced above. My information is provided below.

I own the following properties in this subdivision: N/A

Parcel ID: 0429 K019

Lot #	Parcel ID	Address or Street name if no address	
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	proper	trached the list of the ties that adjoin 1071 Myra B	auch.
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Phone Number:	 	 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	
Email Address:	 	 	
Signature:	 	 	
Date Signed:	 	 	

HELEN CABIN NEIGHBORS

JOHN A. HAMMONDS DYZBOIT MCCONNELL CT PETERJ, MARY JT DEGROOT 383 POPLAR STUMP RD 0428020 RODNEY COLLINS 042B 018 1127 MYRA BRANCH RD ROBERTSTOWN PROPERTIES, LLC 042B028 494 CLAYTON RD

# WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

#### **DIANE ROBERTSON**

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 1071 MYRA BRANCH RD IN HELEN. IT IS IN THE R-1 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT AND WILL REQUIRE A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FROM THE WHITE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO PLACE THE PROPERTY IN THE SHORT TERM RENTAL PROGRAM.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE NORTH, SOUTH, EAST, AND WEST R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE-FAMILY DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 0.70.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY WELL AND SEPTIC.



# WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

He said he self-manages and is the main contact, but housekeepers, neighbors, and board members could be available in cases of emergencies since he is three and a half hours away.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Mr. Edmonds did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

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The applicant, Diane Robertson of 1071 Myra Branch Road, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Robertson explained the short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of six with parking for two vehicles. She said she inherited the property and has had it on AirBnB for the last two years. She said she informs renters of limited parking and has taken care of fees that were not paid since she has been renting. She stated that she lives one and a half hours away, but her housekeeper lives in Cleveland and has agreed to be the emergency contact. She said she has had no complaints from neighbors, which are just the bears, and she has security cameras that she monitors.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Robertson did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville in Georgia, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo said the proposed short-term rental has one bedroom and one bathroom with parking for six vehicles shared between the two dwellings. She stated that her mother-in-law currently resides in this home but they would like to preserve short-term rental in the future since she understands that there may be a limit on them in the future. Ms. Lembo said she and her sister inherited the property and stated they plan to self-manage with use of online platforms. She stated that she lives a few miles away and her sister lives in Athens. When asked about the maximum occupancy for the other dwelling, Ms. Lembo explained that it has a studio apartment in the basement that is about 320 square feet and the top two floors, which have two bedrooms total, is roughly 2200 square feet. She said their desire is to rent to only one group of people, whether they only want part of the home or all of it.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Lembo did not

# WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES REGULAR SESSION

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

**Application of Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix**, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-1 Residential Single Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District.

The applicant, Jeff Nix of 856 Warwick Road in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Nix said he is present on behalf of his brother and that they plan to clean up the property and place to sell. He said they would like to rezone it commercial to help with the ability to sell.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Ms. Dixon. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Robert Edmonds** to request a conditional use permit located at 360 Miners Mountain Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Robert Edmonds of 88 Hummingbird Lane in Pike Road, AL, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Edmonds explained the property has been a vacation rental since it was built in 2000. He said he is the third owner and it has been a rental for the last five years of his ownership. He said he has spoken with neighbors and the board of directors for the nearby RV park, all of which who are fine with his request.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

Application of Diane Robertson to request a conditional use permit located at 1071 Myra Branch Road, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Diane Robertson of 3752 Alden Court Marietta, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Robertson explained the lot is old and is 0.70, which she has owned for about 12 years and remodeled. She said she has been renting through an online platform and stated that her only neighbors are bears.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Ms. Burke. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is



Attachments: Yes 🛛 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. <u>20312</u>
- 2. <u>Public Hearing Minutes 10/31/2023</u>
- 3. <u>Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023</u>

### **Purpose:**

Consider the application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin to redistrict property located at 2227 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

# **Background / Summary:**

• Applicant is requesting to rezone from C-1 to R-1 and a conditional use permit for short-term rental. The short-term rental is not in a subdivision and there are two structures on the property. Ms. Lembo said this is the main house and has a studio apartment in the basement and two bedrooms upstairs for a maximum of 10 people with parking for six vehicles between the two dwellings. She said they plan not to rent both structures at the same time. She and her sister will self-manage the property as she lives close by in Clarkesville. They will maintain the property as a family home and rent it when the family is not using it. No one spoke for or against the application. The Planning Commission recommended approval and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

# **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by unanimous vote.

#### **Options:**

• Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application

- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.
- Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🖂

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🔀

**Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):** 

**County Manager Comments:** 

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OFFICE USE ONLY Land Use Application #: 20312
Public Hearing Date: 10 31 23 Commission District:
Fees Assessed:    250 -    Paid via:cashcredit cardcheck#32
APPLICANT INFORMATION           Status:         Owner           Authorized Agent         Lessee           Option to Purchase
Printed Name(s): Paula Mott Lembo Loretta Martin
Address: PO Box 64 Sautee Nacoochee GA 30571 1061 Baxter Court Statham GA 30666
Phone Number Alternate Contact Number: -
Email:
Owner Information (if different from Applicant/Agent):           Name:         Phone #:
PROPERTY INFORMATION
Parcel ID: 071-070 Total acreage being changed 0, 93
ELEI HWY II Source Macuellee Cit South
Directions to Property: from the County Office Complex turn left on
Hwy 75. Tum Righton Hwy 17. Approx 2 miles - Driveway on left side of Hwy. After Sautee Inn -
Driveway on left side of Hwy. After Sautee Inn -
Across from Sweetwater Coffee. Home to the left
Of the Parking Area
Current Use/Zoning of Property: 2nd Residence C-1 Type of Road Surface: Paved
Any prior redistricting requests for property:If yes, provide redistricting application #:
SURROUNDING PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:
North: $A1$ South: $C-1$ East: $C1$ West: $C-1$
<b>REQUESTED ACTION AND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE</b> (check all that apply)
Redistrict from district: $C-1$ Redistrict to district: $R-1$
Conditional Use - specify: STR
Special Use - specify:
Land Use Variance from Code Section:
Proposed use if not listed above:
Is this property part of a subdivision? Yes No If so, please list number of lots:
Are there covenants? Yes V No Is there an active homeowner's association? Yes No
Subdivision Name (if applicable):

# WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

Existing Utilities (check all that apply):							
County or City Wate	r Well	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband		
Proposed Utilities (check	all that apply):						
County or City Wate	rWell	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband		
COM	MERCIAL AND I	NDUSTRIA	L REDISTRIC	T INFORMAT	ION		
Building Area:	Building Area: No. of Parking Spaces:						
	RESIDENTIA	AL REDIST	RICT INFORM	ATION			
No. of Lots:	Minimum Lot Size i	in acres:	]	No. of Units:			
Minimum Heated Floor A	Minimum Heated Floor Area (ft <sup>2</sup> ): Density/Acre:						
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)? NO							
Apartments	Condominiums	-	Townhomes	Sing	le Family		
Rental Cabins	Recreational Vel	nicle Park	Other- Speci	fy:			

#### LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).

	PARCEL	PROPERTY OWNER NAME MAILING ADDRESS
1	071-069	<u>Crestwater Properties</u> PO Box 693 Soutee Nacoochee GA LLC. 30571
2	071-071	Ron Geraneo 2178 Hwy 17 Sautre Nacoochee GA Rebecca T Hollis 30571
3	071028	Charles Benjamin Dockins PO Box 781 Sautee Naccochee GA Elizabeth L Ledbetter 30571
4	071 021	Patricia Crowell POBox 820 Helen GA 30545
5	671 077	Sautee Nacoochee O Huy 255 N Community Association Sautee Nacoochee GA 30571
6	071 030	The Willows Potlery LLC PO Box 781 Jon Schwartz Sautee Nacoochee GA 30571
7	071 029	Blue Arrow Brewing LLC ZZ4Z Huy M Soutee Nacoochee GA 30571

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#### **APPLICANT CERTIFICATION**

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.

Date:

7-11-2023

**Applicant Signature:** 

rula Mott Stembo critta Martin **2023 DEADLINES AND MEETING DATES** Planning Planning Board of Commissioners Submittal Date Commission Commission Work Session **Regular Session Planning Dept. Office Public Hearing** 1239 Helen Hwy 1235 Helen Hwy 5:00 p.m. Deadline 1239 Helen Hwy 4:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Monday, February 6, 2023 Monday, January 30, 2023 Monday, February 27, 2023 Wednesday, January 4, 2023 Wednesday, February 1, 2023 Monday, February 27, 2023 Monday, March 6, 2023 Monday, March 27, 2023 Monday, April 24, 2023 Wednesday, March 1, 2023 Monday, March 27, 2023 Monday, April 3, 2023 Monday, April 24, 2023 Monday, May 1, 2023 TBA Wednesday, March 29, 2023 Monday, June 26, 2023 TBA Monday, June 5, 2023 Wednesday, May 3, 2023 Monday, June 26, 2023 Monday, July 3, 2023 Monday, July 31, 2023 Wednesday, May 31, 2023 Monday, August 7, 2023 Monday, August 28, 2023 Monday, July 31, 2023 Wednesday, June 14, 2023 \* Monday, September 25, 2023 Wednesday, July 12, 2023 Monday, August 28, 2023 TBA Monday, October 30, 2023 Monday, September 25, 2023 Monday, October 2, 2023 Wednesday, August 9, 2023 Monday, November 27, 2023 Monday, October 30, 2023 Monday, November 6, 2023 Wednesday, September 13, 2023 Monday, November 27, 2023 Monday, December 4, 2023 TBA Wednesday, October 11, 2023 TBA Monday, January 29, 2024 Wednesday, November 8, 2023 TBA Monday, February 26, 2024 Wednesday, December 13, 2023 Monday, January 29, 2024 Monday, February 5, 2024

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

#### NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

	IN THE PERSON AND A
Applicant Signature: Vaula Moti Lembo Date:	2-11-2023
Acritta Martin	9-13-2023
DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS	
(APPLICANTS AND REPRESENTATIVE(S) OF REQUESTED AC	
Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 36-67 A-3.A, the disclosure of any campaign contributions more to a local government official who will consider an application for re-classification or special use permit is mandatory when an application or any representation of applicati- district or for conditional use or special use permit has been made within two (2) years in filing of a request for reclassification or conditional use or special use permit by the same representative of said applicant. It shall be the duty of the applicant and/or any representa- file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government to show Name of local official(s) to whom campaign contribution was made:	or for a conditional use on for re-classification of mediately preceding the e applicant and/or atives of the applicant to
The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application for a classification, conditional use or special use permit.	to the local government action for district re-
Amount \$: Date:	
Enumeration and description of each gift (when the total value of all gifts is \$250.00 or r government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this app additional sheets if needed.	nore) made to the local lication. <b>Please attach</b>
Check box if no contributions made	
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# PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION

To be completed by the property owner to certify ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for other person(s) to represent the owner on their behalf.

other person(s) to represent th	le owner on men benuij.
I/WE (print), Paula Jeanne Mott and	Loretta Louise Mott Martin,
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which this land	use change application is being made.
Property Address and/or Parcel ID:	
PROPERTY OWNER	INFORMATION
Printed Name of Owner(s):	
	and Loretta Louise Mott Martin
Mailing Address: PO Box 64	1061 Baxter Court
Sautee Nacoochee GA 3057	Statham GA 30666
Phone Number:	
Alternate Contact Number:	
Email:	
I/we hereby authorize the person named below to act as the action on this property. I/we understand that any action gran property will be binding upon the property regardless of ow make this application. The person named below is aware that land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date Commissioners. Printed Name of applicant or agent(s):	nted and/or conditions or stipulations placed on the nership. The person named below is authorized to at no application or re-application affecting the same
Signature of Owner(s):	Date Signed:
Paula Mote Sembo	9-13-2023 9-13-2023
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION DOCUM Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 13 named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or produced Seal (Seal Construction of the seal o	day of <u>Sept</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by (name of signer(s)). The the identification type of <u>Drivers</u> Licence
Doreen Green Mhite County, GEORGIA Mite County, GEORGIA County, GEORGIA Manuesion Expires 07/12/2055	(Signature of Notary)

Doreen Green NOTARY PUBLIC White County, GEORGIA My Commission Expires 07/12/2025

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# SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS

To be completed and notarized for any application where the proposed use is short term rental.

# I/WE (print), Paula Jeanne Mott Lembo and Loretta Louise Mott Martin hereby swear that I/we own/will own the property referenced below for which this land use change application is being made. \*Property Address and/or Parcel ID: PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS I acknowledge to keep the total number of guests to that number which can safely stay in the premises and may be subject to the State of Georgia's fire safety code regulations. raula mott Sembo Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): HOU PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED BY OWNER OR THIRD PARTY INSPECTOR I attest by owner or third party inspector that short term rentals meet applicable International Building Code, International Fire Code regulations and NFPA 101 Life Safety codes. aula Mott? Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED DEED RESTRICTION I certify that there are no deed restriction and/or covenants on the property that prohibits the use of the property as a short-term rental. alla mott Semla Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED SHORT-TERM RENTAL INSURANCE I certify that the owner/future owner has commercial or specific short-term rental insurance for the property. If insurance has not been obtained at time of application, I certify that owner/future owner will obtain prior to renting if application approval is granted. Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s) OFFICIAL CODE OF WHITE COUNTY APPENDIX C/ARTICLE VII -SHORT TERM RENTALS & **BUSINESS LICENSES NOTIFICATION** I certify that I have been informed of and provided a copy of Appendix C/Article VII - Short Term Rentals. I certify that I have also been informed that I will need to contact the White County Business Tax Office (706-865-2235) to obtain the proper business licensing, host licensing, and subsequent tax information prior to operation of my short-term rental. sitta Martin Paula moust Sembr Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s) SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 3 day of $20\overline{23}$ by Loretta Martin p Paula Lembo (name of signer(s)). The named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or produced the identification type of Drivers Licens (Signature of Notary) {Seal} Doreen Green NOTARY PUBLIC

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(Name of Notary Typed, Stamped, or Printed)

White County, GEORGIA My Commission Expires 07/12/2025

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# APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES

Paula Jeanne Mott Lembo Loretta Louise Mott Martin (print name) have been advised that I or someone I. to represent me must be in attendance when my application is before the White County Planning Commission and the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be tabled. I also acknowledge that I have been made aware of the below dates upon submission of my application. 6:00pm Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland Public Hearing Date (Planning Commission): Oct. 30, 2023 Regular Meeting Date (Planning Commission): Nov. 6, 2023 Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland 4:30pm Board of Commissioners Meeting Date: Nov. 27, 2023 \*Meeting dates are subject to change **OFFICE USE ONLY** gnature of Applicant or Authorized Agent te) 9-13-2023

Date

Copy given to applicant: $9/13/23$ (a)	la
Staff Initials: 170	
Flag (circle): (Y) N	

#### WITHDRAWAL

Notice: This section only to be completed if application is being withdrawn.

PART II - OFFICIAL CODE/APPENDIX C - LAND USE REGULATIONS/ARTICLE XVIII. AMENDMENT, APPLICATION AND PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 1803. Withdrawal of amendment application. Any petition for an amendment to these regulations, official land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion of the person or agency initiating such request, at any time prior to final action by the board of commissioners upon written notice to the planning director. Any required fees shall be forfeited

I hereby withdraw application #:

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

White County Georgia Planning Department 1241 Helen Highway, Suite 200 Cleveland, GA 30528

September 12, 2023

Re: Letter of Intent for 2227 Highway 17

To Whom it may concern,

Please rezone 2227 Highway 17 from C-1 to R-1 and allow a conditional use permit for short term rental.

We inherited this property from our parents Jack and Helen Mott. They envisioned and built this home as well as a deep connection within our community. Our desire is to build upon their legacy. Offering a short -term rental will enable us to create a place to gather, restore and inspire. Our parking area and covered carport allow for 6 vehicles.

We are flanked and enhanced by our neighboring properties and our community. An established Bed and Breakfast (The Sautee Inn), an AirB&B, specialty retail shops, restaurants and the SNCA campus are but a few.

We have no intention to over extend the number of guests. We will keep the total number to that number which can safely stay in the premises set by the State of Georgia's Fire Safety code regulations.

This property will also remain a 2<sup>nd</sup> residence for our family and friends to enjoy. We have very fond memories and will not jeopardize what has been entrusted to us.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

pontla Martin

Loretta Martin

and

Vaula Mott Sembe

Paula Mott Lembo



# White County Environmental Health Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Acting Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • <u>www.phdistrict2.org</u>

Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

$\boxtimes$	Evalua	tion Applied For	Appropriate Permit Applied For
	Appro	priate Permit Issued to Applicant	Evaluation, Permit Not Applied For At This Time
DATE:		09/13/2023	
APPLICANT NA	ME:	Paula Mott Lembo	
PROPERTY ADI	DRESS:	2227 & 2229 Hwy 17 Sautee Nacoochee, GA, 30571	

White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

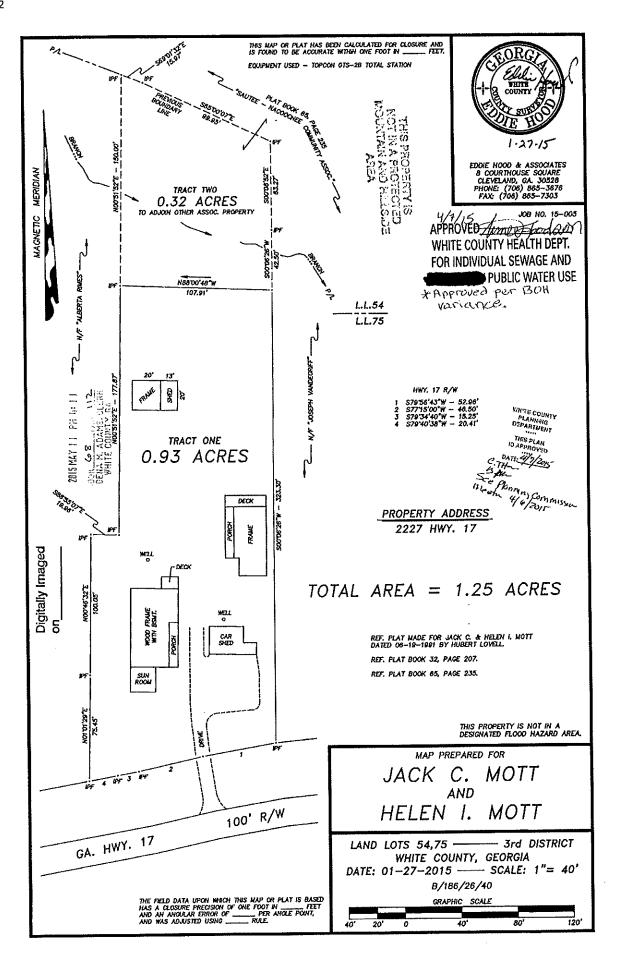
If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

aula Mott Sembo

Applicant Signature



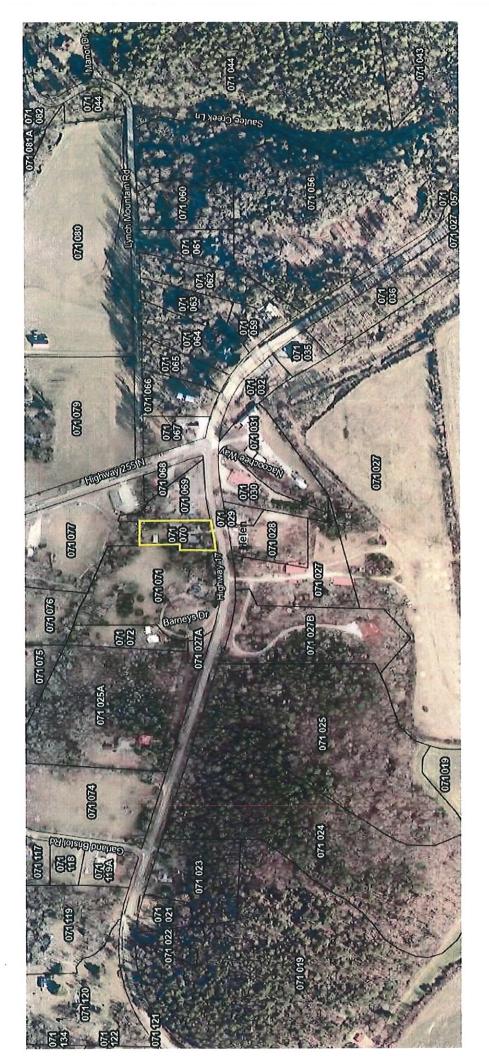
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# OFFICIAL TAX RECEIPT

ABUZY.					
White County Tax Commissioner	PAID DATE		9/12/2023		
Cindy Cannon	RECEIPT PRINTED		9/12/2023 12:06:01 PM		
P. O. Box 970 Cleveland GA 30528	CASH AMOUNT	CHECK AMOUNT	CHARGE AMOUNT	CHECK NUMBER(s) CHARGE APPROVAL CODE	
Phone 17068652225 - Fax 17062190078	\$0.00	\$3,017.26	\$0.00	128	
Email: wclc@whitecounty.net	REF	JND AMOUNT		\$0.00	
	OVERPAY AMOUNT CHANGE AMOUNT		\$0.00		
OWNER			\$0.00		
MARTIN LORETTA LOUISE MOTTLEMBO PAULA		REGISTER		7	
PO BOX 64 SAUTEE NACOOCHEE, GA 30571		CASHIER			
SAUTEE NACOUCTEE, GA 3001 T		TOTAL PAID	\$3,017.26		

Tax Year- Bill Number FMV Property ID	Serial Number		Due Date Original Due	Interest Penalty Other Fees		Current Amount Due	Amount Paid	Tax Bill New Balance
	LL54875 LD3							
2023-11098	2227 HWY 17		11/15/2023	\$0.00				
FMV: 332590.00	DISTRICT: 001			\$0.00				
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Highway 17

# WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

# PAULA LEMBO & LORETTA MARTIN

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 2227 HIGHWAY 17 IN SAUTEE NACOOCHEE. IT IS IN THE C-1 COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL DISTRICT.
- APPLICATION REQUEST TO CONSIDER REDISTRICTING TO R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY DISTRICT AND WILL REQUIRE A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FROM THE WHITE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO PLACE THE PROPERTY IN THE SHORT TERM RENTAL PROGRAM.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE NORTH A-1 AGRICULTURE FORESTRY DISTRICT; TO THE SOUTH, EAST, AND WEST C-1 COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 0.93.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY WELL AND SEPTIC.



# WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

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Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Lembo did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Jay Westmoreland** to request a conditional use permit located at 183 Patrick Lane, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 041-044. Total acreage is 3.01. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

Ms. Burke recused from the public hearing due to being family.

A representative, Kim Westmoreland of 1151 Helen Highway in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Westmoreland explained short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of six with parking for two to three vehicles. She said she is the local contact and there are no close neighbors. She stated the property has been on VRBO the last few years and she filed proof of taxes today for the application.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Westmoreland did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 6<sup>th</sup>.

Application of Georgianna "Emma" Stoica to request a special use permit located at 4564 Highway 255 South, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 074-130. Total acreage is 5.29. Proposed use is for a personal care home/ group home. Present zoning is A-1 Agriculture Forestry District. The applicant, Emma Stoica of 4564 Highway 255 South, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Stoica explained the proposed use is a group home for elderly people that will link personal care with hospice. She said she is licensed by the Department of Community Health and is currently remodeling the home. Ms. Stoica detailed her experience with group homes and possibility of expanding to multiple homes eventually. Currently, she said she lives in the home with her children but

# WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES REGULAR SESSION

0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this home will not be short-term rental currently since her mother-in-law lives there, but does have the intention for it to be a rental.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Yarbrough. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2227 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this would be a short-term rental, but also her family's second home so it will not be rented all of the time.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous, with Ms. Burke abstained. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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Submitted By: John Sell

Attachments: Yes 🖂 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. <u>20311</u>
- 2. <u>Public Hearing Minutes 10/31/2023</u>
- 3. <u>Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023</u>

### **Purpose:**

Consider the application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

# **Background / Summary:**

• Applicant is requesting to rezone from C-1 to R-1 and a conditional use permit for short-term rental. The short-term rental is not in a subdivision and there are two structures on the property. Ms. Lembo said this property has one bedroom and one bathroom with parking for six vehicles between the two dwellings. She state that her mother-in-law stays in the cabin currently, but wanted to preserve the STR status to use in the future. She and her sister will self-manage the property. No one spoke for or against the application. The Planning Commission recommended approval and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

#### **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by unanimous vote.

#### **Options:**

- Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application
- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.
- Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🖂

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🔀

Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

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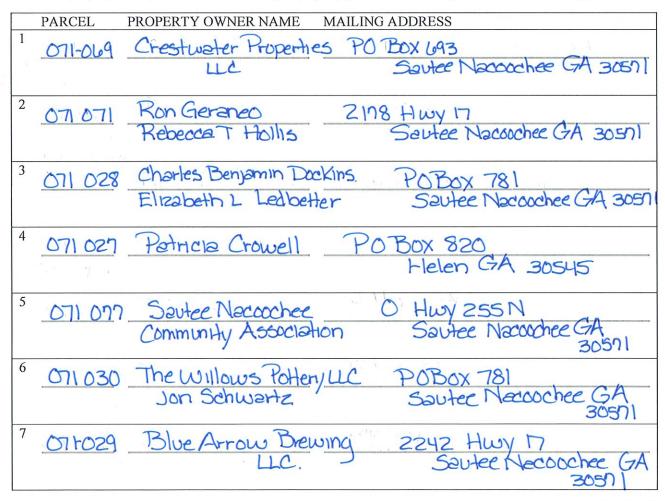
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OFFICE USE ONLY	Land Use Application #: 203 W					
Public Hearing Date: 10/31/2023 Commission District: 4						
Fees Assessed: 250-	Paid via:cashcredit cardcheck#_131					
Statuse 1 Owner	APPLICANT INFORMATIONAuthorized AgentLesseeOption to Purchase					
Printed Name(s): Paula Mott	Lembo Loretta Martin					
Address: PO Box 64 Soutce Noc	ochee GA 30571 1061 Baxter Court Statham GA 30666					
Phone Number:	Alternate Contact Number:					
Email:						
Owner Name:	• Information ( <i>if different from Applicant/Agent</i> ):					
Parcel ID: 071-070	PROPERTY INFORMATION Total acreage being changed: 0,93					
01-010						
	17 Soute Nacoochee GA 30571					
Directions to Property: from the County Office complex-turn left on						
HWY75. TUM FI	ght on Hwy M. Approx 2 miles-					
Driveway on left:	Bide of Hwy. After Sautee Inn-					
Across from Swe	etwater Coffee. Home below the					
Parking Area.						
Current Use/Zoning of Property: 2rd Residence Type of Road Surface: Paved						
Any prior redistricting requests for property:If yes, provide redistricting application #:						
SURROUNDING PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:						
North: <u>A-1</u> South: <u>C-1</u> East: <u>C-1</u> West: <u>C-1</u>						
REQUESTED ACTION AND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE (check all that apply)						
Redistrict from district: $C-1$ Redistrict to district: $R-1$						
Conditional Use - specify: STR						
Special Use - specify:						
Land Use Variance from Code Section:						
Proposed use if not listed above:						
Is this property part of a subdivision? Yes No If so, please list number of lots:						
Are there covenants? Yes No Is there an active homeowner's association? Yes No						
Subdivision Name (if applicable):						

# WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

Existing Utilities (check all that apply):						
County or City Wate	r Well	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband	
Proposed Utilities (check	all that apply):	AV.				
County or City Wate	rWell	Septic	Gas	Electric	Broadband	
COM	MERCIAL AND	INDUSTRIA	L REDISTRIC	CT INFORMAT	TION	
Building Area:	Building Area: No. of Parking Spaces:					
RESIDENTIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION						
No. of Lots:	Minimum Lot Size	in acres:		No. of Units:		
Minimum Heated Floor Area (ft <sup>2</sup> ):				Density/Acre:		
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)?						
Apartments	Condominiums	-	Townhomes	Sing	le Family	
Rental Cabins	Recreational Ve	ehicle Park	Other- Spec	ify:		

#### LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).



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#### APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.

Applicant Signature: Saula Mott Sembo

Date:

	2023 DEADLINES AN	D MEETING DATES		
	Planning	Planning	Board of	
Submittal Date	Commission	Commission	Commissioners	
Planning Dept. Office	Public Hearing	<b>Regular Session</b>	Work Session 1235 Helen Hwy	
5:00 p.m. Deadline	1239 Helen Hwy	1239 Helen Hwy		
	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	
Wednesday, January 4, 2023	Monday, January 30, 2023	Monday, February 6, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023	
Wednesday, February 1, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023	Monday, March 6, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023	
Wednesday, March 1, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023	Monday, April 3, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023	
Wednesday, March 29, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023	Monday, May 1, 2023	TBA	
Wednesday, May 3, 2023	TBA	Monday, June 5, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023	
Wednesday, May 31, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023	Monday, July 3, 2023	Monday, July 31, 2023	
Wednesday, June 14, 2023 *	Monday, July 31, 2023	Monday, August 7, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023	
Wednesday, July 12, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023	TBA	Monday, September 25, 2023	
Wednesday, August 9, 2023	Monday, September 25, 2023	Monday, October 2, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023	
Wednesday, September 13, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023	Monday, November 6, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023	
Wednesday, October 11, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023	Monday, December 4, 2023	TBA	
Wednesday, November 8, 2023	TBA	TBA	Monday, January 29, 2024	
Wednesday, December 13, 2023	Monday, January 29, 2024	Monday, February 5, 2024	Monday, February 26, 2024	

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

#### NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

Applicant Signature:	Paula Mott Sembo porta Martin	Date: 9-13-2023 9-13-2023
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Name of local official(s	s) to whom campaign contribution was made	:
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Amount \$:		Date:
Enumeration and descr government official dur additional sheets if ne	iption of each gift (when the total value of al ring the two (2) years immediately preceding eded.	l gifts is \$250.00 or more) made to the local g the filing of this application. <b>Please attach</b>
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	Check box if no contributions made	0.10.000
Applicant Signature:	Squea Mott Stember	Date: 9-13-2023 9-13-2023

### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION

	ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for
Peula Jeanne Mott	epresent the owner on their behalf. and Loretta Louise Mott Martin
I/WE (print), Lembo	and Loretta Louise Month Prierring
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which	n this land use change application is being made.
Property Address and/or Parcel ID:	
	OWNER INFORMATION
Printed Name of Owner(s):	
Paula Jeanne Mott Lembo	and Loretta Louise Mott Martin
Mailing Address: PO Box 64	1061 Bexter Court
Sautee Nacoochee. GA	30511 Stathern GA 30666
Phone Number:	
Alternate Contact Number:	
Email:	
action on this property. I/we understand that any a property will be binding upon the property regard make this application. The person named below is land shall be acted upon within six (6) months fro	act as the applicant or agent in the pursuit of the requested action granted and/or conditions or stipulations placed on the less of ownership. The person named below is authorized to s aware that no application or re-application affecting the same m the date of the last action by the White County Board of ngelo Lembo Gregory Martin
Signature of Owner(s):	Date Signed:
houte Martin	9-13-2023
Paula mon Sembo	
	9-13-2023
	DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me	this 3th day of Sept, 20 23 by
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me	DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me	this day of <u>Sept</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by (name of signer(s)). The
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me Loretta Martin + f named signer(s) is/are personally known by me o {Seal}	this day of <u>Sept</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by (name of signer(s)). The
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me Loretta Martin + named signer(s) is/are personally known by me o	this <u>13</u> day of <u>Sept</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by aula <u>Lembo</u> (name of signer(s)). The r produced the identification type of <u>Drivers License</u>

White County, GEORGIA My Commission Expires 07/12/2025

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#### SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS

To be completed and notarized for any application where the proposed use is short term rental.

I/WE (print),

hereby swear that I/we own/will own the property referenced below for which this land use change application is being made.

and

#### \*Property Address and/or Parcel ID:

#### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS

Paula Jeanne Mott Lembo

I acknowledge to keep the total number of guests to that number which can safely stay in the premises and may be subject to the State of Georgia's fire safety/code regulations.

# Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s) for the Martin Paula Moth dembo

#### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED BY OWNER OR THIRD PARTY INSPECTOR

I attest by owner or third party inspector that short term rentals meet applicable International Building Code, International Fire Code regulations and NFPA 101 Life Safety codes.

# Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s); fout future Of Caula Mott Jem

PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED DEED RESTRICTION

I certify that there are no deed restriction and/or covenants on the property that prohibits the use of the property as a short-term rental.

#### Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): South Mathe Saula Mott Semi PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED SHORT-TERM RENTAL INSURANCE

I certify that the owner/future owner has commercial or specific short-term rental insurance for the property. If insurance *has not been obtained* at time of application, I certify that owner/future owner will obtain prior to renting if application approval is granted.

### Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): Anto Matin Vaula Mott Slembo OFFICIAL CODE OF WHITE COUNTY APPENDIX C/ARTICLE VII - SHORT TERM RENTALS &

#### **BUSINESS LICENSES NOTIFICATION**

I certify that I have been informed of and provided a copy of Appendix C/Article VII - Short Term Rentals. I certify that I have also been informed that I will need to contact the White County Business Tax Office (706-865-2235) to obtain the proper business licensing, host licensing, and subsequent tax information prior to operation of my short-term rental.

utla Martin Paula Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s)

#### SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this		, 20 <mark>23</mark> by
Loretta Martin & Paula		(name of signer(s)). The
named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or pro-	duced the identificat	ion type of Drivers License

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Doreen Green NOTARY PUBLIC White County, GEORGIA My Commission Expires 07/12/2025

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Loretta Louise Mott Martin

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(Signature of Notary)

#### APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES

Paula Jeanne Mott Lembo I, Loretta Louise Mott Martin (print name) have been advised that I or someone to represent me must be in attendance when my application is before the White County Planning Commission and the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be tabled. I also acknowledge that I have been made aware of the below dates upon submission of my application. 6:00pm Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland Public Hearing Date (Planning Commission): Oct. 30, 2023

Regular Meeting Date (Planning Commission): Nov. 6, 2023

Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland

Board of Commissioners Meeting Date: Nev. 27. 2823

4:30pm

\*Meeting dates are subject to change

gnature of Applicant or Authorized Agent

9-13-2023

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Copy given to applicant: 9/13/23	_(date)
Staff Initials: 176	
Flag (circle): $(Y)$ N	

Date

#### WITHDRAWAL

Notice: This section only to be completed if application is being withdrawn.

PART II - OFFICIAL CODE/APPENDIX C - LAND USE REGULATIONS/ARTICLE XVIII. AMENDMENT, APPLICATION AND PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 1803. Withdrawal of amendment application. Any petition for an amendment to these regulations, official land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion of the person or agency initiating such request, at any time prior to final action by the board of commissioners upon written notice to the planning director. Any required fees shall be forfeited

I hereby withdraw application #:

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

White County Georgia Planning Department 1241 Helen Highway, Suite 200 Cleveland, GA 30528

September 12, 2023

Re: Letter of Intent for 2229 Highway 17

To Whom it may concern,

Please rezone 2229 Highway 17 from C-1 to R-1 and allow a conditional use permit for short term rental.

We inherited this property from our parents Jack and Helen Mott. They envisioned and built this home as well as a deep connection within our community. Our desire is to build upon their legacy. Offering a short-term rental will enable us to create a place to gather, restore and inspire. Our parking area and covered carport allow for 6 vehicles.

We are flanked and enhanced by our neighboring properties and our community. An established Bed and Breakfast (The Sautee Inn), an AirB&B, specialty retail shops, restaurants and the SNCA campus are but a few.

We have no intention to over extend the number of guests. We will keep the total number to that number which can safely stay in the premises set by the State of Georgia's Fire Safety code regulations.

Currently an elderly family member is living here. We ask the rezoning and conditional use permit to accommodate future use. We understand this generally should take place within 2 years.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Loretta Martin

Jaula Mott Sembo

Paula Mott Lembo

and



### White County Environmental Health

Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Acting Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • <u>www.phdistrict2.org</u>

Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

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 Image: Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant
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 Image: Appropriate Permit Not Applied For Evaluation, Permit Not Applied For At This Time

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 09/13/2023
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 APPLICANT NAME:
 Paula Mott Lembo
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 PROPERTY ADDRESS:
 2227 & 2229 Hwy 17 Sautee Nacoochee, GA, 30571
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White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

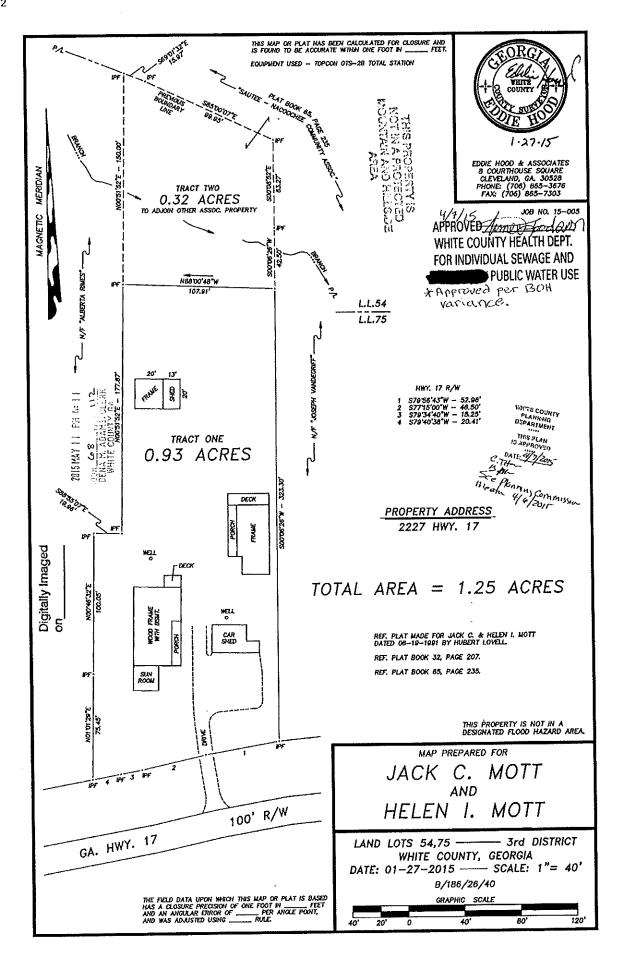
If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

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Applicant Signature

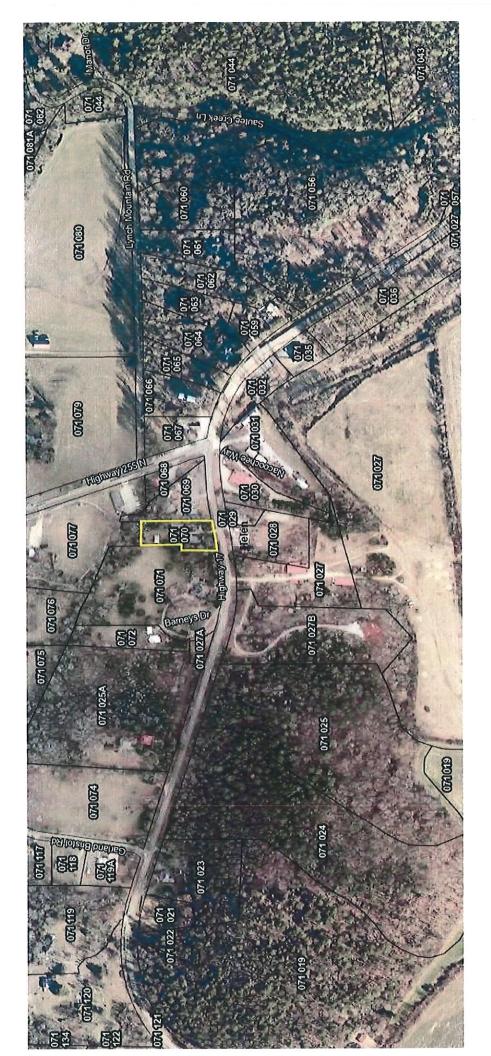


## OFFICIAL TAX RECEIPT

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White County Tax Commissioner	PAID DATE		9/12/2023	
Cindy Cannon	RECEIPT PRINTED		9/12/2023 12:06:01 PM	
P. O. Box 970 Cleveland GA 30528 Phone 17068652225 - Fax 17062190078 Email: wclc@whitecounty.net	CASH AMOUNT	CHECK AMOUNT	CHARGE AMOUNT	CHECK NUMBER(s) CHARGE APPROVAL CODE
	\$0.00	\$3,017.26	\$0.00	128
	REF	JND AMOUNT		\$0.00
	OVER	PAY AMOUNT		\$0.00
OWNER MARTIN LORETTA LOUISE MOTTLEMBO PAULA PO BOX 64 SAUTEE NACOOCHEE. GA 30571	CHAI			\$0.00
		REGISTER		7
		CASHIER		
		TOTAL PAID		\$3,017.26

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	LL54&75 LD3							
Tax Year- Bill Number FMV Property ID	Property Description Property Address District Serial Number Decal Number		Due Date Original Due	Interest Penalty Other Fees	Previous Paid Amount	Current Amount Due	Amount Pald	Tax Bill New Balance





2229 Hwy 17

### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

#### PAULA LEMBO & LORETTA MARTIN

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 2229 HIGHWAY 17 IN SAUTEE NACOOCHEE. IT IS IN THE C-1 COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL DISTRICT.
- APPLICATION REQUEST TO CONSIDER REDISTRICTING TO R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY DISTRICT AND WILL REQUIRE A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FROM THE WHITE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO PLACE THE PROPERTY IN THE SHORT TERM RENTAL PROGRAM.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE NORTH A-1 AGRICULTURE FORESTRY DISTRICT; TO THE SOUTH, EAST, AND WEST C-1 COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 0.93.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY WELL AND SEPTIC.



EXISTING LAND USE

#### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

He said he self-manages and is the main contact, but housekeepers, neighbors, and board members could be available in cases of emergencies since he is three and a half hours away.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Mr. Edmonds did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Diane Robertson** to request a conditional use permit located at 1071 Myra Branch Road, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

The applicant, Diane Robertson of 1071 Myra Branch Road, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Robertson explained the short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of six with parking for two vehicles. She said she inherited the property and has had it on AirBnB for the last two years. She said she informs renters of limited parking and has taken care of fees that were not paid since she has been renting. She stated that she lives one and a half hours away, but her housekeeper lives in Cleveland and has agreed to be the emergency contact. She said she has had no complaints from neighbors, which are just the bears, and she has security cameras that she monitors.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Robertson did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2229 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville in Georgia, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo said the proposed short-term rental has one bedroom and one bathroom with parking for six vehicles shared between the two dwellings. She stated that her mother-in-law currently resides in this home but they would like to preserve short-term rental in the future since she understands that there may be a limit on them in the future. Ms. Lembo said she and her sister inherited the property and stated they plan to self-manage with use of online platforms. She stated that she lives a few miles away and her sister lives in Athens. When asked about the maximum occupancy for the other dwelling, Ms. Lembo explained that it has a studio apartment in the basement that is about 320 square feet and the top two floors, which have two bedrooms total, is roughly 2200 square feet. She said their desire is to rent to only one group of people, whether they only want part of the home or all of it.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Lembo did not

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have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

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The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. She explained the proposed short-term rental would have a maximum occupancy of ten with the same six parking for six vehicles. Ms. Lembo explained that her sister visits Sautee Nacoochee often so part of the desire is short-term rental but to maintain as a separate residence for her sister, as well as family gatherings. Currently, she said the home is vacant and last use was to house her sister's children or for friends to stay when they visit. She explained that they do not plan to rent both residences at the same time.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Lembo did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Jay Westmoreland** to request a conditional use permit located at 183 Patrick Lane, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 041-044. Total acreage is 3.01. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

Ms. Burke recused from the public hearing due to being family.

A representative, Kim Westmoreland of 1151 Helen Highway in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Westmoreland explained short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of six with parking for two to three vehicles. She said she is the local contact and there are no close neighbors. She stated the property has been on VRBO the last few years and she filed proof of taxes today for the application.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Westmoreland did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

Application of Georgianna "Emma" Stoica to request a special use permit located at 4564 Highway 255 South, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 074-130. Total acreage is 5.29. Proposed use is for a personal care home/ group home. Present zoning is A-1 Agriculture Forestry District. The applicant, Emma Stoica of 4564 Highway 255 South, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Stoica explained the proposed use is a group home for elderly people that will link personal care with hospice. She said she is licensed by the Department of Community Health and is currently remodeling the home. Ms. Stoica detailed her experience with group homes and possibility of expanding to multiple homes eventually. Currently, she said she lives in the home with her children but

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Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

**Application of Jeff Nix, on behalf of Douglas Nix**, to redistrict property located at 0 Hwy. 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528 from R-1 Residential Single Family District to C-2 Highway Business District. Tax map and parcel 047D-159. Total acreage is 7.42. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family District.

The applicant, Jeff Nix of 856 Warwick Road in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Nix said he is present on behalf of his brother and that they plan to clean up the property and place to sell. He said they would like to rezone it commercial to help with the ability to sell.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Ms. Dixon. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Robert Edmonds** to request a conditional use permit located at 360 Miners Mountain Road, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571. Tax map and parcel 055D-024. Total acreage is 2.98. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Robert Edmonds of 88 Hummingbird Lane in Pike Road, AL, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Mr. Edmonds explained the property has been a vacation rental since it was built in 2000. He said he is the third owner and it has been a rental for the last five years of his ownership. He said he has spoken with neighbors and the board of directors for the nearby RV park, all of which who are fine with his request.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Application of Diane Robertson** to request a conditional use permit located at 1071 Myra Branch Road, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 042B-019. Total acreage is 0.70. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family. The applicant, Diane Robertson of 3752 Alden Court Marietta, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Robertson explained the lot is old and is 0.70, which she has owned for about 12 years and remodeled. She said she has been renting through an online platform and stated that her only neighbors are bears.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Ms. Burke. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this home will not be short-term rental currently since her mother-in-law lives there, but does have the intention for it to be a rental.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Yarbrough. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this would be a short-term rental, but also her family's second home so it will not be rented all of the time.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous, with Ms. Burke abstained. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

Application of Georgianna "Emma" Stoica to request a special use permit located at 4564 Highway 255 South, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 074-130. Total acreage is 5.29. Proposed use is for a personal care home/ group home. Present zoning is A-1 Agriculture Forestry District. The applicant, Emma Stoica of 4564 Highway 255 South in Cleveland, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Stoica said there was a question about not having a sign at the public hearing last week, but the state requires her to have something out for doctors, hospice, hospitals, etc. to see. She said it does not have to be a large sign.



# WHITE COUNTY

Board of Commissioners

Item Title: Conditional Use Permit for Short Term Rental for Jay Westmoreland, 183 Patrick Lane, Helen

For Meeting Date: 11/27/2023

Work Session 🗌 Regular Meeting 🖂 Public Hearing 🗌

Category (Select One): Land Use Application

Submitted By: John Sell

Attachments: Yes 🖂 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. <u>20314</u>
- 2. Public Hearing Minutes 10/31/2023
- 3. Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023

#### **Purpose:**

Consider the application of Jay Westmoreland to request a conditional use permit located at 183 Patrick Lane, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 041-044. Total acreage is 3.01. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

#### **Background / Summary:**

• Applicant is requesting a conditional use permit for short-term rental. The short-term rental is not in a subdivision. Ms. Kim Westmoreland explained the rental has a maximum of 6 people with parking for 2 or 3 vehicles. She said she lives in Cleveland and is the local contact. There are no close neighbors. She said the property has been on VRBO the last few years and she filed proof of taxes. No one spoke for or against the application. The Planning Commission recommended approval and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

#### **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by unanimous vote.

#### **Options:**

- Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application
- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.
- Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🖂

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🖂

Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

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### WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

OFFICE USE ONLY	Land Use Application #: 20314	
Public Hearing Date: 10 31 202	3 Commission District: 4	
Fees Assessed: \$250	Paid via:cashcredit cardcheck#_2101	

APPLICANT INFORMATION
Status:OwnerAuthorized AgentLesseeOption to Purchase
Printed Name(s): Jay Westmoreland
Address: POBOX 387 Cleveland Ga
Phone Number: Alternate Contact Number:
Email:
Owner Information (if flifferent from Applicant/Agent):
Name: Phone #:
PROPERTY INFORMATION
Parcel ID: $041044$ Total acreage being changed: <b>3</b> , 01
Address:
Directions to Property: 183 Patrick LD
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Head North Dn GA-75N toward Hulsey Rd. Turn left
Unto Aspestos Rd. Turn right into 6A-75 MTS. Turn left into Paplan
Stump: Left onto Myra Branch, Right onto Patrick Ln. Home 2nd pulett.
Current Use/Zoning of Property: 7-1 Type of Road Surface:
Any prior redistricting requests for property:If yes, provide redistricting application #:
SURROUNDING PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:
North: $\underline{R1}$ South: $\underline{2}$ East: $\underline{A}$ West: $\underline{L1}$
<b>REQUESTED ACTION AND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE</b> (check all that apply)
Redistrict from district: Redistrict to district:
Conditional Use - specify:
Special Use - specify: STR
Land Use Variance from Code Section:
Proposed use if not listed above:
Is this property part of a subdivision? Yes / No If so, please list number of lots:
Are there covenants? Yes No Is there an active homeowner's association? Yes No
Subdivision Name (if applicable):

Existing Utilities (check all that apply):				
County or City Water	Well Sept	ic <u> </u>	-Electric	Broadband
Proposed Utilities (check a	ll that apply):			
County or City Water	WellSept	icGas	Electric	Broadband
COMN	IERCIAL AND INDUST	RIAL REDISTRIC	T INFORMAT	ION
Building Area:	No.	of Parking Spaces:	3	
	RESIDENTIAL RED	STRICT INFORM	IATION	
No. of Lots:	1 inimum Lot Size in acres:	3 1	No. of Units:	
Minimum Heated Floor A	rea (ft <sup>2</sup> ): 1900	I	Density/Acre:	
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)?				
Apartments	_Condominiums	Townhomes	Sing	le Family
Rental Cabins	Recreational Vehicle Park	Other- Specif	îy:	

#### LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS

It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).

	PARCEL	PROPERTY OWNER NAME	MAILING ADDRESS
1	0422019	Scott Bardenwerper	,
		121 Patrick Ln	121 Patrick Ln
2	041001	Mathew Filbeck	
		427 Bay Lau	rel ibr 427 Bay Laurel Dr
3	041045	tay + Kin Westmore	eland
		183 Patrick Ln	183 Patrick Ln
4	042802>	Mary Wiggiris	
		262 Patrick Ln	2/02 Patrick Ln
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#### APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.

Date: Applicant Signature: < Xay Westmoreland

	2023 DEADLINES ANI	) MEETING DATES	
	Planning	Planning	Board of
Submittal Date	Commission	Commission	Commissioners
Planning Dept. Office	Public Hearing	Regular Session	Work Session
5:00 p.m. Deadline	1239 Helen Hwy	1239 Helen Hwy	1235 Helen Hwy
-	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, January 4, 2023	Monday, January 30, 2023	Monday, February 6, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023
Wednesday, February 1, 2023	Monday, February 27, 2023	Monday, March 6, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023
Wednesday, March 1, 2023	Monday, March 27, 2023	Monday, April 3, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023
Wednesday, March 29, 2023	Monday, April 24, 2023	Monday, May 1, 2023	TBA
Wednesday, May 3, 2023	ТВА	Monday, June 5, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023
Wednesday, May 31, 2023	Monday, June 26, 2023	Monday, July 3, 2023	Monday, July 31, 2023
Wednesday, June 14, 2023 *	Monday, July 31, 2023	Monday, August 7, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023
Wednesday, July 12, 2023	Monday, August 28, 2023	ТВА	Monday, September 25, 2023
Wednesday, August 9, 2023	Monday, September 25, 2023	Monday, October 2, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023
Wednesday, September 13, 2023	Monday, October 30, 2023	Monday, November 6, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023
Wednesday, October 11, 2023	Monday, November 27, 2023	Monday, December 4, 2023	ТВА
Wednesday, November 8, 2023	TBA	TBA	Monday, January 29, 2024
Wednesday, December 13, 2023	Monday, January 29, 2024	Monday, February 5, 2024	Monday, February 26, 2024

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

#### NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

Date:

Applicant Signature: Yay Westmoreland DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS (APPLICANTS AND REPRESENTATIVE(S) OF REQUESTED ACTION)

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 36-67 A-3.A, the disclosure of any campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official who will consider an application for re-classification or for a conditional use or special use permit is mandatory when an application or any representation of application for re-classification of district or for conditional use or special use permit has been made within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of a request for reclassification or conditional use or special use permit by the same applicant and/or representative of said applicant. It shall be the duty of the applicant and/or any representatives of the applicant to file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government to show the following:

Name of local official(s) to whom campaign contribution was made:

The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application for action for district reclassification, conditional use or special use permit.

Amount \$:

Date:

Enumeration and description of each gift (when the total value of all gifts is \$250.00 or more) made to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application. Please attach additional sheets if needed.

Check box if no contributions made

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**Applicant Signature:** 

Date: 9/ 8/23

### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION

To be completed by the property owner to certify ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for other person(s) to represent the owner on their behalf.

I/WE (print), Jay Westmoreland,
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which this land use change application is being made.
Property Address and/or Parcel ID:
PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION
Printed Name of Owner(s):
Jay+ Kim Westmoveland
Mailing Address: Po Box 387
Mailing Address: Mailing Address: Do Box 387 Cleveland ga
Phone Number:
Alternate Contact Number:
Email:
I/we hereby authorize the person named below to act as the applicant or agent in the pursuit of the requested action on this property. I/we understand that any action granted and/or conditions or stipulations placed on the property will be binding upon the property regardless of ownership. The person named below is authorized to make this application. The person named below is aware that no application or re-application affecting the same land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date of the last action by the White County Board of Commissioners.
Printed Name of applicant or agent(s): Mark Bardenwerper Scott Bardenwerper Date Signed:
Signature of Owner(s): Date Signed:
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### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subsc	ribed before me this <u>8<sup>11</sup></u> day of <u>September</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by
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#### SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS

To be completed and notarized for any application where the proposed use is short term rental.

Jay Westmoreland I/WE (print), hereby swear that I/we own/will own the property referenced below for which this land use change application is being made. \*Property Address and/or Parcel ID: PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS I acknowledge to keep the total number of guests to that number which can safely stay in the premises and may be subject to the State of Georgia's fire safety code regulations. Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): My Westmireland PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED BY OWNER OR THIRD PARTY INSPECTOR I attest by owner or third party inspector that short term rentals meet applicable International Building Code, International Fire Code regulations and NFPA 101 Life Safety codes. Ay Metmorelaak Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED DEED RESTRICTION I certify that there are no deed restriction and/or covenants on the property that prohibits the use of the property as a short-term rental. 44 Wetminichand Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED SHORT-TERM RENTAL INSURANCE I certify that the owner/future owner has commercial or specific short-term rental insurance for the property. If insurance has not been obtained at time of application, I certify that owner/future owner will obtain prior to renting if application approval is granted. Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s): TERM RENTALS & OFFICIAL CODE OF WHITE COUNTY A BUSINESS LICENSES NOTIFICATION I certify that I have been informed of and provided a copy of Appendix C/Article VII - Short Term Rentals. I certify that I have also been informed that I will need to contact the White County Business Tax Office (706-865-2235) to obtain the proper business licensing, host licensing, and subsequent tax information prior to operation of my short-term rental. Xay Westmoreland Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):

#### SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me th Jay and Kim Westmorelan	his <u>84</u> day of <u>September</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by (name of signer(s)). The
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### **APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES**

	I, Jay Kin Wishmoveland to represent me must be in attendance when my application is the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be tabled of the below dates upon submission of my application.					
	Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland	6:00pm				
	Public Hearing Date (Planning Commi	ission): 10/30/2023				
	Regular Meeting Date (Planning Comm					
	Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland	4:30pm				
	Board of Commissioners Meeting Dat	te: 11272023				
	*Meeting dates are sub	bject to change				
C	Signature of Applicant or Authorized Agent 9-13-23 Date	OFFICE USE ONLY opy given to applicant: 91323 (date) Staff Initials: 9 Flag (circle): Y N				
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	Notice: This section only to be completed	l if application is being withdrawn.				
	PART II - OFFICIAL CODE/APPENDIX C - LAND USE I					
	APPLICATION AND PROCED Section 1803.Withdrawal of amendment application. Any per	UKAL REQUIREMENTS				
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	land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion of the person or agency initiating such request, at any time prior to final action by the board of commissioners					
	upon written notice to the planning director	r. Any required fees shall be forfeited				
	I hereby withdraw application #:					
	Applicant Signature:	Date:				

09/13/2023

To Whom It May Concern:

This is a letter of intent for providing short-term rental via VRBO for my home @ 183 Patrick Lane, Helen GA. and to obtain a conditional use permit for short-term rental.

This home serves maximum guests of 8 per night as noted on the VRBO website.

Directions to the home:

Head north on GA-75N toward Hulsey Rd. Turn left onto Asbestos Rd. Turn right onto GA-75ALT S. Turn left onto Poplar Stump Rd. Continue onto Chattahoochee River Rd/Myra Branch Rd. Slight left onto Myra Branch Rd. Turn right onto Patrick Lane. Home is second on the left.

Sincerely, Jay & Kim Westmoreland



#### White County Environmental Health Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Acting Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • www.phdistrict2.org

Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

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**Appropriate Permit Applied For** 

Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant

Evaluation, Permit Not Applied For At This Time

DATE: <u>09/12/2023</u>

APPLICANT NAME: KIM WESTMORELAND

**Evaluation Applied For** 

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 183 PATRICK LN HELEN, GA 30545

White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

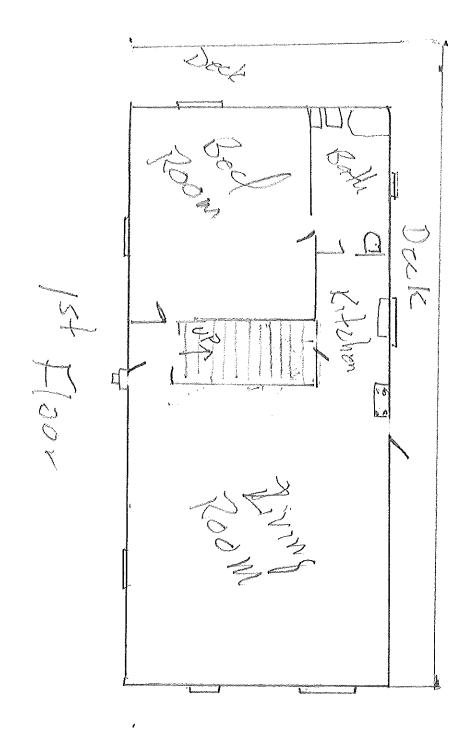
Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

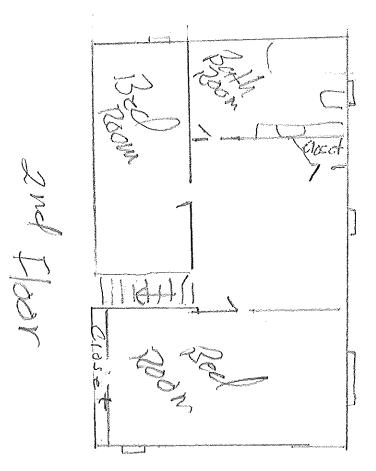
White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

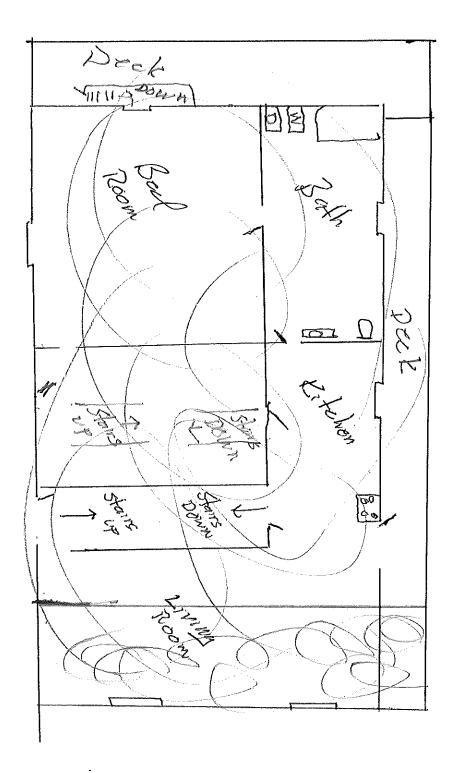
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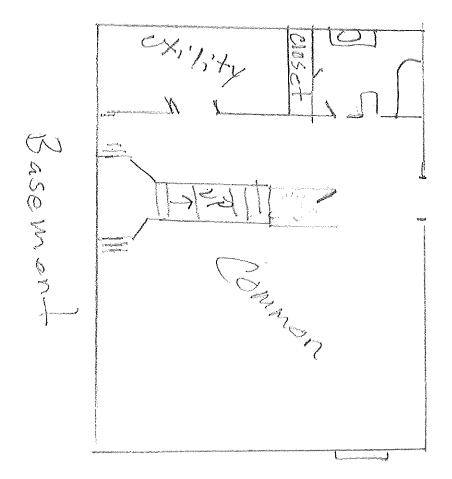


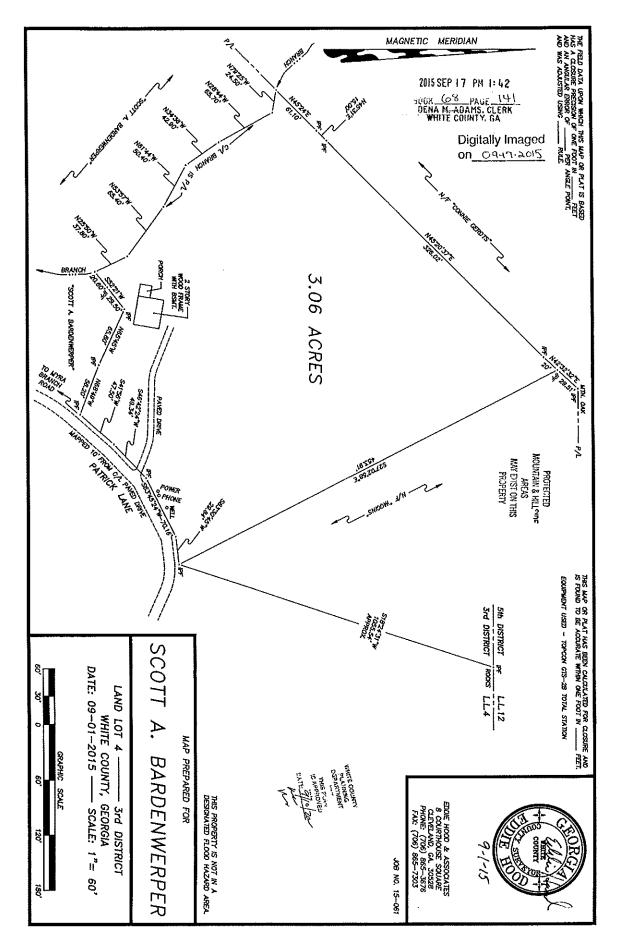
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## OFFICIAL TAX RECEIPT

#### White County Tax Commissioner

#### **Cindy Cannon**

P. O. Box 970 Cleveland GA 30528 Phone 17068652225 - Fax 17062190078 Email: wctc@whitecounty.net

#### OWNER

WESTMORELAND JAYWESTMORELAND KIM PO BOX 387 CLEVELAND. GA 30528-0007

	PAID DATE	11/9		
RE	CEIPT PRINTED		9/13/2023 10:14:47 AM	
CASH AMOUNT	CHECK AMOUNT	CHARGE AMOUNT	CHECK NUMBER(s) CHARGE APPROVAL CODE	
\$0.00	\$1,806.01	\$0.00	2020	
RE	FUND AMOUNT		\$0.00	
OVE	OVERPAY AMOUNT		\$0.00	
СН	ANGE AMOUNT		\$0.00	
	REGISTER		7	
	CASHIER			
	TOTAL PAID		\$1,806.01	

Tax Year- Bill Number FMV Property ID	Property Description Property Address District Serial Number Decal Number		Due Date Original Due	Interest Penaity Other Fees	Previous Paid Amount	Current Amount Due	Amount Paid	Tax Bill New Balance
	LL 4 LD 3 PLAT IN DB1593 382	2						
2022-18548	183 PATRICK LN		11/15/2022	\$0.00				
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### LETTER REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SHORT TERM RENTAL

Hello, My name is	Jan	Westm	NUC	ind	I am requesting
a conditional	use permit før	Short Term Rental	for the fo	llowing property:	
Address:	183	Patrick	Ln	Helen	
Parcel ID:	6	41044			

Per White County Code of Ordinances Appendix C/Article VII/Section 702, I am required to have a signed majority of the homeowners in the subdivision for me to apply for this conditional use. Please complete the form below indicating that you approve of a conditional use for Short Term Rental at my property above.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (printed name), approve of short term rental at the property referenced above. My information is provided below.

I own the following properties in this subdivision:

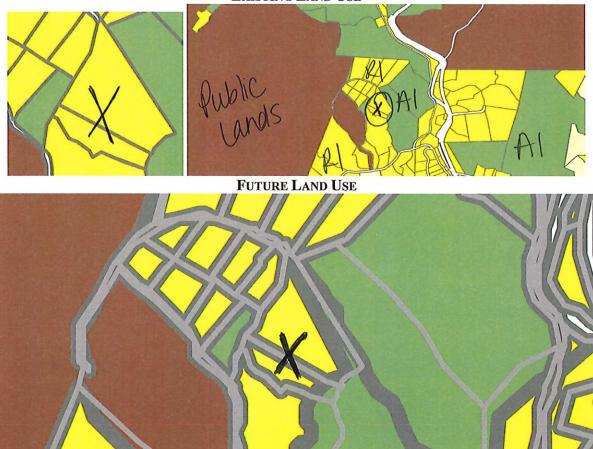
Lot #	Parcel ID	Address or Street name if no address				
041044		183 Patrick Lane				
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Phone Number:		
Email Address:		
Signature:	•	
Date Signed:		

#### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

#### JAY WESTMORELAND

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 183 PATRICK LN IN HELEN. IT IS IN THE R-1 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT AND WILL REQUIRE A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FROM THE WHITE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO PLACE THE PROPERTY IN THE SHORT TERM RENTAL PROGRAM.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE NORTH, SOUTH, AND WEST R-1 RESIDENTIAL SINGLE-FAMILY DISTRICT; TO THE EAST AND WEST A-1 AGRICULTURE FORESTRY DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 3.01.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY WELL AND SEPTIC.



**EXISTING LAND USE** 

# **Financial Reporting**

Payout summary Bank deposits Stay tax Pending transactions

This list is a summary of all stay taxes that are required in your jurisdictions. Expand a row to view the amounts by property and booking, or download a complete report.

Includes Start End ()  $\rightarrow$ V 10/31/2023 Stays within this date range 1/1/2021 Jurisdiction name Jurisdiction level Tax type Taxes Vrbo paid Taxes you pay GEORGIA STATE General Sales and Use Tax \$2,805.00 \$0.00 ~ Hotel Daily Fee GEORGIA STATE \$1,030.00 \$0.00 ~ WHITE COUNTY Accommodations Tax \$3,819.60 \$0.00 ~ General Sales and Use Tax WHITE COUNTY \$0.00 ~ \$2,103.75

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#### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2227 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. She explained the proposed short-term rental would have a maximum occupancy of ten with the same six parking for six vehicles. Ms. Lembo explained that her sister visits Sautee Nacoochee often so part of the desire is short-term rental but to maintain as a separate residence for her sister, as well as family gatherings. Currently, she said the home is vacant and last use was to house her sister's children or for friends to stay when they visit. She explained that they do not plan to rent both residences at the same time.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Lembo did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Jay Westmoreland** to request a conditional use permit located at 183 Patrick Lane, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 041-044. Total acreage is 3.01. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

Ms. Burke recused from the public hearing due to being family.

A representative, Kim Westmoreland of 1151 Helen Highway in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Westmoreland explained short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of six with parking for two to three vehicles. She said she is the local contact and there are no close neighbors. She stated the property has been on VRBO the last few years and she filed proof of taxes today for the application.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Westmoreland did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

Application of Georgianna "Emma" Stoica to request a special use permit located at 4564 Highway 255 South, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 074-130. Total acreage is 5.29. Proposed use is for a personal care home/ group home. Present zoning is A-1 Agriculture Forestry District. The applicant, Emma Stoica of 4564 Highway 255 South, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Stoica explained the proposed use is a group home for elderly people that will link personal care with hospice. She said she is licensed by the Department of Community Health and is currently remodeling the home. Ms. Stoica detailed her experience with group homes and possibility of expanding to multiple homes eventually. Currently, she said she lives in the home with her children but

#### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES REGULAR SESSION

0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this home will not be short-term rental currently since her mother-in-law lives there, but does have the intention for it to be a rental.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Yarbrough. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this would be a short-term rental, but also her family's second home so it will not be rented all of the time.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous, with Ms. Burke abstained. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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For Meeting Date: 11/27/2023

Work Session 🗌 Regular Meeting 🖂 Public Hearing 🗌

Category (Select One): Land Use Application

Submitted By: John Sell

Attachments: Yes 🖂 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. 20315
- 2. Public Hearing Minutes 10/31/2023
- 3. Regular Meeting Minutes 11/6/2023

#### **Purpose:**

Consider the application of Georgianna "Emma" Stoica to request a special use permit located at 4564 Highway 255 South, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 074-130. Total acreage is 5.29. Proposed use is for a personal care home/ group home. Present zoning is A-1 Agriculture Forestry District..

#### **Background / Summary:**

• Applicant is requesting a special use permit in A-1 for a personal care home. Ms. Stoica explained that the proposed use is for a group home for elderly that will link personal care with Hospice. She will be licensed by the Georgia Department of Community Health and they will provide inspections of the property. She said she has experience in running this type of home and will be working with her daughter. She said the maximum capacity will be an overnight caregiver plus 6 residents. She has spoken to the neighbors and the only concern was ambulance traffic but once she explained that most residents will be on Hospice and would not be subject to emergency transport. She said she will work primarily with one Hospice company. Stephanie Dubose, the director of Willowbrook Hospice, said she has been in Hospice Care for 15 years and will be working with Ms. Stoica. She said they will have access to doctors and a 24-7 RN case manager through their network. The only opposition was Erik Bentley of 4320 Highway 225 who requested that the zoning stay A-1 if there is an ownership change and he also would not want a large sign on the property. He does support the home. Ms. Stoica said she is required by the state to have a sign but will make it as small as possible. The Planning Commission recommended approval and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

#### **Department Recommendation:**

Planning Commission recommended approval by unanimous vote.

**Options:** 

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- Uphold Planning Commission recommendation and approve the application
- Reverse Planning Commission recommendation and deny the application.
- Table the application for further review or to send back to Planning Commission

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🖂

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🖂

Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

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OFFICE USE ONLY	Land Use Application #: 20315
Public Hearing Date: 0312	3 Commission District: 4
Fees Assessed: \$250	Paid via:credit cardcheck#
-other period and period and a	APPLICANT INFORMATION
Status:Owner	Authorized AgentLesseeOption to Purchase
Printed Name(s): GEORG	"IANNA = EMMA" STOICA
Address: 4564 HW	V355 S. Cleveland GA 3053
Phone Number:	Alternate Contact Number:
Email:	
Name:	r Information ( <i>if different from Applicant/Agent</i> ): Phone #:
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Parcel ID: 014120	PROPERTY INFORMATION       Total acreage being changed:
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Current Use/Zoning of Property:	Type of Road Surface:
Any prior redistricting requests for p	
	ING PROPERTY LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:
North: R1 South: A	East: West: R
REQUESTED ACTIO	N AND DETAILS OF PROPOSED USE (check all that apply)
Redistrict from district:	Redistrict to district:
Conditional Use - specify:	
Special Use - specify:	soral care Home Group Home
Land Use Variance from Code	
Proposed use if not listed above:	
Is this property part of a subdivision	? Yes No If so, please list number of lots:
Are there covenants? Yes X	Is there an active homeowner's association? Yes No
Subdivision Name (if applicable):	

## WHITE COUNTY CHANGE OF LAND USE DISTRICT APPLICATION

Existing Utilities (check all that apply):
County or City WaterWellSepticGasElectricBroadband
Proposed Utilities (check all that apply):
County or City WaterWellSepticGasElectricBroadband
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION
Building Area: No. of Parking Spaces:
RESIDENTIAL REDISTRICT INFORMATION
No. of Lots: Minimum Lot Size in acres: No. of Units:
Minimum Heated Floor Area (ft <sup>2</sup> ): 7 0 4 4 Density/Acre:
Is an Amenity area proposed (specify if yes)?
ApartmentsCondominiumsTownhomesSingle Family
Rental Cabins Recreational Vehicle Park Other- Specify:
LIST OF ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS
It is the responsibility of the Applicant to provide a list of adjacent property owners that has property bordering your property or who has property directly across the street from your property (additional sheet may be included, if necessary).
PARCEL PROPERTY OWNER NAME MAILING ADDRESS
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2 087 016 Katie McCollum 4591 Huy 2555 Clevelon
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* 074133 Michael D. Shook SG Blackberry lane fl
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#### APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby request the action contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on both the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meeting agendas.

I understand that the Planning Department staff may either accept or reject my request upon review. My request will be rejected if all the necessary data is not presented.

I understand that I have the obligation to present all data necessary and required by statute to enable the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners to make an informed determination on my request. I understand that I may seek legal advice if I am not familiar with the land use requirements and procedures.

I understand that my request will be acted upon at the Planning Commission and Board of Commissioners meetings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by someone able to present all facts and answer all questions. I understand that failure to appear at a meeting shall result in the postponement or denial of my application request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant meeting dates and times regardless of notification from White County.

I hereby certify that I have read the above and that the above information, as well as the attached information, is true and correct.

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date: 08/28/202

**2023 DEADLINES AND MEETING DATES** Planning Planning Board of **Submittal Date** Commission Commission Commissioners **Planning Dept. Office Public Hearing Regular Session** Work Session 5:00 p.m. Deadline 1239 Helen Hwy 1239 Helen Hwy 1235 Helen Hwy 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 4, 2023 Monday, January 30, 2023 Monday, February 6, 2023 Monday, February 27, 2023 Wednesday, February 1, 2023 Monday, February 27, 2023 Monday, March 6, 2023 Monday, March 27, 2023 Wednesday, March 1, 2023 Monday, March 27, 2023 Monday, April 3, 2023 Monday, April 24, 2023 Wednesday, March 29, 2023 Monday, April 24, 2023 Monday, May 1, 2023 TBA Wednesday, May 3, 2023 TBA Monday, June 5, 2023 Monday, June 26, 2023 Wednesday, May 31, 2023 Monday, June 26, 2023 Monday, July 3, 2023 Monday, July 31, 2023 Wednesday, June 14, 2023 \* Monday, July 31, 2023 Monday, August 7, 2023 Monday, August 28, 2023 Wednesday, July 12, 2023 Monday, August 28, 2023 TBA Monday, September 25, 2023 Wednesday, August 9, 2023 Monday, September 25, 2023 Monday, October 2, 2023 Monday, October 30, 2023 Wednesday, September 13, 2023 Monday, October 30, 2023 Monday, November 6, 2023 Monday, November 27, 2023 Wednesday, October 11, 2023 Monday, November 27, 2023 Monday, December 4, 2023 TBA Wednesday, November 8, 2023 TBA TBA Monday, January 29, 2024 Wednesday, December 13, 2023 Monday, January 29, 2024 Monday, February 5, 2024 Monday, February 26, 2024

\*NEW DEADLINE DATES EFFECTIVE IN ORDER TO MEET ZPL UPDATES AS OF JULY 2023

## PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION

To be completed by the property owner to certify ownership of subject property and to provide authorization for other person(s) to represent the owner on their behalf.

I/WE (print), GEORGIANNA STOLCA,
hereby swear that I/we own the property for which this land use change application is being made.
Property Address and/or Parcel ID:
PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION
Printed Name of Owner(s):
GENKGMUNCH STOLLA
Mailing Address: 4564 Huy 255 South,
Cleveland, GA 30528
Phone Number:
Alternate Contact Number:
Email:
I/we hereby authorize the person named below to act as the applicant or agent in the pursuit of the requested action on this property. I/we understand that any action granted and/or conditions or stipulations placed on the property will be binding upon the property regardless of ownership. The person named below is authorized to make this application. The person named below is aware that no application or re-application affecting the same land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date of the last action by the White County Board of Commissioners.
Printed Name of applicant or agent(s):
Signature of Owner(s):   Date Signed:
8/08/09/13/23
DRODEDTY OWNED AUTIONIZATION DOCUMENT, NOTADY ACKNOWLEDCEMENT
PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this <u>13</u> day of <u>September</u> , 20 <u>23</u> by <u>Georgianna</u> Stoica (name of signer(s)). The named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or produced the identification type of <u>Drivers</u> <u>License</u> (0533994)
{Seal} (Signature of Notary)
Telaka Thomas (Name of Notary Typed, Stamped, or Printed)
Exp. July 30, 2025 Page 6 of 8 NS COUNTIN

#### NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT ADJACENCY

Future abutting developers in non-agricultural land use districts shall be provided with this "Notice of Agricultural Adjacency" prior to administrative action on either land use district, the issuance of a building or occupancy permit or approval of a subdivision of property. Prior to administrative action, the applicant shall be required to sign this wavier which indicates that the applicant understands that a use is ongoing, adjacent to his/her use, which can produce odors, noise, dust and other effects which may not be compatible with the applicant's development. Nevertheless, understanding the effects of the adjacent Agricultural District uses, the applicant agrees by executing this form to waive any objection to those effects and understands that his/her district change and/or permits or other approvals are issued and processed in reliance on his agreement not to bring any action asserting that the adjacent uses in the Agricultural District constitute a nuisance against the local government and adjoining land owners whose property is located in an Agricultural District. This wavier shall be provided and made applicable for subsequent purchasers and owners or heirs of his/her property. This notice and acknowledgement shall be public record.

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date:

08/28/202

#### **DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS** (APPLICANTS AND REPRESENTATIVE(S) OF REQUESTED ACTION)

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 36-67 A-3.A, the disclosure of any campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official who will consider an application for re-classification or for a conditional use or special use permit is mandatory when an application or any representation of application for re-classification of district or for conditional use or special use permit has been made within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of a request for reclassification or conditional use or special use permit by the same applicant and/or <sup>1</sup> representative of said applicant. It shall be the duty of the applicant and/or any representatives of the applicant to file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government to show the following:

Name of local official(s) to whom campaign contribution was made:

The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application for action for district reclassification, conditional use or special use permit.

Amount \$:

Date:

CONTRACTOR ....

Date: OK

Enumeration and description of each gift (when the total value of all gifts is \$250.00 or more) made to the local government official during the two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application. Please attach additional sheets if needed.

Check box if no contributions made 🗹

Applicant Signature:

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## SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS

To be completed and notarized for any application where the proposed use is short term rental.

I/WE (print),

hereby swear that I/we own/will own the property referenced below for which this land use change application is being made.

#### \*Property Address and/or Parcel ID:

#### **PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS**

I acknowledge to keep the total number of guests to that number which can safely stay in the premises and may be subject to the State of Georgia's fire safety code regulations.

Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):

#### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED BY OWNER OR THIRD PARTY INSPECTOR

I attest by owner or third party inspector that short term rentals meet applicable International Building Code, International Fire Code regulations and NFPA 101 Life Safety codes.

Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):

#### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED DEED RESTRICTION

I certify that there are no deed restriction and/or covenants on the property that prohibits the use of the property as a short-term rental.

Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):

#### PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION CERTIFIED SHORT-TERM RENTAL INSURANCE

I certify that the owner/future owner has commercial or specific short-term rental insurance for the property. If insurance has not been obtained at time of application, I certify that owner/future owner will obtain prior to renting if application approval is granted.

Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):

**OFFICIAL CODE OF WHITE COUNTY APPENDIX C/ARTICLE VII – SHORT TERM RENTALS &** BUSINESS LICENSES NOTIFICATION

I certify that I have been informed of and provided a copy of Appendix C/Article VII - Short Term Rentals. I certify that I have also been informed that I will need to contact the White County Business Tax Office (706-865-2235) to obtain the proper business licensing, host licensing, and subsequent tax information prior to operation of my short-term rental.

Signature of Owner/Future Owner(s):

## SHORT TERM RENTAL CERTIFICATIONS DOCUMENT: NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this

day of

by (name of signer(s)). The

named signer(s) is/are personally known by me or produced the identification type of

{Seal}

(Signature of Notary)

(Name of Notary Typed, Stamped, or Printed)

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## APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF MEETING DATES

I, GEORGIANNA STOICA	(print name) have been advised that I or someone					
to represent me must be in attendance when my applicati	ion is before the White County Planning Commission and					
the White County Board of Commissioners or it will be	tabled. I also acknowledge that I have been made aware					
of the below dates upon submission of my application.						
Senior Center, 1239 Helen Hwy, Cleveland	6:00pm					
Public Hearing Date (Planning Commission): 030203						
Regular Meeting Date (Planning Commission): 11 4 2023						
Administration Building, 1235 Helen Hwy, Cleveland	1 4:30pm					
Board of Commissioners Meeting	g Date: 11212023					
*Meeting dates an	re subject to change					
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Signature of Applicant or Authorized Agent						
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	<i>leted if application is being withdrawn.</i> JSE REGULATIONS/ARTICLE XVIII. AMENDMENT,					
	CEDURAL REQUIREMENTS					
Section 1803. Withdrawal of amendment application. Any petition for an amendment to these regulations, official land use district map, conditional use approval, variance or special use permit may be withdrawn, at the discretion						
	time prior to final action by the board of commissioners					
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upon written nonce to the planning une	Scior. Any required rees shall be forfelied					
I hereby withdraw application #:						
I hereby withdraw application #: Applicant Signature:	Date:					

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With this said, I have been really @ built that I had to sell my personal are have in gunnett conty after having it for 18 years. My intent with my property now in develand is turn it into a small personal carehone for the eldery where it would be runned by me und my daughter Ariana only. very gamily oriented business I had 1-2 Residents live with us in the Bast years here already as of had no vacancies at the guinnet have This is a passion I have had for 30 years isto cove for Elidery pape and give them good care, good and above. I have already set upa LLC and other licenses elneed, but before getting the state license th need the zoning to be approved as rell. I understand my peperty is a AI for the pasture which is 4 acres but H

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Thaleyou and see you all son!

Georgianna Ernma" Stoica



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DATE:

## White County Environmental Health Zachary Taylor, M.D., M.S., Acting Health Director 1241 Helen Highway, Unit 210 • Cleveland, GA 30528 PH: 706-348-7698 • FAX: 706-348-1670 • www.phdistrict2.org

Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

Evaluation Applied For
 Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant
 Appropriate Permit Issued to Applicant
 69/13/2023
 Appropriate Permit Applied For
 Appropriate Permit Not Applied
 For At This Time

APPLICANT NAME: Georgianna Stoica

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 4564 HWY 255 S Cleveland, GA, 30528

White County Planning Department:

In reference to a request for a change of zoning/land use or a building permit, application may need to be made for an existing system evaluation to determine:

- that the permit on file is the correct permit for the property in question;
- that there is no evidence of system failure;
- that the septic system is appropriately sized for the current and proposed use;
- that there is adequate repair after the proposed addition;
- that there are no conditions that could adversely affect the functionality of the system.

Please note that this is NOT an all-inclusive list. Based upon the information submitted and/or the outcome of the evaluation, it may be determined that a septic system needs additional capacity or upgrade. If so, the appropriate permit will need to be obtained and the work completed before an approval can be given.

If, based upon information submitted, no septic systems exist on the property, this zoning/land use change and/or building permit request should not affect the property with respect to septic use.

White County Environmental Health District 2 Public Health

By signing below, I certify all information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature

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## OFFICIAL TAX RECEIPT

## White County Tax Commissioner

#### **Cindy Cannon**

P. O. Box 970 Cleveland GA 30528 Phone 17068652225 - Fax 17062190078 Email: wctc@whitecounty.net

#### OWNER

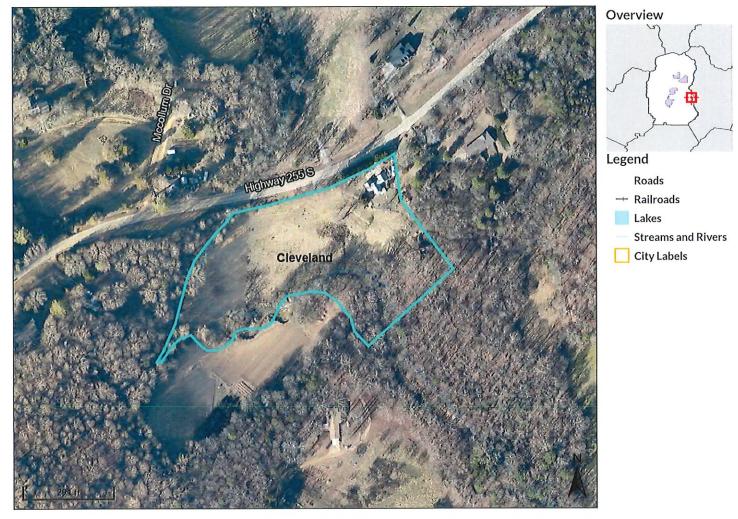
STOICA GEORGIANNA HERA PO BOX 337 CLEVELAND. GA 30528

10/31/2022		PAID DATE	PAID DATE		
9/13/2023 9:38:14 AM		RECEIPT PRINTED			
CHECK NUMBER(s) CHARGE APPROVAL CODE	CHARGE AMOUNT	CHECK AMOUNT	CASH AMOUNT		
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\$0.00	OVERPAY AMOUNT				
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		CASHIER			
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Tax Year- Bill Number FMV Property ID	Property Description Property Address District Serial Number Decal Number	1	Due Date Original Due	Interest Penalty Other Fees	Previous Paid Amount	Current Amount Due		Tax Bill New Balance
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Parcel ID 074 130 Sec/Twp/Rng n/a Property Address 4564 HWY 255 S 01 District 01 LL 180 LD3 **Brief Tax Description** (Note: Not to be used on legal documents)

Alternate ID 5178608 V Class Acreage 5.29

**Owner Address STOICA GEORGIANNA HERA** PO BOX 337 cLEVELAND GA 30528

Date created: 9/13/2023 Last Data Uploaded: 9/13/2023 5:29:20 AM

Developed by Schneider

## WHITE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STAFF COMMENT

#### GEORGIANNA "EMMA" STOICA

- PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 4564 HIGHWAY 255 S IN CLEVELAND. IT IS IN THE A-1 AGRICULTURE FORESTRY DISTRICT AND WILL REQUIRE A SPECIAL USE PERMIT FROM THE WHITE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR PERSONAL CARE HOME/GROUP HOME.
- PROPERTY ADJOINS TO THE NORTH C-1 COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL DISTRICT; TO THE SOUTH, EAST, AND WEST A-1 AGRICULTURE FORESTRY DISTRICT.
- THE WHITE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUTURE LAND USE MAP INDICATES COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL.
- TOTAL ACREAGE IS 5.29.
- PROPERTY SUPPLIED BY WELL AND SEPTIC.



**EXISTING LAND USE** 

## WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Paula Lembo and Loretta Martin** to redistrict property located at 2227 Highway 17, Sautee Nacoochee, Georgia, 30571 from C-1 Community Commercial District to R-1 Residential Single Family District and to request a conditional use permit. Tax map and parcel 071-070. Total acreage is 0.93. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is C-1 Community Commercial District.

The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. She explained the proposed short-term rental would have a maximum occupancy of ten with the same six parking for six vehicles. Ms. Lembo explained that her sister visits Sautee Nacoochee often so part of the desire is short-term rental but to maintain as a separate residence for her sister, as well as family gatherings. Currently, she said the home is vacant and last use was to house her sister's children or for friends to stay when they visit. She explained that they do not plan to rent both residences at the same time.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Lembo did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

**Application of Jay Westmoreland** to request a conditional use permit located at 183 Patrick Lane, Helen, Georgia, 30545. Tax map and parcel 041-044. Total acreage is 3.01. Proposed use is to place in "Short Term Rental" program. Present zoning is R-1 Residential Single Family.

Ms. Burke recused from the public hearing due to being family.

A representative, Kim Westmoreland of 1151 Helen Highway in Cleveland, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Westmoreland explained short-term rental has a maximum occupancy of six with parking for two to three vehicles. She said she is the local contact and there are no close neighbors. She stated the property has been on VRBO the last few years and she filed proof of taxes today for the application.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application, there was no response. He asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response. Ms. Westmoreland did not have anything to add. Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

Application of Georgianna "Emma" Stoica to request a special use permit located at 4564 Highway 255 South, Cleveland, Georgia, 30528. Tax map and parcel 074-130. Total acreage is 5.29. Proposed use is for a personal care home/ group home. Present zoning is A-1 Agriculture Forestry District. The applicant, Emma Stoica of 4564 Highway 255 South, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Stoica explained the proposed use is a group home for elderly people that will link personal care with hospice. She said she is licensed by the Department of Community Health and is currently remodeling the home. Ms. Stoica detailed her experience with group homes and possibility of expanding to multiple homes eventually. Currently, she said she lives in the home with her children but

## WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES PUBLIC HEARING: LAND USE REGULATION

they will move out once converted. She explained that she will be the main caregiver and manager, but will have a caregiver that lives there and the maximum overnight occupancy would be the caregiver plus six residents. She detailed the process required by the state and said she is given a specific timeframe to complete any additional items they have after inspection. She said she has spoken to the neighbors and they are spread out due to large acreages. However, she said the only question she got from the neighbors was about ambulances at the property, but she said the residents would be mostly hospice and would not go through emergency transport. She stated preference would be that she work with a singular hospice company.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak for the application.

Stephanie Dubose 27 Pebble Lane in Cleveland, director of Willowbrook Hospice, explained that she has been in hospice for fifteen years and works with Northeast Georgia Senior Services, which is a group of people willing to bring care homes and assisted living to surrounding counties. She said partnering with small care homes gives the opportunity to speak with care homes instead of calling 911 and will have access to doctors and an RN case manager twenty four seven. Ms. Dubois said they would help with daily activities and provide the opportunity for residents to stay local and not go to Atlanta or Gwinnett.

Erik Bentley of 4320 Highway 255 South requested that the zoning stay A-1 or residential if there is an ownership change and said the preference would be not to have a large sign since this is in a small community. He said he does vote for this as a neighbor and sees the need for it.

Chairman Thomas asked if anyone would like to speak against the application, there was no response.

Mr. Barton clarified that the application is to stay in A-1 with a conditional use permit, so the zoning would not change.

Chairman Thomas closed the hearing. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November  $6^{th}$ .

Motion to adjourn made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Ms. Burke. Motion was unanimous.

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The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this home will not be short-term rental currently since her mother-in-law lives there, but does have the intention for it to be a rental.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Burke and seconded by Mr. Yarbrough. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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The applicant, Paula Lembo of 1421 Yonah Lake Road in Clarkesville, GA, was present. Mr. Barton gave a summary of the application. Ms. Lembo explained this would be a short-term rental, but also her family's second home so it will not be rented all of the time.

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ash. Motion was unanimous, with Ms. Burke abstained. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

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#### WHITE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES REGULAR SESSION

Motion to recommend approval to the Board of Commissioners made by Mr. Ackerman and seconded by Ms. Dixon. Motion was unanimous. Mr. Barton advised the applicant of the next meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

There was no citizen comment. Motion to adjourn made by Ms. Dixon and seconded by Mr. Ackerman. Motion was unanimous.

WHITE COUNTY
Board of Commissioners
Item Title: Budget amendment for McCormick Solutions
For Meeting Date: 11/27/2023
Work Session 🗌 Regular Meeting 🔀 Public Hearing 🗌
Category (Select One): Other
Submitted By: Bryan Payne, Chief Appraiser for the Board of Assessors
Attachments:       Yes       If yes, please list each file name below:         1.       McCormick Solutions Quote         2.

#### **Purpose:**

To enter into a contract with McCormick Solutions for analysis of the CAMA data to improve the sales ratio with the Department of Audits and Accounts.

#### **Background / Summary:**

• In 2020, the Department of Audits and Accounts returned a ratio for White County which was not in compliance with the Department of Revenue guidelines. The Board of Assessors is given three years to correct the problem areas before the next review. 2023 is the Board of Assessors review year. Because the DOAA ratio methodology includes trending of sales and the in-house ratio studies performed by the Chief Appraiser do not include trending, the ratios differ greatly. McCormick Solutions has developed a program which will analyze the in-house data and adjust it accordingly so that the ratios are more similar in nature and methodology.

#### **Department Recommendation:**

The Board of Assessors voted at the November 8, 2023 regular meeting to ask the Board of Commissioners for funding to perform this data analysis in an effort to raise the ratio to a compliant level. If the ratio is still out of compliance for the review year a \$5/parcel penalty will be assessed against the County by the Department of Revenue.

#### **Options:**

Budget Information: Applicable Not Applicable

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🖂

#### Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

- This is one of two things that the Assessors are doing to try to get into compliance in the review year. The way I understand this is, this program will allow the department ratios to be consistent with the DOAA by allowing "trending" that is consistent with DOAA. The cost for this program is not re-occuring and will be beneficial in "normalizing" data in years to come.
- The assessors office is also looking to get some outside assitance to help catch up on the parcel assessments.
- It is anticipated that we can fund these items with a shift in other department expenses. However, it will be the fiscal year-end before we know if there is departmental excess resources to cover the total expenses. If there are insufficient funds at the fiscal year-end, then a budget ammendment will be in order and funds can come from Contingency.



McCormick Solutions a division of LMC Inc

## APPRAISALS | ANALYTICS

Proposal for Real Property White County Georgia

> Terry McCormick 10/25/2023

McCormick Solutions Inc., respectfully submits the following bid proposal for the analytics of data for BI Tek White County, Georgia.

#### **Items of Submission:**

The cost submitted for this request covers the following items:

- Power Bl
  - Data from BI TEK the appraisal system for the county will be joined in Power BI in order for the county to use such data to assist in the setting of values in the mass appraisal process!.
  - Analytics will offer the following:
  - o Ratio based on depreciation.
  - o Ratios based in square feet.
  - Ratios based on construction types, qualities.
  - o Increase decrease list
  - Assist the county with recommendations of time adjustments for compliance with 2024 residential DOAA ratio study.

**Cost of Service** 

\$38,600

## **Company Information**:

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Along with references, McCormick Solutions a division of LMC, Inc. would like to submit information regarding the company and appraisal work performed in Georgia.

## **Additional Company Information:**

Company Name	LMC, Inc.	
Principle Owners	Terry McCormick	
Business Address	3439 Kelly Bridge Rd	
	Dawsonville GA 30534	
Phone Number	Terry McCormick: 770-262-1385	

## **County References during last 5 Years:**

County Name	Address	Telephone	Contact
Dawson	25 Justice Way	706-344-3590	Elaine Garrett
Greene	1034 Silver Dr	706-453-3355	Debbie Moreno
Dade	71 Case Ave	706-657-6341	Paula Duvall
Gwinnett	75 Langley Dr Lawrenceville GA 30046	770-822-7200	Stewart Oliver
Walker	122 Ga 95	706-638-4823	Terry Gilreath
Lumpkin	99 Courthouse Hill	706-864-2433	Danny Ziemer

County Contracts in Progress: Gwinnett Dawson Lumpkin Greene Walker Dade Franklin Whitfield

## **Contract for Services**

**County of White** 

**State of Georgia** 

THIS CONTRACT AND AGREEMENT is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2023

, by and between White COUNTY, GEORGIA, a political subdivision of the state of Georgia, acting by and through its Board of Tax Assessors (herein, the "County") and McCormick Solutions a division of LMC Inc, (herein the "Company") for the purposes of providing services for analytical or logical reasoning for data provided by White County, Georgia. Kelly McCormick will be project manager.

#### **Scope of Service**

#### **Install POWER BI**

- Connect CAMA (BI TEK) data with Power BI \* a Microsoft product the desk version is free.
- Dashboards will be created for the county.
  - Data from BI TEK the appraisal system for the county will be joined in Power BI in order for the county to use such data to assist in the setting of values in the mass appraisal process!.
  - Analytics will offer the following:
  - Ratio based on depreciation.
  - Ratios based in square feet.
  - o Ratios based on construction types, qualities.
  - o Increase decrease list.
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#### **County expectations**

County will provide data from BI TEK

County will provide remote access to at least one computer through VPN or some other source

**McCormick Solutions** A division of LMC Inc. Will provided these services based on the following cost. Billed half due at signing of the contract and the final billing n later than April 30<sup>th</sup> 2024

for the sum of: **\$ 38,600** 

**Invoices:** Invoices will be billed based on above statement and approved by the Chief Appraiser. Invoices are net 10 days, after 30 days 1 ½ interest will be added to all late payments.

Terry McCormick

McCormick Solutions, Chief Financial Officer

White County Board of Commissioners

Attest



# WHITE COUNTY

Board of Commissioners

**Agenda Request Form** 

Item Title: LMIG 2024 Grant Application

**For Meeting Date:** 11/27/2023

Work Session 🖂 Regular Meeting 🗌 Public Hearing 🗌

Category (Select One): Grant App / Acceptance

Submitted By: Derick Canupp

Attachments: Yes 🖂 If yes, please list each file name below:

- 1. LMIG Cover Letter
- 2. <u>Signature Page</u>
- 3. Proposed Project List

#### **Purpose:**

To seek approval of LMIG 2024 grant application

#### **Background / Summary:**

- The Local Maintenance and Improvement Grant (LMIG) is a grant that counties receive each year from GDOT. The attached grant application is ready for Board review. If approved by the Board, the application will be submitted to GDOT for further processing. The forumla amount for FY 23 is \$476,005.35 and requires a minimum 30% match.
- Funding Sources:
- LMIG: \$476,005.35
- SPLOST: \$1,022,276.65
- Total Project Estimate: \$1,498,282
- CIP Budget: 1,565,730
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#### **Department Recommendation:**

Staff recommends approving LMIG 2024 application as presented

- Revise project scope and cost
- Commission defined alternative

Budget Information: Applicable 🗌 Not Applicable 🗌

Budgeted: Yes 🛛 No 🗌

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## Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):

**County Manager Comments:** 

• recommend approving LMIG 2024 application

## GEORGIA DOT LMIG PROGRAM White County 2024 Project List (Proposed)

Co. Rd. No.	Road Name	Beginning	Ending	Length (Miles)	Description of Work	Ρ	roject Cost	Project Let Date
84	Albert Reid Rd.	US 129	Asbestos Rd.	4.00	Patch	\$	491,556	May 1, 2024
10	Kinsey Town Rd.	SR 384	SR 115	2.60	Patch	\$	396,812	May 1, 2024
11	Adair Mill Rd.	Town Creek Rd.	US 129	3.25	Level and Overlay	\$	609,914	May 1, 2024
				9.85		\$	1,498,282	

Total Project Estimate	\$ 1,498,282.00
LMIG Grant	\$ 476,005.35
SPLOST	\$ 1,022,276.65



## **Board of Commissioners**

Travis C. Turner, Chairman • Terry D. Goodger, District 1 • Lyn Holcomb, District 2 • Edwin Nix, District 3 • Craig Bryant, District 4

November 15, 2023

Charles Arnhart District 1 State Aid Coordinator 1475 Jesse Jewell Pkwy., NE Gainesville, GA 30501

RE: LMIG 2024 Grant Application - White County

Mr. Arnhart,

Please find enclosed the White County 2024 LMIG application, along with a project list including location, scope of work, and estimated cost. The proposed project for the 2024 LMIG program consists of pavement Patching and Resurfacing of 9.85 miles of county roads.

The 2023 LMIG project is nearly complete and progressing well. The project should be closed out, with statement of final expenditures, by December 15, 2023. Should you have any questions or need additional information please contact Derick Canupp, Public Works Director, at (706) 865-2510.

Sincerely,

Travis C. Turner Commission Chairman

#### GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION LOCAL MAINTENANCE & IMPROVEMENT GRANT (LMIG) APPLICATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024 TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY. ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED.

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT AFFIDAVIT AND CERTIFICATION

\_\_\_\_\_(Name), the\_\_\_\_\_

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(Title), on behalf of

(Local Government), who being duly sworn do swear that the information given herein is true to the best of his/her knowledge and belief. Local Government swears and certifies that it has read and understands the LMIG General Guidelines and Rules and that it has complied with and will comply with the same.

Local government further swears and certifies that it has read and understands the regulations for the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 (O.C.G.A. § 45-12-200, et seq.), Service Delivery Strategy Act (O.C.G.A. § 36-70-20, et seq.), and the Local Government Budgets and Audits Act (O.C.G.A. 36-81-7 et seq.) and will comply in full with said provisions. Local government further swears and certifies that the roads or sections of roads described and shown on the local government's Project List are dedicated public roads and are part of the Public Road System in said county/city. Local government further swears and certifies that it complied with federal and/or state environmental protection laws and at the completion of the project(s), it met the match requirements as stated in the Transportation Investment ACT (TIA).

Further, the local government shall be responsible for any claim, damage, loss or expense that is attributable to negligent acts, errors, or omissions related to the designs, drawings, specifications, work and other services furnished by or on behalf of the local government pursuant to this Application ("Loss"). To the extent provided by law, the local government further agrees to hold harmless and indemnify the DEPARTMENT and the State of Georgia from all suits or claims that may arise from said Loss.

If the local government fails to comply with these General Guidelines and Rules, or fails to comply with its Application and Certification, or fails to cooperate with the auditor(s) or fails to maintain and retain sufficient records, the DEPARTMENT may, at its discretion, prohibit the local government from participating in the LMIG program in the future and may pursue any available legal remedy to obtain reimbursement of the LMIG funds. Furthermore, if in the estimation of the DEPARTMENT, a roadway or bridge shows evidence of failure(s) due to poor workmanship, the use of substandard materials, or the failure to follow the required design and construction guidelines as set forth herein, the Department may pursue any available legal remedy to obtain reimbursement of the allocated LMIG funds or prohibit local government from participating in the LMIG program until such time as corrections are made to address the deficiencies or reimbursement is made. All projects identified on the Project list shall be constructed in accordance with the Department's Standard Specifications of Transportation Systems (Current Edition), Supplemental Specifications (Current Edition), and Special Provisions.

Local Government:		
		E-Verify Number
	_ (Signature)	Sworn to and subscribed before me,
	_ (Print)	This day of, 20
Mayor / Commission Chairperson	I	In the presence of:
	_ (Date)	
		NOTARY PUBLIC
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SEAL:		
		My Commission Expires:
		NOTARY PUBLIC SEAL:

WHITE COUNTY
Board of Commissioners
Item Title: Certificate of Deposits Quotes
For Meeting Date: 11/27/2023
Work Session 🔀 Regular Meeting 🗌 Public Hearing 🗌
Category (Select One): Other
Submitted By: Jodi Ligon
Attachments:       Yes       If yes, please list each file name below:         1.       November 2023 CD Quote Results         2.

#### **Purpose:**

To approve the purchase of two (2) Certificates of Deposit.

#### **Background / Summary:**

- White County currently has two Certificates of Deposit at United Community Bank.
- One CD has an approximate value of \$693,000 and is a cash asset recorded in the General Fund.
- One CD has an approximate value of \$35,500 and is a cash asset recorded in the Solid Waste Fund.
- Both CDs were earning 2.750% APR / 2.79% APY and matured November 21, 2023.
- Quote requests were sent to Piedmont Bank, United Community Bank, Regions Bank, Apex Bank and South State Bank. Regions Bank and South State Bank did not respond. Piedmont Bank's response states an early withdrawal penalty.

#### **Department Recommendation:**

#### **Options:**

- Move funds to Piedmont Bank highest quoted CD rate w/ early withdrawal penalty
- Move funds to Apex Bank next highest quoted CD rate no early withdrawal penalty
- Leave funds at United Community Bank and transfer to General Operating account for highest rate earned

Budget Information: Applicable Not Applicable

Budgeted: Yes 🗌 No 🗌

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**Finance Director's Comments (if applicable):** 

#### **County Manager Comments:**

• In the future, we should consider looking into options other than CD's. i.e. state managed Local Government Investment Pool and US government securities.

## Request for Quotes for Certificates of Deposit Currently held at United Community Bank @ 2.75%APR / 2.79%APY Maturity Date: November 21, 2023

Certificate #1 \$693,000 approx. value		(12 month Maturity)		
Banking Institution	Banking Institution Quote Rec'd		ΑΡΥ	<b>Total Interest</b>
United Community Bank	Yes	4.28%	4.35%	\$30,139.85
Piedmont Bank*	Yes	4.98%	5.10%	\$36,257.17
Apex Bank	Yes	4.50%	4.58%	\$31,715.00
South State Bank	No response	-	-	-
Regions Bank	No response	-	-	_

Certificate #1 \$693,00	(6	month Mat	turity)	
Banking Institution	Quote Rec'd	Rate	ΑΡΥ	Total Interest
United Community Bank	Yes	4.67%	4.75%	\$16,276.01
Piedmont Bank*	Yes	4.98%	5.10%	\$17,847.81
Apex Bank	Yes	4.80%	4.89%	\$16,732.00
South State Bank	No response	-	-	-
Regions Bank	No response	-	-	-

Certificate #2 \$35,500	(12 month Maturity)			
Banking Institution	ution Quote Rec'd		ΑΡΥ	<b>Total Interest</b>
United Community Bank	Yes	4.28%	4.35%	\$1,543.69
Piedmont Bank*	Yes	4.98%	5.10%	\$1,857.33
Apex Bank	Yes	4.50%	4.58%	\$1,625.00
South State Bank	No response	-	-	_
Regions Bank	No response	-	-	_

Certificate #2 \$35,500 approx. value (6 month Maturity)					
Banking Institution	Quote Rec'd	Rate	ΑΡΥ	<b>Total Interest</b>	
United Community Bank	Yes	4.67%	4.75%	\$833.76	
Piedmont Bank*	Yes	4.98%	5.10%	\$914.28	
Apex Bank	Yes	4.80%	4.89%	\$857.00	
South State Bank	No response	-	-	-	
Regions Bank	No response	-	-	_	

\* CDARS Program - 180 days of interest early withdrawal penalty

\* CDARS Program - 90 days of interest early withdrawal penalty



November 15, 2023

Jodi Ligon White County Board of Commissioners 1235 Helen Highway Cleveland, GA 30528

Dear Jodi,

We would like to bid on your Certificate of Deposit in the amount of \$693,000 for the following terms of 6 months and 12 months. There will not be a penalty for early withdrawal.

I would also like to propose cashing in the Certificate of Deposit and put in the County's interestbearing account that is currently earning 5.25% (current Fed Funds Lower Bound rate).

Term: Rate: APY: Interest: Maturity Value: 6 months 4.67% 4.75% \$16,276.01 \$709,276.01

12 months Term: 4.28% Rate: APY: 4.35% \$30,139.85 Interest: \$723,139.85 Maturity Value:

Sincerely,

Donald W. Harris President United Community Bank

153 East Kytle Street Cleveland, GA 30528 **P** 706-865-3151 **F** 706-865-6767



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Term: 6 Rate: APY: Interest: \$ Maturity Value: \$3

6 months 4.67% 4.75% \$833.76 \$36,333.76

12 months
4.28%
4.35%
\$1,543.69
\$37,043.69

Sincerely,

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153 East Kytle Street Cleveland, GA 30528 **P** 706-865-3151 **F** 706-865-6767



November 8, 2023

Jodi Ligon White County Board of Commissioners 1235 Helen Highway Cleveland, GA 30528

Dear Ms. Ligon,

The Piedmont Bank would like to bid on the Certificate of Deposit for The White County Board of Commissioners in the amount of \$693,000.00. In lieu of pledging these funds, they would be placed in a CDARS CD that is fully FDIC insured to the full amount. With this program there is an early withdrawal penalty.

Our bid is:

Term:	6 months
APY:	5.10%
APR:	4.98%
Anticipated Payout:	\$710,847.81
Early Withdrawal Penalty:	90 days of interest

Term:	12 Months
APY:	5.10%
APR:	4.98%
Anticipated Payout:	\$729,257.17
Early Withdrawal Penalty:	180 days of interest

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to bid on this deposit. If you have any questions, please contact me at 706-348-6822.

Sincerely,

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Don E. Allison North Georgia Regional President



November 8, 2023

Jodi Ligon White County Board of Commissioners 1235 Helen Highway Cleveland, GA 30528

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Our bid is:

Term:	6 months
APY:	5.10%
APR:	4.98%
Anticipated Payout:	\$36,414.28
Early Withdrawal Penalty:	90 days of interest

Term:	12 Months
APY:	5.10 %
APR:	4.98%
Anticipated Payout:	\$37,357.33
Early Withdrawal Penalty:	180 days of interest

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to bid on this deposit. If you have any questions, please contact me at 706-348-6822.

Sincerely,

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Don E. Allison North Georgia Regional President



November 16, 2023

White County Board of Commissioners Attn: Jodi Ligon 1235 Helen Highway Cleveland, GA 30528

Re: CD request for quotes

Dear Ms. Ligon,

Below are the rates and required information for the quote requests dated November 3, 2023.

				Interest	<u>Final</u>	
	Term	APR	APY	Earned	Balance	
\$693,000	6 mo.	4.80%	4.89%	\$16,732	\$709,731.79	
\$693,000	12 mo.	4.50%	4.58%	\$31,715	\$724,715.20	
\$35,500	6 mo.	4.80%	4.89%	\$857	\$36,357.11	
\$35,500	12 mo.	4.50%	4.58%	\$1,625	\$37,124.66	

Please be assured that Apex Banking Company of Georgia will always comply with government regulations and have all funds above FDIC insurance levels collateralized to the full extent of the law. There will not be any fees, charges, or early withdrawal penalties imposed on these certificates of deposit.

Reach out to me with any questions at 706-723-8487 or via e-mail at dmote@apexga.bank.

Respectfully submitted,

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Deanna A. Mote Chief Financial Officer Apex Banking Company of Georgia