PSA-20-02 (Riverbend Ranch)

Receive a Staff presentation and hold a Public Hearing to consider a request by HK Real Estate Development for a Preferred Scenario Map Amendment from "Area of Stability-Low Intensity" to "Growth Area-Medium Intensity" for 1,142 acres of land, more or less, located at the intersection of North Old Bastrop Highway and Staples Road.

SAD Location:

- Approximately 1,142 acres near the intersection of North Old Bastrop Highway and Staples Road.
- Vacant/Agricultural land
- Located outside the City
 Limits in the ETJ
- Surrounding uses include:
 - Vacant/Agricultural
 - Winery, Water Treatment Plant, and RV Park across the San Marcos River
 - Residential, Commercial, Industrial (ETJ-Redwood Community)

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Request:

- Area of Stability-Low Intensity to Growth Area-Medium Intensity
- Amends the Preferred Scenario for this area in the map and Comprehensive Plan
- The Preferred Scenario directs intensity of and development within a designated area
- Determines which zoning amendments are consistent and can be considered



TABLE 4.1 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN / DISTRICT TRANSLATION

DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION	COMPREHENSIVE PLAN DESIGNATIONS						
	OPEN SPACE/ Agricultural	LOW INTENSITY	EXISTING Neighborhood	MEDIUM OR HIGH Intensity Zone	EMPLOYMENT Center	CORRIDOR	
Conventional Residential	NP	NP	с				
Neighborhood Density Districts	NP	NP	See Section 4.1.2.4 - 4.1.2.5	NP	NP	с	
Character Districts	NP	с		с	NP	с	
Special Districts		NP	NP	NP	с	с	
Legend	= Not Allowed	(PSA Required)	NP=Not Preferred		C = Consider		

Low Intensity: Generally made up of large tracts of land where preservation of sensitive environmental areas, flood hazard areas, and agricultural lands should be considered as part of any development proposal.

<u>Medium or High Intensity</u>: An area of change intended to accommodate the City's future growth and expansion where people can meet their daily needs with a short walk, bike, transit trip or drive





Low Intensity: Single Family, Bed & Breakfasts, Home Office, Corner Neighborhood Retail. Mixed use at nodes and corridors. 1-3 story buildings. Examples: Blanco Vista and Paso Robles.

<u>Medium Intensity:</u> Single Family, Duplex, Multifamily, Lodging, Office/Flex Space at nodes, Corner Store, Convenience Retail, Restaurant, Light Industrial with CUP. Mixed use at nodes and corridors. 1-5 story buildings. Examples: Blanco Vista, Paso Robles, East Village, Medical District, South End, Star Park, Triangle.

Zoning Context

Existing Zoning:

- Outside City Limits (ETJ)
- Adjacent to Future Development
- Proposed Zoning: Medium Intensity Planning Area (PA)
- Annexation request is being processed concurrently for property

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Planning Area Districts:

- Allows for the assignment of specific Character and/or Employment Districts based on Preferred Scenario
- Preferred Scenario Amendment change:
 - <u>Conservation Planning Area</u>: Clustered residential development in appropriate areas where large areas of environmentally sensitive or prime agricultural lands are preserved
 - Medium Intensity Planning Area: Area of change that accommodates new master planned communities with diverse housing types developed around a 5 minute walk to all services

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SECTION 4.4.3.7 PLANNING AREA DISTRICT



TABLE 4.14 PLANNING AREA DISTRICT ALLOCATION

PREFERRED SCENARIO AREA	A PLANNING AREA DESCRIPTION		% ALLOCATION (BUILDABLE LAND)
Employment Center	Employment Planning Area. The intention of the employment planning area is to accommodate large employers or a corporate campus that can incorporate some residential or mixed use.	CD-4 CD-5 EC LI	0 - 10% 10 - 40% 60 - 90% 0 - 30%
High Intensity Zone	High Intensity Planning Area. The intention of the high intensity planning	CD-1, 2, or 3	0 - 10%
	area is to accommodate high intensity and high density infill development	CD-4	10 - 30%
	within a compact mixed use area.	CD-5	60 - 90%
Medium Intensity Zone	Medium Intensity Planning Area. The intention of the medium intensity	CD-1, 2, or 3	10 - 30%
	planning are is to accommodate new master planned communities with	CD-4	30 - 60%
	diverse housing types developed around a 5 minute walk to all services.	CD-5	10 - 30%
Conservation Planning Area. The intention of the conservation planning area		CD-1 or 2	50% min.
is to preserve large areas of environmentally sensitive or prime agricultural		CD-3	20 -40%
lands while providing for clustered residential development in appropriate		CD-4	10 - 30%
areas.		CD-5	0 - 5%

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Planning Area District-Character District Allocation Comparison Chart

Character District	District Description	Max Units per Acre/ Allowed Building Types	Allowed % Allocation: Low Intensity Preferred Scenario	Allowed % Allocation: Medium Intensity Preferred Scenario
Character District-1 (CD-1)	Intended for the preservation of open space and the most sensitive natural resources in San Marcos. May include widely dispersed rural single-family homes but is primarily characterized by extensive, undisturbed landscapes.	N/A N/A-Intended for preservation and open space	50% minimum (CD-1 or CD-2)	10-30% (CD-1, CD-2, or CD-3)
Character District-2 (CD-2)	Intended for the development of single family and agricultural uses in a rural setting. Characterized by primarily agricultural with woodlands and wetlands and scattered buildings.	o.1 max House, Civic, ADU	50% minimum (CD-1 or CD-2)	10-30% (CD-1, CD-2, or CD-3)
Character District-3 (CD-3)	Primarily intended to accommodate one- and two-family houses. Uses that would substantially interfere with the residential nature of this district are not allowed.	10 max House, Cottage, Cottage Court, Duplex, Zero Lot Line, Civic, ADU	20-40%	10-30% (CD-1, CD-2, or CD-3)
Character District-4 (CD-4)	Intended to accommodate a variety of residential options including single family, two family, and multifamily with limited commercial or mixed use on the corners.	N/A Cottage, Duplex, Townhouse, Courtyard, Apartment, Live/Work, Neighborhood Shopfront, Civic, ADU	10-30%	30-60%
Character District-5 (CD-5)	Intended to provide for a variety of residential, retail, service, and commercial uses. To promote walkability and compatibility auto- oriented uses are restricted. CD-5 promotes mixed use and pedestrian oriented activity.	N/A Townhouse, Apartment, Live/Work, Mixed Use Shopfront, Civic, ADU	0-5%	10-30%

Environmental Analysis

- Northernmost extent of property adjacent to San Marcos River located in the floodway, floodplain, and water quality zones
- Not located within any Edwards Aquifer Zone.
- Not located on significant slopes.

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Environmental Analysis

 Majority of site, except for area located within the floodway and floodplain is classified as Least to Moderately Constrained

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PSA-20-02 Water/Wastewater Lines Riverbend Ranch PSA — North Old Bastrop Hwy. & Staples Rd.



PSA -20-02 TDM Existing Daily Riverbend Ranch PSA — North Old Bastrop Hwy. & Staples Rd.

TDM derived from 2010 CAMPO Regional Model



PSA-20-02 TDM Existing Peak Riverbend Ranch PSA — North Old Bastrop Hwy. & Staples Rd.

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PSA-20-02 Wastewater Hotspots Riverbend Ranch PSA — North Old Bastrop Hwy. & Staples Rd.



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- Located within a minimally constrained area according to the Land Use Suitability map.
- Annexation and extension of City infrastructure allows for contiguous, coherent CCN and City Limits avoiding "donut holes" and "leap frogging"
- Extension of City infrastructure avoids possible negative environmental impacts to San Marcos River with proposed package plant

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Staff Recommendation:

Staff provides this request to the Commission for your consideration and recommends <u>approval</u> of the request for a Preferred Scenario Map Amendment from "Area of Stability-Low Intensity" to "Growth Area-Medium Intensity"