

KNOXVILLE/KNOX COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION USE ON REVIEW REPORT

۲	FILE #: 4-D-06-UR	AGENDA ITEM #: 90			
		AGENDA DATE: 4/13/2006			
۲	APPLICANT:	M & M PARTNERS			
	OWNER(S):	MCCLURE WALLACE JR TR			
	TAX ID NUMBER:	143 E D 024			
	JURISDICTION:	County Commission District 5			
►	LOCATION:	Southwest side Valley Hill Ln., northwest of Trent Ln.			
►	APPX. SIZE OF TRACT:	0.6 acre			
	SECTOR PLAN:	Southwest County			
	GROWTH POLICY PLAN:	Planned Growth Area			
	ACCESSIBILITY:	Access is via Valley Hill Ln., a local street with 50' of right of way and 25' of pavement width.			
	UTILITIES:	Water Source: First Knox Utility District			
		Sewer Source: First Knox Utility District			
►	ZONING:	PR (Planned Residential)			
►	EXISTING LAND USE:	Vacant land			
۲	PROPOSED USE:	Single family residence			
	HISTORY OF ZONING:	Property was zoned PR in the late 1980's and the subdivision was developed in phases during the 1990's. MPC approved a use on review for two tennis courts to be constructed on this parcel on 2/12/04 (1-A-04-UR).			
	SURROUNDING LAND USE AND ZONING:	North: Single family dwelling / PR (Planned Residential) @ 4 du/ac			
		South: Single family dwelling / PR (Planned Residential) @ 4 du/ac			
		East: Valley Hill Ln Single family dwelling / PR (Planned Residential) @ 4 du/ac			
		West: Single family dwelling / PR (Planned Residential) @ 4 du/ac			
	NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT:	The subject property is located within Lovell Hills, a single family subdivision developed under PR zoning.			

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE the development plan for a single family dwelling on Lot 32, Lovell Hills, Unit 11, in the PR zoning district.

The lot was originally approved for a single family dwelling and is more appropriate for a house than the previously approved tennis courts.

COMMENTS:

The applicant is proposing to build a single family dwelling on this residential lot within Lovell Hills Subdivision. The lot was originally approved for a single family dwelling in the 1990's, but was subsequently approved for two tennis courts in 2004 (1-A-04-UR). Use on review approval is required to change the most recent use on review approval for this lot only. This lot is the only one on Valley Hill Ln. and one of only a few lots in Lovell

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Hills Subdivision yet to be developed with houses.

EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL ON THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, SURROUNDING PROPERTY AND THE COMMUNITY AS A WHOLE

1. This proposal is consistent with the surrounding single family residential development in the Lovell Hills subdivision.

2. The lot is of similar size and has similar slope characteristics to other lots within the subdivision.

3. The proposed use is more compatible and consistent with surrounding development than the previously approved plan for tennis courts on the property. Staff had previously recommended denial of the tennis court proposal, but MPC voted to approve the request.

CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO CRITERIA ESTABLISHED BY THE KNOX COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE

1. The proposed development is consistent with the general standards for uses permitted on review: The proposal is consistent with the policies of the General Plan, Sector Plan and other adopted plans. The use is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning Ordinance. The use is compatible with the character of the area where it is proposed. The use will not significantly injure the value of adjacent property. The use will not draw additional traffic through residential streets.

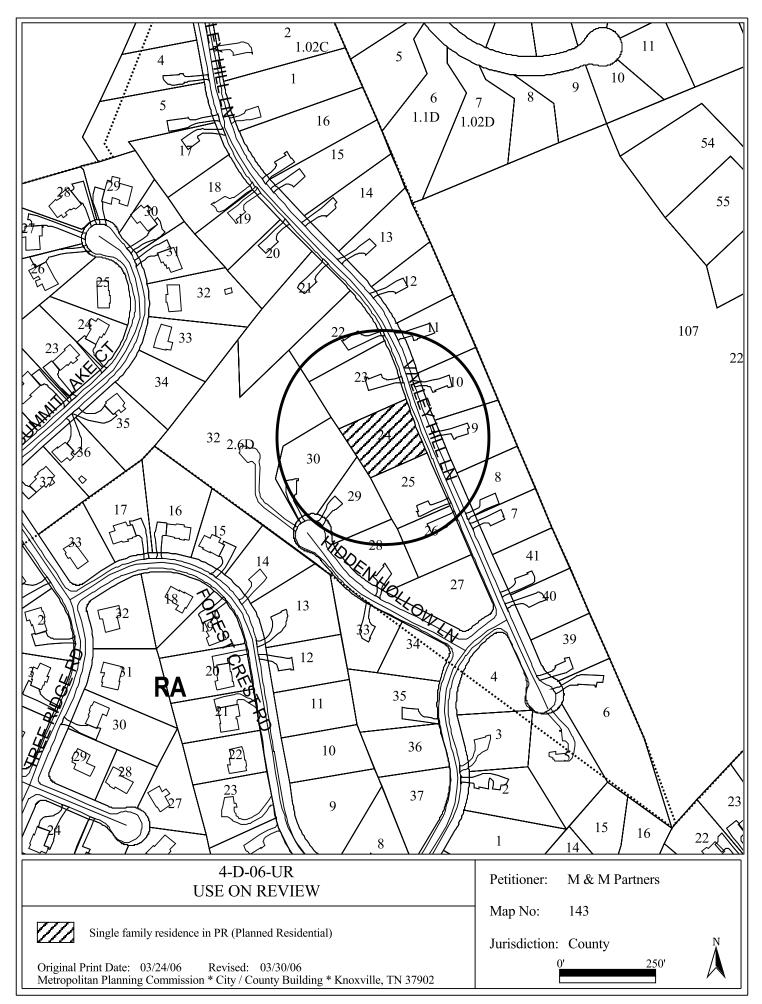
2. The proposal meets the intent of the PR zoning district in the Knox County Zoning Ordinance.

CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO ADOPTED MPC PLANS

1. The Southwest County Sector Plan proposes low density residential uses for this area, consistent with the proposal.

2. The site is located in the Planned Growth Area of the Knoxville-Knox County-Farragut Growth Policy Plan.

MPC's approval or denial of this request is final, unless the action is appealed to the Knox County Board of Zoning Appeals. The date of the Knox County Board of Zoning Appeals hearing will depend on when the appeal application is filed. Appellants have 30 days to appeal an MPC decision in the County.



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