

▶ **FILE #:** 8-G-06-RZ

AGENDA ITEM #: 84

AGENDA DATE: 8/10/2006

▶ **APPLICANT:** TRENT AND GAIL WALTERS

OWNER(S): WALTERS TRENT JR & GAIL M

TAX ID NUMBER: 143 078

JURISDICTION: County Commission District 5

▶ **LOCATION:** Southeast side Woody Dr., southeast of Annandale Rd.

▶ **APPX. SIZE OF TRACT:** 10643 square feet

SECTOR PLAN: Southwest County

GROWTH POLICY PLAN: Planned Growth Area

ACCESSIBILITY: Access is via Woody Dr., a minor collector street with 20' of pavement width within 50' of right of way.

UTILITIES: Water Source: First Knox Utility District

Sewer Source: First Knox Utility District

▶ **PRESENT ZONING:** A (Agricultural)

▶ **ZONING REQUESTED:** RA (Low Density Residential)

▶ **EXISTING LAND USE:** Vacant land

▶ **PROPOSED USE:** House

EXTENSION OF ZONE: Yes, extension of RA from the north and south

HISTORY OF ZONING: None noted

SURROUNDING LAND USE AND ZONING: North: Woody Dr. - Dwellings / RA (Low Density Residential)

South: Dwellings / RA (Low Density Residential)

East: Dwelling / A (Agricultural)

West: Dwelling / A (Agricultural)

NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT: This area is developed with low density residential uses under A, PR, RA and RB zoning.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

▶ **APPROVE RA (Low Density Residential) zoning.**

RA zoning is compatible with the surrounding development and zoning pattern and is consistent with the sector plan proposal for the site.

COMMENTS:

NEED AND JUSTIFICATION FOR THE PROPOSAL

1. RA zoning is compatible with the scale and intensity of the surrounding land uses and zoning pattern.
2. There are numerous low density residential subdivisions in the vicinity of this site, zoned PR, RA and RB.
3. The RA zoning will allow the applicant to construct one single family dwelling on the property, in conformance with the zoning. This vacant 10,643 sq. ft. lot is not large enough to be developed under Agricultural zoning.

THE EFFECTS OF THE PROPOSAL

1. Public water and sewer utilities are available to serve the site.

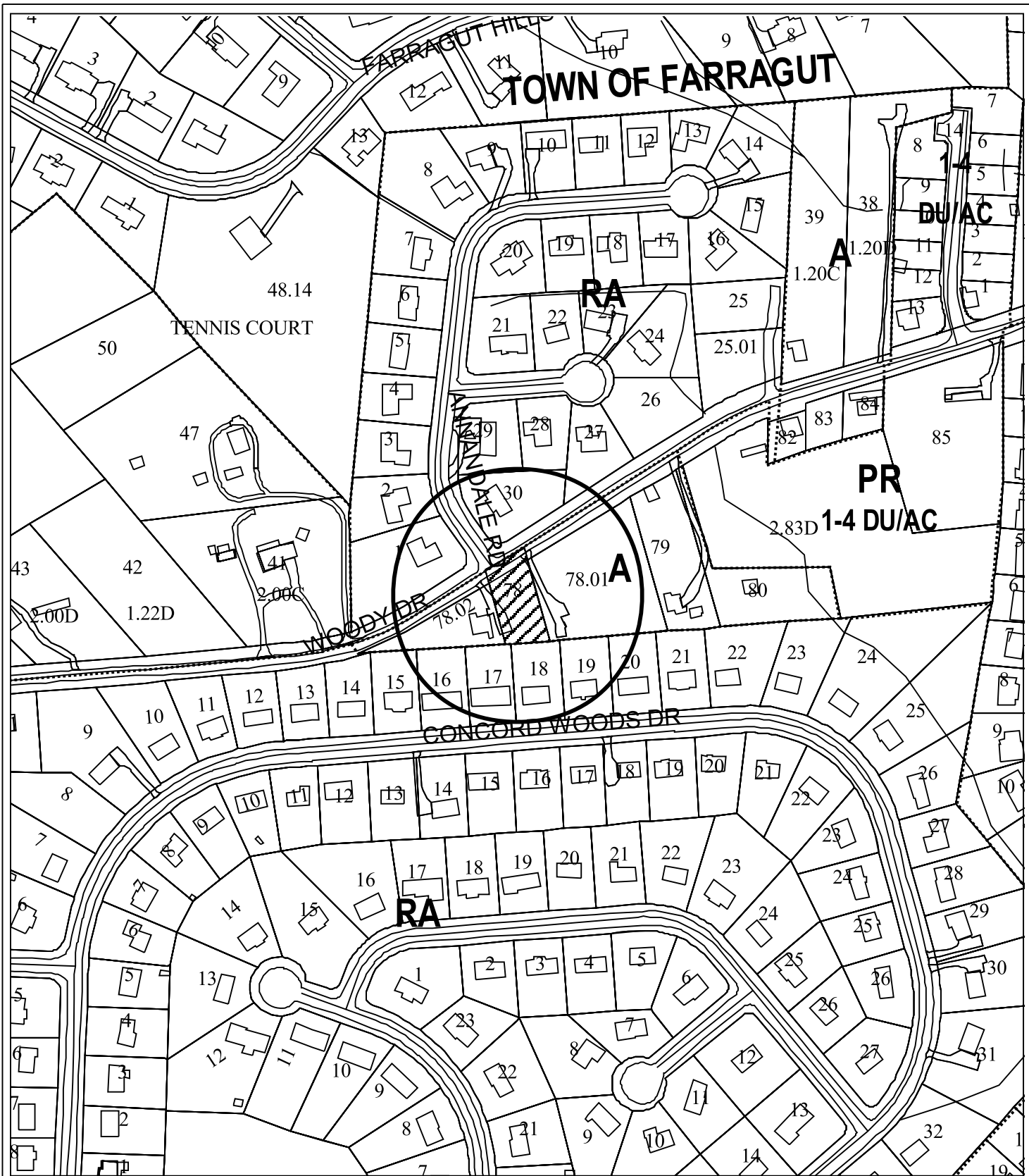
2. This proposal will have minimal impact on schools and the street system.
3. The proposal is compatible with the surrounding zoning, and the impact to adjacent properties should be minimal.

CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO ADOPTED PLANS

1. The Southwest County Sector Plan proposes low density residential uses for the site, consistent with this proposal.
2. The site is located within the Planned Growth Area on the Knoxville-Knox County-Farragut Growth Policy Plan map.
3. This request could generate similar requests for RA or other residential zoning in this area, consistent with the sector plan proposal for low density residential uses.

Upon final approval of the rezoning, the developer will be required to submit a final plat prior to further subdivision and development of the property. The plat will show the property's proposed subdivision and means of access.

If approved, this item will be forwarded to Knox County Commission for action on 9/25/2006. If denied, MPC's action is final, unless the action to deny is appealed to Knox County Commission. The date of the appeal 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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REZONING**

Petitioner: Trent and Gail Walters

Map No: 143

Jurisdiction: County



From: A (Agricultural)

To: RA (Low Density Residential)

Original Print Date: 07/25/06 Revised:

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