

KNOXVILLE/KNOX COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION REZONING REPORT

► FILE #: 6-E-07-RZ AGENDA ITEM #: 80

AGENDA DATE: 6/14/2007

► APPLICANT: CITY OF KNOXVILLE

OWNER(S): SHERROD LEON K & BARBARA D

TAX ID NUMBER: 72 A B 006

JURISDICTION: City Council District 4

► LOCATION: North side Asheville Hwy., northwest of S. Ruggles Ferry Pike

► APPX. SIZE OF TRACT: 0.8 acres

SECTOR PLAN: East County

GROWTH POLICY PLAN: Urban Growth Area (Inside City Limits)

ACCESSIBILITY: Access is via Asheville Hwy., a four lane, median divided, major arterial

street.

UTILITIES: Water Source: KUB

Sewer Source: KUB

► PRESENT ZONING: C-3 (General Commercial)

ZONING REQUESTED: C-4 (Highway and Arterial Commercial)

EXISTING LAND USE: Commercial

PROPOSED USE: Commercial including outdoor sales

EXTENSION OF ZONE: No.

HISTORY OF ZONING: Property was zoned C-3 following annexation into the City of Knoxville in

2003. (10-Y-03-RZ)

SURROUNDING LAND North: Vacant land and business / C-3 Commercial

USE AND ZONING: South: Asheville Hwy., / C-3 Commercial

East: Residences / R-1 Residential
West: Businesses / C-3 Commercial

NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT: This developed business site is part of the commercial/ residential area that

extends along both sides of this section of Asheville Hwy. within C-3, C-4,

CA, CB, R-1 and R-2 zones.

ESTIMATED STUDENT YIELD: 0 (public and private school children, ages 5-18 years)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE C-4 (Highway and Arterial Commercial) zone

C-4 zoning is consistent with surrounding zoning and development and will permit the owner to lease the site to an auto sales business.

COMMENTS:

This site was annexed with surrounding property that had been zoned CA and RA in the county. At that time all the commercial property was zoned C-3, although the subject property use at the time of annexation would have been more appropriate for C-4 zoning.

If approved, this item will be forwarded to Knoxville City Council for action on 7/17/2007 and 7/31/2007. If denied, MPC's action is final, unless the action to deny is appealed to Knoxville City Council. The date of the

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appeal hearing will depend on when the appeal application is filed. Appellants have 15 days to appeal an MPC decision in the City.

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