

CASE SUMMARY

APPLICATION TYPE: REZONING

KNOXVILLE-KNOX COUNTY

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File Number: 9-G-06-RZ **Related File Number:**
Application Filed: 8/4/2006 **Date of Revision:**
Applicant: PAULA C. TOMPKINS
Owner:

PROPERTY INFORMATION

General Location: Northeast side Bob Varner Rd., northwest of Brown Gap Rd.
Other Parcel Info.:
Tax ID Number: 39 075 **Jurisdiction:** County
Size of Tract: 2.07 acres
Accessibility: Access is via Bob Varner Rd., a local street with 14-15' of pavement width within 30-35' of right of way.

GENERAL LAND USE INFORMATION

Existing Land Use: Residence
Surrounding Land Use:
Proposed Use: Subdivide into 4 lots **Density:**
Sector Plan: North County **Sector Plan Designation:** LDR
Growth Policy Plan: Planned Growth Area
Neighborhood Context: This area is developed with residential uses under A, PR, RA and RB zoning.

ADDRESS/RIGHT-OF-WAY INFORMATION (where applicable)

Street: 6520 Bob Varner Rd
Location:
Proposed Street Name:
Department-Utility Report:
Reason:

ZONING INFORMATION (where applicable)

Current Zoning: A (Agricultural)
Former Zoning:
Requested Zoning: RA (Low Density Residential)
Previous Requests: None noted
Extension of Zone: Not an extension of RA, but PR zoning is to the southeast
History of Zoning: None noted

PLAN INFORMATION (where applicable)

Current Plan Category:
Requested Plan Category:

SUBDIVISION INFORMATION (where applicable)

Subdivision Name:

Surveyor:

No. of Lots Proposed: No. of Lots Approved: 0

Variances Requested:

S/D Name Change:

OTHER INFORMATION (where applicable)

Other Bus./Ord. Amend.:

MPC ACTION AND DISPOSITION

Planner In Charge: Michael Brusseau

Staff Recomm. (Abbr.): APPROVE RA (Low Density Residential) zoning.

Staff Recomm. (Full): 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 2.07-acre property to be subdivided into lots of no less than 10,000 square feet in area, which would allow the property to be subdivided into the proposed 4 lots for residential development.

THE EFFECTS OF THE PROPOSAL
1. Public water and sewer utilities are available in the area to serve the site.
2. This proposal will have minimal impact on schools and the street system, although this section of Bob Varner Ln. has only 14-15' of pavement width. The street has 20' of pavement width from Brown Gap Rd. to the south up to about 100 feet short of the subject property.
3. The proposal is compatible with the surrounding zoning, and the impact to adjacent properties should be minimal.
4. In order to subdivide the subject property, the applicant will be required to dedicate right of way along Bob Varner Rd., as part of the platting process. The Knoxville-Knox County Major Road Plan requires a dedication of 25 feet from the centerline of the right of way in this section of Bob Varner Rd.

CONFORMITY OF THE PROPOSAL TO ADOPTED PLANS
1. The North 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.

MPC Action: Approved MPC Meeting Date: 9/14/2006

Details of MPC action:

Summary of MPC action: APPROVE RA (Low Density Residential)

Date of MPC Approval: 9/14/2006 Date of Denial: Postponements:

Date of Withdrawal: Withdrawn prior to publication?: Action Appealed?:

LEGISLATIVE ACTION AND DISPOSITION

Legislative Body: Knox County Commission

Date of Legislative Action: 10/23/2006 Date of Legislative Action, Second Reading:

Ordinance Number:

Disposition of Case: Approved

If "Other":

Amendments:

Date of Legislative Appeal:

Other Ordinance Number References:

Disposition of Case, Second Reading:

If "Other":

Amendments:

Effective Date of Ordinance: